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"We Always do as We Advertise, Oft-times More."

A great deal of looking around and figuring we have bought and placed in stock our spring line of **WINDOW SHADES**. We placed our order direct with the manufacturer for all we could use in our Stockbridge, Northville and Chelsea stores. Having in this large quantity naturally would enable us to buy at quite an advantage in price. We think we shall be able to sell our shades at as low a price as some dealers pay for them. We are showing some of the newest styles and design in lace trimmed shades. Our stock in this department is very complete, especially in the best and medium priced goods.

CARPETS

We had so many carpets in our store as we have now. All our carpets speak of the great assortment we show. We are handling better carpets than usual. We show good lines of Arals, Agras, Lowells, Kilders, Sumfords, Hartfords, Iris, Merrimacs, prices 45c to \$1.00. We show an especially good assortment at 50c, 60c, and 80c for the best all-wools made. If you want cheaper carpets we show good assortments at 40c, 30c, 25c, 20c, and 15c. We shall continue to sell Rugs at the same low prices as before.

Mattings, very heavy, 25c and 20c.
Mattings, very heavy cotton warp, 25c, 30c, 35c.
Can you use any linoleum or oil cloths?
We have some new, fresh goods in this department.

We open this week and place on sale Saturday forenoon, our second big lot of spring dress goods, dress trimmings, hangers, gingham and fancy goods, new laces, new fancy belts, new embroideries, new kid and silk gloves (in all the new shades, also white.)

HOSE

We have the sale for Chelsea of the ladies' black Matchless Hose. These are absolutely warranted to wear and give satisfaction.
We are offering especially good qualities at 25c pair, and 2 pairs for 25c pair black.

SHOES

A shoe is like conscience. You are aware of it only when something is wrong. A rightly made shoe should feel right the first day, and continue to feel so until it is worn out. When you find a shoe that is just right, it is a comfort to know you can always get others like it. The Pingree & Smith shoes are made on lasts whose measurements never vary. Your number and width will always fit you. This great company has more capital invested in lasts than some have in their entire business. We sell these shoes, and all other wearables, make. Have you seen their "Composite" shoes? We have their "Composite" shoes in all sizes and widths, lace or button, cloth or kid tops, black or tan and all styles. Always sell for \$3.00. No more, no less.
We show a good serviceable shoe, as good looking as the "composite," at the special price of \$2.50, worth \$3.00.

SPECIALS

36-inch silk and wool stripe challies, were 35c, now 12 1/2c.
8 or 10 (2 yds only) linen bleached damask table covers, worth \$1 for 75c.
25 doz. gauze summer corsets, worth 35c, now 25c.
A (satin covered straps) warranted to wear and fit gauze corset worth 75c, now 60c.
\$1.00 featherbone corsets, now 75c.
A few pieces left of that good all-linen crash, worth 7c - 8 yds for 25c.
3c checked crashees (very fine) 5c.
Best blue, gray, black and white and light colored prints 5c, others ask 8c.
Come to us for your money's worth.

H. S. Holmes
Mercantile Co.

Butterick's patterns for May now on sale.

Howe-Klein Wedding

The joyous easter season was ushered in at St. Mary's church by a very beautiful and impressive wedding, which was solemnized in that church, last Tuesday morning, April 12, at 10 o'clock. The ceremony and altar were very handsome in their decorations, and the bride and groom looked lovely. The contracting persons were Mr. Ignatius Howe, a young man of high character from London, and Miss Anna Klein, one of Chelsea's most accomplished young ladies. The bride, accompanied by her father, and preceded by the maid of honor, Mrs. Teresa Bacon, entered the sacred edifice to the sweet strains of the wedding march. The ushers, Messrs. Hoffman and Kusch, led the procession. The groom and his best man, Mr. Thomas Howe of Waterville, emerged from the sanctuary followed by the pastor, the Rev. William P. Conshine, attended by the acolytes in their purple robes, and stood at the foot of the altar awaiting the bride, who was given away by her father. The bridal party knelt while the sacred ceremony was performed. A solemn and beautiful exhortation was given by the pastor before and after the ceremony. Mass followed during which the nuptial blessing was given.

After the church services, specially invited guests repaired to the hospitable home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Klein on south Main street, where a very elegant wedding breakfast was served. The presents received were numerous and costly. Mr. and Mrs. Howe left on the evening train for Niagara Falls. The decorations at the house were admired by all. The large number of relatives and friends at the church evidenced the esteem in which the happy couple are held. Mr. and Mrs. Howe are receiving the felicitations of hosts of friends on their auspicious union.

382 bushels, which is 3,382,401 bushels more than reported marketed in the same months last year.

The average condition of winter wheat and pastures in the State and southern and central counties, 95, and northern counties 90 per cent. Live stock has wintered well, and is reported in good condition. The average condition in the State is 90 for horses, sheep and swine, and 95 for cattle.

The notes of correspondence indicate that the outlook for apples and peaches is favorable. Previous to April 1, the date of the reports, no perceptible change had occurred.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Names of Pupils Who Have not Been Present for Thirty Days.
Superintendent's report for the current year to date, March 25, 1898:
Total number enrolled 302
Total number transferred 4
Number re-entries 132
Number left, all causes 188
Total number belonging at date 340
Number of non-resident pupils 60
Number of pupils not absent or tardy 190
Percentage of attendance 55.6
W. W. Gifford, Supt.

High School.
Bruce Avery, Edith Bacon, Warren Boyd, Edith Boyd, William Burkhardt, Mabel Brooks, Arthur Easterle, Mary Broganille, Earl Finkbeiner, Mamie Clark, Charles Finkbeiner, Ethel Cole, Earl Foster, Florence Collins, Chauncey Freeman, Carrie Goodrich, Loyd Gifford, Myrtle Irwin, Ralph Holmes, Eva Luick, Fred Johnson, Florence Martin, Don McColl, Mabel McGuinness, Henry Mullen, Lena Miller.



TORPEDO BOAT FOOTE

The Foote is swift as the wind. She can do 24.5 knots an hour and has 2,000 horsepower. Her displacement is only 144 tons, and she cost \$97,500. Numerous torpedoes and six small guns are her weapons of offense and defense.

Crop Report

March was an unusually warm month, the average or mean temperature in the southern part of Michigan being about 7 degrees above the normal. The fields were bare of snow in this section after the 10th of the month, and excepting the extreme northern part, throughout the southern peninsula after the 14. Hail was frequent and heavy, and the total excessive at many points, as 6.08 inches at Howell Junction, 6.13 inches at Oliver, 5.51 inches at Colliwater, and in excess of four inches at a number of stations. Since April 1 the weather has been less favorable. There was sufficient snow fall on the first of the month to cover the ground, but it soon melted away and by the night of the second had mostly disappeared. From the second to this date (April 10) the temperature has remained low, with heavy, cold winds from the north. At Lansing the maximum temperature the first five days of the month ranged from 33 to 47 degrees, and the minimum from 10 to 26 degrees. This continued cold weather, with high winds is surely injuring wheat, but it is yet too early to estimate percentage of damage.

The percentages that follow indicate condition April 1, or before the severe weather set in.
The average condition in the State, April 1, was 90; in the southern counties, 95; in the central, 88; and in the northern, 90, comparison being with average years. These percentages are higher than reported at the same date in any previous year since 1891, when the average for the State was 90, and for the southern counties 97. One year ago the average condition in the State was 87; in 1896, 86; in 1895, 85; and in 1894, 90.

The amount of wheat reported marketed in March is 1,067,888 bushels, and in the eight months, August-March, 1897,

Lois Palmer, Evelyn Miller, O. Riemenachneider, Rose Mullen, Paul Schabale, Nell Noyes, Henry Speer, Cora Noyes, Philip Steger, Linna Runciman, Floyd Ward, Nellie Savage, Orley Wood, Bertha Schumacher, Helena Steinbach, Lillie Wackerhuf, Emma Wines, Bessie Wines, Carrie McCluskey, Teacher.

