

## LONGS FOR LIBERTY.

"STARK" STILL TRYING TO GAIN HIS LIBERTY.

Is identified as an Old Offender. Has Served Time in Jackson.—His Real Name is Guneng.

Constable Fletcher, of Ypsilanti, paid the jail a visit Saturday and fully identified Arthur "Stark," a prisoner, who is awaiting trial for an attempt at rape upon Miss Rheade, of Lima, as Arthur Gunong, a brother of the burglar who was shot at Royal Oak a few days ago. Fletcher showed where the Washtenaw prisoner had served five years in Jackson for sheep stealing. Sheriff Gillen says that the prisoner has given him all kinds of trouble, having made three attempts to saw out of jail. The last attempt made by "Stark" was one day last week, when by means of an old knife, jagged into a sort of a saw, he tried to cut the bars out so that he could escape. "Stark" had previously claimed that he had a bad sore on his body and wanted some black salve. It was found that his complaint was a fake and that all he wanted the salve for was to fill up the places sawed out.

"Stark" has been particularly ugly since his latest attempt was discovered, and he is now placed in the "safety deposit" cell.

## PROBABLY ALL WIND.

IS THE REPORT THAT AUTOMOBILES WILL RUN TO HOSPITALS.

However Such a Report has been Started.—It is Doubtful if Receipts Would Pay for Gasoline Used.

The following appeared in Tuesday's Detroit Tribune under an Ann Arbor date:

The remoteness of the old hospitals and that part of the city from the business portion has caused an agitation to be started for a spur of the city street car service, although it is possible that an automobile carriage service may be substituted. Under the franchise to the street car company, the city has the power to order any additional service, but two gentlemen are thinking seriously of putting in a couple of automobiles, which will answer the purpose.

The possibility of automobiles being used to carry people to and from the hospitals is very small. It is not likely that the receipts would begin to pay the expenses of such an innovation. Neither would the street car line be able to make both ends meet should it run a square from its other lines to the hospitals and maintain a regular service. The whole story is probably all wind.

## DEAN HUTCHINS'

### BROTHER DEAD.

WAS FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED IN DETROIT SATURDAY.

Died of Heart Disease.—He was Treasurer of C. B. Hutchins & Son Co., Car Builders in Detroit.

Charles H. Hutchins, treasurer and general manager of C. B. Hutchins & Sons, car roof manufacturers, of Detroit, was found dead in bed in his room in the Hotel Metropole Saturday. Dr. J. B. Sloan was at once summoned. He said that death had occurred not more than an hour before his arrival. The cause of death he could not tell, but Dr. J. E. Clark, the family physician, who arrived soon after, said that it was heart failure.

Mr. Hutchins was a well known business man in Detroit. He was born in Haverhill, N. H., 41 years ago, but has lived in the west nearly all his life and for many years in Detroit. After a course in the literary department of the University of Michigan, from which he graduated in 1880, he entered into business with his father, and the firm of C. B. Hutchins & Sons prospered from the beginning. His father died four years ago, and since that time Mr. Hutchins has conducted the business of the incorporated company, in which he held a controlling interest.

Dean Harry B. Hutchins, who was acting president of the University of Michigan during the absence of President Angell as minister to Turkey, is his brother.

## AT WHITMORE LAKE.

RAIN HAD A BAD EFFECT ON FARMERS' PICKNIC.

Rain Came Just When Many Were Preparing to Start.—This Kept Many at Home Although the Day turned out Later to be a Pleasant One.

A rain came last Saturday morning just as many people were preparing to start to the Farmers' picnic at Whitmore Lake. This no doubt kept many from going. Later in the day, however, the clouds cleared away and a good sized crowd came.

When the hour for the literary exercises arrived, there were only about 2,000 people present, whereas at a corresponding hour of former years there were at least three times as many on hand. By two o'clock, however, the teams commenced filing in like a regular procession.

Sheriff Gillen and four deputies were on hand to see that order was maintained. Almost every gambling device of the "tin horn" class was present, but many of the fakirs did not have the heart to open up their "lay out" in the face of such a small crowd. Wherever the fakirs appeared Mr. Gillen told them that they were taking their own chances and would liable to arrest at any moment.

The crowd was so small at 2 o'clock that the committee decided to wait a half hour before commencing the exercises. The following is the program:

MUSIC.  
Prayer by.....Rev. F. E. Pearce  
President's Address of Welcome.....Philip Duffy.

MUSIC.

Address.....Hon. Geo. B. Horton  
Master of the State Grange.

MUSIC.

Address.....Hon. W. W. Wedemeyer  
and others.

Music by the Brighton Band.

The speaking and music were good and greatly enjoyed by all. It was a great disappointment to those who had worked so hard, not to have more present.

## WANT YOUR HELP.

STATE TAX COMMISSION APPEALS TO THE PEOPLE.

Asks for Information as to People Who are Escaping Taxation.—Here is the Letter it is Sending Out.

Lansing, Mich., Aug. 14th, 1899.

To the People of the State of Michigan: The Board of State Tax Commissioners want information from any person or source along the following lines:

First. Names, location and addresses of persons who, it is believed, are escaping taxation.

Second. Names, location and addresses of banking, manufacturing, mercantile and other corporations believed to be improperly taxed or escaping taxation.

Third. Specific instances of inequalities of taxation, real or personal.

Fourth. Unjust equalizations of property between towns, wards or counties.

The names of all informants will be held confidential.

The Board may not have time to reply individually to communications, but the information will be considered, classified and investigated as far as possible.

Address all letters to the Board of State Tax Commissioners, Lansing, and name the Town, ward and County in which the person or corporation is located, and the postoffice address as well.

A common favor will be conferred, if every periodical in Michigan will be kind enough to publish this announcement in full.

MILTON D. CAMPBELL,  
A. S. FREEMAN,  
ROBERT OAKMAN,  
Board State Tax Commissioners.

The jubilee singers will be at Whitmore Lake next Monday, September 4. They are very highly spoken of and the people should not fail to hear them in their plantation songs. They will be at the Clifton House.

## A LOVE SICK PRINTER.

THREATENS TO CUT HIS THROAT IF NOT ACCEPTED.

But Thinks Better of His Rash Plan and Still Lives.—The Girl Still Obdurate and will Have None of Him.

The Washtenaw Times is authority for the following:

A story, or rather the beginning of a story, has just leaked out which implicates a printer of one of the prominent offices of the city. Until the matter goes further we will not mention the printer's name, for fear he might get rash and finish the work.

For some time past the printer in question has been showing considerable attention to a young lady, who tried to avoid him, as she did not care for him in the way he desired. Recently he met the object of his unrequited love in the hall of a certain boarding house, and told her that she was "his onliest one," but she objected, stating that she did not care for his company. This made him feel seemingly despondent, so he drew his knife from his trousers pocket and gave the lady to understand that he would cut his throat if she refused to go with him, but the scheme did not work. She said he could go ahead and cut his head off if he wanted to. But he changed his mind, and now he is sorry that he spoke.

## WHO IS DICK BURNS?

CUT HIS THROAT AT BELLAIRE, MICHIGAN.

Claims to Have from Ann Arbor.—Is Not the Only Dick Burns Known About Here.

The Times received a letter this morning from Andrew J. Dole, Superintendent of the poor at Bellaire, Mich., stating that he had a man who gave his name as Dick Burns who tried to kill himself yesterday by cutting his throat with a piece of glass. The letter dated Aug. 24, in part is as follows: "A man giving his name as Dick Burns tried to kill himself yesterday by cutting his throat with a piece of glass, but he is still alive and is now at the poorhouse at Bellaire, Antrim, county, Michigan. We don't know whether he will die or not, his windpipe is cut entirely through so that he has to be fed with a tube. He is in good spirits and can talk."

He claims to come from Ann Arbor, but there is only one Dick Burns of Ann Arbor, who formerly lived on Fountain st. and was a teamster. On inquiry, it has been learned that our Dick is in the employ of Hiram Marsh, a farmer living a few miles west of the city. Mr. Burns is as hale and hearty as ever. The question is, who is this Dick Burns who is now in a critical condition at Bellaire?

## TAXES PAID PROMPTLY.

TAXES HIGHER, STILL LARGER PER CENT PAID.

This is Strong Evidence of Prosperity.—Taxes Nearly Double, Yet Less Per Cent Remains Unpaid.

There is no better evidence of a way of prosperity now engulfing the country than in the collection of taxes.

This year the rate for city taxes was \$9.42 on each \$1,000 of valuation. Last year it was \$5.92.

The rate this summer was in consequence \$3.50 higher on each \$1,000 than last year, and it would naturally be supposed that the delinquents would be proportionately more numerous this year than last, if other conditions were equal.

But the figures tell a different story. They are as follows:

TAXES—1898.  
Amount city tax.....\$42,100  
Uncollected Aug. 15..... 10,274  
Per cent uncollected..... 24

TAXES—1899.  
Amount city tax.....\$68,461 20  
Uncollected Aug. 15..... 14,998 18  
Per cent uncollected..... 22

Therefore, notwithstanding the greatly increased taxes, the uncollected taxes is 2 per cent less than last year.

This \$14,998.18 will go over to the December collections, with 5 per cent added.

## Teachers' Examinations.

Teachers' examinations for Washtenaw county during 1899 and 1900 will be held as follows:

Ann Arbor, beginning the third Thursday in August.  
Ypsilanti, beginning the third Thursday in October.

Ann Arbor, beginning the last Thursday in March.  
Ann Arbor, beginning the third Thursday in June.

Final Eighth Grade examinations will be held the last Saturday in February and the last Saturday in May. If

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HARD LUCK FOR THE KAPPS.

Two of Them Lose Horses in a Fire.—Another Injured in a Machine.

