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## SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARING SALE!

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### The Army Worm.

The northern part of our state has suffered considerably this season from a raid on meadows and grain fields by the army worm. It came too late to do much harm to wheat, rye and barley; but oats, corn and timothy fed the armies wherever found. Potatoes were untouched, peas sown with oats were left while the oats were eaten, and clover and timothy was left. The true army worm, seldom, if ever, touches the foliage of trees or shrubs. There are many invasions of insects known as the army worm, but this is the only real army worm, and is known scientifically as *Leucania unipuncta*. It may be recognized by the general dingy black color with the following longitudinal stripes: On the back is a broad dusky stripe with a narrow white line in the center; below this is a narrow black line, then follows, in the order named, a narrow white line, a yellowish stripe, a faint white line, a dusky stripe, a narrow white line, a yellowish stripe, and an obscure white line; the belly is a dirty green.

The army worms change but little in color through their entire growth. When fully grown they are about one and one-half inches long. They then bury themselves in the ground, when they finish feeding, and a few days later transform to a chrysalis, or pupa. They will remain in this condition until the last of August or first of September, when they will appear as a reddish brown moth, similar to the dingy moths flying around the lights at night. These moths do not feed on the plants, but mate; and a few days later the female will commence laying eggs on the grass in meadows, pastures and especially waste places, such as marshes and "cat holes." The moths soon die. The eggs remain over winter, and the next spring hatch out into small army worms that feed and grow just as their predecessors did.

The army worm caterpillars and moths may be found in limited numbers almost any season, but it is only an occasional season when they march out from their usual feeding ground, the marshes, and strip the surrounding fields of their growing crops. A dry season, such as that of last year, is very favorable for them to increase rapidly and soon spread outside of the marshes on surrounding grass, when tender food becomes scarce. If people with marshes on or near their farms would take the trouble to burn the marshes over at any convenient time through the fall, they would burn most of the eggs, and so prevent what might result in an army worm invasion the next year.

The prospects are that there will be no general invasion next year. There are a great many parasites, such as the "blow flies" and slender bee-like parasites that lay their eggs on the army worms. The egg hatches into a maggot that feeds on the army worm, destroys it, and later changes into a parasite like its parent. If the parasites have done as good work in all the state as in the regions visited by myself, and we do not have a dry autumn, there will be little danger of an attack next year, as nearly every caterpillar collected has been killed by some parasite.

When an army worm invasion occurs, the best thing that can be done is to trap the caterpillars in ditches. When they start from their breeding ground it is in some certain direction, and few obstructions stop them or change their course. If they come to a building, they climb up over it, down on the other side, and continue on their journey. If it is a brook they bridge it with their numbers and pass on, or perish in the attempt. When they come to a ditch, they drop into it and attempt to climb up the other side, but if it is properly constructed, they will keep dropping back because of the loose soil near the top. When the ditch is well covered, kerosene may be poured along in it and ignited, or straw put in the ditch and burned. Another method is to plow or cut another ditch in front of the first ditch, and bury the ones in the first ditch, and so continue ditching ahead of them. When the army is once in a field, little can be done to stop their ravages, except by burning the field or rolling with a heavy roller.

G. C. DAVIS, Entomologist.

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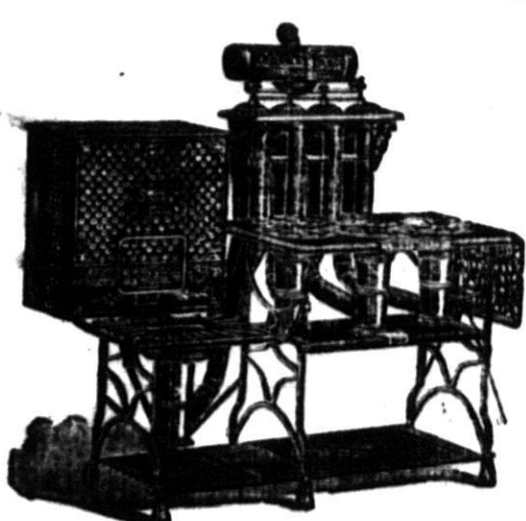
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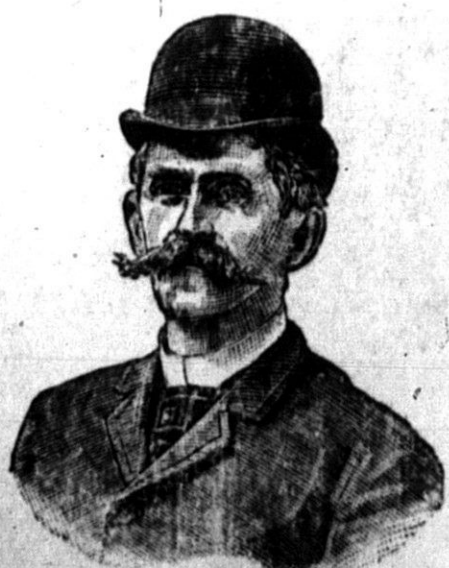
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### Chelsea and Vicinity.

Leo Staffan was in Eaton Rapids last week.

Mrs. Jas. Downer, of Detroit, is in Chelsea this week.

Wm. Casper, of Ann Arbor, is visiting his father at this place.

Born, Aug. 6, 1894, to Mr. and Mrs. M. Schwickerath, twins, both girls.

F. P. Glazier returned home from his western trip last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Howe are entertaining Miss Mary Drew, of Detroit.

Mrs. R. Kempf, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of relatives here last Monday.

Geo. Irwin is having a new barn built in the rear of his residence on South street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Seney, of Jackson, are visiting with Mr. Seney's parents at Lima.

Mrs. Jas. Ackerson and children spent the past week with relatives at White Oak.

Chas. Letts and daughter, Miss Jessie, of Detroit, were Chelsea visitors last week.

Clare Durand, of Detroit, was the guest of his parents last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. F. M. Hooker, of East Middle street, was on the sick list the first of the week.

Miss Anna Beissel returned home last Saturday from a visit with Ann Arbor friends.

Messrs. Thos. Wilkinson, Jr., and Ward Howlett took in the circus at Jackson last Tuesday.

Will Durand, of Battle Creek, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Durand last week.

Miss Lena Wise, of Toledo, O., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. C. Spinnagle.

Miss Nellie Stocking, of Lansing, is visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Stocking, of Polk street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vogel were in Detroit Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hoag.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Davis, of East street, visited with relatives and friends at Saline last week.

Miss Minnie Robertson, of Battle Creek, is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Durand.

Miss Eva Foster, of Ann Arbor, is spending a few days of this week with relatives at this place.

Harry Morton, of Detroit, spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morton, of Jefferson street.

Mrs. A. L. Brown, of Toledo, Ohio, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mensing, of South street.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sykes and family, of Kalamazoo, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stapish.

R. B. Mackenzie, of Jonesville, and father, of Calumet, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sparks and family this week.

Miss Annetta Kingsley, of Manchester, and Miss Mattie Scott, of Muskegon, are spending a few days with Mrs. Anna Calkins.

Miss May Judson came home from Lansing last week and will spend a short time here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Judson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stapish, of Bay City, were the guests of Mr. Stapish's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Stapish, of Lyndon, last week.

Miss Nellie Congdon, who has been at Ypsilanti the past month, returned home the first of the week, accompanied by her friend, Miss Mae Webb.

Mrs. S. Halladay, of Meadville, Mich., and Dr. B. I. Ives, of Auburn, N. Y., were called here this week by the serious illness of their brother, Hon. S. G. Ives.

Dr. R. M. Speer and Gellert came down from Battle Creek last Sunday and visited with Dr. Speer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speer, of Orchard street.

The Misses Hattie Spiegelberg and Minnie Kantelehn, who have been spending the past month with relatives at Cleveland, O., returned home last Friday.

The Misses Marcella and Myrtle Warren and Lucy and Genevieve Burbank, of Ypsilanti, are being entertained by the Misses Addie, Clara and Mamie Snyder, of East Middle street, this week.

An echo meeting of the B. Y. P. U. Rally, which was held at Toronto recently, will be held at the Baptist church, Friday evening, Aug. 10th. Delegates from Ypsilanti, Dexter and Ann Arbor will be present.

The different societies will form in the following order for the German Day parade: First, the five societies from Ann Arbor; second, Ypsilanti; third, Manchester; fourth, Saline and Dexter; fifth, Chelsea; sixth, Speakers in carriage; seventh, wagon containing young ladies who represent the states; eighth, wheelmen; ninth, wagon representing different industries; tenth, business.

Chelsea.

### In Memoriam.

Elisha Congdon died at his residence in the south part of this township on the 25th day of July, 1894, after a lingering illness.

He was born at Norwiche, Conn., Aug. 15, 1822, and came to Michigan with his parents in 1832. He was an early settler in the township of Sylvan, and at the time of his death had lived in that township longer than any man in it except Hiram Pierce.

