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ONE GIVES RELIEF.

## WILL HAVE ARC LIGHTS.

### THE PEOPLE SO DECIDE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION.

The Question Carried by Seventy-seven Majority—Result of the General Election.

**Are Lights for Chelsea.**  
Chelsea will soon be one of the best lighted villages in Michigan. The common council now has been empowered by the people to enter into a contract with the Chelsea Electric Light Company to light the streets for a term of years, with either twenty 2000 candle power lamps, or twenty-eight 1200 candle power lamps. We have interviewed a number of the citizens on this subject, and nearly all of them favor the 1200 candle power lamps, as they think the light can be more thoroughly distributed than with the others. There were 363 votes cast at the special election, 217 for and 139 against, making a majority of 78 favoring it.

**The Election.**  
One of the most exciting elections ever held in Sylvan, came off on Monday. There were 637 votes cast, the largest number in the history of the township. On the township ticket the democrats carried off nearly everything in sight, the republicans only saving two justices and member board of review. The pluralities ranged all the way from 1 to 154.  
The entire republican state ticket was elected by fully 40,000 plurality. Wm. W. Wedemeyer, for county school commissioner, was elected by about about 700 plurality. Chas. H. Smith was elected state senator from the tenth district, by a plurality of over 2,000.

**STATE TICKET**  
Justice of the Supreme Court.  
J. B. Moore, R. 292—88  
J. W. McGrath, D. 239  
M. H. Walker, P. 82  
R. B. Taylor, Pop. 7  
**Regents of University.**  
R. W. Butterfield, R. 288  
C. H. Hackley, R. 288  
C. Pailthorpe, D. 221  
S. D. Brooks, D. 221  
N. W. Cheever, P. 31  
D. B. Reed, P. 31  
G. B. Smith, Pop. 8  
V. J. Bowers, Pop. 8  
**LEGISLATIVE TICKET.**  
**State Senator.**  
Chas. H. Smith, R. 292—73  
J. A. McDougall, D. 219  
Levi Decker, P. 32  
W. E. Gould, Pop. 8  
**COUNTY TICKET.**  
**Commissioner of Schools.**  
Wm. W. Wedemeyer, R. 374—209  
D. A. Hammond, D. 165  
J. B. Steere, P. 26  
**TOWNSHIP TICKET.**  
**Supervisor.**  
Hiram Lighthall, D. 370—154  
M. A. Lowry, R. 216  
Truman Baldwin, P. 31  
**Clerk.**  
J. Edward McKune, D. 301—20  
Geo. A. BeGole, R. 281  
A. R. Congdon, P. 33  
**Treasurer.**  
J. S. Cummings, D. 294—2  
August Mensing, R. 292  
Frank E. Storms, P. 30  
**Highway Commissioner.**  
Michael Wackenhut, D. 321—65  
Philip Schweinfurth, R. 256  
Geo. W. Boynton, P. 37  
**Justice, full term.**  
Edward A. Ward, R. 290—1  
James Hudler, D. 289  
Horace Baldwin, P. 36  
**Justice, Vacancy.**  
J. D. Schnaitman, R. 305—36  
L. L. Glover, D. 269  
R. P. Chase, P. 30  
**School Inspector.**  
Joseph Sibley, D. 293—15  
Frank L. Davidson, R. 278  
N. W. Laird, P. 30  
**Board of Review.**  
Jacob Hummel, R. 293—4  
F. H. Sweetland, D. 288  
J. R. Gates, P. 36  
**Constables.**  
Edward Chandler, D. 251  
Herman Schaible, D. 294  
Wm. R. Lehman, D. 300  
August Boos, D. 289  
Geo. H. Foster, R. 280  
Samuel Trouton, R. 283

M. M. Campbell, R. 223  
Stephen Laird, P. 33  
Wm. Pottinger, P. 37  
Alfred Taylor, P. 36  
Morgan Emmett, P. 43  
The amendment relative to circuit courts received 98 for and 174 against. The amendment relative to salaries of state officers received 65 for and 273 against.

**Lima.**  
In Lima the republicans elected all but three of their candidates.  
**Supervisor.**  
Walter H. Dancer, D. 117—2  
Theo. Wedemeyer, R. 115  
**Clerk.**  
Otto D. Luick, R. 134—39  
Wm. Covert, D. 95  
**Treasurer.**  
Jacob J. Klein, Jr., D. 129—28  
John Steinbach, R. 101  
**Highway Commissioner.**  
Mason Whipple, R. 126—23  
Paul Chas, D. 103  
**Justice (full term).**  
George C. Page, R. 117—7  
Thomas F. Morse, D. 110  
**Justice (vacancy).**  
Samuel W. Tucker, R. 116—4  
David E. Beach, D. 112  
**Drain Commissioner.**  
Henry J. Heininger, R. 120—16  
Eddie J. Parker, D. 108  
**School Inspector.**  
Jacob Bareis, D. 123—17  
Roland Waltrous, R. 106  
**Board of Review.**  
Arlington Guerin, R. 120—11  
John J. Gross, D. 109  
**Constables.**  
John Steinbach, R. 116  
George Savory, R. 120  
Chas. M. Morse, R. 115  
Arthur Hunter, R. 119  
Jacob J. Klein, D. 110  
Jacob Luick, D. 108  
Frank Leach, D. 113  
Daniel Wacker, D. 108

**Lyndon.**  
In Lyndon the democrats elected every thing excepting two officers.  
**Supervisor.**  
James Howlett, D. 91—23  
Delancy Cooper, R. 68  
**Clerk.**  
Charles W. Miller, D. 91—27  
Frank Burkhardt, R. 64  
**Treasurer.**  
Dick Clark, R. 87—14  
Henry V. Heatley, D. 73  
**Justice of Peace. (full term)**  
Allen Skidmore, R. 115—72  
Andrew J. Boyce, D. 43  
**Justice of Peace. (vacancy)**  
Henry Gorton, D. 87—16  
Michael J. Graham, 71  
**Highway Commissioner.**  
John Young, D. 90—24  
Harrison Hadley, 66  
**School Inspector.**  
George A. Runciman, D. 85—15  
William Collins, R. 70  
**Drain Commissioner.**  
Daniel McLaughlin, D. 87—17  
Ernest Rowe, R. 70  
**Board of Review.**  
Francis Beeman, D. 80—4  
Wellington Bowdish, R. 76  
**Constables.**  
James Canfield, D. 86  
James Moran, D. 87  
George Miller, D. 91  
George Stanfield, D. 78  
John Lee, R. 70  
Jarvis Goodwin, R. 69  
Louis Pane, R. 66

**Board of Supervisors.**  
The following is a list of the members of the board of supervisors of Washtenaw county:  
Ann Arbor City: 1st Ward—Wm. K. Childs, R.; 2d Ward—E. E. Oesterline, D.; 3d Ward—J. J. Fischer, R.; 4th Ward—Joseph Donnelly, D.; 5th Ward—James Boyle, D.; 6th Ward—Arthur J. Kitson, R.; 7th Ward—Evert H. Scott, R.  
Ann Arbor Town—C. R. Tuomey, D.  
Augusta—S. F. Bibbins, R.  
Bridgewater—Geo. Walter, D.  
Dexter—Thos. McQuillan, D.  
Freedom—M. J. Alber, D.  
Lima—W. H. Dancer, D.  
Lodi—M. Grosshans, D.  
Lyndon—Jas. Howlett, D.  
Manchester—W. H. Burtless, R.  
Northfield—E. E. Leland, R.  
Pittsfield—M. F. Case, R.  
Salmon—Fred Wheeler, R.  
Saline—E. A. Hauser, R.  
Scioto—Byron Whitaker, D.  
Sharon—Wm. F. Hall, D.  
Superior—Walter Voorheis, D.  
Sylvan—Hiram Lighthall, D.  
Webster—E. Ball, R.  
York—A. Davenport, D.  
Ypsil. Town—Jas. L. Hunter, R.  
Ypsil. City—B. M. Dando, R.  
Ypsil. City—Jas. M. Forsythe, D.

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No. 35—Atlantic Express 7:23 a. m.  
No. 12—Grand Rapids 10:35 a. m.  
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# THE CHELSEA STANDARD.

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CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

## IT WAS NO SHAM RIOT.

### VICIOUS CONDUCT OF GIRLS IN THE CHICAGO HOME.

**Farmers Make a Mess of a Train Robbery—Canaseraga, N. Y., Swept by Fire—Wheat Crop Needs Rain Badly—Nashua Bank Fails.**

#### Like a Cane of Wildcates.

Mrs. Charles Henrotin, of Chicago, knows now what a riot in the Illinois Home for Juvenile Offenders means. So do Mrs. Caroline Holt and Mrs. T. W. Harvey, fellow trustees of that troublesome institution where young girls are taught the error of their ways and given a new start in life—according to the plans and specifications on which the home was founded. Mrs. Henrotin will not speedily forget her experience. "The place was suddenly shrouded in darkness," said she, in describing the function of Thursday night, "and the breaking of glass and crockery were heard in every part of the dining-room. I began to comprehend that the girls had again broken out in riot and it did not make me relish my position at all. Lizzie Smith and some of her girl companions managed to get the matrons and Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Holt, with myself, into a corner and protected us from the more vicious of the frantic girls. Nothing could be heard in the room above the din and roar of breaking wood and falling glass." The numerous matrons and other employees were powerless, and after a few feeble efforts to restrain the hysterical young rebels, they were allowed to continue their work of destruction until they quit from sheer exhaustion. Finally three patrol-wagon loads of policemen forced their way into the establishment just as the three trustees were on the verge of hysterics. They were glad to see the officers, and under their protecting wing were conveyed to places of safety.

