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WILSON ON MADISON.

THE ELOQUENT WEST VIRGINIAN'S STATEMENTS CRITICISED.

Madison Was Jefferson's Boswell—Why Was Eight Years of His Life as Secretary of State and Eight Years as President Omitted—Madison Could Only Look South—He was not the Father of Anything, Much Less of the Constitution—Gay Sizes Him up Correctly.

The Lecture of Representative Wilson of West Virginia upon James Madison at University Hall last Tuesday evening was disappointing. It used to be said that "all things were possible to a Virginian" but it is doubtful if the Virginian has been born who can make a lecture designed for a Virginia gathering and adapted to the latitude of Virginia exactly fit in to the intelligence, the critical taste or the patriotism of an Ann Arbor audience.

He began his "great effort" by severely criticising the life of James Madison by Gay in the American Statesmen Series. It is safe to say that nine-tenths of the intelligent readers of those biographies will say that Gay's life of Madison is the most discriminating, the most just and the most interesting of all those volumes. As a piece of literary work it is the best of the whole with the possible exception of the life of Henry Clay. It is true he does not falsify history by conveying the impression that Virginia furnished more money more soldiers and more brains to carry us through the revolutionary struggle than all the rest of the country and he is especially severe upon Biart's bombastic and indiscriminating "Life of James Madison." Gay especially commends the early public career of Madison—the only portion of his career which Wilson had the courage to discuss or the discretion to praise. It is Madison's later career as member of Jefferson's Cabinet and as President which the fair minded student will dispise and which impartial history must condemn. Virginians have given Madison the title of "Father of the Constitution," this is absurd. Its only basis is the fact that the "Virginia plan" submitted by another delegate was in his handwriting. The truth is Madison's own minutes will show that more propositions advocated by him were disapproved than approved by the convention. Madison was clear headed, an acute reasoner and could advocate a cause, especially in writing, with great ability. But he was never the "Father" of anything. His first work, like his papers in the Federalist, was done when he was removed from the influence of Jefferson. His courage, his backbone and his conscience all collapsed when he came under the direct influence of the sage of Monticello. He even came to speak in a sneering way, about the priests of New England to curry favor with the great "Infidel" of Virginia. Jefferson was infatuated with the doctrines of Rousseau and the Social Contract—he could see nothing to praise in solid conservative England and nothing to condemn in erratic revolutionary France. When Jefferson returned to Virginia, from Europe, the only praiseworthy portion of Madison's public career came to an end. From thenceforth he became Jefferson's political Boswell. That great "sage" even made Madison believe that the best way to protect our commerce was to prohibit our commerce—that the best way to protect our sea-coast in time of war was to build gunboats—place them on wheels and drag them from point to point as the enemy might appear—by Virginia mules! It was the insidious influence of Jefferson which induced Madison to insert in the celebrated "Virginia Resolutions" the pestiferous doctrine of secession—the first conception of the baneful idea that a State of her own motion had a right to secede from the Union.

The face of Madison was always turned to the south. Her interests alone were worthy of much consideration. He could see nothing great in New England. His policy as president took no account of her interests yet New England managed to get along after a fashion. When the British troops approached Washington during Madison's second disgraceful term as president they found no "embattled farmers," to stop their progress as at Lexington and Concord 38 years before. The Maryland and Virginia militia took to their heels, and Madison—the gallant Virginian loaded down with a pair of duelling-pistols which he had borrowed from a friend skulked away to the south and sent word to "Dolly" his brilliant, beautiful and patriotic northern-born wife to gather up the spoons and pictures of the White House and escape the best way she could.

Mr. Wilson of West Virginia may be a great lawyer, a great orator, a great

statesman as he is a distinguished Democrat but in his lecture at University Hall he did not show his ability or courage, to attempt even to defend the later public life of James Madison. But a lecture upon James Madison with nothing said about Madison's eight years term as Secretary of State followed by eight years in the presidency is as ridiculous and absurd as to attempt to present the play of Hamlet with the part of Hamlet left out.

W. D. H.

He Mesmerized Them.
Dr. Henry Hulst, of Grand Rapids, graduate of the medical class of '88, U. of M., lectured to the seniors on Hypnotism yesterday, and in the afternoon a clinic was held in which hypnotism was experimented with.

At the clinic a number of visitors were admitted. The patients were a Mr. Dykema, of Grand Rapids, a Dutchman, whom Mr. Hulst has treated for some time, and a student. The former was so susceptible that he was once hypnotized by telephone. This patient was put through a variety of experiments to show the peculiarities of the hypnotic condition. A pin was thrust through a muscle of the forearm, and he never winced nor indicated any knowledge of it on being awakened. His name was traced in the air over a blackboard behind him and on being awakened he turned, read it and pointed out the exact location of the tracing. While hypnotized he had been told simply that his name was written on that board. The new patient was not quite so easily controlled, but was put through several experiments, showing what could be done with him.

Dr. Hulst claims that the explanation of these phenomena is largely psychological. The patient must be willing. Insane people cannot be hypnotized, and hysterical people are difficult to influence. People usual do not know what has happened to them in the hypnotic state, and especially is this the case if they are ordered not to remember, but in course of time the remembrance will come to them so that they will know all about it. Judicious questioning and assistance will hasten this.

Collegiate Alumnae.
The meeting of the Detroit Branch of Collegiate Alumnae held last Saturday at the Unitarian church was a pronounced success, at least every one present seemed much pleased with the days entertainment. After a business meeting in the morning and a dainty and attractive luncheon served at Harris Hall, a number of interesting papers were read. Dr. Warner, of Detroit, read a paper on Household Sanitation presenting in the course of her remarks a clear and comprehensive view of the whole subject. Mrs. F. N. Scott followed her with a paper on Scientific Cooking which went to prove that while such a science was highly desirable it was far from being at present attained. Mrs. Angstrom, of Detroit, then discussed Household Economics showing the part that recent inventions and appliances were destined to play in the work and expenses of the household. After a discussion of each paper several ladies who had attended the World's Congress of Women recently held in Chicago gave reports of some of the salient features of that unique gathering. This part of the program was of especial interest and when the time to adjourn came, the verdict of all was that the Detroit Branch of the Collegiate Alumnae had held one of its most enjoyable and profitable meetings.

The Good Templar Convention.
The Washenaw District Convention of Good Templars met in Saline May 23rd with delegates from Ann Arbor, Dexter, Chelsea, Whitmore Lake and Saline lodges present. The secretary's report showed an increase of about one hundred and fifty or more than double the membership at the last annual meeting. The delegates reported their various lodges in a prosperous condition and Whitmore Lake Lodge having done the most work was declared the banner lodge and the regalia was awarded to them. Guy Hayler, of England, has been secured to give six lectures in this district and an active line of work has been planned for the summer. At the afternoon session the following district officers were elected for the ensuing year: chief templar, John R. Bowditch, Ann Arbor; counselor, Frank H. Spooner, Dexter; vice-templar, Mrs. A. J. Congdon, Chelsea; sec. Miss Cornelia Copeland, Dexter; asst. sec., Jas. McGill, Ann Arbor; treas., G. G. Crozier, Ann Arbor; sup't. of juvenile temples, Mrs. Lizzie Bowditch, Ann Arbor; chaplain, Rev. Platt, Saline; marshal, J. G. Pray, Whitmore Lake; dep. marshal, Miss Maud Moss, Whitmore Lake; guard, Miss May Vincent, Ann Arbor; sentinel, H. L. Drew, Saline. In the evening the lodge adjourned to the Baptist church where a fine address was given them. The next meeting will be held in Dexter in August.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.

NEWS AND GOSSIP GLEANED FROM THE CAMPUS.

Items of Interest Regarding Our Big University.—A Column Especially Devoted to University News.—Personalities, Gossip, Etc.

The final social of Hobart Guild will be given next Friday, June 2. The Varsity Minstrels didn't poll a very large vote in Detroit Tuesday evening.

Last Friday the senior medics took their annual trip to the Pontiac asylum for the insane. Nearly 1,000 students went to see the Cornell-U. of M. game Tuesday. And Cornell won, 7 to 5. The nine won from Iowa, Wisconsin and Northwestern on their recent trip and lost to Minnesota. A party of students went to Detroit on their wheels to attend the Cornell-U. of M. game Tuesday. The Homeopathic professors are all in Chicago this week at a World's Congress of their school of medicine. E. F. Johnston will preside over the practice court established by the board of regents for the law department. Prof. E. M. Taylor spoke in Newberry Hall last Sunday morning on the "Right of Dissent within the Church."

For the first time in ten years the Palladium comes out on the day contracted for. Today a complete copy was put in the hands of the editors. The Senior Medics are in a pickle. They sent their diplomas to Harvard to be signed by Prof. Howell and now Dr. Abel has gone to Europe so that his signature cannot be obtained. Dr. J. J. Abel left Sunday for Europe, by way of Baltimore. He will spend the summer abroad returning to John Hopkins in the fall to be professor of Materia Medica in that institution.

This year's Palladium is a fine success. It has been ably edited, carefully compiled, and the mechanical part of the work is in the highest style of the art of book-making. It will be on sale next Monday at latest.

Dr. Howell, who went to Harvard from here, wrote recently "I feel more convinced than ever that the medical students of the U. of M. go into practice with as good a training as can be obtained in the country."

Prof. Hudson has been able to secure for the library, from the French government, a part of that great collection called "Unedited Documents on the History of France," sixty-two volumes have reached the library.

Hon. W. L. Wilson can take a hint without its being presented to him on the toe of a boot. The boys didn't take so kindly to his formal manuscript lecture on James Madison, but what they began to leave after fifteen minutes. So Mr. Wilson flung aside his manuscript and gave them politics right from the shoulder in one, two, three style. They stayed and applauded vociferously from that time on.

No Blood Was Shed.

The barking of the dogs of war became distinctly audible last Thursday afternoon down on N. Fourth-ave. That mighty corporation the M. C. R. R. began, with a sweaty haste that indicated that it would not "divide the Sunday from the week," to lay a track on some of its own property along Depot-st. There were indications of a most positive intention to cross Fourth ave. The city had been appealed to for permission but the request reposed unpeacefully in the archives of the street committee of the council alongside of a wild-eyed remonstrance by certain citizens. But now that terrible grinding monopoly was actually making tracks for Fourth-ave without permission, under the guidance of one John Howard assistant road-master. Then was Marshall Murray directed to go forth and punctuate proceedings with a full stop. But before he could arrive on the scene, street commissioner Sutherland charged in vigorously and undertook to prove to the dauntless Howard that even if he was a road master he couldn't boss streets in this neck of the woods. Then there was a great shifting of ties,—railroad, not neck. Sutherland ejected them from the street, and Howard promptly returned them. This form of amusement having a tendency to become laborious in course of time, Sutherland arrested Howard for obstructing the highway. Howard called on his warriors to rescue him, but there was that in the eye of Sutherland that quelled their spirit and they came not. Then was the captive Howard deposited in the county jail and later pleaded not guilty, the case being adjourned till today.

Murray brought the cohorts to order after the leader had yielded, and work ceased until Friday morning, when a truck was declared in these terms: The truck was to be built but if the council objected, up it should come, where it crosses the street.

To Print Jokes.

The U. of M. will have a new paper of humorous intent next year if enthusiasm and organization can produce it. Puck and Judge will be flat, Life stale and all other humorous publications unprofitable hereafter. Last Saturday afternoon the stockholders met and organized. They adopted a constitution supposed to be sound enough to suit a life insurance company. They limited ownership of stock to five Irish bulls each. The question of letting the stock wander off the campus was postponed until such time as the condition of the city pound could be looked up. They agreed that they better avoid personalities until the fighting editor could get a gymnasium training. Officers were elected as follows with the following duties: president, Prof. J. H. Drake, who leads the hilarity when anything funny comes up; secretary and auditor, B. F. Wollman,—he listens for jokes and writes them down; treasurer and business manager, H. H. Smith—who takes care of the jokes to prevent their getting out before they are printed; directors and advisory board, Prof. F. N. Scott and Mr. Weeks,—jokes are first tried on these gentlemen and if they can stand them they are printed, their correct title is advisory board; board of editors, H. Williams, R. L. Wagner, H. H. Smith, J. L. Lorie, W. C. Bolles and G. W. Harris,—they get up such diagrams and accessories as may be necessary to clear up the meaning of jokes.

Prof. E. F. Lohr.

The high school year of '93 closed today with brief exercises in the high school chapel. There were some brief speeches by Prof. Lohr and other teachers, and a general leave taking by pupils and instructors. It was a decidedly impressive occasion because of the fact that it was definitely known that Prof. Lohr and Prof. Woolman were to depart for other fields of labor. The affair was purely informal and there were many tearful eyes and a tremulous voices as the good-byes were said.

Prof. Lohr has been connected with the South Bend High school as instructor for nine years, and three years as its principal. He has seen the membership more than doubled within that time and its standard raised from a very common grade to be credited by Prof. Demmon, of the University of Michigan as first among fifty high schools that he had visited in this country. Pupils from this school of the years '91, '92, '93 and '94 are admitted to the Michigan University without examination, their passport being the graduate's diploma. The South Bend high school standing, it being one of the best equipped in the west in all departments, is largely due to Prof. Lohr's judicious and progressive management.—South Bend Tribune.

The S. M. S. Cotillion.

On Friday evening May 28 the young ladies of the S. M. S. gave a cotillion at the home of the Misses Demmon, 76 Washtenaw-ave, which was one of the most brilliant events of the present social season. The spacious parlors were profusely decorated with flowers and tropical plants and the scene was one of unusual beauty. After the program of ten numbers had been finished a collation was served to the guests and then came the cotillion led by Miss Demmon and Mr. Walter Herman Kirk. The figures introduced were new and varied and the favors were dainty tissue paper souvenirs which had been prepared by the young ladies. The following is a list of those present: Miss Mackie, Toledo; Miss Gertrude Caswell, Washington D. C.; the Misses Cooley, Demmon, Rose Demmon, Dix Danster, Gardner, Jeanette Gardner, Josephine Hyde, Kinna, McMorrin, Charlotta Pope; Messrs. N. Bourland, Cooley, Drake, Effinger, Kirk, Ortman, C. P. Richardson, Sencenbaugh, F. C. Smith, B. S. Varian, M. C. Varian, H. V. Richardson.

Perhaps Demoted.

Mrs. Emma Coville, of N. Dakota, is her own authority for her name and residence. She was in Jackson on last Thursday and becoming filled with a longing for the land of the Dakotas she took the train for Ann Arbor, probably backing up to get a fair start. Here she wandered about the streets until she came to the lawn in front of Christian Mack's residence where she proceeded to exhibit a fine talent for fits. The medical testimony called in indicated that the policeman rather than the physician was best able to treat the case, so she was removed to the hospital presided over by Mr. Brenner. Here she recovered rapidly, displayed a strong disposition to avoid publicity and laid claim to having been at one time in her career the wife of Frank Meyer of Wodens. Saturday a lady who kindly forgot the impostor and saw only the unfortunate woman in the case aided her on her travels to the west.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Coldwater has night patrolmen now. The peach orchards throughout the county are said to be in an excellent condition.

John McDonald, aged 61, was thrown from a wagon at Adrian and sustaining serious injuries.

