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The happy couple were attended by Mr.
Michael L. Noon, of Jackson, and Miss
Mary Howe, of Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gage are both residents of
Chelsea, and highly esteemed by their
many friends. They took the evening
train for a western trip, accompanied by
the good wishes and hearty congratulations
of numerous friends.

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Number left for all causes..... 24
Number of re-entries..... 24
Number belonging at end of month..... 325
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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

THE issue of Columbian stamps from January 2 to December 31, 1893, the period assigned to their distribution, is the subject of a statement which has been prepared by the postoffice department officials. The aggregate number issued to postmasters was 1,999,933,200.

INDICATIVE of the efforts that must be made to stay the ravages of a single species of predatory beast is the information that the state of California has paid out \$187,000 in bounties for coyote scalps, and has scalp claims against it to the amount of \$118,000 still unpaid.

M. Roux, a French physician, recommends as a cure for colds the inhalation of cologne water, poured on a handkerchief—by the nose if the cold is in the head, by the mouth if the cold is on the chest—and cites astonishing cures by this simple remedy—a little one for a scent.

AFRICA has become the great theater for colonial enterprise among European states, and by the occupation of Timbuctoo, which holds a commanding position between the Soudan and the Sahara, France shows that she intends to play a leading part in the drama of stratagems and spoils.

THERE were 33,136 locomotives engaged in hauling passengers and freight over the railways of this country last year; 8,848 in hauling passenger trains alone. To transport the passenger traffic of the country 28,875 cars were in operation, while for the conveyance of freight nearly half a million cars were required.

THE number of servants looking for work in Brooklyn is unprecedentedly large. Many of them are from New York and seem to think that a city of churches and homes ought to be just the place for them to find lucrative employment. Unfortunately for them, however, there are very few places to a very large number of applicants.

WHENEVER a cold snap visits Fort Myers far down in sub-tropical Florida, the inhabitants, who have no method of heating their houses, come out into the streets and keep warm by sitting round great fires of wood. The cold snaps are rare, but when they come everybody, even the northern visitor, is thoroughly uncomfortable.

EDWARD ATKINSON has been investigating figures regarding the unemployed in this country and gives it as his opinion, that the number has been exaggerated. He does not believe the number exceeds 1,150,000 and insists that even this number is largely swelled by an army of permanently unemployed, those who are voluntarily idle—tramps.

GEN. GORDON'S recent visit to Philadelphia resulted in the restoration to him of the fatigue cap he was wearing at the time he was shot down at Antietam thirty years ago. It had been carried away as a trophy by the old negro who nursed him when the battle was over, and after passing through many hands it came into the possession of Mrs. Hector Tyndale, who restored it to the general.

A. R. SUTTON, a Chicago engineer, is working on a plan to connect the great lakes with the Atlantic as a private enterprise. He proposes to deepen the Welland canal and connect it with Lake Ontario by a cut to the Niagara near Thorold, Ont.; then deepen the St. Lawrence, cut a canal south to Lake Champlain, and from its southern point, Whitehall, dig a canal to the Hudson river at Troy or Albany.

DENYING the statement that James Whitcomb Riley served a long apprenticeship as a reporter, the Cleveland Plain Dealer says that the poet never had but one assignment. He was sent to report a meeting and on his return labored three hours to write a prose account of it. Finally he went to the editor and said that he would fix the report up in poetry and the editor could have it put in prose.

ON every Christmas day since the Napoleonic invasion of Russia in 1812 a prayer has been recited in all the churches of the czar's empire calling down the curses of Heaven upon the French. Indeed, the anathema formed part of the Christmas day liturgy of the orthodox church. Last Christmas it was for the first time omitted by order of the emperor and in deference to the susceptibilities of his new ally.

ALUMINUM cooking utensils and articles of tableware begin to be displayed by house-furnishing shops. There are frying pans, pepper boxes, chafing dishes, ladles, funnels and many other utensils, large and small. A frying pan of large size costs \$2, which is pretty high for a frying pan. The smaller articles are not greatly above the price of like well made articles of other ware. Medium-sized funnels, for example, cost 75 cents. The advantage of the aluminum utensils over most others is that they weigh almost nothing and are not subject to corrosion.

WILSON WINS.

The Tariff Bill of Which He Is the Author Passes the House.

The Income Tax Feature Is Adopted, as Well as the Amendments Placing Sugar and Wool on the Free List.

FINAL VOTE, 204 TO 140.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—At 6 o'clock Thursday night, at the conclusion of one of the grandest, most imposing and most impressive scenes ever witnessed in the American capitol, the Wilson tariff bill passed the house of representatives by a vote of 204 to 140. The events leading up to it were almost unparalleled in our annals. At 12 o'clock, after a preliminary skirmish of an hour over the barley schedule, the bill was reported to the house and the closing speeches were made.

Women Faint in the Crowd.

Such a vast concourse as assembled to hear the last arguments upon the great economic issue about to be submitted for final arbitrament to the representatives of the American people had never before been seen within the precincts of the nation's legislative capitol. Nothing like it was ever known in the history of the oldest inhabitant of the capital.

For hours before the debate began the corridors leading to the galleries were a surging mass of humanity, which finally became so great that men cried out in terror and women fainted in fright. It was estimated that over 20,000 persons attempted to gain admittance to the galleries of the house. Their seating capacity is about 3,000, and every available seat was occupied long before the gavel dropped. The people were lined against the walls and banked against the doors; so great did the crush become that the members of the house secured permission to bring their wives upon the floor.

A Brilliant Audience.

When Mr. Reed, the first speaker, arose at last to deliver the final plea for protection the overhanging galleries were black and dense with the spectators who thronged them. Every inch of space upon the floor was taken. It was a brilliant as well as a large assembly. Only ten of the 354 members of the house were absent. Many grave and reverend senators and other distinguished personages were on the floor, and in the galleries were Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Vice President Stevenson and other ladies of eminence and distinction, their dresses flecking the scene with color.

The "Big Three."

Then for three hours the oratory of the champions of the economic systems followed—Reed, Crisp and Wilson—while their partisans made the air vocal with their shouts of approval. The appearance of the speaker of the house upon the floor engaged in debate was, in itself, a remarkable as well as an unusual thing. Each of the speakers seemed to be in his best form and the speeches which they delivered Thursday will rank among the most brilliant of their lives. When these were finished Mr. Wilson, who spoke last, was lifted on the shoulders of his admiring colleagues and carried triumphantly from the hall amid a scene of unmatched enthusiasm.

The Voting Begins.

The time had now arrived to vote on the bill and pending amendments, but the disorder was so great that the sergeant-at-arms was called upon to clear the aisles and the wives of members who had been allowed upon the floor were obliged to retire. It took twenty minutes to restore order, so that the public business could proceed. The speaker then announced that there were two pending amendments—that the committee on ways and means to increase the duty on barley from 20 to 25 per cent. ad valorem, and on barley malt from 25 to 35 per cent., and the amendment of Mr. Tawney (rep., Minn.) to increase the duty to 22 cents a bushel on barley and 32 cents on barley malt. The first vote was taken on the Tawney amendment, which was lost upon a yeas and nays vote of 130 to 197. The committee amendment was agreed to—202 to 104.

Free Wool and Sugar.

The speaker then announced that the vote was upon the amendments adopted by the committee of the whole. Mr. Johnson (O.) demanded a separate vote on the wool and woolen amendments. Mr. English (dem., N. J.) upon the income tax and upon the petroleum amendment. The other amendments, including that amendment abolishing the bounty on sugar and that placing refined sugar on the free list were then agreed to in bulk without division. The first amendment which Mr. Johnson desired a separate vote upon was that placing wool upon the free list immediately upon the passage of the bill. This amendment having been vitiated by a later amendment placing the date at August 2, a point of order was raised that the latter amendment must first be voted upon, but after some discussion the chair decided that the Johnson amendment must first be voted upon to perfect the text and that the real test would come upon the amendment to strike out the words "immediately after the passage of the bill" and insert "on and after August 2." The Johnson amendment was therefore agreed to without division. The other amendment was agreed to—205 to 147. Mr. Johnson tried to get the yeas and nays,

but could only muster five votes to his aid. The amendment fixing the date as December 2 when the manufactured woolen schedule should go into effect was also adopted—200 to 130.

Mr. Johnson again being unable to secure the yeas and nays, the vote was then taken upon the amendment providing for reciprocity in petroleum, and it was carried—177 to 47.

Vote on the Income Tax.

The last amendment to be voted upon was that providing for the income tax. Mr. Cox demanded the yeas and nays upon this amendment. It was significant that the republicans refused to second the demand for the yeas and nays, but enough democrats arose (fifty-one) to order the roll-call. It was then found that the income tax could not be voted upon as a separate proposition, the speaker deciding in accordance with a precedent, which he cited, that the internal revenue amendment having been reported as a single amendment could not be divided. The vote, therefore, was upon the entire rejection of the internal revenue amendment.

The republicans, with few exceptions, refused to vote, but the amendment, including the income tax, was adopted—182 to 50.

The populists voted in the affirmative, as did the following republicans: Bowers (Cal.), Fletcher (Mo.), Hartmann (Mont.), Marsh (Ill.), Pickler (S. D.), White (O.) and Sweet (Idaho).

Those who voted against the amendment were:

Babcock (rep., Wis.), Bartlett, Beltzhoover, Brawley, Brosius (rep., Pa.), Cadmus, Campbell, Causey, Clancey, Cockran, Campton, Coombs, Cornish, Covert, Cummings, Davey, De Forest, Dunn, Dunphy, English, Everett, Fielder, Geissenhainer, Haines, Harter, Hendrix, Lapham, Lockwood, Manger, McAleer, M. Call (rep., Mass.), McKaig, Meyer, Moore (rep., Mass.), Mutchler, O'Neill, Page, Powers (rep., Va.), Price, Hayner, Relliey, Rusk, Ryan, Schermerhorn, Scranton (rep., Pa.), Sickles, Sperry, Stevens, Talbot (Md.), Warner and Wolverton.