#### Bandits Were Fooled.

Passenger train No. 54, Iron Mountain Road, which left Poplar Bluffs at 10:35 o'clock Wednesday night, was held up at Williamsville, a station about twenty miles north of that place, at 11:30 o'clock. As the train neared a lonely spot a short distance north of Williamsville some one pulled the bell rope and the train came to a halt. Two men, one of whom had a red handkerchief over his face, and the other a mask of black material, forced the porter at the point of revolvers to uncouple the engine, mail, and express cars from the train, and compelled Engineer Mattis to run a short distance up the track with them. The robbers then proceeded to the express car and ordered the messenger to open the safe. The messenger informed the desperadoes that he could not open the through safe, as he did not have the combination. He opened the local safe, but there was no money in it. Meantime the alarm had been given and the citizens were arming themselves. The robbers, becoming frightened, jumped from the train and ran through the woods. Before they left, however, they secured Conductor Webb's gold watch. It is believed that the hold-up was the work of farmers living in the vicinity. Sheriff Hogg summoned a posse and started in pursuit of the robbers.

#### The Wheat Crop.

The Cincinnati Price Current summarizes crop conditions for the past week as follows: "There has been some relief to the wheat crop by rains, in portions of Kansas and to a limited extent, elsewhere, but most of the area is suffering more or less from insufficient moisture. The planting continues generally backward. A full restoration to a normal condition is improbable over a considerable part of the area. The general average condition was further lowered during the past week. Ample rains would soon shape the outlook more favorably. There have been but small interior offerings of wheat and fair offerings of corn. Oats seedling is delayed. The week's packing of hogs amounted to 280,000, against 220,000 for the corresponding week a year ago."

#### Village Is Wiped Out.

The entire business portion of Canaseraga, N. Y., and thirty dwellings were burned. The fire started at 12:40 Thursday morning and spread rapidly. A strong wind was blowing and the village had only the most primitive means for fighting the flames. Not until a special train had arrived from Hornellsville with two companies of firemen and a steamer was the progress of the fire checked. Half of the population are homeless. The total loss will be about \$100,000. The insurance will not more than half cover it. No lives were lost in the fire, but several persons were injured.

#### BREVITIES.

M. Soubrere, a civil engineer, has been killed in a duel at Paris.

A second indictment has been returned by the Federal grand jury at San Francisco against President Huntington, of the Southern Pacific, for issuing an interstate pass.

The Nashua Savings Bank, the third largest in New Hampshire, has closed because of not being able to realize on Western investments. It had deposits of nearly \$3,000,000.

Robbers wrecked the safe of the Mount Morris, Ill., bank with dynamite, but are thought to have got only \$150, as the steel chest inside the safe, which contained about \$10,000, was not opened.

Colombian rebels are reported to have been defeated at Boyaca. The government forces lost heavily, 1,500 out of 3,000 having dropped off through fatigue or disease during the march, and of the rebels 1,500 which gave battle to the rebels 700 were killed.

## EASTERN.

Charles Broadway Rous, the millionaire merchant of New York, is losing his eyesight.

Chinese laundry employees at New York are organizing a union and propose to apply for admission to the Knights of Labor. It is reported that the Chinese Six Companies is forming an opposition organization to embrace laundries all over the country.

The stage running between Cassville and Mill Creek, Pa., was held up about midway between the two places, by three men, supposed to be tramps. Five passengers, two women and three men, were relieved of their money, amounting to \$90. Watches and other valuables were not molested. The highwaymen escaped to the mountains.

"Steve" Brodie, of Bowery fame, made application at Boston, Mass., for permission to bury the body of Miss Hathaway, the Adams House suicide. Medical Examiner Draper said he was willing Brodie should do so if no one appeared having a better right. Brodie says the only reason he had for making the proposition to bury the woman was that the case attracted his attention and he could not bear to see the body consigned to the potter's field.

## WESTERN.

The log cut in the Minnesota pine region, which is about completed, is about one-fourth larger than that of last year.

A four-foot vein of silver bearing 300 ounces to the ton has been struck on the Evans claim in Lincoln County, Oklahoma.

An extra session of the Missouri Legislature is to be called to complete business left unfinished at the recent hasty adjournment.

The general Western conference of the Brethren in Christ opened at Abilene, Kas., with 200 delegates. It was voted to extend the mission work.

The Spreckels Company has been successful in its experiments in growing sugar-cane in San Joaquin County, California, and is extending its operations there.

Four firemen—Captain Harold Hartwell, Lieutenant S. Brawley, Richard Dandeyrd and Stephen Martin—lost their lives by the burning of the St. James Hotel at Denver.

S. W. Currier and George Perkins have been arrested for counterfeiting at Butte, Mont. A perfect set of dies for a \$10 gold piece of 1853 and for a silver \$1 of 1890 were captured.

Tremont and Solon McCloskey, brothers, employed by the Union Mining Company, at Cripple Creek, have been arrested charged with stealing between \$50,000 and \$100,000 worth of ore.

Warden French will refuse to give up his post at the Prison North, Indiana, to his successor, Charles Harley, according to the program mapped out, and the courts will be called on to decide in a suit for possession.

Walter I. Blake, city editor of the Stockton Independent and one of the best-known newspaper men on the Pacific coast, was shot and dangerously wounded under the windows of the Palace Hotel at San Francisco.

The thirty-two ex-Pullman workmen at Hiawatha, Kan., have succeeded in interesting enough capital to start them in the manufacturing business. A building and two acres of ground have been bought for them and they hope soon to be at work for themselves.

For the last two weeks of the term of the school in Clinton Township, near Logansport, Ind., just closed, not a scholar attended. The teacher, Miss Cora Walters, opened the school building every day and drew her salary. The scholars struck on account of a disagreement with the trustee.

The State of Missouri is in danger of being left without citizen soldiers within the next three months. The National Guard of Missouri is in serious financial straits, and as the Legislature has refused to pass a bill granting liberal appropriations for maintaining the militia organizations, the soldiers are preparing their resignations.

The majority report of the Committee on Elections and Suffrage was presented to the Constitutional convention at Salt Lake, Utah. The report recommends woman suffrage in the exact language as carried in the Constitution of Wyoming. One section of the report provides that no person shall have a right to vote who shall not be able to read the Constitution of the United States.

Puyallup and Nisqually Indians have decided to go on the warpath and avenge the killing of Medicine Man Jim Bouchette, who was murdered by Jerry Dominick of the Muskieshot reservation three weeks ago because three of his children had died after "Jim" treated them. There being no witnesses Jerry has been dismissed by the authorities. This will be the first uprising in forty years.

The packing houses of Reid Bros., at Armourdale, Kan., were damaged \$700,000, fully covered by insurance. Seven persons were rescued from a burning residence in Baltimore. One of them, a woman, will probably die of injuries. Three persons were injured, one of them fatally, at a fire in the residence of Frederick Klossman, of Philadelphia. Four firemen lost their lives in the Denver hotel fire.

Cornelius Lamonyon, a wealthy farmer of La Grange, Ind., called his wife and children into his room and compelled them by threats of instant death to remain while he removed one shoe and stocking, seated himself in a chair, placed a gun to the side of his head and pulled the trigger with his great toe. The charge mangled his head into a shapeless mass. He was addicted to the use of liquor.

George Wilson, a Chicago confectioner, offered his gold teeth as security to get out of the Desplaines street station Monday night. Sergt. Martin refused the offer and George was compelled to chew the cud of bitter reflection behind the bars. Wilson had been having trouble with his best girl, Mary Williams, lately, and imbued a large quantity of whiskey of the brand sold in Canal street. When he met Mary a quarrel ensued, and Wilson threatened to kill her. His sanguinary intentions were frustrated by Police-

man Moloney, who took him to the station.

The Committee on Ordinance and Federal Relations submitted a report to the Constitutional convention at Salt Lake, Utah. The first section is as follows: "Perfect toleration of religious sentiment shall be secured, and no inhabitant of this State shall be molested in person or property on account of her mode of religious worship; and polygamy or plural marriage is forever prohibited." The convention adopted a resolution of sympathy for the people of Wyoming in the calamity which overtook them in the Army mine disaster, and voted one day's salary of members for the relief of the wives and children of the victims.

## SOUTHERN.

John Martin was shot and killed at Hot Springs, Ark., by Mrs. Larry, a widow.

Jim Morrison, the Alabama murderer, was killed at Toadwine, Ala., by a deputy sheriff.

Governor McKinley is ill with the grip at Thomasville, Ga. His symptoms threaten pneumonia.

Robert McDonnell, a Chicago sign painter, was killed by falling from a scaffold at Greensboro, N. C.

A bed of solid rock salt has been discovered on Joe Jefferson's Island, near Abbeville, La., at a depth of 680 feet.

The Galveston (Texas) Grand Jury has indicted City Collector Gilbert and ex-City Auditor Tiernan for malfeasance in office.

The Louisville School Board has granted the use of about forty public school buildings for the G. A. R. encampment next September.

Walter Bark was hanged at Tablequah, I. T., for murder. Joseph Valsin was hanged at Natchitoches, La., for murder. Roth protested innocence.

The negroes went to work on the levee in New Orleans Monday morning without military protection. The soldiers are held in their armories in case of trouble. As many of the so-called rioters who made the murderous assault on the colored laborers two weeks ago are under arrest, it is not believed there will be any further violence until the murderers are well out of their present trouble with the law.

## WASHINGTON.

Tom Reed intends to spend the summer in Europe with his family.

An unknown woman is suspected of setting fire to two Catholic churches in Washington.

Minister Thurston has decided to return to Hawaii at once, without waiting for a formal notice of recall from his government.

It has become a matter of considerable discussion in official quarters whether, under the recent Wolcott resolution providing for the appointment of delegates to a monetary conference, the President will name any one for these offices, and it is said in very well-informed quarters that such a doubt fills the President's mind as to the extent of his authority in the matter, and it will form one of the most interesting topics to engage the attention of the cabinet. Representative Culberson is the only one of the six delegates already chosen who yet remains in Washington, and he agrees freely with the views credited to Mr. Cleveland.

A special from Washington says: "In a private cablegram from Tokio received by a member of the Japanese legation Wednesday, from the highest official source in Japan, it is stated a German physician, an expert of high standing, was sent at the personal request of the mikado to examine Li Hung Chang's wound. After a thorough examination he reported confidentially to the mikado that Li Hung Chang must die. The wound is in the face, and the bullet, which the surgeon had not succeeded in extracting, is apparently beyond reach. Moreover, Li is 70 years of age, and although a giant physically, his years are against him."