Ninth Grade.
Ethel Bacon, Bernard Miller, Leonard Bessel, Carl Plowe, Claude Burkhardt, Emily Steinbach, Katie Collins, Fanny Reilly, Louisa Doll, Mary Whelan, Warren Geddes, Amy Whelan, Fannie Grey, Anna Lawley, Edith Holmes, Anna Lighthall, Florence N. Bachman, Teacher.

Seventh and Eighth Grades.
Lee Ackerson, Cassie Rubert, Archie Alexander, Barbara Schwickler, Mabel Bacon, Warren Spaulding, Verna Evans, George Speer, Helen Eder, Rosa Zulke, Arthur Edmunds, Anna Zulke, Joelle Foster, Benjamin Frey, Myrtle Guerin, Cora Nickerson, Edna Raymond, Rha Alexander, Helen Burg, Arthur Rafferty, Ernest Cooke, Rollie Schenk, Harry Foster, Herbert Schenk, Leland Foster, Cora Stedman, Lella Geddes, Bessie Wade, Howard Holmes, Edith Bennett, Dwight Miller, Charles Moore, Christina Kalmbach, Edward Reed, MANIE E. FLETCHER, Teacher.

Sixth Grade.
Florence Eisenman, Viola Lemmon, Lenore Curtis, Lemon, BeGole, Annie Barrus, George Bacon.

Paul Hirth, John Miller, Willie Schwickler, Oscar Barrus, Mamie Snyder, Cora Burkhardt, Clarence Edmunds, Mary Hooper, Daisy Potter, George Keenan, Emma Mast, MATTIE C. WATSON, Teacher.

Fifth Grade.
Paul O. Bacon, Les Chandler, Ernest Edmunds, Susie Gilbert, Veva Hummel, Sarah Koch, Julia Kalmbach, Austin Keenan, Guy McNamara, Mina Sigger, Bertie Snyder, Esther Selfe, Harry Taylor, Ada Yakley, FRIZZARD DEWEY, Teacher.

Fourth Grade.
Florence Atkinson, Hazel Nelson, Mildred Atkinson, Mabel Rafferty, Ruth Bacon, Grace Swarthout, Charlie Bates, Hazel Speer, Arthur Foster, Lila Schmidt, Treason Graham, Albert Steinbach, Josie Heesclerweid, Hagob Kelschian, F. Heesclerweid, Roy Williams, Bessie Kempf, Emma Koch, Louise Lagman, Homer Lighthall, Mary McGuinness, H. DONA HARRINGTON, Teacher.

Third Grade.
Bertha Alber, Emma Buehler, Minnie Bagge, Ethel Burkhardt, Alice Chandler, Emmett Carpenter, Harold Carpenter, Donald Curtis, Elmer Carpenter, Nina Greening, Edna Glazier, George Hafner, Galbraith Gorman, Adeline Kalmbach, Margaretta Martin, Beryl McNamara, Ida Mast, Bessie Swarthout, Ray Snyder, MARY A. VAN DYKE, Teacher.

Second Grade.
Reynolds Bacon, Paul Martin, Harlan Depew, Harold Pierce, Mabel Eisenman, Edna Rafferty, Ora Gilbert, Nina Schmittman, Gerald Hoefler, Otto Schwickler, Myrtle Ruth Kempf, Mary Springle, Clara Koch, Lynn Stedman, Edna Ladd, Myron Grant, MARIE H. BAYON, Teacher.

First Grade.
Arthur Avery, Fred Bennett, Harold Cook, Marguerite Eppler, Ralph Gilbert, Nada Hoffman, Mary Koch, Robert Kuhl, Carol Nelson, Lena Schwickler, A. Schwickler, Peter Welck, David Scheidinger, Clarence Day, Leah Shaver, LOUISE TOWNSEND, Teacher.

Young Men's Parliamentary Club.
Will hold an open meeting for the purpose of entertaining the ladies, at the Baptist church, Tuesday evening, April 20, commencing at 8 o'clock. The Y. M. C. A. Glee Club of Ann Arbor, and Mr. Wilkinson, the tenor singer who is well known here, will furnish the music. Every lady in Chelsea is invited to be present, and that she will bring along with her a gentleman friend. There will be no admission fee charged. The following program will be carried out:
Overture. Selection.
Prayer. Rev. J. S. Edmunds.
Music. Y. M. C. A. Glee Club.
Paper, Future Prospects of the Young Men of today. Thomas Holmes, D. D.
Music, Solo. Mr. Wilkinson.
Debate, Shall the U. S. recognize the Independence of Cuba-Affirmative, J. W. Schenk, Ralph Holmes, J. G. Webster, Negative, Saxe Simson, C. H. Kazer, J. S. Cummings.
Music. Y. M. C. Glee Club.
Paper, Future of our Club. C. T. Tryon.
Music. Quartette.
Benediction. Rev. J. I. Nickerson.

Two Bright New Songs
are Just Wait Until I get Older, by Wm. H. Plass, and the Irish Heart, by Edward T. Renick. The former a juvenile song with catchy melody, the latter a ballad of Irish sentiment, and beautiful waltz melody. These songs as well as all late popular musical numbers can be secured post-paid for 20 cents each by addressing Willard Bryant, music publisher and dealer, 30 Gratiot avenue, Detroit, Mich. Catalogue free.

An Enterprising Druggist.
There are few men more wide awake and enterprising than Glazier & Stimson who spare no pains to secure the best of everything in their line for their many customers. They now have the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. This is the wonderful remedy that is producing such a furor all over the country by its many startling cures. It absolutely cures asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all affections of the throat, chest and lungs. Call at above drug store and get a trial bottle free or a regular size for 50 cents and \$1. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Grass and garden seed at H. L. Wood & Co's.

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NEW GOODS,
LARGE ASSORTMENTS,
LOW PRICES

AT THE

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Decorating Paints in small
cans, Paint Brushes,
Alabastine.

We are Selling:

10 cakes soap for 25c
15 pounds fine granulated sugar \$1.00
Parlor matches 1 cent a box.
First class lantern 35c
5 lbs new prunes 25c
Sultana seedless raisins 8c
10 lbs best oatmeal 25c
5 lbs crackers for 25c
Pure cider vinegar 15c gal
Pickles 5c per doz.
20 lbs brown sugar \$1.00
Choice whole rice 5c a lb
4 boxes axle grease for 25c
1 can sardines for 25c
5 doz clothes pins for 5c
25 boxes matches for 25c
Pure spices and extracts
7 bars Palm soap for 25c
Try our 2c N. O. molasses
Best pumpkin 7c per can
Fresh glugersnaps 5c a lb
5 boxes 8-oz tacks for 50c
Heavy lantern globe 5c
Paint bottles catup for 10c
Choice honey 15 a lb
Choice table syrup 25c per gal
Good tomatoes 10 per can
Good sugar syrup 20c gal
8 cakes toilet soap for 10c

Fresh Garden Seeds

You can depend upon getting
Pure Spices
and
Pure Extracts
at the Bank Drug Store.

The Choicest Teas and Coffees.

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE FOR EGGS.

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CHLSEA, MICHIGAN.

THE KLONDIKE RUSH.

ALASKA FEVER IS RAMPANT IN AUSTRALIA.

The Klondike from the Islands of the Pacific to the Yukon is Reported.

Affairs Are Disordered at Fort Vancouver—Where Emergency Money Goes.

Gold Fever in the Antipodes.

The British steamship Cape Otway is on her way to Alaska ports with 250 gold seekers from New Zealand and western Australia.