Eaton Rapids schools and many of the people there began running on standard time last Monday.

The Cornwells have erected a new passenger depot at Fosters which was used for the first time last Saturday.

Farmers in the vicinity of Pinckney are said to be falling over each other in a wild rush to take out cyclone insurance.

A disastrous fire at Belding Tuesday morning of last week caused a loss of nearly \$150,000 and the death of two of its citizens.

According to the Dexter News a Sharon farmer burns the corn stalks and husk, and goes around and then picks up the ears.

John Gillen has been appointed post master in Saline. His many friends will be glad of his success in overcoming the big local fight.

All small fruit, cherries, plums, peaches and pear trees are in full bloom but the apple trees are not full. There will be some summer apples but not many winter ones.

Garay Noble, Dexter's first postmaster is still alive. He can remember back to the time when the mail was transported on the back of the now extinct hairy elephant, once common in North America.—Adrian Press.

A few moments call at the bedside of Fred Litchfield Monday afternoon showed what effective work the hand of disease will play even with the temperate, athletic and young. That Fred may recover is the sincere wish of his many friends.—Dexter Leader.

At the annual convocation of the grand commandery, Knight Templar, held in Bay City this week, J. S. Conover of Coldwater was elected past right eminent grand commander, and Henry L. Anthony of Sturgis right eminent grand commander.

Wm. Hicks, an intertemporal train printer who was employed at the Herald office here for some time, accidentally set fire to the Romeo lockup last week while confined therein over night, and inhaled so much smoke that he died soon after being extricated from his cell. The fire was extinguished without serious loss.—Howell Republican.

The latest fish story, but a true one, is that Jackie Kenser saw a large pickerel swimming in the pond near Rehoboth house and picking up a stone hit it on the head, assuming it so that it swam around and finally went over the dam, when Fred Werner jumped into the water up to his arm-pits, caught the fish and bro't it to shore.—Manchester Enterprise.

The Teemseh folks have a stand pipe 110 feet high, and last week the mayor climbed to the top of it and graced his fingers on the end of his nose at Adrian which is in plain sight. The bitter rivalry between the two settlements keeps the cold chills climbing up the backbone of old Lenawee without cessation.

The editor of the Adrian Press, who has been for some time in the hospital, and to bring things to an open rupture, and it is suspected that by his advice the boys are shining up their guns.—Grass Lake News.

Michael Conklin, our old townsman, met with an accident last Friday at Jackson Junction that may cost him his life. A cable of the gravel train on which Mr. Conklin was working became slack and the engine in taking it up snapped it over the inside of the circular position of the train striking with terrible force, Mr. Conklin and several others. An amputation of his leg a little below the knee became necessary, and a badly shattered arm was the result. It is really a distressing circumstance and fears are entertained that on account of his age he will hardly recover.—Dexter News.

A New Certain Cure for Piles. We do not intend to endorse any apt articles of genuine merit; we therefore, take pleasure in recommending sufferers from Piles in any form, prompt and permanent cure. The following letters speak for themselves:

Mrs. Mary C. Tyler, of Hesperia, Mich., writes: One pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure cured me of piles from which I had suffered for years, and I have never had the slightest return of them since.

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MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

ROASTED ALIVE.

The Terrible Fate of Eleven Men in a Lumber Camp Near Lake City.

Forest fires reached Louis Sand's lumber camp near Lake City and resulted in burning to death eleven men. The names of the unfortunates are: Samuel Campbell, John Hill, James Hugh, Hans Jacobson, Michael McCune, Michael Mulholland, M. C. Pagen, Edward Roobach, Fred Sager, Frank Sangreen, Charles G. Taylor. The men were assembled at dinner and the forest fire which was burning all around entirely cut off all escape.

Michigan Templars Elect Officers. At the annual meeting in Bay City of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar of Michigan the following officers were elected:

Past commander, Jefferson S. Conover, Coldwater; commander, Henry L. Anthony, Sturgis; deputy grand commander, Charles H. Pomeroy, Bay City; generalissimo, William E. Jewett, Adrian; captain general, Edward D. Wheeler, Manistee; prelate, Rev. F. A. Blades, Detroit; senior warden, Albert Stiles, Jackson; junior warden, F. M. Moore, Marquette; treasurer, H. Shaw Noble, Monroe; recorder, William P. Innis, Grand Rapids; standard bearer, R. McKnight, Saginaw; sword bearer, Eugene R. Roberts, Albion; warden, R. T. VanDyke, Detroit; sentinel, Sir Knight Alexander McGregor, Detroit.

Guilt of Illegal Voting. The jury in the United States court at Bay City brought in a verdict of guilty against Michael Daily for voting illegally in Crawford county last November, and he was fined \$100 and costs and sentenced to the Detroit house of correction for three months. The remaining twelve cases of the same kind were put over to the October session.

Pioneer Furnace Closes. The Pioneer furnace at Negaunee, owned by the Cleveland Cliff company, has closed permanently. This is the oldest furnace in the Lake Superior district, has turned out over \$30,000,000 worth of pig-iron and has been in operation forty-one years. Its closing down leaves only one charcoal furnace of nineteen in the upper peninsula in blast.

Ten Miners Killed. The lumbermen were dashed to pieces in the Red Jacket perpendicular shaft of the Calumet and Hecla mine at Houghton. The miners were coming up in the cage to dinner and the engineer hoisted the cage against the timbers of the shaft. The coupling-pin broke and the men and cage were dashed downward 3,000 feet to the bottom.

Official Canvass. The result of the official canvass of the vote cast at the April election recently announced gives Hooker, republican candidate for supreme justice, 16,043 plurality, and Keifer and Fletcher, republican candidates for regents of the university, pluralities of 17,613 and 17,879 respectively. All proposed amendments to the constitution were ratified.

Health in Michigan. Reports to the state board of health by sixty-eight observers in different parts of the state for the week ended May 20 indicated that pneumonia increased and that pleuritis decreased in area of prevalence. Diphtheria was reported at thirty-seven places, scarlet fever at forty-five, typhoid fever at thirteen and measles at twenty-nine places.

Elected Elect Officers. The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the State Eclectic Medical and Surgical Society at Lansing:

President, C. Edison Covey, Port Huron; vice presidents, J. D. Crum, Owosso; C. H. Lamoreaux, Ferrisville, and Mary C. Costford, Manchester; secretary, Z. L. Baldwin, Lawrence; treasurer, J. Lamerantz, Lansing.

Short Shot News Items. The Michigan State Trap Shooters' league at a meeting held in Detroit elected N. W. Hunt of Manchester, president, and Samuel Howes, of Battle Creek, secretary and treasurer.

The ten young lady members of the Marquette high school senior class who were expelled by Principal Epler were fully reinstated by the school board.

Since the destruction of the post office at Barron Lake by fire the office has been discontinued.

The mother of George Harra, who died suddenly in Lansing, has confessed to having poisoned him to prevent his leaving up to be a thief. She was brought to be insane.

"Doc" Bentley and Bert Donnelly, two of the notorious Bentley gang who broke jail at Mason a week ago, were captured near Lansing. In the battle one of the prisoners was fatally shot.

Daniel Murphy and George Smith were drowned in Portage lake at Houghton while fooling in a small boat.

John Connor's saloon in the central part of Ishpeming was damaged by a dynamite explosion.

Fire damaged the plant of the Lansing iron and engine works to the extent of about \$1,500.

Henry Baker, a noted horseman of Santa Rosa, Cal., has been in Kalamazoo making arrangements to have his large track harrow, recently patented, manufactured in that city and in Pine Grove.

A recent storm did about \$10,000 worth of damage in Holly.

Willie Chaplin, aged 17 years, was drowned at Fowlerville while swimming in the swollen river.

Miss Jennie Vanetter, of Jackson, has received an offer from the Southern Opera company to take a leading part.

Fred Todd, of Cheboygan, and Robert Wolfelk, of Denver, Col., went out in a sailboat at St. Ignace. Their boat was discovered capsized and it is thought that the men perished.

Mr. Willie Woo, a Chinaman of West Harrisville, has cut off his queue, adopted the American dress, and as further evidence of his civilization has applied for the appointment as postmaster.

Forest fires burned a logging settlement near Dollar Bay, rendering fifty people homeless.

Bernard Goode, of Detroit, has been appointed superintendent of the dead-end office in Washington, vice D. P. Giehardt, resigned.

BUSINESS IMPROVES.

Better Weather Has a Good Effect on Retail Trade.

New York, May 27.—The weekly review of trade says:

"In two ways there has been quite general improvement during the last week. Better weather throughout most of the country has stimulated retail trade, and the large distribution of goods has made jobbing trade more active. Monetary anxieties have usually abated at many widely separated points. Large loans solicited here a week or two ago to provide for extreme emergencies at different cities have not been needed, and threatening failures at several points have passed without causing much disturbance. Yet the actual conditions do not seem to have changed materially. The large demand for redemptions and advances by western and southern banks, though considerably abated, has been greater than eastern banks could wholly meet. There is no definite improvement in financial affairs and the outlook for the future is not altogether bright. A continued outflow of gold for some time to come has not altered.

"Stocks have fallen off to some extent from the rapid recovery of last week, the average being about one dollar a share lower than a week ago. Wheat and corn are both at the same price as a week ago, although western receipts of wheat in four days have been 1,024,000 bushels, and corn receipts have been very large with insignificant exports. Mess pork is 35 cents higher, but other hog products a shade lower. White coffee advanced 1/2 cent, oil declined 1 cent. A natural decline is seen in dairy products and potatoes.

"Chicago reports improvement, though collections are still slow and bank accommodations sparing. Liquidation continues. At Milwaukee money is close. At Minneapolis the financial flurry has abated. St. Paul reports a steady recovery of business. Fair jobbing trade, but slow collections. St. Louis fair collections, though southern planters are buying less means than usual. Bankers and mercantile societies were not only closed, but had cartons drawn over the front and large placards displayed saying: 'Closed on the Lord's day.'

STATE BUILDINGS CLOSED. Eighteen of the state buildings welcomed the public, fifteen barred their doors and seven were not near enough completion to take any action. With but one exception the eastern state buildings were closed. On the other hand the west, except in three instances, kept open house. The buildings of the following states were closed: Indiana, Rhode Island, Maryland, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Connecticut, Virginia, South Dakota, Missouri, New York.

The following were "open" states and territories: Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Iowa, Montana, Nebraska, Minnesota, Arizona, Ohio, California, Colorado, Maine, Idaho, Kansas, Washington, Florida, New Mexico, Wyoming.

Great Britain locked the doors of Victoria house. The only sign of life about the pretty building was the union jack flying from the flagstaff. Canada, New South Wales and East India followed England's action and shut their doors.

PORK TAKES A JUMP. A Day of Excitement on the Chicago Board of Trade.

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The Gates at the World's Fair Swung Wide.

All of the Buildings Open to Sightseers Save the Government Exhibit, Fifteen State and Some Foreign Government Structures.

WEST ON THE FAIR. CHICAGO, May 27.—The world's fair was open to the public yesterday. The attendance did not go anywhere near the figures which had been estimated, but went above the daily average. Saturday night it was anticipated that there would be between 200,000 and 300,000 persons if attendance. The count after 11 o'clock at night showed that 60,928 tickets had been sold at the gates.

GREAT BUILDINGS OPEN. All the great exhibit buildings were wide open except some of the foreign buildings. The United States Government building was closed tight as a drum, and not even a flag was displayed. Although thousands sought the naval pier no one was admitted to the battleship, and the life-saving station was closed to visitors for the day. In the Manufactures building most of the booths occupied by religious and temperance societies were not only closed, but had cartons drawn over the front and large placards displayed saying: "Closed on the Lord's day."

STATE BUILDINGS CLOSED. Eighteen of the state buildings welcomed the public, fifteen barred their doors and seven were not near enough completion to take any action. With but one exception the eastern state buildings were closed. On the other hand the west, except in three instances, kept open house. The buildings of the following states were closed: Indiana, Rhode Island, Maryland, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Connecticut, Virginia, South Dakota, Missouri, New York.

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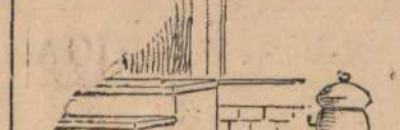
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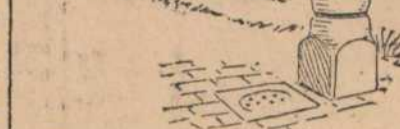
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TIME TABLE. TAKING EFFECT SUNDAY, May 14th, 1893.

Trains leave Ann Arbor by Central Standard time.

Table with columns for NORTH and SOUTH directions, listing train times for various routes.

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CENTRAL STANDARD TIME. TRAINS AT ANN ARBOR.

Table listing train schedules for Michigan Central, including destinations like Toledo, Detroit, and Chicago.

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The Rock Island is famous in adopting any advantage calculated to improve speed and give that luxury, safety and comfort that popular patronage demands. Its equipment, thoroughly complete with vestibuled trains, magnificent dining cars, sleepers and chair coaches, all the most elegant, and of recently improved pattern.

Faithful and capable management and polite, honest service from employes are important items of accomplishment. Passengers on this line will find little cause for complaint on that ground.

The importance of this line can be better understood if a short lesson in geography be now recited.

What the great Eastern terminal of the Rock Island Route—Chicago. What other sub-Eastern terminals are in the Northwest—St. Paul, and Minneapolis, Minnesota; and Waterbury and Sioux Falls, Dakota. To what important Iowa and Nebraska points—Des Moines, Des Moines, Iowa; Omaha and Lincoln, Nebraska; St. Joseph, Atchinson, Leavenworth and Kansas City. Does it run to the Foot-hills of the Rocky Mountains—Yes; to Denver, Colorado; Springs and Pueblo, solid vestibuled from Chicago and important cities Kansas can be reached by the Rock Island Route—Yes; its capital, city, Topeka, and a full hundred others in all directions in the States, and the only route running into and into the new lands opened for settlement in the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Reservations.

It will thus be seen that a line tapping, as the Rock Island does, such a varied territory, has much in that regard to commend it to travelers, as all connections assure one the Rock Island, and passengers can rely on a speedy journey, as over a bulk of the system through trains are run, and it has become, and rightly too, the popular line.

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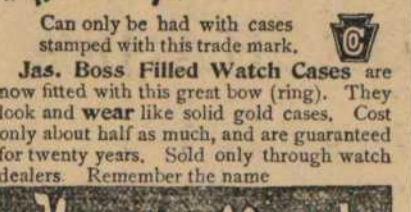
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NOW THE DOCTORS.

The Medical Professions Come Third in the World's Congresses. Two Thousand Physicians and Surgeons Expected to be Present in Chicago—Close of the Press Assemblage.

CHICAGO, May 27.—At the afternoon session of the National Editorial Association, Editor in Chief John A. Sleigher, of the New York Mail and Express, discussed the question of the coloring of news by the daily press.

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THE CLEARING HOUSES. New York, May 27.—During the week ended yesterday the leading clearing houses in the United States reported exchanges amounting to \$1,038,214,447, against \$1,221,547,408 the previous week.

MELBOURNE, May 27.—The Mercantile Financial Trustees and Agency company has suspended payment. The nominal capital of the concern exceeds \$20,000 and the British deposits in the institution amount to \$1,500,000.