## FOREIGN.

The New York Herald's special dispatch from Havana says: "It is reported that last Tuesday, at Santiago de Cuba, an English steamer, the Lorentia, was fired on by the Spanish coast guard for failure to heave to when ordered, but no official report has yet been made regarding the affair."

The Japanese Parliament passed resolutions deploring the attempt to assassinate Li Hung Chang. Immediately after hearing of the attack upon Li Hung Chang the Emperor sent two of his principal surgeons to attend the Chinese envoy and also sent his personal aid-de-camp with messages from the Empress and himself.

Depredations by the Government forces marked the opening of hostilities on Tuesday in Lima. The troops sacked the Union and National Clubs and many shops. Then diplomats and the papal nuncio, Mgr. Machi, intervened. An armistice was arranged for twenty-four hours to give an opportunity to bury the dead and remove the dead horses from the streets, as there was danger of pestilence from the bodies. They were collected in a pile and burned in the Plaza de Armas. As a result of the three days' fighting more than 1,500 combatants were killed and wounded on both sides. During the fighting all of the foreign legations were exposed to the firing. The United States legation was in a particularly dangerous situation. Mrs. McKenzie, wife of the United States Minister, narrowly escaped being shot. More than fifty refugees sought an asylum in this location.

The House of Commons at London by a vote of 176 to 159 adopted the resolution offered by Mr. Allen providing for the payment of members. No more radical measure probably has ever passed the English House of Parliament. For centuries a seat in the House has been open only to those who had the social position to insure a successful canvass and the money to enable them to live in an expensive part of London the greater part of the year. This has been the practical situation until five years ago. Wealth was the one thing necessary; ability or popularity went for nothing, for it took a handsome income to be a

member of the House of Commons. The change came when John Burns was elected as one of the members for South London. Burns was practically the first workingman—and a poor one at that—to take his seat in the House and the party which elected him found itself confronted with the problem of how his expenses were to be met. This was finally done by public subscription and the need of it directed public attention to the fact that only wealth was represented in Parliament. It took long for England to do more than think about it, but at last a bill was prepared providing for the payment of the expenses of those members who were unable to meet their own. This bill was defeated, but it was the point of the wedge and the father of the present bill.

## IN GENERAL.

The Galveston cup, now held by the Washington Fencibles, will be competed for at the Interstate drill and encampment to be held in Memphis in May.

Phoebe Cousins said that she was betrothed to the late Senator Fair in Chicago in 1893. A new claimant to the dead Senator's estate is alleged to have been discovered at Oakland, Cal., in the person of 7-year-old Ethel Jacobs, who, it is claimed, is his daughter.

The remedial order from the Ottawa Government makes a demand upon the Manitoba Government to abolish the clauses of the education act doing away with separate schools. The ministers say this will never be done, and they are prepared to set the Ottawa order at defiance.

Obituary: At Milwaukee, Colonel Henry A. Starr, 65; at Washington, Lycurgus Dalton, postmaster of the House of Representatives, 50; at Pittsburg, ex-Adjutant General Walter W. Greenleaf; at St. Louis, Captain C. W. Bellairs; at Oskaloosa, Iowa, ex-Justice J. Seever; at Gardiner, Me., Dr. Caleb S. Whitman, 99; at Waukesha, Wis., Edward Porter, 77; at Beardstown, Ill., Charles J. Norbury, 84; at Ottawa, Ill., H. J. Dicken, 81; D. R. Gregg, 89.

George Marshall Graham, of Toronto, Ont., after a hard fight with fate for thirty years, has just been identified as heir to the Scottish Earldoms of Strathern, Menteth and Alrth. Two senior branches having become extinct the title and estates pass to the third branch, of which the Toronto man is the representative. The new Earl is entitled to a seat in the British House of Lords, and will claim it as soon as some necessary preliminary arrangements are made. Graham has for some time been working as bookkeeper in a florist's shop.

The police of Victoria, B. C., have decided that bloomers are not suitable for street wear, even when worn as a cycling costume, and have taken steps to enforce this decision. Miss Ethel Delmont is an enthusiastic wheel woman, pretty and graceful. The other week she made her appearance in the bloomer costume, and if Lady Godiva herself essayed a repetition of her famous ride the sensation could not have been greater. The town came forth to gaze and for the moment the policemen were petrified with amazement. Then they aroused to action and Miss Ethel received an official visitor, who informed her that a repetition of her appearance in the objectionable costume would mean a police court summons on the charge of creating a disturbance on a public street. Miss Delmont's bloomers are discarded.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says: "Indications of improvement in business grow more distinct. The most obtrusive of them, the speculative advance on cotton and in stocks, is the least reliable; nor can either of these be said to reflect actual improvement in business conditions. Railroad earnings are scarcely better and the speculation is largely based on expectation of more effective monopoly in coal and some other products. London was buying largely, but likely to sell on any rise. Cotton does not rise because there is more demand for goods, but that there is more demand for goods because cotton is dearer. More valuable indications are that the volume of domestic trade gains a little, money is in much better legitimate demand, and the force of hands at work gradually increases in some industries and in others is restricted only by strikes, which are presumably temporarily."

## MARKET REPORTS.

Chicago—Cattle, common to prime, \$3.75 to \$6.75; hogs, shipping grades, \$3 to \$5.25; sheep, fair to choice, \$2.50 to \$5; wheat, No. 2 red, 54c to 55c; corn, No. 2, 45c to 46c; oats, No. 2, 28c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 55c to 56c; butter, choice, creamery, 19c to 20c; eggs, fresh, 10c to 11c; potatoes, car lots, per bushel, 75c to 85c.

Indianapolis—Cattle, shipping, \$3 to \$5.75; hogs, choice light, \$3 to \$5; sheep, common to prime, \$2 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 54c to 54½c; corn, No. 1 white, 45c to 45½c; oats, No. 2 white, 33c to 34c.

St. Louis—Cattle, \$3 to \$6.50; hogs, \$4 to \$5; wheat, No. 2 red, 54c to 55c; corn, No. 2, 42c to 43c; oats, No. 2, 30c to 30½c; rye, No. 2, 59c to 61c.

Cincinnati—Cattle, \$3.50 to \$5.75; hogs, \$3 to \$5; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.75; wheat, No. 2, 58c to 59c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 46c to 47c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 31c to 32c; rye, No. 2, 58c to 59c.

Detroit—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$5.75; hogs, \$4 to \$4.75; sheep, \$2 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 1 white, 58c to 59c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 45c to 46c; oats, No. 2 white, 31c to 32c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 55c.

Toledo—Wheat, No. 2 red, 57c to 58c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 46c to 46½c; oats, No. 2 white, 33c to 34c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 55c.

Buffalo—Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.50; hogs, \$3 to \$5; sheep, \$3 to \$5.25; wheat, No. 2 red, 60c to 61c; corn, No. 2 yellow, 49c to 50c; oats, No. 2 white, 35c to 35½c.

Milwaukee—Wheat, No. 2 spring, 50c to 57c; corn, No. 3, 45c to 45½c; oats, No. 2 white, 32c to 33c; barley, No. 2, 52c to 53c; rye, No. 1, 54c to 55c; pork, mess, \$12 to \$12.50.

New York—Cattle, \$3 to \$6.50; hogs, \$4 to \$5.50; sheep, \$3 to \$5.50; wheat, No. 2 red, 62c to 63c; corn, No. 2, 50½c to 51½c; oats, white Western, 37c to 41c; butter, creamery, 13c to 21c; eggs, Western, 11c to 12c.

## ALL HEIRS AGREED.

### PROBABLE END OF THE DAVIS WILL CASE.

**Financial Crash in Cincinnati—Release of Train Robbers in Kentucky—Beef About as High as When the Cow Jumped Over the Moon.**

#### Davis Will Case Settled.

The great Butte (Mont.) Davis will contest has been settled by a judgment of the court amounting to a victory for the First National Bank heirs and the proponents of the John A. Davis will, but making liberal allowance by agreement with the New York and Boston contestants, represented by Henry A. Root, for whom Col. R. G. Ingersoll was leading counsel in the great battle of 1891. The estate was valued then at \$7,000,000. The disputed will was probated by consent of all parties to the suit and the following decree of distribution entered: "The Sheffield heirs or the children of Asa Davis are given one-twenty-fifth of the estate. The remainder is divided between the heirs of John A. Davis. Andrew J. Davis retains the First National Bank stock. All parties to the suit are satisfied with the terms and the celebrated case will probably be heard of no more.

#### Three Robbers Shot.

Six men who tried to rob a fast through passenger train on the Cincinnati Southern Road, near Greenwood, Ky., at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, made a mistake which three of them did not have time to repent. Their intentions had become known to the railway officials, so when the attack was made the three armed men stowed away in the express car opened fire with rifles and without unnecessary delay, and at the first volley three of the robbers fell. The three others took flight, though they are supposed to be wounded. The attempt to rob the train was made at the south end of what is known as tunnel No. 9, which is a mile north of Greenwood. The signal to stop was given and the engineer, acting under instructions, obeyed it. As soon as the six robbers were in sight the fusillade began from the express car, where T. R. Griffin, superintendent of police of the road, was concealed with two of his men. The officers did not wait for any explanations. They turned loose with their rifles and one man fell dead, another was so badly wounded that he died in Greenwood an hour later, and a third lies at Greenwood without hopes of recovery. The three other men shot back at the men on the train, but hit nobody, and then betook themselves to the woods. The work was done so quickly that hardly a passenger knew what had taken place until the execution was over. The train was delayed only ten minutes, and reached Chattanooga on time.

#### Choice Cattle Are Scarce.

Prices of all kinds of meats will be higher in Chicago this summer than they have been for ten years past, says a dispatch. Even the high prices which were made by some dealers during the World's Fair period will be exceeded by the figures asked for roasts, steaks, and chops from now on. Prices have already advanced about 25 per cent., and an additional advance of about the same proportion is almost certain. The cause of this is the short supply of cattle followed by the necessary increase in value which forced dealers to raise prices to consumers. While the prime cause of the advance is the scarcity of choice beef cattle, all kinds of meats have gone up partly through the sentiments of the speculative market and partly on account of the increased demand. All kinds of beef, from porterhouse to hash meat, are being sold now for from 2 to 5 cents a pound higher than a month ago, and pork products of all qualities, from pigs' feet to head cheese, are worth considerably more than they could be bought for on the first of the month.