The Cape Otway was obliged to remain in Honolulu two days in order to have her machinery overhauled and repaired.

She then proceeds to Victoria and Vancouver, where a majority of her passengers will outfit for Klondike, continuing her voyage later to Alaska.

The Cape Otway's passengers are for the most part Australian gold diggers. There are ten women in the party. Honolulu has been full of Klondikers for two days and excitement runs high. The royal mail steamship Mowea passed through harbor for Vancouver, with a party of 140 Klondikers on board.

The Oceanic liner Victoria bore another heavy party. They sit the Klondike fever is raging worse than ever in the colonies and that thousands of people are setting out there, business of leaving home positions to join the rush. The indications are that the movement toward the Cook Inlet mining district of Alaska will be formidable this year. There are fully 500 persons in Seattle awaiting transportation to that country. Of these 150 have landed together and will charter a vessel. The bark Harry Morse of the Boston and Alaska Transportation Company's line sailed for St. Michael. She carried about 120 persons, mostly all mechanics who will be employed in the construction of Yukon river boats. The steamer Navaro arrived at Seattle from Lynn Canal ports. She reports a decidedly disorderly state of affairs at Fort Wrangell. About 2,000 persons are camped at the mouth of the Stikine, desiring to ascend the river owing to slush ice.

The big steamer Northwest, which was being towed from Chicago to Buffalo by the steamer Aurora, was sunk in the straits of Mackinac at the Washington lighthouse by being cut through by the ice. The crew was safely taken off by the steamer Aurora before the boat went down. The steamer Raleigh, which had been cut through by ice, was compelled to put into Mackinac Island for repairs.

The Northwest after Chicago with 100 bushels of corn, shipped by Consolidated & Co. to Buffalo. The boat was insured for \$20,000 and the cargo for about \$30,000. Both are believed to be total losses. The Northwest was owned by James Curran of Cleveland.

Disposition of the Fifty Millions.

Assistant Secretary McKelvey of the War Department at Washington has made public a statement showing that up to this time there has been allotted to the department \$2,713,101 from the emergency fund of \$50,000,000 appropriated by Congress. The different bureaus receiving this money are: Ordnance, \$4,223,707; engineers, \$4,425,000; quartermasters, \$5,000,000; signal corps, \$1,250,000. Of the emergency fund \$2,713,101 has been expended, but as much of the money is being used by the contract system the Government is liable for considerable of the remainder.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Joseph Hoffman was overpowered and robbed of \$100 at Lima, Ohio.

Baron Fava will resume his duties as Italian ambassador at Washington in a few days.

The Horns of the third Texasan district have announced S. S. Kirkpatrick for Congress.

Fifteen Spanish men-of-war have been ordered to leave Cuba immediately for the Cape Verde Islands.

Miss Jessie E. Parker was elected Mayor of Kendrick, Idaho, after a spirited contest. Her opponent was one of the most popular men in the city.

Margaret Mother, the actress, died at the Hotel Ritz, Charleston, W. Va., after an illness that was of short duration. Miss Mother was suffering with nervous prostration.

Again the big German steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse has collapsed all westward records between Southampton and New York. It crossed the ocean at an average speed of 22.40 knots. Its time from the North to the finish line was five days and twenty hours, or more than three hours ahead of its former record, which was made by its maiden voyage in the summer last.

The Nelson Pressed Steel Company at Pittsburgh has been awarded the contract for the manufacture of armor plates for the United States Navy.

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EASTERN.

Henry Henry Hendrickson of Chicago was instantly killed by an express train at Waukegan, N. J. He was in charge of a carload of horses bound for New York.

Rev. Charles A. Briggs, professor of biblical theology in Union Seminary, has tendered his resignation from the New York presbytery and will join the Episcopal church.

Miss Claudia Carstedt, the prettiest of all the pretty young actresses in Frank Daniels' opera company, was married at New York recently to Albert Calhoun Wheeler, Jr., the son of a millionaire of that city.

Thomson Machine Works, No. 1, brother of Hiram Maxim, the inventor of the famous Maxim rapid-fire gun, has just invented a gun that in its most destructive force goes far beyond Hiram's. It is called the Maxim aerial torpedo and is designed for coast defense and naval work.

Corporation Counsel Whelan has made public a decision, in which he holds that New York City's contract indebtedness is exactly upon the same footing as its bonded indebtedness. The addition of this debt, nearly \$21,000,000, brings the city very close to the limit which it may borrow under the law, and will tie up a great deal of public improvement for some years to come.

WESTERN.

I. N. Kelly, postmaster at Kenton, Ohio, hanged himself for fear of losing his position.

John P. St. John, the prohibition nominee for President in 1894, has renounced the cold water party and joined the Populists. He will be the silver nominee for Congress in the second (Kansas) district. The coal mines in the Ohio district have returned to work excepting those in Jackson County. The disagreement was merely over the interpretation of the settlement between the miners and the operators collected by the Columbus and Chicago conferences.

Van McOsker, at Arala, Kan., thinking to fool his wife, who was alone at home, turned his coat inside out and tied a handkerchief below his eyes. In this guise he attempted to force his way into the house. Before he could make himself known she seized a shotgun and fired at him. His condition is considered serious.

Capt. Henry P. Haze has been arrested on a warrant charging him with accepting a pass from the Omaha (Nebr.) Street Railway Company and riding on street cars without paying his fare. The case is for the purpose of testing the law which makes it an offense for an officer to accept or use a pass from any street railway line.

The Astoria and Columbia River Railroad is in process of being leased for the purpose of running passenger, mail, freight and express trains. The lease was made for a term of years and the company will expend about \$2,000,000 at its Astoria terminals this coming summer.

Proponents of prohibition, farmers of Wayne County, Oklahoma, were held at bay by robbers with whom they were in a struggle. The robbers were armed with revolvers and had a large number of horses. The prohibitionists were armed with shotguns and rifles. The struggle was a desperate one and the prohibitionists were victorious.

Cher in Chicago, one of Oliver's biggest, oldest and most famous institutions, may have to close its doors. It is in a financial straits and has no prospect. Both of these facts threaten the old institution with ruin. An appeal has been sent out to the public for aid. The college for financial aid. "Pittion" has already been threatened from \$20 to \$75 but that will not make up the deficit. The institution has a large number of students and the loss of the college would be a great loss to the community.

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Suburban Rumors

SYLVAN.

Henry Haffey was a Manchester visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Young of Lima spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beckwith and Mr. and Mrs. B. Parker were Sylvan visitors, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Berger of Grass Lake, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dancer, Monday.

Miss Olive Conklin returned to her home at Chelsea after spending the winter with her brother.

The Easter services of the Sylvan Christian Union were largely attended both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meyers and son, Homer, spent Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Conklin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Conklin and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dancer attended the Farmers' Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brower, Wednesday.

LIMA.

Mrs. Squire Covert is again ailing.

Miss Adena Stedler spent Sunday at home.

Fred Staehler has returned from his trip to the west.

Mrs. David K. Dixon of Chelsea, is spending a few weeks here.

Rev. and Mrs. Emile Wenzel of Waterloo call on relatives here, Sunday.

A number from here attended the Easter services at Chelsea, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Freer of Chelsea spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Freer.

Mrs. Thomas Coyett visited her daughter, Mrs. Mortimer Yabley of Chelsea, Sunday.

Mrs. F. H. Ward was very pleasantly surprised, last Wednesday by a number of her lady friends dropping in upon her, armed with baskets of good things to eat.

WATERLOO.

S. A. Collins is on the sick list.

School began Monday with Aaron Gorton as teacher.

Mrs. John Howlett is visiting her mother in Jackson.

Wert and his flock are spending their vacation at home.

