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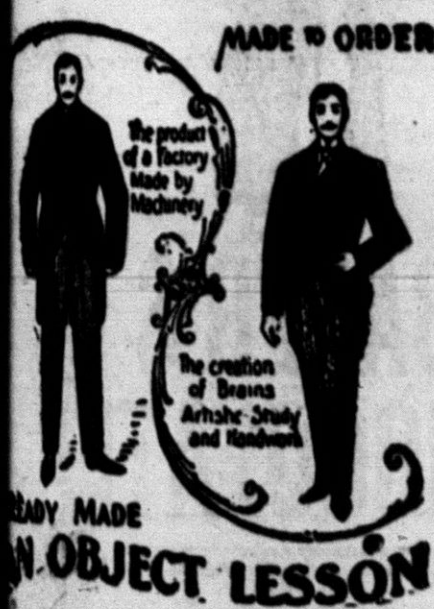
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### Mrs. Elanathan Lawrence.

Died, September 4th, 1898, at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Collin Babcock, at Grass Lake, Sarah Marcia, wife of Elanathan Skidmore, aged 71 years and 7 days. Sarah Marcia Hatch was born at Ghoram, Ontario county, N. Y., on the 28th day of August, 1827. In 1837 her father brought his family to Michigan, and in 1842 made a final settlement in the town of Sylvan. In 1847 Marcia was married to Mr. Aaron Lawrence, of Pittsfield, Mich., with whom she lived until 1862, when he died, leaving two daughters—Ella, now Mrs. Babcock, of Grass Lake, and Myrta, who died in 1878, the wife of Harmon S. Holmes, of Chelsea. In 1865 Mrs. Lawrence came to Chelsea, where she has since resided. In July, '98, she was married to Mr. Skidmore.

Of the numerous mourners for the departure of Mrs. Skidmore, those nearest related are her husband, her daughter, Mrs. Babcock; her grandson, Lawrence Babcock, to whom she was specially and greatly attached; one brother, W. F. Hatch, of Chelsea, and two sisters, Mrs. Esther A. Crafts, of Sharon, and Mrs. Caliste E. Congdon, of Berkeley, California. Many others, however, are greatly grieved and saddened by her departure. She was a worthy and exemplary member of the Chelsea Congregational Church for more than thirty-one years, was a woman of many rare virtues, was greatly beloved by all who knew her, and this entire community will deeply feel and deplore her loss.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Sept 6th, at the Congregational Church. The sermon was by her former pastor, Rev. Thomas Holmes, prayer by her present pastor Rev. J. S. Edmunds. Her remains were deposited in Chelsea's beautiful burial place, Oak Grove cemetery. How we shall miss her!

### Senatorial Convention.

The Republicans of the Tenth Senatorial District are invited to meet in delegate Convention at the Common Council rooms in the City of Jackson, on the 29th day of September, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for State Senator, and the selection of a Senatorial Committee.

The counties comprising said district are entitled to delegates as follows. Jackson county, 26; Washtenaw county, 23.

By order of the Committee.

JOHN C. SHARP, Chairman.  
H. S. DEAN, Secretary.

### Republican Caucus.

The Republicans of the Township of Sylvan will hold a caucus at the Town Hall, on Saturday, September 10th, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. (local time), for the purpose of choosing fourteen delegates to the County Convention to nominate county officers, to be held at Ann Arbor, Sept. 14, 1898, and also to choose fourteen delegates to the Representative Convention for the First District of Washtenaw county, hereafter to be called, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated Sylvan, Sept. 8, 1898.  
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### Teachers' Examinations.

The following is the schedule of teachers' examinations for 1898-9:

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Ann Arbor, Mar. 30 and 31, 1899.  
Ann Arbor, June 15 and 16, 1899.

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## SEPTEMBER—1898.

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## THE WEEK'S NEWS

Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

### ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Casualties and Fires, Personal and Political Notes, Business Failures and Resumptions, Weather Record.

### INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

#### WAR NEWS.

Acting Secretary Allen has decided to adopt the policy of mustering out the naval militia in bodies instead of individually as heretofore.

Spain has announced as peace commissioners Leon y Castillo, Spanish ambassador at Paris; Urrutia, Spanish minister at Brussels; the duke of Najera, governor of Cadiz; Mr. Marcoartu and Mr. Abarzuza.

Admiral Dewey has informed the navy department that he has an abundance of supplies for the present needs of his squadron.

A report from Gen. Shafter says the receipts of the custom house at Santiago for the first 20 days of August amounted to \$102,000.

The leading commercial men in Manila have urged Lord Salisbury to use his influence to prevent the Spaniards from gaining supremacy in the Philippines.

Maj. Gen. Merritt and staff left Manila for Paris, where he will take part in the Spanish-American peace conference. Maj. Gen. Otis is acting governor of Manila.

Commodore J. W. Phillip, of the battleship Texas, has been placed in command of the second squadron of the North Atlantic fleet, with the cruiser New York as flagship.

The United States cruiser New Orleans arrived at San Juan, where she will remain until the evacuation of Puerto Rico by the Spanish is completed.

Secretary Alger declares that he will not investigate the charges of mismanagement against the war department.

Gen. Garcia has been relieved of his command in Cuba by Gen. Gomez owing to disapproval of his action during the Shafter incident.

Dr. Francisco, Dominguez y Roldan has announced himself as the Cuban civil governor of Havana.

All the outskirts of Manila are in a state of anarchy. The insurgents are hunting and pillaging the Spaniards, while the natives are sacking villages.

Orders were received at Annapolis, Md., from the president directing Admiral Cervera to make arrangements to proceed with his officers and men back to Spain immediately.

Admiral W. S. Schley and Gen. William W. Gordon, United States commissioners to settle the conditions for the Spanish evacuation of Puerto Rico, sailed from New York for San Juan.

The Seventh army corps, composed of over 30,000 men, paraded the streets of Jacksonville, Fla., and were reviewed by Gen. Fitzhugh Lee.

The hospital ship Olivette, which had been lying near the quarantine station in Fernandina, Fla., sunk through some mysterious agency. All on board were saved.

A transport arrived at Corunna, Spain, with troops who surrendered at Santiago de Cuba. Seventeen died on the voyage.

The transport St. Paul arrived at Manila with all well on board.

Gen. Shafter and his staff arrived in New York from Cuba on the transport Mexico.

Maj. Gen. Miles, accompanied by his staff and family, sailed from Ponce for New York on the transport Obdam.

#### DOMESTIC.

Fire at Nashville, Tenn., destroyed the hardware establishment of the Phillips-Buthoff Co., and other property, the loss being \$500,000.

Halvor Floren, aged 22, and Annie Dillner, aged 18, were drowned while boating on Diamond lake at Grove City, Minn.

Robbers secured \$6,000 in cash from a wagon of the Pacific Express company in Omaha.

Judge Levin Johnson, of the Jackson county (Ky.) court, murdered his wife and then committed suicide in Annville.

The Detroit & Lima Northern construction train was derailed near Lima, O., and Benjamin Johns and Robert Thomson, laborers, were killed.

The French bark Pierre Cornella, which left San Francisco February 23 for Table bay, is reported lost with her crew of 25 men.

Savannah, Ga., and the territory within a radius of 50 miles of the city was swept by a cyclone that did immense damage.

Fire and water ruined \$200,000 worth of flour in the New York Central freight house in Buffalo, N. Y.

The public debt statement issued on the 1st shows that the debt decreased \$34,789,711 during the month of August. The cash balance in the treasury was \$927,144,640. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to \$1,012,870,717.

Tramps wrecked a train near Syracuse, N. Y., and Engineer B. C. Dowd, Fireman William Hall and Brakeman A. L. Osborne were killed and nine other persons were injured.

The twenty-ninth annual reunion of the Army of the Potomac was held at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

The national irrigation congress met in Cheyenne, Wyo.

The forthcoming annual report of the commissioner of pensions will show that the number of pensioners on the rolls June 30, 1898, was 993,714 and the amount paid for pensions during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1898, was \$144,651,879.

Troops were ordered to Pana, Ill., to quell riots started by striking miners.

The total circulation of national bank notes on August 31 was \$230,508,524, being an increase of \$481,745 for the month and a decrease of \$3,329,909 compared with the same date last year.

A storm which swept over southeast Georgia put six counties under water and paralyzed business.

The receipts of the government for the month of August as compared with the same month last year were \$41,782,707; increase, \$22,758,655.

President McKinley made a short visit to his home in Canton, O., and was enthusiastically greeted.

#### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Judge Horace Taylor, of Rockford, Ill., died suddenly at the sanitarium in Kenosha, Wis., aged 76. He was the oldest jurist in Illinois, and was master in chancery for the last 30 years.

The republican convention of the Second congressional district of Kentucky split into two factions, one nominating W. T. Fowler and the other George W. Jolly for congress.

Congressional nominations: Illinois, Eleventh district, Walter Reeves (rep.) renominated; Fourteenth, J. V. Graff (rep.) renominated. Ohio, Sixth district, L. H. Whitman (dem.); Eighth, W. H. Daly (dem.); Eleventh, C. E. Peoples (dem.); Sixteenth, E. D. Moore (dem.). Michigan, Sixth district, S. W. Smith (rep.) renominated. Pennsylvania, Sixth district, T. S. Butler (rep.); Eleventh, William Connell (rep.) renominated; Twelfth, S. W. Davenport (dem.).

In convention at Milwaukee the Wisconsin democrats nominated Hiram A. Sawyer, of Waukesha, for governor. The platform declares firm devotion to the democratic principles as enunciated in the Chicago platform of 1896.

Richard and John McGriff, the oldest twins in the United States, celebrated their 94th birthday at Portland, Ind.