SWEEP BY WIND.

Heavy Gales Cause Great Damage in Illinois and Kansas. MASCOUTAH, Ill., May 27.—A cyclone struck Rantocher, three miles west of here, at 2:20 o'clock Friday afternoon.

OLNEY, Ill., May 27.—A terrific storm passed over this city at 1 o'clock Friday morning, doing damage in all parts of the city. Shade trees all over the city were torn up and some carried quite a distance.

ENORMOUS LOSS BY FIRE. Destruction of the Baltimore Sugar Refinery, Valued at \$1,000,000. BALTIMORE, Md., May 29.—The Baltimore sugar refinery was started in 1891. In 1892 it shut down for remodeling.

BASEBALL. Standing of Clubs in the National League for the Week Ended May 28.

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A FORTUNE GONE.

Charles Foster, of Fostoria, O., Makes an Assignment. A Number of Institutions with Which He Was Connected Carried Down—He Makes a Statement Placing His Liabilities at \$600,000.

A HEAVY CRASH. FOSTORIA, O., May 27.—Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Charles Foster has started the business world by making an assignment of his vast business interests for the benefit of his creditors.

PUBLIC STATEMENT. FOSTORIA, O., May 27.—The following statement has been given to the public: "Words cannot express the deep distress and humiliation I feel if I could bear all the burden that my failure will entail.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1893.

THE REGISTER requests all of friends, who have business with the Probate Court, to send their printing to this office. Reasonable rates only are charged.

The *Courier* says we threw mud at them. We never. We would use something that would show on them.

LADIES you have the ballot, such of you as can read, for municipal purposes. The right is a duty; what will you do with it?

THE Infanta Eulalia with her own hands placed the wreath on the tomb of General Grant on Memorial Day. It is a curious spectacle to see the official representative of one of the most progressive, and bigoted despots in Europe, paying homage to the foremost warrior of his time in the ranks of progress and liberty.

PEOPLE are asking why is money so scarce? No one will lend a cent even on gilt edged security. The banks are calling in their loans and making no new ones. Collections are slow and uncertain. What do you expect with a new administration pledged to an untrue and unsafe economic theory, without any financial skill and rotten with free silver ideas? Who is anxious to pay debts when the next Congress may legislate thirty-five cents on a dollar off of them? Who will start a new industry or extend an old one when the next Congress may send him a class of competition that will be ruinous?

WE DECLINE FIFTY DOLLARS.

A certain F. C. Brown, editor of an alleged newspaper, of supposed daily issue and probably printed in Ann Arbor, has a peculiarity amounting to monomania for offering respectable people fifty dollars on condition that they will do foolish or ridiculous things prescribed by the said Brown. His latest exhibition—we suppose it to be his latest—was an offer of \$50 to us if we would help him engage the services of three gentlemen to undertake an arduous inquiry into the respective circulation books of the *Times* and *The Register* for the purpose of determining accurately which paper has the larger circulation in this city.

What makes this proposition really monumentally absurd is that the question is already settled. We know what our own circulation is, and know what he claims his to be. Without challenging his published figures at all, taking them exactly as he stated them, we give our word and that is all he has done, that our own city circulation much exceeds his; and that we believe the circulation of *The Democrat* exceeds his considerably also. And by the way no one doubts these statements of ours but Mr. Brown.

But let us introduce right here a little piece of evidence, based on another peculiarity of our \$50 friend. What about his capacity for making extravagant claims. "I got street signs," "I got sewers," "The plan for putting in laterals is my plan," "I elected Mayor Thompson," "I have the biggest circulation in Ann Arbor." It's all of a piece. We do not think it necessary for three citizens to study circulation books for a week.

THEY ARE PASSING AWAY.

That the veterans are leaving us becomes a fact more and more impressive with each succeeding year. How few the local post appeared Tuesday to assist us in honoring their dead. Alas! that there should be those who sneer at their services, begrudge them the preference given them in government appointments, and object to the small return for ruined bodies given them by the government in the shape of pensions.

Senator Frye's impassioned words on this subject may be opportunely repeated.

"But what of us poor devils who were not old enough to be in the army? Is a question which is uttered every day in Washington by young men seeking official positions. They feel that the old soldiers are in their way, and ought to get out of the way of the rising generation, and that the law giving the veterans the preference ought to be repealed. Again and again have I heard the complaint with sarcastic allusions to the length of life of veterans such as, 'Will they never die?'"

Young men, half a million died when you were in your cradle. Ten thousand of them died inside of 15 minutes on the morning of June 3, 1864. Twelve or fifteen thousand of them died on June 27, 1864, in the same month of the year all around the bloody heights of Kenesaw. Many thousand of them died in prison or in rebel hospitals, naked, hungry, suffering, unloved and far from the dear folks at home. Many other thousands of them to-day hobble on crutches or flap empty sleeves. They

are dying fast enough. Less than half a million of them still live, but every one of them, barring none, bears in his body the mark of battle or the germs of disease contracted while campaigning in order that this government might not fade from the earth. But for them there would be no government for you to serve nor to protect you.
 Don't be in a hurry. These old veterans are marching off the field, brigade by brigade, every year. Regiment after regiment is disappearing over the brow of the hill of time. They are marching away into the river of death, bravely as the Old Guard at Waterloo. Don't be in a hurry, young man. Don't be in a hurry. These old soldiers are marching off the field, and they will soon—all too soon for me—be out of our ungrateful way. God bless them; I wish they could live forever, at their fame will live. Gone are the serried columns which stood "in the way" at Gettysburg, Fredericksburg, Atlanta, Chickamauga, Lookout Mountain, Bentonville and a thousand other places—every one of them a Thermopylae. Their deeds are blazoned upon the history of more fields than your weak brain can remember. They will soon be out of the way, but while they are here the republic will give them the preference.

The Sewer Law.

The following is an abbreviated statement of the Sewer bill passed recently for Ann Arbor's benefit. As much of the legal verbiage as possible is cut out.

Sec. 1. The city of Ann Arbor is hereby authorized to construct a system of sewers, and to require under suitable penalties, all dwelling houses, hotels and other inhabited buildings to connect therewith; and to construct the outlet thereof in the Huron river.
 Sec. 2. All lateral and connecting sewers may be constructed and the cost levied on lands, tenements and premises adjacent thereto and collected from the owners thereof by foot frontage. The common council shall have authority to make all needful rules, regulations and ordinances which shall be necessary to enable said city to construct, such system of sewers, including all lateral and connecting sewers.

Sec. 3. The common council of said city is authorized to raise by loan on the taxable property a sum of money not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for a period not longer than five years and at a rate of interest not greater than five per cent per annum for the purpose of enabling said city to construct said sewer system. Provided that not more than forty thousand dollars of such bonded indebtedness shall be outstanding at any one time.

Sec. 4. The common council shall assess the cost of the construction of all lateral and connecting sewers, excepting street crossings which shall be a charge against a general sewer fund, upon all the property adjacent thereto and all such assessments with the interest thereon, shall remain a valid lien upon such premises taxed, and a valid debt against the owner thereof until paid, and all such assessments shall be paid by the owner or person against whom the same may have been assessed in equal annual installments during a period not exceeding five years from the date of such levy with interest thereon at the same rate not exceeding five per cent, which shall be stated in the bonded indebtedness created therefor; provided that any person may pay the whole of any such assessment at any time, paying all accrued interest thereon, and all such payments shall be credited to the particular sewer fund for the construction of which sewer the same may have been levied, and shall be applied to pay the particular bonds issued therefor.

Sec. 5. The common council shall certify to the city assessor the sums of money required to pay for all of the laterals and connecting sewers which they require, to be raised on the tax roll of that year, together with a description of the lands and premises to be taxed for the same, and the city assessor shall place on the city tax roll of that year all such sums placing said sewer tax in a separate column and said sums of money shall be a valid debt, against the owners of the lands and premises and a valid tax on and against the lands, tenements and premises in front or adjacent to which any such lateral or connecting sewer may have been constructed, and shall be collected in the same manner in every particular as the other city taxes set down in such tax rolls are collected.

Two Campus Tales.

The most scientific fainting act on record was noticed at a recent concert, where nearly 4,000 people were packed in the hall, and the atmosphere shortly became like unto that of the chemical laboratory when the manufacture of H₂S is on the docket. Consequently one of the three co-eds, who had come together, felt impelled, in the midst of the performance, to lay her fair head gently on her neighbor's shoulder, and slide therefrom down his coat lapel on his lap. Her companion gave one startled glance around, then quietly slipped down from her seat, assisted the blushing youth to lay his slender burden out on the bench where they were sitting, the third girl holding the patient's feet in her lap, so that the head should be lower than the rest of the body. Then girl No. 2—I think she must have been a medic—sank on her knees beside her friend, and gently

fanned her, until in half a minute said friend opened her dewy eyes and began to giggle softly to herself. A moment more and she was sitting up, at least three feet away from the scarlet young man, who, nevertheless, glanced at her appreciatively once or twice afterward, and not more than a dozen people knew that anything unusual had happened during the evening.

There is a pretty story of co-ed bravery and a co-ed chivalry that is worth being known outside of the campus. It is that of a pretty colored girl, who entered the university last fall as the holder of a high school scholarship, bestowed for excellence in the entire work of the high school course. Beyond this scholarship she had no resources save in her trade—that of hair dressing. She went from house to house to secure lodgings, only to be repeatedly repulsed on account of her color, till at length, she was directed to a lady patroness of one of the girls' fraternities, who had some members of her fraternity rooming in the house. "Are you willing that I should take this girl in?" she asked. And they responded "Yes." Nor did the matter end here. When the freshman girls were assigned to various upper class co-eds to escort to the freshman spread, one of these "frat" girls in the house said, "Let me have Miss —." She escorted the colored girl to the spread, and, with the hearty seconding aid of her fraternity, introduced her to every girl of her acquaintance, danced with her, took her to refreshments, and gave her one of the pleasantest times a girl ever has at that beautiful girl's festival, the freshman spread.

And so, when the modest cards of our heroine appeared, stating that she would shampoo, cut, curl and arrange ladies' hair at their rooms, with "special rates to students," she became at once the fashion. She has had more work of this sort, than she could well do all the year, and has thus more than paid the expenses of her course.
 KITTY CAREW—in Evening News.

Young People's Union.

A pleasant banquet was given last Friday night at the Congregational church by the Young People's Union of this city to some seventy guests. Those invited were the representatives of the various churches and associate organizations. The early part of the evening was taken up with introductions and social intercourse. At half past nine the guests were conducted into the Sunday School room adjoining the church parlors where was spread a bountiful supply of the good things of this life. After enjoying this the toast master, Mr. H. H. Walker, spoke briefly of the purpose of the gathering and then called upon the following persons who responded to the toasts as indicated below: Rev. C. M. Coburn, The Professor; Mr. E. F. Mills, Old and New; Miss Berta Sherrod; Field Work; Mr. W. Hummill, Our Outposts; Miss Rhead, Pathfinders; Mr. C. Haselton, Opportunities; Mrs. L. D. Barrows, High Lights; Mr. F. A. Manny, What Next; Mr. B. Kroeze, The Outlook. Several pieces of music were furnished by the High School Banjo and Guitar Club which did excellently. The purpose of the entertainment was to celebrate the close of the first year's work by the Union. Those who know what has been accomplished by this organization during the first year's work just ended know that the Union is justified in feeling proud of its efforts and that it should rejoice in them. It was nearly midnight before the speakers were all through with the many good things they had to offer, when all went home feeling that they had seldom passed a more pleasant evening.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the undersigned commissioner of highways of the township of Ann Arbor, at my residence until the 10th day of June 1893, at 2 P. M. for furnishing all the necessary materials, and performing the following work, to wit: to build two stone abutments for an iron bridge across the Huron river, according to the plans and specifications thereof now in my office, and which will be open to inspection until the time above mentioned. The contractor is required to give good and sufficient security for the performance of said work. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
 Dated this 23rd day of May 1893.
 JOHN C. SCHEKX,
 Commissioner of Highways of the Township of Ann Arbor.

MICHIGAN EXPERIMENT STATION.

Potatoes—Amounts of Seed.
 Bulletin No. 93, of the Michigan Experiment Station, is on "Potatoes: Amounts of Seed."
 "The conclusion arrived at is that the potato growers of Michigan do not plant enough seed. Our own experiments, corroborated by those of other stations, go to show that for ordinary distances the half potato gives better results than any smaller amounts. For weak growing varieties, or varieties having small tubers, even

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a larger amount of seed will be found more profitable.
 "A careful investigation shows clearly:
 "First, That an increase in seed within ordinary limits produces a marked increase—both in total yield and in marketable yield.
 "Second, That an increase in seed, from one eye up to the half potato, produces an increase in the net value of the crop; but the increase yield from the whole potato over the half potato is not sufficient to cover the cost of the greater amount of seed."
 The above conclusions are the result of hundreds of experiments, extending over many years. They practically agree with the results of twelve other stations as compiled in the bulletin. It would seem that such a large number of experiments under such widely varying conditions as are furnished by the thirteen states in question, would practically settle the question of the best amount of seed potato to plant.
 In reality the whole question is not what gives the greatest yield, but what amount gives the greatest profit. When seed is high in the spring it will generally be advisable not to plant whole potatoes at ordinary distances, but when they are cheap it will generally pay.
 Since it has proven that the yield is more in proportion to the weight of seed planted than the number of eyes, the cutting out of the eyes for seed, common in some parts of the State, is to be strongly condemned.
 So also, the use of small potatoes for seed, not only lessens the profits thereof, but if followed for a series of years tends towards rapid deterioration, in accordance with the laws of heredity.
 The larger amounts of seed gave a more vigorous growth of vines, and on the "whole tuber" plots the crop matured five to ten days earlier than on the "single eye" plots.
 The data from which the above conclusions were drawn is to be found in Bulletin 93, before mentioned, and can be had free by sending a request for the same to
 H. G. REYNOLDS,
 Secretary,
 Agr'l Coll., Ingham Co., Mich.

DOUBLE HOUSE FOR \$5,000.