#### Cincinnati Bank Fails.

The Commercial Bank, at Cincinnati, Ohio, the oldest institution of the kind in the city, assigned Wednesday afternoon, William H. Campbell, cashier, being named as assignee. The bank was compelled to make good \$50,000 in bad paper and this precipitated the crash. There was a hurried meeting of the board of directors, the clearing house situation was discussed and assignment decided upon. The assets and liabilities are unknown, but on good authority are said to be \$1,000,000 each. The paid-up capital was \$318,000, the average deposits \$700,000. The bank had been rediscounting its own paper for two weeks, and bad management is alleged.

## NEWS NUGGETS.

Robinson & Co.'s stock barns, near Deatur, Ind., were burned by incendiaries. Loss, \$40,000.

Mamie Dean, a schoolgirl at Harmony, Md., was found with her throat cut. Lynchers are hunting for the murderer. Tracklayers in Pittsburg, Pa., were dispersed by a fire engine company, which threw a stream of water on them. The city ordered the tracklaying to cease, but was not obeyed.

The Sultan has ordered that the sale of exhibition of portraits of Mr. Gladstone or Professor Bryce, president of the British Board of Trade, be prohibited in Constantinople. Copies sent to Armenian clergy have been seized as "seditious literature."

George Curzon, M. P., son of Lord Scarsdale, will sail from London for New York on the White Star Line steamer Majestic April 10. His marriage to Miss Mary Leiter, daughter of L. Z. Leiter, of Chicago, will take place in Washington April 20.

John Y. McKane, the Gravesend boss, now in Sing Sing, is reported to be insane. His hallucination is that he is "to be released to-morrow."

"Dr." Cook, a "Christian science healer," and Jesse Samis, whose wife died as a result of "Christian science treatment," have been arrested in Los Angeles, Cal., on a charge of manslaughter.



## MICHIGAN MATTERS.

### NEWS OF THE WEEK CONCISELY CONDENSED.

**Muskegon Firemen Rescue a Young Man—Accident in the University Laboratory—Thousands of Fruit Trees to Be Planted—Cheap Telephones.**

**In the Nick of Time.**  
When Muskegon firemen reached 480 Western avenue the other morning they found a family of four—father, mother, son and daughter—sitting on the roof of the adjoining building trying to dress themselves in whatever clothes they had been able to snatch from their rooms. The upper portion of the block was a mass of flames and the people on the roof called frantically to the firemen that there was a man inside the building. The block had caught fire in the rear, and the key to the front stairway was lost. So the firemen entered by their ladders, and just in time to rescue a young man who was half-suffocated. Then they rescued the shivering family of Schulers, and when they were safe deluged the flaming building. Loss about \$3,000; insurance, \$4,000.

**Increase in Fruit Culture.**  
Between now and the middle of April 150,000 to 200,000 fruit trees will be set out in Western Michigan. Most of the trees will be peaches, but more pear and plum trees than ever before in a single season will be planted. One farmer in Berrien County alone has 13,000 trees, mostly peaches, ready to plant as soon as the season is ripe for operations, and there are many new or replaced orchards of 1,000 to 1,500 trees.

**Down Go Telephone Rates.**  
A few weeks ago the Gilliland Telephone Company, of Chicago, were granted a franchise at St. Joseph and were to charge \$24 a year for the use of telephones in business houses. Then the Bell Telephone Company, which has for years been charging \$48 a year, announced that they would furnish them for \$18. Lower rates are expected.

**Chicago Student Badly Hurt.**  
Wilbur G. Salter, a '96 engineer student from Chicago, fell from a ladder in the mechanical laboratory of the Ann Arbor University while carrying a heavy iron pipe. His head struck a nail during the fall, and it is feared his skull is fractured. He is still unconscious at the university hospital, but hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

**Record of the Week.**  
Infidelity is not popular at Benton Harbor. Bob Ingersoll spoke to row after row of empty chairs.  
Loren Anderson, in the Ithaca jail, attempted suicide, because the Sheriff's "grub" didn't suit him.  
Hillsdale figured on getting a municipal electric light plant for \$15,000, but before the plant was finished it had cost \$25,000.  
A new wrinkle has been introduced in the high school at Greenville. It consists of fifteen minute lectures twice each week by well known citizens of the town.

**Muskegon County market gardeners are going into celery culture quite extensively this season. The prospective planting is not less than 2,000,000 plants.**  
Archie Barnhart, of Otterburn, heated a ramrod to redness, then pushed it down the barrel of his gun to burn out some paper. The resulting explosion lacerated his right hand frightfully.  
The contract for building an iron bridge over the Escanaba River, three miles west of Gladstone, has been let to the Gillett-Herzog Manufacturing Company, of Minneapolis, for \$5,700.

A Benton Harbor preacher last Sunday propounded a serious question: "Can a business man be religious?" The Berrien Springs Era answers: "Certainly, if he advertises and pays the printer."  
Two freight trains indulged in a rear-end collision at Crooked Lake. The cab-in car of the standing train was smashed to pieces, while the engine of the rear train lies a complete wreck in a gully.

Grace Howe, a pretty 18-year-old girl, started her fellow-prisoners in Jackson jail by a well-developed attack of delirium tremens. Although a mere child, she has spent a large part of her life in jail.  
Irving Palmer, a Montcalm boy, while hunting in the woods in Antrim County, found the skeletons of two buck deer with horns locked, in which position they undoubtedly starved to death. Their antlers were so badly interwoven that it would be impossible for two men to separate them.

George W. King, manager of the Michigan Drug Company, at Muskegon, has commenced suit for \$10,000 by capias against M. Jensen, owner of the building occupied by the drug company, who recently had King arrested on a charge of arson. King, it will be remembered, was discharged.  
Albert Pack has arranged to purchase the plant of the Huron Lumber Company, in Alpena, together with several million feet of logs in the river. Mr. Pack will operate the mill with the 50,000,000 to 75,000,000 feet of white pine which, with several other men, he recently acquired in the Georgian Bay district.

Joseph E. Kirby, a man of 35 years, was convicted at Ann Arbor of assault upon his 9-year-old step-daughter. He got sixty-five days in the Detroit House of Correction. It was proved that the little child was brutally beaten with a stick until her back was raw. He said that "the next time he would kill the girl."  
Several smart Plainfield youngsters organized a band of brigands. They held meetings in the basement of a church, elected president, treasurer and other officers, stole \$10, sent for revolvers, and hatched a conspiracy to hold up one of the citizens of their village. But alas, their plans "gaug-agley." They were found out before their weapons arrived and now good-hickory sprouts are at a premium at Plainfield.

Adrian will vote on a proposition to bond itself for \$50,000 for public improvements.

The Amazon Hosiery Company, of Michigan City, employing 500 hands, will move to Muskegon.

The register of Marshall tramp house exhibits 1,100 entries during the past winter—a period of three months.

Eugene Groger, a prominent farmer of Cambridge, has died of injuries received by being struck by a falling tree.

A West Branch lady has saved all the dimes that came into her possession in the past four years, and they now amount to \$100.

The cheese factory at Raisinville will begin operations on April 1, Dunbars & Jenkins, of Samaria, being the new proprietors.

Hay is sold at Muskegon at 10.50 to \$11, and good beech wood is only worth \$1.25 a cord, and pine \$1 for a cord and a half.

Chippewa County has 800 farms within its limits, which makes it easily the banner agricultural county of the Upper Peninsula.

An ice-boat ran from Mackinac Island to Bois Blanc light, a distance of seven miles, in three and a half minutes, one day last week.

Regents of the University of Michigan have ordered hose and chemical extinguishers purchased for every building on the campus.

A piece of machinery flew at James D. Wilson, of the Montague Iron Works, breaking several ribs and causing possibly fatal injuries.

The Plymouth Fair Association is in the field early with the announcement of their fair for this year. The dates are Sept. 17 to 20, inclusive.

Two foxes got into a chicken coop belonging to a Deerfield girl and killed fourteen hens. The girl killed the foxes, however, and sold the skin of one of them for \$12, so she isn't out much on the transaction after all.

The Supreme Court granted a writ of error in the case of Dr. Myron P. Fogelson of Hillsdale, who was convicted at Hillsdale several months ago of poisoning his wife and sentenced to State prison for life.

A movement is on foot at Ionia to purchase a twenty-acre tract lying between the wagon works and the electric light works, and convert it into an amusement park, having baseball ground, skating rink, riding park, etc.

A farmer living near Pleasant Valley went to Shepherd one day last week and filled up on "forty-rod." He was so long going home that he froze both feet, which are in a terrible condition and probably will have to be amputated.

A prominent farmer of Livonia has chopped five acres of apple orchard into firewood this winter. He says it doesn't pay to encumber the ground with apple trees as long as the coding moth is so actively engaged in business.

A franchise to establish an electric light plant is asked for from Benton Harbor by Peter English. The power is to be obtained by damming the Paw Paw River about one mile from the city. The dam will be 1,000 feet long and give a fall of fifteen feet.

The Fifth Infantry Band, M. N. G., whose term of enlistment expires this month, has decided not to re-enlist in the State service. They were called into action for twenty-seven days at Ironwood last summer, and cannot afford to lose that much time again.

Clarence Eddy, of Chicago, will give a special organ recital during the May festival in Ann Arbor. This makes the fourth concert of the series which ends with the performance of Berlioz's "Damnation of Faust," by the choral union of 280 voices, the Boston festival orchestra of thirty-six pieces and the following soloists: Mme. Nordica, soprano; Rose Stuart, soprano; Gertrude May Stein, contralto; Rieger, tenor; Max Heinrich, baritone; Clark of New York, bass. The festival will cost \$4,000, \$1,500 more than last year.