Passed by a Majority of 64.

Then came the final vote on the bill itself, on which a yeas and nays vote was asked and granted by a rising vote. The roll-call was watched with marked attention, and frequent bursts of applause greeted accessions to one side or the other. Beltzhoover (dem., Pa.) was the first to win applause by his yeas vote, indicating that the Pennsylvanians were falling into line. Immediately after this, Blanchard (dem., La.) was applauded as he voted yeas and showed that the Louisianians opposition to the bill was not intact. Mr. Cockran's vote in favor of the bill brought out tumultuous cheering. The climax of the demonstration was reached when the name of Mr. Wilson, author of the bill, was reached, the democrats cheering vociferously as a final recognition of his leadership. The speaker asked that his name be called and he answered in the affirmative. Then the speaker announced: "On this question the yeas are 204 and the nays are 140 and the bill is passed."

Summary of the Vote.

The vote summarized is as follows: Yeas, 204; democrats, 198; republicans, 6; people's party, 6. Nays, 140; democrats, 18; republicans, 121; people's party, 1. Total, 344.

Democrats voting against it were Bartlett, Campbell, Covert, Cummings, Haines, Hendrix, Schermerhorn and Sickles, of New York; Cadmus, of New Jersey; Sperry and Page, of Connecticut; Geary of California; Cooper, of Wisconsin; Sibley, of Pennsylvania; and Devey, Meyer, Price and Robertson, of Louisiana.

Democrats Were Happy.

When the speaker announced the vote cheer followed cheer upon the democratic side, papers, hats, congressional records and, in fact, everything which the democrats could lay their hands upon, were flung high in the air, and amid a perfect pandemonium of joy the house adjourned.

FIRE IN CHICAGO.

A Big Warehouse and Several Dwellings Are Destroyed.

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—The big five-story brick warehouse of Felix & Marston, wholesale dealers in wooden and willow ware, at Henry street and Stewart avenue, has been totally destroyed by fire and a number of lives were endangered. The building, which was 100 feet wide by 175 feet long, extending south half a block to West Fifteenth street, was valued at \$60,000, and with the stock, estimated at \$75,000, is a complete loss. Felix & Marston's loss, aggregating \$135,000, is covered by insurance. Three or four frame cottages owned by poor people were crushed to pieces by the falling walls of the warehouse, and hard work by the firemen barely prevented the flames from spreading toward Canal street. William Snooks, who was caught on the second floor, where it is supposed the fire started, leaped to the street below and was internally injured. While standing at the window hesitating, the flames swooped down upon him and burned him badly about the head. He did not wait longer, but dropped 30 feet into the street, where he was picked up by the police and carried to his home at 640 Henry street.

Michigan Farmers' Clubs Combine. LANSING, Mich., Feb. 2.—The Michigan State Association of Farmers' clubs was organized Thursday by delegates from the various farmers' clubs of the state. Concerted action is intended to be taken by the various clubs, through the state organization, upon questions of general importance to the farming community.

A GOOD MAN GONE.

Death in Philadelphia of George W. Childs.

The Famous Journalist and Philanthropist Succumbs to an Attack of Paralysis—Account of His Career and Work.

HE WAS A MAN BELOVED.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 3.—G. W. Childs, proprietor of the Public Ledger, died this morning at 3:01 o'clock at his residence at the southeast corner of Twenty-second and Walnut streets from the effects of a stroke of paralysis sustained by him January 19.

George William Childs was born in Baltimore, Md., May 12, 1829. He was educated at private schools in his native city, and when 14 years old removed to Philadelphia. Soon afterward he became a clerk in a book store and after a service of four years there opened a small store of his own in the old Ledger building at Third and Chestnut streets. In due time he became a publisher of books and at the



GEORGE W. CHILDS.

age of 21 was at the head of the firm of Childs & Peterson. Even at that early day Mr. Childs' ambitions and inclinations were well formed. He had decided to be a newspaper publisher, and it is related that soon after he engaged in business in the Ledger building he stated that some day he intended to be the proprietor of the paper. But meanwhile he achieved considerable success in the publishing business—many of the works issued by Childs & Peterson being of intrinsic excellence, among them being "Dr. Allcote's Dictionary of English and American Authors." Other standard works were brought out in profusion.

In 1863 Mr. Childs retired from the firm and the following years witnessed the consummation of his cherished ambition—he was the owner of the Philadelphia Public Ledger. True, when he acquired control of the property the Ledger was unremunerative; but soon after his energy, his enterprise and his determination to make it succeed won him abundant success. The Ledger sprang suddenly into public favor and has continued to this day the most profitable newspaper in Philadelphia, and, indeed, one of the best paying in the United States.

At his own expense Mr. Childs caused a stained glass window to be placed in Westminster Abbey in commemoration of the poets, William Cowper and George Herbert, and he also caused a monument to be placed over the hitherto unmarked grave of Leigh Hunt in Kensal Green. He rendered a similar service to the memory of Edgar Allan Poe, and was the largest subscriber to the fund collected in this country by Gen. Wilson and in England by Samuel C. Hall for the purpose of placing a memorial window for the poet Thomas Moore in the church in Bromham, where Moore and "Bessie" are interred. In 1888 he gave to the Philadelphia Typographical society the printers' cemetery, Woodlands, with a liberal sum, the interest on which is to be expended in keeping the grounds in order.

Mr. Childs took an especial interest in the printers, and nowhere will his death be more deeply deplored than in the composing rooms. It was well that he should provide a resting place for the printer after death, but he did better—made provisions for such of them as became unequal to the struggle for life. In company with the late A. J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, he endowed the Printers' home at Colorado Springs, Col. They gave \$10,000 to start the fund and the Typographical union made up the remainder by assessments, providing for the maintenance of the home in like manner.

The holiday season was the most delightful portion of the year to him, for it was then he had the greatest opportunity for giving. His employees always received a Christmas gift of from \$10 to \$500 in their pay envelopes Christmas week. Mr. Childs attributed his success to the fact that he always attended to his own business and never interfered with others. He had two proverbs which were the guiding rules of his conduct. One was: "Do your best; let go the rest." The other was: "What can't be cured must be endured." Another secret of his success was the care he gave his men. Those who worked honestly and faithfully for him always received more than their stipulated salaries. He always gave them every encouragement to make them successful. He watched their personal habits. If they were not inclined to save he tempted them to become economical by making good investments for them, so that they were obliged to save in order to carry on the investment. As a rule all of the employees of the Ledger who have families live in houses of their own bought and paid for by Mr. Childs, who, in return, has only received back the principal advanced. He insured the lives of all the principal men of his paper and paid the premiums himself. Some of the leading men in his office have such insurance upon their lives to the amount of \$25,000. This kind proprietor watched most carefully after the interests of those under him than the average man looks after himself. He paid them all good wages; he lodged them in the most luxurious of quarters; he never made an over-demand upon their attention; he insured their lives for their families; he bought them homes and established them, and when they were broken down with the steady grind of their daily work he sent them off for a vacation with their families and paid the expenses of these families as well as their own. When they became old and broken down in his service he retired them upon full pay.

No man in the United States in an unofficial capacity ever had a wider or more intimate acquaintance with great men than Mr. Childs. His friendship for Gen. Grant was most notable, particularly when the general met with the reverses which hastened his death.

Mr. Childs' private office in the Ledger building was little less than a museum, the exhibits being mementos of the many great men in literature, art, statecraft and war who esteemed him as a friend or benefactor. It was a great blow to the owner when fire destroyed the Ledger office, and with it most of these treasures, and the whole country sympathized with him.

TWO MEN KILLED.

Fatal Explosion of Dynamite on the Illinois Drainage Canal.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—By two accidental explosions of a dynamite cartridge in a cut on section 13 of the drainage canal near Romeo Saturday noon two men were killed and three injured. One of the two men killed, an Italian laborer, was horribly mangled and died instantly, the other, Contractor Comer, died at 11:15 Sunday night. The wounded men were all Italian laborers.

The accident occurred at 11:45 a. m. Saturday. Contractor Comer was watching a gang of a dozen laborers engaged in "mucking" in one corner of the cut. "Mucking," it may be explained, is gathering up the rock loosened by the blast and loading it into large buckets that hold a ton, which are hoisted up from the ditch and off to one side and dumped. Tesavi, the laborer who was killed, was using a pick, the others were using crowbars or picking up pieces and tossing them into the bucket. Tesavi aimed a blow at a point in the debris near which there had been a charge. As the pick struck the rock there was a deafening explosion that filled the air with fragments of the rock. Tesavi and the half dozen men standing nearest him were hurled a dozen feet away, and the others of the squad of laborers were thrown violently to the ground. Five of them failed to rise when the smoke and dust of the explosion had cleared away.

All together there were forty men at work in the pit when the explosion occurred. For a moment they were too frightened to do anything, but they quickly recovered and hurried to the rescue of the injured. Tesavi, who was using the pick, was so frightfully mangled and so covered with the dirt and dust that he was scarcely recognizable as a human being. His principal wound was a great gaping hole in the abdomen, through which a fragment of rock as large as a man's fist had plowed its way. His face was battered into a pulp and his body was literally covered with wounds and bruises. Upon examination by the coroner Saturday it was found that there were fully 500 wounds upon his body.

Contractor Comer was standing 49 feet away when the explosion came. A fragment of rock, weighing, perhaps, fifty pounds, struck him in the right iliac region and a smaller piece struck him on the abdomen near the right hip and penetrated to the peritoneum. He was knocked senseless. He was picked up and carried to the office of the firm, 100 yards away. Dr. J. H. Browning, the surgeon of the works, was sent for. He chanced to be in another part of the camp at the time and did not reach Mr. Comer for thirty minutes. By that time he had recovered consciousness and was suffering excruciating agony. His entire right side was badly discolored and covered with blood from the wound made by the smaller stone. He lingered thirty-six hours, retaining consciousness nearly to the last, and expired at 11:15 Sunday night.