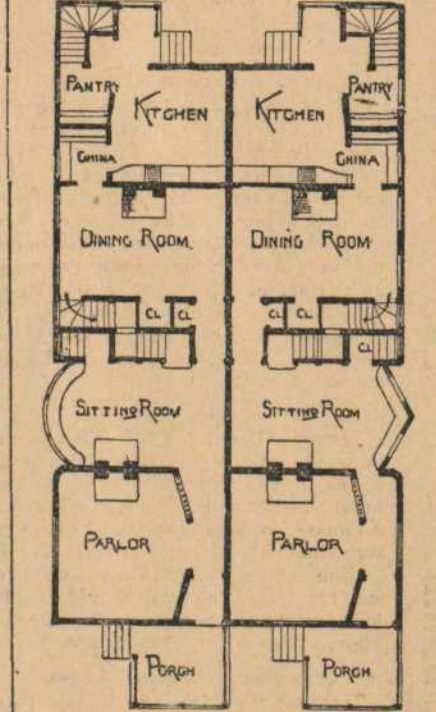
Attractive and Commodious—Eight Rooms and a Bath on Each Side.
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There has been a great improvement in the plans for getting homes as in those of the houses themselves. The attention which has been given domestic architecture has greatly improved its general character. Particularly is this true with respect to the economical planning and arrangement of dwellings. As to the outside appearance there has been at times a disposition to make that which is strange and unusual rather than what is absolutely attractive and beautiful. Nevertheless there has been progress in the making of attractive houses.
 A double house offers a means of paying for a home; it offers a means of avoiding rent; it is a part of a plan for reducing



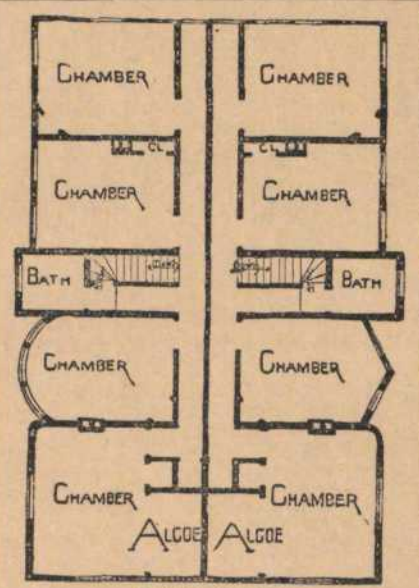
FRONT ELEVATION.

the burden of paying for property. Take the plan given, which is a double house, with eight rooms and a bathroom on each side; it would cost, finished in all its details—plumbing, mantels, furnace and all that makes a complete building—about \$5,000, \$2,500 a side. To build such a house one would have to take out twenty-five \$200 shares in a building association. In an association organized on the perpetual plan, where the dues are calculated on a universal basis, whether one be a borrower or a depositor, it would require that one who borrowed money to build a house of this kind should pay into the association \$50 a month. In an association organized on this plan the interest and premium are charged against the dues, and the remaining portion goes to the principal or to pay off the loan. With interest at 6 per cent. and premium at ten cents a share, it takes from thirteen to fourteen years to pay out on a \$500 share. However, by paying in excess of the regular dues this period may be correspondingly reduced. The fourteen year period is the maximum, and it makes it necessary to pay only about



FIRST STORY.

the equivalent of 10 per cent. per annum on the amount of the loan in order to wipe out both principal and interest within the time mentioned. As said before, payment in excess of that amount reduces the period required to pay for the property.
 One building a double house could live in one side of it himself and rent the other side. If he were able to rent the other side for thirty-five dollars a month he would only have to put in fifteen dollars himself in order to feel that he was reducing the debt on the house. It is natural to expect that any one ambitious enough to go into a scheme of this kind would be able to pay more than fifteen dollars. If he were able to pay thirty-five dollars it would reduce the time required to pay for the house to about 6 or 6½ years.
 The plans of this house tell their own story. It is on a narrow lot. One steps from the porch into a vestibule which flares out or becomes wider toward the street. The narrow part of the hall, between the vestibule and the sitting room, is short. Thus the length is not apparent as soon as one steps into the hall; from the vestibule the increasing width is in front;



SECOND STORY.

the apparent narrowness is not thought of. Back of this is the sitting room, which gives a view of the street. The stairway to the second floor is a combination arrangement. One can go from the sitting room to the second floor or from the dining room to the second floor by means of the same stairway. There is a closet leading from the hall, which goes from the sitting room to the dining room, and an extra closet in the dining room. Closets never come amiss. Back of the dining room is a china pantry. In the kitchen are tables, a sink and the kitchen pantry. Back of the kitchen is a porch. On the second floor are four bedrooms, an alcove and a bathroom; also a passage to the attic, where, in case of necessity, two or three rooms could be placed.
 T. H. GIBSON.

What She Wanted Them For.

Susie's mother sent her to Warren's the other day for some shoe strings. The little girl tipped the door latch and slowly walked up to the proprietor.
 "Mamma sent me down for a pair of shoe strings," and Susie fingered her pennies nervously as she looked into the dealer's face. Warren turned to a bunch of strings upon the wall and began to pull a couple out. Then he stopped.
 "How long does she want them?"
 Susie looked flustered. "I don't know, but I think she wants them to keep."—Boston Transcript.

Postponing It.

Miss Fosdick (at the piano)—Shall I sing "Some Day?"
 Mr. Dolley (engaged to her)—Yes, love; some day next year.—Judge.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss
 COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss
 A session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 26th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
 Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.
 In the matter of the estate of Elisha Cranston deceased.
 Elisha Cranston executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, came into court and represents that he is now ready to render his final account as executor.
 Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 26th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing said account, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed.
 And it is further ordered that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
 J. WILLARD BABBITT,
 Judge of Probate.
 (A true copy)
 Wm. G. DORTY, Probate Register. 65

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss
 COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss
 A session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
 Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.
 On reading and filing a petition, duly verified of Emma Hatchinson, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Dean M. Tyler, or some other fit person.
 Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 26th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed.
 And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
 J. WILLARD BABBITT,
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The Washtenaw Real Estate Exchange

- No. 1. On Ann-st., in third block from the Post Office: A full lot, a nice ten-room, two story frame building, with stone foundation, concrete cellar, large cistern, and city water, with a first-class barn, big enough for four horses.
 - No. 2. On State-st., near N. University-ave. A nine room 1½ story frame cottage, in good condition. Rooms well arranged, 6 on ground floor, with pantries and closets. Fine cistern, full cellar, city water in yard, gas, good woodshed. Lot full sized.
 - No. 3. On Lawrence-st., near State-st. Two story, 14 room frame building, Stone and brick foundations, convenient pantries and closets, large cistern, city water in yard. Good woodshed. Full lot.
 - No. 4. Opposite Gymnasium on N. University-ave. A ten room, two story house, fine condition, full sized lot. Usual conveniences.
 - No. 5. A farm. Excellent grain land, fine onion and celery land, some timber. 120 acres in southern part of county. A bargain.
 - No. 6. At the corner of Lawrence and Thayer-sts. A two story brick house, and a nice cottage; both standing on the same lot but facing different streets. The property rents readily for \$45 per month. Anyone having \$500 can handle it. It is a rare bargain.
 - No. 7. Seven lots, three facing Packard-st., and four State-st., in blk. J. F. Lawrence addition. Bargains.
 - No. 8. A house, on Geddes-ave, with a lot eight rods deep and seven rod front. There is a lot of fruit and a barn. The house has stone foundations, city water and is a nice comfortable home. And it is way down cheap.
 - No. 9. The first house in the Hamilton, Rose & Sheehan addition. It can be purchased for a surprisingly low figure. The house alone could hardly be built for what the owner will sell the whole place for.
 - No. 10. Fine three story and basement residence at 46 E. University-ave. A remarkably low price is possible on this property. Description eld.
 - No. 11. A very attractive home, No. 3 Willard-st. New, handsome and convenient. Owner wishes to leave the city and will sell very cheap.
 - No. 12. A three story frame building. See description in another column. A fine investment.
 - No. 13. An unfinished house on Division-st near Episcopal church. The owner will sell considerably below cost.
 - No. 14. On Thompson-st., between Jefferson and Madison, a new two story, nicely finished, well planned frame house, on a full sized lot. Owner lives away and is anxious to sell.
 - No. 15. A lot on S. University-ave.
 - No. 16. An acre lot off Fite-st near Prof. Steer's farm. A nice school house location.
- The Exchange would be glad to confer with people desirous of exchanging Ann Arbor property for Detroit property, or Knoxville, Tenn. property.
- Officers:
 REGISTER OFFICE,
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 No. 7. Main-st.,
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The Agricultural College Investigation.

The College Eagle give the following account of the action of the special committee appointed by the legislature to "investigate the policy, course of study, conduct and general management of the Agricultural College and its property, and submit, if possible, recommendations looking towards an increase in, and the enlargement of, the usefulness of the institution."

The committee recites the provisions of the national and state laws relating to the College, and says that the intimation of the statutes is that great latitude should be given the Board. In the agricultural course, the criticism is made that there is lack of education in the practical operations of the farm.

The mechanical course is commended as follows: "This course we find in a very creditable condition. From the head of the department down, there seems to be push and vim which permeates every student with its influence and serves to make the course valuable and attractive."

The use of the funds of the institution in building and equipment is not criticised. As to salaries the report is: "while we do not find sufficient ground for recommending the cutting off of any portion of the present force, yet we do believe that more work can be given to the faculty, and a corresponding greater benefit to the students and college, by enlarging the laboratory or practical teaching without increasing materially the force of teachers."

In experimental work, 19 instances are given of practical benefit which has resulted from the scientific work of the College, such as the use of Kerosene emulsion, showing value of Clawson wheat, etc.

"The success of the education of girls at the University in our State, at the Agricultural College of Kansas, and other leading institutions where the dormitory plan is not adopted, has been such that your committee feel that the step is fully warranted, and that it is popularly demanded, and that as soon as the Board of Agriculture can arrange for the industrial course for girls it should be done."

The committee recommends the passage of the bill now pending for vesting the entire control of the college lands with the State Board of Agriculture.

A significant and important recommendation is contained in the following words: "Great latitude should be given to the President in his powers and privileges in employing and directing his assistants. He could and should be held responsible for the successes or failures resulting from his administration."

The labor system is then touched upon as follows: "Compulsory manual labor except as needed in conducting the practical education in the industrial branches should be abandoned. Where so needed it should be rigidly demanded and should not be paid for. When students elect to work, and there is work for them to do, it should be paid for at a price commensurate with the class of labor performed."

"More elective studies should be added. Adopt a popular two years' course that shall at the same time be a part of the four years' course. Strengthen and subdivide the agricultural course, adding to its practical and industrial side indoors and outdoors."

"In the experimental work keep abreast of the better class of farmers, finding out and demonstrating the value of new things."

"The portion of the college farm not devoted to experimental purposes should be maintained as a model farm. In the minds of your committee there exists an opportunity for improvement in this respect."

The report concludes the following words: "Ninety-five per cent. of the people of Michigan are in the various industrial vocations and only 5 per cent. in the learned professions, yet almost the opposite ratio is maintained in the appropriations for education at our colleges of the two classes. This state of affairs should be changed and greater prominence given to the subjects that fit the great majority for the work they should and will pursue. The mechanic arts occupy second place only to agriculture in this great list of followers. Can we then recommend that a College endowed liberally by congress to "promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes" be occupied by eliminating the course in mechanic arts?"

"We think not, we should build up, not tear down."

For the Summer.

On and after May 15, our store will close at 7 o'clock every evening except Saturday.

Wm. Arnold, jeweler.

A driver in the employ of a Toronto liveryman has been fined for the offense of having driven a lady along the public streets of that city on Sunday.

THE RING OF GOLD.

Martin Daly had become quite discouraged. Like many another miner in the far west, he had made money and lost it. He imagined sometimes that the clouds had a silver lining, but the storms always came sooner or later. He meditated thus as he lay under the tree and finally, more dead than alive from want and exhaustion, fell asleep.

Two men passed along under the brow of the mountain by the tree. They were tall and straight, and from their dark hair and skin it was easy to perceive their Indian blood.

"The white man is dead," said one of the men as he bent his knee beside the sleeper. "No, there is a twitching of the eyelids," said the other. "He is pale and sick. I will take him home, and Mimosa will care for him."

The conversation, although carried on in low tones, awakened the miner.

"Come with us, and you shall have food and shelter," said the friendly Indian.

Scarcely able to bear his weight, Martin leaned upon the arms of the two men and soon found himself in the Indian cabin.

"Mimosa, here is a stranger. Take care of him. Red Cloud never left a human being to die. He will get well, and then we will send him home to his people."

A shy, pale Indian girl came forward and did as she was bidden. She did not speak, but looked very pityingly out of her fawn-like dark eyes. When Martin had been placed in the simple bed, she prepared food and fed him as though he were a child, but doing gently the things which only a woman's hands can do.

After a time the miner, still a young man, gained in strength and began once more to hope for a successful future.

"Mimosa," he said one day, "I owe my life to you, and if I am ever rich I will reward you."

"I shall miss you," said the girl shyly. "But I want no money. I shall be happy because you are well again and happy."

"I shall find gold, Mimosa. I used to think I should be rich, and then I became poor and sick and lost hope. You wear a ring on your finger and sometimes a chain about your neck, both of beaten gold. Did the metal come from near here?"

"My father gave them to me," she replied, and nothing more could be learned from her on the subject.

"Would you care, Mimosa, if I wore the ring until I went away? Perhaps I can find the place where the gold came from."

"You may wear it till you come back rich," she said, smiling.

Days grew into weeks, and the time drew near for the miner to say goodby to the girl who had become his comrade as well as his deliverer. Tears filled her eyes as they parted.

"You will forget Mimosa," she said.

"No, I will bring back the ring, and you shall give it to the man who makes you his bride. I shall never forget Red Cloud and his daughter."

Strong and hopeful again, Martin took up life, obtained work and believed once more that he should find gold. So sweet and blessed a thing is hope, giving lustre to the eyes and quickening the flow of blood along the veins.

But he missed the Indian girl. The pines on the snowy mountain peaks whispered of her. The evenings seemed longer than formerly, the conversation of the miners less interesting. He was becoming discouraged again. He even began to fear that Mimosa was married, and his soul awakened to a sense of loss. He would go back just once and see her, and on his journey back he would sit for a half hour under the tree where Red Cloud had found him.

"What ails Martin?" said one miner to another. "He must be in love—no fun in him as in the old days. Going to quit camp, he says."

After Martin had decided to go to see Red Cloud his heart seemed lighter. If Mimosa were married, he could at least show her his gratitude. And if she were not? Well, it would be very restful to see her once more.

He started on his journey. The moon was rising as he neared the old tree where Red Cloud had found him. As he approached he was startled by a white figure. He turned aside for a moment and then went cautiously up to the great trunk. Two dark eyes full of tears gazed up into his eyes, at first with a startled look and then with a gleam of joy and trust.

"Mimosa," he exclaimed and clasped the Indian girl in his arms. "Why are you here, child, at this time of night?"

"I came here to think of you, Martin, and the moonlight is so sweet and comforting. The trees and the mountains seem to whisper to me of you."

"I have brought you back the ring, Mimosa."

"And are you rich yet? You were to keep it until you were rich."

"No, but I would be rich perhaps if you would tell me where the gold in the ring was found, dear."

"My father gave it to me," she replied very quietly.

"Mimosa, would you love me if I were rich?"

"Perhaps I should be afraid of you if you were too rich."

"Would you love me if I remained poor as I am now?"

"Yes, always."

"And if I became sick and could not care for you, would then?"

"I would care for you, Martin."

"I have brought back the ring, Mimosa, that you may give it to the man who shall make you his bride."

"And would you like to keep the ring yourself, Martin?"

"Yes, dearest."

They went back to the home of Red Cloud happy because promised to each other in marriage.

After a quiet wedding Mimosa said one day:

"Come with me, Martin, and I will show you where the gold in the ring and the necklace was found."

Not very far from the tree where the miner had laid down discouraged Mimosa pointed out the shining ore, the spot known only to the few Indians.

"Mimosa, there is a mine here! This gold is the outcropping of the veins. I shall yet be rich, my darling."

"Would you surely love me as much, Martin, if you were rich?"

"I would give you everything your heart desired."