Mr. Congdon married Grace Smith at Ann Arbor, Oct. 22, 1846, and six daughters and one son have been born to them, all of which survive him except the son. In 1863 he enlisted in Co. K, 20th Michigan Infantry, and was with that regiment all through the war and returned with the battle scarred few who survived the many battles in which that gallant regiment was engaged. He was in all its engagements up to Petersburg, where he was bitten with a copperhead snake, which unfitted him for further active service, and from the effects of which he never recovered.

Mr. Congdon was a man of good and generous impulses, and had the confidence and respect of all who knew him.

A large number of his many friends and neighbors assembled at his late residence to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory at the funeral on July 29th.

### The Fair.

I am pleased to note in the columns of the CHESAIRE HERALD that the President of the Chelsea Union Agricultural Society is trying to encourage all to make the next fair what it should be, to properly represent the section of country adjacent.

For it is a fact that this locality is capable of the most varied production of any in the state, with its plains, its short hills, its clay loam, and quick vegetating sand, with lakes interspersed, making it the best fruit belt in the United States, besides the land suitable for vegetable growing. This with all the other industries in the locality, should support one of the best local fairs in the state. All that is lacking is effort or push. Revise the premium list, and give better premiums, especially in all departments which come under the supervision of the ladies. Pay back in premiums all the receipts except what is necessary for running expenses. Encourage individual premiums, and those competing for the same making their own exhibit.

To begin with, I will give the price of a bushel of beans to the boy or girl, under the age of 21 years, who delivers the best oration or declamation, orally, from the grand stand, judged by a committee of three appointed by the directors of the fair.

Who will be the next to offer?

W. H. GLENN.

### The Care of Lamps.

It is unnecessary to wash and boil the burners of lamps more than once a year if they have been rightly cared for. Keep a small, stiff brush (an old tooth-brush will do), and when cleaning the lamps brush the burners off with this, wiping afterward with a soft flannel cloth. This will keep them bright and free from dust. To trim the wick turn it up, and holding the burner so that the charred portions will not drop on it simply brush it off, thus allowing it to trim itself. It is almost impossible to trim a wick evenly with scissors. To polish metal lamps rub them off with a soft cloth on which has been poured a few drops of kerosene. To polish the chimneys, saturate a small cloth with a little alcohol and wash off the grime and smoke inside. Wash the brushes and cloths used in the care of lamps often.

### Tests for Pure Butter.

It is said that it is an almost certain test of pure butter to melt it and note the color and odor. A German chemist gives the following directions: "Pure fresh butter, when melted, is perfectly clear, or only very slightly cloudy, usually dark yellow, and has the familiar odor of pure butter fat. Pure stale butter may be very cloudy and even opaque when melted, is usually of a dark-yellow color, and has the odor of rancid butter. Melted margarine, on the other hand, is very opaque, of a light yellow color, and has a characteristic, indescribable odor." In addition to this, one may try the test resorted to by experienced cooks. Drop a bit of it upon a very hot saucepan. Pure butter will rise in white bubbles; margarine melts and runs across the dish in oily-looking streaks.

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Fresh Roasted Peanuts 5 cents per lb

25 pounds Brown sugar for \$1.00.

8 pounds clean Rice for 25 cents.

4 packages cleaned Currants for 25c

30 lbs. granulated sugar \$1.00.

Fine 4 Cr. Raisins 8c per pound.

First-class lanterns 29c each.

5-pounds V. & C. crackers for 25c.

2 packages Yeast Foam for 5c.

Full cream cheese 10c per pound.

Tea dust 12 1/2c per pound.

8 Cr Raisins 6c per pound.

Gloss Starch 6c per pound.

Arm and Hammer Saleratus 6c per lb.

Best Nudavene Flakes 8 lbs for 25c.

3 packages mince meat for 20 cents

Best kerosine oil 7c per gallon.

Lamp wicks 1c per yard.

Boston Baking Powder 20c per pound.

No. 1 lamp chimneys 3c each.

No. 2 lamp chimneys 5c each.

Best Lantern Globes 5c each.

Choice Coffee 19c per pound.

Mixed and stick candy 10c per pound.

Fine perfumes 35c per ounce.

Clothes pins 6 dozen for 5c.

24 pounds Extra C Sugar for \$1.00

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

Axle grease 5c per box.

25 pounds sulphur for \$1.

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#### Chancery Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. The Twenty-second Judicial Circuit, in Chancery.  
Warner, complainant vs. John P. Warner, defendant.  
Not pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw. In Chancery, at Ann Arbor on the 13th day of July A. D. 1894.  
In this cause, it appearing from affidavit on file that the defendant, John P. Warner is not a resident of this state, but a resident of Syracuse, Onondaga County, State of New York,  
On motion of complainant's Solicitors it is ordered that the appearance of said non-resident defendant, John P. Warner, be entered herein within four months from the date of this order, and in case of his appearance he causes his answer to the bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on the complainant's Solicitors within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order; and in default thereof said bill will be taken as confessed by said non-resident. And it is further ordered that within twenty days after publication of this order in said County, and that said publication be continued herein 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 time above prescribed for his appearance.  
E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.  
ARTHUR BROWN, Register.  
LAWMAN BROS. Complainant's Solicitors.

#### Sheriff's Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the circuit court for the county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, in favor of Henry W. Schmidt, against the goods and chattels and real estate directed and delivered, I did on the 28th day of June last, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Mortimer W. Bush, in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: all that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the South half of Block five (5) Village of Chelsea, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, particularly known, bounded and described as follows: Bounded on the North by the lands of Burnett Steinbach, on the West by the lands of Charles Steinbach, on the East by the lands of Hiram A. Page and Merchants Bank, and on the South by Middle street.  
Being the same lands and tenements now owned by John A. Eisenman.  
All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the said county of Washtenaw, on the 27th day of August next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.  
MICHAEL BRENNER, Sheriff.

#### Mortgage Sale.

NOTICE having been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Jesse Youngs and Annette Youngs to Joseph T. McIntire dated May 14, 1892, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, State of Michigan, May 10, 1892, in Liber 77 of said county, and there being no payment of the same due at the date of this notice, interest and attorney's fee thereon provided for in said mortgage the sum of one hundred, twenty and 30-100 dollars.  
Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 31st day of August 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: Twenty-six Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, State of Michigan.  
JOSEPH T. MCINTIRE, Mortgagee.  
A. C. GRIFFIN, Attorney for Mortgagee.

For sale or rent, house and lot on Harrison street. Enquire of U. H. Townsend.

#### Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw.  
The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lewis H. Hadley, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of said deceased in the township of Lyndon in said County, on the 23rd day of August and on the 23rd day of November next, at ten o'clock A. M., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.  
Dated May 23rd, 1894.  
GEORGE MARSHALL, Commissioner.  
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New York papers give an account of a detective being robbed by a woman and at the same time they tell of a shark that was seen by sailors in New York bay. Now if a detective had robbed a woman the news would not have been worth recording; and while the sailors were looking at the shark playfully sailing in the bay landsman were dodging them along Wall street.

#### Additional Local.

A. Beals, of Jackson, was in town last Monday.  
Muster Chas. Carner has returned home from Hillsdale.  
Jacob Staffan was in Ann Arbor last week on business.  
Ex-Gov. Blair died at her home in Jackson last Monday.  
Miss Maud Congdon, of Ypsilanti, is at home for a few weeks vacation.  
Miss Bessie Winans is visiting her brother and sister at Lansing this week.  
Miss Mary L. Kearney, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of Chelsea friends this week.  
Peach orchard owners about Ann Arbor report but 25 per cent of an average crop.  
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Miss Lena Exinger, of Ann Arbor, is being entertained by Miss Maud Carner this week.

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Mrs. O'Brien is the guest of her cousin, Miss M. Kearney, of Ann Arbor, who is dangerously ill.

The Misses Eliza Armbruster and Emma Weitbrecht, of Ann Arbor, are the guests of the Misses Girsch, of Garfield street.

It is said that about two-thirds of the men in the country use tobacco. Where do the cigarette smokers come in?

The young ladies of St. Mary's church will hold an ice-cream social at the Town Hall next Saturday evening, August 11, 1894. All are cordially invited.

Dun and Huckins will speak and sing at the town hall on Wednesday and Thursday nights next week. Come everybody and hear the political issues discussed and sung free.

The Congregational Society will hold their morning service at the Town Hall next Sunday, Aug 12. Also Sunday school and Young Peoples meeting at the usual time.

William Eisele and Miss Etta Drew, both of Webster, were married at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haner, on North street, Saturday, July 28th, 1894, by Rev. Thomas Holmes.

At a meeting held last Friday evening, Chelsea Tent, No. 281, K. O. T. M., unanimously elected Sir Knight A. R. Congdon representative to the great camp, and Sir Knight Edgar Williams was chosen alternate.

Chas Steinbach has had the wooden building, which he has used for the past twenty-two years as a harness shop, moved to his lot on West Middle street, this week, and a fine brick building will soon occupy the lot made vacant.

