

MICHIGAN NEWS SUMMARY.

Doings of the Week Recorded in a Brief Style.

CONCISE AND INTERESTING.

Michigan National Guard in Camp at Island Lake Preparing to go to the Front—The Michigan Naval Reserves Called Out—Double Drowning.

State Troops Mobilized.

After a conference with the members of the state military board. Gov. Pingree issued orders to prepare the Michigan troops for service.

Have your command ready to move in heavy marching order to Island Lake not later than Tuesday, April 26. Every available rifle, blanket and overcoat must be taken.

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Naval Reserves Called to Duty.

Gov. Pingree received the following telegram from Washington: Send complement naval militia, officers and men, for Yosemite to navy yard, Norfolk, Va., immediately.

The divisions of the Michigan Naval Reserves at Detroit and Saginaw were at once directed to prepare to act in accordance with the order.

Before serving on naval vessels enlisted men or naval militia must be discharged from militia and enlisted in navy for one year unless sooner discharged.

War Enthusiasm in Michigan. Throughout the length and breadth of the peninsular state the fire of patriotism is burning and thousands of Michigan's brave sons are ready to do and die for their country.

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Two Men Drowned.

Arthur Williams and Arthur Navin, aged 21 and 25 years respectively, were drowned in Manistee lake at Manistee. They were crossing in a rowboat with three other men to East Lake and tried to catch a tow with the tug Frank Canfield, which was passing them.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

The coming meeting of the Michigan Equal Suffrage association, to be held at Bay City, May 3-5, gives promise of being the most interesting ever held.

Coroner Best, of Grand Rapids, discovered what he believed to be a case of death resulting from child-beating.

While cleaning spars on the Montpelier at St. Clair, Thomas Johnston, aged 18, of Lexington, was precipitated from the cross-trees into the hold of the hold of the vessel and instantly killed.

The team of Marvin Higgins, of Alamo, ran away at Otsego and struck a wagon containing Mrs. Robert Garrison, her child and Sada Brown, of Hasting, killing Mrs. Garrison.

BLOCKADE OF HAVANA.

The North Atlantic Squadron Before the Cuban Capital—Spanish Fire on It.

The blockade of Havana by the North Atlantic squadron was an established fact by the time President McKinley's proclamation ordering the blockade had been published.

The guns about Havana fired a number of shots at the squadron at night, but none of them reached the mark.

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The capture of the Buena Ventura, however, was but the beginning, for before the fleet had fairly arrived in front of Havana the flagship New York was steaming away after another prize.

Other and important captures followed rapidly. The 5,000-ton Spanish steel steamer Catalina, valued with her cargo at a half million dollars, was captured by the cruiser Detroit.

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CASUALTIES.

Chamberlain, S. D.—Persons arriving from White River bring details of a disastrous prairie fire which swept over practically the whole of Rosebud Indian reservation, destroying thousands of cattle and horses.

Big Creek, Wis.—Two children of Charles Gardner perished in a fire which destroyed his home.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Thomas R. Barrett, chief of the fire department, was seriously injured while driving to a fire.

Milwaukee, Wis.—While teaching his little son how to shoot a small rifle John Walter grasped the weapon by the muzzle. He is dead.

Boston, Mass.—The Boston & Maine freight shed at Charlestown with contents of hay was damaged \$30,000.

Wallace, Idaho—Fire destroyed the concentrator of the Morning mine, owned by Larson & Greenough.

Troy, Wis.—Charles Schweigel, 18 years old, was killed in a runaway while attempting to shoot wild geese from the wagon.

Chicago—Anton Adanski, 4 years old, was fatally injured by being struck by a train on the Chicago & Northwestern tracks.

Stevens Point, Wis.—The residence of McDevil G. E. McDill, cashier of the Citizens' National bank of this city, was destroyed by fire.

Akron, O.—The Enterprise company's fishing-tackle factory burned.

Green Bay, Wis.—Lefevre & Schumaker's building was destroyed by fire.

Hazleton, Pa.—Henry Richard and Frank Moses were caught in a railway wreck and fatally injured.

CRIME.

St. Louis, Mo.—A mail bag consigned to J. M. Hammill, attorney for the Louisville & Nashville road at Belleville, Ill., was stolen from an express wagon in Belleville.

Wheeling, W. Va.—Thomas Smoot and his son Judson got into an altercation. The son fired five shots at the old man.

Virdeon, Ill.—Chet Bradley slashed his wife's throat with a razor, and she will die.

Marshalltown, Ia.—Charles Beverly, editor of the Morning Statesman-Press, killed himself.