Mr. Charles Beeman of Danville is the guest of friends here.

F. B. Gorton and family of Ypsilanti are spending the week with relatives here.

Clyde Quigley left for Davidson, N. D., Monday, where he will hunt cattle.

Born on Wednesday, April 13, 1898, to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tucker, a 12 pound daughter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bert Hubbard of Grand Rapids were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hubbard the first of the week.

Mrs. Vickery started out with an unbroken colt, to carry the mail Wednesday when the horse became unmanageable and overturned the carriage, injuring Mrs. Vickery's face and arm and making an omelet of about ten dozen eggs.

FREEDOM.

Fred Robinson of Union, Mich., is visiting at his uncle's, E. C. Rhodes of Sharon.

Christ Bismarck has moved on to the Gruner farm, which he purchased some time ago.

A very happy event took place on Wednesday, March 30, at the home of Mrs. William Fitzmaurice, being the marriage of her second daughter, Ruthma to Mr. August Kuhl, one of Sharon's prosperous and industrious young farmers. About one hundred of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony. When the clock reached the appointed hour 2:30, Miss Anna Fitzmaurice played the wedding march and the wedding party took their places under an arch tastefully decorated with smiles and

relating minister. The bride was handsomely dressed in cream colored serge and wearing pink and white roses made a very charming appearance. Godfrey Fitzmaurice, brother of the bride, acted as best man and Emma Kuhl, sister of the groom was bridesmaid. After congratulations were over the company took their places at the table to partake of the refreshments which had been prepared for them. The presents to the bride were very useful and handsome. All friends join in extending their best and kindest wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Kuhl whose future home will be in Sharon. Among those who witnessed the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Christ Fitzmaurice of Jackson, Pauline, Regina and Jacob Schmirle of Clinton, Miss Emma Miller of Detroit, and Louis and Minnie Vogel of Chelsea.

FRANCISCO.

Mrs. H. Gieske spent Sunday at Manchester.

Rev. Paul Weiriel was a Jackson visitor, Monday.

Some night prowler made a visit into the school house of district number 24, taking with him the water-pail.

The K. L. M. met at the home of Miss Nora Weber. The evening was devoted to the discussion of current events.

William Hienenschneider was taken ill very suddenly last Saturday. Sunday he was in a critical state but was better on Monday.

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

A lad named Rollon, whose parents live in the Ingalls domicile on west Main street, was shot with an air gun in the hands of another lad named Warner. He caught the ball in his face, just a hair's breadth from his eye. That the optic been hit his sight would have been destroyed. As it was it cut to the bone and blood flowed freely. — Grass Lake News.

Our friend, E. Ellis, whose watermelon for long years have been so comforting to the inner man of our populace, won't spread out as extensively in that business this year as formerly. However he will grow some especially fine brands for a few of us hereabouts, but the Chelsea and Dexter commonality will have to put up with the cheap quality of their own raising. — Grass Lake News.

Myron breaks the record as a lover for celebrities, says an exchange. It has the largest hotel keeper in the state, E. H. Palmer, being 6 feet high and weighing 300 pounds. Elmer Beverly is the smallest member of the Knights of Pythias in the world, being only 42 inches high. Another celebrity is Daniel Aylesworth aged 41, the oldest prohibitionist in the state, who walks from his farm, three miles out of the village, and back every few days. There, Dave Hitchcock the largest grain dealer in the state, Dave weighs 416 and is only 5 feet 6 inches high. A Milan lady named Galloway, who weighs over 300 pounds. A Mrs. Brownell, who runs a fruit farm near the village, weighs 200 pounds. — Adrian Telegram.

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President McKinley's message to his dying mother. Beautiful song of mother, home and heaven. Without a parallel. Price 50 cents. If you mention this paper, 25c in stamps. W. W. McCallip, author and sole publisher, Columbus, O.

Notice is hereby given, that parties are said to be circulating a petition on behalf of Mr. W. E. Hienenschneider for appointment to the office of postmaster at this place, representing me as being out of the race. I wish to say to all concerned that I am still in the race with both feet.

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OLD ENGLISH LAWS.

The Unaltered Powers Which a Father Exerted Over His Offspring.

In England less than 100 years ago the husband had power to divorce his wife's associates, to separate her from her relatives, to restrain her religious and personal freedom, and if the need could be shown even to chastise her moderately, as though she were a child. What constituted sufficient cause for corporal punishment was left for the husband to prove and the court to decide, but so universally was the mastery of a man over his wife's body recognized that a trial for wife beating was almost unheard of.

Under these old laws of England the father had power to dispose of his offspring, by deed or legacy, until they were 21 years of age, and the testamentary guardian's right over the children superseded that of the mother, who had absolutely no legal control over them and was entitled to nothing from them save their reverence and respect. She had no right even to their services, except in the case of the mother of an illegitimate child, who was entitled to his control and custody. Upon marriage the husband became entitled to the wife's goods and chattels, to the rentals and profits of her lands, to her earnings and to the custody of her person. In return he was bound only to supply her with shelter, food, clothing and medicine, which he could do out of her personal earnings, or out of the profits of her properties should she be an heiress. If a father died intestate, his personal belongings were divided equally between his sons and daughters, but in the case of real property a son, though he be younger than all his sisters, was the sole heir. In England less than a century ago it was not unusual for a man to sell his wife into servitude. — New York Commercial Advertiser.

Unusual.

Papa—Your young man wasn't here last night, was he?

Mildred—Yes. What made you think he wasn't?

Papa—I saw that you had a light in the parlor when I got home at 10 o'clock.

Mildred (thinking of something else)—He brought a friend with him last night. — Chicago News.

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Mortgage Sale.

DEBTS HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Edmund L. Knapp, of the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, to Matthew F. Keeler of the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, dated the 24th day of December, 1893, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for said county of Washtenaw, on the 24th day of January, 1894, at 1 o'clock a. m., in Book 2 of mortgages on page 12, by which default the power of sale is said mortgage, has become operative, on which said mortgage, there is claimed to be the sum of one hundred and sixteen dollars and thirty cents, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been commenced to recover the money secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, the undersigned, Matthew F. Keeler, as mortgagee, and the estate of said Edmund L. Knapp, as mortgagor, do hereby give notice, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in that behalf made, the said mortgage will be foreclosed on the 21st day of June, 1898, at 1 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, in the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, that the place of holding the said sale, and the terms of sale, shall be as may be hereinafter provided, to-wit: That the said mortgage shall be sold to the highest bidder for cash, and the proceeds of the sale shall be paid to the mortgagee, and the balance of the proceeds shall be paid to the mortgagor, or to the person or persons claiming the same, as may be directed by the court in that behalf made. And the undersigned, Matthew F. Keeler, as mortgagee, do hereby give notice, that the said mortgage will be foreclosed on the 21st day of June, 1898, at 1 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, in the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, that the place of holding the said sale, and the terms of sale, shall be as may be hereinafter provided, to-wit: That the said mortgage shall be sold to the highest bidder for cash, and the proceeds of the sale shall be paid to the mortgagee, and the balance of the proceeds shall be paid to the mortgagor, or to the person or persons claiming the same, as may be directed by the court in that behalf made.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 14th day of April, 1898.

MATTHEW F. KEELER,
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During April

Local Brevities

George P. Glazier is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Born on Friday, April 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Taylor, a daughter.

D. C. McLaren is erecting a new barn on Summit street.

Charles Miller has been appointed guard at the state prison at Jackson.

M. L. Burkhardt is erecting a new house on East street between Park and Orchard streets.

The ladies of the M. E. church are making arrangements to hold their annual power festival in a short time.

Jas. L. Gilbert has been appointed a member of the common council in place of H. S. Armstrong, resigned.

John Bagge and family have moved to the village, and are now living in the Tynhill house on Middle street, west.