Wednesday, August 15, 1894, will be the feast of the assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and will be appropriately celebrated at St. Mary's church. Services will be held at 6 and 8.30 a. m. in order to allow the pastor and people to attend the picnic at Pinckney.

Hon. S. G. Ives, who has been ill for several weeks, died at his late home on Jefferson street, Tuesday night. Funeral service will be held at the house Friday at 9 o'clock a. m., and at the old family residence at Williamville, at 2.30 o'clock p. m. Rev. J. L. Hudson, of Alpena, will officiate.

The following delegates from this township attended the Republican County Convention at Ann Arbor Tuesday: Wm. Judson, R. S. Armstrong, A. W. Wilkinson, Geo. H. Kempf, John A. Palmer, H. S. Holmes, C. H. Kempf, R. Hoppe, Adam Kalmbach, W. F. Riemenschneider, Jas. L. Gilbert, A. W. Chapman.

Don't forget the grand picnic to be given by St. Mary's parish, Pinckney, at Reason's grove, in that village, on Wednesday, August 15, 1894. An interesting and varied program has been prepared, and we can assure all our readers an enjoyable time. The literary and musical entertainment will begin at 2 p. m. Eloquent address will be delivered by the Hon. T. R. Shields, of Fowlerville, Hon. Wirt Newkirk, of Dexter, Hon. Dennis Shields and Hon. W. P. VanWinkle, of Howell. Five comic songs will be rendered by Messrs. Louis Burg and Luke Rieley, of Chelsea. Miss Esther Duquis, of Detroit, an elocutionist of marvelous ability will give some famous recitations. The base ball games will be an important feature of the day's program. The Pinckney and Howell clubs will play at 10.30 a. m. and the Gregory and Dexter teams will contend for supremacy at 2.30 p. m. Excellent music will be discoursed by the Fowlerville cornet band, which has an enviable reputation among the bands of the state. Dinner will be served at 11.30 a. m., and ice cream, lemonade and choice refreshments will be served all day. Local talent have prepared a rich musical feast. All are cordially invited.

#### Fair Items.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever," and so is a beautiful and symmetrically formed horse. Not only beautiful, but one of man's most faithful creatures. We owe an immense debt of gratitude to this our ever obedient servant, let us be merciful therefore, and treat them with great kindness. In our fair this year we intend to devote much attention to exhibits and displays of farm, carriage and speed horses. This will be as animating and enjoyable as any part of the fair.

Fairs have become trysting places where there are annual reunions of families and friends that are separated at other times of the year, and where old acquaintances are renewed and celebrated after long lapses of time. No one can afford not to attend.  
M. A. Lowry.

#### North Lake Breezes.

Too dry for beans.  
Grapes are a short crop in this locality.  
Prof. S. Wood and wife, of Chicago, are visiting at Wm. Woods'.

Mr. P. Rabbitt, an old resident of this township, died last week.

Born, Thursday, Aug. 2, 1894, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Isham, a boy.

The last rain made the apples plump up considerably. There will be enough for home use.

The great event of the season here has passed, the surf bathing time, and no sad casualties to record. One day this week there gathered here from many miles around, the ladies from Chicago, Goshen, Ind., and other places, dressed in the latest cuts of the bathing costume. In fact, fashion is quite liberal in bathing suits, almost anything will do only don't have too much of it. Now all are dressed and start in Indian file for the lake. After a long discussion as to the best place, one ventures to put her foot in, gives out a sharp squeal, another tries and squeals and then there is a general squeal and the whole heavy, old maids and misses, have plunged in. Say, by actual observance, those reckless females rushed madly in the boiling surf, away up over their stockings, or where they would have come if they had any on at the time. After half an hour spent in splashing, wading, screeching, it was declared by all the most delightful time ever enjoyed. The next event will be in the near future. A lady over 88 years of age has challenged our scribe to swim the lake across, the proceeds to go to the benefit of cleanliness.

#### Farmer's Picnic.

The Farmer's annual basket picnic will be held at Whitmore Lake, a delightful summer resort with good hotel accommodations, on Saturday, August 25th.

It is expected the nominees for Governor of all political parties represented in Michigan will be present.

Half fare rates will undoubtedly be secured on all railroads.

A cordial invitation is hereby extended to every one. By order of the committee.

HENRY C. WALDRON, President.  
R. C. REKVKA, Secretary.

#### Only a Shirt, But—

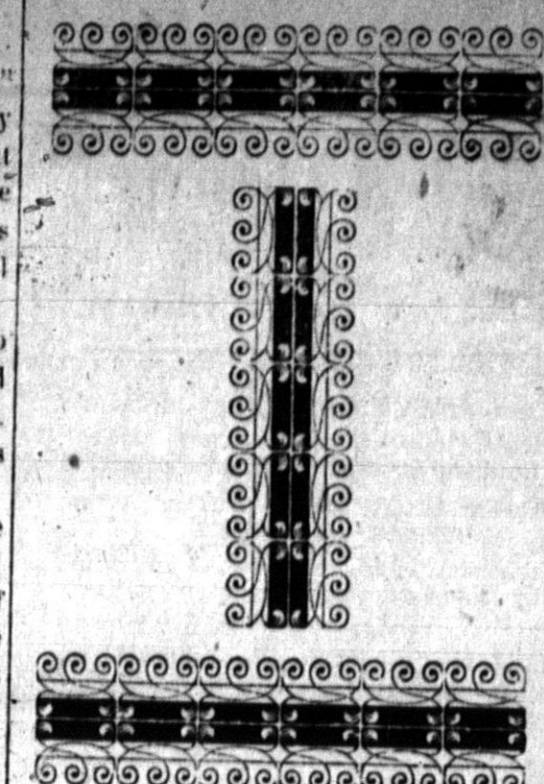
The following calculations of the number of stitches in a plain shirt has been made by an English seamstress: Stitches in collar, four rows, 3,000; cross ends of same 500, button holes and sewing on button, 150, gathering neck and sewi g on collar, 1,204, stitching the wristbands, 1,288, ends of wristbands, 68, buttonholes in wristbands, 148, hemming slits 264, gathering sleeves, 840, setting on waistbands, 1,468, stitching on shoulder straps, 1,880, hemming the bosom, 398, sewing in sleeves and making gussets, 3,050, sewing up side seams of sleeves, 2,554, coring bosom, 1,104, "tapping" the sleeves, 1,526, sewing all other seams and setting side gussets, 1,272; total number of stitches, 21,649.

#### Hypnotism.

It is interesting to read that the British medical association has investigated hypnotism, affirmed that it is a genuine force, and advised that its use should be forbidden to all except physicians. That is just like the doctors. If after endless trouble you succeed in convincing them of the value of some novelty in therapeutics, they turn on you at the first chance and proclaim that the thing is indeed a good thing, but that they are the only folks fit to be trusted with its application. And the best of it is that the public usually agrees with them.

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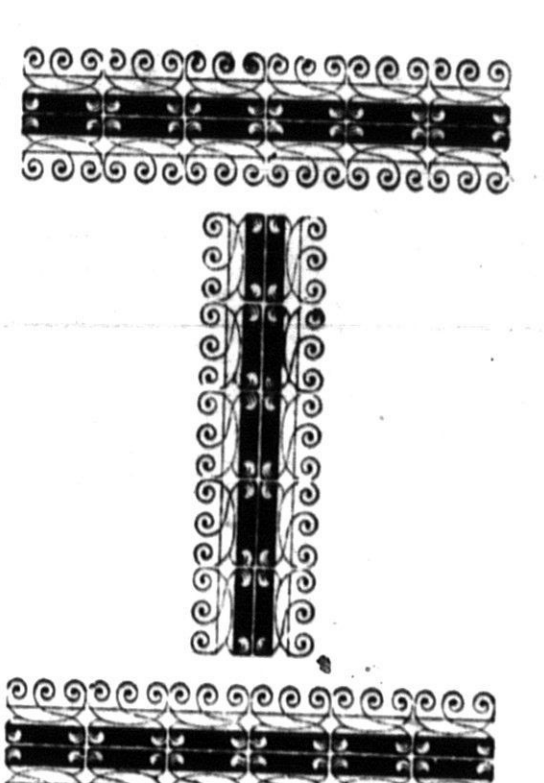
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Time table taking effect June 10th, 1894.

90th MERIDIAN TIME.

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

GOING EAST.

Detroit Night Express.....5:10 A. M.

Grand Rapids Express.....10:35 A. M.

Mail and Express.....3:35 P. M.

GOING WEST.

