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Martin Conway.

After an illness of four months, Mr. Martin Conway, Sr., passed peacefully away last Sunday, May 9, 1897, at 10 a. m.

Mr. Conway was highly respected by all who knew him, and his untimely death will bring grief to a large circle of friends. He leaves a widow and seven children to mourn his loss.

The funeral was held from St. Mary's church, Chelsea, on Wednesday morning, May 12, 1897, with Requiem high mass, the Rev. W. P. Considine officiating. The church was filled with relatives and friends. The floral offerings were beautiful. The remains were interred in Mt. Olivet cemetery, Chelsea. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the family and the surviving relatives.

Washtenaw County Teachers' Association.

The following is the program for the Washtenaw County Teachers' Association, to be held at Manchester Saturday, June 5, 1897:

MORNING.

Music.

Paper.....Prof. Evan Essery
Paper, "District Schools"....E. M. Pierce
Music.

Paper.....A. D. DeWitt
Paper, "Primary Teaching".....

.....Miss Van Tyne

Music.

AFTERNOON.

Music.

Paper, "Fractions".....
.....Miss Josephine Hoppe
Paper, "Geography".....

.....Miss Catherine Sears
Question Box.

School Report.

School report of district No. 5, North Lake, Mich., for month ending May 7:

Number enrolled during the month, 17. Average daily attendance, 13. The statistics indicate that the pupil has not been tardy during the month. Lucy A. Reilly, Johanna Hankard, Amy Whalain, Mary Whalain, *Allick Gilbert, Laverne Reade, Nora Reade, Nettie Green, Della Green, Orla Green, *Emory Reade, Warren Daniels, Mildred Daniels, *Charlie Vansickle.

LUCY LEACH, Teacher.

List of Patents

Granted to Michigan inventors this week, reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of American and foreign patents, opposite United States patent office, Washington, D. C.:

D. F. Allerton, Benton Harbor, nut lock; H. E. Beerling, Detroit, cheese safe; J. R. Cameron, Sherman City, cockeye for harness; R. F. Downey, Menominee, attachment for sawmill set works; L. K. Eastman, Detroit, capsule machine; A. L. Hatch, Grand Rapids, spraying attachment for hose nozzles; R. V. English, East Tawas, combination ironing table, ladder and bench; H. Kalmbach, Francisco, coffee mill; W. A. Pendry, Detroit, button making machine; T. B. Perkins, Grand Rapids, photographic printing frame; S. A. Sturgis, St. Johns, bicycle training device; A. M. Todd, Kalamazoo, peppermint planter; W. O. Worth, Benton Harbor, traction engine.

For copy of any patent send 6 cents in postage stamps with date of this paper to C. A. Snow & Co., Washington.

Suicide in Freedom.

Martia Pfeifle, a German farmer, living in Freedom township, near Silver Lake, was discovered hanging by a rope Wednesday afternoon. His wife had gone to a neighbor's to do some work, and upon her return about 3 p. m. she found him as stated in a workshop on the premises. He had probably stood on a chair to fasten the rope to the joist, as an overturned chair was found near him. He had deliberately choked himself, as his feet touched the floor when found. His neck was not broken, but the rope had cut a deep gash in it. Mr. Pfeifle had the misfortune to break his leg badly last fall, and it is thought despondency over the accident caused him to take his life.—Ann Arbor Democrat.

Ann Arbor has 31 saloons this year, a decrease of 4.

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6 pounds whole, clean rice for 25c

7 cakes Jackson soap for 25 cents.

Good tea dust 8c per pound.

Good sugar corn 5 cents per can.

Good Alaska Salmop 10c per can

Good sugar syrup 20c per gal.

10 pounds best oatmeal for 25 cents.

7 cans sardines for 25 cents.

6 pounds fresh crackers for 25c.

Poultry powder 15c per package.

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Large choice lemons 20c doz.

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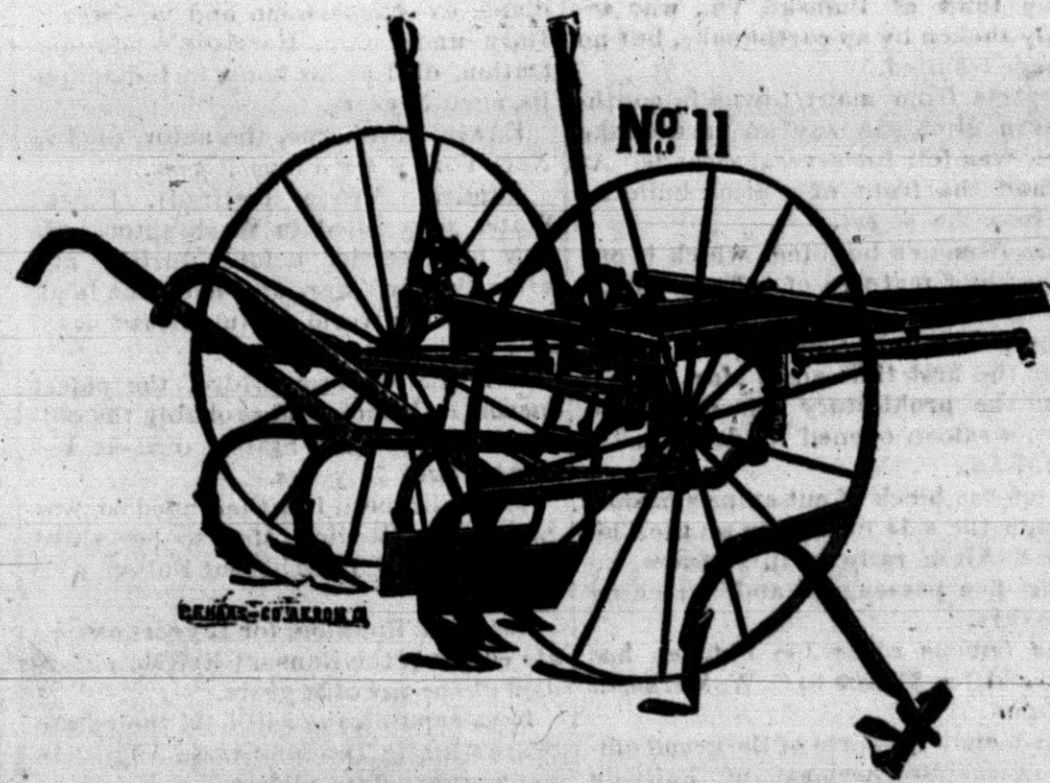
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THE NEWS.

Compiled From Late Dispatches.

CONGRESSIONAL

Proceedings of the Special Session.

In the senate on the 3d Senator Chandler (N. H.) introduced a bill for the issue of certificates of indebtedness up to \$50,000 to meet deficiencies in the revenues. The free homestead bill was considered and in executive session the Anglo-American treaty was discussed. In the house, by a two-thirds vote, Speaker Reed was sustained in his attitude in declining to appoint committees during the pendency of the tariff bill. A senate resolution appropriating \$50,000 for the congress of the Universal Postal union was adopted, and Mr. Showalter, the republican chosen at a special election to represent the Twenty-fifth Pennsylvania district, was sworn in.

The senate finance committee on the 4th reported the tariff bill to the senate. The new bill is radically different from the Dingley bill, practically amounting almost to another measure. It will be called up on the 15th. The bill to provide new homes on the public lands for actual and bona fide settlers known as the free homestead bill was passed. The Morgan Cuban resolution again went over. The sundry civil bill was considered, but was not completed. The house was not in session.

The senate on the 5th by a vote of 43 to 25 refused to ratify the general arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain. The sundry civil appropriation bill was considered. Mr. Deboe, of Kentucky took the oath of office.

The senate on the 6th agreed to an amendment to the sundry civil bill revoking the order of President Cleveland, made February 22 last, establishing forest reservations aggregating 17,000,000 acres. The sundry civil bill was passed. It carries an aggregate of \$3,000,000. Senator Bacon (Ga.) introduced a joint resolution deprecating war and announcing the policy of the government in favor of arbitration. Referred to the committee on foreign relations. The house adopted a resolution providing that the house should meet only on Mondays and Thursdays of each week until otherwise ordered.

DOMESTIC

The Bank of Linn Creek, Mo., a private concern, closed its doors.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 3d was: Wheat, 34,412,000 bushels; corn, 16,977,000 bushels; oats, 11,722,000 bushels; rye, 3,110,000 bushels; barley, 2,294,000 bushels.

John V. Crum, aged 24, the famous sprinter, died in the hospital at Des Moines, Ia., as the result of an operation for appendicitis.

The banking houses of J. B. Wheeler & Co., both in Manitowish and Aspen, Col., went into the hands of assignees.

While walking on the railway tracks near Martinsburg, W. Va., Benjamin Shepard and Martin Rizer were killed. Both were farmers.

The incorporated towns of Indiana held elections. Local issues only were involved.

The town of Pulaski, Va., was severely shaken by an earthquake, but no damage resulted.

Reports from many towns in southwestern Michigan say an earthquake shock was felt for several seconds. At Holland the front of a brick building fell into the street.

The Woman's building, which is one of the chief features of the exposition at Nashville, Tenn., was thrown open to the public.

For the first time since May 1, 1881, when the prohibitory law went into effect, a saloon opened its doors in Topeka, Kan.

A ten-ton block of cut stone smashed through the side of a train on the Chicago & Alton railway in Chicago, injuring five passengers and wrecking three cars.

The famous racer Joe Patchen has been sold for \$15,000 to C. W. Marks, of Chicago.

The biennial reports of the grand officers of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen show receipts of \$1,158,201 and disbursements, of \$1,109,360. Total membership 23,532, with 520 lodges.

Over 12,000 men were at work on the levees south of Red river, near New Orleans, putting them in condition for expected high water.

Three thousand miners went out on strike in the coal collieries of upper east Tennessee and southern Kentucky.

Jacob S. Johnson (colored), an ex-preacher, was hanged at Somerville, N. J., for the murder of Annie Beckman. He died protesting his innocence.

Lee Reilly set 105,300 ems of nonpareil on a Linotype machine in Leadville, Col., in 7 hours and 10 minutes, breaking the world's record.

Fire destroyed a large portion of the business center of Caldwell, O.

Maj. Gen. Nelson A. Miles left Washington on his way to the seat of war in Europe.

The universal postal congress met in Washington, 55 countries, comprising most of those in the postal union, being represented. Postmaster-General Gary delivered the address of welcome.

Fire destroyed the building of the Itasca Warehouse company in Minneapolis, the loss being \$250,000.

The residence at Winwah Park, near New Rochelle, N. Y., of Col. C. H. Green was burned with its contents, the loss being \$200,000.

President McKinley has named Henry A. Castle, of Minnesota, as auditor for the post office department, and Stanford Newell, of Minnesota, as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to the Netherlands.