Thomas Young, sr., an old and respected resident of Lyndon is lying dangerously ill. No hopes are entertained of his recovery.

W. P. Schenk & Company have a very handsomely decorated window of dress goods, shirt waists, etc. Geo. H. Buss did the trimming.

The Easter program rendered by the Sunday school of the Congregational church last Sunday evening was a fine one and well executed.

George H. Pond has been appointed postmaster at Ann Arbor. It is a good appointment and pleases everybody.

Mrs. J. H. Osborne of Chicago is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Nares. Mr. Osborne accompanied her to the place but he returned to his home Sunday night.

M. E. church, including three lectures and a concert have been reduced to forty cents. Miss Winifred Gale of Albion will give an attractive feature of the concert.

The lecture on "Character" by Rev. H. W. Hicks at the M. E. church last evening was one worthy of a larger audience than was present. Mr. Hicks is a clear and logical thinker, and a forceful and eloquent speaker. He held the attention of the audience from start to finish.

The lecture on "Our boys and what to do with them," to be given by Dr. Ryan, at the Methodist church next Wednesday night, should be heard by as many as the church will hold. Dr. Ryan is one of those speakers who holds his hearers from beginning to end. Don't fail to hear him. Admission 15 cents.

Henry Heschelwender now carries his lantern in a sling, as the result of an accident while coupling cars Monday morning. He was assisting in the unloading of the way freight and in some manner his wrist was caught between the bumpers and badly cut. Luckily no bones were broken.

The entertainment given at the opera house Thursday evening by the Misses McMonagle and Clarkson and Mr. D. A. Britten was attended by a very small audience. The work of the ladies was well received by the audience, but as a vocalist the gentleman was a flat failure, and he received an awful roast from the gallery gods.

About twenty members of the Ladies Home Circle Reading Club met at the home of Mrs. B. B. Turnbull, Tuesday evening. The subject discussed was "Quins." Pauline Burg sang a pleasing waltz song and R. Otto Steinbach, 1st mandolin, Alvin Pease, 2nd mandolin, D. Trouton, guitar, played three popular pieces which were heartily applauded.

The postman matter is getting red hot at this place, and the telegraph wires between Chelsea and Washington are kept warm with messages in regard to the matter. It is not definitely known, at this end of the line, at least how many parties who are willing to serve their country by acting as postmaster at Chelsea. It will probably be settled before the next issue of The Standard, who the lucky man will be.

Gov. Plungeo has issued a proclamation designating Friday, April 29, as Arbor day. He recommends that this day be devoted by the trustees of public institutions, by the faculties and students of colleges and normal schools, by the teachers and administrative officers of public schools, and the people of the state generally, to plant trees, shrubs and vines about state and school buildings, by the highways and the homes. The occasion should be made one of study of the subject of planting, care and culture of trees and of the great good that may come therefrom. Let the day be so fittingly observed that the home and school grounds may be beautified and enriched, and the people with it.

John W. Dumont, a young Chicago wheelman passed through Chelsea, Friday. He claimed to be on his way from Chicago to Paris, France, and return, on a wager of \$1,000 to make the trip in eight months. He left Chicago April 1, to pay his way by what he can earn by giving exhibitions of fancy riding, and must return to Chicago with \$500. He claims to have made similar trips before, and expects to win. This sort of fake is getting very common.

The "funny man" of an exchange was recently assigned to write up the market report and produced the following: "Butter is strong at 12 cents and is able to hold its own. Eggs are ruling steadily. Bananas are slipping along at the same old price, with an occasional drop. Cheese is lively and stirring. Syrups are sticking to the former price and are about a pint more to the quart than last winter. Green apples are gradually growing less. Dried apples are swelling the market. Chickens are picking up a little."

William Gray, a middle aged farmer living about nine miles south of this place, set fire to his buildings Wednesday forenoon, and then attempted suicide by stabbing his breast and cutting his throat with an old jack-knife. He is still alive and will probably recover. The barn with stock was burned, but neighbors succeeded in saving the house. Mr. Gray has been sick with heart disease for several years, and it is thought that his mind had become unbalanced. A daughter of Mr. Gray is attending school at this place.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Hammond calls the attention of the public to a circular letter, to the fact that by a law passed in 1897 it is the duty of the school boards of the state to submit to the electors of their districts at the annual meeting the question of the adoption of free text books. The proposition requires a majority vote. The question of uniform text books will also come up, and districts must vote not to come under the provisions of the law, or else they will have the uniform text book foisted upon them. - Washtenaw Times.

The market has fluctuated but not much since February. War talk has no effect on the market. Wheat now brings 90 cents for red as it comes uncleaned and 89 for white. Oats 27 cents. Rice 40 cents. Beans 30 cents. Clover seed \$2.50. Dressed hogs \$4. Potatoes 50 cents. Eggs 5 cents. Butter 13 cents. Receipts are free now and will be until the balance of the crop is mostly in. The dry weather in April is doing damage to the growing wheat and has a tendency to strengthen prices. Ninety cents is a good sale for wheat and will probably continue to test for the balance of this crop.

Every enterprising man is a help to his town. The more money he makes, if he uses it, the better for the community. A place cannot build up without him, and a wide awake, growing town is dependent to the surrounding country. Hence it is to the advantage of all to encourage or encourage men in all walks of life, and from the effort of the petty, envious individuals who are ready to thrust their more anxious neighbors in the back, on the slightest provocation, in attempt to injure them, and destroy their usefulness.

The annual meeting of Jackson Congregational Association and Woman's Home Missionary society will be held at the Congregational church, Chelsea, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 19 and 20. The morning and afternoon sessions of the first day will be taken up by the missionary society. In the evening Rev. Nemiah Boynton, D. D., of Detroit will deliver the sermon. Other speakers of prominence who will be present during the meeting of the association are Rev. A. N. Hitchcock, D. D., of Chicago, and Rev. Wm. Ewing of Lansing. Everybody is invited to be present at these meetings.

For dog and garden seed that will grow call on H. L. Wood & Co. 911

Advisers from different sections of Michigan are to the effect that the recent cold wave which swept over the state, following the unusually warm spell for March, and was reported to have caused much disaster, has proved to have been a source of great benefit to fruit growers. Up-to-date indications are that Michigan the coming season will be blessed with an abundant crop of fruit. The cold wave halted premature budding, a condition favorable to the quality and quantity of fruit. And in this connection it may be said that the usual year at this season of the year, that the Delaware peach crop has been destroyed, is not reliable.

People make no mistake by following the advice of the Northwestern Yeast Co., try the sample of Yeast Foam left at their door this week. This yeast has been on the market for the past twenty years without a rival worthy of the name. There are many imitations of this celebrated yeast but only one Yeast Foam. Be sure you get the genuine, there is no other yeast as good as Yeast Foam.

If you want early seed potatoes we have them. H. L. Wood & Co. - 911

For Sale - One 6 year old driving mare, one cheap work horse, 200 bushel of corn

Personal Mention

Leo Staffer of Saline spent Tuesday at this place.

Rev. J. S. Edmunds spent Monday at Ann Arbor.

C. E. Leda of Detroit is spending a short time here.

Burnett Steinbach spent several days of this week at Okemos.

R. J. Lohman of Ann Arbor spent Wednesday at this place.

Arthur Landengayer and sister Lizzie spent Friday at Lima.

Harry Sparks of Jackson, called on relatives here Tuesday.

Charles Miller of Jackson spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. C. J. Chandler of Detroit is the guest of her parents here.

Larry Dunn and son of Ann Arbor spent Wednesday at this place.

Miss Agnes McKune of Detroit spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frey entertained Miss Briggs of Jackson, Sunday.

Burnett Sparks of Detroit called on friends here the first of the week.