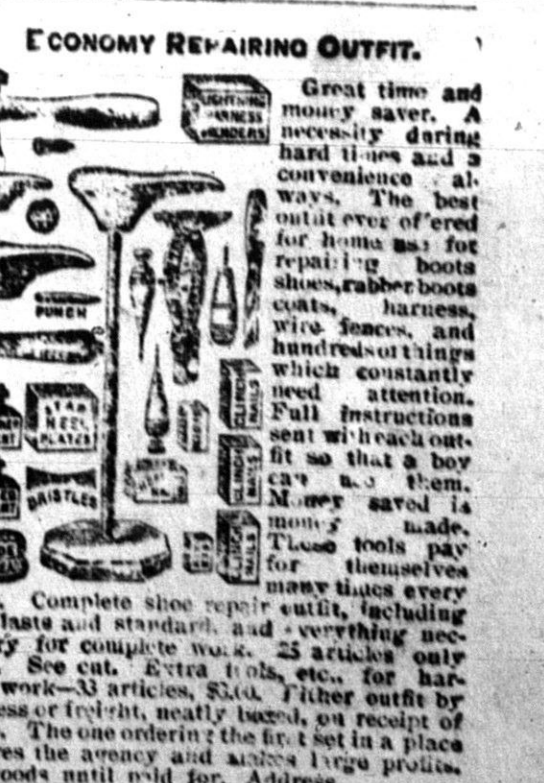
Mail and Express.....9:17 A. M.

Grand Rapids Express.....6:30 P. M.

Chicago Night Express.....10:52 P. M.

WM. MARTIN, Agent, Chelsea.

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So dreadful is the midday glare of the senate chamber that Senator Hale and Senator Carey wear dark glasses to preserve their sight.

PRESIDENT DIAZ, of Mexico, has appointed a committee to make an exploration of the crater of the volcano Popocatepetl, to determine the amount of sulphur it contains and the best means of extracting it. The mountain belongs to Gen. Ochoa.

THERE are now 340 school savings banks in this country. Pennsylvania takes the lead, but some very flourishing banks of this kind have been established in Colorado, Kansas and North Dakota. As a rule three per cent interest is allowed on three dollars and over.

THE oblique eye will soon cease to be a means of identifying the Japanese type if the fashion which is at present being set in Tokio continues. An American physician is doing a rushing business by straightening the slant in the eyes of the natives by neatly stitching up the eyelids with a fine silk thread.

ONE of the finest bridges in Europe is now being constructed across the Danube at Cernavoda, Roumania, by French engineers. It has a length of 2,400 feet, divided into five bays. Its height is 103 feet to the roadway and its highest point is 123 feet above high water. It is of steel and is supported on 30 piers.

PEOPLE whose judgment in such matters is entitled to respect estimate that the growing corn crop will exceed the famous crop of 1889, which was returned at 2,113,000,000 bushels. A large corn crop means a revival of business in the corn-growing states, which comprise pretty much all of the country west of the Alleghenies.

GEORGE FINNEY, an Omaha express wagon driver, has clothed his mules' forelegs in trousers. In speaking of it he said that flies bothered the forelegs of a four-footed animal more than they did the hind limbs, and he therefore, having some respect for the comfort of his faithful servants, had made a pair of trousers to protect them from the pests.

THE present sultan of Zanzibar, Hammed bin Thuani, is one of the best swordsmen in his empire, and this accomplishment arouses great respect in the breasts of his subjects. He is also a traveled and educated man. His predecessor, Sultan Ali bin Said, was a brilliant rider, and, it is said, could pick up a finger ring from the ground when at full gallop.

GEN. HOWARD was recently chosen president of the National Temperance society. He explained how a public man could attend banquets, and, without drinking anything, be considered a good fellow. He arranges for the filling of his wine glasses with water before the occasion. When a toast is called he drinks what looks like wine, but is in reality water.

It is officially stated by the Russian embassy at Washington that the trans-Siberian railway when completed in 1900 will be 6,700 miles long. More than 25,000 men are at work on the enterprise now, and 1,500 miles have been completed. If trains run at an average rate of thirty miles an hour over this route it will require about nine and a half days to go from St. Petersburg to Vladivostok on the Pacific.

A PECULIAR incident happened recently in connection with the rifle practice of a New York regiment at the New Jersey state camp at Sea Girt. While one of the officers was firing at a target, three hundred yards away, three black birds flew across the range, and at the crack of the rifle one of the birds fell. Upon examination it was found that the bullet had gone through the body of the bird, and, without deviation, had buried itself in the center of the target.

HANNIBAL BOBBLESCHMIDT, an ingenious inventor, of Little Hardacre, O., has devised what he calls a "portable boarding-house." It consists of a stout strap, which may be placed around a man's chest and under his arms. There is a hook on the back, and with this he hangs himself upon any convenient nail, staple or turn-buckle that may present itself, and sleeps calmly without fear of kicking off the covers. The "portable boarding-house" is for summer use only.

WHEN Nathan Strauss, the New York philanthropist, established his so-called sterilized milk stations in that city and declared his intention of selling milk at a cent a glass it was predicted that he would lose money through the venture. As he had no desire to make any money out of the project, he was not deterred by the predictions of its failure. The sales at those stations, however, have now reached the large figure of 6,000 glasses and 3,700 bottles of milk a day, and are increasing at such a rate that Mr. Strauss has decided to erect a permanent plant.

## MICHIGAN REPUBLICANS.

## Proceedings of the State Convention at Grand Rapids.

John T. Rich Renominated for Governor—Names of the Other Candidates Selected and the Platform Adopted.

## WORK OF THE CONVENTION.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Aug. 1.—The republican state convention was called to order by W. R. Bates, secretary of the state central committee, at 10:25 a. m. yesterday. After the call of the convention had been read Mayor Fisher made an address of welcome. Secretary Bates introduced Phillip T. Colgrove, of Hastings, as temporary chairman.



GOV. JOHN T. RICH.

In accepting the honor Mr. Colgrove made a lengthy address, reviewing the political situation and arraigning the efforts of a democratic congress to change the McKinley tariff law. A. W. Smith, of Adrian, was elected temporary secretary. At 11:30 a recess was taken till 2 o'clock.

## The Ticket.

When the convention reassembled the temporary officers were made permanent. As the committee on resolutions was not ready to report, nominations for the state ticket were proceeded with and the following were nominated:

For governor, John T. Rich, of Lansing.  
For lieutenant governor, Alfred Milnes, of Coldwater.  
For secretary of state, Rev. Washington Gardner, of Albion.  
For treasurer, James M. Wilkinson, of Marquette.  
For auditor general, Stanley W. Turner, of Roscommon.  
For attorney general, Fred A. Maynard, of Grand Rapids.  
For land commissioner, William A. French, of Presque Isle.  
For superintendent public instruction, H. M. Pattengill, of Lansing.  
For member board of education, Perry F. Powers, of Cadillac.

## The Platform.

The platform adopted by the convention is as follows:  
We, the representatives of the republican party of Michigan in convention assembled, hereby affirm and renew our faith and hope in the cardinal principles and purposes of the republican party—the principles which have made our country great and prosperous and the purposes which will lead it from the present most unhappy and demoralized era of democratic misrule out again through night to light into an era of hope and happiness and prosperity for our country and our state.

We heartily approve of the administration of the duties of his office by Gov. John T. Rich, and unreservedly commend his attention to public interests and his prompt and fearless performance of every duty devolving upon him.

We reaffirm our adherence and increased devotion to the American doctrine of protection. We believe that the present unhappy industrial condition of our country is in great part due to the threat and purpose of the democratic party to destroy the American system of protection. We believe that all articles which cannot be produced in the United States except luxuries should be admitted free of duty, and that on all imports coming in competition with the products of American labor there should be duties levied equal to the difference between wages abroad and wages at home. We believe that the doctrine of reciprocity as advocated by the matchless statesman, James G. Blaine, should under our protective system be the policy of our government and applied in our trade relations with other nations.

"We recognize that the employment of both capital and labor is necessary for the peace and prosperity of our people, and that the enactment of such laws as will properly and wisely avoid and settle labor difficulties is one of the duties of the republican party which has always been and still is the friend of the humblest toiler. We believe it is the duty of the state to regulate all corporations and combinations so as to protect every right and liberty of the laborer and insist that law and order must be maintained; and that the ballot-box and courts of justice, and not the sword and torch, must settle economic differences. We believe in arbitration as one of the means to solve labor disputes and favor the enactment by the legislature of laws to carry out the provisions of section 23, article 6 of the constitution of the state of Michigan, which provides for establishing courts of conciliation with such powers and duties as shall be prescribed by law.

"While we recognize the value and worth of the great body of naturalized citizens and people who have sought with a patriotic heart and adopted this as their home and country, we believe in protecting American wage-workers and the peace and prosperity of this nation against the evil effects of indiscriminate immigration from the pauper and criminal classes of Europe by wise laws that shall properly restrict and regulate immigration.

"We believe in the use of gold and silver as money metals to be maintained in circulation on a perfect equality and interconvertibility. We recognize the so-called silver question as one of the paramount issues of the day, and believe that the people of this state and country can and do look to the republican party, the party of ability and progress, as the only party that can give a wise and adequate solution to the problem. We therefore pledge the republican party of Michigan to every effort in its power to restore silver to its historic position in the United States as a money metal. We pledge this in the belief that permanent prosperity will not be assured or justice done until silver takes its place side by side with gold as one of the two great money metals of the world."

