

NEXT WEEK IS FAIR WEEK.

ATTRACTIONS OFFERED.

Benefits to be Derived and Good Times to be Had—One Farmer's Experience.

Next Tuesday will be the first day of Washtenaw's great fair. On that day exhibitors from all over the county will bring in their exhibits and have them placed in the buildings for inspection by the people.

This season has been noted for good crops and the exhibit made by farmers will undoubtedly be the best for years. Then, too, the gradual approach of more prosperous times has placed the fair-going public in far better position to support a first-class institution and the fair association in much better position to make one, than has been the case for five years at least.

Aside from the unusually large and fine exhibit by those competing for premiums, will be several features which add greatly to the pleasant and instructive nature of the fair.

The collection of war relics has grown until even the committee members themselves are surprised. Old guns, swords, pistols, bayonets and weapons of almost all varieties will be seen. The different kinds will show something of the development of the weapons which were used in the early wars of our country and which are now fast giving way to the small calibre rifle with its smokeless powder and its steel coated bullet. Besides the weapons collected will be old flags, canteens, belts, knapsacks, and many other relics of our wars.

Exhibitions of skill will be given by a tight wire performer who appears every day in interesting and thrilling acts far above ground. There will be a trick bicycle rider and a man who combines tricks on the wheel with skating feats. Cowboys will ride bucking broncos; two will race two miles, changing horses at the end of the first mile. A Mexican will show how knives are thrown by those of his countrymen who use them as weapons to impale their enemies.

Then there will be sports, and considerable time will be given up to both horse races and bicycle events. Good prizes have been offered and good races are sure to result.

On Thursday comes the public wedding of Mr. Otto Killingbeck and Miss Nellie E. Ferguson, the two young people who will start on their married life with the best wishes of all Washtenaw following them and who will be greatly helped by the presents of our city's generous business men.

To sum the matter all up, the fair is so good that no one can afford to miss it. The good time that one will have looking at the various attractions, visiting friends and making new ones, is the least part of the good to be obtained, for the greatest part is the educational features of the fair. One can have no better opportunity to learn of the products of the county, of the people and their occupations. Exhibitors will have an opportunity to compare methods of raising different kinds of produce and of doing different kinds of work. If a farmer excels his neighbor in some one line this gives him a chance to make it known, and in such an advertisement as a business man would have to pay for in good hard cash. If his neighbors excel him it gives him an opportunity to study their methods and improve his own.

The following is an extract of a letter written by a prominent farmer to the Fair News, telling how the fair helped him:

"I think it was in '90 that I brought a pretty good colt over and exhibited it for premium at the fair. I thought he was a pretty good animal but was altogether astonished at the amount of attention that he attracted. Along in the winter I received a letter from a Chicago gentleman who asked me if I had disposed of a certain colt which he had heard was shown at the Washtenaw fair. Well, I hadn't and the result was that I sold that colt and his sister for \$600.00. That's what that fair did for me, but it is not all.

That \$600.00 sort of burned in my pocket so I invested it in Jersey cattle. It was a venture, I know, but I felt as if the money was almost a gift. In a year or two I was showing Jersey cattle at our fair, and those exhibits brought me money too. Stock dealers and speculators as well as breeders, always make it a point to visit these county fairs around through the state. Mine attracted some little attention, and a few weeks after the fair I had an

offer of \$350.00 for one cow that wore home the blue ribbons, another went for \$250.00 and still another for \$100.00. Those fairs were mightily profitable for me and I don't want to see them thrown over."

For the convenience of its patrons "THE REGISTER" will occupy a booth in one of the buildings on the ground. Here we shall be pleased to meet you and give free one of the fine maps of Washtenaw county to each person paying his subscription to the paper.

We shall also receive subscriptions to the Michigan Farmer, Twice-a-week Free Press, Detroit Journal, Chicago Inter Ocean and other papers at lowest clubbing rates. Free samples of papers given to all wishing them.

JAPANESE PROVERBS

Translated By Hiotaro Kodama.

Hiotaro Kodama, a well known U. of M. student, who is a native of Japan, has been making a comparative study of English and Japanese proverbs. He says:

We, probably, use proverbs in our colloquial language more frequently than is done in English conversation. Even children learn and use them when very young, often not knowing their real meaning. The following are some examples of those which are most commonly used. Some of them may be found as corresponding to English proverbs, although they are differently expressed:

No remedy for a fool.
To be beaten is to win.
A deaf man is eager to listen.
After rain the earth gets firm.
Proof is better than discussion.
When you repent it is too late.
Rather dumplings than flowers.
Great averice resembles ourselves.
Gossip only lasts seventy-five days.
When in haste, go a roundabout way.
Walls have ears, battles have mouths.
Good medicine is bitter to the mouth.
He who fears trouble is troubled by fear.

Preaching before Buddha is a great risk.
Money can give one comfort even in hell.
He who praises himself is a kind of fool.
A good handwriter never chooses his pen.
Traders are often enemies to each other.

If you speak of next year, the devil laughs.
A projecting post is often knocked against.
Tighten the cord of your helmet after victory.
By poking a bush, you make snakes crawl out.
Observe others' faults and correct your own.
When dust accumulates, it will make a mountain.
If you dislike priests, you hate even their gowns.
While the devil is away let us wash our clothes.
Even a big elephant is caught by a woman's hair.
Branches of willow trees are never broken by snow.
Too many sailors make the ship go up the mountain.

To ask is a momentary shame; not to ask is a life-long shame.
Keep misfortune for three years, it may turn out to be useful.
When a thief has got into the house, one begins to make a rope.
The boy living next to the temple knows the prayers by heart.
When a dog barks for nothing, a hundred others follow his example.
He who reads the Rongo (the Confucian Analects) does not know the Rongo.

BUILDINGS WRECKED.

Severe Storm At Saline.

The Observer describes as follows a severe storm which visited Saline last Thursday:

Today's storm was the most severe of its kind that ever visited our village. With out warning it dashed down upon us at about 12:35 with terrific fury and thus it continued for about twelve minutes. The water that accompanied it was dealt out in torrents. Trees were broken and blown down all around town, windows were broken, transoms over many of the stores were blow off and the occupants below well soaked. Outhouses sell this afternoon at a premium. Many of the handsome shade trees will be cut up into wood. West of town on the Feather's place it did considerable damage to small buildings as it played the same havoc at M. Seeger's. C. Marion had a barn unroofed. W. H. Davenport's fine residence was not missed, and had its blinds and iron cresting badly wrecked. The upper section of the steeple of the Baptist church was torn off and landed in a wreck in the pastor's garden.

DISAPPEARED.

MISS MARGARET HUTCHINSON CAN NOT BE FOUND.

Went to Kalamazoo—Was Traced to Chicago—Her Present Whereabouts a Mystery.

Miss Margaret Hutchinson, daughter of Rev. J. P. Hutchinson, disappeared last week in a manner that leaves her friends in mystery. On Wednesday she started for Kalamazoo to attend the female seminary. Her father received a letter from her Thursday morning saying she had arrived safely in Kalamazoo and was going at once to the seminary.

On Thursday evening a seminary teacher called Mr. Hutchinson up by phone and informed him that Miss Margaret had not appeared. Her father at once went to the scene and spent two days in hunting for the missing girl. She had cashed a draft at Kalamazoo and had taken her trunk from the Michigan Central baggage room.

Deputy Sheriff Canfield also went to look for the girl. He traced her to Chicago and found some evidence that she had left by the Chicago and Northwestern railroad but is not certain whether she did so or not. Nothing later has been heard from her and her whereabouts are a mystery.

What her motive was no one can tell. The family suspected nothing wrong and no substantial clues as to her reason for leaving have been found. Mrs. Hutchinson was at Bay View when her daughter disappeared and came home at once. The family and friends of the girl are greatly troubled over the sad affair and have the sympathy of the entire city.

Unity Club's Opening Concert.

The season's program of the Unity Club will be opened on Thursday evening, Sept. 30, at the Unitarian church, by the celebrated Francis Hughes concert company, of Chicago. This musical company includes some of the best artists now before the American public. Miss Francis Hughes is undoubtedly the first Lady Harpist in the country. For three seasons she has been the leading attraction of the famous Schubert Male Quartett of Chicago. She studied with the great German Harpist, Schneckler, who is now with Thomas' Orchestra, and with Hasselmanns, of Paris. She is the youngest daughter of the late David D. Hughes, of Grand Rapids, the well known Michigan jurist. Mr. Rawson Wade is an English Baritone, who, after studying in London, and making a fame throughout England as a concert and oratorio singer, came to the United States as Solo Baritone with Frederick Arher, the English Organist. Later he was Baritone and Musical Director of the Schubert Quartet. Miss Appy is the daughter of the famous Dutch Cellist, Ernest Appy, and is herself one of the finest cellists in the world.

Miss Lester and Miss Van Frank are both artists of ability. Miss Lester has studied both in Europe and with Frederick Root, of Chicago, and is especially noted as a ballad singer. Such a combination is one that no lover of music can afford to miss.

W. C. T. U.

After a short respite the ladies of the W. C. T. U. have resumed their work, and their regular meeting will be held next Thursday 3 p. m. at the rooms of the Y. W. C. A.

There are two red letters days which they will celebrate. The first being the birthday of Mrs. Mary C. Leavitt, the first round the world missionary, to be celebrated at the meeting next Thursday 3 p. m.

The second is the birthday of Miss Frances E. Willard, Pres. of World's W. C. T. U. This will be duly celebrated next Sunday evening at the M. E. church. A very interesting program is promised.

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J. R. C. May, a well known employee of L. C. Weinman, the meat man, was drowned in McHugh lake, near Whitmore, last Sunday. Mr. May and John Heinzman, his brother-in-law, were on the lake in a poor boat, having just started out to fish when the bottom gave way letting both men into the water. Both had on heavy clothing and boots but Heinzman succeeded by hard work in reaching the shore. May was not so fortunate; his boots filled with water and his heavy clothes becoming wet clung about his limbs and impeded his progress so that when he tried to swim through the thick weeds and lilly pads he became entangled and sank. His body was soon recovered but no life remained.

The deceased leaves a wife and two children who were visiting near by when the drowning occurred. He carried \$4000 insurance; \$2000 in the Macabees and a like amount in the Ancient Order of United Workmen. The funeral was held Tuesday, Rev. Neumann officiating.

GOOD TIME

Made By Phil Hall's Pigeons.

The Detroit Journal says: Phil Hall, the Ann Arbor breeder of homing pigeons, sent four of his best birds to Detroit a few days ago, for the purpose of taking the time they might make on their return trip home. With quills holding bits of tissue, upon which was noted the time of their release, the birds were freed on the commons of Erskine street yesterday morning. They rose slowly to a height of about 300 feet, and then took the straight "air line" for Ann Arbor. Word was received in town that the birds had arrived at their cote in Ann Arbor. They had covered the distance in 53 minutes.

Marriage Licenses.

NAME	AGE.
Joseph Frederick, Ann Arbor.....	28
Rosa Perkins, Martinsville.....	25
Will W. Cody, Pittsfield.....	24
Kate C. Burkhardt, Saline.....	25
C. A. Boree, Ypsilanti.....	25
Gertrude A. Chappell, Ypsilanti.....	21
J. P. Cosgrove, Augusta.....	28
Grace M. Eaton, Augusta.....	25
J. W. Wilson, Ann Arbor. (colored).....	23
Marie Kersey, Ypsilanti (colored).....	18
J. J. Sauer, Ann Arbor.....	23
M. C. Fiegel, Ann Arbor.....	22
L. B. Lee, Ann Arbor.....	34
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OBSTINACY.

A California Widow Would Have a Road Paved With Gold.