Howard Congdon of Dexter is spending this week with relatives here.

Mrs. Fred Frey of Lima, was the guest of Mrs. C. F. Landengayer, Monday.

Miss Ida Kensch of Ypsilanti is spending this week with her parents here.

Mrs. Frank Everett of Ypsilanti is visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Boyden.

Mrs. D. E. Sparks of Detroit was the guest of Mrs. J. G. Hoyer this week.

Mrs. James Higgins of Detroit has been visiting her father, F. M. Hooker.

Ed. McCulgan of Toronto was the guest of his brother, Dr. McCulgan, last week.

Messrs. C. L. Hill and Glenn and Henry Stinson left for the east Monday morning.

Miss Minnie Allen is home on her vacation from the state normal at Ypsilanti.

F. P. Glazier was called to New York on important business the first of the week.

Mrs. Gilbert and daughter of Ann Arbor were the guests of Mrs. A. C. Welch Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Nordman of Jackson was the guest of Mrs. and Mrs. W. Lohman, Wednesday.

Hon. George Gilliam of Harrisville was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Emma Gilliam, Sunday.

Misses Cora Wurstler and Sallie Austin of Dexter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wurstler Sunday.

George H. Buss was called near Ann Arbor the latter part of last week by the death of his grandfather.

Dr. R. McCulgan was called to Farmington, Ont., the first of the week by the serious illness of his mother.

Miss Edith Foster, who is attending school at Adrian, spent several days of the past week with her parents here.

Prof. John Everett of Grass Lake and his sister, Mrs. R. W. Boyden, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. E. Spaulding.

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We have now in stock the finest line of SHIRT WAISTS that we have ever shown to our many friends, and we are very confident that we can suit the most fashionable, the well-dressed, and the particular lady with our line of SHIRT WAISTS. The styles are all very handsome, tastily and well made, in many very desirable patterns, colors, fine fabrics, and well made garments consisting of Madras, Crampian cloth, Corded Novelties, Colored Novelties, Everett Classics, Toile du Nord, Organdi, Dotted Swiss Mull, England Percal, Victoria Zephyrs, Checks, Seersucker, Ginghams, etc.

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Declares She'll Have No Interference in Cuba.

DONS COURT CERTAIN DOOM.

Make Important Proposition to Settle the Maine Affair.

DIPLOMACY COMES TO AN END.

Negotiations Closed and Time for Action Is Near.

Efforts of the United States for Honorable Peace Are Answered Only with Insults and Denials and Evasions of the Insurgent Government. The American Remains Are Indefatigable. Little Hope That War Will Be Longer Averted.

Washington correspondence: It seems apparent that the administration has been lenient in its dealings with Spain. President McKinley sought to bring Spain and Cuba to some amicable arrangement which would satisfy both, and not be too humiliating to the Spanish government, but Sagasta's repeated and decided refusal to lay down the definite proposition that the independence of Cuba was the only satisfactory solution to the American people and the United States Congress, Sagasta's refusal to further delay, but when he could secure that his ministry sent a reply which is an insult to the President.

The reply of Sagasta, when stripped of its diplomatic verbiage, informs the United States that it should attend to its own business and not meddle with the affairs of Spain. She will not submit to dictation from this government in the affairs of Cuba. She will leave Cuban affairs to the Cuban government and she will consider the question of annexation when the insurgents ask for it. The Spanish minister answering the demands was telegraphed from Madrid to the powers, to give them a copy.

In this note Sagasta sweeps away all his diplomatic pretensions of desiring the help of the United States in settling the Cuban question and indirectly tells the President to keep his nose out of other people's business. This reply from the Sagasta ministry was rather stunning but it was no surprise to the members of the cabinet who have for some time been determined action and expressed distrust of Spain's pretensions of desiring to end the war and settle the Cuban question in a way to satisfy the American people.

Sagasta also added insult to indignation and offered to arbitrate the question of the Maine. This was more than the President could endure with patience. He had made no demand upon Spain, but had sent to Sagasta the findings of our court of inquiry and left to his own sense of honor the offer of a way for treatment of this question without that of war. But Sagasta's only reply is that he will submit this question to arbitration. It seems now that the President is determined to end all the differences between this government and Spain with war, and hopes to provide war by itself.

The President is down with diplomatic consideration of these questions. Congress, the war-making power, will deal with it.

The Cuban situation has now become such that this government cannot stop at simply a recognition of independence without making that independence secure. It cannot recognize the Cuban government and then leave them to their fate. They have been starving for the last year. And since Sagasta has failed to realize the President's hope that Spain would offer some honorable way of taking the Maine question out of the situation, there was no way of settling the matter by allowing Congress to take it up with the Cuban question. All the evidence points directly to Spanish treachery and that disingenuous Congress so views it.

Gift of the Negotiations. Some time ago a note was sent to the Spanish government not to interfere with intervention, but urging that Government to think of some means by which the unfortunate condition of affairs in Cuba should be brought to an end. The reply to this by the minister of foreign affairs was that it was impossible. Senator Gullon is a somewhat brightly statesman, who clings to the tradition that Spain is perfectly able to manage her own affairs, especially those which concern Cuba.

At the same time a request was made that America should be allowed to give and distribute \$500,000 worth of food among the starving Cubans. This latter request was agreed to. This gave an opening to the United States Government, and Minister Woodford pursued his course in the cause of peace by suggesting that the Spanish government be understood that the



DISCUSSING THE SITUATION IN THE CUBAN JUNTA AT NEW-YORK

of the same by the insurgents. He begged that a reply might be given at once. Again there came from the Spanish minister of foreign affairs the word, impossible.

Nevertheless, nothing daunted, Mr. Woodford, seeing his way out, this time, only way to an honorable peace, sent a secretary to Spain, the President, who gave him full powers to act in the direction indicated. Failing recognition of the plan, the President authorized the minister to break off diplomatic relations with Spain. This was a most certain indication of the United States in Cuba. Finding Senator Gullon non-compliant Mr. Woodford applied, through the minister of foreign affairs, for a conference with Premier Sagasta, asking that Ministers Gullon and Moret might be present. This

WHY THEY FAVOR SPAIN.

Powers Fear America May Aid Rags-Land in the Far East. The other European interest in the Spanish-American war is its bearing upon the far Eastern crisis. Regarding this aspect of the question, it may be said that the British Government is very glad that the differences between Spain and America have reached an issue, while the continental powers are correspondingly regretful. The reason for this attitude is easily discovered.

Russia, France and Germany hoped that China would keep America occupied for a long time, and prevent her ever giving any cooperation in the far East to Great Britain. England, naturally, hopes to see the Cuban crisis settled by a brief war, if necessary, because this process of settlement might give her an opportunity to win American good will. The United States would then be able to turn her attention to the Chinese issue.

DOES PLANT MINES.

None Business of Destruction Are Placed in Havana Harbor. Forty floating submarine mines were secretly planted in Havana harbor last Wednesday night by the Spanish Government. This information comes from official sources and is absolutely correct. The mines were laid in the narrowest part of the channel between Puerto and Punta, in two lines, twenty fathoms apart. They are submerged and about twenty feet from the surface. Each is attached by a chain to a heavy cable anchored on the bottom. The dynamite wires run up the chains. There is sufficient force there to destroy the biggest ships afloat.

War News in Brief.

Preliminary arrangements have been made for a war loan. The minister of marine affairs in the navy is to be interviewed.

Chicago people are asked to contribute to a fund for the war.

The new torpedo boats, Queen and Talbot, were launched yesterday.

Consul General Fitzhugh Lee was the subject of rumors by a New York, Ky., congressman Sunday.

It is said that every man in the United States will enter the government in the Spanish war.