Christopher Tesavi, a cousin of the man, was so covered with wounds the surgeons were obliged to swathe his face and the upper part of his body in white, leaving only his nose free. Dr. Browning counted forty separate wounds upon his face.

The wounds of the three injured were dressed and they were made as comfortable as possible in the rude office until Sunday noon, when carriages were procured from Lockport and they were removed to the hospital at Joliet. All will recover.

No one is blamed for the accident, which was caused by one of the charges of dynamite used in blasting missing fire. Four cartridges containing twelve ounces of dynamite each were placed in the solid rock on Saturday and fired. For some reason one of the charges failed to explode. The remaining were sufficient to tear away the rock, and of course it was not possible to know that the other charge remained, so the workmen began their task of clearing away the debris. When that part of the debris was reached where the unexploded charge lay it was examined and as the rock looked as if it had been fired the workmen kept on with no thought of danger until Tesavi's pick struck a cartridge with such deadly effect.

CUT IN THE FIGURES.

Civil Appropriations Are Reduced Over \$9,000,000.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The sundry civil appropriation bill has been reported to the house. It appropriates a total of \$32,291,383 for the fiscal year 1895. The bill for 1894 carried \$41,716,311, or \$9,424,928 more than for this year. Estimates for 1895 submitted to the appropriation committee were for \$38,881,002. The greatest saving is in the item of the river and harbor work, for carrying on of which \$3,300,000 is recommended, while for 1894 the amount was \$14,168,163. For public buildings and grounds the appropriation drops to \$847,000 from \$1,077,500 for 1894, although the estimates for 1895 were \$1,455,135. Other important reductions from 1894 in current expenses: Artificial limbs are for soldiers from \$847,000 to \$100,000; claims, back pay and bounties to soldiers from \$750,000 to \$440,000; light houses from \$389,500 to \$286,000; the principal new appropriation is \$150,000 for new vessels for the revenue service.

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Quinine, 33c per oz.
Fine Florida Oranges, 15c per doz
Choice Lemons, 18c per doz.
Good Raisins 3c per lb.
4 Cr. L. M. Raisins, 10c per lb.
4 lbs Choice California Prunes, for 25c.
Choice Cluster Raisins 12½c per lb
Lamp Wick 1c per yd.
Full Cream Cheese 14c per lb.
4 lbs. V. & C. Crackers for 25c.
8 lbs Rolled Oats for 25c.
Starch, 6c per lb.
Arm & Hammer Saleratus, 6c lb.
Clothes pins, 6 doz for 5c.
Tooth picks, 5c per box.
Lantern Globes, 5c each.
Lamp Chimneys, No. 1, 3c each.
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Next Wednesday is Valentine Day.

Miss Cora Irwin returned to Chicago last Saturday.

Geo. W. Turnbull was an Ann Arbor visitor Monday.

W. J. Knapp and J. Bacon were Detroit visitors last Friday.

Dr. H. H. Avery was in Ann Arbor Monday on business.

Martin Howe is in Essex Center, Can., this week on business.

F. Whitaker is in Jackson and Adrian this week on business.

Express Agent, W. F. Hatch, was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.

Louis Burg, of Ohio, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Eisenman.

Herbert Dancer, of Ann Arbor, spent Sunday with his parents at Lima.

Miss Jessie Everett is visiting among relatives and friends in Battle Creek.

Mrs D Wurster, of East Middle street, was an Ann Arbor visitor last Tuesday.

Daniel Prendegast, of Owosso, is visiting among his many Chelsea friends this week.

The L. O. T. M. will hold their regular meeting Saturday, Feb. 10th at 2.30 o'clock.

Andrew Hewes, of Jackson, was among his many Chelsea friends a few days of last week.

Mrs. Holthofer, of Chicago, was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staffan last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stapish, of Bay City made Mr. Stapish's parents a pleasant visit last week.

Elmer Hammond spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E Hammond.

Miss Jennie Hudler, of West Middle street, is entertaining Mr. Arthur Walker, of Detroit.

The M. C. R. R. Co., have placed two new crossing signs where their tracks cross Main street.

The C. L. S. C. will meet with Mrs. Wm Bacon Monday evening Feb. 12th at seven o'clock.

Mrs. A. L. Snyder, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of her son, R. A. Snyder, of East Middle street.

Miss Hattie Nary, of Jackson, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P Prendegast the past two weeks.

The W. R. C. will hold their regular meeting this week Friday afternoon, Feb. 9, 1894 at 2 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. M Brooks, of West Middle street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. S. Davis, of Dexter, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pellet, of Jackson, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Runciman a few days of last week.

The Misses Mame Sigler and Kate Kelly, of Pinckney, were the guests of Miss Tressa Conlon this week.

Ice cutting has been in progress on Pierce's lake this week. The ice is about six or seven inches thick.

Mrs. Harriet Hammond returned to her home in Toledo last Friday after a short visit with Chelsea friends.

Miss Ella Louise Morton, of Jefferson street, was entertained by relatives in Ann Arbor, the first of the week.

Wm. Conlon, D. D. S., who has been practicing dentistry at Ann Arbor, is spending a few weeks at home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett, of Summit street, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Gay, of Stockbridge, this week.

The ladies of St. Paul's church will hold a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wackenhut this (Thursday) evening.

The farmers who do their trading here are kicking for more and better hitching posts. We must say that they have some cause for complaint.

Mrs. A. Fluer and son, Frank, and Mrs. L. Binder and two children, of Jackson, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Stapish of Lyndon, last week.

W. F. Riemenschneider and Geo. J. Crowell were in Francisco Monday and as the trains didn't run to suit them they walked back to Chelsea.

Misses Bertha and Susie Howe, of Detroit, and Miss Mamie Howe, of Chicago spent a few days the past week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Howe.

Herman Kalmbach, general storekeeper, at Francisco, lost his house and household goods by fire last Sunday evening, a defective flue caused the fire. Loss covered by insurance.

Thomas Keelan, of Chicago, is in this vicinity shaking hands with old friends and relatives. Mr. Keelan was a former resident of Chelsea, but has spent the past fourteen years in Chicago.

The marriage of Mr. Charles H. Leonard of Ann Arbor, and Miss Mary McCabe, of Chelsea, was solemnized at St. Mary's church Tuesday morning, Feb. 6, 1894, at 10 o'clock, Rev. Father Considine officiating.

A regular meeting of Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S. will be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 14 at 7 o'clock. After the meeting is over, refreshments will be served and the time spent in a social manner.

The next meeting of Lafayette grange will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Keys, Lima, Feb. 15, 1894. The subject for discussion is, "Resolved, that it is not for the best interests of the United States to issue bonds in times of peace."

The lecture on "Martin Luther," by Rev. L. N. Moon last Sunday night was so satisfactory to the pastor of the Lutheran church, that latter will translate a portion of it for a German newspaper, that its readers may have a Yankee's estimate of the great German reformer.

Rev. Father Elliott will give a course of lectures in Pinckney next week, similar to the one given here. The meetings in Chelsea have been splendidly attended, and a profound impression has been made by the kindly, brilliant and eloquent words of the distinguished Paulist.

If the ground-hog could have read our item on "Ground-hog Day" in our last issue he would have got somewhat mixed. The type made us say that "if he can see his shadow in the sun he returns to his hole to snooze for six months longer." It should have read six weeks longer.

Rev. Dr. Rielly will officiate in St. Mary's church next Sunday Feb. 11th. in the absence of the pastor, who accompanies Rev. Walter Elliott to Pinckney. Dr. Rielly will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Seats will be free at the evening service and all are cordially invited to attend.

Died, at the family residence on West Middle street, Monday morning, Feb. 5th, 1894, Mrs. Adam Eppler. She leaves a husband and one child to mourn her loss. The funeral took place Wednesday from St. Paul's church, Rev. C Haag officiating. The German Workingmen's Society, of this village, attended in a body.

Report of school in District No. 7, Sylvan, for the month ending Feb. 2: Number enrolled, 33; attending every day Edwin and Joe Laubengayer, Lydia Wolf, Anna Jensen, Paulina Bohnet, Oliver Kellam, Alfred Falkner; standing 80, Lois, Alvin and Oliver Kellam; 85. Oscar and Joe Laubengayer, Chauncey Freeman; 90, Lydia Wolf, Herman Weber; 95, Jimmie Kellam; not misspelling a word in written spelling during the month, Jimmie Kellam. Mrs L. A. Stephens, teacher.

Next Sunday evening Rev. L. N. Moon will speak on "Shall Romanism and Protestantism be loving sisters?" He will review some late remarkable utterances, discuss some enigmas and question the future. This will be done in the spirit of candor and fairness. It is expected that great numbers of prominent non-Protestants will attend this service, in return for the splendid hearing given them by Protestant citizens, during the week. In the spirit of conciliation, the lesson will be read from the Catholic New Testament.

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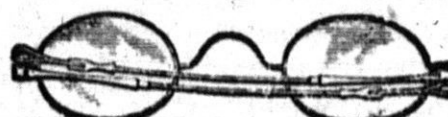
Passengers Trains on the Michigan Central Railroad will leave Chelsea Station as follows:

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First-class Lanterns 29c each.

4 pounds choice Prunes for 25c.

Best syrup in Chelsea 38c per gal.

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27 pounds Brown sugar for \$1.00.
Choice raisins 3c per pound.
3 packages cleaned Currants for 25c
23 lbs. granulated sugar \$1.00.
Fine 4 Cr. Raisins 10c per pound.
First-class lanterns 29c each.
4 pounds V. & C. crackers for 25c.
2 packages Yeast Foam for 5c.
Full cream cheese 14c per pound.
Fine extracted honey 38c per quart.