The funeral of ex-Gov. Claude Matthews took place at Clinton, Ind. New Hampshire democrats nominated Charles F. Stone, of Concord, for governor.

Michael Schien died in Pontiac, Mich., aged 100 years.

In convention in Dubuque the Iowa republicans nominated a ticket headed by George T. Dobson for secretary of state and adopted a platform congratulating the country upon the wise and patriotic administration of President McKinley; commending his course during the war with Spain, and strongly upholding the gold standard.

Mrs. Nancy Slayton died at Lincoln, Ill., aged 103 years.

The Wisconsin populists nominated a full state ticket in Milwaukee headed by A. A. Worsley, of Racine, for governor.

#### FOREIGN.

The confederation of the states of Salvador, Honduras and Nicaragua is to be called the United States of Central America.

A suspicious epidemic has broken out in Portugal. In one village not far from the frontier half of the population is dead.

Famine in Russia is rapidly on the increase.

The Chinese emperor has issued an edict warning officials that there must be no more anti-missionary riots.

The queen regent of Holland in a proclamation announces the close of her regency, her daughter, Queen Wilhelmina, having come of age.

A dispatch from Paris says that the French budget estimates show a deficit of 120,000,000 francs.

A typhoon destroyed 768 houses and killed 19 persons at Taipei, Formosa.

A monument erected to the memory of the Americans who were killed in the battle of Miranda in 1806 was unveiled at Maracaibo, Venezuela.

Lieut. Col. Henry, one of the chief witnesses against Capt. Albert Dreyfus, killed himself near Paris. He had made confession that the document which he offered at the trial had been forged to aid the army in the prosecution of Dreyfus.

Fire at Bristol, England, gutted several warehouses and other buildings, including the great Colston hall, the total loss being \$750,000.

Fire in the Bertram shipyards in Toronto, Ont., caused a loss of \$450,000.

#### LATER.

Adjutant General Corbin issued orders for the muster out of 19 volunteer organizations, numbering over 20,000 officers and men.

The steamship Covandanga with 2,279 soldiers from Santiago on board arrived at Santander, Spain.

Thirty deaths and 82 prostrations from heat occurred in New York city on the 2d. All over the country intense heat and many prostrations in the past five days were reported.

The Kansas Loan and Trust company at Topeka failed for \$400,000.

The social democracy of Wisconsin met in Milwaukee and nominated a state ticket headed by Howard Tuttle for governor.

Fourteen buildings were destroyed by fire at Rapid River, Mich.

The gold reserve in the United States treasury reached the highest point in its history on the 2d, with a total of \$219,320,372.

The southern cotton crop for this year is estimated at 11,199,994 bales, valued at \$320,553,000.

While blasting rock at Stinesville, Ind., dynamite exploded prematurely, killing John W. Williams, John Grubb, Buck Wampler and Edward Watts and fatally injuring Ben Fyffe, Milton Hike and Willie Liford.

The total attendance at the Omaha exposition up to the 1st inst. was 1,095,211.

There were 171 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 2d, against 179 the week previous and 191 in the corresponding period of 1897.

Insurgent troops invaded the southern Philippine islands, and were seizing everything possible prior to the settlement of the peace conditions.

By the accidental jibing of the sail of a pleasure yacht on Presque Isle bay, near Erie, Pa., Mary, Della and Ella Pardine and Jessie Moore were swept overboard and drowned.

Upon Gen. Miles' departure from Puerto Rico Gen. Brooke issued an order assuming command of the troops in the island.

Col. T. C. Tupper, a retired officer who won distinguished honors in the civil and Indian wars, died at his home in Cleveland, O., aged 60 years.

War between France and Germany as a result of exposures to be made in the Dreyfus case and war between Great Britain and Russia over complications in the far east are confidently predicted by well posted politicians in Europe.

President McKinley spent five hours in Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, bareheaded most of the time, visiting the sick in the hospitals and inspecting the well in their cantonments.

Fire among business buildings in Owosso, Mich., caused a loss of \$200,000.

The United States steamer John Meigs of the snagboat service was blown up in the Mississippi river near Fort St. Philip, and Capt. Starr, Sergt. Needham, Ralph Rogers, Pat Corless, H. Jackson and J. D. Malone were killed.

Frank Waller went 494 miles on a bicycle in Baltimore in 24 hours, making a new record.

The war department has up to the present time issued orders for mustering out nearly 100,000 volunteers, and this will be done as soon as the men have had their 30 and 60 day furloughs.

At Santiago de Cuba two shocks of earthquake shook ever house in town with unusual force.

The Anglo-Egyptian forces under Sir Herbert Kitchener defeated the dervishes in a great battle at Omdurman, on the Nile, the losses on the British side being 200, while thousands of the dervishes were killed or wounded.

A case of Asiatic cholera was reported at Orland, Ind.

Frank, George and Mabel Ferguson, aged 24, 19 and 14 years, respectively, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were drowned by the upsetting of a rowboat near Stamford, Conn.

A terrific windstorm swept over Terre Haute, Ind., uprooting trees and blowing down houses.

Three children of Mary Ring died from being bitten by a rattlesnake near Columbus, Ga., and a fourth child fell into a spring during the excitement and was drowned.

Fifty dead and over 100 prostrations is the record of the heat in New York city on the 3d.

All the torpedoes placed at the entrance to the harbor of Havana have been raised without accident of any kind.

The twin daughters of Mr. Prater, aged seven, and a baby girl were burned to death at Speegleville, Tex.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 4th were: Cincinnati, .639; Boston, .632; Baltimore, .622; Cleveland, .588; Chicago, .556; New York, .548; Pittsburgh, .496; Philadelphia, .495; Louisville, .425; Brooklyn, .394; Washington, .351; St. Louis, .261.

### WITHOUT A LEADER.

Death Taken President Wilfred Woodruff, Head of the Mormon Church in America.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Sept. 3.—A private telegram from George Q. Cannon, who is now in San Francisco, announces the death of the president of the Mormon church, Wilfred Woodruff. Mr. Woodruff died at 5:40 Friday morning.



PRESIDENT WOODRUFF.

He had been troubled with kidney complaint for some time and went to the Pacific coast for the improvement of his health about a month ago. He apparently slept well Thursday night and died without a struggle.

#### Seek Their Release.

Washington, Sept. 3.—Having arranged for the release and return to Spain of the Spanish sailors captured after the destruction of Cervera's fleet, the Spanish government is now seeking to secure the release of the Spanish soldiers who are still held captives in this country. There are a few of these confined at Fort McPherson and our government is entirely willing to be rid of them. Our government having finally consented to release the sailors upon the sole condition that the Spanish government would transport them home M. Thiebaud, acting in the interest of the Spanish government, has just made application to the state department for similar treatment in the case of the Spanish soldiers. The request is now under consideration and doubtless will be granted.

#### Anglo-German Alliance.

London, Sept. 3.—A report was current here Friday that a treaty alliance between Great Britain and Germany, on the lines of the speech of Mr. Chamberlain, the secretary of state for the colonies, was actually completed Thursday. This probably is an amplification of the gossip relative to the daily visits of Count Von Hatzfeldt-Weidenburg, the German ambassador, to the British foreign office during the past fortnight, which have been attributed to a desire on the part of Germany and Great Britain to formulate a common policy in regard to Russia and China.

It is said that as a quid pro quo for Germany's support in Egypt Great Britain will recognize Germany's claims to utilize Syria as an outlet for her surplus population.

#### Pythian Officers Exonerated.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 1.—The special committee of the supreme lodge Knights of Pythias submitted a report Wednesday exonerating the supreme officers of the charge of extravagance and mismanagement made against them. The committee finds that the officers have "in all things conducted the business of the supreme lodge honestly and for the interest of the order universally, and that all insinuations to the contrary are without foundation." Detroit has been selected as the meeting place for 1900.

#### Grand Choral Congress.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 3.—One of the leading events of the exposition will be the grand choral congress to be held September 23-26, inclusive. All chorists who can read music and sing selections under their own leaders are invited. The object is to bring together for a social and musical union the singers who are scattered, and to get the musical people of the territory within a few hundred miles of Omaha acquainted with each other.

#### Four Young Ladies Drowned.

Erie, Pa., Sept. 3.—By the accidental jibing of the sail of a pleasure yacht on Presque Isle bay Friday evening four young women were swept off into the water and drowned before assistance could be rendered them. Their names are: Mary, Della and Ella Pardine, daughters of William Pardine, an Erie machinist, and Jessie Moore, daughter of John H. Moore, an engineer of the Erie & Pittsburgh railroad.

#### Nearly Beat His Record.

Readville, Mass., Sept. 2.—On the same track on which he made the record time last year, 1:59 1/4, Star Pointer Thursday again tried for a world's record of a mile in harness but failed to equal his performance by half a second.

#### Gen. Shafter Returns.

New York, Sept. 2.—The transport Mexico, with Gen. Shafter on board, anchored off Montauk Point Thursday. Gen. Shafter came ashore and was driven to the detention hospital.

#### Reichsrath to Meet.

Vienna, Sept. 3.—An imperial decree has been issued summoning the reichsrath to meet on September 26.

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It is estimated that between 5,000,000 and 6,000,000 rabbits will be exported from New Zealand this season. One exporter is at present receiving from 15,000 to 20,000 rabbits per day, and is paying in wages to trappers between \$4,000 and \$5,000 a week. He has 24 traps out, giving employment to 500 men. Last season he exported about 700,000 rabbits.

Too little blood in the brain is a frequent cause of headache and may be recognized by the ache being on the top of the head, by constant dizziness and by noises in the ears. The best cure is a slight stimulant, such as strong tea or coffee or hot soup—anything which will increase the circulation. People who suffer with these headaches should always sleep with their heads low.