Notwithstanding the fabulous wealth of the Klondike region it cannot boast of a road paved with gold, as can California. The Bear state has plenty of extravagant citizens, but it remained for a widow and widower of Sonoma county to commit the crowning act of folly, which furnished that locality with a public thoroughfare of the New Jerusalem style. It was a case of sheer obstinacy. John Johnson, a widower of Bloomfield, wished to improve the road from his home to the village of Valleyford. For this purpose he received permission from Widow Martha Jones to take rock from a hillside on her farm. While carting the rock he noticed what seemed to be specks of gold shining in the sunlight. Seeking wealth, he sent samples to San Francisco to be assayed and learned that the stone he was building his road with was gold-bearing quartz worth from \$8 to \$10 a ton. Then he sought the widow and, pointing out the fortune which seemed to be hidden in the hill, proposed to share the cost and profit of development. But the widow was coy financially as well as sentimentally. She did not believe in Johnson or his gold-mine yarn, and in the language of the Bower "iron 'em down hard." Her permission had been given to put the rock on the road, and that was all she cared to have done with it. Johnson was furious, but he saw his opportunity. The widow had given him the rock for the road—on the road it should go even if it were worth \$100 a ton. So all summer long Johnson's wagons worked until four miles of road were built, but the widow didn't weaken.

Causes of Gray Hairs.

Gray hairs are honorable, no doubt, but their advent is not usually hailed with any exuberant joy by men, and certainly not by women, and it is curious to note in going through life at what varying ages people commence to show the passage of years by the change in the color of the hair. And yet the whitening of the hair does not always portend the approach of age, for the hair of some individuals laboring under certain passions has been known to become gray in a single night. Many reasons have been suggested for gray hairs; some assert that the cause is a contraction of the skin about the roots of it, and from this cause suppose that Polar animals become white, the cold operating as the contracting power; but this theory is untenable, or we might all turn gray if we happened to be exposed to particularly hard frosts. As a matter of fact, there are fewer gray people in Russia than in sunny Italy or Arabia. The more likely reason is that the vital power is lessened in the extreme ramifications of those almost imperceptible vessels destined to supply the hair with coloring fluid. The vessels which secrete the fluid cease to act, or else the absorbent vessels take it away faster than it is furnished. This certainly appears to be feasible, for grief, debility, fright, fever and age all have the effect of lessening the power of the extreme vessels. Against this theory it may be urged that if the body be again invigorated, the vessels ought, according to our reasoning, to again secrete the coloring fluid, but to this it may be replied that the vessels which secrete this fluid are so very minute that upon their ceasing their functions they become obliterated and nothing can ever restore them.

Stopping and Starting Electric Cars.

It takes just as much electrical power to start a car as it would animal power, and it requires less current to keep the car moving than to start it, so that a great number of starts and stops means a large consumption of energy. In the American Electrician there appears an article in which the actual figures for these two cases are given. It is shown that the cost of one stop on each trip of a car during a year on a fifteen-car line may amount to \$70, or to \$467 for a 100-car road; so that if these figures are multiplied by two stops at each crossing on a road operating long lines the large cost is evident. Careful handling of the controller will save over \$1,000 a year on a 15-car road and \$7,000 per year on a 100-car road. The difference between a careful motorman who has been well instructed and a careless one may amount to from 3 to 8 per cent of the total energy consumed. It is perfectly safe, according to this authority, to say that 10 per cent of the energy can be saved by more careful handling of the controller, while on most roads at least 15 per cent could be saved without doubt. The maxim of every motorman should be: "Use the brake as little as possible and drift as much as possible." The employment of skilled motormen capable of understanding the mechanism they handle would result in a saving to the trolley companies, even though a higher salary were paid the men, and at the same time add much comfort to the passengers.

All Sorts of Riches.

Was there ever such a season as this for picking up riches by land and water? Now it is a discovery of pearls by the bushel, that is distracting newspaper men. This tale from Arkansas beats the Dutch. Arkansas is the last place in the world where one would expect to tumble over real pearls as thick as pebbles on the beach; but wonders will never cease. If the Klondike gold fields are so difficult of access, then why not travel to western Arkansas and go to pearl hunting? The extent of these pearl deposits in the lake and bayous reads like a fairy story. Nuggets of gold sound delicious, but how about "ropes of pearls?" —Boston Herald.

STRUCK THE PRESIDENT.

Attempt to Kill the President of Mexico —His Assault Cut to Pieces.

As is his annual custom on Independence day President Diaz was marching in the procession at the City of Mexico when a large, muscular man broke through the crowd and rushing upon the president struck him a heavy blow. It was broken by his being crowded by the president's staff, but Diaz was staggered. The assailant was immediately knocked down by Gen. Pradillo, a member of the president's staff, and the police carried him away. The people who witnessed the assault frantically tried to get at the prisoner, but he was soon locked up. No weapon was found on him and if he had one he dropped it in the crowd. He was identified as Ignacio Anulfo, a drunken, quarrelsome fellow.

Later.—About 1 o'clock the next morning a body of common people forced their way into the jail where Anulfo was confined, and overpowering the guard, pounced upon the would-be assassin and literally hacked him to pieces and made their escape before a force of police could arrive. Several arrests have been made, however.

British Defeated With Heavy Loss.

Simla, India: The Second brigade of the Mohmand punitive force, commanded by Gen. Jeffreys, reached the foot of the Rawat pass, and during the night the British troops were attacked by the enemy, who kept up a heavy fire for six hours. Lieuts. Tomkins and Bailey were killed; Lieut. Harrington was dangerously wounded, two privates were killed and five wounded, and 25 horses and mules were killed.

The next day the brigade moved out to attack the Mohmands and punish them. They were found entrenched on the hills and were gallantly attacked. Heavy fighting followed and the British forces were finally compelled to retire to Camp Anayat with a loss of 140 killed and wounded, including Lieuts. Huges and Crawford among the dead.

British Drive Mohmands Back.

The day following the defeat of the British near Camp Anayat by the tribesmen Gen. Jeffreys' brigade again moved to attack them in their entrenchments and after a desperate resistance drove them back into the hills. The British demolished their towers and captured 400 mule-loads of supplies. As soon as the troops began to retire from the village the enemy reappeared in force. The retirement, however, was effected with great precision, the native troops behaving splendidly. It was learned that during the previous fight the Mohmands' loss was very heavy.

The lower Mohmands, south of Peshawar, have submitted and have agreed to pay a heavy fine and to surrender their arms.

Alger's Scheme to Relieve Klondykers.

Secretary of War Alger has a scheme by which he expects to send relief to the American miners in the Klondyke region who are said to have only enough supplies to carry them half through the long Alaskan winter. The idea is to employ locomotive sleds, which are used on the frozen rivers in the logging regions of northern Michigan and Wisconsin, and with these convey the large quantities of stores now stalled at St. Michaels by the freezing of the Yukon river. Messrs. P. B. Weare and Michael Cudahy, representatives of the North American Trading & Transportation Co., were in consultation with Secretary Alger and they declared their belief that the scheme was feasible.

Trains Collide—Five Men Killed.

A disastrous wreck occurred on the Wisconsin Central railroad, six miles west of Chippewa Falls, Wis., resulting in the death of five people and the injury of several others. Two freight trains, through a misunderstanding of orders, while going 40 miles an hour, met on a curve, and not even giving the engineers and firemen time to jump, came together with terrible force. The dead are: Fireman Warren and the Smith, Fireman Smiley, Brake-man Miller and an unknown man who was riding between the cars.

Three Children Burned to Death.

The home of Presen Heward, at Port Alma, Ont., was discovered to be on fire at 3 a. m. Heward raised an alarm and he and his wife and three sons escaped through a window, but the spread of the flames was so rapid that three girls, aged 16, 10 and 6 respectively were burned to death. The oldest girl reached safety once, but rushed back to rescue her sisters and sacrificed her own life. Two of the boys and the mother were badly burned.

Four Killed, 10 Injured, in a Collision.

A collision on the Wabash railroad between a passenger and a freight train at Keytesville, Mo., resulted in the death of four men and injury of 10 other persons. The freight was a minute late at Keytesville and was just entering the switch when the passenger train crashed into it.

The cage in which 10 men were being lowered into shaft No. 2 of the Alden Coal Co., at Nanticoke, Pa., suddenly dropped to the bottom of the shaft—850 feet. Eight of the men were severely injured and four will die.

The monthly report of the government statistician shows that Europe's crops will be 113,000,000 bushels below the average for six years past. To make up the deficiency little help is to be expected from India, Argentina or Australia for months to come and in so far as Europe will have to import a larger quantity than usual she will have to draw mainly from North America and especially from the United States, the Canadian contributions being relatively small.

It is feared that the harvest in Argentina will be almost entirely destroyed by locusts.

A Medical Student.

Each student of medicine, before graduating to become a doctor, has to undergo a catechism, to see if he is competent to practice medicine. Here is a sample of what he must answer:

Question: What is the cause of general weakness and tired-out feeling? Answer: Poor digestion. Ques.: What is the cause of poor digestion? Ans.: Catarrh of the lining membrane of the digestive organs. Ques.: What are the names of the digestive organs? Ans.: Stomach, liver and bowels. Ques.: How then, can the weakness and tired-out feeling be cured? Ans.: By curing the catarrh of the digestive organs. Ques.: What remedy would you use for this? Ans.: Pe-ru-na is the only internal remedy for chronic catarrh. Pe-ru-na cures catarrh wherever located. Ques.: What is language has been introduced by a Parisian teacher. Two thousand pupils of French schools have entered into a regular correspondence with the same number of English pupils, each side writing a weekly letter in the language of the other, but submitting it to the teacher before it is mailed. As a rule boys and girls are paired for the lessons.

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Too Smooth.

"Why have you quit riding the bicycle with Miss Smoothly, Dick?" "She knows the town too well. She would pilot me to an ice cream parlor in the quietest residence district I could find." —Detroit Free Press.

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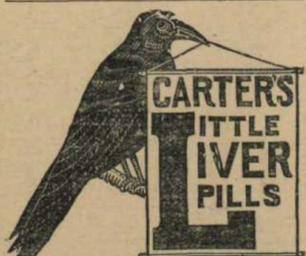
SURPRISE FOR THE OLD MAN.

The Punching Bag Elasticity Was Wholly Unexpected.

One of those big, hardy men who got into the pine woods early, endured the hardships of a pioneer, finally made a fortune and then came to Detroit as one of the favored spots on earth in which to live, has a young son who aspires to athletic honors and has a big room in the barn equipped as a gymnasium, says the Detroit Free Press. The old gentleman was a powerful man in his day and had to deal with refractory woodsmen who yielded to nothing but muscular suasion. It is difficult for a person like him to realize that age draws on strength and activity.

One afternoon last week the father went by special invitation to see the gymnasium. The first thing to attract his attention was a punching bag, one of those arrangements that come back when you hit it, and comes back harder the harder you hit it. When its uses were explained to the old giant of the woods, he promptly announced that he'd either "bust the thing or knock it through the ceiling."

Drawing back as if to tell an old, the father let go, and there was a thud as though a trolley car had collided with an elephant. Before the air had ceased to quiver there was a quick, but subdued biff. The bag had come back, driving the puncher's cigar half way down his throat, filling his whiskers with hot ashes and starting the blood from his prominent nose. With such a whoop as used to waken the echoes of the north woods the old gentleman went at the bag. And the bag stayed right with him. It was literally give and take, the maddened puncher tearing around as if he were fighting bees and throwing a ton into every punch. The coachman and the stable boy had to be called up to help part the old man and the punching bag. Then the son had to hide the shotgun, for the puffing, used-up father vowed all kinds of vows that he would get even with that "automatic slugger."



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HISTORIC BOARD.

Surrounding the court house in a county seat with a hundred miles of Springfield, Illinois, stood for many years a plain board fence. Before it finally disappeared it had been for "park" improvements it had been rebuilt at least twice. At each rebuilding, however, particular care was taken to leave a certain "top board" in exactly the position it had occupied before, not even a new nail-hole being made in it.