After six years of experiment the attempt to make soldiers out of the Indians will be abandoned, and the last company will be mustered out at Fort Sill on the 31st ult.

Gov. Black signed the greater New York charter, to take effect January 1, 1898.

A new wheat pest (a small worm) is doing great damage to the wheat fields in northern Indiana.

The regents of the University of Michigan have elected Prof. Harry B. Hutchins acting president of the university during the absence of President Angell as minister to Turkey.

The third annual conference of the National Municipal league, whose object is the promotion of good government in cities, met in Louisville, Ky.

R. E. Beach, of Chicago, broke the American indoor swimming record for 100 yards, doing the distance in 1:07 1-5.

While boating at Evansville, Ind., Fred Melsheimer, Fred Rumpf and another boy fell into the river and were drowned.

The Mutual Life Insurance company of Indianapolis went into a receiver's hands with risks amounting to \$4,000,000.

The convention at Kansas City, Mo., of the International Association of Machinists adopted a resolution demanding an eight-hour day in every branch of the trade on May 1, 1898.

Farmer Martin Burns defeated Dan S. McLeod in a wrestling match at Daventry, Ia., for the world's championship.

Mason Smith, convicted of murdering his wife on their farm near Nevada, Mo., has been sentenced to 40 years' imprisonment.

The United States revenue cutter Bear has sailed on her annual cruise to the Arctic.

R. W. Casey, the best known miner in the west, blew his brains out at Deadwood, S. D., in a fit of despondency. He was the first man to locate a claim in Deadwood.

A very successful trial trip of an air ship was made in Nashville, Tenn., by Prof. A. W. Barnard.

Forest fires were doing immense damage on the Indian reservation near Keshena and in other portions of Wisconsin.

A fire in the cold storage warehouse of the Merchants' Refrigerating company in New York caused a loss of \$500,000 and 50 men were injured and one killed.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL

Rev. Otis Wing, the oldest clergyman in New England, if not in the United States, died at his home at Newton Junction, N. H., aged 99 years.

Rev. Edward Fairfax Berkeley, D. D., the oldest Episcopal minister in the Missouri diocese, to whom belongs the credit of Henry Clay's conversion to the Episcopal faith, died in St. Louis, aged 84 years.

Albert G. Porter, ex-governor of Indiana, ex-congressman and minister to Italy under Gen. Harrison's administration, died at his home in Indianapolis, aged 74 years.

Edwin F. Thorne, the actor, died in New York after a long illness.

Admiral Meade (retired), United States navy, died in Washington. He saw hard service before, during and after the civil war, and had been in all parts of the world on important naval and diplomatic missions.

Mr. Charles Trowbridge, the oldest mason in Illinois and probably the oldest in the United States, died at Kewanee, aged 72 years.

Miss Elizabeth Lawther, aged 60, was married at Mexico, Mo., to her third cousin, Col. H. Lawther, of Fulton, who is 84.

James B. Runnion, for 12 years associate editor of the Kansas City (Mo.) Star, died at the age of 54 years.

Iowa republicans will hold their state convention in Des Moines on August 18 to nominate state officers.

FOREIGN

It was said in Athens on good authority that the powers had made overtures to Greece on the subject of peace, but that the government declined to invoke the mediation of Europe. Altogether 14 officers had been recalled from Crete to be sent to Thessaly, and this also was proof of the intention of the new cabinet to continue the war.

Off Girdleness lighthouse in Scotland the British steamers Collynee and Gringoe collided and the Collynee sank and 11 of the crew were drowned.

Fire broke out in a crowded charity bazar in Paris and a frightful panic and rush for the doors ensued. Scores were trampled down and the latest reports admit that more than 200 persons were killed or fatally injured, most of them being women.

The James Morrison Brass Manufacturing company, the biggest concern of its kind in Canada, failed at Toronto for \$210,000.

Five anarchists convicted of participation in the bomb outrage on June 7 last in Barcelona, Spain, were shot.

One report from Athens says the ministers of war and of the interior have returned from Pharsalos and made a report to the cabinet which favors discontinuing the war, and another dispatch says the war will be continued.

The Greeks routed the Turkish troops both at Velesino and Pharsalos in the biggest and most important battles of the war. Crown Prince Constantine and Prince Nicholas fought courageously in the front rank. The losses were heavy on both sides.

Further advices from Paris say that 150 bodies had been taken from the ruins of the bazar that was burned, those dead including many of the most conspicuous women in Paris society. Of the 400 or more injured many will die.

Pharsalos has been taken by the Turks. The Greek troops abandoned the town and fled to Dokomos, 13 miles south.

Eleven men were drowned through the inflow of water into the Kellogg colliery near Durham, England.

LATER

An engagement near Velesino lasted several hours, the Greeks being finally beaten back, and retreated upon Volo, sharply pursued by the Turks. It was said that if the powers insisted on the withdrawal of Greek troops from Crete as a condition of mediation, Greece would reply that she preferred war even to extermination.

The Exchange bank of Atkinson, Neb., State Treasurer Bartley's bank, closed its doors with liabilities of \$110,000.

Henry Jones (colored), a convict, was hanged in the prison at Michigan City, Ind., for the murder of a fellow convict named Thomas.

The Iowa legislature passed a resolution making the wild rose the official flower of the state.

There were 221 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 7th, against 237 the week previous and 238 in the corresponding period of 1896.

An improvement in the condition of affairs in the flooded sections in the south was reported.

Miss Belle Walker was shot and instantly killed by her lover, George Ratliffe, after a quarrel at Leadville, Col. The assassin then took his own life.

Christopher Nickels, a laborer living in Indianapolis, Ind., stabbed his wife after a quarrel and then killed himself.

It is said that negotiations are pending in Washington between Secretary of State Sherman, Dupuy de Lome and Estrada Palma looking to a peaceful solution, by purchase or otherwise, of the Cuban question.

Ohio republicans will hold their state convention at Toledo on June 23.

William Pouch killed Alexander Harris and fatally wounded Mrs. Harris, Nelson McHolt, a farmhand and Helen Vesbach, a servant, near Waukesha, Wis., robbed the house and escaped.

The revolution in Ecuador, according to all advices received, seems to be in the nature of a holy war.

United States Senator Call withdrew from the race for reelection in the Florida legislature and J. N. C. Stockton, a Jacksonville banker, was placed in nomination.

The Dallas (Ore.) national bank closed its doors.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 7th aggregated \$1,120,874,832, against \$855,566,196 the previous week. The decrease compared with the corresponding week of 1896 was 5.8.

Advices from Athens say that Greece has made a written application to the powers through their representatives at Athens with a view to obtaining mediation. It was believed that an armistice of a fortnight between Greece and Turkey would be agreed upon.

The unveiling of the heroic equestrian statue of Maj. Gen. John A. Logan will take place on the lake front in Chicago July 23.

The schooner Annie E. Rudolph, from Camden, N. J., for Boston, was sunk off Nauset and Capt. Gardiner, Mate Snell and a seaman were drowned.

W. J. Calhoun, of Illinois, special counsel for the United States government in the Ruiz case, left Washington for Cuba.

Somebody put poison in Ball creek spring near Pikeville, Ky., and as a result five persons died and five more were dying from drinking the water.

Fire at Wilson, N. C., destroyed the big tobacco house of Briggs & Fleming, the loss being \$100,000.

The Florida legislature found State Treasurer Collins short \$50,000 and demanded his impeachment and immediate retirement from office.

F. M. B. Lichtenberg, a young Englishman, and another man, an ex-missionary, were eaten by cannibals in the South Sea islands.

President Zelaya has signed the law abolishing capital punishment in Nicaragua.

The house of Laurens Tucker, near Laurens, S. C., was burned and four children were cremated. The father and mother had gone fishing.

Advices from Constantinople say that a circular has been addressed by Shiek-ul-Islam to the Imams in Constantinople and the provinces which forebodings the speedy approach of a holy war.

The mayor and entire city council of Auburn, Neb., were sent to jail by Judge Stull for contempt of court.

The Mallory line steamer Leona, which left her pier in New York for Galveston, took fire at sea and 13 steerage passengers and three of the crew perished in the flames.

The first eight days of the centennial exposition at Nashville, Tenn., showed an attendance of 73,500.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 9th was: Baltimore, .846; Pittsburgh, .727; Louisville, .667; Philadelphia, .571; New York, .545; Cincinnati, .538; Cleveland, .538; Boston, .417; St. Louis, .308; Brooklyn, .308; Chicago, .286; Washington, .273.

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It is a clever man that can change another's political opinion, but a five-dollar bill will often change his vote.—Ram's Horn. Social Discontent.—"Doesn't it make you sad when you think of the poor?" "Why, no, not particularly. It makes me mad, though, when I think of the rich."—Indianapolis Journal.

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Loafers are never so impudent and important as at election time.—Aitchison Globe.

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Chelsea and Vicinity.

W. R. Lehman is on the sick list.
A. Neckel spent the past week in Mon-

roe.
Willow avenue is being graded and

widened.
E. H. Scott, of Ann Arbor, was a Chel-

sea visitor last Monday.
Miss Edith Baldwin is the guest of Mr.

and Mrs. G. W. Turnbull.
Dr. R. S. Armstrong spent a couple of

days in Jackson last week.
Frank Haag, of Manchester, was a

Chelsea visitor Wednesday.
Wm. Lehr, of Manchester, called on

Chelsea friends Wednesday.
Mrs. L. P. Klein is the guest of her

parents at Manchester this week.
A. F. Freeman, of Manchester, was in

town last Monday on legal business.
Dr. G. W. Palmer was in Ann Arbor

Tuesday and Wednesday on business.
Hiram Lighthall is attending the Grand

Lodge, K. of P., in Detroit this week.
Mrs. Frank McNamara, of Jackson, was

the guest of Chelsea friends Wednesday.
Chas. Davis is having his house re-

paired and an addition built to the rear.
Henry Schwikarath, of Cleveland,

called on relatives and friends here this week.
Samuel Wallace, of Elk Rapids, is the

guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Arnold this week.
The property owners on the north side

of Park street will build new sidewalks this spring.
Mrs. H. M. Woods, of Ann Arbor, was

the guest of Chelsea friends last Sunday and Monday.
Railroad street from Main to East

streets is being lowered, a much needed improvement.
Miss Sophia Schotz and sister, Mrs.