JOHN HAY, the ambassador to Great Britain who will shortly become secretary of state, has always been better known as a poet than as a diplomat. Yet he secretly wishes that he had never penned "Jim Bludsoe" or "Little Breeches"—poems that have given him a place among American literary men. He blushes yet when he is introduced as the author of "Little Breeches."

NINETY-SIX thousand dollars a pound would seem to be a stupendous price for any drug, but a prescription was recently filled in New York city which would, in the ratio of the price charged for the quantity ordered, bring the retail cost of a pound up to that figure. The prescription was for 12 tablets of the hydrobromate of hyoscyne, each 1.100 of a grain. The price paid was \$1.50, or at the rate of \$12.50 a grain.

A FAMOUS brigand was lately shot in public execution at Belgrade, Serbia, but the firing party and the spectators were horrified when the smoke lifted to see a second body beside the brigand's. "Mon Dieu! There are two of them!" exclaimed the Black Mousquetaire. The second man proved to be a newspaper correspondent who had approached too near in order to obtain a realistic account for his paper.

Most of the navy titles that differ from army titles explain themselves. Ensign is an old title obsolete in the land forces, but still preserved in the army. Admiral comes to us from the Spanish, who borrowed it from the Arabic amir al-barr, commander at sea. Commodore is a corruption of the Spanish and Portuguese commendador, a knight, a commander, so our two highest naval titles come from the despised Iberian peninsula.

A POSTAGE stamp map of England and Wales has been made by Mr. D. M. Murrow, Wood Green, London. Although it took Mr. Murrow only two months to draw the outline of the map and to affix the stamps, yet the entire collection, which is valued at 200 guineas, was begun at the age of seven years. The exact number of stamps in the map is 2,139, and no two stamps are alike. All the coast and prominent inland countries are formed of contrasting colors.

A STATEMENT just prepared by direction of the commissioner of internal revenue shows that for July the average daily shipment of internal revenue stamps aggregated, in number, 22,775,527. Counting 27 days to the month, the total is shown to have been 614,929,120. This gives an idea of the work entailed upon the bureau by the conflict with Spain, a large addition to the stamps and increased demand resulting from the operation of the war revenue bill.

BERLIN has now women guides for the city. They are partly elderly and partly middle-aged ladies, with a certain amount of knowledge of the world, some acquaintance with languages and an assured and amiable demeanor, to whose care lone female travelers or the lady traveling parties recently imported from Scandinavia and America intrust themselves. Most of these resolute persons are Russians or Austrians. They also do shopping and other business for people living out of town.

A CALCULATOR made a computation, which demonstrated that the issue of internal revenue stamps for a single day, would, if in one sheet, cover an area of 28,560 square yards, or nearly six acres. If placed end to end in a straight line they would form a strip 617 miles in length. It is estimated that if one person should be employed in attaching the stamps it would require 53 years to dispose of the issues of a single day, the employee working ten hours each day and attaching an average of one stamp every half minute.

## POLITELY NEUTRAL.

That's What We Would Be in Case of a European War.

Thoughts Suggested by the Strained Relations Now Existing Between Great Britain and Russia and China.

[Special Washington Letter.] One of the problems now confronting the department of state is: "Shall we help England?"

Diplomats of various foreign nations say that since this country had the moral and physical support of Great Britain in the controversy and war with Spain we should aid England in her coming contest with Russia.

The major premise of the matter rests upon the assumption that China



LI HUNG CHANG.  
(The Greatest Chinese Statesman of the Century.)

is to be partitioned and that the vast empire of the orient is nearing its end. If this should be conceded there could be no doubt that this republic might, in the immediate future, be confronted with the problems and responsibilities which are so clearly set forth in various state papers.

But is China to be partitioned? I do not believe it. Of course, surface indications are such that almost everybody believes that the nations of Europe will accomplish their unconcealed purpose. Men skilled in statecraft do not all concede this proposition. International lawyers who are most familiar with Chinese history—and but few men know Chinese history as it really is—believe that the European nations who are building warships, maintaining armies, making demonstrations, filling their souls with hopes of the glory and prosperity of conquest, will yet beat out their own lives against the invisible Chinese wall of reserved force, and all of their dreams become mere "crownless metaphors of empire."

It is true that China is giving up ports and granting concessions of land; but these are merely fringes of her possessions, and in parting with them China sustains no loss. Her statesmen see other nations building fortifications, going to great expense in the furtherance of their ambitions, and her statesmen simply smile at the folly of these children from Europe gambling along the Chinese coasts.

We must remember that Li Hung Chang is one of the greatest of statesmen; and remember also that he is not the only great man within the Chinese empire who is capable of directing the forces which have made the vast empire coherent for so many centuries.

The statesmen of China know how to lead the people of their empire, and they know that the people of China prefer peace to all other blessings of human existence. They will not go to war if they can avoid it. They have avoided war, and they will always avoid war. They will foil off trouble in every conceivable manner. But if the integrity of the empire should ever be really threatened and the homes of the common people invaded the tide of Chinese resentment and resistance would sweep before it all of the armies of Europe, even if they were allied.

Modern navies could not be reckoned in such a war. The people of China, the military men and statesmen of China, would not go beyond their borders. They would not conquest. They would simply preserve their imperial integrity, and make the world for centuries afterward hesitate "to open the purple testament of bleeding war."

It will be well for us to remember that the statesmen of China have viewed the rise and fall of Alexander, Cyrus, Moses, Mohammed, Caesar and Napoleon. They have known of the wisdom of Solomon, the history of Nebuchadnezzar, the glory of Belshazzar, have witnessed the growth of the realm of the Prince of Peace from the appearance of the Star of Bethlehem to the coming of missionaries to urge upon them a religion better than that of Confucius. They calmly witness these comings and goings of nations, kingdoms, empires; and contentedly they live, secluded by their great wall, taking no part in the unrest and upheavals of petty ambitions.

While living in peaceful isolation, they are not unprogressive. They are conscious of their tremendous reserve force. We know not what their artisans are doing, away off in the in-

terior of China; but we may more wisely assume that they are preparing for emergencies than to assume that they are ignorant of current events and indifferent to their own future. Li Hung Chang saw the proposed partition of China, and he has been engaged in preparations for meeting that contingency. The people are children in diplomacy who have been unable to understand the trip around the world which that venerable statesman recently made. It was not prompted by idle curiosity, nor was the trip taken for his health.

Li Hung Chang went forth before the whole world, and the millions of people through whose territory he traveled saw back of his travels no purpose whatever. But he had a purpose. He was preparing to meet the invaders of his empire.

It would have been impossible for Li Hung Chang to go to St. Petersburg to confer with the czar without the whole world knowing it. The great statesman could not have sent forth any one of his most capable and trusted ministers without the fact becoming known and understood by the diplomatic world. But Li Hung Chang could take a trip around the world, and, in the presence of glaring millions, he could communicate with the czar and form an alliance which would be beneficial to Russia, and at the same time give to China a military force which would prevent her dismemberment. And he did it.

Within the past month Great Britain has discovered the fact that Russia and China are dominating northern Asia, and Great Britain may well beware of the Indiaward progress of the czar. The partitioning of China will not immediately occur. China is giving away a few territorial fringes; that is all.

Now the question is: "Shall we help England?" The answer should be, that, since receiving the moral aid of Great Britain during the past year, we should help England in every good and laudable endeavor, because England aided us in a laudable endeavor. But England has aided us in no international folly; has aided us in no attempt at national suicide; and, argal, England has no right to expect this country to aid her in any direction which might mean needless danger to our individual and collective interests. If it is deemed proper by British statesmen to try conclusions in war with China and Russia; to send armies and navies against two nations having 700,000,000 population—and that international folly may be committed by England—it is her undivided privilege. But England has no right to ask us to close our eyes to the conditions which obtain; has no right to ask us to assume that China is a sick man instead of a wonderful power, although absolutely dormant, so far as the outside world can see.

The people of our republic fearlessly faced the dread problem of war, and the plain people have borne the brunt of it with courage and heroism. The administration at Washington is now endeavoring to solve the perilous problems of peace. The territorial expansion which grew out of the armed conflict is causing our best and strongest statesmen to pause and consider. The form of government which shall be given to Puerto Rico and the Isle of Pines, and what form of government shall be established and maintained for



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(Russia's Clever Minister of Foreign Affairs.)

the Philippines, must be determined. What we shall do for Cuba, under our protectorate, while endeavoring to give the people a stable government, requires the manifestation of perfect statesmanship and of lofty patriotism. The president and his constitutional advisers are giving to these problems of peace the attention and consideration demanded by their gravity and lasting importance. Every cabinet meeting is devoted to these subjects.

One of the oldest and ablest officials of the department of state this afternoon said to the writer: "Great Britain fully understands that the government at Washington appreciates the friendly attitude of the government at London during our recent international difficulties. But the government at London also understands that the people of the United States will not sanction any movement which would be likely to involve us in needless conflict with our always good friend, Russia. Therefore it will be safe for newspaper writers to predict that we shall not help England in any war which might be caused by the ambitious desires of British subjects to extend their trade relations in China."

SMITH D. FRY.

## MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

State Land Transactions.  
William A. French, commissioner of the state land office, in his report for the fiscal year just closed says:

During the year there were sold 2,371 acres of state land of various kinds for a total of \$115,310. Receipts from other sources brought the total revenue of his office up to \$141,125. The following lands were held by the state at the close of the year: Primary school, 189,764.65 acres; university, 40; agricultural college, 88,311.73; salt spring, 320; asylum, 1,162.98; swamp, 104,046.96; tax homestead, 311,405.79; total, 695,034.11. The commissioner makes a plea for a law creating a forestry commission, citing the experiences of other states to show what can be done in the way of reforesting Michigan.