"And not go into an eastern country and be great and forget Mimosa?"

"Never!"

With a happy heart Martin Daly took his pick to the mountains. The shining ore opened under his touch. His claim each day showed more value. He had indeed become rich through the ring of Mimosa.

Years have passed. Two thousand dollars are taken each day from the mine. The children of the Indian girl, educated, gentle as their mother and energetic as their father, are in a handsome house. Love in that home has kept as bright as the gold in the mountain.—Waverley Magazine.

A GOOD FRAME HOUSE.

The Cost of This Tastefully Designed Dwelling is but \$2,100. (Copyright, 1892, by American Press Association.)

This is a design for a really well built frame residence, with all the modern improvements. The first floor is two feet above the grade line and is reached by broad steps leading up to the front veranda, whence a door opens into the reception hall. This room is of goodly size and contains a neat ornamental stairway.

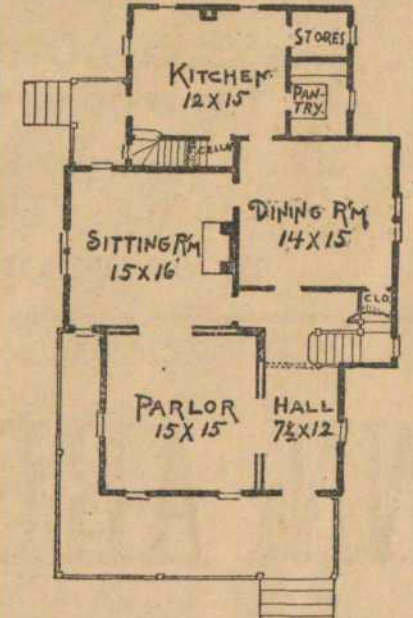


PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

The parlor on the left is quite large and is connected with the hall and sitting room by wide sliding doors, so that on occasion these rooms can be thrown together. An open fireplace on one side of the sitting room is provided with a neat wood mantel, in which are set beveled mirrors, rich tile facings and an appropriate grate and ornamental brass fender complete.

The dining room may be entered from the front hall or sitting room. Stairways lead from the kitchen to the second floor and to the cellar, which is under the kitchen, dining room and sitting room. To the right of the kitchen is a large store closet and well fitted pantry, which is connected with the dining room by a slide panel in the wall.

On the second floor the front hall furnishes entrance to the three principal chambers, while the back stairs connect with the chambers over kitchen and dining room. The timbers are sound and well seasoned—sills, 6x8; first floor joist, 2x8; for hall and porches, 2x6; second floor joist, 2x10; rafters, studding and collar beams, 2x4; all to be spaced 16 inches from centers.



FIRST STORY.

The outside and sliding doors, 1 1/2 inches thick; all other interior doors, 1 1/2 inches thick; all principal doors having transoms over them; all windows, except sash, to be hung with weights. The plastering is of three coat work of best materials and workmanship. The interior finish for all of first floors is of S. Y. pine, smooth wrought and finished natural. A sink and drain table are placed in the kitchen. The finish of the second floor and closets is of good ordinary white pine and painted. The hardware is of the best quality and workmanship throughout. The sliding doors are hung with Prescott hangers. The painting outside is three coat work, done in best manner of best materials, hand mixed, of colors selected to harmonize with the surroundings. Next to tasteful and appropriate design, nothing contributes more to the exterior beauty of the dwelling than agreeable color. How often the architectural effect of a fine home is lessened by the very attempt to lighten it by contrasts in color.

The house is heated by furnace and cast-iron radiators in the vicinity of Carthage, Ills., at a total cost of \$2,100.

E. A. PATNE.



SECOND STORY.

A Stole for the Piano. The stole, which emanated from the fanciful son of an aesthetically pious dame, which may be laid along the top of an upright or thrown across the body of a baby grand piano, is of heavy white silk, its broad pattern embossed or outlined with gold cord or thread, and its fringed ends finished with bullion fringe. It should be cut a trifle longer than if made for the tallest and statelyst priest of the church militant, interlined with buckram and sloped out exaggeratedly at the neck.—Decorator and Furnisher.

Bolton Sheeting for Window Draping. Bolton sheeting, which can be dyed in dull soft shades of red, olive, blue or russet, though its original unbleached hue is good in itself, is suitable for either window or door drapery, hanging as it does in graceful folds and lending itself readily to different styles of ornamentation.—Decorator and Furnisher.

THE BURGLAR.

He might very well have asked me for a fill of tobacco (we were fellow travelers in a third class carriage) without telling me that he had not smoked a pipe for 18 months.

In face of such candor I felt it no presumption to inquire in a friendly tone how he and the laws of his country had managed to fall out.

Pulling luxuriously at his pipe, he looked at me for a moment, decided apparently that I was a man who could appreciate a reminiscence, slapped his thigh and with a chuckle began his story:

"I'll tell you, sir, you're a gentleman. Me and my mate got wind of a very touchin' little occurrence as 'ad took place at a crib called Minervy 'Ouse. The young ladies as got their learnin' there took and gave the misses a 'luminated address and a 'andsome silver salver on the occasion when the old woman had bin teachin' o' em five and twenty year."

"It were a real 'andsome salver, and me and Bill saw it in the shop window before it went up to the 'ouse. Well, sir, me and Bill 'ad bin workin' 'ard for five and twenty year, too, mighty 'ard some of it on 'er majesty's 'lowance o' grub—and we thought we 'ad as good a right to that salver as the missus."

"We can't do the address, and we'd call it square. So one dark night we packed up the tools and started for Minervy 'Ouse."

"We knowed about where the plate was kep'. It lay in a chest in the old lady's room on the second floor, and we knowed about where a ladder was, too, and we reckoned we could persuade the old lady to lay quiet."

"Ere's luck. We don't want no ladder. They got the fire escape up ag'in the wall, and, jedge me, if it ain't slap by the missus' window!"

"You may guess, sir, as we said grace, for gettin' the ladder hout was the ticklish bit on account of the gardener sleepin' 'andy to it."

"Lord! it's easy as drinkin', says I, so we 'adn't much fear of the job goin' wrong. Well—trouble you for another fill, sir—when we come over the wall and got near the 'ouse, Bill 'e says, 'Up we goes, and there we are!'"

"Up we went, sir—I fust and Bill followin'. The escape was beautiful goin, and o' course no one could spot us, but I told Bill to stay near the bottom and give me a shout if any one came round."

"Well, then up I goes, sir, soft and sure, and soon I was a-standin' with my 'ead just out o' the escape and not three feet below the window. I 'adn't made a sound, sir—swamp me, I 'adn't, and it was all goin' beautiful. Things was so quiet that I 'alled Bill and told him to come up and bring the sack for the stuff, and he come up, and we waited 'arf a minute and 'eard nothink."

"Now 'ist me up, old man," says I, 'and I'll do the trick.' Bill was just a-puttin' his shoulder under my leg to 'ist me when, all on a sudden, the shindy begun."

"A bell rung. There was shrieks of 'Fire! Fire!' then a lot of ravin' about and a bit o' laughin' and screechin', and then the escape begun to move. You may suppose, sir, as we wasn't over and above pleased. We got down into the escape and lay still, sir, and the old thing moved like winkin'."

"Some one down below says, 'Lor', Millie, ain't it 'eavy?' But we traveled, sir, all the same. Presently we stopped, and I says to Bill:

"'Can we clear?'"

"'Not it,' says he. 'There's a crowd on 'em down below.'"

"'Curse the fire,' says I. 'Can you see it?'"

"'No,' says Bill. 'Blamed if!'"

"'Just at that minute, sir, we 'eard a window open. And thump! Somethin' soft come tumblin' down on me, driving my 'ead into my shoulders and my feet into Bill's mouth. You should 'ave 'eard Bill! Then the soft thing giv' a awful screech, and, thump! come another, and my 'ead come further into my neck, and my toes go further down Bill's throat."

"'Thump come another and then another, and that started us, and we all bundled off to the bottom of the escape like a flash o' lightning—Bill at the bottom, me next, and the rest o' 'em—they was gals, sir—screeamin' and 'ollerin' and gigglin' like mad."

"Then, when we touched bottom, first thing I know was some one a-turrin' the garden 'ese full on me, while a fat old girl shouted out, 'Now, then, rule 13, use the 'ose freely!'"

"They did use it, sir. Soon as ever I tried to slag out I got a gallon drivin' into me—16 'orsepower—and took down more water than ever I did afore."

"'Last, the old gal with the book—'er was shoutin' 'Rule 13'—twiggid me and Bill, and then the fun begun over again."

"Way went the book and Rule 13; way went all the gals as 'ad come down with us in the escape—and there was above a dozen, sir, I'll take my oath—and they stopped singin' out 'Fire!' and began to 'oller 'Theves! Murder!'"

"Then I says to Bill, 'Time we moved, eh, Bill?' But Bill, 'e groaned and damned me for breakin' his teeth, and lay still wringin' out his clothes, and afore he come to 'imself the gardener was sittin' on his 'ead, and the copper 'ad mine tucked away comf'ble under his arm, and the game was jest about up, sir."

"'Well, sir, look at it. If there'd bin a fire, it 'ud 'a' bin jest 'ell's own luck, and there 'ud 'a' bin an end of it. But, Lor', bless ye, there never warn't no fire!'"

"When they brought us to the old girl, so as she could charge us, there she was, with about 30 pretty young ladies all round 'er—all on 'em in the neatest bathin' dresses you ever see, with their 'eads in sponge bags so as not to spile their 'air, and the old gal smiled and laughed, and she says:

"'So very fortunate, Mr. Constable, that it occurred tonight. Hotherwise we might not 'ave detected these wicked men.'"

"'Then I up and says, 'It's the fordin' o' war, mum, and we ain't complainin', but I'd take it kindly, mum, if you'd tell us what in the old un's name you might be up to, for I don't see no more fire nor I could put on the end of my thumb and heat for a relish.'"

"'And she says: 'Ye don't deserve, man, as how I should tell ye anythink, but as ye ask it 'appears that you made yer wicked attempt on the night of hour fire drill!—and it's a fact, sir, the copper told me 'imself.'"

"'Once a week them gals get up a fire out of their own 'eads, put on their bathin' dresses, tumble down that there escape and garden 'ese 'emselves at the bottom. That's 'fire drill,' that is, sir. And you may bet as 'ow I shan't forget it.'"

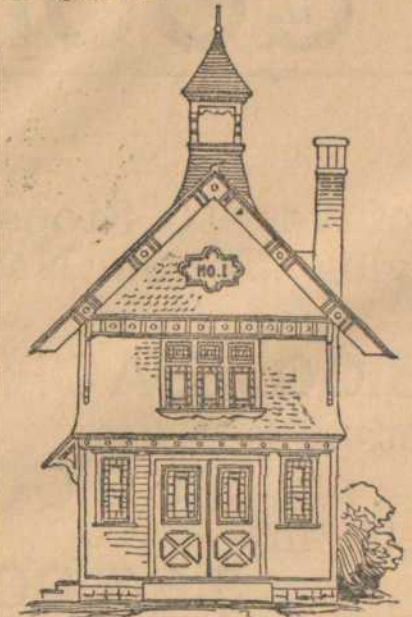
"He mopped his brow. A sudden vision of the young ladies descending in an avalanche on him and Bill came across me, and I burst out laughin'. After a moment he laughed, too, slapping his thigh. Then he recovered his gravity and appeared to me as a reasonable man."

"'Once a week, hall the year round, sir, ain't it handspinn' a man?'"—St. James Gazette.

A VILLAGE HOSEHOUSE.

Pretty and Picturesque in Appearance and Will Cost About \$1,500. (Copyright, 1892, by American Press Association.)

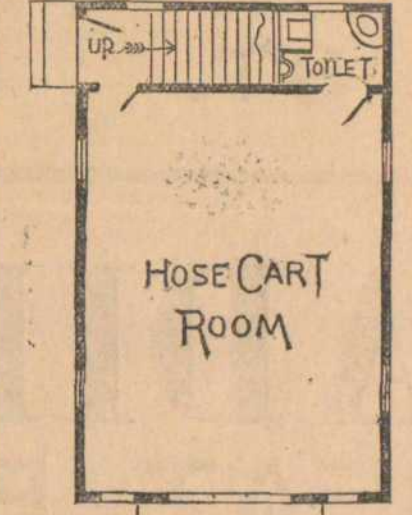
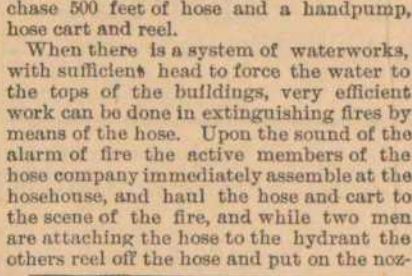
The enormous losses of life and property which occur yearly by fire, especially in large cities, have resulted in the organization of fully equipped local fire departments, with all the latest improvements in the way of fire engines, trucks, trained horses, hooks and ladders, reels and hose carts. The firemen are paid a regular salary, and the cost of maintaining the system becomes a part of the municipal expenses of each city. The methods of electric alarms and the speed with which these professional firemen reach a fire and the effective work they do are too familiar for description here.



FRONT ELEVATION.

The good results of such departments have extended beyond the limits of cities until nearly every town and village in the country has made some attempt in the direction of organizing a fire department. In small towns and villages these organizations are usually the results of individual enterprise on the part of some one who starts a subscription among the business men for the purpose of raising money to purchase the necessary apparatus and paraphernalia. On account of expense, in a small village a steam fire engine is out of the question, but it is always possible to purchase 500 feet of hose and a handpump, hose cart and reel.

When there is a system of waterworks, with sufficient head to force the water to the tops of the buildings, very efficient work can be done in extinguishing fires by means of the hose. Upon the sound of the alarm of fire the active members of the hose company immediately assemble at the hosehouse, and haul the hose and cart to the scene of the fire, and while two men are attaching the hose to the hydrant the others reel off the hose and put on the nozzle.



The exterior of the building is sheathed and clapboarded in the first story and shingled in the second story and roof. The triple windows in the gables, together with the bell tower and other neat features, give the building a very pretty and picturesque appearance. The building can be erected for about \$1,500.

D. W. KING.

The mistake of thinking an artistic fabric is necessarily expensive is fast dying out, thanks to the more general study of the causes of art.—Decorator and Furnisher.

SHORTHAND!

More Students than ever before have this year taken the course in Shorthand at the Stenographic Institute and as a result more students have secured good paying positions than during any former year—we can find places for more—School, 20 South State St., Ann Arbor, Michigan. Call, or send for circulars. Students may enter at any time during the entire year.