Wm. Hayes, of Grass Lake, spent Tuesday in Ann Arbor.
Mrs. Wm. Hayes and son, of Grass

Lake, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schatz this week.
The high bank of dirt along the Cong-

don street front of Edward Monroe's property has been removed.
C. W. Maroney has improved the looks

of his residence by adding a porch around two sides. The design is new and original.
Messrs. Ward, of the Ann Arbor Demo-

crat, and Mingay, of the Ann Arbor Argus, were callers at this office last Saturday.
The next regular teachers' examination

for second and third grade certificates will be held at Ann Arbor June 17 and 18, 1897.
Gus Mensing returned home last Sat-

urday from a two months' trip through the southern states, and says strawberries are selling down there at 5 cents per quart.
Manager Lighthall has booked Le-

maire's Cinematograph Co. for May 20, 21 and 22, at the Chelsea Opera House. Remember the dates and don't fail to attend.
John Reilly, M. D., of Appleton, Wis.,

a brother of Luke Reilly, of Chelsea, and of the Rev. Dr. Reilly, of Adrian, died last Monday, May 10, 1897. The funeral

was held Wednesday. Luke Reilly left for the funeral Tuesday afternoon. Dr. John Reilly was well known to the older residents of this vicinity, and was highly respected for his many admirable qualities.
A beautiful pipe organ, made by the

celebrated firm of Farrand & Votey, of Detroit, has been purchased for St. Mary's church, Chelsea, and will be placed in position in a few days. The cost will be \$1,500. The organ will be formally dedicated on Tuesday evening, June 1, 1897,

with a fine concert, both vocal and instrumental, given by eminent Detroit talent. Prof. Freytag, one of the best organists in the state, will preside at the organ. A fine program will be given. Dr. Reilly, of Adrian, will give a short address on the "Genesis of Music." Further particulars will be given later.
The soldiers' monument arrived and

was put in position last week by G. W. Loughridge, of Ypsilanti. It will be boxed up this week and remain so until May 31, when it will be unveiled with appropriate services. The monument is a beautiful piece of work in granite. The total height of the monument from the base to the top of the figure is 18 feet. On the die of the monument, which is a square one, there appears on opposite sides the inscriptions: "Erected under the auspices of the Women's Relief Corps No. 210, assisted by R. P. Carpenter Post No. 41," and "To the memory of our noble dead who freely gave their lives that our country's flag might be maintained unsullied." On the other sides appear the G. A. R. and W. R. C. badges. Above the die and resting on a cap piece is a six-foot figure of a soldier at parade rest.

Michigan Crop Report.

LANSING, Mich., May 7.—April was a cool, wet month. The mean weekly temperature of the state during the month was from two to nearly four degrees below the normal, and the rainfall after the 10th in excess of the normal. The last week of the month the rainfall was excessive, almost drowning out wheat on low, flat and undrained fields. The eastern portion of the central section seems to have suffered most. The reports were made on Saturday, May 1, before the rains had ceased.
The average condition of wheat is as follows: Southern counties, 84; central, 74; northern, 87, and state 82 per cent, comparison being with vitality and growth of average years. The average for the state in 1896 was 92, 80 in 1895, and 90 in 1894. The condition in the southern counties is seven per cent lower than one year ago.
Very little wheat will be plowed up in the southern and northern counties because winter-killed or otherwise destroyed. The proportion in the central counties is reported at 11 per cent.
Correspondents in their notes comment extensively on the outlook, but these notes are not quoted, as the percentages given fairly indicate their views.
The amount of wheat reported marketed by farmers in April is 829,458 bushels, as compared with 468,634 bushels in April, 1896, and 810,326 bushels in April, 1895, and the amount in the nine months, August-April, is 8,864,329 bushels, as compared with 7,781,870 bushels in the same months last year, and 9,670,541 bushels in 1895.
The wet weather has been favorable for grass, and the area that will be plowed up because winter-killed or otherwise destroyed is estimated at only 7 per cent of the total area in the state. In May, 1896, the percentage was 26. The average condition in the southern counties is 90, central 86, northern 87, and state 89.
Apples promise less than two-thirds, and peaches less than one half of an average crop. The figures are: Southern counties, apples 62, peaches 41; central counties, apples 66, peaches 64, and northern counties, apples 79, peaches 58. One year ago apples promised 96 per cent and peaches 84 per cent of an average crop.

WASHINGTON GARDNER
Secretary of State.

Excursions.

Park Island Assembly, Orion, Mich., June 19 to July 26, 1897. One first-class limited fare for round trip. Dates of sale, June 19 to 28. Good to return July 27, 1897.
Park Island Assembly, Orion, Mich., June 20 to July 26, 1897. One first-class limited fare for round trip. Dates of sale, June 20 to 29. Limit to return until July 27.

Convention Imperial Council, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Detroit, Mich., June 7 to 10, 1897. One first-class limited fare for round trip. Dates of sale June 7 and 8. Good to return June 12.
Epworth League Training Assembly, Ludington, Mich., July 30 to August 16. One first-class limited fare for round trip. Dates of sale, July 30 to 29. Limit to return until Aug. 17, 1897.

National Young People's Christian Union of the Universalist Church Meeting, Detroit, Mich., July 6 to 13, 1897. One first-class limited fare for round trip. Dates of sale, July 5 and 6. Limit to return until July 14, 1897.
The University Musical Society musical festival, Ann Arbor, May 13-15, 1897. The M. C. R. R. will make a rate of one first-class limited fare for the round trip. Dates of sale May 13, 14 and 15. Limit to return May 16, 1897, inclusive.

Camp Meeting, Island Lake, Mich., July 29 to August 31. One and one-third first-class fare for round trip. Dates of sale July 27 and each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday thereafter until Aug. 31, 1897. Limit to return Sept. 4, 1897.
Commercial Travelers' Association Annual Convention, Bay City, Mich., May 20 and 21, 1897. One first class limited fare for round trip, on presentation of certificate. Dates of sale May 20 and 21. Good to return May 22.

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Jan. 12; Feb. 16; Mar. 16; Apr. 13; May 11; June 8, July 13; Aug. 10; Sept. 7; Oct. 5; Nov. 2; a special meeting and election of officers Dec. 7. J. D. SCHNAITMAN, Sec.

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No 12—Grand Rapids Express...10:40 A.
No 4—Mail and Express...8:15 P.

GOING WEST.

No 3—Mail and Express...9:25 A.
No 13—Grand Rapids Express...6:30 P.
No 7—Chicago Night Express...9:50 P.

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Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL]

Chelsea, April 21, 1897.

Board met in regular session.
Meeting called to order by President.

Roll call by Clerk.

Present—Wm Bacon, President; Trustees Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Absent—None.

Minutes of previous meeting read and the following corrections made:

That in place of the President appointing Board of Review should read: Moved and supported that H. S. Holmes be appointed member of the Board of Review. —Carried. Moved and supported that R. S. Armstrong be appointed a member of the Board of Review. —Carried.

Minutes of previous meeting, as read and corrected, were approved.

Moved and supported that the bond of Rush Green be accepted, with Charles H. Kempf and John Cook as sureties. —Carried.

Moved by Armstrong and supported by Vogel, that the bid of A. Allison for printing the proceedings of Board meetings for ten dollars (\$10.00) for ensuing year be accepted. —Carried.

Moved by Armstrong and supported by Wedemeyer, that the bill of Israel Vogel for \$1.50 be referred to the Finance Committee. —Carried.

Moved and supported that the Board accept the Side and Crosswalk Committee's report for new walks and walks to be repaired. —Carried.

NEW WALKS.

A. Steger, South Main street.
J. P. Foster, South Main street.
Chas. Letts, North Main street.
M. Schweikerath, Congdon street.

WALKS TO BE REPAIRED.

Mrs. Jos. Durand, South Main.
A. Steger, South Main.
F. E. Richards, South Main.
Mrs. G. Thompson, South Main.
Chris. Klein, South Main.
Dr. Holmes, South Main.
Geo. Begole, South Main.
John Conaty, South Main.
Mrs. A. Congdon, South Main.
Mrs. Kate Clark, South Main.
James Ackerson, North Main.
Mrs. Remnant, North Main.
Martin McKone, North Main.
Crosswalk, Main and Park.
Davis Warner, Lincoln st.
Joe Eisele, Lincoln st.
Martin Eisele, Lincoln st.
Mrs. Goodyear, Garfield st.
Richard Alexander, Summit st.
Mrs. Nelson, Summit st.
Howard Fisk, Summit st.
Jacob Staffan, Summit st.
Mrs. Godfrey Kempf, Summit st.
Jay Everett, Summit st.
Mrs. M. Bush, Summit st.
Mrs. Buchanan, Summit st.
Clarence Maroney, Railroad st.
Daniel Maroney, Railroad st.
Mrs. H. Calkins, Polk st.
Wm. Denman, Jackson st.
L. Miller, North st.
E. McCarter, North st.
Crosswalk, North st.
G. W. Beckwith, East Middle st.
E. Hammond, East Middle st.
H. Shaver, East Middle st.
Chancy Stephens, East Middle st.
Miss N. Stocking, East Middle st.
Mrs. Barthell, East Middle st.
C. Babcock, East Middle st.
Congregational parsonage, East Mid. st.
Geo. Bacon, East Middle st.
A. B. Welch, East Middle st.
A. Mensing, East Middle st.
Geo. Mast, West Middle st.
Wm. Campbell, West Middle st.
B. F. Tuttle, West Middle st.
H. Conk, West Middle st.
James Wade, West Middle st.
Godfrey Weick, West Middle st.
Dr. Page, West Middle st.
Mat Hauser, Congdon st.
Wm. Lehman, Congdon st.
Mrs. Gorman, Congdon st.
L. Tichenor, Congdon st.
G. W. Turnbull, Congdon st.
G. S. Laird, South st.
Mrs. Emma Stimson, Park st.
Mrs. Farrell, East st.
S. Guerin, Harrison st.
A. A. Hall, Harrison st.
Union School, Harrison st.
B. Parker, Jefferson st.
John Cook, Jefferson st.
John Messner, Jefferson st.

Moved and supported that the Marshal notify the above named property owners to repair their walks. —Carried.

Moved by Armstrong and supported by Holmes, that the building of new walks be referred to the Ordinance Committee. —Carried.

Moved by Holmes and supported by Armstrong, that the communication of

G. W. Turnbull relative to water works litigation be accepted and placed on file.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Armstrong and supported by Holmes, that the Clerk be instructed to notify G. W. Turnbull to substitute A. F. Freeman as attorney in the case for the village of Chelsea and Wm. G. Lewick and others against F. P. Glazier and others, now pending in the circuit court, county of Washtenaw.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

On motion Board adjourned, subject to the call of the President.

W. D. ARNOLD,
Village Clerk.

Chelsea, April 28, 1897.

Board met in special session.
Meeting called to order by the President.

Roll call by Clerk.

Present—Wm. Bacon, President; Trustees Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Absent—None.