Best Alaska Salmon 12 1-2c per can.
Tea dust 12½c per pound.
3 Cr Raisins 8c per pound.
Gloss Starch 6c per pound.
Arm and Hammer Saleratus 6c per lb.

Best Nudavene Flakes 8 lbs for 25c.
All laundry soaps 6 bars for 25c
3 packages choice meat for 20 cents
Best kerosine oil 7c per gallon
Lamp wicks 1c per yd.
No. 1 lamp chimneys 3c each.
No. 2 lamp chimneys 5c each.
Best Lantern Globes 5c each.

Choice Coffee 19c per pound.
Best Pam kin 6c per can
Mixed and stick candy 10c per pound.
Fine perfumes 35c per ounce.
Clothes pins 6 dozen for 5c.
Coffish in bricks 8c per pound.

Best Baking Powder 20c per pound.
Choice Rice 5c per pound.
Fine N O. Molasses for 25c per gal.

Extra Japan tea 30c per pound.
9 sticks best chicory for 10c.
Choice Mustard 15c per jug.

3 cakes elegant toilet soap for 20c.
Fine syrup 25c per gallon
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Here and There.

Ed Hammond was in Jackson Sunday.
P. J. Lehman spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor.
Bert Sparks was an Ypsilanti visitor last Tuesday.
Truman Fenn spent Sunday with friends in Ann Arbor.
F. Rooke visited with friends in Dexter the first of the week.
Mrs. Foren was among Jackson friends last Tuesday and Wednesday.
A Dimondale prophet states that we will have two feet of snow this month.
The late C. H. Buhl, of Detroit, bequeathed \$10,000 to the law library of the U. of M.
Emory Chipman, of Unadilla, will move onto the farm now occupied by Frank Cooper in Lima.
Dr. E. A. Avery, of Stockbridge, was the guest of his brother, Dr. H. H. Avery, of this place, last Sunday.

C. A. Barber, of Waterloo, will build a large barn the coming summer. The wall is completed and the lumber on the ground.
Married, Feb. 7, 1894, Mr. Conrad Heschelwerdt to Miss Maggie Jackson, both of Chelsea. Justice P. J. Lehman tied the knot.
C. J. Chandler & Co. have their ice house nearly completed and several loads of ice already stored. Clarence Maroney is the builder.

W. G. Kempf and wife, J. S. Cummings and wife, Mrs. M. G. Curtis and the Misses Everett were in Ann Arbor Wednesday of last week, visiting the University.

Prof. F. Gilch, the noted Oculist-Optician, is meeting with marked success. The Professor will remain at the Chelsea House ten days longer, so that those who have not had the chance to call upon him, may have an opportunity to do so.

Family white fish in pails at Blach's.

Excursions.

The M. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Detroit, for Michigan Club banquet, February 21st and 22nd, limited to return 23rd. Rate one and one-third fare for round trip.

Christian Endeavor Union State Convention, at Detroit. Date of sale March 23rd. Rate one and one-third fare for round trip.

Annual State Encampment, G. A. R., at Owosso, March 20 to 24. Date of sale March 19, 20 and 21st, good to return March 24th.

Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at Kalamazoo, February 20th. Certificate plan tickets.

Complete line salt fish at Blach's.

A lady with intent to manifest her displeasure recently threw a cupful of vitriol at a female acquaintance. Her aim being bad, most of the liquid rebounded and smote the thrower, affording her a lesson in manners, and at the same time giving a rare example of justice in getting in its work promptly.

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It May Do as Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a Severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called Kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago he began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to cure of all Kidney and Liver troubles and often gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Price only 50c for large bottle. At F. P. Glazier & Co's. Drug Store.

The "Michigan Germania" is the name of a new German newspaper that will make its appearance in Ann Arbor about March 1st, 1894.

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Now that Lent is so near at hand, the demand for salt fish is increasing. Monday we received a large shipment of newly packed fish and will dispose of the same at bottom prices. Do not fail to see our line before purchasing elsewhere. Our line consists of No. 1 White Fish in half barrels, Fancy White Fish in half barrels, No. 1 White Fish in 10-lb kits, Fancy White Fish in 10-lb kits, No. 1 Trout in half barrels, No. 1 Trout in 10-lb kits, Salt Water Herring, No. 1 Mackerel in half barrels, No. 1 Macke al in 10 lb kits, Round Shore Herring, Lake Herring, Cromarty Blotlers by the dozen, Halibut, Cod Fish and Dried Herring. In canned goods we have imported and domestic Sardines, Lake Shore Mackerel in Tomato Sauce. The famous Sun Flower Salmon, Cove Oysters, in fact anything you want in the line of fish. Before you buy a cent's worth in this line call and see our assortment.

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Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made for more than thirty days in payment of an installment of interest due on a mortgage executed by Charles W. Glover and Oriska M. Glover to Mary A. Starkweather, dated January 7th, 1893, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, State of Michigan, January 10th, 1893 in Liber 79 of Mortgages on page 350, for which default the Mortgagee has elected to consider and treat the whole amount of said Mortgage as now due and payable as provided for in said Mortgage, upon which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal, interest and Attorney's fee, as provided for in said Mortgage, the sum of Sixty-four Hundred and Forty Dollars. Notice is hereby given that said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the Mortgaged Premises, (subject to a Mortgage of \$5,000 and interest given to the Ypsilanti Savings Bank), at Public Vendue to the highest bidder on the 4th day of May next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Southern front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor in said County, to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said Mortgage and all legal costs to-wit: Lots Fifth-seven and Fifty-eight, original plot of the Village (now City) of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan. Dated, Feb. 8th, 1894.
MARY A. STARKWEATHER, Mortgagee.
D. C. GRIFFIN, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery. Wilhelm Batzer, Complainant, vs. Johanna Batzer, Defendant.
Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw in Chancery, at Ann Arbor, on the 30th day of January, A. D. 1894, in the 22 Judicial Circuit for the State of Michigan.
It satisfactorily appearing to this Court by affidavit on file, that the defendant, Johanna Batzer, is not a resident of this state, but resides at Rosenfelden Peterswalde, West Prussia in the German Empire, on motion of Lehman Bros., Complainant's Solicitors, it is ordered that the said defendant, Johanna Batzer, cause her appearance to be entered herein within five months from the date of this order, and in case of her appearance that she cause her answer to the complainant's Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said complainant's solicitors, within twenty days after service on her of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendant.
And it is further ordered, that within twenty days after the date hereof the said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant; at least twenty days before the above time prescribed for her appearance.
E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

LEHMAN BROS., Complainant's Solicitors.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by John W. Cowan and Dorcas M. Cowan, his wife, to Charles Kingsley, bearing date the 1st day of January, A. D. 1896, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw, in the State of Michigan, on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1896, in Liber 33 of Mortgages on Page 711, and duly assigned by Charles Kingsley, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of said Charles Kingsley deceased, to Anna K. Calkin by assignment, bearing date the 1st day of January, A. D. 1891, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County on the 16th day of January, A. D. 1894, in Liber 11 of Assignment of Mortgages on Page 329. By which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at this date, the sum of Nine Hundred and Fourteen dollars and twenty five cents (\$950.00) as an Attorney fee, as provided for in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, and no suit or proceeding at law, or in Chancery, having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage. Notice is therefore given that by virtue of the power of sale fore given that, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed on Monday the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1894, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the East door of the County House in the City of Ann Arbor in said County of Washtenaw, (said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County of Washtenaw), by sale at Public Auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, which said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgage as follows, viz:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Manchester, in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, known and described as follows, to-wit: The North half (1/2) of the South East quarter of the North West quarter of section number two (2), in Township number four (4) South of range number three (3) East, containing twenty acres of land, be the same more or less.
Dated Chelsea, Mich., January 25, 1894.
ANNA K. CALKIN, Assignee.
G. W. TURNBULL, Attorney for assignee.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Maria A. Cohoon, by Henry Cohoon her Attorney in fact, Edward Sumner and Alice Sumner, his wife, Mary C. Carr, Almira Perry, Alonzo Newton and Jennie Newton, his wife, Welcome B. Sumner and Maggie Sumner, to Charles H. Kempf, bearing date the Twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. 1893 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Washtenaw, in the State of Michigan, on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1892, in Liber 77 of Mortgages on Page 168, by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at this date the sum of One Thousand and forty-nine dollars and twenty-five dollars as an Attorney fee as provided in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, and no proceeding at law or in Chancery having been instituted to recover the debt so secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.
Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed on Monday, the 12th day of March, A. D. 1894, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the East door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw, (said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County of Washtenaw), by sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage which said mortgage premises are described in said mortgage as follows, viz: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated in the Townships of Sylvan and Lyndon in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: 1st. South-east quarter of the South-west quarter of section thirty-four (34) Township one, South of range three East (Township of Lyndon). The North-west part of the North-west fractional quarter of section three (3) in Township two (2) South of range Three East (Township of Sylvan).
Also the North-east part of the North-west fractional quarter of said section three (3) in Township of Sylvan.
Also the South half of the South half of the South-west quarter of the South-east quarter of section four (4) in said Township of Sylvan. Dated Chelsea, Mich., December 14th, 1893.
CHARLES H. KEMPF, Mortgagee.
G. W. TURNBULL, Attorney for Mortgagee.

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THE NEWS.

Compiled From Late Dispatches.

CONGRESSIONAL.

THE senate was addressed on the 29th by Senator Teller (Col.) on the president's Hawaiian policy, he taking advanced ground in favor of the annexation of the Hawaiian islands and ultimately of Cuba and Canada. The house bill to repeal the federal election laws was also discussed and a resolution was offered declaring that the secretary of the treasury has no legal right to issue and sell the bonds and other interest-bearing obligations of the government. The debate on the internal revenue bill, including the provision for the income tax, began in the house.