A stranger, noticing one day this peculiarity in the fence, asked an old citizen who was leaning against a locust-tree and whittling a stick if there was any explanation.

"Did the county run out of money," he inquired, "when it had got this fence all finished except one board?"

"No, sir," replied the old citizen, putting his jack-knife in his pocket, walking to the fence, and laying his hand on it in a most impressive manner. "This top board is with more'n all the rest of the fence put together, old and rotted as it is."

"Old Abe Lincoln made a speech in this court house yard in 1856, and when he was through talkin' he saw an old farmer in the crowd that he used to know when he was a boy, an' he came down from the stand an' took that old feller out to the fence an' talked over old times with him fur ten minutes or more, without payin' no attention to the big-bugs that was waitin' to take him off to dinner. And while he talked to him, sir, he rested his right foot on this yere top board. I seen him do it, an' so did five hundred other men—an' that board haint never been disturbed sence, an' haint never goin' to be!"

Saying which, the old man walked back to his position against the locust-tree, took his knife from his pocket again and resumed his whittling.

Do not wait for an Airship to take you South, but try the low rate excursions which the Mobile & Ohio R. R. the Great Southern Short Line will run on June 1st, and 15th, July 6th and 20th, August 3rd and 17th, September 7th and 21st, October 5th and 19th, November 2nd and 16th, December 7th and 21st, 1897, to all points in Tennessee, Mississippi and Alabama. Rate one fare plus \$2.00. Ample limits and stop overs allowed in either direction south of the Ohio river.

A "Home-Seeker's Guide" and all information regarding land furnished free on application to the Alabama Land and Development Company, Mobile, Ala.

For any information desired as to rates, tickets, time, etc., apply to M. H. Bohrer, D. P. A., 135 Griswold Street, Detroit, Mich.

E. E. Posey, General.

Cuba's Great Forests.

According to a recent consular report, Cuba, although its entire area is only about equal to that of the state of Pennsylvania, contains 13,000,000 acres of primeval forests, "where the woodman's ax has never been heard." In these forests, which cover nearly half the entire surface of the island, are found among other timber, mahogany, cedar, redwood, logwood, ebony, lignum-vitae, and a tree with extremely durable wood called caiguaran.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she clung to Castoria.
When she became Miss, she cried for Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

CURIOUS LANDS IN FLORIDA.

A Subterranean Passage Which is Enveloped in Mystery.

Payne's prairie, three miles south of this city, says the Gainesville Sun, covers an area of 50,000 acres. A large proportion of the prairie is now covered with water, but there are thousands of acres around the borders of the lake which has been formed on the lake by a succession of sinks. There is no way of estimating the number of cattle, but there are many thousands, and they are in fine condition. The prairie, or savanna, which it really is, occasionally goes dry, the water passing out through a subterranean passage called the sink. Where the water goes to has never been determined. When the sink is open the lake goes dry, and when the outlet becomes gorged or choked a lake from five to seven miles wide and about eighteen miles long is formed. When the waters of the lake suddenly leave it thousands of alligators, snakes, fish and turtles are left without food but mud for their pieces of the sables. The fish and turtles perish, but the saurians and reptiles seek and find other quarters. For miles along the northern border of the lake there is a succession of sinks, averaging in depth all the way from twenty-five to 100 feet. Subterranean passages run in every direction, leaving the ground in the shape of a honeycomb. The ground is liable to give way at any time, creating a new sink. The scenery around the lake, especially on the north side, is unique and grand, and is an attractive feature to strangers who visit this city. The sink has for many years been a popular resort for citizens of Gainesville, who go there to fish, boat ride and in other ways enjoy themselves. It is said that this vast area of land could be drained at trifling expense and were it drained it would be the largest as well as the richest tract of productive land in Florida. It is for the most part a bed of muck. The land is owned by various individuals.

AN OPEN LETTER To MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA," AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," AS OUR TRADE MARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the Mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought and has the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.

March 8, 1897. *Samuel Pitcher, M. D.*

Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

"The Kind You Have Always Bought" BEARS THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

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For the Students' Room.

We offer solid oak book shelves of our own design and make, well finished Three shelf size at \$1.50. Four shelf at \$1.85, and five shelf at \$2.50. Good study tables, one drawer, at \$2.50. Solid oak study tables, two drawers at \$4.50. Three piece chamber suite with German plate mirror, good trimmings and finished antique at \$13.50. Corduroy couches, spring head and edge, tufted top, fringe all around a only \$8.00.

We do repair work so that it pleases. The price is reasonable and the work is done right.

We want to make an estimate on your work.

MACK & COMPANY, FURNITURE,

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Some people have thought in Ages gone by, A Gasoline Stove, an unusual thing to buy; Such Stoves, as these are past all endurance For there is a safe Stove, and it is called the Insurance.

This very secure Stove, a stock of Painters supplies and a General line of Hardware at Lowest Prices.

Low rent, and Personal Attention do the Work.

CHRISTIAN SCHLENKER, to West Liberty Street.

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The only genuine "Baker's Chocolate," celebrated for more than a century as a delicious, nutritious, and flesh-forming beverage, is put up in Blue Wrappers and Yellow Labels. Be sure that the Yellow Label and our Trade-Mark are on every package.

WALTER BAKER & CO. Ltd., Dorchester, Mass.

WHEAT IS WORTH SOWING WELL THIS FALL.

Why not discard the old worn out drill and buy a new one? We have several of the best made at low prices and can make terms to suit the purchaser. Points and rubber tubes for all drills. Timothy seed at lowest market price.

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LATEST COUNTY NEWS.

To insure insertion our Correspondents should mail their items not later than Tuesday a. m. of each week. If sent later they are likely to be crowded out.

DIXBORO.

Some farmers have commenced sowing wheat. Misses Carrie Taylor and Allura Rudd and Mr. Ira Leland will attend school at Ann Arbor this year. The remains of Frank Kapp were interred here last week Thursday. Fred Pfeible received the prize at the peanut social for finding the largest number of hidden peanuts. Nettie Treadwell is teaching in Elkhart, Ind.

DELHI MILLS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bauskili, last Friday, a son. Mrs. Snyder has returned home from her three weeks' visit with friends in Lima. Mrs. Estabrook is entertaining her cousin, Mrs. DuFoy, from Bowling Green. Miss Ella Estabrook, of Albion called at the home of her uncle, N. F. Estabrook, last Monday. Mrs. McConnell has returned home after an absence of several weeks. Farmers have commenced cutting corn. A fair crop is expected.

DEXTER.

Mr. Geo. L. Boyden died at his home in Webster Sunday afternoon. T. S. Alley is now living in the Clark house on C. street. Fred Krause, of Webster, fell from a porch last Sunday breaking his arm two inches above the wrist. Joe Alger has rented his meatmarket to Geo. Smith who took possession Thursday morning. Mrs. J. J. Staley has returned home from a two months visit in Boston. Mrs. T. Murdock and daughter returned last Friday to Indiana. Miss Dotha Lee will attend the school at the St. Mary's convent at Monroe this year. Mrs. Yorker and daughter, Anna Love, returned from their visit in New York. Mr. R. Buchanan has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism during the past week.

NORTHVILLE.

Mr. N. S. Mitchell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Nisbett, at Whitmore Lake, Sunday. Miss Lucretia Digby is visiting in Salem. Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanAnta are rejoicing at the arrival of a new girl in their home. Miss Minnie Perkins, of Salem, is visiting her cousin, Miss Dora Owenshire. Mrs. Orson Leland, who has been very sick for a few weeks, is slowly recovering.

BRIDGEWATER.

Mrs. Phil Blum Jr. and Miss Clara Hildinger returned Wednesday after making a 10-day visit at Detroit. Miss Meta Schlegel visited the Adrian fair this week. District No. 1 has engaged Arthur Youm, of Manchester, to teach the winter term. Geo. Nissley received his lumber for a new house, Tuesday. The furious storm we had last week Thursday uncovered several clover stacks. The rain made it necessary to scatter the clover over the field to dry before restacking and threshing. Most every body is sowing wheat and cutting corn. Mr. Geo. Stierle in Freedom had the misfortune of loosing by fire last Saturday a barn, two wheat stacks, some threshed wheat and some clover seed. The other barns narrowly escaped being burned. Also Schneider & Hood's clover huller was destroyed.

MANCHESTER.

Chas. Leeson has gone to Lansing to attend the M. A. C. Miss Etta Carpenter has returned to her home in Holloway. Mrs. Fred Hall spent last week Sunday in Ypsilanti. Miss Orta Hall has returned to Ann Arbor where she will resume studies at the U. of M. Miss Bertha Lehu has gone to Detroit to spend several weeks. Mrs. James Martin has gone to Canada to make a two weeks' visit. Miss Myra Spafford left for New York City last week Tuesday and from there will go to Long Island where she will teach in an art school. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spafford, and her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Jones, who will attend the Spafford family reunion held in New York City. Among those who attended the marriage of Mr. Wm Mobbs, of Tecumseh, to Miss Mae Aylesworth, of Franklin, a former Manchester girl, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall, Dr. George Service, Messrs. Joseph Lamb, Herbert Witherall and Misses Margaret Blosser, Ida Silkworth, Julia Kirchhofer, Allie LaZelle and Maude Goodell. Last week Friday evening a jolly party of fourteen cyclists rode to the pleasant home of L. Herman, four miles southwest of town. It is need-

less to say that a most enjoyable time was had by all; even the watermelons and the bicycles rejoiced—but whether or not the neighboring farmers did is not recorded.

The proprietors of the Manchester cheese factory are now Hagaman & Calhoun instead of Graham & Hagaman.

Frank Conklyn went to Chicago, Saturday.

Wm. Waterhouse, of Clinton, was in town Saturday.

Addis Berger, of Grass Lake, was in town on business last week.

Miss Belle Gardanier has returned from a nine weeks visit in Toledo.

Miss Tessie Carroll, of Clinton, was a guest of Miss Blanche Stark over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hagaman spent Thursday in Toledo.

Mrs. Trefethen is entertaining a young lady friend from Cleveland.

Miss Margaret Blosser, while riding with a party of cyclists Sunday evening collided with Roland Lehr, at the corner west of the Central School Building. Miss Blosser was quite badly injured and her wheel nearly demolished.

The University Extension Circle has reorganized after the summer vacation and last Saturday the members had a picnic in Schmid's grove. Notwithstanding the cool breezes a very pleasant time was had by all.

WEBSTER.

The Missionary Concert held at the Congregational church Sunday evening Sept. 12, was well attended. Miss Ida Kenny took charge of the meeting which was ably planned and carried out. To Miss Vida Pierce the church is indebted the training of children who participated in class exercises, recitations and songs. Some excellent solos were rendered, and excellent talks given. The meeting closed with a generous contribution for the "Morning Star."

Next Sunday evening there will be the Convention echo of C. E. work. The California convention will be reported. Helpful talks will also be given. Every one is requested to come if possible.

There will be a pie social for the benefit of the Methodist church Friday evening at Frank Wheeler's.

Rev. Hicks, of the M. E. church, has closed his year's labors. It is the hope of all that the conference will place him again in our midst.

Miss Jennie McColl has gone to Toledo for a two weeks' stay.

Miss Lottie Latson attends the Ann Arbor High School and Miss May Ball the Dexter high school.

Mr. John Breninger while sliding off a partly built straw stack, fell upon an upturned fork. A tine pierced the calf of his leg and broke off. He is now in Ann Arbor under Dr. George's care.

Ossian Kenny's house is nearly completed.

Mr. Edgar Cranson has completed the foundation for a barn.

Nearly all have finished sowing wheat.

The township board of School Inspectors met Monday at the township clerk's. Saturday is the last date on which the clerk will receive woodchuck scalps.

LODI.

Miss Emma Gannet, of Ann Arbor, will spend the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Marken in Lodi; thence she will go to Detroit for a visit with relatives and finally to Wingham, Ontario, where she will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Seyfried, of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Christian Bohnett.