Death of Henry H. Holt.  
Former Lieut. Gov. Henry H. Holt, who died in Muskegon, aged 67 years, after an illness of only a few days, was a pioneer of Michigan. He was prosecuting attorney of Muskegon and Otsego counties and was elected representative to the state legislature for the sessions of 1867, 1869, 1871, 1879 and 1887. In 1872 he was elected lieutenant governor of Michigan, and was re-elected in 1874. He was twice married, his second wife being Mrs. Catherine E. Hackley, who survives him.

A Murder Mystery.  
The body of Mary Mahil, a domestic, was found in an orchard at Dearborn, a village ten miles from Detroit. The girl's throat was cut, the bloody razor with which the deed was done was lying but a few feet away. For a distance of several yards the tall grass showed evidence of a terrible struggle. An examination showed that the girl had been assaulted, and, as she had no money, the motive for the terrible deed cannot be imagined.

Health in Michigan.  
Reports to the state board of health from 69 observers in various portions of the state for the week ended August 27 indicate that typhoid fever and influenza increased and consumption decreased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 187 places, measles at 14, typhoid fever at 58, scarlet fever at 17, diphtheria at 19, and whooping cough at 14 places.

Matrimony in Two States.  
Compared with Indiana, which has a population but a trifle larger than that of this state, Michigan has an excellent matrimonial record. Reports received here show that during 1897, Indiana had 23,990 marriages as against 19,029 for Michigan. The number of divorces is not at all in the same proportion, Indiana having had 3,080 and Michigan 1,656.

Valuable Papers Recovered.  
A pocketbook, containing valuable papers and notes, stolen from the Richland bank, was found 20 rods east of the railway station, among weeds by four boys. The reward for the return of the pocketbook was \$100. A son of Deputy Sheriff Bresee was first to discover it. The bank is now doing business again.

Man with Muscle Needed.  
Ladies and girls are afraid to appear on poorly lighted streets in Owosso for fear of assault. Several serious cases have been reported of late and the officers are watching for offenders. One young man has been warned by an irate brother that unless he leaves the city the offender will fare roughly.

News Items Briefly Told.  
During the parade of a show in Niles a mad dog bit the six-year-old son of R. F. Chambers and the five-year-old son of George Merritt.

Lightning struck a house near Eden, destroyed the chimney, tore a carpet in one of the rooms into shreds and blew out two windows, but did not set fire to the house.

There has been but little increase this year over last in the ravages of the dreaded yellows among peach orchards of the lake shore fruit belt.

A sailboat on Otsego lake, near Gaylord, was struck by a squall and capsized, and T. Creska, aged 18, and Miss Allie Stott, aged 15, were drowned.

County Treasurer Laughlin, of Lapeer county, sustained painful injuries in a bicycle accident.

A large stone quarry has been opened near Omer.

Farmers in Monterey township, Allegan county, are losing large numbers of hogs from cholera.

Charles Chapin, aged 70, committed suicide in Jackson by taking paris green. Mrs. H. W. Bowering died from morphine self-administered.

Two more coal mine shafts will be sunk in Bay county, one at Oa-at-ka beach, and the other on the Holland farm just south of Stone island.

The board of state auditors have decided to place a more modern elevator in the state capitol. The new elevator will be operated by an electric motor and tank pressure.

Henry Starke, one of the pioneers of Manistee county, died of dropsy at his home in Arcadia, aged 76 years.

Joseph Kaiser, of Lexington, Ky., was run over and instantly killed at Petoskey by a dummy car. Kaiser was crossing the track on a bicycle.

Capt. Charles E. Clark, of the United States steamer Oregon, is visiting his brother, Capt. Lloyd Clark, at St. Joseph.

Bradstreet on Trade.  
New York, Sept. 3.—Bradstreet's says: "The advent of September finds fall trade apparently in full swing at the west and northwest, and more reported doing at southern Mississippi valley points and in the east, but the volume of business in wool and dry goods in the latter section is rather smaller than expected. Early reports of large business during August are confirmed by aggregates of monthly bank clearings, which show unprecedentedly large totals for that month, little below, indeed, the immense monthly aggregates of last winter. Reports from the iron and steel trade are in a high degree favorable, the tonnage movement being unprecedentedly large and the tone of prices firm at the advance recently scored. Business in steel is exceptionally large, and in the west particularly the output is limited only by the ability of the mills to keep up with orders. The western crop situation remains practically unchanged, cash wheat being lower on a rather larger movement of spring wheat, but an active demand for export has furnished sustaining power. Corn has been ruled by the weather in surplus-producing states, which is dry and hot, with a steady effect on prices.

"Distributive trade is active in the west and northwest, with dry goods, boots and shoes, hats and caps, millinery, clothing and hardware in most active distribution by jobbers, and with iron and steel and most of its products in active demand and consumption by manufacturers. An increased business is reported in the southern Mississippi valley, New Orleans telling of increased activity in general trade and larger receipts of new crop cotton and rice."

Fleet Reaches Boston.  
Boston, Sept. 3.—Amid the greatest enthusiasm from thousands both afloat and ashore, a fleet of nine warships, fresh from hard fighting in Cuba, headed by the stately Massachusetts, sailed up the harbor Friday afternoon and quietly dropped anchor off the wharves, salutes only being fired in honor of Commodore Howison, of the navy yard, and as Gov. Wolcott left for the shore. At night the officers, in their best uniforms, came ashore, and with Gov. Wolcott and Mayor Quincy held a well attended reception in historic Faneuil hall, while the fleet, with the assistance of a lively thunderstorm, lighted up the harbor with their searchlights.

An Awful Revenge.  
Altoona, Pa., Aug. 31.—Soldiers passing through Altoona tell a strange story regarding the death of Quartermaster George J. Franks, of company G, Twelfth New York regiment. The regiment is encamped at Chattanooga. Because of the death of three hospital patients after drinking milk sold by negroes living in the neighborhood the quartermaster of company G would not allow the negroes to sell anything to his company. Friday night a gang of negroes caught Franks outside of the camp grounds, and after beating him nearly to death threw him under a passing railroad train. Since then the guards have been ordered to shoot any negro who attempts to pass the camp lines.

A Terrific Storm.  
Savannah, Ga., Sept. 1.—The annual fall storm came Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, and left its usual trail of destruction. All the naphtha launches and small boats in the river were destroyed. A small river steamer was capsized after being blown away from the dock. A bark was also wrecked and there was extensive damage to property in the city. In 30 hours 8.29 inches of rain fell. A conservative estimate of the damage is \$250,000. Three companies of the Second North Carolina regiment were stationed at Tybee. Their tents and clothes all blew away and they quartered themselves in any place they could find.

Weyler's Policy.  
London, Aug. 31.—Gen. Weyler, according to a special dispatch from Madrid, has outlined his future policy. He proposes, it appears, to be independent both of the government and of the opposition, "always aiming to preserve the country and to reorganize the army." He expresses the belief that the Carlists have plenty of money, some of which, he alleges, comes from France. He says the united republicans have no personal animus against the queen, their only object being to "adopt a firm, international stand, one result of which would be to check in some measure England's ambition."

Victims of Dynamite.  
Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 3.—A special to the Sentinel from Bloomington, Ind., says: A horrible accident occurred at Stinesville Friday afternoon, in which four men were instantly killed by a dynamite explosion and many others seriously injured. The men were blasting rock for a new pike, when a terrific explosion of dynamite occurred, instantly killing the following: John W. Williams, John Grubb, Buck Wampler and Edward Watts. These were fatally injured: Ben Fyffe, Milton Hike, Willie Liford.

Formally Accepts Annexation.  
Washington, Aug. 31.—The incoming Hawaiian mail brought to the state department the last report from United States Minister Sewall in his capacity of United States minister. The minister transmits to the department the formal acceptance by President Dole of the act of the United States congress annexing the islands to the United States.

Labor Delegates Coming.  
Bristol, England, Sept. 2.—The Trades Union congress decided to send two delegates to the meeting of the delegates of the American Federation of Labor.