We believe in the protection and elevation of the standard of American citizenship, and that the safety of this republic depends upon the intelligence and loyalty of its supporters; that it should be sustained for the welfare and happiness of its people, and that for the preservation thereof the right of suffrage should be limited to those who have fully acquired American citizenship.

We believe that the security of life, the free exercise of personal rights, and the enjoyment of equal opportunities before the law are the essence of liberty, and should be the first care of all governments. That, as there can be no liberty without free speech and the free exercise of the personal and political rights of the citizen, we denounce the action of the democratic party in the repeal of the election laws, and such action is an invitation to falsify by fraud and violence the will of the people. And we demand the enactment and enforcement of laws that shall protect the citizen of the republic at home as well as abroad.

## Greetings to Hawaii.

The following was submitted as an independent resolution and adopted:

Whereas, intelligence from authentic sources and through authentic channels having reached this country that the people of the Hawaiian Islands, after a peaceful revolution, did on the 4th day of last July, the natal day of this great republic, issue through their constituted authorities their proclamation of independence and announced to the nations of the earth their establishment as a free and independent republic among nations, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the delegates of the republican state convention, send a hearty greeting and welcome to our young sister republic of the seas, and assure her of our most earnest sympathy and best wishes for a glorious future.

Resolved, That we recognize the republican press of the state as one of the most important and influential factors in the success of the republican party, and urge a closer relationship between the party organizations of the state and counties and the republican press to the end that the latter may receive the recognition to which it is entitled in the conduct and management of the campaign. We believe in the honesty and integrity of the republican press of Michigan and desire to take advantage of this occasion to give formal expression of our high appreciation of the invaluable services rendered the party in the past and to be rendered in the future.

Hon. Thomas McMillan was reelected chairman of the state central committee and the convention adjourned.

## FOUGHT WITH ROBBERS.

One Man Killed and Another Fatally Wounded at Chandler, O. T.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Aug. 1.—Five men attempted on Tuesday to rob the bank at Chandler, near here. As a result one citizen, J. M. Mitchell, a barber, is dead, and one of the outlaws, who gives his name as Ernest Lucas, is dying. Lucas is 21 years of age and said his comrades were the members of the notorious Cook gang, that has recently given territory officials so much trouble.

Soon after 10 o'clock Tuesday morning five armed men rode into Chandler from the east and dismounted back of the Lincoln county bank, and three rushed inside, while two stood guard at the doors with Winchester. Two men covered the president, Harvey Lee, and his brother, the cashier, and demanded that they turn over the cash, while the third rushed into the private office, where Teller Hoyt was seriously sick, compelled him to walk to the safe and attempt to open it. Although a Winchester was pointed in his face he could not stand long enough, but fell to the floor and the robber kicked him and shot at him but missed fire. The men on guard called out that it was time to go and the three men seized between \$200 and \$300 lying on the counter and ran out to the horses.

In the meantime the guard at the front door had shot and killed J. M. Mitchell, a barber who attempted to give the warning. The bandits had scarcely passed out of the city when a posse started in pursuit. Twice were the horses shot from under the fleeing men, but they compelled farmers coming to town to give up their mounts and went on. Finally a battle was fought for nearly fifteen minutes, when one of the robbers was shot through the hip and the others scattered and disappeared in the hills of the Creek country.

## THOUSANDS OF HOGS.

Shortage of Food Causes Farmers to Send Them to Market.

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—Records for the midsummer months were broken by the enormous arrivals of cattle and hogs at the stock yards Monday. Only once in the history of the trade have Monday's receipts of 27,000 cattle exceeded even during the heavy spring and autumn shipments. During the last ten years less than a half-dozen days have seen the arrivals of hogs numbering more than 60,000 head. Monday's run was estimated at 61,000 head.

The great rush is accounted for by the combination of circumstances and conditions. Pastures in the states of Nebraska, Kansas and Iowa have been scorched. Corn fields that two weeks ago gave promise of a fair crop are withered and burned so that no quantity of rain would now be a benefit. "There is no hope of a corn crop now," say the shippers. "We cut less than a ton of hay to three acres and our pastures are as barren as the beaten road. Cattle are losing flesh every day and they must be shipped to stop loss."

Hogs on feed are being sent out as rapidly as possible to save the feed for young pigs. In many parts of northern Iowa thrifty young pigs averaging about thirty pounds are offered for sale at twenty-five cents a head. With that condition in many parts of the western country the usual expiration of contracts at the close of the month and the vast quantity of live stock that was held back during the first half of the month by the refusal of nearly all railroads to accept perishable freight accounts for the rush.

## MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

## Health in Michigan.

During the week ended July 28 reports sent in by fifty-four observers in various portions of the state to the state board of health indicated that neuralgia and remittent fever decreased in area of prevalence. Typhoid fever was reported at twenty-three places and diphtheria at eighteen, measles at fourteen, and scarlet fever at thirty-one, consumption at two hundred and twenty-nine, and smallpox at Grand Rapids, Detroit, Sturgis, Frenchtown, Berlin, Pontiac and Macomb.

## Timber Land Purchased.

Nine thousand acres of timber land in Delta and Alger counties have been purchased by the Cleveland Cliffs Mining company, the consideration being \$20,000. The company has commenced the construction of a \$250,000 furnace at Gladstone for the manufacture of coke and charcoal iron, and the timber from the lands they have purchased will be used as fuel. When the land is cleared it will be disposed of at a nominal figure to prospective farmers.

## Drowned in Detroit River.

The schooner Glad Tidings when sailing up Detroit river was cut in two by the steamer Pathfinder, between Mammy Judy and Grassy Island light houses. The schooner went down instantly, carrying with it the following crew: Captain and owner, Michael Westphal; mate, August Westphal; sailor, Joseph Glaskie; sailor, Tony Minnock. All four men were from Detroit, and some of them leave families.

## Population of Michigan.

Footings of the state census taken in June show a total population for the state of 2,241,000. This is a gain of 147,000 over 1890 and of 387,000 over 1884. The seventy incorporated cities show a population of 821,023 or 37 per cent. of the total for the state. Since 1884 the rate of increase in the cities has been four times that of the balance of the state.

## A Curiosity.

A curiosity was run across in a Reading sawmill in the shape of a log of wood about 10 feet in diameter, in the center of which was embedded a stone weighing about four pounds. The stone was grown into the wood, there being no knot hole or other opening by which it could have been placed inside.

## Injunction Granted.

Gogebic county officials have been restrained by an injunction from issuing the \$75,000 bonds voted for road improvement. The board of supervisors was awed by a mob into voting for the issue, and afterward applied for the injunction which has been granted.

## Short But Newsworthy Items.

The Grand Rapids & Indiana elevator at Kalamazoo, owned by M. Kent, was burglarized of several hundred dollars' worth of clothing, and money was taken from the safe.

Nina Strang, aged 9 years, of Olivet, was struck by a train and killed.

Earl Webster, for many years a highly respected citizen and Decatur's oldest resident, died at the age of 84 years.

The post office department issued an order suspending the gratuitous star service heretofore existing between Butman and Meredith.

The National Surety company, of Kansas City, Mo., has been licensed to do business in Michigan. The company has a capital stock of \$250,000.

Maj. Hugh McDonald died at East Tawas at the age of 67 years. He served in the Mexican war and civil war and was a prominent mason, a member of the grand army and a pioneer of Isosco county.

The annual meeting and tournament of the Michigan and Ohio Band association will be held at Coldwater August 22.

The miners' strike at Ironwood was said to be practically ended. There was 1,200 men at work in the mines and applications enough to make a full force.

The Detroit & Milwaukee railroad will run a line from Grand Haven up the beach to Hackley park, Muskegon. While mowing hay Jacob Swartbolt, of Eaveram, fell from the mower, sustaining injuries which caused his death. He was a single man, aged about 40 years.

The master horsehoofers of Michigan have fixed upon September 3 as the date upon which they will meet at Grand Rapids to organize a state association.

The St. Stanislaus Kostka church edifice in Bay City was destroyed by fire, with a loss on building and contents of \$8,000 and an insurance of \$4,000.

A railroad crew working with a steam shovel in the sand pit at Elsie last week unearthed six skeletons, supposed to be those of Indians who were buried there.

The 9-months-old daughter of Herbert Stanley, of Flushing township, ate a quantity of fly paper and it was thought that the child was fatally poisoned.

Work on the buildings for the new upper peninsula insane asylum at Newberry has begun and will be pushed rapidly forward.

Forest fires raged all around Thompsonville, hundreds of acres being burned over.

## CHINA AND JAPAN.

## Rumors of Another Battle—Uncle Sam's Attitude.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 6.—The rumor current to the effect that the Japanese fleet had captured three men-of-war has not yet been confirmed. It is believed here that the report is possibly a rehearsal of the reports of the prior engagements of the fleet.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—A strong denial is entered at the state department of the story that the United States has entered or will enter into a treaty with European powers to forcibly occupy and keep open the treaty ports of China. It is also denied that any overtures to that end have come to us from other countries. When the conditions were such that war was only threatened the United States did use its good offices to avert the evil. It did so to carry out a solemn obligation imposed upon us by the treaty with Korea, whereby we bound ourselves to protect Korea.