Moved by Armstrong and supported by Raftery, that the drug bond of Saxe E. Stimson be accepted, with G. P. Glazier and F. P. Glazier as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Wedemeyer and supported by Vogel, that the drug bond of R. S. Armstrong be accepted, with H. S. Holmes and W. J. Knapp as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Wedemeyer and supported by Vogel, that the liquor bond of R. S. Armstrong be accepted, with H. S. Holmes and W. J. Knapp as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Armstrong and supported by Wedemeyer, that the liquor bond of Jacob Zang be accepted, with James S. Gorman and Timothy McKone as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Raftery and supported by Armstrong, that the liquor bond of Lewis Klein be accepted, with Chris. Klein and James Taylor as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Vogel and supported by Holmes, that the liquor bond of Frank McNamara be accepted, with James S. Gorman and Frank Staffan as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Holmes and supported by Armstrong, that the liquor bond of Fred Heller be accepted, with Frank Staffan and Frederick E. Richards as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Raftery and supported by Grau, that the liquor bond of Thomas McNamara be accepted, with Michael J. Noyes and Timothy McKone as sureties. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Wedemeyer and supported by Vogel, that the minutes as read by the Clerk be approved. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Board moved to adjourn.

W. D. ARNOLD,
Village Clerk.

Chelsea, May 1, 1897.

Board met in special session.
Meeting called to order by the President.

Roll call by Clerk.

Present—Wm. Bacon, President; Trustees Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Absent—None.

Pursuant to the call of the President, the following notice was served on each of the Trustees:

NOTICE.

Please take notice that I hereby call a special meeting of the Village Board of the Village of Chelsea, at the Council Room, in said Village, at 9 o'clock p. m., this evening, May 1, 1897, for the purpose of authorizing the President and Clerk of said village to sign and execute such answer for said village in the case of Wm. Lewick et al. vs. Frank P. Glazier et al., now pending in the Circuit Court, as the Attorney employed by the village in that

case shall prepare and advise to be signed on behalf of the village.

Dated May 1, 1897.

Wm. BACON, President.

State of Michigan. County of Washtenaw, ss. I, Rush Green, Marshal of the Village of Chelsea, hereby certify and return that I served true copies of the foregoing notice by delivering one personally to each of the Trustees of said village, to-wit: J. Raftery, I. Vogel, Fred Wedemeyer, H. S. Holmes, R. S. Armstrong and Godfrey Grau, at the Village of Chelsea, in said county, before the hour of 3 p. m. on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1897.

RUSH GREEN,
Village Marshal.

Moved by Armstrong and supported by Holmes, that the President and Clerk be instructed to sign and execute such answers as the Attorney in the case of Wm. G. Lewick and others against F. P. Glazier, now pending in the Circuit Court, shall propose and advise to be signed in behalf of the Village of Chelsea. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved by Wedemeyer and supported by Armstrong, that the minutes as read by the Clerk be approved. —Carried.

Yeas—Raftery, Vogel, Wedemeyer, Holmes, Armstrong, Grau.
Nays—None.
Carried.

Moved and supported that the Board adjourn. —Carried.

W. D. ARNOLD,
Village Clerk.

Notice.

Until July 1st I will be in Saline Tuesday and Wednesday of each week. Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday I may be found in my office over the Bank Drug Store, where I will be pleased to meet any and all who may be in need of dental work, which will be done in a careful and thorough manner. All work guaranteed satisfactory. I have come to Chelsea with the intention of making it my permanent residence.

G. E. HATHAWAY, D.D.S.

Notice.

The Board of Review for the Village of Chelsea will meet at the Council Room in the Town Hall, in the Village of Chelsea, Thursday and Friday, May 20 and 21, 1897.

B. PARKER,
Village Assessor.

Figs and Thistles.

The sin that looks the safest is the surest to kill.

It is more important to bear good fruit than much fruit.

Wine in the home and club house helps the wine room.

The wider the Bible is opened the harder it strikes at sin.

When the home is what it should be, the brothel will be impossible.

If the gossip would think more, her tongue would get more rest.

There is no such thing as committing one sin and stopping there.

The devil is seldom a loser when the preacher gets an easy place.

If no gaming were done in social and family circles, it may be that there would be no gambling halls.

The way to be happy to-day is to trust God to take care of to-morrow.—Ram's Horn.

Grand Military Event.

The City of Windsor, Ont., is to celebrate the Jubilee anniversary of the birth day of Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, on May 24, in right royal style. The Queen's Own Rifles, of Toronto, one of the oldest and most favorably known volunteer corps in Canada, and the 21st Essex Fusiliers will take part. Suitable military events, games, sports, pipe music, tug-of-war, etc., will be indulged in. The City of Windsor will see a big crowd on that day. Special rates on all railroads.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Panu could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

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The Greeks Are Forced to Evacuate Pharsalos.

But They Still Prefer War Even to Extermination, to Withdrawing from Crete — King George's Peril.

Constantinople, May 7. — Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander in chief in Thessaly, has sent the following dispatch to the ministry of war, dated Thursday morning: "The imperial army while marching to Pharsalos met the enemy in the villages of Soubathi, Souledji, Turcomanli and Landa. After a severe engagement lasting 15 hours we dislodged them from their positions and advanced to Pharsalos, which the imperial army has just victoriously occupied."

Will Fight to the End.

Athens, May 8. — The intervention communication from the powers has not yet been received. It is said positively that if the powers insist on the withdrawal of the Greek troops from Crete as a condition of mediation, Greece will reply that she prefers war even to extermination.

Pharsalos, May 8. — An engagement began early Friday near Velestino and lasted several hours, the Greeks being finally beaten back. They have retreated upon Volo, sharply pursued by the Turks.

On to Domokos.

Constantinople, May 8. — Orders have been telegraphed to Edhem Pasha to push on to Domokos immediately.

Velestino, May 8. — The Turkish forces have reached the outskirts of Volo. As yet there is no confirmation of the rumors that the town has already fallen; but in any case its capture is only an affair of a few hours, as the defenses on the land side are very feeble. A portion of the Greek forces has retreated by the coast road to Almyros, from which point it will probably be conveyed by sea to Lamia and rejoin the rest of the army at Domokos.

Athens, May 8. — The whole length of railway connecting Trikala, Velestino and Larissa is now in possession of the Turks. The second general flight of the Greek army now shows plainly that they will refuse to fight a pitched battle, but their method of conducting a campaign is difficult to understand.

Smolenski at Almyros.

Gen. Smolenski's brigade reached Almyros at 11 o'clock Friday morning, after its retreat from Velestino. Another portion of the Greek forces has retreated by the coast road to Almyros, from which point it will probably be conveyed by sea to Lamia and rejoin the rest of the army at Domokos.

The retreat to Domokos is regarded by some as a strategic movement dictated by prudence. It is generally felt that Gen. Smolenski's defense of Velestino has vindicated the reputation of the Greek army and wiped out the disgrace of Mati and Larissa.

Great skill is displayed in the strategy of the Turks. Four divisions from Trikala and Larissa are being simultaneously concentrated at Pharsalos.

Peril of the Royal Family.

Rome, May 8. — Private news from Athens which has escaped censorship shows the position of royalty there to be more perilous than ever. The members of the royal family rarely leave the palace and their portraits have been withdrawn from public view. When the queen and princesses visit the hospitals they are openly insulted in the streets. The palace is watched by revolutionary agents, lest their majesties should attempt to flee the country.

It is said that Turkey is really the chief hindrance to the powers proposing mediation, as the port claims the right to finish the war in the ordinary way.

Terrible Slaughter of Greeks.

Pharsalos, May 8. — The Greeks, in retreating across the plains toward the town, suffered terrible loss from the murderous fire of the Turkish artillery. During the retreat the Greeks were compelled to cross the river by a single bridge. As the Greek troops were massed at that point the Turkish artillery wrought fearful havoc among them. Nevertheless, the Greeks fought desperately until nightfall.

His Airship Can Fly.

Nashville, Tenn., May 8. — The actual flight of the real air ship, invented, constructed and propelled by Prof. Arthur Wallace Barnard, is the topic of the day. Prof. Barnard, who is the physical director of the Y. M. C. A. of this city, took his flight from the grounds of the exposition. He alighted in a grove 12 miles away, breaking a spar of his ship in the process, but while in the air circled round and round, and declares that he demonstrated beyond a doubt that his machine is a success—that under normal conditions its progress can be regulated and controlled by its operator.

Argentine Congress Meets.

Buenos Ayres, May 8. — The congress of the Argentine Republic opened Friday. President Uriburu, in his message, referred to the foreign relations of the republic as excellent and described the general situation as one of progress. The president said that the government was considering the question of redeeming the public debt, the formation of a cash reserve and a revision of the tariff.

SUPPLIANT GREECE.

She Decides to Withdraw from Crete, and Asks for Mediation.

Athens, May 10. — Col. Vassos has arrived from Crete. It is believed that an armistice of a fortnight between Greece and Turkey will be agreed upon. The government has informed the ministers of the powers verbally that following the recall from Crete of Col. Vassos, 25 officers and two companies of sappers, the gradual withdrawal of troops from the island will take place. After a brief delay the powers will offer to mediate between Greece and Turkey. The powers insist, however, that Greece shall confide her interest unreservedly to their hands. Negotiations have begun and mediation is regarded as imminent.

It is understood that Greece agrees to confide her interests to the powers in the peace negotiations.

So great is the change in public sentiment that no opposition whatever is provoked by the decision to recall the army from Crete. King George, who was believed to be unapproachable on this subject, has finally yielded with good grace.

It is learned on the very best authority that Greece has made a written application to the powers, through their representatives at Athens, with a view of obtaining mediation. All the representatives have promised in their replies to use their best offices, except the German minister, who has merely acknowledged the receipt of the note from the cabinet. The porte is inclined to support the powers, with a view to the facilitation of negotiations, but it declines to consent to an armistice, on the ground that this would enable Greece to reorganize her forces.

As a matter of fact Turkey continues to send troops from Salonica homeward, and it is probable that Osman Pasha has returned to Constantinople from Salonica. In view of both facts it may be assumed that nothing serious is expected, but the continuance of a state of war is regarded as the very best means of hastening the efforts of diplomacy.

M. Skouloudis, the Greek minister of foreign affairs, said in an interview that he expects many difficulties will be encountered in the peace negotiations. The government has addressed a request to the powers to allow their admirals in Cretan waters to permit the Greek war ships to embark the troops that have been recalled. The government explains the recall as due to the urgent need of men for the defense of Thessaly.

It is reported in official circles that Queen Olga has sent a telegram to the czar soliciting the mediation of Russia.

Constantinople, May 10. — Turkey will certainly claim a fair allowance of the rights of a victor, and in this claim she will be supported by Russia and Germany.

London, May 10. — A dispatch to the Morning Post from Constantinople says it is probable that Turkey will demand a war indemnity of over £6,000,000.

Volo, May 10. — The Greeks have completely evacuated Volo and the Turkish advance guard occupied the town Saturday morning.