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Now for the fairs.  
School days are here.  
"Drummers" are on the go.  
Cutting corn is now in order.  
Excursions are taking place yet.  
Frosty mornings are not far off.  
A cold wave struck us yesterday.  
Day and night will soon be equal.  
The nutting season is near at hand.  
Oh! for the big fat oysters to come.  
Another fine rain Tuesday morning.  
Fruit jars are in great demand now.  
A few overcoats were worn yesterday.  
J. W. Bower spent Monday in Detroit.  
Base ball is about over—foot-ball next.  
Hunting for game will be the next thing.  
Jacob Alber was in Bay City this week.  
Our next legal holiday is Thanksgiving.  
County fairs must pay a \$10 revenue tax.  
Have your stove pipes and chimneys cleaned.  
Jacob Zang spent a few days in Toledo, this week.  
C. Klein was in Ann Arbor last Friday on business.  
Hallow-een will be a night of fun for the young people.  
The roof on Holmes' dry goods store has been repaired.  
Our Union school had a good attendance on opening day.  
Dr. S. G. Bush was in Detroit last Monday on business.  
A new maple floor has been laid in the Bank Drug store.  
Fred Mensing is visiting relatives in Toledo this week.  
Frank Miller has been on the sick list for the past week.  
Miss Edith Noyes is visiting relatives in Chicago this week.  
Geo. Kempf returned home from New York last Monday.  
Eisenbarth & Verno's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Co., Sept. 14.  
The country boys and girls are coming in to attend school.  
Many people caught cold during this changeable weather.  
Fred Vogelbacker spent Sunday and Monday in Jackson.  
Master Press Osborn returned home to Chicago, Wednesday.  
Mrs. M. Schanz and daughter spent Thursday in Hudson.  
Mrs. C. Klein is in Mt. Clemens for the benefit of her health.  
Horse racing at Pinckney, Saturday, and at Jackson next week.  
Wednesday was quite windy, and straw hats were flying about.  
It won't be long now before wood will be coming into market.  
Henry Steinbach and Walter Leach spent Monday in Detroit.  
Miss Tillie Gerbach visited friends in Ann Arbor the past week.  
Miss Corinne Seeger is teaching school in District No. 12, Lyndon.  
Oh! for the lovely autumn days to come when the leaves are falling.  
Don't kill the sparrows, for they eat all kinds of bugs, worms, etc.  
W. R. Lehman and family spent Sunday with relatives at Ann Arbor.  
Albert Richards, of Sylvan, had five sheep killed by dogs recently.  
The last hot spell has brought down the ice in the ice-houses quite low.  
And now the boys and girls are happy, for school days are here again.  
Postmaster W. F. Riemenschneider was a Jackson visitor last Monday.  
Some of our people were at the Whitmore lake picnic last Saturday.  
J. H. Osborn, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes.  
Bert VanOrden, of White Oak, was the guest of Chelsea friends this week.  
Miss Perret, of Detroit, was the guest of Miss Agnes McKune, last Sunday.  
John Kensler, the produce dealer, of Manchester, was in town, Wednesday.  
Olla B. Taylor, of Detroit, was the guest of his father, Jas. Taylor, the past week.  
Rush Green, our genial village marshal, took in the sights at Jackson, Labor day.  
The Misses Leary and Eagan, of Dexter, visited friends in Chelsea last Wednesday.

The Misses Neckel, of Detroit, visited their many friends in Chelsea, this week.  
Thomas Murray, of Dexter, was the guest of friends in Chelsea last Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wade, Jr., of Lima, visited relatives in Detroit, Saturday.  
The band played some lively tunes in front of the Opera house, Monday evening.  
H. H. Fenn, who is on the road for a drug firm, is spending a few days at home.  
Late corn has suffered much during this last hot and dry spell. Early corn is all right.  
Born, August 18, 1898, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Hindeland, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., a son.  
Mrs. Morrison, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of Mrs. Winifred McKune, last Tuesday.  
Albert Hendelang, who is in poor health, left for Battle Creek, on Wednesday, for a prolonged stay.  
The show Monday night was fair. The Irishman was the best, but the rest were somewhat tame.  
Nearly every year something new is being introduced into the public schools all over the country.  
All the county fairs have got out premium lists in pamphlet form which shows much artistic taste.  
Master Arthur St. V. of Lyndon, was quite badly bruised by an infuriated cow, one day last week.  
Miss Harriett Tucker has been quite ill, for the past week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaver.  
Alec McCarter left Monday for York State, where he will spend a couple of weeks with relatives.  
More cement sidewalks have been laid—in front of the Lutheran church and other places in the village.  
Mrs. Timothy McKune, J. Ed. McKune and Miss Agnes McKune were in Manchester last Wednesday.  
Now for pumpkin pies, some say they are quite sweet; and to stop the children's cries, let them the rich pies eat.  
Now is the time that children need things for school, so advertise in the HERALD, a paper that goes into every family.  
Painters, carpenters and plasterers are pushing unfinished buildings towards completion before cold weather sets in.  
The Misses Bessie Walsh, Agnes Wade and Mary Schwicklerath are visiting relatives and friends in Detroit, this week.  
Long before winter sets in people should repair their sidewalks so that they will be in good shape during the entire winter.  
A farmer, the other day, said he had hard work to get men to help him to thresh and still there were idle men on the street.  
Sweet cider days are here at last, to the country you should go; the pleasant days will soon be past, and then will come flutters of snow.  
Actor Frank Tucker, of Decatur, who had his leg amputated recently at the University hospital, is able to be about by the aid of crutches.  
We read of small villages having disastrous fires, sweeping everything, because they have no fire protection. How foolish some people are.  
Adolph Kolb, who has been in the employ of John Yost for the past summer, had a bicycle stolen from the premises, last Friday night.  
Conrad Lehman, Co. G, 34th Mich. Vols., arrived in Ann Arbor last Saturday. He is still confined to his bed, and has lost 55 pounds since enlisting.  
The reflection of fires, in the southeastern part of the county, could be seen here the first of the week, caused by the burning of barns being set on fire by lightning.  
The way the cold wind blowed Wednesday made many a wanderer think that old gray winter is not far off, and that they would have to seek a warmer clime.  
The street sprinkler had no chance to rest during this last hot dry spell; but the heavy rains early Sunday, Monday and Tuesday mornings gave it a short resting spell.  
The following persons spent Monday in Jackson: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Raftery, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Farrell, H. Lighthall, Thos. McNamara, W. G. Kempf and Jacob Hummel.  
The Spare Minute Reading Circle will hold its annual business meeting at the home of Mrs. H. H. Avery, Monday evening, Sept. 12. It is important that every member be present.  
Chelsea would like to have more manufacturing. We hope our wide-awake business people will get up a carnival to bring manufacturers here to locate, like they are doing in other places.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Fox and daughter, and Miss Mary Howe, of Chicago, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Howe, of Kavanaugh Lake, left for Detroit last Saturday.

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### Here and There.

Cool weather yet.  
Autumn is nearly here.  
The University opens Sept. 27.  
Now for business to brighten up.  
Labor day was a fine day after all.  
More fall and winter goods arriving.  
The equinoctial storms are not far off.  
Plant trees on Arbor days next month.  
Ann Arbor schools open next Monday.  
The Normal at Ypsilanti opened Tuesday.  
Court opened in Ann Arbor on Tuesday.  
A big coal strike is in contemplation for next year.  
Country roads should be repaired before winter sets in.  
They are still having trouble with tramps at Ann Arbor.  
Spanish is being taught now in some of the city schools.  
Some roofs have been leaking during the heavy rains, lately.  
We hope the next show that comes along will be a "stunner."  
The post-office was closed on Labor day from 12 m. to 4 p. m.  
Carnivals and street fairs are all the go, for this month and next.

We haven't heard of many sunstrokes during the last heated spell.

Heavy thunder showers the first of the week. Just what we needed.

Manchester schools opened rather early—the last Monday in August.

We hope the day is not far distant when Chelsea will have letter carriers.

Washtenaw county's old pioneers are passing away at a good old age.

Detroit, Jackson and other places captured Chelsea people on Labor day.

If you have any old relics take them to the log cabin at the Ann Arbor fair.

A band of traveling musicians played fine music on our streets last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Benham, of Ann Arbor, were Chelsea visitors last week.

The Michigan Central and other rail roads are laying off hands right along.

"From h—l to heaven" some soldiers have remarked, after they arrived home.

The "Dewey Two-step" and the "Schley Galop" are new dances that just come out.

Saline and Grass Lake have voted against the free text book system. How foolish!

A man must be a successful business man before he can become a successful advertiser.

The woodman's axe will soon come into play, but it will go much better on a cold winter's day.

Cross cows, bulls, etc., of late, have been injuring and killing people. Be careful and be on your guard.

Cities and villages are working hard this year to make their fairs a success, but they can't all make it a financial success.

The thorn and the rose are an example of life. What is beautiful and sweet and what is painful are never far apart.

The women in our cities and villages are giving the soldier and sailor boys the best of attention when they arrive home.

Quite often boys and men are killed by jumping on and off the cars while in motion. Will they never take warning?

A convict in a penitentiary in Germany has invented a shaving machine, and in one hour's time he shaved 150 convicts.

Take warning! An Adrian man had both legs cut off while getting off a train near Toledo, lately, while the train was in motion.

Although the sale bill season is a long ways off yet, we are in better shape than ever to print bills on the shortest notice. Free local notices given of the sale.

Do not let the potatoes lie in the ground undug after they are ripe. The chances of loss from mice, pocket gophers and rot are greater than most people can afford.

Once in a while we read of a bicycle rider taking a "header" into a ditch, creek, etc., but not getting hurt much. Look out for rough places and don't ride too fast.

From the Ann Arbor Argus: Mrs. Jennie Ward asks for a divorce from her husband Frank C. Ward, who, she claims, deserted her in 1891. They were married in Lima in 1884.

It is strange how some people will bite at the hook of every fakir which comes along, but if you solicit them for advertising they cannot see where the benefit is derived.

A beekeeper says that those beekeepers living in or near a town would do well to exert themselves in inducing the town people to plant basswood trees in preference to other kinds.

The Woman's Guild, of the Congregational Church, will give a social at the home of Mrs. D. McLaren, on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 14th. A very cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

The Rev. Dr. Whelan, of Baltimore, celebrated the high mass at St. Mary's Church, last Sunday, and preached a beautiful and eloquent sermon on "Divine Providence." Dr. Whelan left for Detroit last Monday after a most enjoyable visit with the pastor of St. Mary's Church.

It is related that an old lady living in a neighboring town has a hen which laid an egg with the letters G. S. H. inscribed on it. She took the egg to prayer-meeting to have the meaning explained, and after much discussion a pious old lady jumped up and said it meant "Give Spain H—l."

Cut in slices good fresh tomatoes, not too ripe, put a layer of them in a dish suitable for baking, then a layer of bread crumbs over them; salt, pepper and plenty of butter, another layer of tomatoes, and so on until the dish is full. Bake one hour. If the flavor of onion is desired, small bits may be inserted here and there in layers.