When the financial discussion in the senate ended on the 30th the bill to repeal the federal election laws was considered and it was decided that a vote on the measure should be taken on the 31st. In the house the income tax bill was discussed at length.

The time of the senate on the 31st was consumed in the discussion of the resolution of Senator Stewart, of Nevada, declaring that the secretary of the treasury has no power to issue the bonds for which bids have been invited. In the house the income tax bill was placed as a rider upon the tariff bill by a vote of 173 to 56. The entire day was spent in the consideration of amendments which were offered to the various internal-revenue features. An amendment increasing the tax on whisky from ninety cents to one dollar was adopted.

THE session of the senate on the 1st was occupied in discussing the legality of the bond issue. In the house the Wilson tariff bill, with the income tax incorporated, was passed by a vote of 204 to 140. All the republican members and eighteen democrats and one populist voted against the measure.

In the senate on the 2nd notice was given of amendments to the house tariff bill providing for the coinage of silver bullion for the benefit of owners and repealing all acts authorizing the issuing of bonds. The legality of the recent bond issue was discussed. Adjourned to the 5th. In the house a resolution was favorably reported to amend the constitution so as to limit the terms of office of the judges of the supreme and superior courts to ten years. The debate on the Hawaiian matter began under a special order, which will bring it to a vote on the 5th.

DOMESTIC.

THE largest oil well ever located in the Ohio field was struck near Fostoria, the flow being 1,000 barrels an hour.

The business portion of Rosamond Ill., was destroyed by fire.

Gov. McKINLEY and Frank Hurd addressed the Sons of Ohio at their banquet at the Grand Pacific hotel in Chicago.

Col. IRWIN, U. S. A., has just received a medal from congress for act of bravery displayed in 1861.

In a drunken row at a dance in Alpine, Ark., Lew Jones, Charles Ross and Sam Powell were killed.

A BREAK occurred in the levee above Sacramento, Cal., causing an inundation of 600 acres of the finest hop land in that section.

As THE result of a debate in the Colorado legislature Col. Fisk challenged Senator Boyd to a duel.

FIVE men were killed and one fatally injured by the explosion of a boiler in a mill at Crow, Ky.

On their way to Texas a family of immigrants, consisting of two children and father and mother, were frozen to death in a blizzard near Clarendon, Ark.

FOUR infuriated women horse-whipped Albert Livingston and drove him out of Benton Harbor, Mich. for attempted assault.

JUDGE LEE, at Little Rock, Ark., declared null the marriage of a negro and a white woman and fined both.

THEODORE PABST & Co., importers of glassware in New York for forty years, failed for \$100,000.

COUNTERFEIT silver dollars, made of pure silver and of a quality better than the genuine, were afloat in Cincinnati. At the present price of silver a dollar can be made for forty-five cents.

JAMES F. CLARK, cashier, confessed that he blew the safe of the Ellaville (Ga.) bank, having previously taken the money, about \$7,000.

A BILL to prevent and punish prize fighting in Iowa was passed by the lower house of the legislature.

PEACH buds were killed in southern Illinois by the recent cold wave. Less than one-twentieth escaped.

At a party in Decatur, Ill., Maggie Truelock killed David Lambert, her sweetheart, with a revolver supposed to be unloaded.

A NEW trotting circuit, including Milwaukee, Independence and six other western cities, was formed in Mason City, Ia.

DETECTIVE CHARLES ARADO was shot and killed by Officer John A. Bacon as the result of a saloon brawl in Chicago.

Gov. MATTHEWS announced that under no circumstances would he permit prize fighting in Indiana.

D. B. JUDSON, an extensive glove manufacturer at Gloversville, N. Y., failed for \$250,000.

ALBERT STROEBEL, the murderer of John Marshall, of Huntingdon, Tenn., was executed. He confessed his crime on the gallows.

"PROF." LARS ANDERSON, alleged spirit medium, was driven from South Charleston, O., bad eggs accelerating his departure.

W. Y. WALKER, a prominent business man at Jackson, Mo., and his wife died from the effects of poison placed in their coffee at supper in some mysterious manner.

CONNECTICUT's board of world's fair managers reported that there was a net balance of \$4,000 out of the state's \$70,000 appropriation.

Six children of George Robinson, aged from 4 to 14 years, died of diphtheria at Embury Church, Ia.

THE town of Prospect, O., was almost entirely destroyed by fire, the loss being over \$100,000.

KENTUCKY's legislature instructed the senators from that state to oppose confirmation of Wheeler H. Peckham to the supreme bench.

THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased \$7,838,084 during the month of January. The cash balance in the treasury was \$84,082,099. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to \$1,403,019,607.

SMOOTH swindlers secured about \$30,000 from several firms in the lumber business at Bay City, Mich.

As THE result of an old feud John Schultz shot his son-in-law, Henry Fries, at Becker, Mo., and soon after killed himself.

It was the pride of David Austin, a wealthy farmer who died near Chillicothe, Mo., aged 74, that he had never been out of his native state, never ate a meal in a hotel or shopped in a barber shop, and never had a day's illness until two months ago.

In a fight between laborers near Asheville, N. C., six men were killed and eight others were seriously injured.

THE twenty-five collieries of the Reading Coal company in the vicinity of Shenandoah, Pa., employing 10,000 men and boys, shut down for an indefinite period.

WILLIAM BUSH and wife, an aged and wealthy couple at Luverne, Ala., were murdered and robbed.

THE fire losses in the United States for the month of January were placed at \$13,076,455, against \$21,342,789 in the corresponding month of last year.

JOSEPH KNITTEL's excelsior shoe case works and George Stahl's incubator factory were destroyed by fire at Quincy, Ill., the loss being \$100,000.

THE big warehouse of the Felix & Marston Willow Ware company in Chicago and several other buildings were destroyed by fire, the total loss being \$160,000.

EDWARD and Patrick Toole probably fatally cut Joseph Badelle at Brazil, Ind., who prevented them killing their mother.

THE Indiana supreme court has decided against the lumber combine of that state, declaring it must not restrict trade.

ALL the silver in the treasury vaults at Washington must be recounted because of the petty thefts of a messenger.

WILLIAM SCHAEFFER and Harry Secathe, clerks for a New York real estate agent, confessed to stealing \$20,000.

FARMERS near Westerville, O., started a movement to subscribe money to relieve the country if congress will at once adjourn.

TOM NELSON established a reputation in New York as the champion oyster eater of the world by swallowing 150 of the largest bivalves in as many minutes.

SECRETARY HERBERT, of the navy, sent a telegram to Admiral Benham congratulating him upon his action in defending American interests in the harbor at Rio de Janeiro.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 2d aggregated \$768,522,347, against \$840,227,507 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893, was 44.2.

THE Avondale street railway carsheds and machine shop were burned at Cincinnati, entailing a loss of \$175,000.

DAVE GRAY, a Creek Indian, was given fifty lashes on the bare back at South McAlester, Ind. T., for horse stealing.

JOHN NOONAN and Stephen Douglas were asphyxiated by gas at Lima, O.

THERE were 336 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 2d, against 440 the week previous and 255 in the corresponding time in 1893.

TWO CHILDREN of James Scanlon were cremated at Meadville, Pa., and their mother may lose her mind.

PRICE LEE (colored) killed his wife at Dandridge, Tenn., and was drowned while fleeing from a posse.

BOB BURNETT (colored) was publicly whipped at Russellville, Ky., for stealing meat.

THREE THOUSAND coal miners in the vicinity of Bellaire, O., went on a strike on account of a reduction in wages from 70 to 50 cents a ton.

LEE SANG, a Chinese highbinder, was hanged at San Quentin, Cal., for the murder of a fellow-countryman.

Gov. RICH notified the Michigan board of canvassers that they must resign or submit to being removed.

JAMES ARNOLD, the South Whitley (Ind.) banker who swindled hundreds of farmers out of their savings, is a fugitive.

THE state board of health estimates that there were 128,500 deaths in the state of New York during the year 1893. This is 2,200 less than occurred the year previous.

BURGLARS stole \$11,000 from the safe of the Arkadelphia Lumber company at Dalark, Ark.

ARCHIE BAILEY was convicted at Lebanon, Ky., of the murder of George Redd last November, and the jury fixed his penalty at ninety-nine years in prison.

GEORGE HUBER, who murdered Charles Cage at Neeley, Neb., was taken from jail by a mob and lynched.

REV. D. C. COOK, pastor of the Colored Baptist church at Fayetteville, Tenn., and one of the most prominent among the preachers and teachers of his race, was shot dead by some one unknown.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

At the election in New York city to fill congressional vacancies Eli Quigg (rep.) was elected in the Fourteenth district and Isador Strauss (dem.) was chosen in the Fifteenth district.

THE Rhode Island legislature convened at Providence.

DANIEL SHEA died on a farm near Ladd, Ill. He was 103 years and 2 months old and had lived in Bureau county since 1844.

THOMAS B. FERGUSON, of Maryland, was nominated for minister to Sweden and Norway by the president.

FREDERICK LANSING, an ex-congressman, died at his home in Watertown, N. Y., aged 55 years.

GARRETT VEEDER, a pioneer newspaperman and founder of the Jamesville (Wis.) Recorder, died in that city.

THE Indiana democrats selected Indianapolis as the place and August 15 as the date for holding the state convention.

GEORGE W. CHILDS, editor of the Philadelphia Ledger and widely known as a philanthropist, died at his home in that city after an illness of two weeks, aged 65 years.

FOREIGN.

A LARGE cotton mill of 8,000 spindles, the property of the Railway Mill company at Oldham, England, was burned, the loss being \$500,000.

MERLINO, an Italian anarchist for whom the police have been searching since 1883, was arrested in Naples.

ACCORDING to a London paper Premier Gladstone will resign before the re-opening of parliament.

THE schooner *Gertie E. Foster*, of Gloucester, Mass., struck on the rocks at Liverpool, N. S., and five sailors were drowned.