London, May 10. — A special to the Daily Mail from Volo says that as the result of the proclamation of Edhem Pasha promising to protect the inhabitants and to use only one battalion as the occupying force, on condition that the Greek fleet be withdrawn, the Greek admiral has been ordered to leave forthwith. Volo has been occupied by a Turkish force of 16,000.

London, May 10. — A dispatch to the Observer from Athens says that the officials and consuls of Salonica report that the Turkish losses in killed, wounded and sick during the recent campaign will reach 38,000.

SPANIARDS WHIPPED.

Defeated by Troops Under Gen. Gomez — Rivera's Condition.

Key West, Fla., May 10. — The Teutonic battalion has had a fierce combat at Sanferando, near La Reforma, with some forces belonging to Gen. Gomez' rear guard and others of that district. The Spaniards were defeated, losing three captains, five lieutenants and many soldiers. The Spaniards have attacked the Cuban hospital at Victoria, Santa Clara province, assassinating 84 persons, including wounded soldiers, sick women, nurses, insurgent Doctor Seullino and Lieut. Ogeda. Rius Rivera may die from the effects of his wounds. It is said that gangrene has set in, but it is also rumored in Havana that poison has had something to do with it.

SENT TO JAIL.

Nebraska Judge Punishes Mayor and Aldermen for Contempt.

Omaha, Neb., May 10. — A special to the Bee from Auburn, Neb., says the mayor and city council are in jail and are likely to remain there. Judge Stull had them cited to appear for contempt, and sent them to jail for disregarding the orders. The city attorneys sought relief from the supreme court, which was denied. Judge Stull offered to release the officials on bail, but they declined to give it. The trouble originated in an effort to open a street.

Holy War Foreshadowed.

London, May 10. — The correspondent of the Standard at Constantinople says: "I learn that a circular has been addressed by the sheikhul-Islams to the Muslims in Constantinople and the provinces which foreshadows the speedy approach of a holy war, the sacred edict for proclaiming which is already being prepared."

VICTIMS OF FIRE.

Many Members of the Parisian Aristocracy Perish.

Over a Hundred Lives Lost by Burning of a Bazar in the French Capital—Administrative Negligence Charged.

Paris, May 5. — Fire broke out at four o'clock Tuesday afternoon in a crowded charitable bazar in Rue Jean-Goujon, at which Duchess d'Uzes and other well-known patronesses were present.

The building in which the fire broke out was a temporary structure of wood. The flames were first discovered above the stall occupied by Duchess d'Uzes and while the place was densely crowded. The bazar is an annual function presided over by the leaders of Parisian society. A terrible panic and crush followed the alarm of fire. There was a wild rush for the exits, and the weaker persons were borne down and trampled upon.

The Dowager Duchess d'Uzes is one of the most prominent women in France, and is said to have provided 3,000,000 francs for the propaganda of Gen. Boulanger. The young Duchess d'Uzes was, before her marriage, Mme. Marie de Luines, daughter of the late Duc de Chaulnes. She was married in Paris on January 10, 1894, in the chapel of the Convent of the Sacred Heart, where she was educated. The Duc d'Uzes is the premier duke of France, the creation of the title dating back to 1565.

Escape Cut Off.

Although an alarm was sent out with reasonable promptness, the whole wooden structure was blazing before the firemen could approach the bazar, the roof and almost the whole building collapsed, falling upon the unfortunate people, many of whom are supposed to have previously succumbed to the stifling smoke.

Estimates of the Loss of Life.

Paris, May 6. — A somber feeling pervades every class of society. The newspapers without exception describe the disaster at the Grand Bazar de Charite in the sober and simple terms befitting so appalling an event. The catastrophe will always be remembered as one of the most fearful that ever befell a European city. Nothing comparable in loss of life has ever occurred here, except the fire which destroyed the Opera Comique in 1887. Singularly enough, that disaster happened in the same month of the year, and 80 persons were burned to death, while 45 were officially registered as missing.

It is now estimated that there were about 1,200 persons in the building when the fire was discovered, about one-half of whom escaped unhurt. Some estimates place the number of dead at 143, others at a still higher figure.

Dr. Nachtel, who has directed the ambulance work, says that the number of bodies found gives a very inadequate idea of the number of victims, as dozens were burned completely to ashes.

Vicounte Damas identified his wife's body by a piece of hair cloth which she wore next her skin as a member of the Third Order of St. Francis.

Abbe Marbol says that Comtesse Villeneuve returned to search for her two daughters, but failed to find them and perished herself.

In aristocratic circles the numberless dinner parties and other functions of a gayly opening season have been suddenly abandoned.

F. Faure has received telegrams of condolence from Queen Victoria, Emperor Nicholas, Emperor William, King Humbert and other sovereigns, all touched in terms of the deepest sympathy.

Fatal Negligence.

The amount of administrative negligence surrounding the catastrophe is almost inconceivable. The structure was so combustible that many of the victims, if not most of them, must have been burned alive without suffocation. No sort of inspection seems to have been made in advance by the municipal or police authorities or by the prefect of police. M. Lepine, the prefect of police, who is severely censured for lack of proper supervision of the preparatory arrangements, says in excuse that the patrons and patronesses of the bazar were reactionists and he feared, if he meddled with their programme, that they would say he was trying to suppress a Roman Catholic enterprise.

Duchess' Body Identified.

During the afternoon the bodies of Duchess d'Alencon and six others were identified.

Duchess d'Alencon (not Alercon) was the sister of the empress of Austria and sister of the wife of Prince Ferdinand of Orleans. She was duchess of Bavaria, and was born in 1847 and married in 1868. Her daughter, Princess Louise, is married to Prince Alphonse of Bavaria, and her son, Prince Philippe, is the husband of Princess Henriette of Belgium. The former queen of Naples is one of her sisters. The duchess was a woman of great wealth, and one of the most prominent ladies in France.

Ninety-Four Corpses Identified.

At seven o'clock Wednesday evening the police officials announced that 94 corpses had been positively identified. There are 19 bodies still unidentified, among which must be those of Comtesse de Lupe and Mme. Nitot's second daughter, both of whom are missing.

UNIVERSAL POSTAL CONGRESS.

Delegates from About Sixty Nations Meet in Washington.

Washington, May 6. — The universal postal congress met in the great hall of the old Corcoran art gallery. About 60 countries, comprising most of those in the postal union, were represented. Korea, China and the Orange Free state, which are now outside the pale of the union, had delegates present. It is expected that the work of the congress will extend over about six weeks. Most of the work will be transacted by committees, which will submit the result of their labors to the congress about once a week. The present postal agreement will be revised and renewed.

Several important questions will be considered, among them a proposition to transmit the official mail of the countries which are members of the union free of charge, the question of increasing the unit of weight to be carried under a five-cent stamp from one-half ounce to three-fourths of an ounce, and also a proposition for a universal stamp.

The hall presented a brilliant appearance when Gen. Batcheller, the premier delegate of the United States, called the congress to order at 11 o'clock. The delegates were attired in dress suits or full court costume, their breasts bespangled with glittering insignia and enameled orders. The oriental delegates were very picturesque in their flowing silken robes. The Korean wore his box-like headgear and the Turk his red fez. The decorations of the hall were lavish. The walls were rich with gorgeous tapestries and shone with coats-of-arms. The prevailing colors were gold and crimson. The sessions of the congress were held behind closed doors. Postmaster General Gary, Assistant Postmaster General Heath, Gen. Batcheller and Capt. Brooks did the honors. Postmaster General Gary delivered the address of welcome. M. De Lessert, on the part of the congress, proposed Gen. G. S. Batcheller, the oldest of the United States delegates, as president of the congress, and he was unanimously chosen. Gen. Batcheller made a fitting response in French.

THE TURNERS.

Sports Indulged In at Their Gathering in St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 8. — There were 3,500 visitors at the fair grounds Friday, where the twenty-seventh national turnfest is being held.

Several good records were made Friday. In putting the shot with the right hand T. Sauer, of the Dayton (O.) Turngemeinde, covered 37 feet, and Steve Reprecht, of the South Side Turngemeinde, of Chicago, threw the shot 31 feet 7 inches with his left.

The highest record for the high-jump was made by Julius Zernitz, of the Chicago Turngemeinde, who covered 12 feet in distance and 4 feet 2 inches in height.

Hundred yard races were a part of the forenoon programme, each member of every turnverein present being obliged to run. It took several hours to run these races, four or five men running in each heat.

In the afternoon "model" exercises by the seniors took up an hour's time, and then followed that part of the programme which seemed of most interest to the public. These were the mass exercises of the St. Louis juniors with dumbbells and on parallel bars. The former were executed in time with the music of a band and were well done. Mass exercises by ladies' classes in club swinging ended this part of the programme.

WAR HERO GONE.

Admiral Meade, Retired, Passes Away at Washington.

Washington, May 5. — Admiral Meade (retired), United States navy, who has been ill at Washington for three weeks past, died at Dr. Johnston's private sanitarium. There were present Drs. Johnston and Wales, Mrs. Meade and Miss Patterson, at whose house Admiral Meade was taken sick with the grip which was afterward aggravated by appendicitis. An operation had to be performed, but from its effects the admiral failed to rally.

Admiral Meade was one of the best-known officers of the modern navy, saw hard service before, during and after the civil war and served in all parts of the world on important naval and diplomatic missions.

Two Banks Closed.

The Dalles, Ore., May 8. — The Dalles national bank was closed by Bank Examiner Charles Clary, against the advice and in spite of the protest of the bank's officials. The immediate cause of the closing, it is said, was a disagreement among the stockholders.

Lincoln, Neb., May 8. — The Exchange bank of Atkinson, State Treasurer Bartley's bank, was taken in charge by State Bank Examiner Coad. The bank had a capital of \$30,000. Its last statement shows assets amounting to \$117,367. Liabilities were \$110,334.

Triple Alliance Renewed.

London, May 7. — A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Rome says that the pact of the powers constituting the triple alliance was renewed Thursday for a period of six years. The right to withdraw, under the terms of the original agreement, expired on May 6, and Germany has succeeded in persuading Italy not to exercise the right of withdrawal.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

The Thirty-Ninth General Assembly Convened at Lansing.

Lansing, Mich., May 5. — The senate yesterday passed a bill permitting building and loan associations to sell prepaid and dividend bearing stock, and considered bills providing for a commission to select a uniform system of text books.