Rosco T. Brokaw, of Northfield, spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burnett, taking the teacher's examination at Saline on Friday. He will teach in his home district in Northfield this winter.

Miss Ida Courville and Miss Minnie Reginary, of Detroit, visited the past week with Phillip Blum and family.

Mrs. John Schmitt and Mrs. Leitz were in Ann Arbor on business last Wednesday.

SALINE.

Miss Mary Yeckley visited Miss Myrtle Bordine for a few days this week.

The regular teachers' examination was held in this place last Friday, conducted by county commissioner Lister.

The barns belonging to Matthew Seeger west of town, were badly damaged by the cyclone last Thursday.

Miss Payne, of Manchester, visited N. Bordine and family the first of the week.

Ralph Mason, of Ann Arbor, was in town Saturday.

Herbert Sanford visited his parents a few days last week.

Quite a number from this place took in the ice cream social at Will Shows' last Friday night.

Miss Anna Underbucher, of Manchester, visited Dr. and Mrs. Underkircber, in this place last Saturday.

Miss Saley, of Manchester, visited James Gregory and family Saturday.

Ralph Mason has secured a school in Augusta township, where he will teach the coming year.

D. A. Bennett attended the Hudson street fair last week.

S. T. Fairbank was in Toledo Sunday.

A. M. Humphrey was in Ypsilanti, Monday.

E. A. Hauser and Oscar Lampkin are in Chicago.

Mrs. Warner spent Sunday at Pinekey, the guest of H. W. Crofoot and family.

Several persons from Milan attended the meeting of the Salvation Army in this place Sunday evening.

Miss Mattie Schaffee was in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

MILAN.

Miss Ceoil Gauntlett came home from her school in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Whitmarsh is entertaining guests from South Dakota.

Dr. and Mrs. Meric drove to Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mr. Prat McKay, of Detroit, visited Milan friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Reeves entertained guests from Axalia Monday.

Miss Ayers entertained guests from Adrian over Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Woolcut, of Ypsilanti, is visiting Milan friends this week.

Mrs. Parks is seriously ill.

Whooping cough has struck Milan.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gregory gave Milan a call Saturday.

Miss Mai Alderman is attending the Normal at Ypsilanti this winter.

Miss Anna Jacobs has returned from her Ypsilanti visit.

Married September 15th at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Springer, of East Main-st. Miss Ella Springer and Mr. A. Hooker both of Milan, Rev. R. N. Bauch officiating.

Mrs. Mary Wallace left Saturday for the Sanatorium at Battle Creek, Mich., where she will take treatment for a few weeks.

Mrs. Lawrence visited Toledo, Saturday.

Mrs. Rowlen of Durand, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Steener, of Wabash-st.

It is rumored that a new meat market will be opened in the near future.

Mr. E. A. Reynolds, of Detroit, visited Milan friends the last of the week.

The Salvation Army will give Milan a call Friday.

Mrs. Etta Pyle has returned from her New York trip.

STONY CREEK.

A heavy wind storm struck this place Thursday about 1 p. m. The rain came down in torrents while the wind uprooted trees, unroofed buildings, layed chimneys, sheds and cornfields flat. One man saw a quantity of his seed hay going away in the air. Others are looking for their bean crops, straw stacks and numerous other articles.

Mr. T. E. Taladay and wife have returned from their visit to Buffalo and other points in N. Y.

Mr. Spencer Davis and wife spent last week with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Blair, of Ypsilanti, was calling on old friends at this place one day last week.

Mrs. Loflin is entertaining her daughter from Chatham, Canada.

SPECIAL MARKET LETTER

The following market letter is furnished us by McLAIN BROS. & Co., Commission Merchants, Bialto Building, Chicago:

The bank clearings of the country during the past week show a decided improvement when compared with the previous week, notwithstanding the decrease at the south in consequence of yellow fever apprehensions, and are the largest for a like period since the second week in August. The continued movement of grain in large volume affords encouragement for holders of railway shares, and is the chief element of strength in the stock market.

The outward movement of agricultural products keeps foreign exchange near the gold importing point, and an influx would soon begin were it not for the flow of securities from England, which settles trade balances of that country without the necessity of its parting with the precious metal. The large purchases of wheat by France promise a gold movement from that country to ours at no distant day.

The wheat situation remains much the same save in its speculative features, the recent decline having considerably increased the short interest, leaving it in position to be rapidly advanced whenever anything of a strengthening nature is injected into the daily news.

The supply and demand relations are now so nearly determined, and their results are so favorable to the exporting countries, that even though the market be unduly depressed by the pressure of increasing spring wheat receipts and the offerings of aggressive short sellers, an assured export demand will doubtless assert itself and cause a recovery from all such depressions.

The northern hemisphere crops are now practically secured, and their output and condition fairly well determined, and there are no substantial reasons for raising the earlier estimates of their promise; in fact in some of the larger European countries it has been necessary to lower the estimates; in France and Italy especially are the results disappointing, the official returns showing a shortage of about eighty-five millions of bushels in the former and fifty-six millions in the latter. The latest estimates of the London Review indicate that European importing countries will require in exporting countries during the crop year 490,000,000 bu of wheat, a quantity large enough to absorb all the prospective supplies, and to raise doubts as to the possibility of securing so great an amount.

With an export demand such as these figures suggest, and the probability of a decrease in Russian shipments, which late advices from that country indicate, the outlook for American farmers is promising indeed.

The future of the market largely depends on the Russian movement; if it decreases materially there will be but little to prevent a substantial recovery in prices from every break, and possibly an upward movement that will surprise the trade. The southern hemisphere crops are several months from maturity, and can afford no relief for an over-sold market; their excellent promise will encourage short selling and prove an element of strength by creating an excessive short interest to be provided for.

Our exports are now very large, and how no indications of abatement; such a free outward movement will absorb wheat enough to prevent the first rush of northwestern wheat from becoming undemanding, and will prevent excessive accumulation before it is over. Winter wheat farmers seem disposed to await developments before parting with their reserves, and without liberal receipts from that source the spring wheat movement will not alarm the trade.

Crop returns from the northwest necessitate a lowering of previous estimates, and advices from the Pacific Coast state that considerable damage has been sustained in Oregon and Washington by unwelcome rains. Farmers in winter wheat sections are preparing to sow a large area to wheat, the breaking of the drought having left the ground in a more favorable state for plowing.

The recent break in corn has eliminated from the market a large volume of speculative holdings, and has increased the short interest; the steady advance preceding the break not only created a large scattered long interest, but also increased the movement from first hands and decreased the export and eastern consumptive demand, hereby adding rapidly to the in-store stocks; the decline will not only change the long and short interests, but will also serve to check interior marketings and again enlarge the demand. However right the theories of a short crop may be, they are impotent to create an immediate consumptive demand for present oversupply, and operators of an advance must await with patience the time when the shortage will be manifest in the supply.

Corn when compared with wheat is low, and if anything occurs to materially advance the latter it will doubtless cause a speculative demand for the former which will provide for any temporary excess in receipts. Country dealers are accepting fewer bids, foreshadowing decreased receipts as soon as the grain in transit arrives at its destination. The premiums existing for deferred futures will naturally tend to restrict the country movement by offering unusual inducements for carrying the grain in cribs or in elevators.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada shows the following changes for the past week: Wheat increased 1,374,000 bu, corn increased 133,000 bu and oats increased 1,052,000 bu.

LIVE STOCK.

Table with columns for New York, Chicago, Detroit, Buffalo, Cincinnati, and Pittsburgh, listing prices for Cattle, Sheep, Lambs, and Hogs in various grades.

"SHE DRESSES WELL."

But Her Clothes Often Cover a Living Death.

Beauty is the Shrine of Men's Worship, and Women Vie With Each Other to Make Themselves Attractive.

The remark, "She dresses elegantly," is a very common one in this age of wealth and progress.

Women vie with each other in making themselves attractive, for men admire a stylishly dressed woman.

Good clothes add to the charms of the woman in perfect health, but are ill-fitting to those who through ignorance or carelessness have suffered the inroads of female diseases to stamp them as physical wrecks. It is unfortunate, but true, that some physicians allow women to suffer needlessly, because man can only work from theory, and at best only patch up, without removing the cause.

Proof is abundant that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound removes the cause, gives strength to the weakened organs, vigorous health to the system, and therefore beauty to the face and form.

Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., gladly answers, free of charge all letters.

Here is one of the results: "Three months ago, I wrote you a letter describing my troubles, which were inflammation of the womb and bladder. I had not seen a well day since the birth of my second child, 16 years ago. I had spent hundreds of dollars for doctors and medicines.

"Such pains as I endured. My back ached, my feet and limbs were swollen, and it was almost impossible for me to stand; I could not walk any distance. I received your answer to my letter, and followed closely all your advice, and I have been using Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound for three months. Now I can work all day without pain. I have recommended the Compound to many of my friends, and gladly recommend it to all women in any way afflicted with female troubles."

—LYDIA E. PINKHAM, 237 Spring St., Greensburg, Pa.

THE MARKETS. Sept. 23, 1897.

Table listing market prices for various commodities including Wheat, Oats, Corn, Beans, Hay, Clover seed, Timothy Seed, Pork, Beef, Chickens, Eggs, Butter, Potatoes, Wool, Hides, and Tallow.

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At The Theatre.

It is a curious fact, but, after all, it is true that the real support of Shakespeare comes not from the great metropolitan centers, but from the smaller cities and towns.



Interested more in plays than in players. The classic drama, therefore, finds the sturdiest retainers and its most intelligent audiences in just such home cities as this.

CHILDREN'S CRUSADE.

A Practical Joke on Fred. Huttoon. The United States express office was a scene of confusion last Saturday afternoon when a crowd of school children gathered and demanded rulers or blood.

High School Notes.

The "Breeze" on sale today. The election of officers of the senior class resulted as follows: Pres., Willis Galston; Vice Pres., Miss Elizabeth Brown; Sec., Miss Lucile Stone; Treas., Mr. Shurtz.

Pure Blood Hood's Sarsaparilla. Blood means sound health. With pure, rich, healthy blood, the stomach and digestive organs will be vigorous, and there will be no dyspepsia.

Forty-Seventh Anniversary

Celebrated by the Rebekas. Lois Rebecca Degree Lodge No. 115 celebrated its forty-seventh anniversary in Odd Fellows' hall last Monday evening.

NEW PROFESSORS

In The Homeopathic Department. An executive session last week the regents made the following appointments in the homeopathic department: Dr. C. B. Kindon, of Rock Island, Ill., professor of obstetrics and gynaecology in place of Dr. Parmelee, who resigned;

Y. W. C. A.

The meeting next Sunday will be led by Mrs. Glen V. Mills. Miss Rose French will add a violin solo to the musical part of the service. During the summer the attendance has been small, but the members are increasing and it is hoped that all the members of the Association who are in the city will be present next Sunday.

FIELD DAY.

Chelsea's Annual Day of Sports will be held on Saturday, September 25th, commencing at 1 o'clock sharp. The following is the program: HORSE RACES. Three-minute trot or pace, best 3 in 5, half-mile heats. Purse, \$16; 1st \$8, 2d \$5, 3d \$3.

8100 Reward \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity.

WE HAVEN'T TIME TO WRITE ADS. WE HAVE SOLD 5 LUDWIG PIANOS SINCE SEPT. 14. We can't help it. People will have them. Ann Arbor Music Co. 207 E. Washington.

Personals.

Karl Harriman was in town Sunday. Patrolman David Collins is taking his vacation. Glen V. Mills was in Flint Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Kyer have returned from Denmark.

Low Rates To Florida, September 15th and October 15th, 1897.

On above named dates, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets from Louisville to Lake Helen, Fla., at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good returning sixty (60) days from date of sale.

Real Estate Transfers.