Sunday morning, between 2 and 3 o'clock, Postmaster N. McBaif, of Owasco, was discovered in an abandoned mill race near the works of the brewing company. His face was bespattered with blood and his hair was matted. The blood gushed from a ghastly wound on the back of his head. The would-be assassin, believing his victim to be dead, it is believed, dragged the body to the secluded place where it was found for the purpose of hiding the crime until escape could be effected. The assailant attempted robbery, but he was evidently frightened away. Mr. McBaif can give no account of the assault and the police are also mystified.

Calvin DeForest, a farmer near Oakley, shot and killed his brother George Tuesday. The act was committed in self-defense, after Calvin himself had been seriously wounded. George, who was considered by many of unsound mind, has been the terror of the neighborhood for some time. He was terribly abusive to all his relatives. A short time ago he beat his aged father and mother severely, without any provocation whatever, and his brothers and sisters felt unsafe in his presence. His last and fatal exploit was when he drove his sister, Mrs. Alfred Beers, out of her home. The frightened woman called upon her brother Calvin for protection, when the shooting ensued.

Battle Creek police had a lively fracas with two tramps Tuesday. The men were offering razors, jewelry and revolvers for sale at suspicious prices, and as two officers attempted to arrest them in a barber shop each tramp pulled two revolvers and, getting the drop on the officers, escaped. A running fire was kept up for about two miles into the country, several officers and a crowd of civilians taking part in the chase. The tramps, realizing escape was impossible, threw away their guns and gave themselves up. No one was injured. The desperadoes were arraigned on charge of assault with intent to commit murder, waived examination, and were bound over to the Circuit Court. In default of \$10,000 bail they were taken to jail. They gave their names as Ed Hogan, of Tennessee, and William Burke, no residence.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

### SERIOUS SUBJECTS CAREFULLY CONSIDERED.

**A Scholarly Exposition of the Lesson—Thoughts Worthy of Calm Reflection—Half an Hour's Study of the Scriptures—Time Well Spent.**

**Lesson for April 7.**  
Golden Text—"Hosanna: Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord."—Mark 11: 9.

This lesson is found in Mark 11: 1-11, and has for its subject, "The Triumphal Entry."

There has been one "Triumphal Entry." There shall be another. In the first the cry went up, amid waving palms:

"Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord."

Blessed be the kingdom of our father David,  
That cometh in the name of the Lord;  
Hosanna in the highest!"

And in the next, when he cometh with clouds:

"Every creature which is in heaven, And on the earth, and under the earth, And such as are in the sea, And all that are in them

Heard I saying— Blessing, and honor, and glory and power, Be unto him that sitteth upon the throne, And unto the Lamb, forever and ever."

And the sure promise of it all:

"Lift up your heads, O ye gates. Even lift them up ye everlasting door, And this King of glory shall come in. Who is the King of glory?

The Lord of hosts—he is, the King of glory." Amen.

Even so, come, Lord Jesus!

Have you garments to cast before the Christ? Remember that blind man in the chapter just preceding who first "casting away his garment rose and came to Jesus." Have you done it? Drop everything and come. "They came nigh to Jerusalem" and to the cross. Everything is close now. How much was packed into that last week! Approximately, we quote from our penciled margins, then was given by inspiration to this last week: A fifth of Matthew, a fourth of Luke, a third of Mark, and the half of John's Gospel.

Mount of Olives, east of the Holy City, from which Christ looked upon the city and wept. At the foot then, the Garden of Gethsemane where Christ wept not for a city but for a world. Wine-press, indeed, oil well refined was here expressed. And Jesus knew it all. Beyond was Calvary, and on it even now to our Savior's eye the outlines of a cross. Beyond the shouting multitude he saw it all, saw it and yet permitted himself thus to be led. It was more than knowledge; it was love. Even the details he knew, and with prophetic eye. "Ye shall find a colt tied, whereon never man sat." God who had prepared the manger for the "heaven-born Child" has ready this meek beast of burden. The whole creation stood awaiting, as it were, this spectacle. It waiteth and groweth still in expectation of another great event.

"Say ye that the Lord hath need of him." Say it again. What are the world's means of conveyance as one by one they emerge and stand, tied as it were and waiting, but steed and vehicle for the transfer of the divine blessing and the bringing in of the Kingdom. "And many spread their garments in the way." It must have been a beautiful and exhilarating sight as the jubilant procession, growing as it came, wound its way down the slope and across the valley. It is but a faint anticipation of the time when every eye shall see him, every knee bow, and every tongue confess. Be ready for it. "And now the eventide was come he went unto Bethany with the twelve, such his preference with men of low estate. It is eventide still, and he is with the twelve. And other evenings will come, and a black, black night. After that a glorious morning. But Jesus alway!

"Abide with me, Fast falls the eventide; The darkness deepens, Lord with me abide."

### Hints and Illustrations.

An appeal from the heart: "Let the Savior in." For once the people got beyond the control of the staid and watchful Pharisees. They broke loose, as it were, and for one brief hour spoke the instinctive homage of their souls. That glad welcome to Jesus at the city's gates was the true and proper tribute of nature to nature's God. It was the way all earth should have received the Savior, the way it would have received him but for its hard sin and selfishness. But just for a moment, a glorious moment, the deeper sentiment, of the human heart spoke out.

For doubtless it was in part this same multitude which cried "Hosanna," that a day or two later were howling, with clenched hands, "Crucify him, crucify him!" Fickle, changeable multitude.

"Thou many-headed hydra thing, O who would choose to be thy king."

What was the trouble? Matthew hints it in the answer that was given of the people to the eager query, "Who is this?" And the multitude said, "This is Jesus the prophet of Nazareth of Galilee." That and nothing more. Not Lord and Savior, simply teacher, prophet. And stiff-necked, they were always slaying the prophets. Peter's confession is the real triumphant entry, the heartgates thrown wide: "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God."

Make it yourself. It is the office of the Holy Spirit to give us this apprehension of Jesus and to open the heart's doors to receive him. To the carnal heart Jesus is not coming; we hide as it were our faces from him, but to the spirit-moved he is the chief among ten thousands and the one altogether lovely. If only the Sunday schools of the land would once go out to the gates and greet the King! Why not to-day?

"There's a stranger at the door, Let the Savior in. He has been there oft before, Let the Savior in."

## WIPED OUT BY FIRES.

### FLAMES CAUSE OVER \$1,000,000 DAMAGE.

**Milwaukee's West Side Business District Scourged—Half a Dozen Mercantile Firms and the Plankinton Estate Losers—Loss in Chicago.**

**The Cream City Ablaze.**  
Lower Grand avenue, the heart of the west side, of Milwaukee, was the scene early Wednesday morning of one of the most serious conflagrations in the history of the city. The fire is the most disastrous since the Third Ward conflagration of Oct. 28, 1892, and the pecuniary loss will exceed \$1,000,000. It furnished a magnificent spectacle for the thousands that filled the avenue and watched it from surrounding buildings. There were, however, luckily, no fatalities.

**Loss to the Plankinton Estate.**  
The buildings owned by the Plankinton estate were the large brick structure, covering half a block, occupied by Landaur & Co., wholesale dry goods dealers, and the Tanner Company, furniture, adjoining Landaur & Co. to the east, the building in the rear of Landaur & Co., occupied by the Reliance Storage Company, and the library building at the northwest corner of 4th street and Grand avenue. The estate will suffer a loss of about \$250,000 on the buildings occupied by Landaur & Co., Tanner & Co., and the Reliance Storage Co., which were practically new. They were totally destroyed. The insurance on them is estimated at 80 per cent., which would make the loss the insurance companies are to bear approximately \$200,000 on that structure alone.

Max Landaur, of Landaur & Co., said the stock carried at present by his firm was valued at \$400,000, and he usually carried about 80 per cent. insurance, which would make the actual loss of the firm \$320,000.

The Tanner Company's loss was said to be about \$100,000, though no member of the company could be found to give any accurate estimate. It was thought the furniture stock was insured for about 75 per cent. of the value.

### Big Clothiers Burned Out.

The Davidson estate was the owner of the building at 313 and 315 Grand avenue, located between part of the Plankinton building that was occupied by the Tanner Company and the Mathews building, in which the retail house of Morgan & Co. is located. The only occupants of the store-rooms in this building were Barling & Wambold, retail clothiers, but there were a few offices in the upper part of the two stories. The structure was one of frame, with a veneer of brick, so the fire underwriters say, and was worth \$20,000 at the outside. The insurance was said to foot up to about \$15,000.

Barling & Wambold had just received a large consignment of spring goods, and the entire stock as well as the building was lost. With the new goods the stock was worth \$90,000 or more, so one connected with the firm in a responsible capacity said. The insurance was about \$70,000. Roebel & Reinhardt, art goods and picture frames, were partially burned out and the stock wholly ruined by heat and water; insurance, \$60,000. Young Men's Christian Association Building on 15th street was burned; loss, \$75,000. There are many minor losses, including small stores and flats.

### THE BELL IN FLAMES.

**Big Clothing House in Chicago Suffers Its Second Fire.**

Fire which imperiled many lives and caused a loss of \$176,000 broke out in the basement of the Bell clothing store, State and Quincy streets, Chicago, at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The Bell building's contents were nearly all destroyed. Total insurance is \$106,000. The fire started near the furnace and shot up the rear stairways with great rapidity, spreading to each of the five floors. A panic ensued among the 100 employees. Many on the upper floors rushed to the windows and screamed for help. Charles H. Smith, a salesman on the second floor, climbed out of a window on the State street side, and in trying to catch hold of a projection to support himself lost his balance and fell to the sidewalk, badly crushing both feet. Richard Burns, a 17-year-old elevator boy, displayed great presence of mind. When the alarm was given he ran his elevator to the fourth floor and led Miss Martell, one of the bookkeepers, to the car and brought her safely to the ground, where she fainted. Miss Jennie Levy, the cashier on the first floor, had her desk on a sort of platform from which a stair led to the second floor. She ran up the stair and through Manager Curtin's office, crying "The store is on fire," and reached the elevator in time to catch it on its last trip down. Then the traps in the shaft, operated by electricity, fell, and the elevator could be run no longer.