The saying that "misfortunes never come singly" has received startling proof in Ann Arbor last week. About one o'clock Friday afternoon the fire department was called out by the burning of a barn in the Fifth ward. It proved to be that of Frank Kapp, of 1687 Broadway. The fire was a quick one and despite the fact that the department made a fast run up the hill, they could not save the barn which was burned to the ground. A horse belonging to Burt Kapp, who drives one of the Sanitary Milk Company's wagons, was burned to death. A second horse belonging to Frank Kapp was burned so badly that it will probably have to be shot. It came running out of the barn with its tail, mane and hair all afire. The two men who lost horses were brothers. A third brother, William Kapp, had four fingers taken off his hand the other day, at the lower town foundry, so that the family seems to be particularly afflicted.

## "Uncle Josh" Coming.

The most beautiful story of American life told on the stage will be presented at the Athens theater tomorrow night. The famous play of "Uncle Josh Spruceboy" is a story of New England life full of fun that keeps the audience in a merry mood through the four acts, and with a vein of pathos that will cause a tear or two to trickle down the cheek. The scene is laid in Vermont and some of the characters are taken from the life and daily habits of the people the author met there. The company presenting the play this season is an efficient one, and in addition to considerable special scenery, a first-class orchestra fills an important part.

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## AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS.

**MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE.**  
We learn that Dr. Alton, of Bridgewater Station, has rented rooms in the union savings bank building and will locate here.

Chas. Pardee sold his trotting horse, Greenback, to M. E. Burch, of Sharon, for \$125.

J. H. Kingsley's old family horse was so injured on a barbed wire fence that it had to be killed.

**CHELSEA STANDARD.**  
Edward Monroe was so unfortunate as to get one of the bones of his right leg broken Monday, while engaged in taking down a porch from in front of James Geddes' residence on Park street. The workmen were trying to move the structure in one piece and it slipped, catching Mr. Monroe, breaking the bone and otherwise bruising him.

George H. Foster did some quick work last week. He left Chelsea last week Wednesday morning, at 7:30 o'clock and went to Mrs. F. Everett's farm, six miles south of Chelsea, and drove a well fifty feet deep and struck a flowing well which throws a barrel a minute sixteen feet in the air. He then moved his outfit to Joseph Mayer's and put a well fifty-five feet and struck another fine flowing well, and came back to Chelsea Thursday night, having been out but two days.

**CHELSEA HERALD.**  
Robert Wilson, a former employee of the Pinckney Dispatch, has fallen heir to \$25,000. Printers are not usually in such good luck as they seldom have such rich relations. But then Robert is red-headed and that may in a measure account for it.

James Reilly, of Dexter, has been awarded \$15 damage by the village council on account of his horse getting mired in a water works trench at the corner of Summit and Congdon streets at the time the Summit street main was laid.

J. J. Rafferty yesterday became the possessor of a blue heron, which is the largest ever captured in this neighborhood. It was caught on a lake in Lyndon by the Hadley boys. J. J. will put the bird in the museum which is to be exhibited at St. Mary's church picnic next Tuesday.

**DEXTER LEADER.**  
The next German day celebration will be held at Jackson. This is the first time that it will have ever been held outside of Washtenaw county.

St. Mary's Society of Pinckney made \$250 at their picnic.

The German day celebration at Saline cleared \$600.

Webster people are not feeling a bit good natured over the delay in putting the new iron bridge in place. It is expected now that it will be done in a few days.

Mrs. Ella Bostwick received a letter from her son Will, who has been in Creede, Colo., for some time, stating that he had enlisted in the 33d U. S. regiment for service in the Philippines.

This is the busiest season in many years for mechanics. It is well nigh impossible to hire one now and they all have work ahead until cold weather. Prosperity somewhere.

**SALINE OBSERVER.**  
Michael Aberle had a horse badly cut with a barbed wire fence, Tuesday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bredernitz, Tuesday.

The Presbyterian society will hold their regular Harvest Festival September 29.

The next meeting of the Saline Farmers' club will be held at the home of G. L. Hoyt, Friday, September first.

John Welker, a farm hand of Chas. Finkbeiner, died of typhoid fever Wednesday morning.

There are five cases of typhoid fever at the home of Sebastian Finkbeiner, south-west of here.

Elizabeth Burron, mother of Geo. Burron north of town, died Wednesday morning. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Friday.

Mike Wackenhut of Bridgewater, while attempting to shoot a hawk Sunday, with an old rusty gun, was injured by its recoil and died from the effect Tuesday.

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**THE YPSILANTIAN.**  
A. L. Braisted, of Grand Rapids, died last week at the home of his father-in-law, W. B. Seymour of this city. He leaves a widow and three children.

When the time comes for casting about for a candidate for county treasurer, the name of Wm. Campbell should not be overlooked.

Principal and Mrs. E. A. Lyman of the Normal are expected home from Kansas this week.

Farmers on the new mail routes, in order to receive their mail daily, must have a box conveniently located in front of their premises so that the carrier can deposit the mail without getting out of the wagon.

Fletcher M. Towar, of Detroit, died at Joliet, Ill., where he had gone on U. S. government business, last week. He leaves a wife and daughter; the former was Miss Kate Wartz of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mansfield start for Cheboygan, Saturday, for a week's vacation and pleasure. Miss Grace will return with them.

Jerome Shipman recently came across some old books that had belonged to his grandfather and had not been opened for many years. In one of them he found a copy of the Ulster Co. Gazette of Jan. 4, 1800, containing the notice of Washington's death and burial. This is evidently an original, as the paper is of a kind not seen at this time and is brown with age. With this were other papers, reproductions of the first newspaper ever printed and of one printed in 1776.

**THE YPSILANTI COMMERCIAL.**

It is reported that farmers in this vicinity are cutting parts of their corn crop in order to save the fodder, the dry weather having ruined some fields.

The public schools of Ypsilanti will begin in all departments Tuesday, September 5, at 9 a. m. The superintendent will be in his office in the High School building, Saturday, September 2.

S. M. Crombie received a thoroughbred pointer from Oshkosh, Wis. The animal came by express and is a fine one, having been educated to hunt prairie chickens. His owner will turn him loose on Ypsilanti heens until the quail season opens.

The Normal has at last received its belated pieces of statuary, a life sized representation of Niobe and her children. This statue was ordered from Paris seven months ago, but the first one shipped was sunk off the coast of Labrador, and thus our college has two Niobes—one in a state of salt water preservation.

There will be an attempt to break a clause in the Rheade will, in court. Sir John Stanhope Rheade, an English baronet, and once a resident of Washtenaw county, put a clause in his will providing that his daughter, Mrs. Maria L. Pierce of this city should receive a one-fifth share of the estate, \$10,000, but this sum is to be held by a trustee as long as the daughter's husband is living, during which time she will receive the interest. At his death she or her children shall win the principal. A bill of chancery has been filed against the executor to determine the validity of this son-in-law exclusion clause.

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At Bristol Station, Va., October 14, 1863, by which field the Ohio Central Lines special Grand Army trains will run en route to the Philadelphia encampment, the Union loss was 50 killed, 335 wounded, 161 captured—a total of 546; the Confederate loss was 1474.

## ROOTS FOR THE DAIRY.

FOR A SMALL HERD THEY ARE VERY GOOD.

What They Can Be Raised For and Their Value as a Food Compared to Other Things.

Wherever a few cows are kept for milk or butter it would be well to consider the advisability of growing a few roots. A ton of roots does not have as large a food value as most feeds we might mention, but it furnishes a succulence which cannot be obtained in winter from any other food except silage. Silage requires equipment in the way of silo and cutting machinery which is not available to the man with a small herd. Roots may be grown on any good loam soil, and will yield a profitable return in feed for labor expended.

At the Indiana station mangels were grown at a labor cost of \$1.07 a ton. This included plowing, fitting, planting, weeding, cultivating and harvesting. The variety which made the largest yield and was easiest to remove from the ground and handle to and from the wagon was the Giant Yellow Intermediate. It grows well out of the ground. The neck of the largest mangels of this variety were small enough to be grasped and picked up conveniently with one hand. This is a large saving in time over the varieties which are so large and round like a ball that they must be fumbled to get a good hold, or possibly use two hands. The Mammoth Long Red mangel is a good handler, but last season did not yield as well as the Giant Yellow Intermediate. Four varieties varied in yield from sixteen to twenty-five tons to the acre.

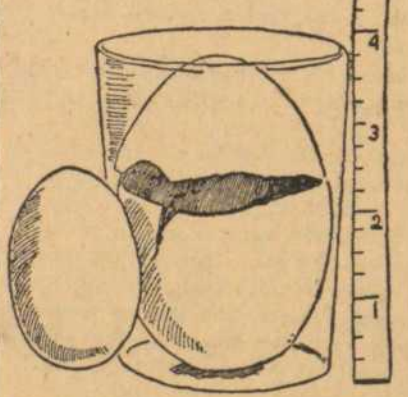
Plant in rows from eighteen to thirty inches apart, depending upon the man and horse which must cultivate them. Sow at the rate of six pounds to the acre. A good stand of plants will permit cutting out with a hoe all but a bunch every eight inches, then these should be thinned with the hand, leaving only the strongest plant of the bunch. It is especially desirable that this thinning be well done. Where two plants are left together neither makes a good growth in size or shape. Care should be taken not to allow the weeds to get started ahead of the mangels. Keep the ground loose by means of cultivation. A spike-tooth cultivator or a weeder works nicely until the plants are large enough to use a Planet Jr. A chain dragging behind leaves the ground in very nice condition.