Table listing real estate transfers with names and amounts. J. Backus and wife to Lewis Burnett, Webster, \$1100 00. Polley Ball to Edwin Ball, Webster, 650 00. E. B. Cook to Jos. Clay, Ann Arbor city, 200 00.

OBITUARY.

Joseph Gates died at his home in Ypsilanti, Sept. 14 after an illness of six months with cancer of the stomach. He was 71 years old and leaves a wife. The funeral was held on Wednesday, Dr. Aldrich officiating.

Notice to Property Owners in Lateral Sewer District No. 7.

Notice is hereby given that the city assessor has duly certified to the Common Council of this city the assessment roll of all the owners and occupants of the land contained within the Special Assessment District No. 7, and of all the lands situated therein well and sufficiently described, together with his estimate and determination of the value of each parcel thereof, as required by the ordinance of the City of Ann Arbor.

LAKE TRIPS

Persons contemplating an outing on the lakes or a lake trip on the Anchor Line of Steamers, the Great Northern Steamship Company's boats or the Detroit & Cleveland Steam Navigation Company's line may secure full information in regard to rates and date of sailing of all boats, at the Michigan Central depot. Those desiring berths may have same engaged by telegraph without extra charge.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 17th day of September, A. D. 1897, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of John M. Wagner, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 17th day of March next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 17th day of December and on the 17th day of March, 1898 next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each said days.

Interchangeable Mileage Ticket.

A new form of Thousand-Mile Ticket, the result of careful consideration and discussion between the railroads and their principal patrons, will be placed on sale September 1st, at all important Michigan Central offices. The ticket is sold for \$30.00, with a rebate to the purchaser of \$10.00, when used up in compliance with its conditions, and is accepted on all the lines in the Central Passenger association, forty-five in number and covering a vast extent of country.

Wanted.

If you want a young man to wait table, wash dishes, or do any kind of work in payment for board, call at the School of Shorthand, Sager Blk., S. State-st., and your wants will be supplied.

A Desperate Woman. Experts in insanity tell us that when anyone goes insane, frequently their whole nature is reversed. They do and say exactly the opposite things to what they would do in their sane minds.

LEGAL NOTICES.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Church of Christ will give a fruit social at the home of George Weeks, 98 Broadway, tomorrow evening.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At 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 1st day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

Probate Notes.

Sept. 21—Petition for administrator in estate of J. M. Nichols. Final account in estate of J. G. Laubengayer. Sept. 25—Final account in estate of Mary E. Preston. Final account in estate of Adaline A. Preston. Sept. 27—Last day of claims in estate of T. Segler.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 7th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

Sale of Sewer Bonds.

LATERAL SEWER DISTRICT NO. 6. Sealed bids for twelve thousand five hundred eighty-five and 25-100 dollars of bonds of said district, will be received by Glen V. Mills, City Clerk of this city, on or before Monday, October 18, A. D. 1897, at 5 p. m. local time.

Forgotten How to Play.

Gentle mother, whose life is full of work and care, have you forgotten how to play? If so, let your own children teach you over again. Join in their frolics, share their sports, learn to play their games. It may seem loss of time to you, but it means infinite gain to the children for the mother to be also the playfellow.

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A Suitable Reward.

"You have done well," said the sultan, "and I have been thinking how I can best reward your services." Tewfik Pasha made a profound salaam. "I can stand a little more prosperity," he replied cheerfully.

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In Spite of the 15 per cent. advance in this line of goods, we still stick to the lowest prices

- 100 piece decorated dinner set...\$6.50
- 100 piece fine porcelain dinner set... 7.00
- 50 piece fine porcelain tea set... 3.50
- Chamber sets for \$1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.65
- Tea plates... .50c per doz.
- Tea plates... .60c "
- Dinner plates... .70c "

LAMPS

A large and fine assortment, from the ordinary room lamp at 15c to the artistic parlor lamp at \$4.50 that usually sells at \$7.00.

Students' lamps at...\$1.50, 2.00 and 2.75

We have the most beautiful lamp shades in the city at only 75c, worth \$1.25.

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STATIONERY

No Wonder We Have a Large Trade in Stationery, When We Give the Best Bargains in the City in this Line.

- A 10c tablet for... 5c
- A 10c package of envelopes for... 5c
- 20c box paper for... 10c
- Fine 6-pound note paper for 15c per pound.
- Pencil boxes, inks, pencils, pens, holders, etc.

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- 60 first-class clothes pins only... 5c
- Rolling pins for... 5c and 10c
- Towel rollers... 10c
- Curtain poles each only... 10c
- 3 sowed brooms only... 10c
- 10c whisk broom for... 5c
- 20c whisk broom for... 10c
- salt boxes only... 5c

Tubs, Pails, Etc.

Glass Ware

Table and Fancy Glass Ware, Water Sets, Etc., Etc.

- 1 quart water bottles only... 10c
- Water sets for... 35, 50 and 75c
- Good heavy tumblers only 25c per doz.
- Fine blown tumblers, hand-engraved, for... 50 and 60c per doz.
- Water pitchers from... 15c up

DRY GOODS

Not a large line, but everything in our line a Bargain.

- Large bath towels... 25c per pair
- Ladies' linen hdkcfs... 5c each
- We positively have the best ladies' and children's fast black, seamless hose in the city at... 10 and 15c
- The same can be said of our men's socks.

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- Our best clothes wringer, warranted, for only... \$1.60
- Warranted steel hammer... 35c
- A hammer you can't break... 15c
- Shell-brackets for 5, 10 and 15 cents per pair, etc., etc.

FINE CHINA

Fancy plates, cups and saucers, odd dishes, etc., from 5c up.

We carry a line of fine white China for decorating purposes, and sell it right.

We always have some special bargains to offer in this line. Come and take advantage of some of them.

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- Fine pearl sets for 15 and 20c.
- Best riding-bow spectacles for 50c.
- We sell a cuff-button at 25c that no dealer dare offer you for less than \$1.
- We positively guarantee our 25 and 50c rings to wear five years, regardless of how you use them.

BEAT IT, IF YOU CAN.

TIN WARE

We Can Not Give it Away, But Almost.

- A full size 14 qt. dish pan only 10c.
- A full size wash boiler only 50c.
- A 10 qt. heavy retinned pan, 10c.
- A No. 8 copper-bottom tea kettle for only 30c.
- Heavy, all copper, nickel-plated tea kettles for 75, 85 and 95c.
- Chamber pails, 25c.
- Stove pipe, 10c.
- Galvanized pails, 15c.

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HENRY CLAY'S VALEDICTORY.

All Who Heard His Pathetic Farewell to the Senate Were Moved to Tears. John F. Coyle writes of Henry Clay's farewell to the senate in the Ladies' Home Journal, regarding it as the most dramatic event ever witnessed in the United States senate. Almost from the opening words of the famous valedictory the vast assemblage of people were in tears, and the "Great Commoner" was frequently interrupted by the sobs of his auditors. "The scene was indeed impressive as Mr. Clay pronounced the concluding words of his farewell to public life," says Mr. Coyle. "He stood for a moment after in reverential attitude, while all about him strong men, swayed by the magnetic power of the great orator, wept in silence. The hushed suspense of intense feeling and attention pervaded the crowded assemblage as the famous statesman, with lowering eyes, resumed his seat. For several moments the silence was unbroken; senators sat as if in the shadow of some impending calamity; men of all parties seemed equally overcome by the pathos and majesty of the great statesman's farewell. As Mr. Clay rose to leave the chamber after adjournment, which directly followed his address, and after he had said farewell to all the other senators, he encountered Mr. Calhoun. The eyes of the whole assemblage were fixed on these two old friends and old political antagonists. There was a pause in the demonstration which awaited Mr. Clay—the moment of suspended anticipation was almost painful. For five years they had been estranged, and the only words which had passed between them had been those harshly spoken in debate. But now, as they met, the old time came over them. They remembered only the political companionship of twenty years' standing. The intervening differences which had chilled their hearts toward each

other were forgotten. The tears sprang to their eyes. They shook each other cordially by the hand, interchanged a 'God bless you,' and parted. The released suspense which awaited this tearful scene found vent in shouts and cheers, which were taken up by the crowds outside the senate chamber, expecting Mr. Clay's appearance. He was surrounded by the waiting thousands on his way to his carriage, and throngs followed him even to his hotel."

The Dingoes of Australia.

The dingo is the wild dog of Australia. It is a strong, fierce, ugly, clumsy looking creature, which can run very quickly and which can hardly be tamed. The dingoes often combine into packs, for the purpose of hunting, and by helping each other this way they can often seize and kill even such very swift runners as the emu. The emu is a curious bird that can outstrip the quickest greyhound, but by dividing themselves into groups, the dingoes can tire it out, and then they all feast on its big body. The chase often lasts a whole day, and both hunters and hunted may travel thirty or forty miles. Some years ago the dingoes used to do great damage to sheep and other live stock belonging to the settlers, but they are now reduced in numbers, and do not appear to be so fierce and wild as they once were. But they have nearly hunted the poor emu out of existence.

Over the Phone.

"Yes, this is Maud. Oh, is that you, George? Well, what did papa say? What's that? You didn't mind what he said? Well, what did he do? Good gracious! Did he? And you can't sit down? Where are you now, George? In the hospital? Dear, dear!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Scotty's Remarkable Apple Tree. C. City Blizzard: "Scotty," of the Oil Well Supply company, who resides on a farm in close proximity to the fair grounds, owns an apple tree which can be considered a sort of novelty. A few years ago it was known as a "wild" apple tree, but Mr. Scott had it grafted and it now produces seven different kinds of apples, some of which grow to an immense size and have a delicious taste.

Carborundum. Among the industries supplied with electrical power by Niagara Falls is the manufacture of carborundum crystals. These are formed by the reduction in electric furnaces of a mixture of sand, coke, salt and sawdust. The beautiful blue crystals are afterwards crushed to powder, which is used as an abrasive, like emery or corundum. Carborundum is remarkable for its hardness, in which property it almost, if not quite, equals the diamond.

Tracked by a Photograph Button. While robbing an old man in Chicago Joseph Hoffman lost a photograph button upon which was the picture of his sweetheart. The police found the button and thereby traced Hoffman, who fled. The police found evidence enough, however, to warrant the arrest of two accomplices.

An Advantage. "Slowboy says he would rather run a lawn mower than lie in a hammock." "How absurd?" "No; he says his wife can't put the baby in his lap when he is running the lawnmower."—Detroit Free Press.

Preferred Another. Revivalist (in eastern Kentucky)—Oh, young man, I come this night to lead you to grace. Young Kalntuck—No to her, preacher. Lead me to her sister Sal.

How Far Was It?

Southern distances are peculiar, and the road directions which a tourist receives are sometimes wanting in the quality of explicitness. "How far is it from here to Brushburg?" asked a tourist of an old fellow who was hoeing weeds in a field of sickly corn "down South." "Is it far?" "Waal, it hain't so very fer nor it hain't so very nigh. If you go around by the big road it's ferder nor it is nigh, but if you cut across country it's nigher nor it is fer, an' if you keep right straight ahead it's kinder betwixt nigh an' fer, but it's considerable of a ja'nt from hyar no matter how you git thar."—Harper's Bazar.

Won the Test.

Willie Gasson, aged 16 years, was drowned in the canal at Dayton, Ohio, while bathing. The boy and a number of companions were experimenting as to who could stay beneath the water the longest. The Gasson lad failed to come to the top in one of these ventures, and it is supposed that he was taken with cramps and burst a blood vessel.

No Longer Law.

In the statute books of Virginia a century ago many laws may be found designed to silence idle tongues. One reads: "Whereas, oftentimes many babbling women often slander and scandalize their neighbors, for which their poor husbands are often brought into chargeable and vexatious suits and cast in great damages; therefore be it enacted that all women found guilty be sentenced to ducking."

Dire Threat.

Hungry Higgins—M'am, if you don't gimme somethin' to eat, I'll—I'll— Mrs. Bloomer-Wareham—You'll what now? "I'll eat the tires off that there bicycle."—Indianapolis Journal.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1897.