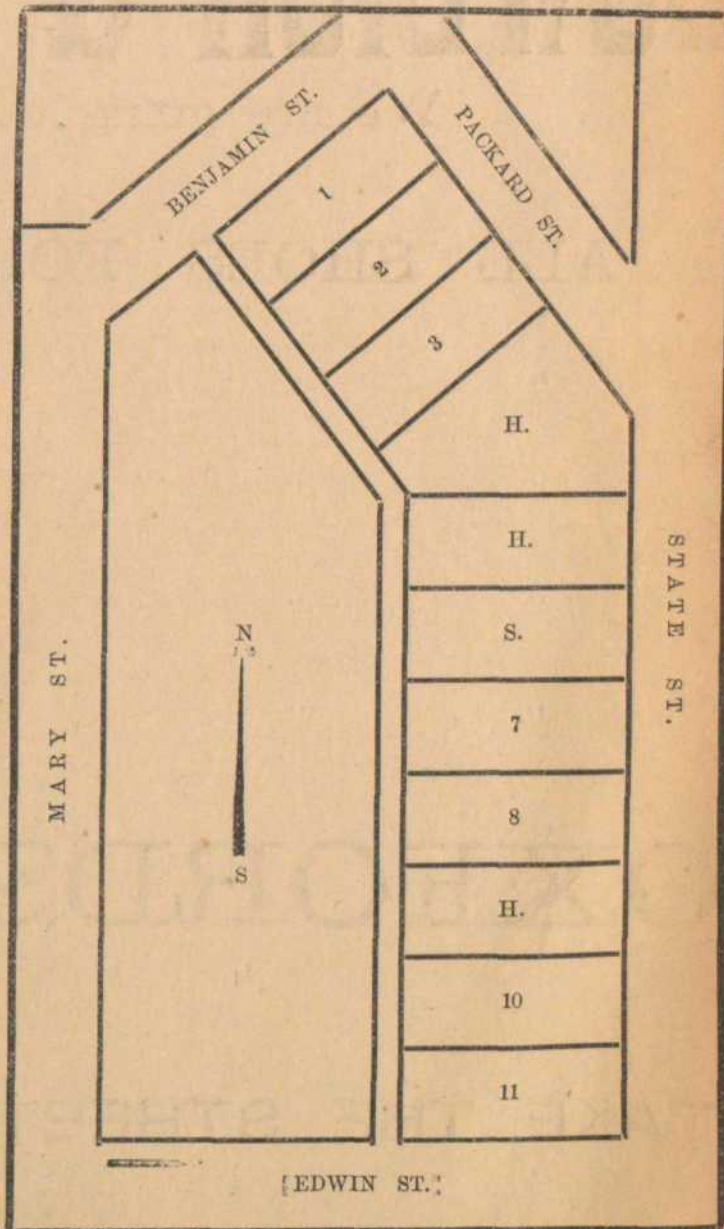
TYPEWRITING!

THE WASHTENAW REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

No. 7. Fine Building Lots at Low Prices.

In this plan the numbered lots are for sale. These marked H have occupied houses on them, and the lot marked S is sold.

N. B.—These lots are south of Packard-st and west of State-st.



[EDWIN ST.]

J. F. LAWRENCE ADDITION. Block 3.

THE TIME TO BUY IS WHEN OTHERS WANT TO SELL!

We want to sell—Now is your time to buy. Money is scarce. No one denies it. We are preparing to build a large addition to our factory and need money. We are also overstocked at both factory and salesrooms, and

THE GOODS MUST MOVE!

BARGAIN NO. 1.

ORGANS.

4 NEW Ann Arbor Organs, 6 Octaves, 10 Stops, the last 4 of a discontinued style. Former Net Cash Price \$90.00.

THESE 4 GO AT \$68.00 EACH.

- 1 Chicago Cottage Organ, 6 Octaves, 13 Stops, \$62.00
- 1 Story & Clark Organ, taken in exchange \$60.00

(Their Finest Case.)

BARGAIN NO. 2.

PIANOS.

- 1 Erie Piano, Walnut, rented 8 months, \$210
- 1 Allmendinger Piano, rented 9 months, \$180
- 1 Allmendinger Piano, rented 18 months, \$175

Remember we shall have about 40 slightly used (Rented) Pianos to show you July 1st (end of school year) and that is the time to buy your pianos. SEE THEM! PRICE THEM!

BARGAIN NO. 3.

GUITARS.

Your choice of any Guitar in our window this week for \$8.00

ALL AMERICAN MADE.

14 Lyon & Healy Marquette Guitars, regular price \$8.50, for \$4.00 EACH

IF YOU NEVER SAW A BARGAIN COME AND SEE WHAT ONE LOOKS LIKE.

BARGAIN NO. 4.

BANJOS.

We have 50 more Banjos than we want at this time of year.

They will go at Your Own Price (IF YOU HAVE ONE). Fairbanks & Co., always sold at one price excepted, This is Banjo Week, TRY IT.

The above prices mean more than you can appreciate unless you see the goods. We do not talk "LOW PRICES" continually. It don't mean much when its only talk—but when we say a price is low you can depend on it. THESE PRICES ARE LOW.

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51 SOUTH MAIN ST.

THE ANN ARBOR ORGAN CO.

LADIES' SHOES

AT A GREAT REDUCTION THIS WEEK!

BOWDISH & MATTESON, : 32 S. STATE ST.

We are going out of the LADIES' SHOE BUSINESS and will sell our entire stock at the following great reductions:

ALL SHOES FORMERLY \$4.00, IN ALL SIZES, NOW	\$2.95
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OXFORDS! OXFORDS! OXFORDS!

AT A GREAT REDUCTION!

TAKE THE STREET CARS, TAKE A WALK, TAKE ANYTHING TO GET THERE.

BOWDISH & MATTESON, STATE STREET.

WE WANT ROOM.

We shall soon begin the erection of a four story brick building on our present factory site.

We wish to get rid of every Organ outside of our regular line at once, as we need the storage room.

SOME GREAT BARGAINS

SEE SOME OF THE PRICES.

- 1 Second-Hand McLeod Organ, - - - \$20 00
- 1 Second-Hand Mason & Hamlin Organ, - - - 25 00
- 1 New Palace Organ, - - - - - 40 00
- 1 New Chicago Cottage Organ, 6 octave, 12 stops, - 60 00

Some Arbor City Organs

We have a few Organs in a style of case we have stopped making. There are eleven of them all NEW and guaranteed. We want to get rid of them to make room for other styles.

We will sell them at \$42 to \$55 each according to the action, etc. These are bargains—sold less than wholesale prices. Come in and examine them or write for circulars. They will not last long.

The Ann Arbor Organ Co.

Factory: Salesroom:
Cor. First and Washington Sts., 51-S. Main Sts.,
ANN ARBOR, MICH.



A SAVING IN FURNITURE!

It was a big saving in Furniture when we bought our stock of

CHAMBER SUITS

THIS SPRING!

Everybody is surprised to see what handsome, new, stylish well finished and well made Chamber Suits we are offering for so little money.

We struck a big bargain when we went to the market this spring and our customers are reaping the benefits rapidly.

Come and see our exquisite display of Upholstered Furniture.

We have fine, as well as low priced goods and can please everybody.

See our new sample of Parquet Flooring. Let us give you a price on covering your floor.

CARPETS!

Never before were we able to show such a complete assortment of every kind of Carpets. Handsome Moquettes, Axminster and Brussels with fine border. Ingrain Carpets, Straw Mattings. We have a big stock of everything and are selling them cheap. Don't buy a yard of Carpet before getting OUR PRICE.

KOCH & HENNE,

56, 58 AND 60 SOUTH MAIN ST

SOCIETY NEWS AND GOSSIP

PARTIES, VISITS AND VARIOUS SOCIAL EVENTS.

Personal Pointers about Prominent People—Society Chit Chat in Brief—Those Who are Coming and Going.

Charles Vaughan has gone to the World's Fair.

Miss Minnie Cowan returned to Terre Haute Monday.

Miss Dora Grayson, of Tecumseh, is visiting in the city.

Frank Sessions, of Columbus, O., is visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Lathrop, of Detroit were in the city.

Miss Lydia Hallee, of Detroit, is visiting in Ann Arbor.

L. L. Van Slyke of Ithaca, N. Y., was in Ann Arbor recently.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Young are at the World's Fair this week.

The Misses Stevens entertained a few friends Saturday evening.

W. K. Childs delivered the address on Memorial Day at Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Foster, of Detroit, were in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Miss Bell Watkins, of Westminster, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Potheamus.

Mr. and Mrs. McClure and Miss Mattie Drake are at the World's Fair.

Mrs. Chas. Hurd of Washtenaw-ave will give a reception this evening.

Rev. C. Hein, of Detroit, occupied his brother's pulpit in this city Sunday.

F. S. Clement, of Chicago, was with his brother, Lew H. Clement yesterday.

Miss Stella Hawks and Miss Jennie Morris of Detroit visited in Ann Arbor recently.

Miss Millsbaugh, of Ypsilanti, has been visiting Mrs. Walter Taylor this past week.

Mrs. J. J. MacCarthy of Scranton, Pa., has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. C. Hildner received the members of the Bethlehem church recently.

Last Wednesday evening Ald. Herz celebrated his 44th birthday, with a number of friends.

Mrs. J. H. Cutting returned last week from visiting her sister, Mrs. Kimball, of Waubesa, Wis.

A party of young folks surprised Mr. and Mrs. Stein, on the Whitmore Lake road, one evening recently.

Mrs. Wm. Southard, of Swiftwater, N. H., is expected very soon to visit her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Cutting.

Dr. and Mr. Howell, of Alpena have recently spent a short time with their daughter, Mrs. A. C. Nichols.

Miss Carrie Wilkinson, of Elkhart, Ind., returned home recently from a visit to Miss Jennie Foster of this city.

Mr. Jason Yurran, of Blue Rapids, Kansas, was entertained by his old friend, Mr. T. J. Keech of this city recently.

The ladies of the English Lutheran church gave a Japanese social at the residence of Dr. F. H. Brown Sunday evening.

An informal reception was given Mr. Allen Pond and his fiancée Miss Sturgis at President Angell's last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Robinson are visiting his brother, Mr. O. L. Robinson. They will soon leave for Dakota to spend the summer with a daughter.

Last Friday evening the Young People's Union of the Congregational church enjoyed a banquet in the church parlors. It was a very successful affair.

Mr. Lewis W. James and daughters, of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., and Mr. L. J. James, of Williamsburg, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Babcock.

There was a Living Library party at Prof. Stanley's last Friday evening, at which the Theta Delta Chi, gentlemen, and the Pi Beta Phi, ladies, were entertained.

Dr. D. A. MacLachlan is in attendance on the World's Homeopathic Medical Congress in Chicago this week. He will read a paper on "Refractive Errors."

The El Astro Club gave a very enjoyable dancing party at Granger's Academy Friday evening. The Chequamegon furnished the music and Hangsterfer the refreshments.

Prof. and Mrs. E. F. Lohr, of South Bend, Ind., will spend June with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lohr of this city. Prof. Lohr has resigned from his South Bend position to accept the principalship of the Duluth, Minn., High School. He will have a building that cost a half million and a salary of \$2,500 per annum.

Annual Meeting of Washtenaw Pioneers

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw County Pioneer Society will be held at the Opera House in Saline on Wednesday, June 14th, at 10 o'clock A. M. for election of officers and transaction of other business.

Several historical addresses will be delivered by some of our best writers. Among those who are expected to address the Society are Andrew Campbell, J. D. Corey, E. P. Allen and W. D. Harriman. Good music, songs and a bountiful dinner will be in the program.

J. Q. A. SES-IONS, Secretary
May 29, 1893.

Change of Time.

Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City, R. R., "Clover Leaf Route," slight change of time will be made May 28th.

The connections at Toledo, Union depot, for the East and at St. Louis, Union depot, for the West will be improved.

New schedule specially arranged for World's Fair passenger traffic.

All "Clover Leaf" agents are prepared for large sales to Chicago during the World's Fair.

C. G. JENKINS, Gen. Passenger Agt., Toledo, O.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Rooting Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

Bowditch & Matteson have a half page "ad" this week advertising their great reduction sale.

A Soldier's Monument.

A monument for the soldiers! And what will ye build it of? Can ye build it of marble or brass or bronze, Outlasting the soldier's love? Can ye glorify it with legends As grand as their blood hath writ From the inmost shrine of his land of thine To the outermost verge of it?

And the answer came: We would build it Out of our hopes made sure, And out of our purest prayers and tears, And the marble eyes be graven To look their last as the flag floats past, On the outermost verge of it?

And what heroic figures Can the sculptor carve in stone? Can the marble breast be made to bleed And the marble brow be fevered, And the marble eyes be graven To look their last as the flag floats past, On the outermost verge of it?

And the answer came: The figures Shall all be fair and brave, And as befitting, as pure and white As the stars above their grave. The marble lips and breast and brow Whereon the laurel lies Bespeak us right to guard the flight Of the flag that floats above.

A monument for the soldiers, Build of a people's love, And bronzed and decked and pacified With the hearts ye build it of, And the marble eyes be graven To look their last as the flag floats past, On the outermost verge of it?

It would commemorate the—James Whitcomb Riley.

LATEST COUNTY NEWS.

WEBSTER:—Personal; Winter for a Change.

Messrs. and Mesdames Fall and Worden were the guests of W. C. Latson this week.

Last Sunday Mr. Baumgardner preached a memorial sermon. The service was attended by Miss Carter and the Misses Root of Ann Arbor who assisted in the Delhi Sunday School.

The Webster Reading Circle met last week at Mr. Ball's and debated on the question "Resolved that the seasons of winter and summer are better than perpetual summer." It was decided in favor of the negative.

DEXTER:—Death of Mr. McCabe; Personal Mention.

Mr. Bond, of Ontario, Canada, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. E. Spooner.

The memorial service at the rink Sunday afternoon was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Litchfield, of Detroit, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Black and son Eddie, of Lima, spent Sunday with the family of D. Dixon.

The B. Y. P. U. gave an ice cream and strawberry social. A large crowd and a good time.

Herbert L. Cope will give an entertainment at the rink to-night in behalf of the senior class.

Died, Friday morning, after a long illness, Mr. McCabe. Funeral services were held at St. Joseph's Church.

Dr. Howell was up last week to see Fred Litchfield. Mrs. D. Copeland, of Bay City, is spending a few days with her parents, R. S. Copeland.

WHITMORE LAKE:—Went to Saline; A New Postmaster; The Summer Reporter Appears; The Tail End of a Cyclone.

Miss Carrie Barker visited Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mrs. F. Hofley and children, of Jackson, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheffer, and her sister, Mrs. Frank Roper.

Mr. T. D. Moss has been appointed postmaster to succeed J. D. Stevens, who resigned at this place. Miss Maud Moss assistant.

The May party at the Clifton House on Friday eve. was attended by seventy two couples. Ice cream and cake were served at 12 o'clock.

Mrs. Widdeman has returned from Saginaw where she has been visiting her son for the past 6 months.

The merry voices of three buss loads of young people from Ann Arbor struck the ears of Whitmore residents on Saturday. They stopped at the Lake and Clifton Houses.

The Glee Club serenaded Mrs. Butterfield and Miss Marr on Thursday eve. and discoursed some fine quartets at 1:30 A. M. Miss Marr served a delicious lunch which was heartily enjoyed.

Ho for Whitmore Lake! The tourists are pouring in and the hotels which have lain in seclusion for the past 6 months now put on a business appearance and the props now sit up nights to eat.

The tail end of a cyclone swept through this region on Tuesday. It stopped at the Philip Duffy farm and twisted off five large apple trees. At Wilard Wilson's it lifted a barn 30x40 6 feet off the foundation and carried half the roof 100 rods away. It moved a swathe 50 feet wide through Giles Lee's woods twisting off trees 24 feet in diameter and wended its way toward South Lyon.