## Regrafting Young Orchards.

It sometimes happens that the farmer finds even before his orchard gets to bearing that a large part of the trees are of varieties that will not give him much profit. Regrafting to better sorts is a very laborious and expensive process if the trees have grown to nearly bearing size, because so many grafts must be set to make an even head. A few sprouts may be left below the grafts to draw the sap, but they must be cut away as soon as the grafts get to growing. A better way is to take a few years to do the grafting, putting in two or three grafts each spring, until the entire head is changed. So much cutting away of the top wood will cause many sprouts to start. These must be destroyed as fast as they appear, rubbing them off while the green shoot can be removed with the thumb and finger.

## LATEST FREAK IN EGGS.

One of the most remarkable designs in Easter eggs is that recently laid by a white Brahma hen, which picks up



a living on the farm of Samuel Ridge, at Bensalem, Bucks county, Pa. At first only the abnormal size of the egg attracted attention. It was found to measure eight and three-quarter inches in circumference at the largest part, and seven and a half inches at the smallest point, and it was decided that it was merely a very large double yolk egg, which is a more or less common performance of hens, but when the shell was opened another complete egg of normal size was found within. The eggs are shown in the accompanying cut.

## Importance of Variety.

When the flock has received no grain but corn the hens soon begin to refuse it. This may be particularly noticed if a small quantity of oats or wheat be thrown before them. They will at once eagerly seize the grains of oats and wheat, leaving the corn untouched. This indicates that the hens require something else than that which they derive from the corn, such as the phosphates or nitrogen. After feeding oats or wheat awhile the hens will leave those grains and eat largely of corn. The proper method, then, is to keep a variety, using corn as a portion of the ration in winter, but omitting it in the summer. Among the grains we may mention wheat, corn, oats, barley and buckwheat, the best results being obtained when they are changed from one to the other occasionally.

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## Report of the Condition of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank.

At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business, June 30th, 1899.

**RESOURCES.**  
Loans and Discounts..... \$32,827.98  
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages..... \$8,027.19  
Overdrafts..... 1,989.35  
Banking House..... 20,500.00  
Furniture and Fixtures..... 7,417.32  
Other Real Estate..... 49,215.80  
CASH.....  
Due from Banks in res'y..... \$175,000.00  
Exchanges for clearing..... 4,268.07  
House..... 2,280.44  
Checks and Cash Items..... 228.43  
Gold and Coins..... 42,890.00  
Silver Coin..... 1,815.00  
U. S. and National Bank Notes..... 27,224.00—251,748.57  
Total..... \$1,541,751.21

**LIABILITIES.**  
Capital stock paid in... \$50,000.00  
Surplus Fund..... 150,000.00  
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid..... 1,159.72  
Dividends Unpaid..... 2,808.00  
DEPOSITS.....  
Commercial Deposits Subject to check..... \$199,414.28  
Savings Deposits..... 1,044,701.08  
Savings certificates of deposits..... 83,835.08  
Due to Banks and Bankers..... 19,832.55—1,337,763.49  
Total..... \$1,541,751.21

**STATE OF MICHIGAN.** ss.  
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW.  
I, Chas. E. Hiscock, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of July, 1899.

MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public.

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## ODES AND ENDS.

It was 300 years ago, in Florence, that the first grand opera was produced.

Because of the growth of Russian commerce by sea, a company for the classification of ships has been formed on the model of the British Lloyds and the French Bureau Veritas.

In Bavaria each family on Easter Sunday brings to the churchward fire a walnut branch, which after being partially burned is carried home to be laid on the hearth during tempests as a protection against lightning.

So many reforms are being inaugurated in London that there is danger of the staid and solid old city being swamped with them. The latest is the delivery of letters on Sunday within the city limits. A trifle extra postage is demanded.

"The Devil's Sonata" was composed by Tartini, the great violinist, under the influence of a dream. In the visions of the night it seemed to him that the devil invited him to a trial of skill upon the violin, and suddenly he awoke with the music of the sonata ringing in his ears. He at once noted it down on paper.

The noble art of self defense is inculcated early among some of the wilder tribes of the Caucasus, who instruct their children, as soon as they can walk, in the use of the dagger. First the little ones are taught to stab water without making a splash, and in course of time incessant practice gives them an extraordinary command over the weapon.

The students of Missouri university have organized a club to promote the growth of whiskers. The by-laws, which were adopted, are rigid and exacting. No student will be permitted to shave before next April, and something more than a mustache is required. The student who has the longest beard at the close of school is to be rewarded. The club is said to owe its existence to the fact that the pupils became distressed at the remarks regarding their extremely youthful appearance.

## PEARLS OF THOUGHT.

Without enthusiasm nothing very great can be accomplished.

A bad actor is sometimes the ham served with antique eggs.

A discontented individual is like a sailboat without a rudder.

No man is so good that his neighbors can't see room for improvement.

The influence of woman is all-powerful—especially when she wants anything.

It's useless to try to kill time, for it will eventually turn the tables on you.

After it is too late a man thinks of a lot of bright things he might have said.

Every man has his price. The street-car conductor considers a nickel a fare price.

Wives wonder why husbands are so sensitive and husbands wonder why wives are so expensive.

A lawyer is an individual who rescues your property from others—then keeps it for his trouble.

Ordinary mortals might possibly get along without physicians, but it would be pretty hard on the druggists.

Swear neither by heaven nor by earth; swear by nothing—except by yourself when no one will hear you.

An optimist says that all things are for the best. If this be true the next best haven't the ghost of a show.

Even if a woman does insist on having her own way in everything she changes her mind so often that it breaks the monotony.

When a girl marries she is apt to have a rude awakening from her dream of love, but let her become a widow and she invariably closes her eyes and proceeds to dream again.

## TIMELY PERSONALS.

Speaker Reed is an expert chaffing-dish cook.

Major Strong says Colonel Fred Funston is the bravest man that ever lived.

Senator Hoar will be 75 when his term in the United States senate expires in 1901.

Sarah Bernhardt often trims her own bonnets. She thought of becoming a milliner.

The last lineal descendant of Dante, Countess Gozzadini, has just died in Bologna.

Chichester has produced fifty-three publications since he began writing eighteen years ago.

The name of the man investigating Tammany is pronounced Ma-zet—rhyming with forget.

Beilamy Storer, the new Minister to Spain, is a Harvard man, as are the Ambassadors to Great Britain and Russia.

Rudyard Kipling says that the hardest work he ever did and the hardest he ever saw done is that of a newspaper office.

Peter A. B. Widener, the Philadelphia traction magnate, has an art gallery valued at \$2,500,000 and believed to be fully worth that amount.

Ex-Senator Quay is a master of French literature, and finds his chief delight in reading Victor Hugo's works in the original.

## THEY WANT TO TELL

These Grateful Women Who Have Been Helped by Mrs. Pinkham.

Women who have suffered severely and been relieved of their ills by Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine are constantly urging publication of their statements for the benefit of other women. Here are two such letters:

Mrs. LIZZIE BEVERLY, 258 Merrimac St., Lowell, Mass., writes:

"It affords me great pleasure to tell all suffering women of the benefit I have received from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I can hardly find words to express my gratitude for what she has done for me. My trouble was ulceration of the womb. I was under the doctor's care. Upon examination he found fifteen very large ulcers, but he failed to do me good. I took several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, also used the Sanative Wash, and am cured. Mrs. Pinkham's medicine saved my life, and I would recommend it to all suffering women."

Mrs. AMOS THOMBLEY, Ellenburgh Ctr., N. Y., writes:

"I took cold at the time my baby was born, causing me to have milk legs, and was sick in bed for eight weeks. Doctors did me no good. I was so troubled with falling of the womb. I could not eat, had faint spells as often as ten times a day. One day a lady came to see me and told me of the benefit she had derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine, and advised me to try it. I did so, and had taken only half a bottle before I was able to sit in a chair. After taking three bottles I could do my own work. I am now in perfect health."

## OF LOCAL INTEREST.

People We Know and we will Profit by Hearing About Them.

This is purely a local event. It took place in Ann Arbor. Not in Buffalo or New York. You are asked to investigate it. Asked to believe a citizen's word. Any article that is endorsed, That obtains resident advocates, Is more worthy of confidence, Than a far off foreign article, Testified by unknown people.

Mrs. Joseph Buechler, of No. 314 Second street says "I had pain through my back and kidneys. I could not lie or rest comfortably in bed and in the mornings felt unrefreshed and tired. The kidney secretions became affected, unnatural and distressing. I doctored a great deal but met with little or no success. Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Eberbach & Sons drug store, in a short time entirely rid me of the trouble."

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## GENIUS AND INSANITY.

As evidence of the old saying that genius is but a step removed from insanity, the following cases of famous personages are cited:

Jean D'Arc had visions. Walter Scott had visions. Charles Lamb went crazy. Byron was visited by ghosts. Julius Caesar was an epileptic. Coleridge was a morbid maniac. Peter the Great was an epileptic. Martin Luther had hallucinations. Mozart died of cerebral hydropsy. Descartes was followed by a specter. Raphael was afflicted with suicidal mania.

Edgar A. Poe showed symptoms of insanity.

J. J. Rousseau was a melancholy madman.

Cromwell was a hypochondriac and had visions.

Richelieu, on occasions, imagined himself a horse.

Swedenborg fancied that he went to heaven on a white horse.

Mahommed was an epileptic and received messages from God.

Shelley, called by his friends "Mad Shelley," had hallucinations.

Dean Swift inherited insanity, and was himself not a little mad.

Pascal in early youth was thrown into a passion by the sight of water.

Goethe, on at least one occasion, encountered a phantasm of himself.

The great Johnson was a hypochondriac, and had hallucinations of hearing.

Chopin abandoned his wife because she offered to another man the seat he wanted.

Mme. de Staël was fearful of the cold of the tomb, and commanded that her dead body be wrapped in furs.