It is said at the state department that the attitude of the United States toward the belligerents in the present war will be patterned upon our course at Rio. We will side with neither China nor Japan, but, as was indicated by Mr. Bayard, our ambassador to Great Britain, who is fully aware of what is going on, the attitude of the United States will be one of "benevolent neutrality." This plan is in keeping with our traditions, and its prudence and safety has been amply demonstrated in the past.

As far as our own commerce is concerned we will accord it such measure of protection and immunity from interference as may be justly claimed as our rights, but the present disposition at the state department is to do this individually or not in concert with other European nations. In other words, while we may act as the other powers on this point, we will not be a party to any joint treaty or combination the object of which is forcible interference in China or Japan. Doubtless it will develop that in many points we may act in accord with other commercial powers, but as it remained for us at Rio to adopt a bold and radical course single-handed, so it may be in China or Japan that we shall act independently upon a certain condition of affairs.

At present we are scarcely in a position to make much of a naval demonstration in Asiatic waters. The entire United States fleet there consists of two vessels—the Baltimore and the Monocacy. About a week ago orders were sent to Behring sea to have the Concord and the Petrel sent over to join the station, and that is all that has been done in that direction so far.

## DEATH OF AUSTIN BLAIR.

The Famous War Governor of Michigan Passes Away—His Career.

JACKSON, Mich., Aug. 6.—Ex-Gov. Austin Blair, Michigan's "war governor," passed away at his home in this city at 1:20 o'clock this morning. His death was peaceful. At 11 o'clock Sunday night the attending physician said the ex-governor could not live two hours and summoned the members of his family to his bedside. They were with him when he died. He has been unconscious since last Friday and grew weaker and weaker until his strength was exhausted. His ailment was inflammation of the bladder and kidneys. The bladder trouble had bothered him for years, but this was not considered dangerous until complications of the kidneys arose, from which he has been gradually sinking for some time, having been confined to his bed for two months. During the last three weeks he has failed rapidly. A year ago he announced that he would write a book on "Recollections of a War Governor." He was busily engaged on this for some time, and it is believed this had something to do with hastening his end.

With the exception of Gov. Felch, who still survives, Gov. Blair was the oldest governor living. Of his successors Gov. Jerome, Gov. Begole, Gov. Alger and Gov. Luce are living, while Gov. Wiman died a month ago.

Austin Blair was born in Caroline, Tompkins county, N. Y., February 8, 1818, and was in his 77th year. He came to Michigan in 1831, and settled in Jackson in 1834, beginning his political career when elected county clerk the same year. He held several other minor offices before being elected governor in 1860 and again in 1862. He was a prominent factor in the formation of the republican party under the oaks in Jackson in 1834. In 1838 he was defeated for the nomination for congress, but in 1860 he headed the Michigan delegation to the Chicago convention that nominated Lincoln, being elected himself the same year as governor. He was elected to congress in 1860, 1868 and 1870.

During his last term he became somewhat antagonized toward the administration, and in 1872 took the stump for Horace Greeley. He was the democratic candidate for governor in 1874, but was defeated, and a few years later returned to the party which he helped to organize. In 1883 he was elected on the republican ticket as regent of the state university. From 1885 to 1887 he was prosecuting attorney of Jackson county and was nominated for justice of the supreme court, but suffered defeat.

## HUSBAND AND WIFE DROWNED.

Sailboat Containing Three Persons Capsizes at Burlington, Ia.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Aug. 6.—C. C. Campbell and his wife were drowned here Sunday afternoon by the capsizing of their boat. They, with Mrs. Henry Heffner, went for a sail, Mr. Campbell sailing the little craft. When some distance from the shore the boat became unmanageable and went over. The Campbells could not swim and sank almost immediately. Mrs. Heffner was rescued.



## STRIKERS GIVE UP.

Switchmen on All But Two Roads at Chicago Ready to Work.

Those of the Santa Fe and Eastern Illinois Roads to Continue the Fight—Synopsis of the Appeal of the A. R. U. Convention.

### DECLARED OFF.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—With the exception of the unions on the Santa Fe and the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroads the local organization of the American Railway union, through their delegates in Uhlich's hall Sunday afternoon, declared the strike off so far as Chicago is concerned. This action will not necessarily affect the condition of the strike at other points, the unions of those places being free to take whatever action they may deem fit.

The striking employees of the Stock Yards company decided Sunday night to return to work.

SPRING VALLEY, Ill., Aug. 6.—A mass meeting of miners was held near here and it was unanimously decided to continue the strike for last year's scale.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Aug. 6.—At a meeting Sunday night of the local lodge of the American Railway union the men on a strike voted conditionally to declare the strike off. A committee was appointed to make an appeal to the railway officials to reinstate the men now out, but it could not be learned if the demand would be made to take back all or none of the strikers. Two of the roads have declared that no agitator could secure work under any condition.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—The report of the special committee on resolutions of the American Railway union which was submitted to the convention last Friday, and which was referred to the board of directors and the lawyers of the organization for revision, was completed Saturday evening and given to the public. Synopsis follows:

It explains the cause which brought the organization into existence to be the protection of railroad employees from the aggressions and impositions of their employers, the railway corporations of the country. It denies that an effort was made to destroy the older brotherhood, but the only intention was to bring about a more perfect union, in which the will of the members should at all times rule, and to this end no strike was ordered except upon a majority vote of the local unions themselves. It says the employees of the Pullman Palace Car company were taken into the union at their own request.

Here follows a description of the town of Pullman and the conditions under which the workmen are said to be employed. It is said that while wages were reduced the price of rents remained the same, and that at the time the strike of the Pullman employees began they were indebted to the company in the sum of \$100,000 for rents. "Thus the workmen," says the resolutions, "found themselves in worse condition than did the workmen in chattel slavery, inasmuch as they did not receive their board and clothes for their labor, but found themselves in debt to their employer after faithfully laboring for him."

Continuing, the report says that the General Managers' association was formed in 1893 and prior to the organization of the American Railway union, supposedly as a social organization, but in reality for the purpose of crushing out the organizations among the railroad men.

It is said that the association promptly came to the assistance of the Pullman company and violated the interstate commerce law and interfered with the movement of the mails by refusing to carry passengers or express or mails unless also carrying the cars of the Pullman company. The excuse of the roads is said to have been that they had contracts with the Pullman company, and that if they did not carry its cars they would be liable for damages, and the claim is made that in most of the states the company could not have recovered damages because of the laws which excuse the breaking of contracts when their performance is made impossible by general strikes.

On the subject of violence the report says that it is the belief of the railroad men that these acts were committed by persons mentally irresponsible or else at the dictation of those who were the enemies of the workmen. It is said that the only ones who could profit by such acts were the railroad companies.

The resolution then brings the American Railway union into politics by the following appeal:

"We also appeal to the people to desert the old political parties which have shown themselves equally inimical to the interests of the common people and friendly to the great vampire corporations of the land. Let none but friends of popular rule be put on guard throughout the nation, so that when the next struggle takes place between workmen and their oppressors it may not be found that militia, soldiery, constabulary, public prosecutors, courts, congress and the president are ready to throw their influence and authority on the wrong side. In this connection we call attention to the praiseworthy fairness of Govs. Altgeld, Hogg, Walte, Penneyer and Leavelle, and also the many course of Mayor Hopkins, Chicago, which indicates that the people might well expect the preservation of peace without the oppression of workmen. If they will but see to it that the men whom they select to office are not the mere hirelings of corporations.

"Such a state of anarchy is no longer endurable. These disagreements between employers and employees are at intervals fought at enormous expense, not merely to the parties to the quarrel but to the people of the country. These people are in this land of the free the sovereign whose peace should not be disturbed and whose interests should be preserved. The sovereign people should assert their right to rule. We, therefore, citizens of the republic, appeal to you, fellow-voters of our common country, to support the party which bears the name of the sovereign people, which party stands ready to pledge itself that when into its hands is given the government, disputes between employer and employee will be no longer the only exceptions in the various states and the nation from the jurisdiction of the established courts. Let no man sit as your representative in state or national legislature who is not pledged to the adoption of a law which will cause all such differences to be submitted to the unprejudiced decision of a properly constituted court and jury, to the end that public peace may be permanently preserved and tremendous losses be no longer inflicted upon all the citizens of the republic. And since the American railway union has at no stage of its pursuit asked more than this of their antagonists it is for this and nothing more that we come before you with this appeal."

## TWO WAYS.

The Wastefulness of Mankind in Regard to Natural Resources.

Mankind is almost invariably wasteful with natural resources, and is especially destructive of wild animals which yield valuable commercial products. The skin of the buffalo was so extremely useful that in the space of fifty years the millions upon millions of buffaloes which roamed the plains west of the Mississippi were exterminated. What we have done with our buffaloes the inhabitants of French Algeria and the wilder races to the southward of them, have done with their ostriches. In taking them for their plumes they have either exterminated them, or else driven them completely away to the southward out of their reach. Thus they have deprived themselves, as the hunters of the western prairies did, of a considerable source of income.