A confidential employe of the Bell Clothing Company said the value of the stock in the building was \$200,000, and from what he could learn the damage was in the neighborhood of \$150,000. He could give no accurate figures concerning insurance, but said he thought the concern carried \$75,000 to \$80,000. The shoe stock, he said, was not more than half covered.

Jacob H. Cohn, the head of the firm, left for New York Monday afternoon to finish buying the spring stock. He was informed by telegaph of the fire and returned to Chicago at once. A serious fire occurred in the same building Aug. 28 last. The loss on the stock at that fire was \$93,000. The loss on the building was \$5,000.

### Told in a Few Lines.

The Commercial Bank of Moscow, Idaho, has suspended with liabilities of \$127,000 and assets of \$67,000.

What the Indiana Legislature needs is an athletic instructor rather than an enrolling and engrossing clerk.

Gov. Stone, of Missouri, has appealed to the people of the State for aid for the poor of Kansas and Nebraska.

## DOINGS AT LANSING.

### WORK OF THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

**An Impartial Record of the Work Accomplished by Those Who Make Our Laws—How the Time Has Been Occupied During the Past Week.**

### The Law-Makers.

Thursday, when Senator Jamison's bill for the repeal of the law empowering Roman Catholic bishops to hold property in trust came up on its third reading in the Senate, there was a warm fight, which resulted in the bill being laid on the table, although it will doubtless be taken up again after election and passed. It is not, however, a measure which will affect the Catholics very seriously, as the bishops now hold property in fee simple, which cannot be well prevented by legislative enactment. A hot fight took place in the House over Representative Partridge's resolution calling for an investigation of the charges made against Representative Matthews in connection with the introduction of the patent medicine bill. Matthews defended himself and charged that Partridge had been actuated by animosity. The resolution was laid on the table.

The members of the State Legislature had a busy time at Ann Arbor Friday with their wives and children at the invitation of the Board of Regents to inspect the buildings on the campus. The invitation and inspection are the result of a request for an appropriation of several hundred thousand dollars to make improvements, especially in the laboratories. The legislators arrived 250 strong, and remained until evening. The entire day was occupied in the inspection of the university buildings. The party assembled in the chapel in the main hall and proceeded from there to visit the library. The physical and mechanical laboratories were then inspected and viewed in working order, full classes of students being present in each building. Then the event of the day took place. The legislators and families were conducted to the platform in University Hall and the whole college assembled in the body of the building. As the different classes marched into the hall each gave its class yell, and, being answered by those who were already there, pandemonium reigned for some time. When President Angell arose and stretched out his hands in an appeal for silence one could not hear a sound in the vast assemblage of over 3,000 people. The President then delivered a speech, which was answered by the Chairman of the State Senate, and then several short speeches by the legislators followed. This gathering completed the morning's exercises and in the afternoon the hospitals and law library were visited and also the dental clinic and hygienic laboratories. At the Waterman Gymnasium the classes proved one of the most attractive features of the day's program.

The Legislature did nothing Monday but quarrel over the distribution of the legislative manuals.

The lower house of the Michigan Legislature Tuesday passed Representative Waite's bill requiring teachers in public schools to instruct pupils regarding the means by which dangerous communicable diseases are spread. Other bills were passed prohibiting the posting of bills on fences, and requiring corporations reorganizing under the law of the State to pay a franchise fee. The bill providing for local option by cities and townships was killed.

The unusual spectacle of a State Senator inviting another to fight was presented in the Senate Wednesday afternoon when the bill changing the age of consent from 14 to 17 years was being considered. Senator Clapp, the smallest member of the body, issued the challenge to Senator McLaughlin, the largest Senator. Clapp said if McLaughlin would adjourn with him to the ante-room he would "fix that head of his." McLaughlin made no reply, nor did he make any further reference to Clapp. The bill passed by a vote of 17 to 10. The joint legislative committees on public health made a favorable report on the Miller bill abolishing the State Board of Health and substituting therefor a board organized on radically different lines to be appointed by the Governor. The House spent the entire afternoon in committee of the whole on the Stoll bill repealing the law taxing mortgages. A motion to strike out all after the enacting clause was lost by a tie vote.

### Sheridan Not in It.

Joseph Sheridan was playing Sheridan's comedy of "The Rivals" in Boston some time ago. His version of the play has been arranged in such a way as to give Bob Acres considerable more prominence, perhaps, than the author originally intended, occasionally at the expense of the other characters. William Warren, the old comedian, sat the play out, and at its conclusion was asked: "How do you like Jefferson's Bob Acres?" "Capital, capital," replied Warren; "and Sheridan twenty miles away."

### Holmes and Women and Children.

"I've several things bothering me," he confessed one day. "First, I am anxious to find a suitable inscription for a child's porringer. I never wrote a poem to a child, I believe. I love children dearly; I always want to stop them on the street; but I have never written about them; nor have I ever written much about women. I don't know why, but I care too much to do the Tom Moore style of thing."—Century.

### Mosaics.

Mosaic floors, laid with small pieces of different colored stones set in regular patterns, were known to the Egyptians 2300 B. C. In Babylon floors of this kind dated from 1100 B. C.



## THE CHELSEA STANDARD

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CHELSEA, THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1895.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. G. P. Glazier is visiting relatives in Albion.  
Kate Hooker spent Monday last in Ann Arbor.  
Andrew Morton, of Ann Arbor was in town Tuesday last.  
Miss Mary L. Pierson spent Sunday with friends in Albion.  
Mrs. T. McKune has been visiting her daughter in Detroit.  
Miss Florence Carpenter spent Saturday last in Ann Arbor.  
Jay Wood, of Ann Arbor was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday last.  
Mrs. Geo. Eder has been spending part of this week in Dexter.  
DeWitt Chapman, of Detroit is the guest of Miss Frances McCall.  
Herman Almandinger, of Ann Arbor was a Chelsea visitor Tuesday.  
R. A. Bostwick, of Jackson called on friends at this place Monday last.  
R. M. Speer, of Battle Creek visited his parents at this place Saturday last.  
Mrs. Angie West, of Corunna is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Armstrong.  
Will Gibson, of Albion was the guest of Miss Mattie V. Stimson, Tuesday last.  
Mrs. H. W. Schmidt is visiting her mother who is quite ill, in Manchester.  
Miss Jean Whitcomb, of Albion has been the guest of her parents at this place.  
Miss Maude Buchanan, of Dexter spent part of last week with Chelsea friends.  
Miss Cora Irwin has returned to Chicago accompanied by her brother George.  
Allen Tucker, of Grass Lake spent Sunday and Monday with Donald McCall.  
Miss Blanche Cushman, of Dexter was the guest of friends at this place last week.  
Miss Eva McNamara, of Jackson was the guest of her father at this place Saturday.  
Mrs. M. H. Colby, of Petaluma, Cal., is the guest of her daughter Mrs. Claude Martin.  
Mrs. H. M. Dean, of Detroit spent Saturday last with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Canfield.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Allyn and son, of Grass Lake were Chelsea visitors the latter part of last week.  
Frank Greening returned to Chicago Tuesday after spending a week with his mother at this place.  
Miss Carrie Case, of Jackson was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman the first of the week.  
Mrs. B. E. Arnold who has been spending several months in Canada, will return to this place Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rowe, of Manchester were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. S. Tichenor, Monday last.  
Miss Minnie Steinbach went to Ann Arbor this week, where she has obtained a position in a millinery store.  
Miss Marion Skinner, of this place, who has been visiting her uncle, A. J. Sawyer, at Ann Arbor, has returned home.  
Dr. Thos. Holmes, Sam'l Heselchwerdt and Mrs. M. M. Campbell attend the funeral Monday of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Wing of Scio.  
It's coming, the Deestrick. Skule of fifty years ago. It's on the way. It'll be here, May 10th. Look out for it.

### Measles.

There are a number of cases of measles in this vicinity, one case of which has resulted fatally. Measles is a "disease dangerous to the public health," under the laws of Michigan.

Householders and physicians must immediately give notice of the first case and of every case of measles to the health officer or to the president or clerk of the local board of health. This is required by law. The Board of Health not only request, but demand, that this notice be complied with.

HIRSH LIGHTELL,  
Chairman Board of Health.

### A New Volume.

This Easter issue is the initial number of Volume XIII of Munsey's Magazine. The volume just closed has the distinction of having shown a greater gain—a vastly greater gain—in circulation than any single volume of a magazine in the whole wide world has ever had. It started with the October issue with a circulation of a quarter of a million, and ended with the March issue with half a million. The increase in these six months alone, represents a larger circulation than that of any other magazine either in the old world or the new, while the total circulation of Munsey's is in excess of the combined circulation of any other four magazines in America.—Munsey's Magazine for April.

### Card of Thanks.

Grateful thanks are herewith extended to each and every one of you who supported me at the recent township election. The handsome majority given me is greatly appreciated.  
J. D. Schnaltman.

I have made special preparations for taking care of spring trade by way of a very large assortment of Furniture, Carpets and Draperies and can insure prompt attention. Remember Book cases are sold at 25 less to make room.  
Martin Haller,  
525 Main and 4 W. Liberty Sts.  
Ann Arbor, Mich.

### Advertised Letters.

The following is the list of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Chelsea, April 2, 1895:

A. M. Hine, Mr. Choppell, N. S. Freeman, S. E. Cadwell.

Persons calling for any of the above please say advertised.

Geo. S. LAIRD, P. M.

I occupy with my Furniture and Carpet business the store on Main Street 120 feet deep with a wing fronting on Liberty Street, three floors and basement giving 11360 square feet floor space and have recently rented and then Locality to use as a store room and in spite of this I cannot place all my goods for spring trade. I am not able to take the goods from the freight houses at present have at both places a lot of dining chairs, parlor suits, baby carriages etc. which the railroad companies will not hold for me any longer and which I will have to place some where. I have there fore decided to offer my stock at a reduction of 25 to make room. Take advantage of this and buy your goods from a first class house.  
Respectfully  
Martin Haller,  
525 Main & 4 W. Liberty Sts.  
Ann Arbor, Mich.