Milton was of a morbid temperament nearly approaching insanity. Mourn ideas as to hell are formed on the descriptions evolved by his diseased imagination.

## THE IRISH JOKER.

An Irish jury returned the following verdict recently: "That the deceased came to his death by trying to light his pipe with an electric light, which can't be done successfully."

A sergeant was drilling at Limerick a squad of militia recruits whose mode of marching in line was decidedly eccentric. At length, utterly exasperated by their irregularity of step, the sergeant bawled out: "Halt! Jist come over here, all of ye, and look at yourselves. It's a fine line ye're keepin', isn't it?"

Pat came home for his breakfast one morning, but instead of having it ready his wife was sitting by the fire, sobbing bitterly. Pat: "That's the matter wid ye this mornin', Biddy?" Biddy: "Och, shure an' I've got a big bill in from the baker, an' I don't know how it is to be paid." Pat: "An' what are ye cryin' for; shure, isn't it the baker that should be cryin'?"

An English gentleman traveling through County Wexford came to a ford and hired a boat to take him across. The water being rather more agitated than was agreeable to him, he asked the boatman if any person was ever lost on the passage. "Never," replied the boatman. "My brother was drowned here last week, but we found him next day."

In Ireland recently a quarrel had taken place at a fair, and a culprit was being sentenced for manslaughter. The doctor, however, had given evidence to show that the victim's skull was abnormally thin. The prisoner, on being asked if he had anything to say for himself, replied: "No, yer honor; but I would ask, was that a skull for a man to go to a fair wid?"

An Irish lady, in a party which was discussing the virtues or evils of smoking, insisted that she habit shortened the lives of people who indulged in it. "I don't agree with that," said a gentleman; "there's my father, who smokes every blessed day of his life, and he is now 70 years old." "That proves nothing," cried the lady impulsively; "if he hadn't smoked, he would probably be 80 by this time."

An honest, simple Irishman, a short time ago, landed on one of the quays at Liverpool in search of harvest work. A fellow on the quay, thinking to quiz the poor stranger, inquired: "How lang, Pat, have you broke loose from your father's cabin? And how does the potatoes eat now?" The Irish lad, who happened to have a shillalah in his hand, answered: "Oh, they are very well, my jewel. Would you like to taste the stalk?" and, knocking the inquirer down, coolly walked off.

## Train Talk.

"The greatest evil, perhaps," said the lean passenger, "of profanity—"

"Is its inadequacy," interrupted the fat passenger, who had discovered the lean passenger's name in his other vest.—Indianapolis Journal.

## IN SPARE MOMENTS.

Sympathetic Passenger-by: "But if he's badly hurt, why doesn't he go to the hospital?" British Workman: "Wot! In his dinner time?"

"Isn't he rather fast?" asked the anxious mother. Daughter: "Yes, mamma, in one sense of the word. I don't think he can get away."

Agatha: "I believe you call yourself an advanced woman, dear?" Alethea: "Yes, love." Agatha (sweetly): "Then you may tip the waiter, dear."

Alphonse: "You never hear of women cashiers running off with their employers' money." Henri: "Not often; but, when it does happen they take the employer, too."

Counsel: "Now tell me—while you were standing as you say just in front of the defendant, did anything remarkable strike you?" Pat: "It did, sorr."

"And what was that?" "His flat."



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JUDGING from the mere face of the returns, the United States have given Cuba a splendid financial administration. During the first six months of the present calendar year the receipts of the whole Cuban treasury have been \$1,480,021 more than the expenditures. What makes this showing all the more gratifying is that many items of expenditure are entirely new in the administration of the island's affairs. For instance, the one matter of sanitation has cost \$1,712,014, whereas Spain could never afford to waste money in this way. The item of charities and hospitals was \$293,881. For the six months the entire receipts were \$6,982,010, and the entire expenditures \$5,501,988. This is a good beginning for the United States to make in the practice in the management of colonial affairs.—Ex.

THE English made a goodly ceremony of the opening of the Atbara bridge in which American enterprise came in for the principal honor. The sirdar, Lord Kitchener, made a speech in which he stated that the completion of the "magnificent bridge" is a "record achievement." Then he confessed that this "achievement" would have been impossible without the help of the United States, whose iron and steel manufacturers fabricated a structure in weeks that no English firm was able to do in so many months. Lord Kitchener referred to this American "pluck" as constituting "energy and ability to turn out work of magnitude in less time than anybody else." But he was glad, he said, that in the event of the English inability to do the work, "our American cousins" prove themselves the ones to carry off the honor and the profit.—Detroit Tribune.

## Who Will be Our Next President?

Politicians are now planning for the presidential campaign of 1900, but the war has so overshadowed all other matters that politics is almost unnoticed. Many people are of the opinion that the candidates will be the same as in 1896, but there may be a "dark horse" who will win the race. Popularity has much to do with candidates. This is also true with medicine. The most popular remedy today is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and it has retained this for many years. Science never discovered the equal of this medicine for stomach, liver and kidney diseases. It builds up solid flesh tissues, imparts vigor and vitality to all organs, and makes life worth living. A bottle will make a big change for the better. Try it.

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## Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Al. W. Martin's big dramatic and scenic production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" comes to the Athens Theatre Tuesday September 5. This is the biggest and best organization of the kind on the road, over ten thousand dollars having been spent on magnificent scenery and effects. The features introduced are novel, numerous and startling; the dramatic cast is one of the best ever put together, for this continuous success. The special features are introduced by a corps of colored artists, including the original Georgia Jubilee singers, who introduce camp-meeting songs, banjo solos and quartettes. A grand prize cake-walk, by the colored members, buck and wing dancing contests and features too numerous to mention. Among the scenic effects, is an exciting steamboat race, between the Natchez and the R. E. Lee, cotton fields and plantations, portraying habits of the southern negro, St. Clair's residence, by moonlight, the most beautiful plantation picture ever painted, gorgeous tableau and transformation of Eva in the golden realms. A free street parade, comprising fifty people, three bands, chariots, donkeys, oxen, horses, ponies, etc., will be given daily at noon.

**ABOUT COVERING YOUR WALLS.**  
Don't let any of the mixtures go on your rooms that depend on glue to hold them to the wall.

The Michigan State Board of Health has given much attention to this subject. A paper was read at one of their state conventions and published with their annual report, in which the use of paper and kalsomine on walls was strongly condemned and Alabastine recommended. And the State once published a book entitled, "Shadows from the Walls of Death," and placed it in all public libraries of the State.

Send to the Alabastine Co., Grand Rapids, Mich., for board of health paper above mentioned.  
One five-pound package of Alabastine will cover fifty square yards of average surface. If the walls are rough or absorbent it will require more. Relief work, stippling, combing, etc., require much more per yard; it will cover double the surface that the same amount of whitening will cover.

## PASTOR MUST LEAD HIS FLOCK

He Should Not Come Down to Their Level.

"The minister should be given to understand that his congregation expects to share in the ripest knowledge he possesses, and will appreciate his most careful thinking," writes Ian MacLaren in the Ladies' Home Journal. "When he rises to his height on any occasion and preaches a great sermon, it does not matter whether every person has understood every word or some of them only about one-half. He ought to be told that all the members of his church are proud of him and thank God for him, and that even if he were beyond them this was not because of obscurity but because of elevation, and that they are pleased to have a minister who lives at such a level. He must not come down to them, but they must strive to rise to him. It is a miserable business for a preacher to repeat the commonplace of his people in a showy form so that the man in the street goes home congratulating himself because he has heard his paltry ideas trickled out in a showy dress. It is the function of the prophet to lead his flock onward, even though the march be sometimes through the wilderness, and they ought to follow close behind him and tell him that they are there, and that they will not cease to follow till he has brought them into the fullness of the land of promise. Under those conditions a man will feel bound to read the best books and to think out every subject to its very heart; he will grudge no labor of brain, no emotion of soul, to meet the expectation of a thoughtful, broad-minded people, and if he come at last to be a leader of thought whose words fly far and wide, then to this congregation will the credit be due who believed in him, and demanded great things of him, and made of him more than he, in his most ambitious moment, could have imagined."

## A MAD MONARCH'S FREAK.

King of Bavaria Found Pleasure in Frightening Horses to Death.

"At the time the malady of Ludwig II., the mad king of Bavaria, was at its worst, he gave orders that thirty of his finest horses should be put in the best condition possible for a race," writes Prof. J. H. Gore in the Ladies' Home Journal. "When the report came that no further improvement could be made, he had them brought into an open field where every conceivable form of noise-making device had been stationed. The horses were tied to posts and the king from an elevated stand gave the signal that started the flare of trumpets, the booming of cannon, the firing of bombs and other outlandish noises. The horses reared, plunged, struggled to get free and, finally, breaking loose, started in the wildest gallops from this bedlam. But toward whatever corner of the field they fled they were stopped by noises just as terrifying and sent to another quarter to be frightened again and again. When the horses became too tired to run well the king found the spectacle uninteresting and ordered the orgy to cease. By this cruel freak the royal stables lost a number of their most valuable animals."

## FURNISHES A VALUABLE SOOT.

Substance Left by Acetylene Gas Makes the Finest Black Ink.

The flame of acetylene gas has been found to furnish a soot which is especially valuable in the color industry. When such gas is burned with a smoking flame the result is the production of three or four times as great a quantity of soot as is the case with mineral oils. Moreover, it is very light in weight and exhibits an absolutely black color without a tinge of brown and has none of the tarry admixtures or other substances that characteristically appear in lampblack. The substance is likewise noted for being very bulky and is found to be admirably adapted for India ink and the colors of fine inks for such lithographic work as requires a positive black. It is now being manufactured in France by a patented process, almost absolute purity of color and texture being obtained at a comparatively small cost.