J. G. Pray, Bert Moore, May Spiegelberg, Lillian Lombard and Maud Moss left here early Tuesday morning as delegates to Washtenaw Dist. Lodge I. O. G. T. which was held at Saline. Although we are a "fresh water" society it was furnished us almost too bountifully that day for when we reached our destination we looked like a lot of "drenched ducks." We were heartily welcomed by Saline lodge. We were there but a few hours when a sumptuous

THE WOMAN WHO WORKS.

and is tired, will find a special help in Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Perfectly harmless in any condition of the female system. It promotes all the natural functions, and builds up, strengthens, regulates, and cures. For women approaching confinement, nursing mothers, and every weak, run-down, delicate woman, it is an invigorating, supporting tonic that's peculiarly adapted to their needs.

But it's more than that, too. It's the only guaranteed remedy for all the functional disturbances, painful disorders, and chronic weaknesses of womanhood. In "female complaints" of every kind, periodical pains, bearing-down sensations, internal inflammation, and kindred ailments, if it ever fails to benefit or cure, you have your money back.

Something else that pays the dealer better, may be offered as "just as good." Perhaps it is, for him, but it can't be, for you.

FOR SALE!

AT STATE ST., MUSIC STORE

PIANOS & ORGANS!

NEW and SECOND-HAND at Prices astonishingly low. In fact this sale will prove beyond question that our prices are FAR BELOW ANY AND ALL OF OUR COMPETITORS.

ALVIN WILSEY, 42 S. STATE STREET, (FIRST FLOOR.)

one repast was spread before us of which we gladly partook. Regardless of the rain at the afternoon session there were almost fifty present. After a splendid supper prepared by Saline lodge we adjourned to the Baptist church where the Rev. O. C. Bailey, of Chelsea, gave an interesting talk on our great work of "moral reform." The delegates all speak highly of the hearty welcome extended to them by Saline lodge.

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THE RAJAH'S RUBY
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"They were neat and tidy at the hotel, for, though the hour was quite early, Manson found that his bed and room had been put in good order. The landlord had given him a key with which he admitted himself, setting his valise on the floor. Listening for some minutes and cautiously surveying his surroundings, he was convinced that no one was in sight. He inserted the key in the adjoining door, where the peddlers had spent the preceding night. He could not help smiling when he found that the lock responded as readily to the key as did his own.

"I've no doubt it will fit every door along the hall," was his conclusion as he unlocked his own door after setting down his valise in the room he was about to visit.

In case any one should come upon him while engaged in this apartment he could make the reasonable plea of a mistake quite natural under the circumstances.

The detective lost no time. The apartment of the room snowed that the late occupants expected to return, for a considerable of their trumpery lay about the floor, and some of their extra clothing was suspended from the hooks in the closet.

Recalling where he had heard that peculiar noise when listening the night before, Manson began a careful examination of the room next to his own.

"They were at work somewhere near that spot," he said, looking keenly at the portion near the corner of the apartment. "I heard them using their knife for a good while. They are cunning workers at that sort of thing and have concealed their work well."

When some minutes passed without any discovery, a feeling of doubt crept into his mind, and he asked himself whether it was not some trick, after all, which they were playing upon him.

"If it was, I can't suspect its nature, but I'll find out."

There was so little light in the corner, despite the two windows, that he struck a match, and stooping down passed it slowly along the wall. Using his vision the best he could, he finally detected a tiny bit of clipping on the cheap, ingrain carpet close to the wall. It resembled a fragment from a match that some one had dropped, but it was the clew for which he was searching.

A rectangular ridge two or three inches in length extended along the surface so faintly marked that only the closest scrutiny could detect it.

Inserting the point of his knife, he exerted a steady and increasing pressure. Soon there was a slight yielding, and then a shell of wood resembling the thin lid of a small box fell out on the floor, revealing a cavity behind it a couple of inches in depth.

Max Manson's heart gave a quick throb when he perceived a fine tissue paper resting within, but without any nervousness of manner, though his excitement was intense, he drew it out. He unfolded it just enough to catch a glimpse of a red, round substance within, when he shoved it into his vest pocket.

Then with the same care he had shown from the first he replaced the covering, adjusting it with such deftness that the appearance was precisely the same as before. He blew out the third match which he had found it necessary to employ, placing that, like its companions, in his pocket so as not to leave any trace of his work behind.

Rising to his feet, he passed out of the room, carefully relocked the door behind him and once more entered the apartment where he had spent the previous night. Then, walking to the window, where he had full light, he took out the paper and unrolled it.

An exclamation of delighted astonishment escaped him. The object was the size almost of a robin's egg, deep red in color, bright and seemingly with a light almost as luminous as that of a diamond.

"Eureka! I have found it. That's the rajah's ruby as sure as I live! Did any man ever have a better stroke of fortune?"

He turned it over in his hand and feasted his eyes upon its beauty.

"I am not much of a judge of precious stones, but I'll wager that that gem is worth all that is claimed, which is \$100,000. What a story it could tell if it but possessed the power of speech!"

Max Manson was certainly authorized in felicitating himself, for his success had been little short of marvelous.

"My theory was right, Dr. Maidhoff stole the gem from Miss Livermore and was paid well for it by these two wretches. The shock from which she died was not caused by their visit, but by the physician himself. There ought to be some way of punishing him, but I know of none, for these fellows will never betray him. When they find how they have been outwitted, they will quietly swallow their loss, for I don't intend to give them a second chance to steal the prize."

There was no call for him to stay longer at the hotel, so he bade the landlord goodby again, and hurrying to the station was just in time to catch a through train for New York. He scanned his surroundings closely before entering the cars, but observed nothing of the East Indians; but, all the same, the very one that had followed him to the station that morning saw him.

This fellow was the one known as Wichman, and peering around the corner of a building, carefully screening his body from observation meanwhile, he kept his black eyes fixed on the detective as long as he was in sight.

Max Manson did not forget his obligations to Folsom Simpson, whom he had left working on the case at Ellenville. A moment before entering the cars he telegraphed him in cipher:

"The case is closed. I have recovered the ruby and am on my way to headquarters. Wire me there."

"Simpson is a good fellow and will send me his congratulations. Whatever he says, too, he will mean, for there is no envy in his nature. I can see now plainer than ever how he maneuvered from the first to throw the glory of the whole thing in my way."

The day was drawing to a close when his train rumbled into the Grand Central station, and calling a cab he was soon whirled to headquarters. Chief Varick was absent, and he found no one present to whom he deemed it advisable to make his report.

The following message, however, from Simpson was awaiting him, and, as may be supposed, Manson read it with peculiar feelings:

"I would like to congratulate you, old fellow, but I don't think you have got the rajah's ruby."

"What the mischief can he mean?" Manson asked himself as he held the writing in his hand and read and reread it. "I told him plainly enough that I had recovered the gem. It looks to me as if Fol feels a little jealous after all."

Yielding to a vague misgiving for which he could not account, he left the office, and boarding a street car rode to the well known establishment of Tiffany & Co.

"I will get them to write out a certificate for me and forward that to Fol, since he won't accept mine."

Max Manson expected to see the eyes of the clerk before whom he laid the stone protrude with amazement. So they did, but when the gentleman took the gem in hand a peculiar expression came over his face, an expression which deepened the detective's uneasiness.

"You don't often see a gem like that," remarked the visitor.

"I don't know," replied the clerk, with a smile. "It is true; they are not generally made so large."

"Not made so large! What do you mean?"

"I suppose, my friend, you know that this gem, as you call it, is nothing but a piece of colored glass, worth at the most perhaps two or three dollars?"

"If his connection is a guilty one, he can't have been aware of the false ruby." "Not necessarily, for we are not certain those two natives did bring it with them from India."

"But if the counterfeit has been the companion of the genuine for many years, then the doctor has aided in deceiving them, and the part he played was a commendatory one."

"Undoubtedly, if your premises are correct; but, if I am allowed to hazard a guess, it is that the doctor sold the real gem to the fellows, and they have used the imitation for their own security. Bear in mind, however, that this is only a guess on my part, inspired perhaps by the knowledge which I used to have of Dr. Maidhoff years ago, when he and I were classmates in college. It may be that Simpson has made discoveries which will completely change the face of affairs. I am expecting a dispatch from him this evening."

"I came near forgetting one thing, Mr. Varick," added Manson. "When I ran down these two men, Wichman and Lugo, they were not making for this city, not by a direct course at least, for they were 20 miles nearer Ellenville than they were that same morning."

Chief Varick showed more excitement than at any time during the interview. He started upright in his seat, and looking fixedly at his subordinate demanded:

"Are you sure of that?"

"There can be no doubt of it. I located them without trouble and was surprised at the discovery."

"The chief was thoughtful a minute and then asked:

"Don't you see the probable bearing of this fact? Suppose Dr. Maidhoff passed off the spurious ruby upon them—that is, helped his patient, Miss Livermore, to place it so that it would fall into the hands of these men. They are doubtless experts, but at the time of the robbery at night would not be likely to notice the trick. Several days may have passed without their making the discovery. They make it shortly before you locate them. Would not their most natural course after such discovery be to turn back toward Ellenville with the purpose of repairing their error?"

"But how could they do that, with Miss Livermore dead, suspicion resting upon them, and Dr. Maidhoff fully warned?"

The chief shrugged his shoulders again and smiled.

"You are asking me some difficult questions. Perhaps had I spent as much time at Ellenville and the vicinity as you I might be able to answer you intelligently."

"It is possible, though hardly probable," replied Manson, stung by the quiet rasping he received during the conversation and by the well grounded belief that the chief was now looking to Simpson for the real clearing up of the mystery. While Manson had done good work in the Manitoba affair, and while he was sanguine that he had acquitted himself still more brilliantly in the last business, it was doubly humiliating to be awakened to the fact that he had made an egregious failure all the way through.

No man could be expected to maintain his serenity at such a time, and the chief was probably aware of this, for he showed no resentment because of the disrespectful words of his employee.

"As I view it," he quietly remarked, lighting a cigar, "the question narrows itself down to the part played by Dr. Maidhoff in the business. If he has accepted a bribe from the men from India, and then played them false, the rajah's ruby is secure against all they can do, for he would be a fool to run any further risk of its falling into their hands, but I would not like to be in the doctor's shoes."

"They would hardly dare harm him after the suspicious death of Miss Livermore."

"They will not commit a crime that could be proved against them, but with their subtlety and skill will find the means of 'removing' him from the scene of his earthly labors without leaving the slightest evidence against themselves. The fact is, Max, those fellows played it on you mighty fine."

"Well, chief, it has been several weeks since I have seen my family," said Manson, irritated still further by the last words of Varick, "and I hope I may be allowed to spend a day or two with them."

"I shall try to give you that privilege. I was sorry to bring you back when so near home, but there seemed to be no other way. You have done as well as any one could, placed as you were. Success cannot be looked for every time. I think I shall need you pretty soon."

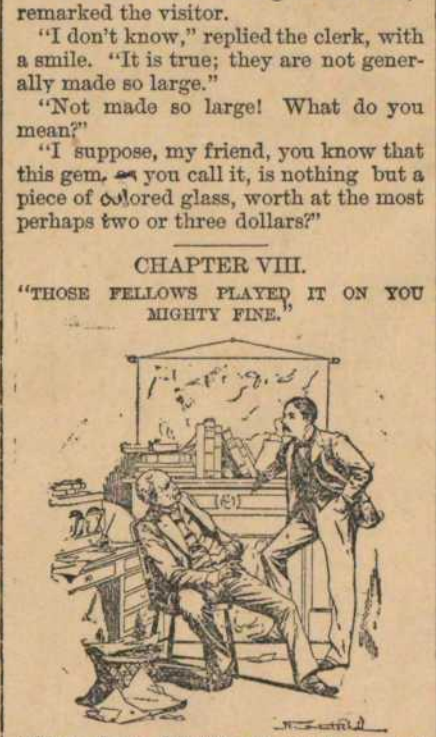
"On this same business?"

The chief nodded his head.

"Simpson is one of our best men, but he is more than likely to require your help before he gets through. Hello! I shouldn't wonder if this is from him now," added the chief, extending him a card for the dispatch that was brought into his private office at that moment.

"Yes, it's from him," he added as he tore open the yellow envelope. After glancing at it a moment he passed it to his subordinate, who read:

"Am hopeful. You may not hear from me for two days. If you do not receive word from me on the third day, send Max to search for me."
F. S.



"Max, those fellows played it on you mighty fine."

Detective Manson was dumfounded, and sitting alone that evening with Chief Varick he made known his perplexity, giving the particulars of his strange experience after being put on the case of the rajah's ruby. The chief listened with his usual impassiveness, but did not allow a syllable of the story to escape him. Once or twice he smiled at some portions of the narrative and occasionally asked an incisive question.

"Did it not strike you as singular," he asked, "that those two men, natives of India, as they doubtless were, should be talking in the English tongue after reaching their room at the hotel in Wingfield?"

"Yes, it did seem odd, but I did not attach much weight to it. Since the language was of great use to them in this country, it would have been natural to practice it when alone."

"Did they seem to be in need of much practice? In other words, did you find any difficulty in understanding them?"

"None at all."

"Would it not have appeared more natural for them, when they found themselves alone, to use the tongue in which they could express their thoughts the more readily?"

"Yes, except for the reason I have named."

"And then it seems they were talking about this wonderful gem, the very object of which you were seeking information."

"That was the most natural thing in the world, since they had traveled half way around the globe to steal it."

"Possibly, but in their brief conversation they were kind enough to give you the precise information you were seeking. Can you conceive it possible that they suspected you were listening at the door?"

A disagreeable light began breaking in upon the mind of Max Manson.

"I understand you to intimate that the whole thing was gotten up for my benefit, or rather my injury?"

"Don't you think it has that look? Those people are cunning—mighty cunning. They suspected you the moment you entered the hotel where they were stopping. They were convinced that you were after the rajah's ruby. Fearing that you might take extreme measures against them and cause their detention, they sought only to gain time, so as to be able to slip away undetected. They therefore adopted a course intended to make you believe you had actually recovered the gem, calculating that the interval between that and the knowledge of your error would give them the opportunity they needed, and it looks as if they were not much off in their calculations."

"But that false ruby—that bit of colored glass?"

"Are you not aware that that article is a very common one? All exceptionally valuable gems have their duplicates or imitations, mainly designed to baffle covetous thieves. The owner of a noted jewel keeps it securely locked up in some unsuspected place perhaps, while the comparatively worthless imitation is left where the burglar is most likely to look for it. Many a time the lady who appears at some grand entertainment finds her jewels the envy and admiration of all eyes, when in truth the real ones are at home locked in the safe or at

the bank, while the crowd are feasting their vision on the clever imitations."

"But when on this counterfeit rajah's ruby?"

Chief Varick shrugged his shoulders.

"I can only guess. They may have brought it with them from India for the purpose of putting it to the very use which served them so well while they made haste out of the country with the genuine gem, or it may have been that the late Miss Livermore received the counterfeit with the genuine from her ancestors, and those cunning Asiatics were themselves tricked by a clever artifice. Always dreading a visit from burglars, and especially so after receiving the warning letter which came into the hands of Simpson, it surely would have been natural for her to put it forward where the scamps would be likely to lay their hands on it with little trouble."