THE CITY.

The high school department of the Epworth League holds its first social at the M. E. church tonight.

Edward Duffy complains that some body has been stealing flowers from his lot in the St. Thomas cemetery.

The project of building an electric road from Detroit to Wayne, Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor is again being agitated.

Andrew J. Sawyer's house on South State-st. will be furnished with gas and electric fixtures from J. F. Schuh's new stock.

J. F. Schuh has the contract for the hot water work for heating Prof. Trueblood's residence. A Pierce heater will be used.

The managers of the Michigan Alumnus will offer a \$75 scholarship in the U. of M. to any person who secures 150 subscribers to the Alumnus.

Dr. J. N. Frost, formerly a prominent maccabee of this city, has succeeded in organizing a tent at Rock Island, Ill., of which he was elected commander.

The fall meeting of the Detroit Presbytery was held in this city Monday and Tuesday. About fifty pastors and elders from out of town were present.

Prof. F. G. Novy, professor of bacteriology in the U. of M., has been appointed a member of the state board of health. He succeeds Dr. Granger, of Bay City.

"A History of the Intercollegiate Oratorical Association" will be the title of an article by Professor Trueblood to appear in the November number of Werner's magazine.

Christian Weiser, a U. of M. graduate whose dismissal from the Detroit High School last spring caused a good deal of comment and many long editorials has been reinstated as teacher of German.

A gasoline stove explosion Friday morning set fire to the clothes of Mrs. Lodholz who lives on Wall-st. Her husband, H. G. Lodholz, went to her rescue and both were painfully but not fatally burned.

Thos. Birkett purchased three Shetland ponies at Dell's stable in Ann Arbor. Two of the little fellows were taken to his farm at Birketts and the other left in Ann Arbor for Judge Newkirk's children to use.

Wm. Wier and wife are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Purfield on S. Ingalls St. Mrs. Wier was formerly Miss Purfield. Mr. Wier is a '96 law graduate from Mason, Iowa, but expects to settle in Detroit soon.

Newbury Hall is open this week for the reception of students coming a number of whom are already quite in.

The Ann Arbor Mandolin and Guitars club has disbanded. In its place there will be a trio, instrumental and vocal, composed of Wm. Thomas, I. C. Reynolds and Wm. Burns.

The Humane society subscribes for the "Dumb Animals" for all the city schools. The paper is read by the school children thus putting them in touch with the spirit of the Humane society.

Mrs. Louisa Van Orden appeared before Judge Duffy Monday and swore out a warrant for the arrest of her husband, William Van Orden, a carpenter of this city, charging him with assault with intent to do great bodily harm.

Professor Carhart says the engines and dynamos for the new lighting plant are to be shipped October first. He hopes to have the work completed by October 15. 4500 pounds of wire has been used in completing the work.

Mr. Pomeroy Ladue, professor of mathematics in New York university, who has been spending his vacation with his father on North Division-st., leaves today for New York. His aunt, Miss C. M. Ladue, will accompany him.

Jerome Scherhorn the negro who claimed to be heir to the Mariette Bennett estate tried to drown his sorrows Saturday night and got gloriously drunk. On Monday morning Justice Duffy sentenced him to three days in jail.

Wednesday, Oct. 6, will be "Michigan Day" at the Nashville Exposition Gov. Pingree and Mayor Maybury, as well as mayors of other cities and representative men from different sections of the state are expected to go along.

Oscar F. Burkhardt, agent for the New York Life Insurance Company, will give away 2000 copies of Mrs. E. M. Jones valuable little work "Dairying for Profit." Any one desiring a copy can get one free from Mr. Burkhardt.

J. G. Halleplean, formerly a well known and popular student who hailed from Armenia, was in this city Tuesday. He is now at the head of the Toledo Naval Academy and reports that his school is crowded to its utmost capacity.

The old method of renting rooms seems about to give way to the plan of renting through an agency. The State Street Real Estate Agency has a list of nearly all rooms in the city. The firm is a reliable one and their plan promises to do away with many of the unpleasant features of room-renting.

Melvin P. Porter, a well-known student at the University, has been appointed general agent of the New York Life Insurance company with offices in Buffalo. The position is an important as well as lucrative one and his many friends here will be pleased to learn of his advancement. He and his wife formerly Miss Marian Otis, of this city, will remove at once to Buffalo.

George J. Bunday, who committed suicide at Milwaukee a few days ago, was an alumnus of the U. of M. law department and is remembered by many of our citizens. He was a bright scholar, though somewhat inclined to be "fast." He secretly married a Miss Warren some time ago, but his parents objecting to the match both he and his young bride attempted suicide, his attempt succeeding.—Times.

The case of Marshall Thomas vs. the Ann Arbor plaintiff received while moving a bridge on the road south of Milan, Monroe county, April 26, 1895, came to a sudden termination yesterday in the circuit court at Corun by the parties compromising for \$3,000. A very complete model of the bridge was put in evidence and is to be presented to the mechanical laboratory of the University of Michigan.—Ex.

It seems that lawyer Sawyer who was owner of Ann Arbor's opera house gave "tick," and now he wants those who owe for admissions on tick, instead of on ticket, to bring in that percentage of prosperity his party has provided, and no longer be common debtors. So far, none have made admissions of receiving prosperity, and a few kick and say the shows were no good any how. But we guess they were better than Sawyer's show of getting what ought to be due him.—Adrian Press.

"The Breeze" a neat little pocket magazine published quarterly by the seniors of the high school has just issued its first number. It contains 72 pages. Among the contributors are Allen M. Broomhall, Carlotta A. Medaris, Philip L. Schenk, Florence Southmayd, Nancy E. Perdue, and Milton W. Gay. Willis Gerstun is managing editor. The publication reflects great credit upon those who had the work in charge.

Sheriff Judson received a telegram from Mt. Pleasant asking if Frank Sutton, the mysterious man who figures in the Sheperd murder mystery lives here. A man by that name is well known in this city. His home was formerly in Northfield, and he is now traveling over the state as an insurance agent.

The following program will be given at the meeting of the Washtenaw Co. teachers' association, to be held at Ann Arbor, Saturday, Sept. 25: Morning session—The work of the humane society Education committee; The care of the eyes, Dr. R. S. Copeland; The use and abuse of the bicycle from the medical standpoint, Mrs. L. M. DeWitt. Afternoon session—Means for improvement, Commissioner W. N. Lister; How to study physics, Prof. H. N. Chute; Child study, Prof. Chas. O. Hoyt. Music will be furnished by the pupils of the Ann Arbor public schools.

The center of population is moving steadily down Tappan street. Recently three freshmen co-eds arrived to begin their education, and have secured the choicest quarters in three of the elegant homes on aristocratic Tappan. The first has secured rooms at Prof. and Mrs. Kelsey's. The young lady came at Easter tide. A few weeks ago the second young lady arrived and has since been an honored guest at the home of Prof. and Mrs. A. C. McLaughlin. The last is a bright eyed little co-ed who is stopping at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Arthur G. Hall.

The Tramp Question.
Every one in any way interested in this question is invited to attend a public meeting to be held in the Council Room of the Court House, Friday, Sept. 24, at 8 p. m. The retiring officers of the Anti-Tramp Society will tell what they have done during the past year, and the whole matter of dealing with tramps will be open for general discussion.

Will Be Jurors.
The jurors for the coming term of circuit court were drawn Monday as follows:

Manchester, Geo. Ingraham; Northfield, F. P. Kearney; Pittsfield, A. D. Budd; Saline, Martin Galkie; Salem, Elmer Curtis; Scio, Geo. E. Moore; Sharon, Edwin Baker; Superior, W. D. Martin; Sylvan, M. K. Martin; Webster, Chas. Rogers; York, Geo. Cole; Ypsilanti 1st Dist., Chas. Ellis; Ypsilanti 2d Dist., Henry Brooks; Ypsilanti town, John Tuttle; Ann Arbor 1st Ward, Geo. Moore; 2d Ward, Fred. Lutz; 3d Ward, Wm. Kuhn; 4th Ward, Daniel Streckler; 5th Ward, J. B. Cady; 6th Ward, Bennet French; 7th Ward, Albert Teufel; Ann Arbor town, John H. Cowen; Augusta, Lewis Miller; Bridgewater, Ernest Linden; Dexter, James Ivory; Freedom, Henry Esch; Lima, Lewis Eiselbach; Lodi, Mason D. Harper; Lyndon, Mathew Hankard; Manchester, Wm. Henzie.

TRIED TO BREAK JAIL.
Two Pick Pockets Had Saws and Were Using Them to Get Out—Two Bars Cut Off—Sheriff Judson Discovers the Plot.

What might have resulted in a wholesale jail delivery was discovered Tuesday evening by Sheriff Judson in time to prevent its consummation. Mr. Judson heard a peculiar noise and slipping to the upper part of the jail caught Harry Wright and E. J. Harris in the act of sawing away the bars of one of the south windows.

They had already sawed off three bars leaving one end so that the rod would remain in place and not be noticeable. Harris and Wright were at once locked in the safety cell and will have trouble in getting out of that.

How the saws got into the building the officers do not know, but it seems almost certain that they were passed through the windows. One saw was a large one with an iron handle like a scroll saw. The other three were small sharp ones that could easily be concealed in a man's clothing. There are twenty prisoners in the jail. Three are charged with murder, fifteen with burglary, and two with picking pockets. If the plan to escape had not been discovered several might have gained their liberty.

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FOR RENT—A very pleasant nine room house, No. 1123 West Liberty St. Rent 6.50 per month. Inquire at No. 1025 West Liberty St. 89

WANTED—If you want a young man to wait table, wash dishes, or do any kind of work in payment for board, call at the School of Shorthand, Sager Bldg., S. State-st. and your wants will be supplied. 89

WANTED—We have a new \$100 Bicycle, high grade, which we desire to exchange for a good light driving horse. Enquire at the Register office. 84tf

WANTED—At the Ann Arbor Central Mills, Corn, Oats, Barley, Buckwheat and Beans. We buy all grades of wheat, damp and musty as well as sound grain. 90

SALESMEN WANTED—\$100 to \$125 per month and expenses. Staple line, position permanent, pleasant and desirable. Address, with stamp, Seymour-Whitney Co. S. 198 Chicago, Ill. (33)

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WANTED—Trustworthy and active gentlemen or ladies to travel for responsible established house in Michigan. Monthly \$85.00 and expenses. Position steady. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept. Y Chicago. 61

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FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—My farm of 132 acres, forty miles southeast of Ann Arbor, about two acres of peach orchard, six acres of pear orchard, five acres of apple orchard, good buildings and in a high state of cultivation. For terms enquire on premises. Robert McCurdy. 89

FOR RENT—313-315 Washington street [13 rooms] just the place for a boarding and lodging house, is now being thoroughly renovated. Large stable and barn connected. 87 Bach & Butler, 10 E. Huron.

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AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS.

The old peninsula mill building is the rendezvous of a gang of men and boys who devote their time there to drinking and card playing. The matter has been brought to the attention of the authorities and the nuisance ordered abated.

Frederick Krause, of Webster, fell from a porch last Sunday night and broke his left forearm about two inches above the wrist. Drs. John and J. W. Lee reduced the fracture.—Dexter Leader.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Green last evening, when their daughter, Sadie Fay, joined fortunes with Howard Schofield. The ceremony took place at 8 o'clock and was performed by Rev. Wm. L. Palmer, assisted by Rev. F. E. Wright, of Stockbridge.

Rev. Yokom, of the M. E. church, has gone to Port Huron to attend conference. He does not expect to be retained here another year. He has served this charge four years, during which time he has thoroughly rebuilt the church edifice and made other improvements to the property, despite a strong opposition.—Manchester Enterprise.