The Queen Regent has bought the far East for herself and the young King in case they have to fly from Spain.

A transfer of 15,000 tons of supplies has been purchased for the United States Government at the Thames Iron Works in England.

A consignment of twenty-five Maxim guns of the new type are being sent to the United States for the New York navy yard.

It is estimated that in the last ten days 100,000 pounds of coal have been consumed in the navy department.

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MESSAGE IS HELD BACK.

General Lee Given Time to Get Americans Out of Cuba.

GREAT EXODUS FROM HAVANA.

Departing Ships All-Crowded Beyond Their Safe Capacity.

VAGUE SITUATION IN MADRID.

Stories of Certain Peace and Hints of Inevitable War.

Postponement of the Communication to Congress Occasioned by Notice from Havana that Americans Would Be Massacred by Renegade Spaniards. Reports Circulated that the Queen Regent Is Anxious to Promise Concessions to Keep Peace. Representatives of the Powers of Europe Active in Their Efforts to Prevent the Threatened War.

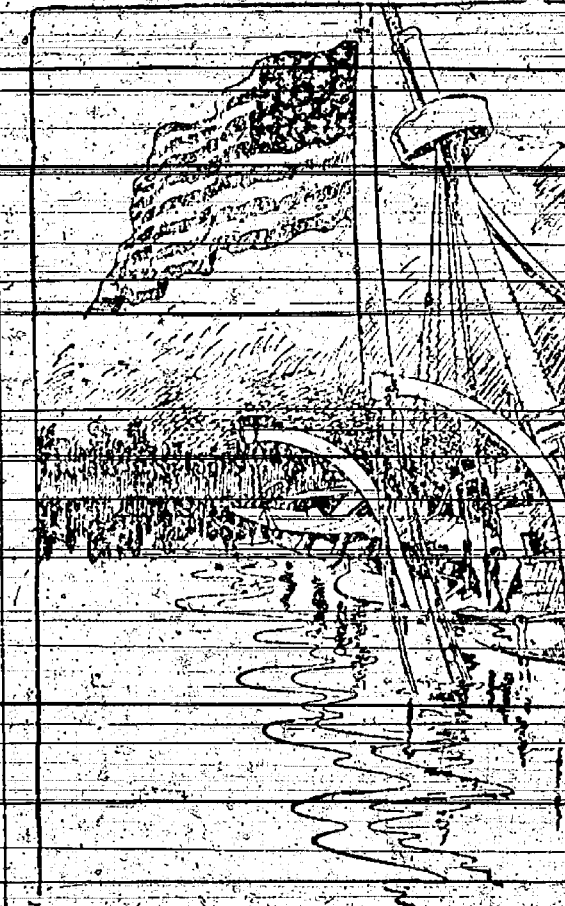
Washington correspondence: President McKinley's message to the Cuban question did not go to Congress Wednesday, as had been expected. It was withheld in order to give time to the other Americans in Cuba a chance to leave the island and reach the United States before the crisis was precipitated. The President's communication to Congress was ready for transmission at noon, but Secretary Taft had his hands full at the door and the carefully written document was in his hands. But before sending it to the capital the President had

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proved might never go to Congress at all. The first reason for the delay was the administration had received advice from General Lee at Havana intimating that all Americans could not be gotten off the island in time and in great peril if the message proceeded their departure. The second reason, and perhaps equally potent with the other, slowly drifted into the public consciousness late in the day. This was that the Spanish government, after what many had been most exciting times in the Spanish crisis at Madrid, had decided to reopen the case, closed, so far as this government was concerned, by the refusal of Spain to make satisfactory response to the representations made by the United States last week, and, braver to



QUEEN REGENT OF SPAIN.

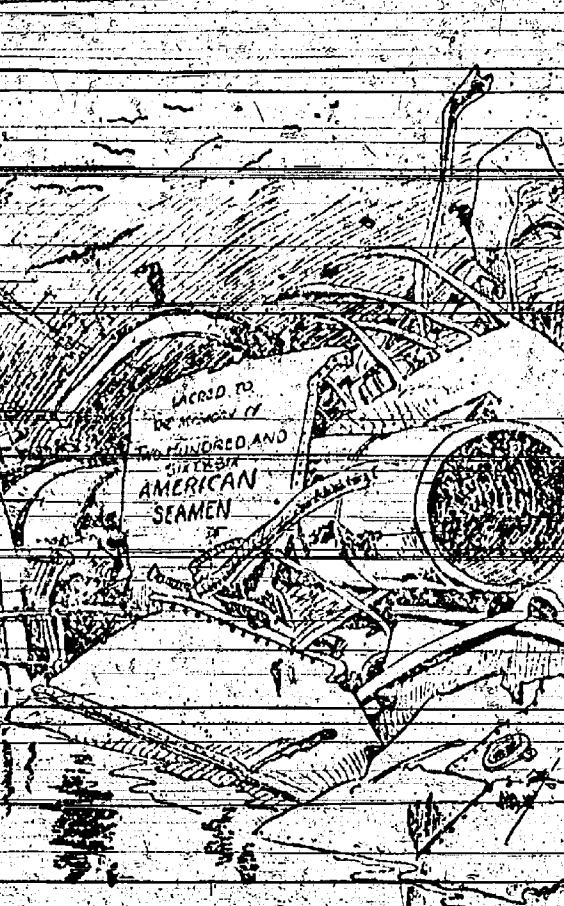
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"Swanson Rheumatic Cure Co., Chicago." "5 Drops" promptly received. My wife would undoubtedly have been a cripple if it had not been for your "5 Drops." We would not be without it. Yours truly, John G. Martin, Wellspring, Mo., Feb. 16, 1899.

This is one of many testimonials which the manufacturers of "5 Drops" have received.

During the next thirty days they will send out 100,000 of their sample bottles for 25 cents a bottle. Write to-day to the Swanson Rheumatic Cure Co., 101 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill. This company is reliable and promptly in every order.

Penetration of Water by Light. The depth to which the sun's rays penetrate water has been recently determined by the aid of photography. It has been found that at a depth of 30 feet, the darkness was, to all intents and purposes, the same as that on a clear but moonless night. Sensible plates exposed at this depth for a considerable length of time gave no evidence of light action.

It Will Pay.

It will pay to carefully read the descriptive advertisement of Alabastine appearing in this paper, explaining the difference between these goods and kalominas.

Consumers should bear in mind that Alabastine is unlike all the various kalominas sold on the market under different names. Alabastine stands pre-eminent and alone as a durable wall coating. All consumers in buying should see that the words are in proper order.

Perhaps That Was the Reason.

"I love you, Miss Peach, and you, passionately, madly." "She was a non-sense, Mr. De Saver, you are hardly acquainted with me." "I know, but then—why, perhaps, that's the reason, don't you know?" Boston Transcript.

Shake Into Your Shoes.

Allen's Foot-Powder, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, burning feet and instantly cures the stinging of corns and bunions. It is the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Powder makes the feet cool, new, smooth, cool, easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, chafing, and the most nervous, itching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Tin package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

"An hour in the morning is worth two in the afternoon." Have the best time in your stock out of the year before trade commences or you will be behind all day.

There Is a Class of People.

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. The most effective per packet. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

In the Klonike region in Finland the sun rises from 9:30 to 10 a. m. and sets from 2 to 3 p. m.

Blood Is Life.

Pure Blood.

In Health.

Without blood circulating through the veins you cannot live. Without pure blood you cannot be well. The health of every organ depends upon the purity and richness of the blood by which it is nourished and sustained. If you have salt rheum, scrofula, sores, pimples, boils or any kind of humor, your blood is not pure. If you take Hood's Sarsaparilla it will make your blood pure and promptly relieve all these troubles. In the spring the blood is loaded with impurities. Hence, all those afflicted with these troubles should take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Hood's Sarsaparilla is needed to purify, cool and stimulate the blood and protect and fortify the system.