Cards are out announcing the coming marriage of Miss Genevieve Gunn, of Ypsilanti, to Alexander J. Nulan, of the same place. The ceremony is to take place in St. John's Church, Ypsilanti, on Sept. 14, 1898. Miss Gunn formerly lived in Chelsea, and had many friends, who will unite in wishing her much joy on her happy marriage.

A Michigan exchange is in search of prosperity. It says: A prospective subscriber wants to know if we will take chickens on subscription. Yes—and wood and meal and meat and coon and possums and fish and potatoes and peaches and billy goats and pigs and horses and hay and land and mules and corn and calves and rabbits and wheat and turnips and any old thing you've got. We have on rare occasions even taken money on subscription.

Among those that received certificates to teach for the next three years, at the examination in Ann Arbor, Aug. 18-20, were: Marie Bacon, Anna Beissel, Nellie G. Congdon, Claribel Hemens, Linnie Rogers and Marie Schaible, of Chelsea. To teach one year were: Wm. H. Burkhardt, Beatrice Bacon, Lillian Girard, A. Jas. Kellam, L. Dorrit Hoppe, Esther and Edna Reade, and Lettie Wackenhut, of Chelsea.

Probably the farmer who permits all kinds of weeds to grow along the roadside of his farm may not consider it his duty to cut down the weeds on a public highway, but such weeds will be the sources from which seeds will be scattered broadcast for the next year's crop, entailing labor from early spring until late in the fall. It will be found cheaper to mow the weeds from the roadside than to ignore them.—Ex.

It is maintained that peach yellows is due to starvation, not complete exhaustion of the soil, but lack of sufficient plant food. Others contend that the disease will appear and ravage the best managed orchards. The stones of peaches are large and take an enormous amount of plant food from the soil, which necessitates the liberal use of both manure and fertilizers. Some growers claim that if they can get one good crop from an orchard that dies out before the trees are five years old the orchard will pay, hence they plant new trees every year and thus have some trees coming on while the old ones are going off. The borer is really more destructive than the yellows.

The following from the Seattle Daily Times, of August 26, 1898, will be of interest to our readers, as H. F. Schatz, a former resident of Chelsea, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schatz, was on board the wrecked bark: "The ancient bark Guardian lies on the rocks off the head of Tigalco Island, Alaska, a total wreck. Her masts are broken off short with the deck, and her hull, rotten with age, is rapidly breaking to pieces. She fortunately landed the passengers, taken out of here, at their destination, and will never again imperil human life. After plowing through a bank of solid fog for hundreds of miles through Behring Sea, the old bark piled up on the sharp rocks of the island that guards the Behring Sea entrance to Unimak Pass. Once through the pass, she would have probably reached Seattle in safety, but the fog was so thick that nothing could be seen beyond the end of the jibboom and not even the roar of the breakers warned the old Guardian of her doom. Through a fortunate combination of circumstances not a life was lost. Capt. Eagles and the crew took to the life boats, and as there was no sea on had little trouble getting away from the wreck. They pulled twenty-three miles through the fog to Unalaska. The news was brought to Seattle this afternoon by the Boston and Alaska Transportation Company's fine steamer Laurada, which arrived direct from Dutch Harbor and St. Michael. Captain Eagles, of the wrecked bark, was on board. The Laurada was black with bewildered Klondikers, and the many carpenters the company has had employed at Dutch Harbor constructing river boats. The Klondikers on board all had some money, but few were well fixed. A conservative estimate places the amount of dust on board at \$150,000. The richer men were P. Ireland, H. F. Schatz and Messrs. Moran and Steward."

### Michigan Agricultural College.

#### TREATMENT OF SEED WHEAT TO PREVENT SMUT.

The unusual prevalence of smut in the wheat crop of 1898 calls for extraordinary effort on the part of Michigan wheat growers to prevent a repetition of the loss from this source next year. It is now well known that smut is a disease carried forward from one year to another in the seed wheat. The disease converts the kernel into a black, ill smelling mass of spores which, when the smutty kernels are broken up by the threshing machine or by hand, attach themselves to the sound kernels. When wheat so infected is sown, the kernels and these spores of smut germinate at the same time. The smut plant grows inside the wheat stem throughout the season, and when the crop is ripening it turns the kernels in the head of wheat into the well-known smut kernels. The spread of the disease may best be prevented by treating the seed wheat. The remedies are neither expensive nor laborious in application.

#### TREATMENT NO. I.—FORMALIN.

Buy at a reliable drug store a pound of formalin. It should cost you not far from sixty cents. Mix with 50 gallons of water. Put the seed wheat in a pile on a floor which has been swept clean and sprinkled with the same solution of formalin. Spray or sprinkle the wheat with the formalin solution, shoveling the pile over meanwhile until all the surface of every kernel is wet. Do not use an excess of the liquid or it will hinder germination. Leave in a pile for 24 hours and sow at once or dry and sow later. The bags and other utensils with which the seed wheat comes in contact should also be treated.

#### TREATMENT NO. II.

Substitute one pound of corrosive sublimate for the formalin in the above remedy and treat the wheat otherwise exactly as explained above. Remember that corrosive sublimate is a deadly poison and neither the solution itself nor the treated wheat should be left where stock can possibly gain access to it. The corrosive sublimate is rather hard to dissolve and the solution should be prepared by dissolving the pound of the drug in three or four gallons of hot water and adding later a sufficient quantity to bring the total amount up to the required fifty gallons.

#### TREATMENT NO. III.—BLUE VITRIOL.

Dissolve one pound of blue vitriol in four gallons of water and spray the wheat as in the treatments above. The four gallons should wet thirteen bushels of wheat. This method is as good as neither of the preceding since copper sulphate, or blue vitriol, as it is variously called, injures the germination of the wheat.

#### TREATMENT NO. IV.—HOT WATER.

Soak the seed wheat for ten minutes in water at 133 degrees F. Use a tested thermometer only. Provide two vessels large enough to hold twenty gallons each, if possible. One should contain warm water at about 120 degrees F., the other scalding water at 133 degrees. Into the first vessel plunge the seed wheat in a burlaps sack or wire basket. Keep it there until warm, then plunge into the second vessel, lifting it out occasionally and shifting it about in the scalding water until every kernel has been exposed to the temperature. Remove from the second vessel, at the end of ten minutes, and cool immediately, either by spreading on a clean floor in a thin layer or plunging into a barrel of cold water. Dry and sow, or sow broadcast at once.

C. F. WHEELER, Botanist.

C. D. SMITH, Director.

#### Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centers in the stomach, gently stimulates the liver and kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at Glazier & Simson's drug store.

#### For Sale.

As I intend to refit my livery stable with new up-to-date carriages, etc., this fall, I will sell at very low prices my entire stock of carriages, whips and harness. Call at once and secure a bargain.

JACOB STAFFAN, Chelsea, Mich.

Mark Twain is the next famous person to be "anecdotalized" by the Ladies' Home Journal, and the humorist's closest friends have sent to the magazine for its next number some twenty odd stories about him, none of which have ever been printed. They are, of course, of the droll sort, but not more funny than the "snap-shot" pictures of Mark which his friends have also loaned the magazine. These, too, have never been printed.



## A PARISIAN SENSATION.

**Suicide of Lieut. Col. Henry Throws the French Army Into Spasms of Excitement.**

**FORGED PAPER TO CONVICT DREYFUS.**

**Capt. Dreyfus Now Likely to Get a New Trial—Minister of War Retires Maj. Esterhazy, and Gen. Boisdeffre, Chief of Staff, Resigns—Lieut. Henry's Confession.**

Paris, Sept. 1.—Lieut. Col. Henry, of the French army, who was one of the principal accusers of Capt. Dreyfus, killed himself Wednesday night, 24 hours after his arrest for forgery and perjury. He cut his throat with a razor which he had concealed in his valise when taken to prison.

### Made a Confession.

He had confessed that he forged one of the letters upon which Dreyfus was convicted. The letter purported to reveal secrets of the French government, and Dreyfus was accused of being in the pay of Germany. Henry admitted to the minister of war that his testimony in the Zola-Dreyfus trials was false. His confession was so complete that it virtually upsets the entire case against Dreyfus, and the government has virtually promised a new trial. Henry's only attempt to justify his conduct was the statement that he thought the honor of the French army required the conviction of Dreyfus.

The scene of Lieut. Col. Henry's avowal was most painful. When he saw it was almost useless to deny further, his tongue grew too thick for his mouth, and he was unable to speak. It was feared that he would have an apopleptic stroke. After his arrest he was permitted to visit his wife while on the way to the fortress at Mont Valerien.

The confession threatens to rekindle the Dreyfus agitation more heatedly than ever, and seems likely to shake public confidence in the army. Even the Liberte, a strong anti-Dreyfus organ says: "It must cause the deepest pain to all honorable men that officers of such standing show such a lack of moral sense."

### Dreyfus May Get a Rehearing.

It is reported that at the cabinet meeting the ministers admitted that a revision of the Dreyfus trial was absolutely unavoidable and a public announcement that the ministry has decided to initiate such a revision is expected soon.

### Esterhazy to Be Retired.

The Temps asserts that the disclosures made to the ministers have decided the minister of war to place Maj. Count Esterhazy on the retired list.

### Gen. Boisdeffre Resigns.

Gen. Le Mouton de Boisdeffre, chief of the general staff of the French army, has tendered his resignation to the government. Gen. De Boisdeffre, in his letter of resignation, explains that he resigns owing to his misplaced confidence in Lieut. Col. Henry, which led him to present as genuine what was forged evidence. M. Cavaignac, the minister of war, in reply, asked Gen. De Boisdeffre to remain to "see justice rendered in the matter." Gen. De Boisdeffre thanked M. Cavaignac for proofs of his esteem, but persisted in his resignation. He will be replaced, therefore, by Gen. Renouard, director of the military college.