PLEAS DUFREUSE shot and killed his married sister, Mrs. Brunetia, and then fatally shot himself in Montreal.

THE great silk stores of Favre & Lioux in Lyons, France, were burned, causing a loss of 1,500,000 francs.

DR. J. F. HARTIGAN, the United States consul at Trieste, Austria, died of heart trouble.

DURING a fierce riot at Santiago, Chili, five men, supposed to be partisans of Balmaceda, were killed.

THE steamship *Mariposa* arrived at Auckland, New Zealand, from Hawaii with advices up to January 20. She reported that affairs on the island were unchanged. The general sentiment among the people was to await the action of congress.

Fifty-two farms near Neisse, in Prussian Silesia, were swept by fire, the damage being placed at 2,000,000 marks.

In a conversation with Explorer Peters Emperor William, of Germany said he had "long desired to see the great American republic."

LATER.

THE United States senate was not in session on the 3d. In the house the time was mostly occupied in discussing Hawaiian affairs. Mr. Bland introduced a bill providing for the coinage of silver bullion in the treasury.

LEIBMAN BROS., of Brooklyn, N. Y., dry goods dealers, failed for \$400,000.

GEN. LEWIS RICHMOND, prominent in the rebellion and later in official circles, died at Flushing, L. I., aged 70 years.

INCANDESCENT lights started a blaze in Omaha, Neb., which did about \$300,000 worth of damage.

FORTY-SIX head of valuable horses were cremated by an incendiary fire that destroyed the barns of Henry C. Ireland near Chillicothe, Mo.

PATRICK PHILLIPS shot at a burglar at Denver, Col., and killed his wife.

MORTON S. WILKINSON, who served in the United States senate from 1859 to 1865, died at the home of his daughter in Wells, Minn., aged 75 years.

MRS. COLFAX, of South Bend, Ind., widow of the former vice president, is said to be practically penniless.

WALTER JOHNSON, of Gloucester, Mass., shot Miss Carrie Andrews and himself on account of a love affair.

IVES beat Schaefer in the final billiard game of the Cincinnati tourney by a score of 600 to 434.

BUCK YOUNG, a Caseyville (Ky.) mulatto charged with assault, was flogged and tarred and feathered by white caps.

MRS. LOUISA R. KENT, widow of a colonel in the war of 1812, died at Chicago. She was 94 years old.

PITTSBURG, Kan., was excited over another murder, a woman, the seventh during the months of January and February.

A TORNADO wrecked a church at Gate City, Ala., and four persons were killed and many others were injured.

MRS. MARY WRAY celebrated her 102d birthday at Fairbury, Ill. Five generations were present, representing 247 years.

JOHNSON skated 220 yards at Montreal, Can., in 30 3-5 seconds, lowering the record for that distance.

TWO HUNDRED negro converts were baptised through a hole cut in the canal ice at Indianapolis, Ind.

THE Nashville (Tenn.) Electric railway made an assignment with liabilities of \$900,000.

AUGUSTE VAILLANT, the anarchist condemned to death for throwing a bomb in the chamber of deputies in Paris, was guillotined at the prison de la Roquette.

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Do enchanted sweetness hold.
Of her teeth, I've never a word to say,
For in sooth, she has none yet,
But there will be pearls "of the purest ray"
By her fairy godmother brought some day
From the sea, in a silver net.
No circlet of diamonds wreatheth she,
She's a princess, ne'ertheless;
No gown of silken embroidery
Hides her tiny figure's symmetry,
But a simple, snowy dress
Falleth softly down to her wee, wee feet,
And down to the dimpled hand
That, with infantine grace, she lifts to meet
The lips she knoweth so ready to greet
It with kisses, as tenderly sweet
As were ever in demand.
O, baby Louise, you have won me quite,
With your eyes, that like twin stars shine;
By your face, with winsomeness all alight
From its perfect chin, to its brow snow white,
So I choose you "My Valentine."
—Sarah L. Morris, in Inter Ocean.

THE FOURTEENTH OF FEBRUARY.



HERE was an
unusual flut-
ter in the lit-
tle town of
Pattleton.
Joseph Jen-
nings was
coming home
again. Years
ago, when the
old red

schoolhouse was filled with the boys and girls of the town, February 14th was as great a holiday as could be made of it with school in session, and somebody had a party, or some one got up a ride, or there was a grand popcorn frolic. In fact, there was always something going on that day, if all other days in the year should be dry as dust, though that could never be the case with forty girls and boys to make them lively. The excuse for this extra fun on the 14th was that it was Jo Jennings' birthday, and they must celebrate it; and when any of the parents tried to remonstrate the ready argument was that they didn't celebrate other birthdays, because nobody was ever born on a day they could celebrate, and with such a good reason what could be said further? All the girls sent him valentines, and all the boys wished they could change places for just that one day. As he grew older the custom remained the same, for he was, and had always been, a great favorite in the town. The mail bag which came in on the stage that night fairly bulged with the number of missives directed to J. J. Jennings. To be sure some of the girls had married and left the town, but all who remained kept up the custom. Everybody called him Jo, and as he came back year after year seemingly unchanged in his love for the old home, and just as cordial with all the old friends, they decided that travel could never make him other than the kind-hearted friend he had ever been. Always impartial in his treatment of the young ladies of the place, he took one to the picnic, another out driving behind the fat, black pony, still another on the harbor excursion, and a different one up the mountain after blueberries. Everybody called his mother Aunt Judith, because she was such a lovely old lady they simply couldn't help it. A face sweet and beautiful in its youth only grew more sweet as the years made wrinkles and drew lines here and there. The eyes, always sympathetic, only filled with a deeper light of love as time fled. The hair, in earlier years a rich crown for the erect figure, only laid itself in more caressing waves about the face. Truly she had grown old gracefully. An invalid, she was cared for by her eldest daughter, Martha, who had already sent away a lover because she would not leave her home just now. She did wish Jo would marry and bring his wife home to live. That would make all clear. Martha could be happy, and she knew for herself she could love anyone of the village girls whom he might choose for a wife. Why didn't he care for some one? The year before something had happened! They had all sent valentines according to the usual custom. There were eighteen of them. The next morning, down at the corners, Jo was talking to Jimmie Hazen, and Jimmie asked, carelessly: "How many this time, Jo?" "Eighteen splendid ones; but I don't suppose one of the senders can make a biscuit to save her life."

Of course Jimmie mentioned it as a

good joke to his sister Ruth, who had black eyes and a lively temper of her own, and she told the other girls, considering it anything but a joke, and that was what caused all the flutter. Now Ruth couldn't make biscuits, and she had always thought Jo just a little better than ordinary mortals, and to have him come down to biscuits, and then to throw out such a remark as that to her brother! He probably meant to have Jimmie tell her.

Ruth told the girls at the next social, and, with her eyes flashing, declared she wished she could bake, but she couldn't, and she hated dough; but if she could make biscuits she'd make a bushel and smother him. So now! She cried at home, and thought it very unkind of Jo, and declared she wouldn't send another valentine as long as she lived. But when the summer came and the girls, not forgetting the fling at their lack of ability, took to refusing him when invited to picnics or other places of amusement, Ruth was sorry, and yet glad, for she couldn't stop liking him all at once, even if she tried her best. So when the anniversary came again she decided she would just send as always and not mind what had probably thoughtlessly been said.

No one knew why the daughters of the several households were so anxious to learn to make bread, but it was a fact that every girl in town suddenly developed a desire to relieve her mother of the biscuit making. And yet, not every one; for little Ruth Hazen declared she couldn't and wouldn't, and stuck to the china painting which she sent regularly to Rockland, and which brought her more money than carloads of biscuits would have done.

Valentine's day brought only one valentine for Jo, and he opened it wondering if his friends had forgotten that it was his birthday, or whether they thought it time to drop the old custom. He wondered who had remembered him. The roses looked like some he had every year, half blown and always pink. Ruth Hazen always wanted a bunch of the blush roses by the door, and he remembered so well how she buried her face in the last ones he had carried to her—yes, it must have been Ruth. Puzzled and a little troubled at the dearth of valentines, he knew not what to make of it. Then Grace Eames had refused to ride with him last summer, giving a good reason, of course, but one that he knew could have been laid aside.

After supper a rattling wagon drove to the door, and its driver, after

asleep to dream of being shut up in a tower and not allowed anything but biscuits to eat or sleep on, and the only thing he could see for miles were fields of biscuits in all shades of brown, which he was told he must eat as fast as they ripened. Then he saw Ruth, with her hair flying wildly about her face, and, when he looked closely, he found that what he thought hair was only hundreds of valentines, and when he tried to take them off her head she suddenly turned into a plump biscuit, and the astonishment awoke him, to find that the sun shone, and also that his head ached.

"I wish you'd go over to the mills this morning and see about that grain," said Martha, when he came down complaining of such a dismal headache. "The air'll do you good, and you can take Ruth along. You go right by there."

Ruth's eyes were red when she came to the door, for she had secretly shed tears that she had not tried to learn bread-making, so as to have had her dozen with the rest which she knew must be reposing on the pantry shelves in the Jennings house. She had told herself a hundred times she didn't care, but it didn't alter the feeling in the least, and she knew every time she repeated it that deep in her heart she did care a good deal. Yes, she would go, and as she plumed on the jaunty black hat with its red wing, and tucked her hands in a wee muff, she thought to herself there might be some chance to explain why she hadn't done as well as the rest of the girls.

There had been little snow this year, and the ground was hard and smooth. Only a few drifts by the roadside and in the fields, and these were fast going in the bright sunlight. The black horse was in high spirits, the air was clear. Jo's headache drifted away. Ruth was so pretty to look at, and his mother liked her so well—

"You haven't heard a word I said!" "Well, when I get old and feeble, I want to have a few of my senses left, and so while I had such good use for my eyes I thought I would let my ears rest."