## High Price for Straightness.

One of the difficult problems in practical mechanics is to make a "straight-edge." How difficult it is may be judged from an incident which occurred in the shops of J. A. Brashear, the astronomical instrument-maker. A customer asked Mr. Brashear what would be the price of "a perfect straight-edge of glass thirty-six inches long." "It can't be made absolutely perfect," said Mr. Brashear, "but it could probably be made with a limit of error amounting to only a fraction of a wave-length of light." "How much would that cost?" "About forty thousand dollars!" It turned out that the customer wanted the straight-edge for a scraper, and that an error of one sixty-fourth of an inch would have been insensible for his purpose.

## Smart Child.

Boston Traveler: "What are you after, my dear?" said a grandmother to a little boy, who was sliding along a room and casting furtive glances at a gentleman who was paying a visit. "I am trying, grandma, to steal papa's hat out of the room without letting the gentleman see it; he wants him to think he's out."

## American Enterprise.

"Mrs. Brown, up on your street, seems to be quite a woman of business," "I should say she was. She went down the other day and had her carriage insured while her barn was burning."

The more sunburned the man the more flaming his neckwear.

## CLEAN PEOPLE



Cleanliness goes with health. If we have catarrh anywhere we cannot be wholly clean. Makes systematic efforts to be free from this disgusting disease. Mrs. L. A. Johnston, 103 Pilham and Ripley Sts., Montgomery, Ala., tells her experience with catarrh of the stomach and how she was cured:

"I will state to you that I have taken eight bottles of your Pe-r-u-na and two of Man-a-lin and rejoice to say, 'God bless Dr. Hartman and Pe-r-u-na. And I earnestly assure you that it has done me more good than any medicine I have ever taken in my life. I prescribe it to every one I meet who is suffering, as the best medicine in the world, and have made many converts who are now rejoicing in the great good which they have derived from the same. I can tell you that I am almost entirely relieved of indigestion, that great foe which has tortured me so many years, and can now eat anything I desire without it is fruits or something acid.'"

To understand the scientific action of Pe-r-u-na it is best to have Dr. Hartman's special book for women or his book on chronic catarrh. These books are mailed free by the Pe-r-u-na Medicine Company, Columbus, O. All druggists sell Pe-r-u-na.

## MAN AND SNAKE.

H. Rider Haggard tells, in Longman's, a little story which he evidently considers more dramatic, but which is so full of horror for any lover of animals that it can only cause condemnation of the brutal instinct of "sport."

Once, many years ago, I was riding in search of small game upon the veldt in the Transvaal, when a hare jumped up before me. Halting the horse, I shot at it from the saddle, and with the second barrel broke one of its hind legs and injured the other. Springing from my horse, without reloading the gun, I ran to catch it; but I saw with chagrin that it would reach the hole for which it was heading before I could overtake it.

Presently it came to the hole, but without bolting, sat quite still upon the hither side. Thinking that it was dying, I crept up cautiously and stretched out my hand to seize it. The next instant I received one of the sharpest shocks I ever experienced; for on the other side of the hole, within four feet of my face, like some child of evil magic, there rose up suddenly the largest cobra that I have ever seen.

The reptile, which appeared to me to be about six feet long, stood upon his coiled tail, puffed out his horrible and deadly hood, flicked his tongue and spat at me.

There was no reason why he should not have struck me also, since for the moment I was too paralyzed to move. Recovering myself, I sprang backward and began searching in my pocket for a cartridge, when the great snake, with a single swift movement, vanished into the hole.

Now as the cobra had gone, I thought I might as well secure the hare, which all this time, petrified with terror, had been crouching by the hole. So once again I bent forward. It heard me, and tried to run away, but was evidently too weak.

Then it looked first back at me and next at the burrow down which the snake had vanished; and seeming finally to decide that the chances of a cobra are greater than the chances of man, it uttered a scream and followed the reptile into the hole.

I stood by and listened. Presently from under the earth came the sound of a rush and scuffle, followed by another pitiful scream. Then all was still.

## DISHES THEY FAVORED.

George III. also loved boiled mutton and turnips. There was nothing Napoleon was so fond of as boiled mutton with onion sauce and he frequently indulged his taste to such an extent as to make himself ill.

Queen Elizabeth made her breakfasts and suppers off of salt beef and ale. In contrast, Mary Queen of Scots, whose tastes were French, had a most dainty table and was luxurious in the extreme.

James I. liked a Scottish dish, cockle-leeke. Charles, his son, entertained lavishly. He kept two dozen castles always open and ready for him and would have hundreds of guests to dinner. Five hundred dishes were always served.

## Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The Sunday afternoon meetings will be resumed at the rooms next Sunday, September 3, at 3:30.

Prof. Coler will resume his Bible study class at the rooms Friday evening, September 1, at 7:45. This class will study the Sunday school lesson and to it are invited teachers from any school—gentlemen as well as ladies. No class fees are asked. The last time the class met there were fourteen present. It is hoped that at least that number will be there Friday evening.

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Sold by druggists, 75c.  
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## 'NOTHER NEWS-PAPER CHANGE.

CRAMER TO LEAVE THE TIMES AND GO TO THE ARGUS.

Has a Nose for News and Will be a Valuable Addition to The Argus Force—The Times Will Find it no Easy Task to Fill His Place.

Seward Cramer, who has been doing local work for The Evening Times for the past six years, gave notice on Tuesday to his employer that on September 9 he would sever his connection with that paper. Mr. Cramer has received a flattering offer from the Daily Argus and will step from the older daily into the newer venture, continuing in a corresponding capacity to that which he has lately occupied on the Times.

Seward is a rustler when it comes to finding news and he will be a valuable addition to The Argus force. The Times will find it a task to fill his place.

## THE CITY.

The Rev. Lawrence Cole has accepted the presidency of St. Stephen's college on the Hudson.

John Koch has a large advertisement in this week's REGISTER announcing his opening. Our readers will find a fine new stock of goods at Mr. Koch's.

A delivery team used by Will Ackland, of Dexter, ran away yesterday and seriously injured Bert Rice, of Morenci, who was visiting Ackland. Rice is badly injured and may die.

Jahn David Stall, aged 74, died Tuesday morning at the residence of Fred Siple. Mr. Stall was born in Germany and came to America in 1856 and has resided in Ann Arbor ever since.

Arthur H. Covert, of Superior Township, a graduate of the University of both Literary and Law departments, for the past four years superintendent of schools at Schoolcraft, Michigan has located in Detroit for the practice of law.

A smooth shoplifter came near getting away with \$25.00 worth of jewelry from the Fair on North Main street Monday. Mrs. Exinger, however, saw what was going on and the fellow was made to disgorge the above amount. He was allowed to escape.

Amos Schippacasse of E. Main street died Monday evening. Funeral services were held yesterday morning at St. Thomas church. Mr. Schippacasse has resided in this city many years. He began as a poor man and has accumulated considerable property.

A telegram announces the safe arrival of Miss Lesia Van Valkenburg yesterday in Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, where she is to be assistant principal of the High School during the coming year. She is attended by the best wishes of many Ann Arbor friends.

Miss Jane McKenzie, of Stockbridge, Mich., has recently completed a course in Shorthand and Typewriting at the Stenographic Institute, and on Monday went to Detroit where she secured a good position with the State Agency for the Manhattan and Hammond Typewriter Companies.

Suit has been commenced in the circuit court by Stowell Wood by his attorney, G. W. Turnbull against Eugene B. Freer for \$5,000 damages for slander. Wood claims that Freer made serious charges against his character of a nature not fit to print and that the same are not true and he wants damages.

Walter S. Weeks, who graduated from the Ann Arbor High School last Spring has been elected principal of the Warren, Michigan High School and will begin work next Monday. Mr. Weeks is an unusually bright young man who is sure to make his mark in the world. It is seldom one so young is given a place of so much importance, but Walter will no doubt prove equal to the task.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends for the flowers, Rev. Neuman and the choir for their services at the funeral, also the kind friends who came in during the sickness and death of our husband and brother, Gottlieb Zebb.

MRS. LYDIA ZEBB,  
Brothers and Sisters.

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FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—A fine room house with a 6x12 rod lot, corner of Fountain and Summit street, Ann Arbor, large barn, shed and shop; house contains bath, hot and cold soft water, also city water and a never failing well of pure spring water. Fine garden. For price and terms apply on the premises. 2317

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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.

#### Lima.

Mrs. A. Holcomb, formerly Mrs. Wm. Potter, is calling on old friends.

#### Mrs. Eli Ward is quite sick.

Jas. McLaren threshed 238 bushels of wheat from 90 acres.

#### Webster.

There will be services at the Webster Congregational church next Sunday.

There will be a business meeting and also a C. E. meeting at the church Sunday night.

The C. E. society will hold an entertainment at the church tomorrow night. Admission 10c.

#### Salem Village.

Prof. Fuller and wife have returned from their visit at the latter's home. The Professor will commence his school work next Tuesday.

Miss Katie Long who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Rider, is under the doctor's care.

Mrs. L. J. Austin, who has been chaperoning a bevy of young ladies at Walled Lake returned home Monday evening.

D. E. Smith's house next to the Congregational church is now occupied by Fred Williams and family.

Mr. Lovelace, of Lapham's corners is very sick with typhoid fever.

#### West Salem.

Mrs. M. A. Ham, of Salem, visited at E. T. Walkers, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Roy Woodworth, of Grand Rapids, visited his parents, J. Woodworth, over Sunday.

Annabel Sullivan returned to her home in Detroit Wednesday after a three week's visit with her cousins, the Misses Clark.

Miss Maude Stanbro, of South Lyon, is visiting her friend Nellie Smith.

Mrs. Harve Nelson is on the sick list this week.