Lansing, Mich., May 6. — Gov. Pingree sent the following appointments to the senate yesterday and they were confirmed: Charles R. Miller, of Adrian, member board of managers of Mackinaw Island park; A. B. Darragh, of St. Louis, member of board of trustees of Michigan asylum for dangerous and criminal insane at Ionia; Edward H. Doyle, of Wyandotte, and Otto F. Schmidt, of Detroit, jury commissioners for Wayne county. The senate railroad committee recommended a bill which provides for an increase of nearly \$200,000 annually in the specific tax paid by railroad companies. The companies now pay two per cent. on the first \$2,000 of the gross earnings of the roads per mile, 2½ per cent. on the second \$2,000, three per cent. on the third \$2,000, 3½ per cent. on the fourth \$2,000, and four per cent. on all over \$8,000. The bill provides for an increase of one per cent. in all classes except the first and last, which are increased one-half of one per cent.

Lansing, Mich., May 7. — Gov. Pingree sent to the senate yesterday a special message of great length calling attention to the fact that none of the recommendations contained in his inaugural address relative to the taxation of railroads has been acted upon, and urging that the present specific tax system be abolished and the companies be made to pay taxes locally. Notwithstanding the recommendation, the Merriman bill raising the specific tax rate so as to increase the aggregate of taxes paid by railroads about \$190,000 annually was passed unanimously. Other bills have been passed for the organization of the township of Bourret, Gladwin county; appropriating \$25,000 for the Central Michigan normal school; authorizing building and loan associations to issue prepaid and dividend-bearing stock; providing life imprisonment or imprisonment for a term of years not less than five for wrecking or robbery of railroad trains; for the printing of the report of the board of world's fair commissioners for Michigan; appropriating \$64,767 for the state public school.

The House.

Lansing, Mich., May 7. — Two years ago, when the legislature revised the laws for canvassing the votes cast at general elections, it inadvertently omitted any provision whatever for canvassing the vote cast for presidential electors. Yesterday the house passed a bill to remedy the error. Bills providing for an increase in the number of pure food inspectors and for an exchange of products between state institutions were also passed.

Lansing, Mich., May 7. — Gov. Pingree sent a special message to the house yesterday urging the members to pass the bill providing for the local taxation of railroad property. Bills have been passed authorizing organized townships to issue bonds for the payment of claims against such township; increasing power of dairy and food commissioner (immediate effect); prescribing an agricultural college course for district schools; defining limits of judicial circuits; for sending to asylums insane inmates of industrial home for girls; amending election law; providing for use of prison-made goods by state institutions.

Lansing, Mich., May 8. — In the house yesterday the Bell Telephone company lost the first skirmish over the Billings bill, which cuts the average rates squarely in two. The measure was introduced at the instigation of the independent companies, and fixes a maximum rate of \$45 for business and \$30 for residence telephones in cities of 150,000 and upwards, \$35 and \$24 respectively in cities of between 50,000 and 150,000 and \$30 and \$20 respectively in cities less than 50,000. An additional allowance of two dollars per quarter is provided for services outside of a mile radius from the telephone station. It was the intention of the committee to pigeonhole this bill, but its introducer succeeded in having the house order it reported out and placed on the general order forthwith.

Revenue Cutter Starts for Alaska.

Seattle, Wash., May 7. — The United States revenue cutter Bear has sailed on her annual cruise to the Arctic. She will stop at Ungava island and Ounalaska and then proceed to Point Barrow, returning to the sound next November. Aboard the Bear is the coast and geodetic survey party, which is to make a survey of the Pribyloff islands, at the head of which is W. W. Duffield, son of the chief of the United States coast and geodetic survey service. With him are Fremont Morse, G. R. Putnam and George L. Putnam and six college boys, mostly from Chicago.

Brutal Prize Fight.

Allegan, Mich., May 8. — The most brutal prize fight ever fought in western Michigan was pulled off early in the morning in a barn east of this city. Eddy Shannon, of Detroit, and Lev Agnew, of Jersey City, were the pugilists. There were 200 spectators. Three times the referee tried to stop the fight, fearing that Shannon's punishment would prove fatal, but the men, who were dripping with blood, kept at it to the forty-fifth round, when both fell from exhaustion. Shannon sprained his wrist in the twenty-sixth, but continued to fight like a fiend.

Hanging in a Penitentiary.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 8. — A special to the News from Michigan City, Ind., says: Henry Jones (colored), a convict in the Indiana state prison, was hanged in the prison shortly after midnight for the murder of a fellow convict named Thomas, who testified against him in his trial, which resulted in his last sentence to prison. Jones showed no sign of fear at his fate, and went to the scaffold without a tremor. The execution was private, as required by law.

No General Strike Ordered.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 8. — The report sent out that a general strike has been declared throughout the east Tennessee coal region was utterly unfounded. The most serious situation is at Jellico, where 2,000 men are out waiting settlement as to the wage scale. The strike has not been declared, however, and no trouble is apprehended. A meeting between miners and operators occurs Monday.

CREMATED AT SEA.

Fire Causes Heavy Loss of Life on Steamship Leona.

Vessel Put Back to Port Barely Able to Float—Sixteen Persons Perish—The Victims Were Mostly Steerage Passengers.

New York, May 10.—The Mallory line steamer Leona, which left her pier on Saturday, bound for Galveston, took fire at sea, put back and arrived in port Sunday night with 16 corpses on board. The dead were 13 steerage passengers and three members of the crew, who succumbed to a terrible fire which occurred off the Delaware capes at an early hour Sunday morning.

The horror of the story can hardly be told. Those who are dead were penned up below decks, and although frantic efforts were made by the officers of the vessel to save them, the fire had gained such terrible headway before the danger was discovered that all escape was cut off.

The steamer carried in her cargo many bales of cotton. It is not certain how the fire originated, but when it was discovered it burst forth with such fury that it was impossible to reach the steerage. Even then the steerage passengers apparently were unmindful of the danger, else the smoke and flames would not have reached them. The saloon passengers were first aroused, and in such a manner as to occasion little alarm. When it became apparent that the fire had cut off the steerage the captain and his men poured great quantities of water down the ventilator, and the most frantic efforts were made for the escape of those penned up. In this way eight of the steerage passengers made their escape.

Among the passengers were S. V. Winslow, of Rutherford, N. J. On his return to this city Mr. Winslow told the following story of the fire:

"Capt. Wilder rushed on deck at the first alarm, clad only in an undershirt and trousers. He assumed command and at once ordered the crew to rescue the steerage passengers. On the same deck with the steerage, on the port side of the ship, a large quantity of cotton bagging was stored, separated from the steerage passengers by a board partition. The main deck was almost completely filled with freight, cutting off all exit from the steerage to the afterpart of the ship. The only way out from the steerage was up the forward companionway. The crew, on the captain's order, rushed for the companionway and attempted to descend. They were driven back by dense volumes of smoke, and flames quickly followed. The smoke and flames also came up through the ventilators, and it was apparent to all who were on deck that below deck was a roaring furnace.

"Then it dawned on the officers and crew that the unfortunate in the steerage were probably burning to death. Capt. Wilder saw his crew driven back from the companionway and the realization of the horror below made him desperate. He rushed to the stairs and boldly attempted to go below. He did not get down more than half a dozen steps when the increasing clouds of smoke and the flames shooting up around him drove him back on deck. He stepped back to the shelter of the pilot house. His face was scorched. His eyebrows were burned away. He stood there, dazed and overcome for a moment. Then he exclaimed: 'No man can go through that and come out alive.'

"When the steward aroused me I jumped up hastily and dressed. I ran forward to see how extensive the fire was. The captain was just coming out of the companionway after his fruitless efforts to go below. I stood by and tried to look down the hole, but the heat and smoke were so great that I was driven back. When I looked down into that horrible hole the thought came over me like it had over the captain and crew that there were helpless people down below who were probably burning to death. I tried to peer through the smoke to see if the steerage passengers were running around below, and I hoped that we would be able to reach them in some way.

"I listened for sounds, but could hear nothing save the roar of the flames as they grew steadily in volume below and rolled round and round in the narrow quarters. There was not a scream, not a shriek, no sign of life below."

STATUE OF LOGAN.

Memorial to the Famous Illinois Soldier to Be Unveiled in Chicago.

Chicago, May 10.—The unveiling of the heroic equestrian statue of Maj. Gen. John A. Logan will take place on the lake front July 23. It will be made the occasion of a military and civic demonstration. The site of the Logan statue in Lake Front park is regarded as one of the best that could have been selected. The statue will rest upon a huge granite base containing a crypt, in which will be placed the body of the dead general. A place in the crypt will be left for the reception of the body of his widow at some future day. The pedestal will be erected under the direction of the South park commissioners, and it is said will be completed in ample time to receive the heroic equestrian figure in bronze.

TRAGIC FATE OF TWO BOYS.

Chicago, May 10.—Harry Flynn, ten years old, was drowned in Lake Michigan in full view of half a thousand people who thronged the Lincoln park shore at five o'clock Sunday afternoon. The spectacle of the frantic efforts of Matthew Roche, the boy's uncle, trying to save him, was given additional sensation when Albert Mattari, one of the spectators, 19 years old, fell dead, probably from the effects of the excitement.

GIFT TO A WISCONSIN COLLEGE.

Boston, May 10.—By the will of the late Rev. Caleb Bradley, of Dedham, Gale college, of Galesville, Wis., is to receive \$2,000. Tuft's college, of this state, benefits under the will to a like amount.

VICTORIOUS TURNERS.

Crowns of Laurel Awarded the Winners at St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 10.—The twenty-seventh national festival of the North German Gymnastic union, or Turnerbund, on Sunday closed a most successful meeting of four days and prizes were awarded to the victors. Like those given by King George of Greece to the successful competitors in the Olympian games at Athens last year, they consisted of laurel wreaths. Each wreath was tied with a white satin ribbon, inscribed with the words: "Twenty-seventh Bundes-Turn-Fest, St. Louis, Mo., May 9, 1897." A diploma accompanied each wreath.

The great work of computing the results of the many contests was done under the management of Mr. Guenther, of Allegheny, Pa., with a corps of ten men. These were kept busy night and day from the beginning of the contests until late Sunday evening. The results in the different contests follow:

Group 1, in class competition, 115 classes competing—Division A, Philadelphia T. V., won first prize; division B, Denver T. V., first; division C, Holyoke (Mass.) T. V., first; division D, Plattsmouth (Nebr.) T. V., first.

Group 2, in class competition, ten classes competing—Central T. V., of Plattsburg, first.

Group 3, in society competition, ten classes competing—South St. Louis T. V., first.

Individual contests, sharpshooting, ten men competing—W. R. Reessler, St. Louis T. V., first.

Club swinging, 15 competitors—Fred Metz, Newark, N. J., first.

Wrestling, catch-as-catch-can, heavy weight, 14 competitors—F. G. Elser, Aurora T. V., Chicago, first.

Middleweight, 14 competitors—H. W. Abecken, Concordia T. V., St. Louis, first; lightweight, 12 contestants—Theodore Koppf, South St. Louis, first.

Individual work on apparatus and in-field sports, 100 contestants—George Verwallin, Denver T. V., first.