Ruth laughed, but she would not look at him again, for she had seen the love in his eyes when she did look, and she decided that the view toward the hills was better for her than the one so near at hand.

"Did you know I had but one valentine this year?" with a peculiar emphasis on the "one."

"Didn't you have more last year?" "Yes, year before last I had twenty,

of joy as her eyes were full of tears. Now she could say what she had been trying to ever since they started. "I have felt so badly that I couldn't send when I found you didn't like valentines—"

"But I do," "Well, you said you didn't s'pose one of the girls could make biscuits, and we declared we'd like to smother you in them—"

"That explains it. I couldn't think what I had done to bring down a flood of that kind. Well, I was overwhelmed if not smothered."

"But I can't make biscuits and—" "If you could see the stacks at home, sixteen dozen of them, you wouldn't wonder that I say with emphasis, I'm glad you can't!"

Ruth turned with laughing eyes: "Then I needn't apologize?"

"No, indeed. I like valentines better than biscuits, but I guess it needed just that to show me that I did."

"Sixteen dozen! What are you going to do with them all?"

"Take you home with me to help eat them. You haven't answered my question yet."

"I'm too young," but a bright blush was on the face turned again to the hills. Jo laughed, liking her shy ways, yet sure that he had seen favor in her eyes. He wished he could surprise her into turning this way again. "Yes, I think I am too young. Why, I'm only thirty; but we can both be growing older as fast as we can, and by next June we shall be old enough."

He insisted that her aid was necessary in consuming those biscuits, so they stopped to tell Mrs. Hazen. What she could have seen in his face I cannot tell, but she went into the house with the remark that it "wouldn't be the last meal Ruth would eat in the Jennings house."

He lifted her from the carriage with a mute caress, and, leaving the black pony to walk leisurely into the open door of the barn, he led Ruth into the sunny sitting-room where his mother sat in her cushioned easy-chair, and said: "I have brought home a valentine, mother. One I am going to keep," and while she drew the blushing face down to hers with her thin, white hands and kissed it, Jo went out hurriedly to look after the pony and whisper in her ear that he was so happy. Meeting Martha on the way he stopped to tell her that Ruth would stay to dinner, but his face must have been a very telltale one, for he might just as well have said that she was to stay forever, and Martha shook hands with a hearty "I'm so glad, Jo."—Mrs. N. A. M. Roe, in Good Housekeeping.

Little Valentine.

If I searched the world over, oh, where could I find
A dainty wee blossom so much to my mind—
From the bright sunny head to the little pink feet;
So perfect, so precious, so winning and sweet?
Of rose leaves and dew her cheeks seem to be made,
And a tint from the skies on her soft eyes is laid,
Her hands like the petals of lilies so white,
And her voice like the lark's in a morning bright.
Oh, hopeless the search! but I'll tell some bright bird,
All the dearest and sweetest things ever were heard,
And he'll fly to my darling though winter blows cold,
And whisper the message more precious than gold.
—Elizabeth A. Davis, in Detroit Free Press.

Pronunciation.

Good old Deacon Thayer, who was school trustee in the town of Mendon, Mass., once said, when addressing the village school: "A correct pronunciation is of the utmost importance in this world and the world to come. But how many people have it? We heard three words mispronounced the other day by persons of far more than ordinary culture, and the errors are all common ones. Before 'desuetude' was dragged from its own desuetude by the president, few persons pronounced it correctly. Very many persons habitually rhyme 'squalor' with holler, and hardly anybody pronounces 'paresis' correctly."—Boston Gazette.

He Wanted to Find Out.

A little boy whose experience with elevators had been a very limited one was brought to the city a few days ago by his mamma, and in the course of two or three hours' shopping the little fellow was taken up and down in different stores a good many times. Finally the two went to an office building, took chairs in a rather small room and waited. "Where are we now, mamma?" asked the boy. "In Uncle Rob's office." He glanced around the rather contracted quarters, and then asked: "When does it go up?"—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

Appropriate.

"They say flowers are the proper things to send on Valentine's day now." "Quite sensible and appropriate for nineteenth century love." "How so?" "They fade quickly."—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Use.

He—I wish you would let me be your valentine.
She—I wish you were my valentine.
He—Darling!
She—Because I could then send you off to some one.—Truth



"I HAVE BROUGHT HOME A VALENTINE."

knocking, left on the step a bundle directed to "J. J. Jennings."

"There, that's the Conant's wagon, I know; and this is Jennie's valentine." The bundle contained a dozen of the lightest biscuit ever seen, and this rhyme:

A valentine I dared not make,
But biscuits by the dozen bake.
Another knock, and another parcel was deposited; another dozen biscuits so like the first that they might have been made by the same hands, and this rhyme:

You told the saint
I didn't know how
To make a good biscuit;
Just look at this, now.

Sixteen dozen biscuits in sixteen different bundles were spread on the table before nine o'clock, each bundle containing a scrap appropriate to the day and the unusual gift.

Jo lay awake nearly all night trying to think what could have brought this to think what could have brought this avalanche of bread upon him, and finally concluded it must have been that little speech of his about the girls that knowing how to make biscuits. But his mind kept returning to Ruth's valentine, and by and by he decided that a man didn't need but one valentine, especially if he had plenty of time, so toward morning, he dropped bread. So, toward morning, he dropped

and last year eighteen, and now this year I am narrowed down to one."

"Why, didn't the girls—"

"Yes, seventeen of them did. Sixteen thought I had got beyond the age of romance and now ought to live on the solids of life, but the seventeenth still thought I might cling to a little of the romance. I am glad there is one who still holds to the old custom. It isn't nice to think one is dropped out of the old life."

"Oh! I am sure the girls didn't mean—"

"she stopped, for though she might explain the meaning of the biscuit, could she explain the one valentine?" "Cousin Albert told me I shouldn't always have so many valentines, and he was right. But it is only the end of a lesson that I have been a long time learning. Martha says a man can have but one valentine. Now that I have really come down to one, I find that I have never had but one. That I have looked for yours first, and last night when I thought what it would mean if you stop sending each year I could hardly wait to see you and ask if you would come yourself as my valentine. Ruth, I love you dearly; I think I always have."

Ruth still kept her eyes on the far away hills. But her heart was as full

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

LOCAL OPTION LAW VALID.

Judge Buck, of Kalamazoo, Renders an Important Decision.

In the mandamus case of Fred. H. Giddings against H. K. Wells, brought to test the legality of the local option law, Judge Buck, of Kalamazoo, has filed his opinion denying a writ. He says:

"I have examined with care the affidavit and return the suggestions which have been made with reference thereto by counsel; and while there may be some doubts with reference to the adoption of the law I feel it my duty to solve them in favor of the validity of the proceedings taken to adopt the law and to hold that the local option law is in force; and I am also impelled to this ruling because of the importance of the questions at stake as well as because a speedy review can be had before the supreme court and a decision arrived at which will be of great value in the state and finally settle what has hitherto been a mooted question."

Hanged Himself.

One year ago Jesse Hart, of Charlotte, suffered a severe attack of la grippe, from which he never entirely recovered. Since then he had been given to spells of despondency, and while suffering from an aberration of mind took his life. He had no financial or domestic troubles and no other cause could be assigned. He was one of the early pioneers of Eaton county, having settled in Brookfield township in 1837, and had lived the life of a wealthy retired farmer in Charlotte for the past thirty years.

Husband and Wife Shot.

At the village of Robinson a man named Hawkins shot his wife and a constable and two citizens who went to arrest Hawkins were fired on by him as they neared the house. His shots failed to take effect. The constable then opened fire on Hawkins, filling his body full of buckshot. Both Hawkins and his wife were fatally wounded. Jealousy, it was said, was the cause of the shooting.

Died Worth Millions.

C. H. Buhl, aged 84 years, one of Detroit's most prominent and wealthy citizens, died at his residence after a long illness. Mr. Buhl was a leading merchant, manufacturer and banker, being among the first to move in the establishment of national banks in Detroit. He served one term as mayor and was one of the wealthiest men in the city, his fortune being estimated at over \$5,000,000.

Says Returns Were Not Altered.

Attorney General Ellis has returned to Lansing from Gogebic county and although he offers no proof to substantiate his claim insists that the 1891 returns from that county which were said to have been altered so as to increase the vote cast for the amendment trebling his salary were not tampered with by the state board. He says proof will be furnished in due time.

Badly Frozen.

W. H. Bachman, wife and four children, living near Kalamazoo, barely escaped with their lives from their burning home in their night clothes. The thermometer was 10 degrees below zero, and before reaching a neighbor's house, some distance away, two of the children were so badly frozen that their death was expected.

Health in Michigan.

During the week ended on January 27 reports sent in by fifty-three observers in various portions of the state to the state board of health indicated that pneumonia, scarlet fever and diphtheria increased in area of prevalence. Typhoid fever was reported at twenty-eight places, diphtheria at twenty-six, measles at ten and scarlet fever at fifty places.

Banking Law Sustained.

The supreme court has sustained in every particular the constitutionality of the general banking law of Michigan. The opinion particularly upholds that section of the law whereby stockholders are held liable to depositors for an additional sum equal to the par value of their stock.

Short But Newsworthy Items.

Mrs. Laura Biggs, who died at Vicksburg, left six children, twenty-one grandchildren and twenty great-grandchildren.

W. H. Culp, the aeronaut, pleaded guilty at Kalamazoo to passing counterfeit coin, and was held to the United States court at Grand Rapids March 6 in \$1,000 bail.

Edward Smith was arrested at Kalamazoo for attempting to pass counterfeit dollars. He is believed to belong to the W. H. Culp gang.

Wasey & Co.'s big chair factory in Detroit has resumed with the full force of 450 workmen after having been shut down since Christmas.

W. H. Culp, charged with peddling counterfeit dollars at Marshall, made a partial confession.

Albert A. Hazard, for twenty-six years a prominent merchant in Kalamazoo, died at the age of 52.