"But why didn't she place the real one in some bank or safe deposit company?" asked Max Manson, impatient at the growing certainty of the trick that had been played on him.

"You are asking me questions which should more properly be addressed to the men whom I sent to Ellenville," was the pointed response of the chief.

"Well, I confess that more than one feature of this confounded business perplexes me. Simpson strongly suspects that Dr. Maidhoff is mixed up in it."

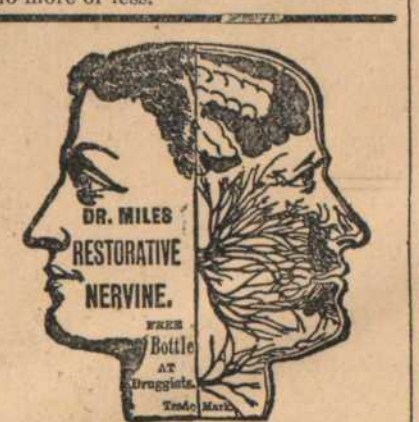
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Our line of Ladies' Hose at 25 and 50 cents per pair in the Fast Black and Tans are not equalled. Misses Hose, all sizes and qualities in Black, Tan and Red, the best values for the least money.

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Our stock is the largest and the goods the finest ever shown in the City.

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They also have a fine assortment of good CIGARS and Fancy Smoking Tobacco.

THE CITY.

Next Saturday the Students' Lecture Association elect officers.

Ann Arbor celebrated Memorial Day largely by going out of town.

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew meet's this evening at Harris Hall.

There was more than a Sabbath day's stillness in Ann Arbor Memorial Day.

The L. O. T. M. gave a strawberry festival in Maccabee hall Monday evening.

About 1,200 people, students and others went to Detroit Tuesday from this city.

Prof. A. H. Pattengill was seriously hurt by a fall from his horse one day last week.

The Wagner concert last evening was a superb undertaking, magnificently carried out.

The Good Templars will hold their annual picnic at Whitmore Lake Saturday, June 17.

C. A. Maynard sold his four weeks old Coraloid colt to Chas. Gantlett for \$600 recently.

The Ann Arbor Gas Co. are putting in new gas pipes for the exclusive use of the University.

Isaac Farnhill, of Pittsfield, a pioneer, died Sunday of apoplexy. He was born in England in 1815.

It is a noticeable improvement in Memorial Day observances for the common council to march instead of ride.

The Good Templars will hold a lawn social Saturday eve. at the residence of Mrs. Scoutten, No. 98 E. Washington-st.

The seventeen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Downer of Lodi, was buried in Forest Hill cemetery, last Saturday.

Is there an ordinance against posting bills on telegraph and telephone posts? If there is no one seems to know of it or heed it.

Prof. Knowlton will lecture in Newberry Hall next Monday evening on "The Trial of Christ from a Lawyer's standpoint."

Rev. Gelston will speak Sunday evening on "The Fallacy of Some of the Arguments in Favor of Opening the World's Fair on Sunday."

The electric cars now pass on the switch at the north-east corner of the campus instead of the one between State and Maynard streets.

The S. S. Circle will give a kaleidoscope social Friday eve, June 2, in the M. E. church. Admission ten cents. Refreshments will also be served.

Mr. J. J. Goodyear says that the exertion of the early days of the World's Fair is a thing of the past. Seventy-five dollars ought to keep you and your wife a week and enable you to see everything.

The large audience that gathered to listen to Rev. C. M. Coburn's evening lecture on the "Fall of Man" last Sunday were most agreeably surprised to find the Native African choir present to sing for them.

"Noah and the Flood" will be the topic of the lecture next Sunday evening at the First M. E. church. The audiences that gather to hear these lectures are crowding the great auditorium to its utmost capacity.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary M. Tuttle of S. Main-st occurred yesterday afternoon, Rev. C. M. Coburn officiating. She was in her 48th year and leaves a husband and two sons. She has been in ill health for a long time.

Robt. E. Fraser, of Detroit, formerly of Ann Arbor, has been appointed a circuit judge in Wayne Co. by Gov. Rich to fill the fifth judgeship, created by the legislature. He will hold for 18 months when an election will be held for that position.

This week Thursday evening Mr. Granger starts a class for a short term of lessons in dancing preparatory to the senior reception June 7th. Friday the law club have a dancing party and Saturday the freshman lit's have their social at the academy.

Now it is a question which is the greater nuisance, pig pens or the swill and garbage of the boarding houses. It will now cost the city to pay the needed scavenger to convey the swill out side of the city at least one hundred and fifty dollars a month.

M. J. Lehman nearly lost his Grand View residence by fire Sunday. A little child of his started the blaze in the woodshed, an oil can complicated the situation by exploding, and things were lively for a short time. They managed to handle it however. In the excitement, Mrs. Lehman, who is quite ill, arose from her bed and assisted in pumping water.

Charles Stoner of Bridgewater is feeling very badly because the Argus published an item about the suicide of his father-in-law, Edward Powell, in which it stated that Mr. Powell "had had some trouble with his son-in-law and is supposed to have taken the poison on account of it." Mr. Stoner says that they had not had any trouble and he didn't like to have such things published and intended to find out who circulated the story, and get satisfaction.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Lyman Burkhardt who murdered his uncle in this county in 1875 and was sentenced for life while a mere boy, after 17 years confinement has been pardoned. He became an expert as an engineer and was offered a salary of one thousand dollars a year by the state to take charge of the engineering department of the prison, but he preferred to be outside of prison walls and has gone to Omaha.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Bethlehem church held special services last Sunday in honor of their first anniversary. The church was tastefully decorated. They began with a sunrise prayer meeting at 6 a. m. and at the evening services Rev. Mr. Hildner of Detroit, Rev. Mr. Schreiber of Saline, and Rev. Mr. Buetler of Delray gave addresses. A large number of young people were present from out of town, Manchester it is said sending a delegation of sixty.

The committee appointed at the last council meeting to go to Lansing for needed legislation for the sewers, made one of the fastest trips on record. The locomotive that made 112 miles an hour recently is not in the same class with this committee for speed in railroad things through. There was no skeleton bill to begin with, so a Bay City skeleton was borrowed and the title amended to read "Ann Arbor" instead of "Bay City," and "lateral sewers" instead of something about salt or sawdust. The committee began at 10 a. m., borrowed the skeleton, repaired him, dressed him and walked him through both houses and introduced him to the governor, all by 12 m.

The Memorial Day exercises were carried through without a hitch or collision. It was a beautiful day. Welch Post, No. 137, G. A. R., J. T. Jacobs Camp, S. O. V., the W. R. C., the Rifles, the school children and the common council were in the procession. Both in the Fifth ward and also in the Forest Hill cemeteries the beautiful ritual of the G. A. R. was read by Commander Sessions; comrade Campbell acting as chaplain. Appropriate selections were recited by the Misses Mildred Ware and Ada Minckley. Capt. Manly gave a short address in the North side cemetery. In the evening an eloquent address was delivered in University Hall by Rev. Washington Gardner of Albion. The music by the school children, under the leadership of Miss Lucy Cole, assisted by the Misses Mingay and Anspach was a beautiful feature of the occasion.

A Good Annual Report.
The Young People's Union, an organization formed by representatives from the young peoples' societies of the various churches in the city, held its first annual meeting last Sunday night at the Presbyterian church. The program was made up of reports from the various societies represented and from those who have taken the lead in the various missions organized in the city and vicinity. The church was well filled. The first report was that from the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church by W. W. Bishop. Dr. Brown reported for the English Lutheran society. J. H. VanTassel for the Epworth League of the First M. E. church; E. K. Towle for the Epworth League of the 5th ward; Miss Tenny for the Baptist Young People's Union; Miss Berta Sherrod for the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Church of Christ; Mr. E. J. Dennen for the Young People's Vespers of St. Andrew's Church. The Y. P. S. C. E. of the German Evangelical church was to be represented by Prof. J. A. C. Hildner who was unable to be present. He, however, sent a report which was read by President Kroeze. Mr. Seelye reported for the society of the Presbyterian church. This was followed by reports from the mission Sunday Schools in the second, third and fourth wards and by Mrs. Barrows of the development committee and Mr. Walker, the retiring president of the union.

These reports were a surprise to a great many people. Few have heretofore had any conception of the extent of Christian work which the young people's societies of the city have done. Almost every society reported great growth while the various lines of special work undertaken by individual societies and by the Young People's Union (composed of delegates from all the societies) shows an unusual activity. A number of the societies have more than doubled their membership while some have done even better. Hundreds of boys and girls in the wards mentioned above have been enrolled in Sunday Schools and who would, were it not for the mission schools, have been in most cases spending their time on the street. The Union starts in with the work for the next year greatly encouraged and with much larger plans than those of the past year.

Change of Time on the M. C. R. F.
A change of time will go into effect on the Michigan Central to-day. Trains will leave Ann Arbor as follows:
Going West—4:14, 8:19, 9:37, 9:45, 10:37 A. M.; 2:14, 6:13, 9:05, 10:32, P. M.
Going East—2:51, 3:10, 3:50, 7:51, 10:53, 11:40 A. M.; 4:27, 5:30, 5:58, 9:45 P. M.

OUR 25 CENT COLUMN.

Advertisements, such as To Rent, For Sale, and Wants, not exceeding three lines, can be inserted three weeks for 25 cents.

WANTED.

- WANTED**—Visitors at the World's Fair to stop at Pleasant Home, only 4 blocks from 67th street entrance. Rates of rooms \$2.00 when two occupy the room \$1.00 each. Double bed room \$3.00 or 50c extra for each person. For circulars on application apply to Martin G. Good, 1138 W. Harrison-st., Chicago, Ill., or D. F. Schairer, Ann Arbor, Mich.
- WANTED**—A young man who wishes to learn shorthand and typewriting and pay his entire tuition by taking care of lawn this summer. A good opportunity to the right person. If preferred will give a scholarship entitling the holder to a full course in a first-class commercial college for this work. Enquire at once at the School of Shorthand 20 South State St. Third floor front.
- WANTED**—A girl to do general housework. Apply at 357 1/2 12th St.
- WANTED**—Work by the day, washing and house cleaning. Inquire E. O. this office.
- WANTED**—Suitcases; salary and expenses from six; steady work; good chance for advancement. BROWN BROS. CO., Nure ryman Chicago, Ill.
- WANTED**—A good girl to do housework and cook for a family of three. Apply at his office.
- WANTED**—Bedding and all kinds of plain sewing. Over Sheehan's Bookstore, third door to the right.
- WANTED**—To rent for the next three months a ladies' safety bicycle. Address S. A. N. REGISTER Office.

FOR SALE.

- FOR SALE**—Window shades, carpets, couches and bedroom furniture etc. at 25 Lawrence-st.
- FOR SALE**—House and lot. Enquire of G. A. DeFries, 47 4th-ave, cor. William-st.
- FOR SALE**—Bicycles, new and second hand at State-st., Music Store No. 42, first floor. A. W. Wiley.
- FOR SALE**—The home of Mrs. Day on Wash-tenaw-ave. The home has 13 rooms and 11 closets. It is heated by furnace, has good cellar and plenty of water. There are 20 acres of land with a variety of good fruit. Inquire at Mr. Ferdon on Wash-tenaw-ave.
- FOR SALE**—The best coin collector books published by Wm. Von Bergen. If you are interested in old and rare coins, this is the book you want. 250 pages, Hundreds of illustrations, \$1.00. Call at the Register Office.
- FOR SALE**—No. 3 Willard-st., 2nd door from E. University-ave. First block from campus. Faces south. Nearly new. Modern conveniences. Inquire same address of Miss Oakley.
- FOR SALE OR RENT**—For a term of years the property No. 46 E. University-ave. In first block from campus. Inquire on premises of L. L. James.
- FOR SALE**—Desirable lots at reasonable prices in Schairer and Kemp's addition to the city of Ann Arbor, situated on corner Hill and Packard-sts, on street car line. For plat and further particulars call on D. F. Schairer, 18 South Main-st.
- FARM FOR SALE**—120 acres of land, six miles from city, or will exchange for city property. Enquire at No. 3 E. Liberty-st.
- FOR SALE**—Two Farms. Mrs. North's farm near county farm and Bullock-Everett farm in Salem town. Andrew E. Gibson, 20 Maynard St. Ann Arbor.
- FOR SALE**—A valuable farm. The well known farm of Hanson Section section two (2) Township on portions of about 20 acres of land at the low price of \$60 per acre. Anyone wishing a plentiful area to make a home of this is a rare chance. Title will be given for two thirds of the purchase price paid in interest. For further particulars call on or address E. Treadwell and Harriet L. Sessions, executors of the late will of Hanson Section, deceased.
- Dated Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 21, 1892.
- FOR SALE**—Household goods at 74 Wash-tenaw-ave.

FOR RENT.

- FOR RENT**—5 acre pasture, well watered. Terms easy. C. R. Wilkinson, 5 Mill-st., Lower Town.
- TO RENT**—Whole or part of house, suitable for roomers and boarders, cor. Jefferson and Division-st. A. M. Clark, 47 Division.
- TO RENT**—A new house in fine location. Rent \$20 per month. Apply to A. W. Hamilton, Hamilton Block.
- TO RENT**—House of 7 rooms, 93 S. Main-st.
- FOR RENT**—After July first, a good house on South Thayer-st., near the campus especially suitable for keeping boarders. Seven rooms basement. Rent reasonable. Enquire of S. A. N. REGISTER Office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MONEY to loan on good security. Inquire or Address A. D. ROBINSON office.

INFORMATION as to accommodation for the World's Fair can be obtained by calling on D. F. Schairer 18 S. Main-st. Low rates.

World's Fair Accommodations.
Furnished rooms for rent at reasonable prices, within 1/2 block of Midway Plaisance entrance to Fair Grounds, permanent residence, 22 rooms, all modern conveniences. For further information inquire at 14 S. State-st. Ann Arbor, or write to Mrs. M. E. Hill, 1815 and 1817 Madison-ave., Chicago, Ill.

LOST, VIOLIN.

Taken from the store of the Ann Arbor Organ Co., between 10 p. m. May 22 and 8 p. m. May 23, an old Amati Violin, light canopy color, ivory pegs with Albert patent rubber tail piece. Top of violin had been split and repaired by Aug. Giesinger under whose card is on inside scroll had also been repaired on each side. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to Lew H. Clemens, 51 S. Main-st., Ann Arbor.

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- 15 dozen Children's White Muslin Caps at 15c each.
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- 15 dozen Ladies Fast Black Satine Shirt Waists at 75c each.
- 100 Ladies Cambric Wrappers in Light and Dark Shades at 97c each.

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1000 yards 10c Dress Gingham for these three days at

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Ingrain Art Squares 3x3 1/2 yards, regular price \$10.00 at \$7.98.—3x2 1/2 yds., regular price \$7.50, at \$5.98.

5TH OPPORTUNITY.

2500 yards handsome Mattings Best Designs, Superior Goods at 10 per cent discount for these three days.

6TH OPPORTUNITY.

Figured Swiss Curtain Mulls for three days at 19c, 23c, 29c, and 32c, worth 25c, 30c, 35c and 40. These will merit an investigation.

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