#### Delhi Mills.

Mr. Will Hough, of Cleveland, visited his cousin, Mrs. C. Roost, a few days ago.

Mrs. Foster, of Wyandotte, made Mrs. Schneider a short visit last week.

Mrs. Frankie Durrant and little daughter, are visiting at the home of her father, Mr. John Roost.

Miss Rosa Marsh is in Cheboygan, visiting her brother.

Miss Mabel Bowers, of Ann Arbor has returned home after spending several days in Delhi.

Stephen Voorhies, of Superior spent a day with his sister, Miss Lois a few days since.

Howard Babcock, a lad about 7 years old, fell from a tree last Sunday. A limb broke and he fell about 15 feet striking on his head, making an ugly wound and shaking him up generally. He is doing well at all appearances.

School begins next Monday.

#### Dexter.

Miss Bell Walker, of Detroit, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker.

The I. O. O. F. picnic was a grand success. About fifty attended and all joined to have a good time.

A slight shower Saturday laid the dust for those who attended the Farmers' picnic.

Rev. J. J. Staley will move to Belding the latter part of this week.

C. B. Alley, of the firm of Alley & Sons, has returned to his work. Mr. Alley, for the past two weeks, has been detained at home on account of his son's sickness.

The united Sunday School picnic has postponed until the scarlet fever scare is over.

Miss Maude Goodrich returned home Monday from Ypsilanti after having attended the summer normal for the past eight weeks.

#### Manchester.

M. F. Stein, the optician of Detroit, is in town this week.

Mrs. Nestell and daughter have returned from their Ypsilanti visit.

H. Eugene Tracy, of Jackson, spent Sunday in town.

Raynor Haensler went to Detroit Friday to visit friends.

Mrs. Leavenworth, of Grand Rapids and Mrs. Jaynes and two daughters, of Canada, have been visiting at their father's, O. A. Waite.

Mr. and Mrs. LaMar Brown and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Calhoun are spending the week rusticating at Wampers Lake.

Miss Maude Goodell has returned home from Ypsilanti. The Normal closed last Thursday and she joined a party of friends in Detroit on Friday.

Miss Edith Case has gone to Rock Island, Ill., where she will teach in the city schools.

Mrs. Feather, of Jackson, has been visiting her sisters in Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith have been entertaining relatives from Chicago.

Miss Bertha Lehn has returned to Toledo.

#### Dixboro.

Miss Mattie Galpin is in Ionia and other places thereabouts giving elocutionary entertainments. Some very high compliments have been given her wherever she has spent an evening.

No services were held at the M. E. church last Sunday morning, but in the afternoon those present listened to a very able discourse by Dr. Allen of Ypsilanti. The communion service followed.

The Epworth League will endeavor to increase the sum of money toward the new organ by giving a concert on Friday evening of this week. Admission 10 cents.

Miss Vall, assistant in the register of deeds office, in Adrian, is spending a few days with her relatives at the parsonage.

Mrs. Ed. Lyke entertains on Wednesday of this week. Her guests are the gentle sex composing the Ladies' Aid Society.

James Handy is about to remove his saw mill to the woods of Geo. Foster where he purchased a large number of trees.

The Sunday School excursion to Detroit and Bell Isle started off amid general rejoicing and anticipation.

Mr. Field preaches his last sermon before conference next Sunday evening. It is to the young people, upon "marriage."

It was a pretty wedding that took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Clements, of Dixboro, on Wednesday evening of last week when their daughter, Clara Blanche, became Mrs. Collin M. Stevens. The hands of the clock on the mantle of the front parlor were just pointing to the hour of seven when from the piano there broke forth the strains of Mendelssohn wedding march executed by Mrs. Howard Field, of Dixboro. A few moments afterward the wedding party appeared from the front stairway, led by Rev. Howard A. Field who was followed by Mr. Nelson Stevens brother of the groom acting as groomsmen and Miss Myrtle Bush, an intimate friend of the bride, acting as bridesmaid. Beholding them came the bride and groom, dressed in the most beautiful and richly decorated arch of green and white there the words were pronounced which made them man and wife. The ring ceremony of the Methodist Episcopal church was used, and meanwhile the piano played in subdued tones, the selection, "Hearts and Flowers," by Tobani. About fifty guests were present and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake with coffee were served. Immediately after supper the happy pair made their exit through a volley of old shoes and rice to the hack which conveyed them to a D. Y. & A. A. car which they took to Detroit. Later in the week they went to Mackinac and other northern points. The presents were both numerous and valuable. The bride is one of the most esteemed of Dixboro's young ladies, while the groom is the successful bookkeeper of the Argo Milling Company of Ann Arbor. Both have a host of friends, and the best wishes of many hearts will go with them wherever they go.

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Please send us the names and addresses of three music teachers or performers on the piano or organ and twenty-five cents in silver or postage and we will send you all of the following new and most popular pieces full sheet music arranged for piano or organ: "The flower that won my heart" now being sung by the best known singers in the country, "Mamie O'Rourke" the latest popular waltz song, "March Manila, Dewey's March Two Step" as played by the famous U. S. Marine Band of Washington D. C. and five other pages of popular music. Address, Popular Music Co., Indianapolis, Ind. if

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### PIANO PRICES

#### COMING UP.

This is an assertion never heard before. The past five years has marked a steady decline in piano values: close margins and cheap pianos have sent old time values tumbling. The present rise in iron and lumber with a strong improvement tendency has started a reaction, the house of Chickering & Sons taking the initiative. A notice (this morning) from Ludwig & Co., verifies the above statement. Our present stock will be sold at the old time low prices, so if you are a prospective purchaser we recommend you to select a piano at once.

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### PERSONALS.

D. C. Goodspeed is at Mackinac. E. P. Mason is in Negaunee, Mich. Miss Daley left last week for Petoskey.

Harris Ball is in Houghton, Mich., on business.

Michael Fritz was in Gladstone, Mich., last week.

Miss Rose Marsh is visiting friends in Cheboygan, Mich.

David Rinsey left for Gladstone last evening on business.

Mrs. Webster and son left Thursday morning for Bay View.

Theodore J. DeForest and Fred R. Cleever are in Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Andreas have returned from a trip to Toledo, Ohio.

Miss Elizabeth Cady is visiting friends in Menominee, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Dietas, of Chicago, Ill., are in the city.

Jacob Volland left for Chelsea last Thursday to remain two days.

Prof. G. P. Coler returned Saturday from a two weeks' trip to Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stivers returned from Mackinac Island Saturday.

The Misses Bertha and Lydia April are visiting in Gladstone, Mich.

Mrs. W. W. Nichols, son and daughter have returned from Owosso.

Miss Elsie Leibig and Miss Sperry left Thursday morning for Bay View.

Anthony Seiger left Wednesday for a two weeks' visit in Cleveland, O.

A. E. Farmer left for Iron River, Mich., last week via the Ann Arbor railroad.

A. C. Schumacher left last Wednesday evening for Houghton, Mich., on business.

Miss Mamie Audette is enjoying a few weeks' vacation at Detroit and St. Clair Flats.

Mrs. Dr. Solis and sister left Thursday morning for Frankfort for a few days' outing.

Dr. William Herdman and family are at Frankfort, Mich., enjoying a few days' outing.

Dr. Rominger and Dr. Ramsberger left Thursday morning to spend a few days in Petoskey.

Miss Minnie Davis has gone to Portage lake to spend a few days with Prof. and Mrs. E. N. Billie.

Peter Cook, of Urania, Mich., who was in the city last week returned home Thursday morning.

Mrs. Dr. Hartley left Saturday for Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to visit her son-in-law, H. J. Killilea, Esq.

Mrs. Rheinfank, of 711 S. Thayer st., left last Thursday morning for Ohio, to visit her old home.

J. Richmond and wife left last Thursday morning for Mt. Pleasant, Mich., to visit friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore left Saturday evening for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the funeral of their niece.

Ambrose Pack, Allen Wilson, Fred and Theodore Dodsley spent a few days' outing at Zukey lake last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Stofflet returned last Sunday from their trip to the Georgian Bay region and the Soo.

Emil Arnold and Will Waltz left Wednesday for New York, Washington and Philadelphia for a trip of three weeks.

E. F. Mills, of Mills & Co., returned Saturday from a trip to New York City where he went to purchase fall and winter goods.

Mrs. J. D. Frost has returned from Knoxville, Tenn., where she has spent three delightful months visiting her son, W. S. Frost and family.

Ald. Bliton's wife and children and Miss Larned left Monday night for Put-in-Bay to spend a week. Ald. Bliton accompanied them as far as Detroit.

Mrs. Whiteside has returned from a two weeks' visit in Detroit and is taking care of Mrs. Daniel Strickler, of Elizabeth st., who is slowly improving.

Miss Margaret Cavanaugh left Friday morning for Grand Marais, Mich. She will teach in the grammar department of the Grand Marais school next season.

E. C. Sanderson of the Oregon state University, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of S. A. Moran. Mr. Sanderson and Mr. Moran were chums at a preparatory school in Iowa years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berryman returned Friday morning from an extended visit to Adrian and Sand Lake. During Mr. Berryman's absence, A. L. Alexander acted as operator at the Berryman studio.

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### ANN ARBOR.

#### "Uncle Josh Spruceby."

Recognizing the tendency of the times to cheapen prices for sensible healthy amusements, the managers of the "Uncle Josh Spruceby" company, which appears at Athens theater on Friday, Sept. 1, have decided to appear this season at 10, 20 and 30 cent prices. The wisdom of this move appears to have been justified by the packed houses that greet the company everywhere. The play is an enjoyable New England comedy-drama, and for the past nine years has appeared only at regular prices all over the country. Special scenery, the great Saw Mill scene, the big operatic orchestra, and a first-class company are still carried, and no attempt has been made to cheapen the attraction on account of playing at popular prices.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and a permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

#### Excursion to Springfield, Ohio.

Agents of the Ohio Central lines will sell excursion tickets to Springfield, Ohio, at one fare for the round trip account Dedication of Hospital building, Pythian Orphan Home, selling September 3d and 4th, limit returning September 5th.