Dunkirk, O.—William Long of McCracken, Kas., was held up by three men, terribly beaten and robbed of \$75.

Warsaw, Ind.—The office of the shops of O. W. Wertz were entered by robbers. The safe was drilled and the burglars secured about \$1,000.

Burlington, Iowa—Martin Sowden, a machinist out of work and despondent, chose the broad campus of the Burlington college institute, in full view of the horrified students, to instantly kill himself with a shotgun.

Independence, Kan.—Officers attempted to arrest a gang of thugs in Coffeyville. The gang opened fire on the officers, killing William Kime, city marshal.

Marquette, Mich.—About a year ago Peter Bons, a Belgium tramp, murdered a young woman in the woods near Crystal Falls.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—Mrs. Johanna Rischow, aged 60 years, committed suicide by taking poison on the grave of her son.

Wheeling, W. Va.—The trial of the wife of Gov. G. W. Atkinson on the charge of forgery has been postponed until the June term of the Gilmer county court.

Save Your Children.

Most every—if not every mother knows what it means when her little one cannot get to sleep, but cries out "Oh, Mammy, something is biting me." It is not piles that may be alleviated by a salve—no, it is the troublesome little pin worm that wriggles and twists, and irritates the child until it becomes nervous, fretful and peevish.



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NEW FRENCH MILITARY RIFLE.

Great European Powers Have Poorer Weapons than Holland. The national small arms factories have received orders to be ready at a moment's notice to begin the manufacturing of rifles of a new model, says the London Morning Post.

The present French rifle is considered to be slightly superior to the present German one. The Lebel weighs 4 kilograms 180 grammes and throws a 15-gramme projectile 3,200 meters with an initial velocity of 638 meters per second.

'Twas Ever Thus.

Many readers will feel a very unreasonable degree of sympathy with a bicyclist whose misadventure is thus described in the Washington Post, by a writer who received the story from the oculist mentioned: A man on a bicycle was scorching cheerily along the conduit road on his way to town.

He Couldn't Plow.

A certain incident connected with the great Napoleon, while he was in exile at Elba, is commemorated in the island, to this hour, by an inscription affixed to the wall of a peasant's house. A man named Giaconci was plowing when the famous exile came along one day.

NIGHT IN A HAMMOCK.

Cleveland Man Did Not Understand How He Got a Wet Skin. From the Cleveland Plain Dealer: People who want to irritate a well-known east end man have only to say "hammock" to him.

A Good Lesson.

An old citizen of Cleveland is quoted by the Plain Dealer as making some sensible observations about the uncleanly habit which too many people have of throwing scraps of paper into the streets. The great trouble on the down-town streets is the distribution of cheap circulars.

The Apple Dumpling.

Apple-dumpling day was a red one in my boy's calendar. When I had such a dainty bit in my bag it seldom stayed there many minutes. Although I had dispatched a hearty breakfast before starting, out would come the dumpling.

A Curious Forest.

The most extraordinary forest in the world is one discovered by Dr. Welwitsch, which occupies a tableland some six miles broad, and a height of 300 feet or 400 feet above the sea, near the west coast of Africa.

Readers of Rubbish.

If the works of high-class writers are upon the shelves of those who make a practice of reading rubbish, those works remain unlooked at, while the low novel is sought with keen anxiety.

How the Brahman Cleans His Teeth.

When the Brahman cleans his teeth he must use a small twig cut from one of a number of certain trees, and before he cuts it he must make his act known to the gods of the woods.

A HINT IN TIME.

"You had better hire someone to drink your coffee for you," says an eminent English physician. But this warning is only one in a million.

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Wound Not Be Men.

It is a general belief in China that women who wear short hair are transformed in the future state into men. This, comments an exchange, may account for the fact that so few women in China wear short hair.

Snakes in a Cistern.

A family in Cornwall, N. Y., has snakes in its cistern. Every time they pump up water a long black sassy serpent comes wriggling from the pipe.

Quits.

Mrs. Dumjohn—"I married you for love, and I did not get it." Dumjohn—"We are quits then. I married you for money, and I did not get it."

A Difference.

Mrs. Hoyle—"Does your husband call you pet names any more?" Mrs. Doyle—"He calls me names when he's in a pet.—Truth.

"Saved Her Life."



MRS. JOHN WALLEY, of Jefferson, Wis., than whom none is more highly esteemed or widely known, writes: "In 1890 I had a severe attack of LaGrippe and at the end of four months, in spite of all physicians, friends and good nursing could do, my lungs heart and nervous system were so completely wrecked, my life was despaired of, my friends giving me up.

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