Fencing with foil, 33 competitors—A. Zeger, Chicago T. V., first.

Fencing with broadsword, ten competitors—F. Turnt, Chicago T. V., first.

Swimming, distance 1,500 feet, 14 competitors—John T. Taylor, Central T. V., of Pittsburgh, first. Time, 9 minutes, 8 1/2 seconds.

Individual contests in high jumping, putting up the 80-pound weight and hop-step and jump—Christ Wegel, Buffalo, first.

FAMOUS FIGHTER SLAIN.

Capt. Strong, Leader of Two Kentucky Factions, Assassinated.

Cincinnati, May 10.—The Commercial-Tribune's special from Lexington, Ky., says Capt. William Strong, leader of the faction that bears his name in the Strong-Amos and Strong-Calihan feuds which have cost more than 50 lives in Breathitt county, was found on the roadside near his home Sunday shot to death with seven bullet holes in his body. Two weeks ago he met Ed Calihan, leader of the opposing faction, in Judge Day's office at Jackson, where they shook hands and declared the feud ended.

Strong was 72 years old, a captain in the federal army. After the war the Amos family and their friends tried to exterminate Strong and his friends. They besieged Strong in his house three days when Strong's nephew with a dozen old soldiers came to his rescue. A few nights afterward Strong and his men met the Amos faction in an open meadow in the moonlight. A fierce battle ensued which resulted in the death of one Amos and the wounding of several more. Only one of Strong's men was wounded.

The Amos family removed to Kansas after several more of their men were killed. When the Ku-klux rode in Breathitt county last year, Capt. Strong denounced them in unmeasured terms, and when it was told to him that the Calihans were the leaders he made war on them. In this war three have been killed, and the authorities, realizing that Breathitt county would witness another bloody mountain war, summoned the leaders on both sides to appear before County Judge Day, with the result that peace was supposed to be restored. Strong's friends will never rest till this murder is avenged.

PRESBYTERIANS TO MEET.

Important Gathering of Churchmen Soon to Assemble.

Warsaw, Ind., May 10.—The one hundred and ninth general assembly of the Presbyterian church, which will meet on May 20 at Winona park, on Eagle lake, near here, will be in many respects the greatest ever held in the history of the church. It is expected that there will be 5,000 ministers and lay members of the church present, a larger attendance than at any previous meeting. Six hundred official commissioners will be present from the various presbyteries, the number being equally divided between ministers and laymen. Every section of the United States, as well as the foreign missions under the jurisdiction of the Presbyterian church, will be represented. The assembly will continue in session until May 31.

PASSED AWAY.

Death of the Veteran Showman, James M. Hutchins.

Cincinnati, May 10.—James M. Hutchins, veteran showman, more widely known as "Uncle Jim," died here Saturday. He was born in Paris, Ky., and was 70 years of age. He crossed the plains to California in 1857 and engaged in mining. He drifted back during the war and with his brother William operated museums in St. Louis and Cincinnati. In 1877 John Wilson, assistant manager of Robinson's circus, brought him to Springfield, Tenn., to take charge of the side show, in which position he has since been occupied.

A Dangerous Lethargy.

The forerunner of a train of evils, which too often culminate fatally, is inactivity or lethargy of the kidneys. Not only is Bright's disease, diabetes, gravel, or some other dangerous integral disease of the organs themselves to be apprehended, but dropsical effusions from the blood, rheumatism and gout are all traceable to the non-removal from the blood by the kidneys of certain impurities. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters depurates the blood, renders the kidneys active and prevents their disease.

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Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. 1-4 the price of coffee. 15c. and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Some people are proud because they once had a lot of money and squandered it.—Washington Democrat.

McVicker's Theatre, Chicago.

"Gentleman Joe," the new musical comedy, introducing Mr. M. B. Curtis, preceded by one-act farce "Mulberry Bend."

Bed is a bundle of paradoxes; we go to it with reluctance, yet we quit it with regret.—N. Y. Weekly.

"Star Tobacco."

As you chew tobacco for pleasure, use Star. It is not only the best, but the most lasting, and therefore the cheapest.

People kick when a show is too long and also when it is too short.—Washington Democrat.

After physicians had given me up, I was saved by Pilo's Cure.—Ralph Erieg, Williamsport, Pa., Nov. 22, 1893.

First Neighbor (proudly)—"My daughter is learning the violin." Second Ditto (sadly)—"So I hear."—Fun.

Just try a 10c box of Cascarets candy cathartic, finest liver and bowel regulator made.

A pair of scissors is always lost.—Atchison Globe.

Years of rheumatism have ended with cure by St. Jacobs Oil. Cures promptly.

It is said we pay the most for what is given us.—N. Y. Weekly.

It may come last, but St. Jacobs Oil is the best to cure sprains. It ought to be first.

THE MARKETS.

New York, May 10.
LIVE STOCK—Native Steers \$4 25 @ 4 80
Sheep 4 00 @ 4 75
Hogs 4 30 @ 4 60
FLOUR—Minnesota Patents 4 25 @ 4 30
Minnesota Bakers 3 40 @ 3 80
WHEAT—No. 2 Red, May... 73 1/2 @ 74 1/2
September 73 1/2 @ 74 1/2
CORN—No. 2 29 1/2 @ 29 3/4
May 29 1/2 @ 29 3/4
OATS—No. 2 22 1/2 @ 22 3/4
LARD 4 37 1/2 @ 4 47 1/2
PORK—Mess 9 00 @ 9 50
BUTTER—Creamery 13 @ 17
Factory 8 1/2 @ 12
EGGS—Western 9 @ 10 1/2

CHICAGO.
CATTLE—Shipping Steers \$3 85 @ 5 40
Stockers and Feeders..... 3 50 @ 4 45
COWS 2 00 @ 4 00
Butcher Steers 3 70 @ 4 20
HOGS—Light 3 85 @ 4 00
Rough Packing..... 3 50 @ 3 65
SHEEP 2 70 @ 4 80
BUTTER—Creamery 11 @ 15
Dairy 8 @ 13
EGGS—Fresh 15 @ 34
POTATOES (per bu.) 15 @ 26
PORK—Mess 8 55 @ 8 60
LARD 4 00 @ 4 02 1/2
FLOUR—Spring 1 50 @ 4 35
Winter 1 75 @ 4 40
GRAIN—Wheat, May 71 1/2 @ 72 1/2
Corn, No. 2 24 1/2 @ 24 1/2
Oats, No. 2 17 @ 17 1/2
Rye, No. 2 32 1/2 @ 33
Barley, Good to Fair..... 28 @ 35

MILWAUKEE.
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Spring \$ 73 @ 73 1/2
Corn, No. 2 23 1/2 @ 23 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White..... 21 @ 21 1/2
Rye, No. 1 35 1/2 @ 36
Barley, No. 2 32 @ 32 1/2
PORK—Mess 8 50 @ 8 55
LARD 3 90 @ 3 95

DETROIT.
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Red. 89 @ 89 1/2
Corn, No. 2 23 1/2 @ 23 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White..... 22 1/2 @ 22 1/2
Rye, No. 2 36 @ 36 1/2

ST. LOUIS.
CATTLE—Native Steers \$3 80 @ 5 20
Texas 3 00 @ 4 25
HOGS 3 60 @ 3 95
SHEEP 1 75 @ 4 50

OMAHA.
CATTLE—Steers 3 60 @ 4 85
Texas 3 50 @ 4 30
Stockers and Feeders..... 3 70 @ 4 70
HOGS 3 70 @ 3 75
SHEEP 3 00 @ 4 50



The papers are full of deaths from

Heart Failure

Of course

the heart fails to act when a man dies, but "Heart Failure," so called, nine times out of ten is caused by Uric Acid in the blood which the Kidneys fail to remove, and which corrodes the heart until it becomes unable to perform its functions.

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A. N. K.—A 1836

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Here and There.

Garden making is the order of the day. It is time to begin making preparations for Decoration day.

Chris. Klein has had a maple floor laid in his Middle street store.

The Dexter Baptist church has baptized 22 converts since January.

Lemaire's Cinematograph Co. at the Opera House May 20, 21 and 22.

Hoag & Holmes are headquarters for farming tools. See ad. on first page.

Died, May 3, 1897, at her home in Sharon, Mrs. Nancy J. Raymond, aged 84 years.

For sale, cheap, house and two acres of land on West Middle street, Chelsea. B. Parker. 33

The North Lake Epworth League elected the following officers recently: President, Mahlon Griffith; vice-presidents, Samuel Schultz, Flora Burkhardt, Mary Whallan and Bernice Allen; secretary, Matie Wood; treasurer, Henry Cane.

Good sidewalks are a paid up advertisement for a town. Strangers are quick to notice the condition of the walks, and if they are made of good material and kept in excellent repair, are pretty sure to form a favorable opinion of the place at first.—Ex.

A newly married couple from the country recently went to a city restaurant, and the bridegroom, wishing to show that he was something of a high roller, haughtily called for wine. He was asked what kind and replied: "We want that kind of wine where the cork busts out and the stuff begins to bile and keeps on bilin' till you get the worth of your money."

Such garden crops as asparagus, rhubarb, gooseberries, currants, raspberries and strawberries entail but little labor for a small patch, for with the exception of strawberries they remain for years when once established. At this season, when no other crops can be put in, it will not require half a day to prepare the land and put in quite a piece in onions and peas. Kale, radish, lettuce and late peas can be seeded at any time.

To those who have purchased young trees, shrubbery, etc., Good Advice says: "Do not fail to remove the tag, which is put on with small thread-like wire, from the trunk of the tree. A year's growth will fill the space, and then the wire, which is stronger than the bark, will cut through and girdle your tree. If you wish to keep the tag on, twist it about a limb. The writing will not be readable, anyway, after a few rains."

The Grand Army is dying at the rate of 100 a day. Every fifteen minutes of the twenty-four hours, of late, the final tap sounds for some one who wore the blue. Each year puts under the sod more soldiers than there are enlisted men and officers in the whole United States army. Time is carrying them off faster in the nineties than bullets did in the sixties. The war lasted four years to a month. In these four years 84,000 men fell in battle on the union side. But now between 35,000 and 40,000 die in the course of nature each succeeding year.

These are hard times. We let our timber rot and buy fencing. We throw away our ashes and buy soap. We raise dogs and buy hogs. We let our manure go to waste. We grow weeds and buy vegetables and brooms. We catch 5-cent fish with a \$4 rod. We build school houses and send our children away to be educated. And lastly we send our boys out with a \$40 gun and a \$10 dog to hunt 10-cent birds.—Homer Vidette. More lamentable than all the above is the fact that we educate \$10,000 girls and they marry 10-cent dudes.—Addison Courier.