The Enterprise tells the following story on two Manchester people: "A certain home on Ann Arbor street was in a great commotion one night last week and it was all caused by the bold intrusion of a toad. The husband was awakened in the depth of his slumber by an unearthly scream from his wife who told him something had crawled on her face and she had brushed it off, and ducking her head and all under the bed clothes, insisted that her husband sally forth and investigate. The toad was found and unceremoniously fired, and after taking a pill for his nerves, the man of the house again went to sleep.

An unusually large attendance is now assured the Normal College. The Normal Conservatory also opens prosperously with an excellent corps of instructors and, under the directorship of Frederick H. Pease, promises greater success than has been enjoyed in any previous year. Herr Prof. Brueckner, of the Detroit Philharmonic String Quartet, will teach the violin, and Miss Owen is again retained as an instructor.—Commercial.

The Sentinel tells us that the Normal lecture course will open Monday, October 18, and consist of ten entertainments, given by Max Bendix, violin virtuoso; George W. Cable, the dialect writer; George P. Servis, stereoscopic lecturer; Booker T. Washington, the colored orator; Dr. John H. Barrows, the celebrated authority on comparative religions; Gertrude May Stein, contralto; Edwin D. Mead, student of municipal questions; Beatrice Herford, the English impersonator; the Swedish Male Quartet; and the ever popular Normal College Choir.

A short time ago the firm of Cody & Forbes, hardware dealers of Belleville, missed several razors and revolvers from their show case. They employed a city detective to work up the case. Friday evening he arrested Samuel Burns, residing near here, at New Boston, in the act of selling a new revolver. The revolver was positively identified by the firm. Burns was taken to Detroit to await examination.—Sentinel.

MANY THINK!

when the Creator said to woman, "In sorrow shalt thou bring forth children," that a curse was pronounced against the human race, but the joy felt by every Mother when she first presses to her heart her babe, proves the contrary. Danger and suffering lurk in the pathway of the Expectant Mother, and should be avoided, that she may reach the hour when the hope of her heart is to be realized, in full vigor and strength.

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Albert Moorman and O. F. Westfall have leased the Occidental hotel at Ypsilanti and after re-fitting it will conduct the establishment on a new and improved plan.

Claude Raymond one day last week started for this village with two young ladies in a covered buggy. While one of his fair companions was driving the horse shied and the carriage was overturned spilling its surprised contents out upon the ground. The horse started off on his own hook, but was soon after caught in Geo. C. Lord's driveway to his barn. The only part of the buggy that was found with the animal was the front wheels.

Owing to his postoffice duties George Preston has resigned the supervisorship of Grass Lake township and the board has appointed John W. Knight as his successor.—Grass Lake News.

Crooks worked on Hudson people during the street fair last week. One burglar entered the house of David Way and when Mr. Way wanted back his stolen property the burglar objected and threatened to shoot. Mr. Way was too quick, however, and brought the thief down with a bullet in his side. A few more affairs like this would lessen the popularity of burglary. Let the good work go on.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob T. Hofford, of Milan, celebrated their golden wedding last Thursday. Mr. Hofford is 77 years old while his wife is 70. They came from Hamilton, Ontario, 26 years ago and have lived near Milan ever since.

The Standard says Chelsea Methodists are anxious for the return of Rev. J. I. Nickerson as their pastor and have sent a strong petition to their presiding elder asking that Mr. Nickerson be sent back.

One of the young hopefuls attending the school near Cavanaugh Lake, has some queer ideas concerning national holidays. The teacher, having asked what great national holiday had passed since school closed last spring, was much astonished when a little five-year-old answered eagerly, "Dutch Day."—Chelsea Standard.

The secret of happiness, "Keep your liver right." Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's remedy for complaints of the liver or bowels.

Look Out for the Little Cusces. Ice cream sold in London streets has been found to contain seven million microbes to each cubic centimeter. It is said that more than one million microbes to the centimeter are unhealthy. The safe plan is always to count them before eating.

A Fond Retrospect. "I wish," said the unhappy, perspiring man, "that I could find that little boy." "What little boy?" "The one who threw snowballs at me last winter. I'd like to forgive him."—Washington Star.

All those creeping, crawling, stinging sensations that combine to make up the tortures of any itching disease of the skin are instantly relieved and permanently cured by Doan's Ointment. Take no substitute. Doan's never fails.

THE NEXT WORLD'S FAIR.

Although the Paris exposition, which will mark the close of the nineteenth century, is still three years in the future, the French capital has its preparations for the great event well under way. The remarkable extent and beauty of the world's fair at Chicago have stimulated the civic pride of Paris, and no pains will be spared to make this exposition of 1900 surpass even that of 1889.

In anticipation of the approaching event several grand public works, which will add greatly to the beauty of the city, have already been begun. A noble avenue is to be opened from the Champs Elysees to the Hotel des Invalides, crossing the Seine by the great bridge of Alexander III, the corner-stone of which was laid by the czar during his visit to Paris last year.

At the upper end of this avenue two beautiful art palaces, which are to be permanent additions to the public museums of the city, as well as features of the exhibition, are being built. And finally, the Seine in the neighborhood of the exhibition grounds is to be transformed into a sort of Venetian canal, lined with palaces, terraces and Italian gardens, and furnished with broad embankments for use as promenades.

All of these undertakings are now fairly begun, and upon the most magnificent scale. The Pont Alexander III. will be nearly two hundred feet in width, and its single arch crowded by monuments of heroic size will occupy three years in building.

The exhibition itself is planned upon lines of equal grandeur, and there is every reason to expect that it will prove the most extensive and varied display of the products of civilization, useful and beautiful, which the world has ever seen.

Our own country has not yet officially accepted the invitation to take part, but will soon do so. It is to be hoped that the American nation will be represented by a display in all respects worthy of itself and of the occasion, and that Americans who visit the great fair will have no reason to blush at seeing the republic outdone in the friendly rivalry.

Dr. Miles' Nervine
A REMEDY FOR THE
Effects of Tobacco.



THE excessive use of tobacco, especially by young men is always injurious and undoubtedly shortens life materially. Mr. Ed. C. Ebsen, compositor on the Contra-Costa News, Martinez, Cal., writes: "I have used Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine and received much benefit from it. I was troubled with nervousness, dizzy spells and sleeplessness, caused by the use of tobacco and stimulants. I took Dr. Miles' Nervine with marvelous good results, allaying the dizziness, quieting the nerves, and enabling me to sleep and rest, proving in my case a very beneficial remedy." Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is especially adapted to restoring the nervous system to its normal condition under such circumstances. It soothes, heals and strengthens.

Dr. Miles' Remedies are sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle benefits or money refunded. Book on diseases of the heart and nerves free. Address, DR. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

An Answer to Prayer. While Stanislaus Tarback, aged 53, was on his knees in his home at Hazelton, Pa., praying for protection during a severe storm, he was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

There is a Class of People who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 2¢ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 25c per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

His Right of Discovery. From the Chicago Liar Ocean: Chief Clerk W. T. Treloar, of the Santa Fe freight office, brings the following story with him from his western trip:

"When the train stopped at Larned, Kan., I heard a voice say, in a tone of command: 'Come out of there!' I looked out of the car window and saw an old man holding a tramp who was just crawling out from the trucks under a car. I supposed it was the sheriff of the county, and that he had caught a criminal.

"I want you," said the old man, as the tramp stood on his feet. 'I'll give you \$1.50 a day.' "Then it dawned on me. The old man was out catching farm-hands for the harvest field. A moment later a younger man came up and tried to hire the tramp, but the older farmer drove him away, saying the tramp was his by right of discovery, and he proposed to keep him or fight. The conductor told me such occurrences are common at present, and that there are few stations along the line in the grain belt but have a crowd of farmers around them at train time, hoping to be able to catch a tramp for the harvest fields. It is work or jail with a tramp when he falls into such hands."

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Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich, seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 2¢ the price of coffee. 15c and 25c per package. Sold by all grocers.

His Real Worth.

The spirit of thrift which pervades, or used to pervade, New England, is amusingly illustrated in a remark made once by a Vermont farmer. He had been seriously ill in midsummer, but his strong constitution stood him in good stead and he quickly rallied. On being asked in the autumn how he was feeling, he said, cheerfully: "Oh, I'm fair to middling now, thank ye; but anyway it don't make so much difference, seeing the farm's pretty well slogged up. If I'd died in haying or harvesting time, it would have been full fifty dollars' damage to me." Then, after a thoughtful interval, he added: "Come to think of it, that's too low a figger—sixty dollars would be nearer."

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The Western Saddle.

Be it known that he who has ridden only on an English pignkin will find that there are things he has no knowledge of when he first throws a leg over the stock saddle of the West; and when he has seen a broncho buster ride a bucking mustang on its native heath he must admit that, although the cowboy may be neither neat nor well mannered, he can yet give points on rough riding to those who follow the fox-hounds.

As the cowboy's mode of riding is distinctive, so is his horse furniture, and it is admirably adapted to his particular needs. The stock saddle, for instance, is as different from the English hunting or park saddle as a park drag is from a trotting sulky, yet each is perfectly suited to the purposes for which it was designed. The stock saddle is of Spanish-American birth, and must be heavily built (sometimes forty pounds in weight) in order to have the requisite strength, for the high horn or pommel is necessary to the cowboy in all the uses of the lariat or "rope," as it is now almost universally called, and thus it is required to stand the most sudden and severe strains.

The rope is a very essential article of the cow puncher's equipment. It is ordinarily about forty feet long, and can be thrown with accuracy perhaps thirty feet by the average puncher, although some use it effectively at a distance of ten or fifteen feet farther if its length is proportionately greater.

In catching stock or in hauling anything, be it a mired wagon, a bogged steer, or wood for the campfire, the rope is given a double turn around the horn, and the saddle must be strong indeed to endure such work. Moreover, it must be tightly girthed over the heavy saddle blankets, and this calls for the cumbersome cinch rigging, which in most parts of the west is double.—Allan Hendricks in July Lippincott's.

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The Kite as an Aid to Science.

It is said that experiments are about to be tried with kites to assist in discovering the conditions of high altitudes. A camera will be attached to the kite and the shutter will be worked by an electric automatic device. In the way photographs will be taken of the tops of the most inaccessible cliffs. It is also proposed to utilize kites as a means of climbing to the tops of places which even the most experienced tourists have failed to reach. Kites may be made strong enough to lift a light person to a great height, or they may be so handled in the wind as to draw a line over some point, and by means of this other lines sufficiently strong to carry weight can be pulled over. An expedition of six persons from Princeton University are about to undertake a trip to New Mexico for the purpose of such explorations. It is not too much to expect that before many years the kite will prove to be the explorer's best friend, as the recent improvements in what was a childish toy have demonstrated that the lifting and sustaining capacity of a properly-constructed kite is little less than marvelous.

ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

CHIEF CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much, is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention THE REGISTER and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

Almost every Man in America has some digestive trouble. When men meet, the greeting usually is, "Well, how are you?" That develops health talk. The man who has no bowel or stomach trouble is almost a curiosity. Trouble is men take no care of themselves. They eat as though they had copper stomachs and bowels of brass. By and by, overworked nature rebels. Then come headaches, nervousness, bad blood, liver and kidney troubles. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets furnish help for constipation and torpid liver, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, indigestion, dyspepsia, windy belchings, "heartburn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Accept no substitute.

A NICE DAY.

How the Old Man Crushed a Young Suitor.