For Sale—A new milch cow. Inquire of C. M. Bowen.

### Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestions. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at F. P. Glazier & Co.

### Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas of Junction City, Ill. was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers of 189 Florida St., San Francisco suffered a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else, then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at F. P. Glazier & Co's Bank Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

Our better halves say they could not keep house without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is used in more than half the homes in Leeds. Mrs. Bros, Leeds, Iowa. This shows the esteem in which that remedy is held where it has been sold for years and is well known. Mothers have learned that there is nothing so good for colds, croup and whooping cough, that it cures these ailments quickly and permanently, and that it is pleasant and safe for children to take. 25 and 50c bottles for sale by F. P. Glazier & Co.

## MILLINERY

I have just received new importation of the latest shapes and styles in

### Spring Millinery

And would be pleased to have the ladies call and examine them. Artistic trimming a specialty.

ELLA M. CRAIG.

Over H. S. Holmes' store.

IF YOU WOULD BE

# Happy

Be careful what you eat. There's a theory afloat that low grade food makes a low grade man. It may not be true. Still, owners of fine horses are particular about the feed—and man is just another kind of animal. It is just as well to be on the safe side and buy groceries of

## R. A. Snyder.

### JUST LOOK!

Two packages yeast cakes 4c.  
24 lbs granulated sugar \$1.00  
6 lbs Butter Crax 25c  
Good canned corn 6c  
Good can peaches 10c  
6 cans sardines 25c  
Shaving soap 2c  
7 bars good laundry soap 25c  
Come and get a sample of our superior Japan Tea

We have a good tea for 30c  
Try our 19c coffee  
Best coffee in town for 28c  
A good fine cut tobacco 25c  
"The Earth" for 15c  
Tooth picks per box 5c  
A good syrup for 19c  
Best line of candles in town  
Try a sack of our Gold Medal Flour  
Best Spring Wheat Patent Flour.  
Call and see our 49c laundried shirts, white or colored, modern styles  
Our line of work shirts can't be beat.  
Our \$1.50 men's shoe is a hummer  
We have the best line of neckwear to be found at 25c  
15c handkerchiefs for 10c  
Good handkerchief for 5c  
Ladies' hose 10, 15 and 25c  
Headquarters for all kinds of produce

## R. A. SNYDER.

Regular 75c laundried shirts for 49c at R. A. Snyder's.

### Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, s. s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the 25th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lydia A. Letts, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of David B. Taylor praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to himself, David B. Taylor and Stephen O. Hadley, the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 22th day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should be not granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.  
WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

### MISS WALLACE,

### DRESSMAKER.

Rooms upstairs in McKune Block.  
Chelsea, Mich.

### W. S. HAMILTON,

### Veterinary Surgeon

Graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College. Office in Yocum House, corner of Main and Summit streets.  
CHELSEA, MICH.

### FRANK SHAVER,

Prop. of The "City" Barber Shop. In the new Babcock Building Main street.  
CHELSEA, MICH.

### Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, s. s. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 7th day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Stabler, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Anna M. Stabler praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to Jacob Richardson, the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 8th of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should be not granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.  
WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

### Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed by Mary Broderick to Francis A. Westfall, dated the twenty-seventh day of October, A. D. 1891 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Washtenaw and state of Michigan on the second day of May, A. D. 1892, at 11:30 o'clock, a. m. in liber 77 of mortgages on page 90, and by reason of said default, the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative, and no proceedings having been instituted in law or equity, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or so much thereof, and the sum of one hundred and eleven and 25-100 dollars are now claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage also an attorney fee of thirty dollars therein provided. Notice is therefore hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises therein described, or so much thereof as may be necessary, viz. Commencing in the center of Main street in the village of Chelsea six chains and ninety-one links south of the north line of section twelve in the township of Sylvan, Washtenaw county, Michigan, and running thence east three chains and twelve links thence south parallel with Main street two chains and forty links, thence west three chains and twelve links, thence north along the center of Main street two chains and forty links to the place of beginning, reserving a strip one and one half rods wide on the north side for a highway at public vendue to the highest bidder at Ann Arbor in said county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county), on Monday the thirtieth day of May, A. D. 1895, at 2 o'clock, p. m. of said day, said premises will be sold to satisfy the foregoing said attorney's fee and all costs and expenses allowed by law.

Dated February 12th, 1895.  
FRANCIS A. WESTFALL, Mortgagee.  
D. B. TAYLOR, Attorney for Mortgagee.

### Real Estate for Sale.

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of the estate of Maria M. Long, deceased. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of said Maria M. Long, deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1895, there will be sold at Public Vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Turnbull & Wilkinson block on the east side of Main street in the village of Chelsea, in the County of Washtenaw, in said state, on Friday, the twelfth day of April, A. D. 1895, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the sale) the following described real estate, to wit: All that land situate in the township of Sylvan, Washtenaw county, Michigan, known and described as follows: The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section four and all that part of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said section four which lies south of the center of Mill Creek, and ten acres off from the south end of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of said section four, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of said section four, and all that part of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of said section four which lies south of the center of Mill Creek—all said descriptions of land constituting one farm.

Also all that part of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section four in the township of Sylvan, Washtenaw County, Michigan, lying west of a highway, and north of the center of Mill Creek.

JOHN H. LONG,  
Administrator.

## NEW SPRING

## MILLINERY

I am prepared to show a full line of all the latest novelties in millinery.

## Mrs. J. Staffan.

### Commissioner's 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 Henry C. Steedman, 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 law office of David B. Taylor in the village of Chelsea, in said county on the fourth day of May and on the fifth day of August next, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated February 4, 1895.  
NEWTON PRUDEN, Commissioners.  
EMORY CHAPMAN

## A NEW IDEA

You will remember that Goliath was very much surprised when David hit him with a stone. He said that such a thing had never entered his head before. New ideas are numeroas in our stock of groceries. We always have what is latest and best.

## J. S. CUMMINGS.

## CENTRAL

## MEAT MARKET

The best of everything in the meat line is kept at the Central Market.

All kinds of Sausages.

Give me a call.

## ADAM EPPLER.



## FARMERS

We want your trade on Wire, Pruning Saws and Hooks, Farm Implements of all kinds. Will make prices so low that it will be to your advantage to call on us before you buy. Our Furniture stock is complete and our prices make it an inducement for every one to call and look through our stock. Our Baby Cabs are cheap.

## W. J. KNAPP



# LOCAL BREVITIES.

Will Arnold has been quite ill for the past week.

Ed Whipple is now working at W. J. Knapp's hardware.

Several children in this vicinity are suffering with the measles.

There are eighteen members of the senior class of the Chelsea High School.

Born, on Tuesday, April 2d, to Mr. and Mrs. Mason Whipple, of Lima, a daughter.

There will be a business meeting of the Epworth League, Friday evening, in the League parlors.

"The Crucifixion" will be the subject of the sermon at the M. E. church next Sunday morning.

The Deestrick Skule of fifty years ago, one of the most popular amusements of the day will be here May 10.

The regular covenant meeting and annual business meeting of the Baptist church will be held next Saturday afternoon.

The J. M. Letts place which was sold at auction a few days ago, was purchased by R. A. Snyder. Consideration, \$2,625.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch entertained about twenty-five guests at their home on Middle street, Wednesday evening giving a progressive medley party.

W. S. Hamilton has graduated from the Ontario Veterinary College, and has returned to Chelsea, where he will locate. See his card on fourth page.

The W. C. T. W. will hold its annual election of officers, at Mrs. H. M. Taylor's, on Friday, April 5th at 8 o'clock. A goodly number is expected.

Rev. Fr. Buys, of Jackson, who was well known to many of our citizens, died at Milwaukee, Tuesday April 2d. The funeral will be held at Jackson, Saturday.

There are a number of walks in Chelsea that need a little attention, especially with a hammer, as the nails have worked up and are liable to trip up the unwary pedestrian.

In revising the registration list last Saturday it was found that 45 voters had either died or removed from the township since the last registration; of this number 34 were republicans and 11 democrats.

Owing to circumstances over which they have no control the celebrated '96 club will be unable to appear before the public of Chelsea on the formerly advertised dates, but will appear on April 26th and 27th.

The raising of sugar beets in Michigan is being talked up once more. It is said that the soil and climate of this state are peculiarly fitted for producing this mocharine vegetable, and that there is a gold mine in it.

Work is progressing rapidly on the temporary building that the Glazier Store Company is erecting in order that they may not get too far behind with their orders, and the wheels will be more humming there next week.

When a man playfully points a pistol at you knock him down, don't be particular what you hit him with. Only see that he is thoroughly knocked down. If a corner inquest must be held, let it be on the other fellow—he won't be missed.

Died, on Wednesday, April 3d, Sarah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fisk, aged about fourteen years. She has been sick nearly all winter, and was improving, but was taken with measles last week, and within a few days passed away. She was a member of the Senior League, and was beloved by all her playmates.

Wm. W. Wedemeyer, for commissioner of schools, has made some phenomenal runs in the county. He carried Sylvan by 209 majority, Ann Arbor by 180, Lima by 81, Lyndon by 20, Manchester 20, Seio 40, Ann Arbor 22. Considering the heretofore distributed democracy of Seio, Manchester, Lima and Ann Arbor the figures are simply astonishing. —For Courier.

A meeting for all interested in the Vermont cemetery will be held at the Vermont school house Saturday April 13, at 2. p. m.

Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday. The solemn blessing and distribution of the real Palm will take place in St. Mary's church, Chelsea at 10:30 a. m. the Rev. William P. Considine officiating.

At the request of a large number of citizens, the Columbia Dramatic club of St. Mary's church, Pinckney, will repeat the beautiful and romantic drama "Shamrock and Rose" at Clinton's hall in that village on Saturday evening April 20, 1895. Excellent vocal and instrumental music will be given.

When the Dexter bank was robbed last year there was \$700 reward offered for the capture of the thief, Detective Baker, of Detroit, located the man, but was not alone in the capture. The circuit court at Ann Arbor last week gave Detective Baker \$300, M. C. Peterson \$240, and C. W. Stebbins, \$160.