Many men who went from Marquette county to the Illinois coal mines are returning, saying that they cannot earn a living there.

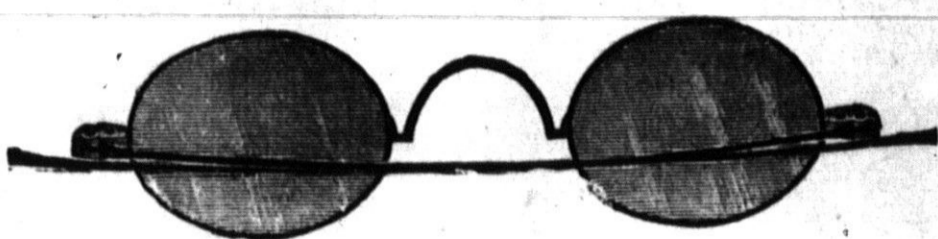
Fire destroyed McKnight's market at Grayling, Master's store, a tailor shop and the land office. Loss, \$5,000; small insurance.

Mrs. Peter Anderson walked out on the ice at the foot of Michigan street in Marquette and drowned herself in three feet of water. She was 53 years of age and insane.

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See What Our Home People Say of Him:

Chelsea, Michigan.
PROF. F. GILCH, Dear Sir:—
We are perfectly satisfied with
glasses you fitted for us, they are just
as recommended.
Yours very truly,
SAML G. IVES.

Chelsea, Michigan.
I wish to say your glasses are giving
me much relief in reading. I am
well pleased with them. I can't ask
for any better.

RUSH GREEN.
Chelsea, Michigan.
In answer to you I wish to say the
glasses are just as you recommended.
They are giving a great deal of
comfort in reading. I am willing to
endorse your work.
CHRIS. McGUIRE.

Chelsea, Michigan.
I purchased two pair of glasses
from Prof. F. Gilch for my wife and
myself. After using them, I find
them first-class, they are doing just
as he recommended them. I believe
him a man well up in his profession,
and can recommend him to be of
much benefit to those who are in
need of his service.

FRANK STAFFAN.
Chelsea, Michigan.
I had been recommended to see
Prof. F. Gilch as to my eyes. I
consulted him and can say he has
fitted me with a pair of glasses that
are doing all that I can ask for. They
are better than the ones I have been
using. I am well pleased.
J. P. WOOD.

Chelsea, Michigan.
I have purchased a pair of glasses
of Prof. F. Gilch. They are much
better than the ones I have been
using and feel they will do all I can
ask for.

JAY EVERETT.
Chelsea, Michigan.
I have been afflicted with my eyes
ever since a child. I consulted Prof.
F. Gilch in regard to them, and in a
few moments he determined the
cause of my trouble, he fitted a pair
of glasses for my eyes and I am
perfectly relieved of the confusion I
heretofore been troubled with, I am
perfectly satisfied that he has done
my eyes much good.
EMMA L. GILLAM.
Prop. Chelsea House.

Chelsea, Michigan.
The glasses purchased from Prof.
F. Gilch are good. I can now see as
well as ever.

J. S. ALLYN.
Chelsea, Michigan.
To whom it may concern:
I formed the acquaintance of Prof.
F. Gilch at Detroit and learned he is
highly endorsed by the people of
Detroit, as well skilled in his pro-
fession. I purchased a pair of glasses
from him, and found them the best
I ever used. With them I can read
with much ease and comfort. I can
faithfully recommend his skill as an
oculist-optician to others.
H. L. WOOD.
Special Agent Mutual Life.

See What Our State Legislators Say:

Lansing, Feb. 6, 1893.
F. Gilch, Esq.,—Dear Sir:
I have tried the Glasses you fur-
nished me, and can say for them,
that they please me very much; the
clearness of sight through them, the
correctness of the style—all combine
to make them very desirable to those
needing assistance to the eye.
Yours Truly,
S. W. HOPKINS,
Senator 25th District.

Lansing, Feb. 2, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
I have given your glasses a fair
trial, and am ready to state they are
perfect in every respect. I receive
much comfort when reading with
them.

J. W. GARVELINK,
Senator of the 8th Dist.
Lansing, Feb. 6th, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
I have given your Glasses a fair
test, and find they suit me better
than the ones I have been using. I
cheerfully recommend your glasses
to others.

WM. LUBIN,
Senator 6th District.
Lansing, Feb. 8th, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
The Eye Glasses I received from
you some time ago give me the very
best satisfaction, and I can cheerfully
recommend them as being first
class. Respectfully,
R. E. FRENCH,
Senator 11th District.

Lansing, Feb. 8th, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
I am very much pleased with the
glasses you fitted me. They are do-
ing just as you recommended them.
JOHN F. HICKS,
Representative, Menominee.
I fully concur in the above.
C. M. BARNARD,
Senator 12th District.

Lansing, Feb. 7th, 1893.
Prof F Gilch, Dear Sir:
My eyes have given me a great
deal of trouble, but since using your
glasses I find I can read much better,
and they do away with all bad symp-
toms that I have heretofore been
troubled with.
W. H. McKINSTRY,
Representative, 1st Dist. Muskegon.

Lansing, Feb. 5th, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
I find your glasses are giving me
much comfort. With them I read
easily, and am much pleased with
them.

JON. F. GILDAY,
Representative 1st Dist. Monroe.
Lansing, Feb. 5th, 1893.
I am pleased as well as satisfied
to attach my testimonial to the
beneficial effect of your glasses.
They certainly are the best I have
ever used.

S. K. KINGSLEY, Jr.,
Representative, 3d Wayne.
Lansing, Feb. 5th, 1893.
Dear Sir:
The glasses purchased of you
have been giving me perfect satis-
faction. They are much better
than any I ever wore. With them
I can read with a great degree of
comfort and pleasure, the finest of
print by lamp-light.

L. L. CHURCH,
Representative 2d Dist. Montcalm.
Lansing, Feb. 8, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
Your glasses are really much
better than the ones I have been
using, and give me much relief in
reading. I am pleased, and want
no better.

NORTON FITCH,
Representative 3d Dist. Kent Co.

Lansing, Feb. 10, 1893.
Dear Sir:
This is to certify that the glasses
purchased from you are doing just
as you recommended them. I am
pleased as well as satisfied with them.
A. S. ROSE,
Representative Isoco Dist.

Lansing, Feb. 6, 1893.
Dear Sir:
In reply I wish to say, I find your
glasses the best I ever used, and am
willing to recommend them to those
who are in need.
R. W. BAGOT,
Representative of Antrim Co.

Lansing, Feb. 6th, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
I had an occasion to use a number
of different kinds of glasses, but
none gives the satisfaction yours do.
I can now read with more ease and
comfort. I freely recommend your
glasses as superior to any I have
ever used.

GEO. C. GREENE,
Representative, Wayne Co.
Lansing, Feb. 10th, 1893.
To whom it may concern:
My eyes having been much in-
flamed, I consulted Prof. Gilch in
regard to them. I soon learned
he is skilled in his profession, and
placed all confidence in him. He
made me a pair of glasses that are
doing all I can ask for, and I find
much improvement since using
them.

CH. H. MCGINLEY,
Senator 20th District.

Lansing, Feb. 6, 1893.
I have purchased a pair of glasses
from Prof. F. Gilch, some two years
ago, and found them the best I ever
used. I can recommend them to
others.

A. R. BLAKLEY,
Representative, Alpena.

Lansing, Feb. 7th, 1893.
To whom it may concern:
This is to certify that the Glasses
that I bought of Prof. F. Gilch are
the very best I have ever had, and I
consider them first class.
WILLIAM MEARS,
27th Senatorial District.

Lansing, Feb. 6th, 1893.
Dear Sir:
Your Glasses, I find, give more re-
lief and comfort than any I ever
used. My wife, also, is very much
pleased with hers. I have spoken
to a number who have purchased
glasses of you, and they claim they
are well pleased with them. I can
cheerfully recommend your skill as
an Optician.

G. W. BOWKER,
Document Keeper, Senate,
Coldwater, Michigan.
Lansing, Feb. 6th, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
My wife has given the glasses a
fair trial, and requests me to say they
are doing all you claim, and have
given her much comfort in doing her
work.

ANTHONY GLUECKLICH,
1st Dist. Wayne Co.

Lansing, Feb. 4, 1893.
Dear Sir:
The two pairs of glasses fitted by
you for my wife and myself are cer-
tainly the best we have used, and
will further say that the examination
of our eyes for only a few moments
enabled you to determine the kind
of glasses necessary as the best aid
to our eyes.

F. W. REDFERN,
Representative, Clinton Co.

Lansing, Feb. 7, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
Your glasses are just what I have
been looking for. They enable me
to do my reading, and I find them
soothing to my eyes. I know of
many others who are using your
glasses, and all speak well of them.
CHAS. D. DODGE,
Representative 2d Dist. Monroe.

Lansing, Feb. 10th, 1893.
Prof. Gilch, Dear Sir:
The prescription spectacles fur-
nished by you I have used steadily
at my desk, in reading and writing
with little intermission for a peri-
od of ten hours, without experien-
cing any unusual fatigue or dry-
ness of the eye, such as all wearers
of glasses experience with improv-
perly fitted lenses.

I am confident that your method
of diagnosing is correct, and calcu-
lated to preserve the strength of
the eyes to the longest possible pe-
riod. Very truly,
WM. M. CLARK,
Man'g Editor State Republican.

Lansing, Feb. 10th, 1893.
Prof. F. Gilch, Dear Sir:
My eyes have given me a great
deal of trouble, and was not able
to find glasses that would correct
the difficulty, until I consulted
Prof. F. Gilch, when I soon learn-
ed he understood my trouble, and
adapted a pair of glasses suitable.
They give me much relief, and are
well suited to my eyes.
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