There is a Forest avenue father who doesn't believe in allowing his charming daughter to engage the attention of young men before she is 19 years old, says the Detroit Free Press. And there is a young man who is equally determined that the plans of the old gentleman shall be outwitted. But the youngster came to grief one day last week and only the kindly words of the mother saved him from complete and unqualified disaster. The young fellow had been cautious about being around the house when the old man was there, particularly on Sunday, when, of all days, the old gentleman considered that young men and women should meditate at home alone. Unhappily, this Sunday evening papa didn't go to church and as his dearly beloved daughter and the young man came toward the homestead he was reading a paper. The lovers realized the delicacy of their position, but both bolstered up their faltering courage and approached the domicile. For want of anything better to say the young man observed that it would be a beautiful day tomorrow. The old gentleman looked over his eyeglasses and his paper and, apparently intending to crush his young friend at one blow, he broke forth:

"Nice day, eh? Well, I guess, young man, the Lord will take care of that without any help from you. Young men should be in church Sunday night instead of calling on young ladies and speculating whether tomorrow will be a nice day or a bad one. That's what I think about it."

All the youngster's ideas of pleasant days vanished and the sunset in the west was only a light flush compared with the deep red on the cheeks of the girl. But mamma helped out just a little, while George was contriving a retreat that would not be utterly ignominious.

"Yes, George," said mamma, "I think it will be a very nice day." "It's getting rather cloudy, though," remarked George, as he turned discomfited into facetiousness for a moment and glanced from papa's face to the clear sky.

Women and Life Insurance.

It is not so very many years ago that certain life insurance companies refused to issue policies upon the lives of women. The difficulties in the way of a satisfactory examination, the perils of maternity and the numerous nervous disorders to which the sex is liable, were considered sufficient reasons to put them on the prohibited list. Experience has, however, demonstrated that the views of these companies were not based upon facts. As a matter of fact, whatever advantage there is in the matter of longevity lies with women, and not with men. In 1891 a census was taken in London among twenty-one centenarians, of whom sixteen were women and five were men. A group of southern counties in England at the same census exhibited sixty-six centenarians, of whom forty-three were women and twenty-three were men. A census of centenarians taken in France in 1895 showed 213 persons who had attained the age of 100, and of those 213, 147 were women and only 66 were men. The United States census of 1896 gave 3,981 persons who had reached one hundred years and upward, and of those 2,583 were women and 1,398 men. Women are much less exposed to death from the multitudinous accidents incident to the pursuits of men. They escape not only the perils of hunting and rough out-of-door sports that overtake many men, but are comparatively exempt from the devastating effects of the excessive use of alcohol, which is the indirect, if not the direct, cause of the early death of a large percentage of the other sex. In addition to all the various causes of death from which the more sheltered lives of women protect them, they are almost entirely free from business worries and troubles, which bring in their train the innumerable nervous disorders that undermine and destroy the constitutions of so many city men.

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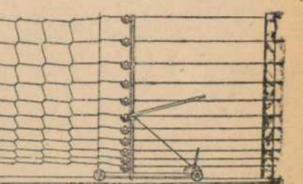
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THE SCIENCE OF SAYING "NO."

We are told that the comic actors of Italy sometimes amuse their patrons by exploiting the syllable "oh." Out of a word that is only a single vowel sound they can create surprising effects by a trick of articulation, varying the key, volume, accent, length, emphasis, and accompanying manner and facial expression through the whole gamut of different meanings. When they are done their auditors have heard them pronounce oh in twenty different ways.

The feat of the comedians has a serious suggestion in it. There are several ways of saying "No," though it can never have but one meaning. The mother of the late Mr. Allen Thorndike Rice, long the well-known editor of the North American Review, found occasion for a series of vocal lessons on that word, in his early life, for which he was always grateful.

When a schoolboy he had a weakness for making sudden friendships, and naturally, some of his hasty intimacies were unlikely to be of any moral advantage to him. His talented mother did not trust everything to his general knowledge of right and wrong, but sought by an original and pleasant method to strengthen him where he was weakest. She practiced him with a list of different questions that required no for an answer, until she had taught him to inflect the syllable according to the sentiment.

All the range of negatives came into the curious drill, from the no of simple dissent to the no of indignant rejection, and he learned all the proper accents—of playful reproof, of cautious mistrust, of heretic defiance—in short, he learned the science of refusal thoroughly. And he never forgot it.

To decline a "shady" invitation was always easier for him because he knew exactly how to say the resisting word. His tempters understood him at once. Both principle and politeness are essential to refined manhood and womanhood. The will and the skill to say no gently but firmly are among the best accomplishments of human character.

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Rounded Finger Nails.
How fast the pointed finger nails have gone out of fashion! It was an ugly fashion, transforming a pretty hand into the likeness of a clawed animal's paw. The moderately rounded nail, which follows the natural curve of the finger, is now seen generally. It is a welcome sight, a return to nature from artificial models.

No need to fear the approach of croup if you have Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never was a case that it wouldn't cure if used at the onset.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKINGS.

John Watson, of Colon, was probably fatally injured by a falling scaffold.

A London cable says that the enthusiasm over the Franco-Russian alliance will be used as start for a revision of the French constitution and to bring the president's position nearer to a hereditary monarchy. It is said that this President Faure's great ambition.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
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TOO MUCH WORK

For a Healthy Existence.—That's Why the Kidneys so often Fail.

Nature has provided a certain amount of work for every organ of the human body; overtax them and disease eventually follows. There is not one portion of our organism that is so overworked as the kidneys; on them is placed the important function of filtering the blood of the impurities which naturally form in the regular action of life and digestion. The kidneys are consequently termed the sewerage of the system; clog up this sewer, and the blood becomes tainted with poisonous uric acid, which brings on disease in many forms. The back is the first to show this stoppage. From there comes the warning note; it should be heeded, and the kidneys receive prompt attention. Doan's Kidney Pills will right the action of the kidneys quickly, relieve the back of pain and aches, and cure all troubles of kidneys and bladder. Read the following: Mr. Wm. Nelson is a well-known business man of Kalamazoo, he resides at 823 Portage Street, and his business is that of a grain buyer. He says:

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Until a few days ago there was but one king on the two American continents. Now he is suspended from his job. He is the King of the Mosquito coast, an unpleasant country, as its name sufficiently indicates, lying between Nicaragua and British Honduras. The Mosquito coast is under an English protectorate, the king's salary being guaranteed by Nicaragua. When in full enjoyment of his regal dignity he had a salary of \$5,000 a year. The king's name is Clarence. The Nicaraguans covet his dominions. His majesty and his chief advisers have been at a considerable disadvantage in all diplomatic negotiations owing to the fact that it is part of their court etiquette to be drunk on all public occasions. The king's state costume consists of an old but imposing full dress uniform which formerly belonged to a captain in the British navy. The republic has now refused to pay his pension, and he has appealed to England for support. He fled to Jamaica. There an allowance of \$7.50 per day was given him, pending the settlement of the question. On this sum he is living in luxury, surrounded by a few devoted courtiers.

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Easy.
This is a day of all sorts of advertising competitions. One of the oddest is reported from England by the London Telegraph:

A traveling circus recently paid a visit to Clitheroe, and as an attraction, offered a prize to the man who could, as the Lancastrians term it, "pull th' ugliest mug."

The rules laid down were that each person should have "three tries." Competition ran high, some of the contortions being horrible to behold. After all had done their best, the clown, who acted as judge, coolly confronted a man sitting in the audience, who was noted for his ugliness, and said:

"That's won th' prize, owd mon."
"Me?" said the astonished individual; "wha' aw worn't tryin' for!"
"That'd no need to try," said the clown; "that's won it w'out."

Don't think that your liver needs treating if you are bilious. It don't. It's your stomach. That is, your stomach is really what causes the biliousness. It has put your liver out of order.

See what's the matter with stomach. Sick stomach poisons liver and then there's trouble. Shaker Digestive Cordial cures stomach and then all's well. That's the case in a nutshell. Shaker Digestive Cordial is no secret. Formula's on every bottle. But it's the simple honest way it's made, the honest Shaker herbs and other ingredients of which it's composed, that make it so efficacious.

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THREE ENGINES BLEW UP.

Terrible Collision on the Sante Fe—12 Killed—W. J. Bryan to the Rescue.

A fast mail train going east and the Mexico & California express, west-bound, collided head-on, near Emporia, Kas. The Mexico & California express was pulled by two locomotives, and when the trains struck—going 40 miles an hour—the boilers of all three engines exploded and tore a hole in the ground so deep that the smoking car of the westbound train went in on top of the three engines and two mail cars and balanced there without turning over. The passengers in the smoking car escaped through the windows. The front end of this car was enveloped in stifling smoke and steam from the wreck below, and the rear door was jammed in the wreck of the car behind. The wreck caught fire from the engines and the mail cars in the hole and the smoking car were entirely consumed. In climbing out of the smoking car several men fell through the rifts in the wreck below.

The westbound train carried eight coaches, and its passengers included many excursionists who had been to hear Hon. W. J. Bryan speak at the county fair at Burlington. Mr. Bryan was also on the train—in a Pullman coach in the rear—and he did splendid work assisting in rescuing imprisoned passengers and in ministering to the injured. There were at least 12 passengers killed outright and it is feared that the list may be increased to 15 or 18 when the wreckage is cleared up. Twenty or more were injured, two of whom will die.

MINERS' STRIKE SETTLED.

Interstate Convention Accepts 65-Cent Rate Proposed by Operators.

A four days' session of the interstate convention of soft coal miners, held at Columbus, O., agreed to accept the proposition of the operators of the Pittsburgh district. Thus the great miners' strike which was declared on July 4 was practically brought to an end, so far, at least, as western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia are concerned. The delegates from Illinois, who had 250 votes, were unanimously against a settlement. Indiana and West Virginia voted solidly to accept the operators' proposition.

The resolution adopted is as follows: "Resolved, That we, the miners of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois in convention assembled, do hereby agree to accept the proposition recommended by our national executive committee, viz., 65 cents in Pittsburgh district, all places in above named states where a relative price can be obtained to resume work and contribute liberally to the miners who do not receive the advance, where the fight must be continued to the bitter finish."

The Illinois miners denounce the action of the convention, claiming that their interests were not given due consideration. They will, therefore, hold a state convention at Springfield, Sept. 19, to determine what shall be done in their state.

JAPAN WILL ARBITRATE.

Willing to Submit Her Differences With Hawaii to the King of Belgium.

The Japanese government has accepted the proposal to arbitrate its differences with Hawaii. In the formal acceptance Japan says: "The imperial government are firmly convinced that their complaints in this matter are well founded and that their demands are just and reasonable. Nevertheless, in a spirit of conciliation and in the hope that their action may contribute to the good relations of the two countries they have resolved to accept, subject to certain necessary limitations and qualifications, the proposal of the government of Hawaii. The two governments shall, when the proper time arrives, unite in requesting that his majesty, the king of the Belgians, may be pleased to accept the position of sole arbitrator."

How Oscar Sherwood Lost Four Legs.

Oscar Sherwood, of Blunkwood's Corners, Me., says he is the only man in the world who has lost four legs in the service of his country. The first was wounded and amputated at Vera Cruz, during the Mexican war. The second was taken off during the retreat at Bull Run by a piece of artillery passing over it. The third was carried away by a cannon ball at Fair Oaks. The fourth mishap was before Petersburg, when Sherwood was sent to an underground magazine for the purpose of learning its ability to stand the bombardment from Confederate shells. Perhaps it may be as well to mention that the second leg taken off was of cork, and the two subsequent ones of willow.

Circumstances Alter Cases.

"You have been in the cigarette business so long," said the anxious mother, "that you must be able to give me the information I want. I hope you will candidly answer my question. Are cigarettes injurious to the health?"

"It all depends, ma'am," said the tobacco merchant.
"On what?"
"On whether you smoke them or sell them."

The Facts in the Case.

A careful perusal of the map of Wisconsin will convince you that the Wisconsin Central Lines running from Chicago and Milwaukee to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Hurley, Ironwood, Bessemer, and Duluth, touch a greater number of important cities than any line running through Wisconsin. Elegantly equipped trains, leaving at convenient hours, make these cities easy of access. Any ticket agent, can give you full information and ticket you through. Jas. C. Pond, Gen. Pass. Agt., Milwaukee, Wis. 1202

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YOU HAVE SEMINAL WEAKNESS!

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