### His Suicide Was Desired.

Paris, Sept. 2.—It is now insinuated that the suicide of Lieut. Col. Henry, the chief of the intelligence department of the French ministry of war, was connived at by the French army authorities. The carelessness of the authorities in allowing Henry to have a razor and in not watching him is generally interpreted as connivance, and, perhaps, as persuasion, since officers under arrest, and likely to be condemned should, according to military regulations, be constantly watched, while Lieut. Col. Henry was left for hours alone and allowed to lock the door on the inside.

### War Is Feared.

London, Sept. 3.—War between France and Germany as a result of exposures to be made in the Dreyfus case and war between Great Britain and Russia over complications in the far east are confidently predicted by well posted politicians in Europe.

Gen. Polliux has tendered his resignation, but it was withdrawn on the insistence of Gen. Zurlinden.

It was announced Friday afternoon by the Patria that several officers of the general staff have decided to resign shortly and divulge all they know of the entire Dreyfus affair. One officer declares that war will inevitably follow as a result of the revelation which will be made regarding the machinations of another government.

### One Man Killed.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 1.—In a riot which occurred on Mallory docks in this city Wednesday one man was killed and six injured. No names were obtainable. The riot grew out of labor troubles, the longshoremen demanding an advance from 30 to 40 cents per hour and 50 to 60 cents for day and night work respectively.

## THE SOUTHERN STORM.

**Further Reports of Great Damage—Coast Islands Suffer Severely.**

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 3.—While Savannah suffered heavily from the cyclone which swept over this section of the coast Wednesday morning, the damage on the coast islands and in the interior as far as the storm reached is probably greater. The flooded condition of the country renders communication difficult and in many sections it is entirely cut off and no news has been received to indicate what the conditions are. The first news from the Carolina sea islands which were the scene of the great tidal storm of 1893, in which thousands of persons perished was received Friday. While the storm was nothing like that of five years ago the loss is heavy. The beaches north of Tybee are lined with wrecks of small craft and at Bluffton and the other small settlements nearly all the houses were unroofed and many were destroyed.

The loss to the rice crop on the Savannah river alone is estimated at \$200,000 to \$250,000. Three-fourths of the crop has been destroyed. The loss to planters between Savannah and Augusta will run into the hundreds of thousands. A heavy flood is reported in the upper Savannah river and messengers were sent out from here to warn planters of its approach. The cotton crop in the counties adjoining Savannah is practically ruined.

### The Switch Was Open.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 2.—A special to the Herald from Fulton says:



THE NEW CHURCH AT AMSTERDAM, HOLLAND.

Edifice in Which Young Wilhelmina Is to Be Crowned Queen of The Netherlands.

Train No. 5 on the New York, Ontario & Western railroad, known as "the Chicago limited," was wrecked at Ingalls' Crossing, four miles south of this village, at five o'clock in the morning. The wreck was doubtless due to the dastardly work of tramps, who threw open the switch at which the train was wrecked as well as two switches to the north of the wreck. Engineer Dowd and Fireman Hall both jumped and were found under the wreckage of the tender by passengers from the sleeper. Dowd died in a few minutes and Hall three hours later. The body of Brakeman Osborn was torn in two.

### McKinley Among Old Friends.

Canton, O., Sept. 2.—A grand demonstration occurred here at noon Wednesday in honor of President McKinley and Secretary of State Day. Out of respect for the president's expressed wish that his present visit be informal the affair was to a considerable extent unorganized and partook largely of the nature of a spontaneous outburst of enthusiasm. The people of the community turned out en masse and from the depot to the Barber residence, where the McKinleys were the guests of Mrs. McKinley's sister, the streets were bright and cheerful with flags and other displays of the national colors.

### The Gold Reserve.

Washington, Sept. 3.—The gold reserve in the United States treasury reached the highest point in its history Friday, with a total reserve of \$219,320,372. The highest previous amount was \$218,000,000, which was recorded in March, 1888. The reserve was established in 1879 with \$116,000,000. It first reached \$200,000,000 in October, 1887, when the figures were \$2,000,000 above that mark. The lowest point reached was \$44,000,000 in January, 1895. In June, 1897, there was \$140,000,000 and one year later the amount was \$167,000,000.

### Czar's Peace Congress.

Berlin, Sept. 3.—It is the intention of Russia, according to reliable information obtained by a press correspondent here, to convene a peace conference a month after the adjournment of the Spanish-American peace conference.

## THANKSGIVING SERVICES.

**Held in Amsterdam on the Occasion of Queen Wilhelmina Attaining Her Majority.**

Amsterdam, Sept. 1.—Solemn thanksgiving services were held here Wednesday in all the churches, as well as in the churches throughout Holland, upon the occasion of Queen Wilhelmina attaining her majority. Queen Wilhelmina, accompanied by the queen mother, attended divine service in the Great church here in the morning. The grand duke of Saxe-Weimar, the grand duchess of Mecklenburg, the prince and princess of Wald, the diplomatic corps, the civic and military authorities, and 4,000 other persons were present.

The papal nuncio, Mgr. Taranassi, and the ministers from Catholic countries attended divine services in the Catholic church.

Upon the occasion of her birthday and the attainment of her majority, Queen Wilhelmina Helen Pauline Maria issued a proclamation to the people of the Netherlands. It was worded as follows:

"On this day, so important to you and me, I desire before all else to say a word of warm gratitude. From my tenderest years you have surrounded me with your love. From all parts of the kingdom, from all classes of society, young and old, I have always received striking proofs of attachment. After the death of my venerated father, all your attachment to the dynasty was transferred to me. On this day I am ready to accept the splendid though weighty task whereto I shall be called, and I feel myself supported by your fidelity. Receive my thanks. My experience hitherto has left ineffaceable impressions and is an earnest of the future."

## GOLD FROM THE KLONDIKE.

**Steamer Roanoke Brings to Seattle About \$4,000,000—Many Gold Hunters Disappointed.**

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 31.—The steamer Roanoke arrived here Tuesday from St. Michael, Alaska, with 459 passengers and gold dust which a conservative estimate places at \$4,000,000. The bulk of it was the property of the Canadian bank of commerce and the North American Trading & Transportation company. The amount consigned to the Canadian bank of commerce is \$600,000. A majority of the passengers were men who went to Dawson in last year's rush. They have no gold but lots of experience. The fortunate passengers numbered about 75. Of these probably 25 had over \$10,000 each. The amounts held by the remaining 50 range from \$100 to \$50,000. The following is a list of the richest ones and the amounts they brought back:

M. W. Jenkins, \$33,000; Theodore Anderson, \$30,000; George Carmack, \$35,000; "Stick Jim," \$35,000; "Tagish Charley," \$35,000; Ike Powers, \$15,000; H. Doane, \$15,000; F. Renaud, \$15,000.

These men were among the first who went into the Klondike. George Carmack was the discoverer of the Klondike. He located the first claim on Bonanza creek. "Stick Jim" and "Tagish Charley" are full-blooded Indians.

### Another Cruiser for Our Navy.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Now that hostilities are over the United States is at liberty to receive from the British builders the fine cruiser, Albany, sister ship to the New Orleans, which was

## INSPECTS CAMP WIKOFF.

**President McKinley Visits the Sick Heroes, and Addresses Those More Fortunate.**

Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Sept. 3.—President McKinley spent five hours in the camp Saturday, bareheaded most of the time, visiting the sick in the hospitals and inspecting the well in their cantonments. He made a speech to the assembled infantryman, reviewed the cavalrymen, expressed his opinion of the camp to the reporters, and issued an order directing the regulars to return to their stations east of the Mississippi.

With the president, besides the secretary of war, were:

Vice President Hobart, Attorney-General Briggs, Senator Redfield Proctor, of Vermont; Brig. Gen. Egan, Brig. Gen. Ludington, Maj. Webb C. Hayes, son of the late President Hayes; Col. M. T. Herrick, of Cleveland; William McKinley Barber, land; Secretary Porter and Assistant Secretary Corteloup.

The ladies of the party were Mrs. Alger and Miss Hecker.

Maj. Gen. Wheeler was surrounded by a number of his staff. The carriages, preceded by the cavalry, wound up the hill to Gen. Wheeler's headquarters.

There the president took a long view of the wide, treeless expanse, checkered with regimental camps and hospitals, great porters of canvas amid stretches of grass.

"This is beautiful," Mr. McKinley said, and then later: "I think I never saw a handsomer camp."

Gen. Wheeler, who rode beside the president's carriage, pointed out the different places of interest. All the nurses and physicians were assembled at the hospital when the president arrived. The cheers were spontaneous and ringing. The president went into the tent alone or with Gen. Wheeler and made a personal inspection. The tents were in admirable condition. Everything was clean and attractive, and the wan patients smiled joyfully as the president went to them grasping many by the hand, as if they were his own brothers and sons. So the visiting was continued from tent to tent, from division to division until the entire camp had been inspected.

A visit was paid to the infantry plain where the cheering was prolonged and the men showed themselves in high spirits. Men of the Ninth Massachusetts, First Illinois, Eighth Ohio and Thirtieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twelfth regular infantry were assembled without arms. About 5,000 stood in close order and Gen. Wheeler said:

"The president of our great country has come here to greet the soldiers who marched so gallantly up San Juan hill on July 1. He comes here to express the nation's thanks to these brave men. I wish to tell you that when the president sent me here, two weeks ago, to command this camp he enjoined me in the most emphatic language that I should, without regard to expense, exercise any and every authority necessary to make comfortable this body of brave men, who, by their courage, have raised this republic to the highest position among the great nations of the earth. I have the honor and pleasure of introducing to you the president of the United States."