This is what the Arabs and other tribes of western Asia had already done. Ostriches were once abundant in Asia, but now are found only in small numbers in some almost inaccessible spots in Arabia and Persia.

A different policy has been pursued by the thrifty Dutch and English farmers of South Africa. They, too, hunted the ostrich until he ceased to be found in a wild state within the limits of Cape Colony, and then they set at work to domesticate him. In this they succeeded admirably as the keepers of the Yellowstone National park have succeeded in domesticating the buffalo.

Ostrich farming is now a lucrative business in South Africa. Eggs are procured and artificially or naturally hatched and are worth twenty-five dollars apiece. Young birds are worth one hundred and fifty dollars apiece—more than a good horse in many parts of the United States—and a fine mature male ostrich is worth three hundred and fifty dollars. Yet not many years ago birds of this sort were pursued and killed merely to get three or four feathers out of their tails.

To some extent the negroes of Senegal shame their French neighbors, who have permitted the extermination of the ostrich farther to the northward and eastward. They have domesticated many of the birds without difficulty. They are, however, curiously afraid of them. All ostriches are exceedingly fond of picking up bright articles of every kind—jewels, trinkets, bracelets and the like; and the Senegal ostriches include among such articles the glistening eyes of the Senegal babies. It is necessary to keep the children rigidly guarded from the gigantic birds; for the Senegal natives have not yet learned to construct pens or yards for the ostriches.

At the last advices, there were in Cape Colony eighty thousand ostriches kept for their plumes; and the market for feathers has not become seriously overstocked. Ostriches have been profitably kept in the southern countries of South America and in California, although as yet on no such scale as in South Africa.

The time is evidently near when all manner of wild creatures, which have heretofore yielded valuable products—except those which live in the sea—must be kept in some sort of captivity or domestication in order to keep up the supply of their products. Not all wild creatures will yield their products once a year, as the ostrich and the angora and Cashmere goat, the llama, the alpaca or guanaco, which have all been domesticated, do. But it has been found profitable to raise certain animals for the value of the skin, which they can yield but once, and that upon their death.

The skunk, which yields the really valuable "black martin" fur of commerce, is being maintained on several "skunk farms" in the United States for the sake of his skin; and it is believed by many that in certain parts of the west buffalo raising, for the fur, beef and other products from the carcasses, could be made profitable.—Youth's Companion.

### THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.		
LIVE STOCK—Cattle.....	\$3 50	@ 4 70
Sheep.....	2 50	@ 3 00
Hogs.....	5 20	@ 5 25
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents.....	3 40	@ 3 75
City Mill Patents.....	4 15	@ 4 30
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	50 00	@ 51 00
Ungraded Red.....	48 00	@ 49 00
CORN—No. 2.....	55 00	@ 56 00
Ungraded Mixed.....	43 00	@ 44 00
OATS—Track White Western.....	40 00	@ 41 00
RYE—Jersey.....	55 00	@ 56 00
PORK—Mess. New.....	14 25	@ 14 50
LARD—Western Creamery.....	12 00	@ 12 25
BUTTER—Western Creamery.....	12 00	@ 12 25
Western Dairy.....	12 00	@ 12 25
CHICAGO.		
BEEVES—Shipping Steers.....	\$3 30	@ 4 75
Cows.....	1 00	@ 3 00
Stockers.....	2 15	@ 3 00
Feeders.....	2 10	@ 3 00
Butchers' Steers.....	1 50	@ 3 50
Hulls.....	4 00	@ 5 20
HOGS.....	1 50	@ 3 10
BUTTER—Creamery.....	14 00	@ 14 25
Dairy.....	11 00	@ 11 25
EGGS—Fresh.....	12 00	@ 12 25
BROOM CORN.....	40 00	@ 50 00
Western (per-ton).....	50 00	@ 50 00
Western Dwarf.....	60 00	@ 50 00
Illinois, Good to Choice.....	1 50	@ 2 00
POTATOES—New (per bbl.).....	15 00	@ 17 25
PORK—Mess.....	7 00 1/4	@ 7 13 1/4
LARD—Steam.....	3 10	@ 3 50
FLOUR—Spring Patents.....	2 20	@ 2 10
Spring Straights.....	2 20	@ 2 10
Winter Patents.....	2 20	@ 2 10
Winter Straights.....	2 20	@ 2 10
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red.....	49 1/4	@ 50 00
Corn, No. 2.....	52 1/4	@ 53 00
Oats, July.....	44 00	@ 45 00
Rye, No. 2.....	44 00	@ 45 00
Barley, Common to Good.....	35 00	@ 50 00
LUMBER.		
Siding.....	16 00	@ 23 50
Flooring.....	30 00	@ 37 00
Common Boards.....	15 00	@ 14 00
Fencing.....	13 00	@ 16 00
Lath, Dry.....	2 50	@ 2 60
Shingles.....	2 00	@ 3 15
KANSAS CITY.		
CATTLE—Texas Steers.....	\$2 30	@ 3 25
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 00	@ 3 50
HOGS.....	4 70	@ 5 00
SHEEP.....	3 80	@ 4 50
OMAHA.		
CATTLE—Steers.....	\$2 80	@ 4 00
Feeders.....	2 25	@ 2 65
HOGS.....	3 65	@ 4 25
SHEEP.....	2 50	@ 3 25

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A CHICAGO man has discovered a wonderful force that is going to supplant the steam engine. It is probably a motive power caused by confining boarding house butter in a strong iron box.—Texas Siftings.

### Were You Ever South in Summer?

It is no hotter in Tennessee, Alabama, or Georgia than here, and it is positively delightful on the Gulf Coast of Mississippi and West Florida. If you are looking for a location in the South go down now and see for yourself. The Louisville & Nashville Railroad and connections will sell tickets to all points South for trains of August 7th at one fare round trip. Ask your ticket agent about it, and if he cannot sell you excursion tickets write to C. P. Atmore, General Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky.

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A LADY who performs with lions was recently severely bitten by one that she was about to kiss. As we have repeatedly said, this miscellaneous osculation must be stopped.—Judge.

A MAN who was compelled to sue an old comrade to recover what he owed him called him his pseudo friend. Sued? sued—ow! yes, Ah, we catch on.—Tammany Times.

ACCORDING to Kipling, the elephant is a gentleman. Nonsense! Who ever heard of a gentleman carrying his trunk himself?—Boston Transcript.

"Does your wife put up all her can stuff herself?" "Certainly. Self-preservation is the first law of nature."—Boston Transcript.

"This is a hard world," said the balloonist as he dropped out of the basket and lit in a stone quarry.—Brooklyn Life.

Oil for relieving troubled waters is nothing compared with water for allaying the rampant tendencies of dust.—Judge.

JONES, who is engaged to an heiress, calls her Economy, because she is the road to wealth.—Tammany Times.

FLANNEL next the skin often produces a rash, removable with Glenn's Sulphur Soap. Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye, 50 cents.

The most distant relatives are not always those who live furthest away.—Philadelphia Record.

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If there is any dog in a man it is pretty apt to growl when his food is not to his taste.—Ram's Horn.

Fistic gladiators, who fight for small purses, are usually pennywise and poundwise foolish.—Puck.

GROCERY men say that a woman is not hard to please if you let her have her own way.

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## Here and There.

Boston's crematory has been running six months and has disposed of forty bodies. It is not impossible to warm up a Bostonian if it is gone about in the right way.

A young Chelsea lad, who had been used to receiving his older brother's old toys and clothes, recently remarked: "Ma, will I have to marry his widow when he dies?"

Some of the placards in shop windows inviting people to come in to see "a dead drive at boots and shoes" or a "tremendous slaughter in dress goods" are enough to make nervous folks' flesh creep.

If one man starts to pay his debts, it puts a row of half a dozen men in motion, each one starting to pay his. It may be that you are the man in the row that has stopped the motion. If you owe any one, pay him.

It is said that the statue of liberty in New York harbor is rapidly falling into decay, and that it serves no good purpose in lighting the harbor. The government is loth to incur the expenses of keeping up the light, and it may be that it will be abandoned unless private effort provides the necessary funds to meet the expense.

Even in summer, when flowers are plentiful, it is sometimes worth while to preserve them as long as possible. All the leaves which would be in the water and the bark of hard-stemmed flowers should be removed. The flowers live ever so much longer if these precautions are taken. A scrap of charcoal in the water is also a great preservative.

Almost the last of the beautiful White City, the brightest fairy dream of architecture which the world has ever known, has vanished in a wisp of flame and now remains only in memory. It shadowed forth the principle of transitoriness as well as splendor and has faded out like a vision, its site strewn with its own ashes, its lights all faded out and its garlands withered as if it were but a dim remembered story of the old time entombed instead of an actual and visible reality of yesterday.