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Hood's Pills are the only pills that are made in the United States.

"A Perfect Type of the Highest Order of Excellence in Manufacture."

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It will remove an impurity from your blood. It is also a tonic of the most valuable kind. Give nature a little help at this time. Aid her by removing all the products of disease from your blood. If your bowels are not just right, Ayer's Pills will make them so. Send for our book on Diet in Constipation.

Write to our Doctors.

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Dominion City, Minn., Jan. 17, 1898.
At the request of the Immigration
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ment I give the following information

Q—I have good buildings and comfortable house and good stable. My children have had better school advantages in Manitoba than they had in Minnesota. The district schools are very thorough and good. My son, now 16 years of age, is teaching the public school in our district and receives a salary of \$420 per year. All my children have done well at school. I have \$17,000 insurance on my buildings and the farm. I also own my personal household furniture and a ship all my grain through it to the grain warehouse at Dominion City. I am free of debt.

A—I have no prejudice against the State of Minnesota, as I made a living and little more while in the State, but would not take a farm as a gift in Minnesota and leave Manitoba. The taxation in Minnesota was too great. I had tax

request of C.W. Steeds in the State of Minnesota, where I am at present, my wife, visiting my friends in my home. It is my intention to do every thing to have them remove to Canada where I have done so well.

Having called upon Mr. Davies of (Pa.) Minn. I was received with every courtesy and got some valuable information as well as literature pertaining to Western Canada.

SAMUEL G. MAYNES

Trusting to Appearances.
"Honesty is fairly written upon the man's countenance."
"I suppose that is the reason he is found it possible to get in debt to nearly everybody in this town."

From St. Lawrence Plaindealer, Canton, N. Y.
To suffer for years with a prevalent painful ailment, which baffled skillful medical treatment, yet which was cured by a simple household remedy, is the story which befell Mrs. George L. Rogers.

Over to Church
are without good health. I tried different doctors and many proprietary remedies but was not benefited.
I then purchased a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and before I had finished the first box I began to feel better. I was more doing me good. I continued using them and steadily grew better.
I have used thirteen boxes of the pills and feel like a new man for the past fifteen years. My appetite is good, I am bright, cheerful, and have a desire to live and enjoy society.
I have been a member of the Methodist Church for many years, but for six years was unable to attend and am now attending the church services and I can certainly appreciate that privilege. I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People a wonderful medicine. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are

Concerning Corkscrews.
A man who wondered how the cork got into the corkscrew found, of course, that it was put there by machine, and he learned also that such improvements have been made in this country in recent years in the manufacture

that is put up with patent medicine corkscrew with every bottle. This is of wire cork-screw has for a handle a little loop of hoop just big enough to slip a finger through. It is a little of a cork-screw, but perfectly effective for the use for which it is intended. If one bought a dozen bottles of a preparation with which small corkscrews are needed he would get a dozen corkscrews, but he need not fear that he is getting more than his share, for that ought to return some of them, for they are produced at a cost that seems mysteriously small, even when the wonderful results obtained by the aid of chemistry are taken into account.

There is a cork-screw that is made for a glass. What does it do?

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A GOOD DISPOSITION.
Card for Bodily Health Makes Work
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 Men who are held back from usefulness

when I heard of the Pinkie medicine. I got a bottle. I not have much faith in it, thought I would try it, and made a new woman of me wish I could get every lad the land to try it, for it did me what doctors could not do.

CHAS. CRAIG, Baker's Landing, Pa.

A woman's health is clearly proven by her letters constantly being received. I am 500 Kerry Ave., Camden, N. J.

Nothing to you. I felt very tired and terrible pain in stomach, pain in my back and my legs. I could scarcely stand. I was all through my body. Before I had taken Vegetable Compound, I found myself all taken four bottles, and felt so

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ital perils; to first make no quality of a goodly number of articles, instead depending on a few samples and a tongue. The articles once made, a young boy or girl may be found to make a house for him or her on confession. At a church fair one will probably be given permission to sit in a table and sell as many articles as possible by paying a small sum for privilege. Tabor sales of fancy articles are usually well attended, you can succeed in some such way, first introducing your articles, the way

to success is, and if one is willing work hard and well. Even in small places, cleaning, lamps, polished shoes, machine-stitching and similar occupation may be carried on successfully. The only way to do is to prove yourself with the necessary tools at one's call at every house in the town. You may only receive a few orders at first, but one piece of work well done will surely bring you two more. Don't despise small things until you are dependent, then turn over the work you do not wish to do. A wealthy girl would be glad of it.

"Don't write to some person in Boston or New York to know if there

A Long Look Ahead.
Politicians are even now weighing the possibilities involved in the next presidential election. The papers are full of predictions as to the future which are so close to what you would expect. But it is to say that a systematic course of first-class stomach-bitters will renew health to the bilious, rheumatic or nervous.

Precedence.
 "A dispute about precedence arose upon a circuit between a bishop and a judge, and after some altercation the latter thought he should quaff his opponent by quoting the following passage: "For on these things all the law and the prophets hang not see," said the judge, in reply, "that even in this passage we mentioned first." "I grant you," replied the bishop; "you hang first."

STATE OF OHIO, City of Toledo.
 I, **ALFRED CUNY,** do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears in the files of the office of the clerk of the court of the said county of Lucas, Ohio.

ALFRED CUNY, Clerk of the Court.

W. H. HARRIS, Notary Public.

play the part of the absent zebra. As far as he was concerned, the zebra had fat tails; the story of a fiction which he missed a zebra by miscalculating the distance, repeating the myth seven times for his own instruction; for his comrades, coming from him, were he was engaged in the exercise from them around the rock to show if how matters stood, and then, returning to the starting point, completed the myth by making a final leap. The zebra kept roaring during the whole of this curious game, "talking" to himself as the natives who watched them said.

By the end of individual training of kind, individual animals become adults as they grow older, old birds, for instance, constructing more artistic than young ones, and little mammals like mice becoming more adult in age. Yet, however ancient in the life the species, these acquisitions may have lost the solidity of primitive instincts, and are lost rapidly if unused.—Popular Science Monthly.

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of that, starting in the flesh.
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For six years I was a victim of
pepsin in its worst form. I could eat nothing
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which the beginner never thinks of. There are avenues open in every direction for the sale of everything grown, made, but with the best to select from there is but little opportunity of disposing of ordinary articles. If you study to satisfy the home market you will learn slowly but surely, how to do the work in the best possible manner, and ascertain just what the purchaser of public utility is. It will be a preparatory school of work, and it is better to graduate from it before attempting anything higher.

Atrocities with Napoleon.
Two men living in St. Helena were well known respectively in 1798 and 1804, are not the only persons now living who have seen Napoleon De Bonaparte, Thomas Maitland, who was for many years County Court Judge of Kilkenny, was called to the Irish bar in 1831, at the age of 21, and was Counsel in 1832.

served in his early boyhood in the royal
 navy. Mr. De Moivre was a midship
 man on board the *Bellevue*, when
 Napoleon, on July 15, 1815, after "a
 hundred days' peace" landed in France,
 and fled of his country, and was recaptured
 on board the *Bellevue*.

Astronomers are preparing for the
 total eclipse of the sun 14 May, 1900.

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 At the birth of a Japanese baby a til-
 lant with white ribbons must remain around
 the till the marriage of the child. With
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 The custom is beautiful of the traditions
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 Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough
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 The British Army rifle has 82 co-

ponent parts, in the production
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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists
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You can't climb the Alps on roller
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Chesler, Ala., Sept. 17, 1895.

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harm with age, should be durable, that
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It is equally plain that all automobiles are
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