The American Cultivator says it requires some extra profitable crop to make a bearing orchard pay. We have seen it done with both blackberries and raspberries, both of which do well when partially shaded and which will not suffer from drought, as do most of the crops grown in orchards. On no account should grain crops be grown in the orchard, unless it be where young trees have grown to bearing size, but without producing a crop. Even then the result is better accomplished by sowing clover, to be grown for a year or two.

Peas and onions can be put in early. Use onion sets and apply only the finest and best manure. If peas are to be grown for an early supply the dwarf varieties are to be preferred, but it would be an advantage to also sow some of the standard sorts, as the dwarf kinds afford only one or two pickings, the standard following in season with a larger supply. They may require sticking or stringing, but they will pay well for the labor. The dwarf varieties do not require sticking, and can be soon gotten out of the way for some other crop. Seed may be planted every three weeks for successive crops, and a supply can thus be obtained quite late in the season.

Smile a Little.

Smile a little, smile a little,
As you go along,
Not alone when life is pleasant,
But when things go wrong.
Care delights to see you frowning,
Loves to hear you sigh.
Turn a smiling face upon her,
Quick the dame will fly.

Smile a little, smile a little,
All along the road,
Every life must have its burden,
Every heart its load.
Why sit down in gloom and darkness,
With your grief to sup?
As you drink fate's bitter tonic
Smile across the cup.

Smile upon the troubled pilgrims
Whom you pass and meet.
Frowns are thorns and smiles are blossoms

Off for weary feet.
Do not make the way seem harder
By a sullen face;
Smile a little, smile a little,
Brighten up the place.

Smile upon your undone labor,
Not for one who grieves
O'er his task waits wealth or glory;
He who smiles achieves.
Though you meet with loss and sorrow
In the passing years,
Smile a little, smile a little,
Even through your tears.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 7, 1897.—The Dingley tariff bill, which was this week reported to the Senate and which will be taken up by the Senate on the 18th inst., is the most absorbing topic of conversation in Congressional and administrative circles. The Senators who amended the bill kept their secrets well, and the amended bill contained many absolute surprises, not only for the public but for Senators and Representatives. One who had never been in Washington when an amended tariff bill was reported to the Senate might suppose from the cyclone of disapproval that has met the bill from republicans that it was in danger of an early death. But the old stagers know that these shouts of disapproval from members of the majority party are regular accompaniments of every amended tariff bill reported to the Senate. It is only when a tariff bill has been reported to the Senate that the hardest tariff fighting begins, and the hardest fighters are always as a rule members of the party that will have to be responsible for the tariff. The gentlemen who are now talking most against the Dingley bill do not expect to vote against it; only to get certain schedules changed in the interest of their constituents. The New England Senators who are talking about staying in Washington until October in order to get the duty of 1½ cents a pound on hides struck out will wind up with compromising on a little lower rate of duty, and the same thing will hold good with nearly all the other objectors. The retroactive clause of the bill has been dropped and one inserted making the new duties take effect July 1. The duty of 10 cents a pound on tea and the internal revenue tax of 44 cents a barrel on beer, ale, porter, etc., in addition to the existing tax of \$1 a barrel, are to be only imposed from the date the bill becomes a law until January 1, 1900. Senator Allison says these two items were put in to raise revenue to offset the loss of revenue caused by the large importations known to have already been made of goods upon which the duties will be increased. No statement has yet been prepared showing the estimated revenue that the bill as it now stands will produce, but Senator Aldrich has promised to make one the day the bill is taken up.

Senators Gorman and Foraker had a little talking scrap this week that served to show how much alive the old idea still is, in the heads of veteran Senators, that new Senators must be seen and not heard. Mr. Foraker offered an amendment to the left over sundry civil appropriation bill, which was under consideration in the Senate, appropriating \$400,000 for the improvement of the Tennessee River below Chattanooga. Whether it was the appropriation itself or because it was offered by a new Senator is immaterial, but Senator Gorman proceeded to lecture Senator Foraker's party for its reckless extravagance and other things, including the newly reported tariff bill. Senator Foraker promptly accepted the challenge and proceeded to defend his party in a vigorous five-minute speech. Then Mr. Gorman got in a few sneering remarks about Mr. Foraker being new to the Senate, but the latter went back at him by assuring him that the newcomers would not look to him for their guidance. At this point Senator Allison asked Mr. Foraker to withdraw his amendment, and he did so.

The United States District Attorney has notified the counsel for the other parties indicted at the same time that Broker Chapman was for contempt in refusing to answer questions asked by members of the Senate committee that was investi-

gating the Senate sugar scandal, which originated while the Wilson tariff bill was being considered by the Senate, that he will call their cases up for trial on May 17, and Chapman's counsel has been notified to bring him to Washington to serve thirty days in jail, in accordance with his sentence. Efforts are still being made to get President McKinley to pardon Chapman. The other parties under indictment are Henry O. Havemeyer and John E. Searles, of the sugar trust; John O. Schriver and E. J. Edwards, newspaper correspondents, and A. L. Seymour and J. W. McCartney, brokers.

President McKinley's three special envoys, Senator Wolcott, Hon. Adlai E. Stevenson and Gen. Paine, have started for Europe upon their bimetallic mission. They carry the good wishes of men of all shades of opinion in Congress, but there are few who believe that they will accomplish anything tangible by going.

The vacancies in the Senate committees have all been filled, but there is considerable dissatisfaction among the new Senators over the assignments given them by the committees of their respective parties. This was unavoidable, simply because there were more Senators than there were desirable committee places to give out. Of course every Senator who failed to get what he wanted has an idea that there was favoritism in the distribution, but there is no doubt that the committees which made the assignments did the best they could, and their work was approved by their party caucuses.

The free homestead bill, which passed the Senate at the last session and died in the House with the expiration of Congress, has again been passed by the Senate.

The much discussed arbitration treaty has been at last disposed of. The Senate this week by a vote of 43 to 26 rejected it.

All of the Republicans in the House and thirty odd democrats voted against a resolution instructing Speaker Reed to appoint the House committees.

Climate and Crop Bulletin.

CHICAGO, May 11, 1897.—The reports as to the condition of the crops throughout the country and the general effect of the weather upon the growth and cultivation of the crops were made yesterday by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

The week ending May 10 was slightly cooler than usual in the south Atlantic and east Gulf states and over portions of the middle Atlantic states and New England; it was also slightly cooler than usual on the north Pacific coast and over portions of the southeastern Rocky Mountain slope. More than the usual amount of rain fell over portions of central and northern Texas, Oklahoma, and portions of New Mexico and Colorado, and limited areas in Iowa and in the lower lake region also received a slight excess, but over nearly the whole country the week has been drier than usual.

In the states of the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys the week has been the best of the season and exceptionally favorable for farming operations and growth of crops. In the southern states the conditions have been less favorable, being rather cool and in some sections too dry. Under the favorable weather conditions prevailing in the principal corn states corn planting has been pushed rapidly during the week. Planting is now in progress as far north as southern New England, Michigan and South Dakota, and will begin this week in Minnesota. In the middle Atlantic states and to the southward of the Ohio and Missouri rivers planting is generally nearly completed; in the southern states corn has very generally suffered from the ravages of insects and from low temperature, and in some sections is needing rain. Winter wheat continues promising in the middle Atlantic states and in Kentucky and Tennessee, reports from the two last named states being exceptionally favorable. Further improvement is also reported from Ohio and Indiana, and the crop is reported as doing well in Illinois, Missouri and portions of Kansas. In Oregon and Washington the outlook is very promising, but in California the crop has been greatly injured by hot winds. Spring wheat seeding is practically completed, Minnesota and North Dakota having about finished during the week. Over the central and southern portions of the spring wheat region the early sown is getting a good start and growing well.

Michigan—Heavy rains, slightly damaging winter wheat, rotted some early sown oats and made low ground too heavy to work. Generally winter wheat and rye and meadows and young clover has improved. Oats sowing and plowing for corn progressing rapidly on high and light soils. Corn and potato planting just begun.

E. B. GARRIOTT,
Professor, Weather Bureau.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 11th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Emma L. C. and Anna O. E. Schneider, minors, Catharine Schneider the guardian of said wards comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her annual account as such guardian. Thereupon it is ordered, That Friday, the 4th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the next of kin of said wards, and all other persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,
Judge of Probate.
[A true copy.]
P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Markets.

Chelsea, May 13, 1897.	
Eggs, per dozen	8c
Butter, per pound	10c
Oats, per bushel	13c
Corn, per bushel	12c
Wheat, per bushel	80c
Potatoes, per bushel	20c
Apples, per bushel	20c
Onions, per bushel	75c
Beans, per bushel	50c

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Salad Dressing.

Thoroughly beat the yolks of three eggs, add a pinch of salt, a scant teaspoonful of dry mustard, a pinch of black pepper, a full teaspoonful of sugar and a lump of butter the size of a pigeon egg. Mix and beat together these ingredients and add six tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Put the mixture in an oatmeal kettle, which may be set in hot water, and allow it to simmer slowly, stirring constantly until it thickens slightly. When cold add two tablespoonfuls of thick cream. This makes a delicious salad dressing, and it may be used with cabbage also.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

DEFAULT having been made in the payments of a certain mortgage made by George J. Allmendinger and Louisa Allmendinger, his wife, to the Ann Arbor Savings Bank, dated the 9th day of June, 1896, and recorded in the Register's office of Washtenaw County, Michigan, in Liber 36 of Mortgages, on page 4, on the 10th day of June, 1896, at 5 minutes past 10 o'clock a. m.; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice fourteen hundred and sixty-two dollars and ten cents (\$1,462.10), and no suit at law or in equity having been instituted for the collection of said amount or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage (the mortgagee electing to consider the whole amount of said mortgage due for the non-payment of interest and installments of principal as provided in said Mortgage), and the statute in such case made and provided, other suitable persons. Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 22d day of May, 1897, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, there will be sold at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held), at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of said mortgage, taxes, and the costs of this foreclosure. The premises so to be sold are described as follows: The north half of Lot 12 in Block 8, south of Huron street, in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, range 1 east.

Dated February 19th, 1897.
THE ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK,
W. D. HARRIMAN,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 26th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Pheba A. Tucker, deceased. On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Wm. H. Tucker praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to himself or some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered that Friday, the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this Order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,
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P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Real Estate for Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of the estate of Francis S. May, deceased. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administratrix of the estate of said Francis S. May, deceased, by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1897, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the dwelling house situated on the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section ten (10), Township of Lyndon, in the County of Washtenaw, in said state, on Saturday, the 13th day of May, A. D. 1897, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said Francis S. May), the following described real estate, to-wit: The undivided one-half of the south east fractional quarter of Section ten (10), in the Township of Lyndon, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan.

Dated March 31, 1897.
NANCY S. MAY,
Administratrix of the estate of Francis S. May, deceased.

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