St. Mary's church, Pinckney, has now a most beautiful pedal practice organ costing \$875. It is one of the finest in this vicinity. It will be used for the first time on Sunday April 21, 1895, when special services will be held. The new organist, Miss Mollie Monks, with the new choir, will render Leonard's beautiful mass.

The two burglars who broke into J. J. Raffrey's tailor shop in Chelsea were arrested in this village Thursday evening and the goods recovered. They were tracked here by Deputy Sheriff Staffan, who on arriving learned that they had sold an overcoat to Martin O. Miles for \$1.50. The balance of the goods were found at the Henderson crossing, west of this village, in a hole covered over with dirt and chips. The thieves were taken back to Chelsea Thursday night about ten o'clock. They appear to be tramps and were very well dressed.—Grass Lake News.

"Do you remember, says an exchange how pleased you used to be when your parents called at the school you were attending? Do you remember how you would study so as to be sure of a perfect lesson when your class was called on to recite before your father and mother? Well, you have children of your own now, who are attending school. Have you ever thought of visiting the school where your boys and girls attend? Remember the pupils of today are as well pleased to have their parents visit them as you were in your school days, and besides it encourages them to do better work and also convinces the teacher that you are interested in the work.

The cigarette habit is becoming an unbearable nuisance, every little boy and a good share of the big ones, that one meets on the street has one of these deadly little rolls of tobacco in their mouth. It is acknowledged by every one that they are injurious to both health and mind, and if people choose to smoke them it is their own lookout, but they should go out in the alley or some other byplace and not compel people who come into stores and other public places to inhale the villainous smell which comes from the smoke of these things. There is a cigarette law in this state that boys under 18 cannot buy them. Why not enforce it, 'twould help some.—Eaton Rapids Herald.

The card of thanks custom will soon be a reminiscence. A Milwaukee paper has referred to it as "a peculiarity of the people of little country towns to publish cards of thanks in the local papers after any bereavement, the notice being made to include all who contributed in any way to the alleviation of their misfortune. The Milwaukee paper ironically refers to one recent notice found in a country paper in which the undertaker was thanked for the prompt and satisfactory performance of his duties. The absurd practice of writing and requesting the publication of poor and almost meaningless verses in connection with the announcement of a death, is also related to the card-of-thanks infliction and is referred to as a country custom that designation will bring both customs to a sudden end. That which remonstrances and advice from newspaper editors could not do will be done by the reference to "country town peculiarities."—Cadillac News and Express.

## Come and See

## THE EASTER MILLINERY

AT  
MRS. F. M. HOOKER'S  
McKune Block  
Corner Main and Middle Sts.

## DON'T OVERLOOK THIS!

Bring in your Butter and Eggs

- Salt herring fish per lb. 4c
- 24 lb gr. sugar \$1
- Large can baked beans 10c
- 1/2 bush. bags salt, 28 lbs 20c
- Oil per gal. 7c
- Sardines per box 5c
- A good coffee per lb., 19c
- 5 lbs crackers 25c
- Golden Cottolene per lb 10c
- Try our baking powder lb 20c
- Lantern Globes 5c
- One pint fruit can mustard 10c
- Large brown jug mustard 15c
- Oysters per can 18c
- Large cup mustard 5c
- Richardson Butter Color 25c
- China nest eggs
- Dont forget our Crockery
- Lettuce, new onions, radishes and spinach this week.
- Flour
- Chelsea.
- Ann Arbor Patent.
- Jackson Gem.
- Golden corn meal for table use.
- Graham flour, fine quality.
- Bring in your butter and eggs

Geo. Blaich. Webster for Merchant Tailoring.

# New Clothing

New men's all wool suits at from \$5.00 to \$7.00. same class of goods heretofore sold from \$10.00 to \$12.00.

New men's all wool worsted, cheviot and cassimere suits at \$10.00. Great assortment. Not one of them would have sold for less than \$15 last year.

Men's new suits at \$15.00, many of these suits are finer material and better made suits than ever offered in Chelsea at any price, and not one suit shown at this price has ever had its equal offered for less than \$20.00 previous to this season.

Men's odd pants 33 1-3 per cent cheaper than former prices on the same class of goods.

Confirmation Suits, all colors, all styles, in fact the largest assortment of boy's long pant suits ever shown in Chelsea. Prices from \$4.00 to \$8.00, age 11 to 19, large sizes will fit small men.

Children's Suits—We have them. Hundreds to select from. Prices from \$1.00 to \$5.00. Among them are all wool suits at \$2.60. never before sold for less than from \$3.50 to \$4.00.

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In effect March 25, 1894.  
Trains leave Ann Arbor

NORTH	SOUTH
7:15 a. m.	7:15 a. m.
4:15 p. m.	11:30 a. m.
	9:00 p. m.

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**Lima.**  
H. S. Holmes has sold his farm here to Mr. Smith of Detroit.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bareis a ten pound girl, March 28th.  
Jay Wood spent last week with relatives at Coldwater and Orland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gage, of Sylvan spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Whittington.

The republicans elected all their ticket with the exception of supervisor, treasurer and school inspector.

**Sylvan.**  
Manda Merker has gone to work in Detroit.

Emory West can now be seen driving a fine young colt.

Farm hands from our vicinity about all took their places last week.

C. T. Conklin is entertaining a cousin a few days of this week.

F. B. Whitaker called on C. S. Conklin a few hours last Sunday on his way to Chicago.

Lewis and Charles Merker were home last Sunday to see their mother and friends.

Our spring term of school commenced last week Monday with Rev. Zeidler for teacher.

Office seekers will be seen on our streets less, now election is over. Can't only a small portion get there.

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## WASHINGTON LETTER

Special Correspondence

Grover Cleveland must feel that he is getting the whole world on his hands. Our international complications have multiplied so rapidly that we almost lose sight of our domestic troubles. There can be no concealing the fact that the diplomatic relations of the United States with certain nations of Europe are in such a condition as to make the exercise of great care absolutely necessary. At the present time there is no war cloud on the horizon nor is one likely to arise unless the present difficulties with Great Britain and Spain regarding the Nicaragua and Venezuela on the one hand and the Alliance affair on the other should become much more serious than now seems probable. The great difficulty in the way of satisfactory adjustments that will preserve the American prestige in the south lies in the fact that the Monroe doctrine has never obtained the recognition among the European nations that Americans generally believe that it has. But there is no doubt in the minds of most Americans that the Monroe doctrine is sound doctrine and that the best interests of this country require its rigid enforcement. With our diplomatic troubles with Spain, Great Britain, the French in the Madagascar affair, the Thurston incident, and commercial difficulties with Germany and other nations, taken altogether the lot of the present secretary of state is by no means an enviable one and it is not to be wondered that he shows an extraordinary amount of nervous irritation.

Evidence is multiplying to show that some of the members of the fifty-third congress were very thrifty fellows, and that they did not let anything get away from them. Many of them did not draw any stationery during the three sessions of congress, but instead took the \$375 in cash, the equivalent of their stationery accounts. The mileage privilege, of course, is an old story, and the congressmen had a rich haul in this for the three sessions. The men who did not travel on passes were few in number, but they all raked off the mileage. Evidences are also plentiful of wholesale disposals of government publications for cash by members of the house. But the traffic in free seed is a new feature of of congressional thrift. The secretary of agriculture tells a very interesting albeit not a pretty story about congressmen and garden seeds. He says that members of the august body which uses the capitol are in habit of turning into merchandise the seeds confided to them by the government for free distribution among their constituents. The result of an investigation set on foot by him was a confirmation of his worst forebodings. The country generally is familiar with the hypothesis upon which the seed bureau of the Agricultural department is administered. Roughly stated, the understanding is that the bureau forms part of the nice little paternalistic scheme by which our government proposes to endear itself to the needy agriculturist. Like the fish commission and the scientific annex for the investigation and extermination of pernicious bugs, and the analysis of diseased hog's liver, or unsatisfactory sweet-breads, vegetables, grasses, etc. The congressmen are regarded merely as agents for equitable and judicious distribution. Great latitude has been allowed, of course. Members have been left free to place a package of "mammoth pumpkin" where they thought it would do the most good, and to scatter the "early rutabaga" or the "peerless watermelon" on such soil as promised the richest harvest for a campaign year. But, for all that, it has been a generally accepted theory that, in one way or another, the seeds were to go into the hands of the farmers without cost to them, and that the congressmen were not to use them as a private asset with a marketable quality. There can be no doubt that a member, in taking the seeds and selling them for his own private benefit, commits an act morally detestable, if not legally outrageous.

The statement of Librarian Spofford that more than 55,000 publications were copyrighted in the United States last year, as against only 23,000 in 1884, shows an immense increase in the business of his office. But in 1884 the international copyright law had not been passed. At that time, and for some years thereafter, the works of foreign writers were pirated in the United States. Much of the increase reported by Mr. Spofford is due to the change of law in this regard. Another source of increase is the growing habit of copyrighting matter that appears in the newspapers. Probably there is ten times as much of this class of copyrighted matter as there was ten years ago. Unfortunately, as a result of the great increase, it happens that thousands of utterly useless books can be seen at the great library in the National Capitol. If, in the course of years, the new building for the Library of Congress should be crowded, no difficulty will be encountered in making room by giving away, sell-

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ing, or burning tons of unmitigated trash. And there is no doubt that Mr. Spofford will "rejoice to see the cause removed."

The postoffice department announces that two postoffices have been named Trilby since that craze set in, and the officials are afraid there will soon be forty-four such offices. The name was given the offices on the petition of the people patronizing them. The department does not pass on the appropriateness of a name, but upon its eligibility. If it does not conflict with another office then the certificate of name is usually issued. But there is a feeling that the postmaster general can in some way prevent the Trilby craze from breaking into the geographies.

The president celebrated his fifty-eighth birthday the 18th of March, by receiving congressmen and other callers. He looks exceedingly well. Secretary Gresham was sixty-three years old the day before, he having been born on St. Patrick's Day, 1832.

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