The dependence of the East upon the West has been very apparent during the strike. Philadelphia has noticed a growing scarcity in its meat supply, while in some of the other Eastern cities there has been complaint that California fruit was no longer delivered. There is something surprising in the degree to which the East has come to depend upon California for fruit. Enormous quantities are shipped from that state to Eastern points every week, the East itself seeming to be unable to anything like meet the demand.

The latest and most novel remedy for dyspepsia hails from Oregon and is reported in the Grant's Pass Courier. It is nothing less than a spoonful of common sand, every day river bottom sand, taken wet just after meals. William Bybee, a well known citizen, is supposed to be the originator of this queer remedy, but quite a number of veracious gentlemen testify to its curative properties, which are supposed to take the form of mechanical action by carrying off impurities from the mucous lining of the walls of the stomach.

Probably it is the same person who claimed to have discovered tyrotoxin in ice cream who now declares that the odor of the rose produces partial asphyxia of persons breathing it, as well as blood poisoning. But the dear girls keep on eating ice cream, heedless of medical warnings, and still live. So will it be with roses. Any young man who supposes that he can get out of an offering of "Jacks" or American beauties by throwing out mercenary hints as to asphyxia and blood poisoning has failed to understand the feminine gender.

Utah's admission to the union, making the number of states forty-five, leaves only Arizona, New Mexico, Indian Territory and Alaska under the territorial form of government. The two former may achieve the honors of statehood soon, but the treaties with various tribes will keep the Indian territory out of the sisterhood for years to come, and it is doubtful whether Alaska will ever be more than a federal dependency. It is likely, therefore, that barring the possible division of some of the larger states, the present generation will not see more than forty-seven stars in the flag. The limit has been reached.

A strange discussion is going on in Connecticut over an automatic hanging machine or gallows which has been introduced there. It is so arranged that when the culprit steps beneath the gallows the machinery will be set in motion by its own weight. The board of charity contends that this will not be an infliction of the death penalty by the state, but an act of suicide by the condemned man. The warden and directors of the prison and the medical inspectors argue, on the other hand, that the act of the murderer in stepping upon the platform will be involuntary, and therefore, that there can be no suicide. The Connecticut mind must really be a good deal divided, for it is a well known fact that the gallows is a very effective means of execution.

What a pity we Western people do not cultivate more of a reverence for ancient landmarks. To be sure, we are young as years of nations and states are numbered, but we have landmarks and it would be well for us, well for the rising generation if a sentiment of reverence for them could be inculcated. Go where you will in the New England towns and in some of the large cities of the Empire state and you will find them reverencing their old landmarks almost as they do their hearthstones.

It is said that newspapers wrapped around a cake of ice will preserve it much better than carpets or blankets. The paper is nearly air tight and the little evaporation that takes place after it is wet through tends to keep the ice firm. We give this for the benefit of our many friends who go to the lakes fishing and take ice along to keep the fish in good order. Paper is an excellent article to wrap fish in also, as it prevents contact with the air and thus keeps the meat sweet and clean.

Polite society has a new way of gambling says the Ypsilanti Sentinel. Say three modest young ladies desire to see who must pay for the ice cream soda or candy. They take a book and "cut" by opening it. The last figure in the right hand page number counts, each "cuts" three times and the figures so found are added together, the one securing the smallest number losing. Thus: Mary cuts to pages 51, 283 and 99; the sum of the three last figures is 13. Lucy, more lucky, cuts 17, 57 and 83, making 17. Jennie comes last and loses, perhaps, for she might cut to 13, 53 and 33, or 9 in all.

A certain class of lawyers show a degree of enterprise in collecting small debts that if employed in better business would soon make them millionaires. Of these must be reckoned those who in some college cities have taken to the practice of making attachments on the diplomas of graduating students as security for debts they are owing. It goes without saying that students equally with other people ought to pay their honest debts. But it is equally a fact that the great majority of students when they leave college are more hardly pinched for money than they ever were before or are ever likely to be again. To take advantage of such students by attaching their diplomas can hardly be regarded as fair practice. It is almost on a par with attaching for debt the youngest baby in the household.

A Jackson county farmer, says the Jackson Patriot, who lives in a corner town and has been a faithful tiller of the soil for over a generation, would naturally be expected to know a thing or two by this time, but he seems to be as unsophisticated in the ways of the rascals who get a living without work as if he lived beyond the bounds of civilization where there are no newspapers. In fact the only paper he takes is his denominational organ, which has very little to say about the ordinary affairs of this world. Chance, however, brought a copy of a New York journal under his eye recently, and he eagerly noted the tempting offer of an advertiser to disclose, upon receipt of \$10, the secret of "How to keep butter from getting strong." Visions of increased profits from his dairy prompted him to mail the money, for which he received in due time these words: "Eat it."

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## Nursing the Sick.

Blessed indeed is that household that knows not sickness and requires no nursing; but this is a blessing that in the natural course of events cannot continue. There are many women, excellent housekeepers in other respects, who know nothing about nursing or caring for the sick. Trained nurse are not always desirable, even when they can be afforded, and so we call attention to the fact that in this day of practical training some knowledge of nursing should be a part of every girl's education.

In acquiring knowledge that will be of value in the sick room, it is not necessary that anatomy, physiology and materia medica should be studied, though it will be conceded that some knowledge of these subjects may be of great use. The care of sick, particularly when they are weak or penniless, is in itself a most valuable art, and one which some have naturally, but which all can acquire. What can the sick eat? how should it be prepared? and how served? are questions of the greatest importance, for cooking for the sick is an entirely different thing from preparing food for the robust. It is not necessary to take a course in a training school for nurses to acquire knowledge that will be of great use in this work. There are many books published on the subject, and these will furnish the student with the necessary information.

## Five Foolish Fokes.

"As soon as my trade picks up a bit,"  
Said the merchant, looking wise—  
"As soon as my trade picks up a bit,  
I am going to advertise."  
"As soon as my vessel reaches port,"  
Said the skipper with a wall—  
"As soon as my vessel reaches port,  
I am going to set my sail."  
"As soon as my field of grain is grown,"  
Said the farmer, sore in need—  
"As soon as my field of grain is grown,  
I am going to sow the seed."  
"As soon as the man is well and strong,"  
Said the doctor, drawing close—  
"As soon as the man is well and strong,  
I will give him a curing dose."  
"As soon as I know my soul is saved,"  
Was the preacher's observation—  
"As soon as I'm sure my soul is saved,  
I'll pray for its salvation."

—William Florence, in Brains.

## Tobacco Causes Loss of Memory.

Those annoying and unaccountable lapses of memory experienced when one is unable to recollect some well known word or the name of some perfectly familiar friend are attributed by a French physiologist to the excessive use of tobacco. This gentleman has observed that aphasia and amnesia are at present almost unknown among the gentler sex. On the other hand, he has nearly invariably found these afflictions common in men who are habitually heavy smokers, while in cases where they are only of rare occurrence he has frequently known the extraordinary lapse to have been preceded by an extra dose of the fragrant weed. It is comforting, however, to be assured by the same authority that a moderate use of pipe or cigar is in no way harmful to the memory.—Westminster Gazette.

## Philosophy.

Hot words cool friendships.  
A wrong rarely remains single.  
No braggart believes in himself.  
Mortgages don't need manuring.  
Hobby-horse riders win few races.  
Kittenish ways won't catch old rats.  
Wooden heads don't keep men straight.  
A silver spoon won't flavor thin soup.  
Hunger takes little heed of open graves.  
You can't improve the curl in a pig's tail.  
Time tells all things except a woman's age.  
When physicians consult well men tremble.  
The biggest coward can give the bravest advice.  
The devil's shop is full of dull as well as sharp tools.  
Much of the future is in the school-teacher's hands.  
You can't make good butter without elbow grease.  
Civilization has taught the cat to wear kid gloves.  
Some men won't even lend an ear to misfortune.  
Don't cheapen yourself by offering unsolicited advice.  
Some folks are like rocking-chairs, full of motion without progress.  
Even the skindint is willing that others should share in his opinions.  
In these times even the preachers must bake something besides the bread of life.—Ex.

## Prettiness and Beauty.

Prettiness is always coupled with simplicity, says an authority; it is incompatible with that which is large; a tall woman with masculine features cannot be pretty. Beauty is peculiarly a female prerogative; in the male sex it is rather a defect; a man can scarcely be beautiful without losing his manly characteristics—boldness, energy of mind, strength and robustness of limb; but, though a man may not be pretty or beautiful, he may be handsome or fine. A woman is fine who, with striking figure, unites shape and symmetry; a woman is handsome who has good features, and pretty if, with symmetry of features there is delicacy.—New York Evening Sun.

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## Markets.

Chelsea, Aug. 8, 1894.

Eggs, per dozen	60c
Butter, per pound	13c
Oats, per bushel	35c
Corn, per bushel	25c
Wheat, per bushel	48c
Potatoes, per bushel	85c
Apples, per bushel	1.00
Onions, per bushel	1.40
Beans, per bushel	\$1.50

Judging from their husbands, some women certainly do not amount to much.