#### For Sale.

A meat and vegetable market on one of the best avenues in Detroit; doing a good business; present owner has occupied it 10 years; wants a change. Good barn, horse and wagon, and everything in complete order. Address B. 50 Elm Street, Detroit, Michigan.

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#### Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.  
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW  
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 29th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Bradshaw, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John W. Bradshaw praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to John W. and Charlotte Bradshaw and Noah W. Cleaver the executors in said will named or to some other suitable person.

The reason it is ordered, that Wednesday, the 29th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.  
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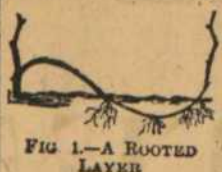


FIG. 1—A ROOTED LAYER



FIG. 2—THE ROOTED LAYER SEPARATED, MAKING TWO PLANTS

spring and summer layers, from the season at which they are made.

Summer layers are made in the summer, generally the last of July, from a branch of the same season's growth. They are likely to be weak for several years, and do not make as good plants as the spring layers. In making them, the wood should be slit for an inch or so near the buds that are covered. Bury about one foot of the cane four inches deep in the ground and it will be rooted by late autumn, when it should be separated and be treated as a young vine; and it is generally best

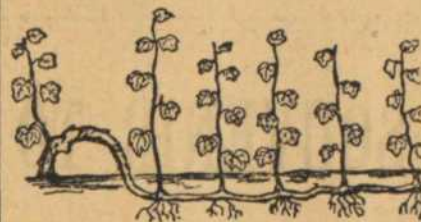


FIG. 3—A ROOTED LAYER, EACH BUD MAKING A NEW PLANT

to get them well started in a garden or nursery before planting in the vineyard permanently.

Spring layers may be made by laying down any cane early in the spring. It will root in one season. By fall it will have made a good growth of roots, when it may be cut from the main cane, and if strong it may be divided into two plants. This form of layer is illustrated in Figs. 1 and 2. By a little different treatment of the spring layer a vine may be grown from each bud on the layered cane. For this purpose some thirty canes should be selected in autumn, pruned of its laterals, and buried. In the spring it should be uncovered and only one shoot permitted to grow from each joint. After the new growth has started about six inches from each bud the whole cane should be layered about four inches deep, handling it carefully so as not to break the new growth.

Fig. 3 shows such a layer after it has rooted. It is a good plan to cover it not more than three inches at first, and to fill up the trench as the shoots grow. If covered four inches deep at once the young growth will sometimes rot, though this seldom happens, and some skillful growers fill the trench full at once. In the autumn roots will be found growing from each joint, and these may be cut apart and treated as recommended for weak vines grown from cuttings. If this method of propagation is to be used to some considerable extent vines should be grown especially for the purpose. It is not a good plan to use fruiting vines for layering to any great extent, though it may be safely done in a small way.

### How Horses Catch Cold.

Horses are very subject to nasal catarrh, and it is a widely prevalent belief among coachmen that if a horse goes into a stable, and especially if a horse which has been out at grass goes into a stable with other horses, it will be most likely to develop a cold, says the Spectator. So, too, it is noticed, will horses bought at a fair, and this is popularly attributed to the draughts to which they have been exposed. As it is admitted, however, that any other horses which may have been in the stable generally catch this cold from the new-comer, surely it is more reasonable to suppose that the latter has in like manner received the infection from some of its neighbors while on sale.

A medical friend of the writer's lately made an interesting experiment. He has two horses, and has been in the habit of turning one out for the summer months. When he brought it in again for the winter it used invariably to develop a severe cold. Coachmen will tell you that this is due to the unaccustomed warmth of the stable, which makes the animal "nesh." Last year, however, before bringing in his horse, the doctor had his stable thoroughly disinfected and lime-washed, and put no other horse into it. The one which came in from grass then remained perfectly free from any symptoms of catarrh.

### A Market at Home.

Shipping the fowls to market and receiving eight and ten cents a pound while paying fifteen and twenty cents for beef is a losing business. No matter what the fowls may be worth in market, they are equal-pound for pound—to any other kind of meat that can be procured. When you buy beef you cannot always be sure that it is from cattle free from disease or that it is of prime quality, but if you will consume your surplus poultry on your own table you will know just what you are eating, and will not only avoid assisting to still further lower the price, but can kill them off as the occasion requires. Farmers do not use poultry at home to the extent that they should, and they can very materially aid in preventing "gluts" in the market by refraining from selling when prices are low. Beef soon decomposes, but live poultry will keep until wanted.

### LATE INVENTIONS.

Professor Bell believes that "wireless telephony" is but a step in advance of "wireless telegraphy," and that it will be a natural outcome of the present investigations of Marconi in signaling through space.

The discovery of platinum in Alaska is regarded with special interest because of the fact that experience has shown that the farther north the platinum bed is found the richer its production. This theory is certainly supported by the records of the platinum producing mines along the Pacific coast in this country. In the Yukon valley rich deposits are said to have been found.

Telephotography is the term applied to the process of taking pictures of objects at a considerable distance and making them appear much larger and more distinct than would be possible with the ordinary method. It is accomplished by the use of an attachment, in the rear or flanged end of which is an achromatic negative or concave lens which corresponds to an amplifying lens in a microscope or telescope.

A process for seasoning timber by passing a current of electricity across the fibres while the wood is immersed in a preservative compound has been used in England. A 10 per cent solution of borax, containing 5 per cent of resin and 5 per cent of carbonate of soda, is used, the current being on from five to eight hours, according to the condition of the wood.

M. Hugo de Vries has published the results of his observations in the development of vegetable monstruities, extending over a period of twelve years. He says, with the exception of the plants which have been turned abnormally green by parasites, every plant developing unnatural growth with which he experimented was reproduced from its seed. Many eminent botanists accept these conclusions as proof of the heredity of the monstrous types.

The physicist, Nernst, of Göttingen, who recently described a new form of electric lamp, is not to be permitted to enjoy the honors and emoluments of a successful inventor, if his contemporaries in England can prevent it. They are already engaged in unearthing anticipations and they have succeeded in reviving published descriptions which certainly cover the general principles involved. As early as 1881 London Engineering published an illustrated description of an "improvement on the original Jablockhoff lamp," which is relied upon to prevent any claim for originality upon which a valid patent might be based.

### FACTS OF INTEREST.

Icebergs in the Atlantic sometimes last for 200 years.

France spends \$5,000,000 a year in subsidies to steamship lines.

In ten years the production of steam engines in Germany has more than doubled.

Oil refining in western Siberia is making fast progress, and large quantities are sold abroad.

The Siberian railway already has 50 refrigerator cars for taking butter to the Russian cities.

A dozen authenticated personal relics of Lord Byron were recently sold in New York for \$2,750.

The world's herring catch every year is 350,000 tons, which is all consumed before the next season.

The maximum weight of freight locomotives is now 218,000 pounds, against 100,000 pounds 15 years ago.

Korea is just about the size of the island of Great Britain, being 600 miles long and from 120 to 200 miles wide.

Christian Science has over 30,000 adherents in the state of New York, and about 35 churches and congregations.

The value of diamonds mined in Cape Colony in 1898 was \$1,751,940.84, and the net profit thereon was \$8,651,639.37.

The duke of Cambridge is the oldest member of the English royal family, being two months older than Queen Victoria.

It is said that so difficult is the art of cutting gloves that most of the principal cutters are known in the trade by name and by fame.

Twenty-five years ago France was able to put many soldiers in the field as Germany. To-day it falls short by about 1,000,000 men.

Milliner is a corruption of "Milaner," from Milan, which city at one time gave the fashion to Europe in all matters of taste in woman's dress.

In northern China many of the natives are dressed in dogskin. There are many establishments where dogs of a peculiar breed are raised for their skins. They are killed when 8 months old.

When the conditions are right the light leap of a Chamois may start an avalanche which will bury a village alive. It takes but a little thing when the conditions are right to prostrate a healthy looking man. Hastily eaten meals, ill digested food, means a body ill nourished, a nervous system on starvation rations and the blood sluggish and corrupt.

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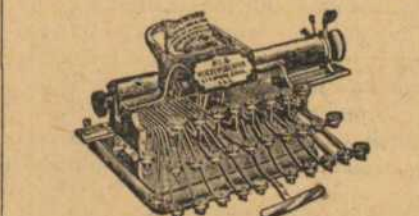


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Charles Banfield was brought home from Jackson last Thursday night suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. F. E. Legg and son Frank, who have been spending a few weeks' vacation in Colon, Mich., have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Stevens, who were married last Wednesday left Friday evening for a short trip around the lakes.

City Clerk Harkins' little boy Bernard, who has been suffering from a severe attack of scarlet fever, is slowly recovering.

The ladies of the Trinity Lutheran church realized something over thirteen dollars at their ice cream social last Friday evening.

William Snow, of Chelsea, is at the University hospital; a short time ago an oat kernel flew into his eye and caused inflammation.

Ann Arbor must have caught a "tar walk fad." By actual count there are 12 tar walks in course of construction in the city at present time.

Mrs. Carrie Barton Murrell and her infant babe, the wife and child of Victor A. G. Murrell, formerly of this city, died at Englewood, Ill., Saturday last.

A Washington dispatch says that rural delivery will be established at Grass Lake, September 5th, on recommendation of Congressman Henry C. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kempf, of Pittsfield, celebrated their seventy-seventh anniversary last Wednesday night at their home, in the presence of a large number of relatives.

The Chicago Shoe Co., through its manager, Fred Clark, purchased the William Allaby shoe stock, which will be shipped to Kalamazoo to be sold in one of its branch stores there.

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St. Thomas high school and conservatory of music will open Sept. 11th.

Abraham Polhemus, of Fountain st. suffered a second stroke of paralysis Sunday.

A fine setter dog was killed on Detroit st. Monday morning by being run over by the street cars.

C. F. Miller, the printer who has twice before been confined on account of not being quite right in his head, is again in jail.

Mary A. Saunders, aged 83 years, died at her home on Fuller st. Saturday at 12 o'clock. The remains were interred in Fairview cemetery Monday afternoon.

Silas Talbot, a colored man, proceeded to get drunk last Wednesday night and it was found necessary to lock him up. Justice Doty gave him two days in jail for his own personal good.

The great Dane dog owned by Clinton Schneider, which recently caused so much excitement, and has been running at large with a bullet in his head, was killed last Thursday.

Edward C. Reid, the editor of the Allegan Gazette, who is well acquainted in this city, has been sued for \$25,000 damages for slander by Gen. W. L. White of the state war department.

Workmen are engaged in putting up the portico, which will lead to the entrance of the Athens theater. It is an artistic structure of iron and will add to the appearance of the front of the building.

Professor Asaph Hall of the observatory has been chosen vice-president of the section on mathematics and astronomy for the next meeting of the American association for the advancement of science.

Morris M. Seabolt of the Ann Arbor Music Company, is in New York purchasing the fall stock for the above-named firm. One hundred Ludwig pianos will be ordered, as their business is steadily growing.

A summons has been issued in the circuit court in favor of Thomas Cowan against Perry Townsend, James Finnell, George Robinson, Frank Robinson, Andrew Camp, Frederick Ayler, James Breakay, Bert Galpin, Robert Shankland, James Hamby and Fred Galpin, all of Superior. They are charged with assault, having it is claimed by Cowan, tarred and feathered him for alleged wife-beating.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Donnelly, of this city, received word Monday morning that they have another grandson, born at the residence of Police Justice Callaghan, on Calumet ave., Chicago.

A gypsy caravan of seven wagons passed through the city last Thursday morning; upon being asked where they were going, the wanderers replied, "Don't know."—Where did you come from?—"The east."

Mrs. Van Valkenburg and family went to Detroit Saturday morning with her daughter, Miss Lela, who left on the Northwest Saturday afternoon for Minnesota, where she is to teach during the coming year.

The will of Henry Cornwell was probated last Thursday afternoon. The executors are Frank Cornwell and James P. Deubel of Ypsilanti. The appraisers are Thomas Kearney and John Duffy of this city.

The club house of the Washtenaw county club, on the motor line, was formally opened last Saturday. In the afternoon, golf playing was the order and the evening dancing in the new house was enjoyed by all.

It is rather encouraging to note that one of the many divorce cases which have been started of late has been settled up, and the parties are now living with each other with the serenity of their former happiness.

When Bernard Sturm played here a short time ago, the question "Is he married?" was a common one among the ladies. Mr. Sturm is married, and he and his wife will arrive in the city the latter part of September.

A party of young people, about 25 in number, went to the boulevard last Friday evening to roast marshmallows. Music, watermelons and roasted potatoes were the order of the evening. A very enjoyable time was had.

C. W. Frances, who recently purchased the Ypsilanti Sentinel and later decided to start a daily, has given up the job and has surrendered the paper to M. T. Woodruff, the former owner, who held a mortgage on the plant.

Oscar F. Walter, the son of F. Walter, died last Friday morning at 11 o'clock of typhoid fever. He was taken sick Monday and was ill only a short time. The funeral services were held at the house Sunday at 1:30 o'clock.

All the healing balsamic virtues of the Norway pine are concentrated in Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Nature's own remedy for coughs and colds.

A bill for divorce has been filed by Fredrika M. Shetterly against Francis M. Shetterly of this city. The grounds on which the divorce is asked are drunkenness and non-support. D. Cramer is solicitor for the complainant.

Anson Wright, of the Northside, is around with a subscription paper to aid Frank Kapp, who was unfortunate enough to lose his horses, wagon and harness by fire one day last week. He is meeting with great encouragement.

At the annual meeting of the National Fraternal Congress, held in Chicago last week, Miss Emma E. Bower was made a member of the executive committee of the National Fraternal Press association, which is a part of the congress.

A pleasant evening was spent at Ex-Senator Andrew Campbell's in Pittsfield Saturday night by the O. N. O. (One Night Out) club. A program was rendered and a pleasant social time enjoyed by the twenty-five young people present.

The stone walk in front of the opera house block has been lowered to the curbstone, and, while the change adds to the looks of that side of Main st., the walk is going to be very bad when ice forms in the winter. It has a dangerous slope.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobus left last Saturday for Seneca Falls, N. Y. Mr. Jacobus' birthplace, where they will visit for a few weeks. Mr. Jacobus left Seneca Falls at the age of 11 years; in other words he hasn't been to Seneca Falls for the last 65 years.

J. S. Brokaw, of Northfield, was in the city last Friday morning. He said they had a nice rain in Northfield Thursday afternoon. The rain extended as far as the church at Whitmore Lake and a mile north of Welch's corner. They might have had more rain with advantage.

The remains of C. M. Jones, who died recently at Wichita, Kan., were brought to this city for interment. Services were held at Wichita, Kan., last Wednesday under the auspices of the Grand Commandery. An escort of the Grand Commandery escorted the remains to this city.

The Ladies' Society of the Bethlehem church held their annual meeting and tea at the church last Thursday. The election of officers resulted in choosing Mrs. David Allmendinger, president; Mrs. John Mayer and Mrs. John Krause, financial secretaries. Mrs. Bernard Binder and Mrs. John Klais, trustees.

The Free Press announces that Detroit's new homeopathic college, which was born out of the failure to dismember the University of Michigan, will be ready for opening on September 26. The illustrations accompanying the article show the "temporary college" to be a very small affair.

Frederick L. Ingraham, who, for the past three years, has been instructor in English at the Michigan State Normal school; Frank P. Sadler, who won the Northern Oratorical league contest as Michigan's representative several years ago, and W. M. Taylor, another Michigan man, will form a law partnership in Chicago this fall.

Prof. V. C. Vaughan, of the University, has a paper in Appleton's Popular Science Monthly for the coming month, on the question whether we are in danger from the bubonic plague, which has now appeared at Oporto, and seems to be nearing us. Prof. Vaughan believes only by gross carelessness can the disease be transmitted to this country.

The County Grange held an interesting meeting at John K. Campbell's of Augusta, Friday. Frank Coons, of Lenawee, discussed "Progression Among Grangers." W. N. Lister spoke on the subject, "To what extent can agriculture be taught in the district school?" Twelve granges were represented. There were 200 present.

The governors of 22 states have appointed delegations to attend the conference on trusts initiated by the Civic Federation of Chicago and called to meet in that city September 13 to 16. Among the delegates appointed—by Governor Pingree are Prof. Henry C. Adams, of this city, and L. D. Watkins, of Manchester.

The workman often eats his lunch on the same bench he does his work. The office man turns his desk into a dining table. Neither gets the out of doors exercise he needs, neither takes the proper time for eating. It is small wonder that the digestion of both gets out of order. In such cases Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets come to their assistance by aiding nature in taking care of the food.

The cause of nine-tenths of the sickness of the world is constipation. From this cause come indigestion; disorders of the stomach, liver and kidneys; biliousness, headaches, flatulence, heartburn, impurity of the blood and the serious complications that follow. To begin with constipation is a little thing, and a little thing will cure it. The "Pleasant Pellets" are tiny, sugar-coated granules. They will perfectly cure the worst case of constipation and indigestion. If the druggist tries to sell you some other pill that pays him greater profit, just think of what will best pay you.

The funeral of Thomas S. Gough, the well known colored man of 947 S. Main st., was held last Thursday afternoon under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias. The Y. M. C. A. Band preceded the imposing funeral procession. Mr. Gough was born in West Virginia 49 years ago and leaves a wife and two children.

Hattie Hurst, colored, of N. Main st., was arrested last Wednesday night for being drunk and generally raising a disturbance. She was brought before Justice Duffy and pleaded not guilty. "I wasn't drunk," she said. "Guess I was arrested for abusin' my husband." Her examination was set for Tuesday and she was taken to the cooler to sober up.

Glen V. Mills, of this city, has received copies of the city directories of Detroit and Kansas City. At the last meeting of the association of directory publishers held at St. Paul, the members of the association agreed to exchange publications with each other. This means that Mr. Mills will have a library of some 300 directories from all over the United States which he proposes to open to the people of Ann Arbor for reference.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance is holding a convention at their rooms, No. 14 Savings Bank Block this week. There will be sessions today and tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and at 3:00 and 7:30 p. m. The meetings in the evening will be held in the open air just west of the court house. Rev. G. N. Eldridge Supt. of Alliance work in the states of Indiana, western Kentucky, Michigan and Missouri, will be here to take charge of the convention. Mrs. Eldridge, who is a very sweet singer, is also expected to be here. All invited to attend.

On Labor Day, Sept. 4, a Harvest Social celebration will be given by St. Patrick's parish, Northfield, at Mead's grove, adjoining the Ann Arbor railroad Northfield station. Besides a good dinner and other refreshments, a very enjoyable program will be presented. W. W. Wedemeyer, M. J. Cavanaugh and Rev. Frank Kennedy will deliver the addresses and besides good music by the string band. Jas. E. Harkins, Frank McIntyre, a quartette of young men, and several lady soloists will enliven the occasion with their sweet melodies. All are cordially invited.

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