When the cheering subsided President McKinley responded as follows:

"Gen. Wheeler, Soldiers of Camp Wikoff, Soldiers of the Fifth Army Corps: I trust that you will put your hats on—I am glad to meet you. I am honored to stand before you to-day. I bring you the gratitude of the nation to whose history you have added by your valor a new and glorious page. You have come home after two months of severe campaigning, which has embraced assault, siege and battle, so brilliant in achievement, so far-reaching in results as to command the unstinted praise of all your countrymen."

"You had the brunt of the battle on land. You bore yourselves with supreme courage, and your personal bravery, never before excelled anywhere, has won the admiration of your fellow citizens and the genuine respect of all mankind, while your endurance under peculiar trial and suffering has given added meaning to your heroism. Your exertions made easy the conquest of Puerto Rico under the resistless army commanded by Maj. Gen. Miles, and behind you, to proceed at a moment's summons, were more than 200,000 of your comrades, ready to support you, disappointed that the opportunity which you had did not come to them, yet filled with pride at your well-earned fame and rejoicing upon your signal victories."

"You were on the line of battle—they, no less than you, were in the line of duty. All have served their country in its need, and will serve it so long as they may be required, and all will forever have the thanks and regard of a grateful people."

"We cannot bid you welcome here to-day without our hearts going out to the heroes of Manila on sea and on land, whose services and sacrifices, whose courage and constancy in that far-distant field of operations have never been surpassed by any soldiers or sailors the world over."

"To the army and the navy, to the marines, to the regulars, to the volunteers and to that Providence which has watched over them all the nation to-day is full of thanksgiving and praise. The brave officers and men who fell in battle and those who have died from exposure and sickness will live in immortal story and their memories will be perpetuated in the hearts and in the lives of a generous people, and those who are dependent upon them will not be neglected by the government for which they so freely sacrificed their lives."

After the tour of the tents had been made the president and party were escorted to Gen. Wheeler's headquarters, where the president received some important telegrams, which were speedily answered. Then the president dined with Gen. Wheeler and was escorted to the special train scheduled to leave at two o'clock. He was driven between two lines of troops with drawn sabers. At the station there was another demonstration. Soldiers presented arms and saluted the president, which he duly acknowledged.



## REVISION CERTAIN.

French Cabinet Almost Sure to Re-open Dreyfus Case—Minister of War Cavaignac Resigns.

Paris, Sept. 5.—M. Cavaignac, minister for war, has resigned. The resignation is due to a disagreement with his colleagues, who desire a revision of the Dreyfus case. The following is the letter sent to M. Brisson, premier and president of the council.

"I have the honor to send you and beg you to transmit to the president of the republic my resignation as minister of war. There exists a disagreement between us which, being prolonged, would paralyze the government at a time when it most needs full unity of action."

"I remain convinced of the guilt of Dreyfus and as a revision of the case. I do not intend to shirk the responsibilities of the present situation, but I cannot assume them without being in accord with the chief of the government to which I have the honor to belong."

The public feeling is running, if possible, even higher. Day by day the tide in favor of revision is setting strong. The resignation of M. Cavaignac seems to make revision assured. A certain feeling of impatience that no decisive step has yet been taken is noticeable. Such a complete upheaval of the Dreyfus case has been made by M. Henry's confession that this was probably inevitable. M. Cavaignac's arrest of Henry, came like a thunderbolt, but when the public had recovered from the first shock it naturally expected the government to go forward on the only honorable path—namely, revision of the Dreyfus case.

Owing to the resignation of M. Godfrey Cavaignac, of the ministry of war, President Faure returned to Paris Sunday morning and conferred with M. Del Casse, minister for foreign affairs; M. Bourgeois, minister of pub-

## MICHIGAN TOWN SUFFERS.

Fire Destroys Property at Owosso with an Estimated Value of \$200,000.

Owosso, Mich., Sept. 5.—Owosso Saturday night suffered a \$200,000 fire. At 9:30 fire was discovered in the rear end of Woodward's furniture factory, and in a short time the whole institution was in flames. The fire was beyond control before the firemen got to work, and after destroying the warehouse, kilns and lumber yard of the furniture factory jumped across the street to the Owosso Brewing company. The three large buildings of this institution were soon enveloped in flames. The fire next spread to the implement store of Crow & Faynes, William Jopling's livery barn, Jacob Barrie's meat market and several small buildings near at hand. At midnight, despite the strong wind blowing, the firemen got the flames under control and stopped their spread. The loss on Woodward's furniture factory will be fully \$150,000, with \$60,000 insurance. The Owosso Brewing company's loss is about \$30,000, with \$11,000 insurance. Twenty-five thousand dollars, it is believed, will cover the loss among the smaller institutions.

## MANY VICTIMS OF HEAT.

Awful Record Is Reported from New York City and Philadelphia for Saturday and Sunday.

New York Sept. 5.—Fifty dead and over 100 prostrations in one day is the record of the heat in New York city Saturday. The sun beat relentlessly on the sweltering city all day long. Night followed almost like day, and the deaths from the heat reported at

## THE MINISTER GOT MIXED.

And Rang Several Changes on a Scriptural Sentence Before He Got It Right.

The minister had reached the critical point in his "missionary" sermon. He had finished his firstties and secondties, and with one neat figure would link them to an impassioned appeal that would strike his congregation's hearts, and make their rocks flow like water.

"If," he exclaimed, "it has truly been said that he who makes two blades of brass to grow where one—"

The puzzled look on the face of a deaf old member in a front pew led him to pause and repeat:

"That he is a benefactor who makes two grades of brass—"

Smiles throughout the house and his own sense showed him there was something wrong, but, with an attempt at lightness, he said, airily:

"As I meant, two blades of glass."

The choir was now keen-eyed, and the pastor felt as if he had met Dewey. So he shouted: "Two blades of grace."

Then the senior deacon had pity on him and arose. "My brethren," he spoke, "our pastor has been upset by the intensity of his emotions, and has tripped on two blades of grass."—San Francisco Examiner.

## HEROES OF WAR.

From the Chicago Times-Herald.

The feeling of admiration for heroes of war seems to be innate in the human heart, and is brought to the surface as the opportunity and object presents itself.

Among those who proved their heroism during our Civil War was A. Schiffeneder, of 161 Sedgwick Street, Chicago. He is an Austrian by birth, came to America at the age of twenty, and became an American citizen. He was living at Milwaukee when the call for volunteers came early in 1862, and he promptly enlisted in Company A, of the Twenty-sixth Wisconsin Volunteers. In the Army of the Potomac he saw much fighting, campaigning in the Shenandoah Valley. In the first day's fighting at the battle of Gettysburg, Schiffeneder received a wound in the right side, which afterward caused him much trouble. With a portion of his regiment he was captured and imprisoned at Bell Island and Andersonville, and afterward exchanged. He returned to his regiment, which was transferred to the army of General Sherman, and marched with him through Georgia to the sea.

In this campaign Mr. Schiffeneder's old wound began to trouble him and he was sent to the hospital and then home. He had also contracted catarrh of the stomach and found no relief for years. It happened to read an account of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People about a year ago," he said, "and thought that they might be good for my trouble. I concluded to try them. I bought one box and began to take them according to directions. They gave me great relief. After finishing that box I bought another, and when I had taken the pills I felt that I was cured. I recovered my appetite and ate heartily. I can testify to the good the pills did me."

Mr. Schiffeneder is a prominent Grand Army man in Chicago, whither he moved some years ago with his family.

## Wouldn't Take Chances.

Smith—One can't always judge a man's patriotism by his conversation.

Jones—No, I suppose not.

"Take Brown, for instance; would you call him a coward?"

"Well, er—I might if I was sure he wouldn't fight."—Chicago Evening News.

## Successful Treatment for Asthma.

Dr. P. Harold Hayes, of Buffalo, N. Y., sends his book on "Asthma and Hay-Fever Cured to Stay Cured" free and postpaid to any sufferer who applies for it. Dr. Hayes has now treated upwards of forty thousand cases, and quotes many cases of former sufferers who have stayed cured for from five to twenty years. Names and addresses of these are given, so that any inquirer can investigate fully and be convinced of the reliability of the statements made. Dr. Hayes says that any case of spasmodic or bronchial Asthma not complicated with organic disease of heart, lungs or kidneys can be radically cured.

## Properly Defined.

"What is firmness, father?"

"Firmness, my boy, is obstinacy in our selves."

"And what is obstinacy?"

"Obstinacy is firmness in somebody else."—Chicago Post.

## What Is the Use

of making up clothes that go to pieces before the end of the season or fade and get limp and sleazy after the first washing? One of Simpson's Prints will outwear three of the inferior calicoes. The colors are absolutely fast, and any fabric bearing the name of William Simpson & Sons is guaranteed of the highest standard of quality and finish and will give perfect satisfaction.

## Spread of the Classic Style.

"How did you manage to get such an extensive manufacturing plant in your town?" asked the visitor.

"Well, we rooted for it," replied the native.—Chicago Tribune.

Dropsy treated free by Dr. H. H. Green's Sons, of Atlanta, Ga. The greatest dropsy specialists in the world. Read their advertisement in another column of this paper.

A clause should be inserted in the marriage service asking the man to promise that he will not make it necessary for his wife to open a boarding house.—Atchison Globe.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

If you loaf around a store or office a great deal, remember that you are not welcome.—Atchison Globe.

I believe Pilo's Cure for Consumption saved my boy's life last summer.—Mrs. Allie Douglass, LeRoy, Mich., Oct. 20, '94.

Lose a minute, and the chase of a lifetime will not catch it.—Ram's Horn.

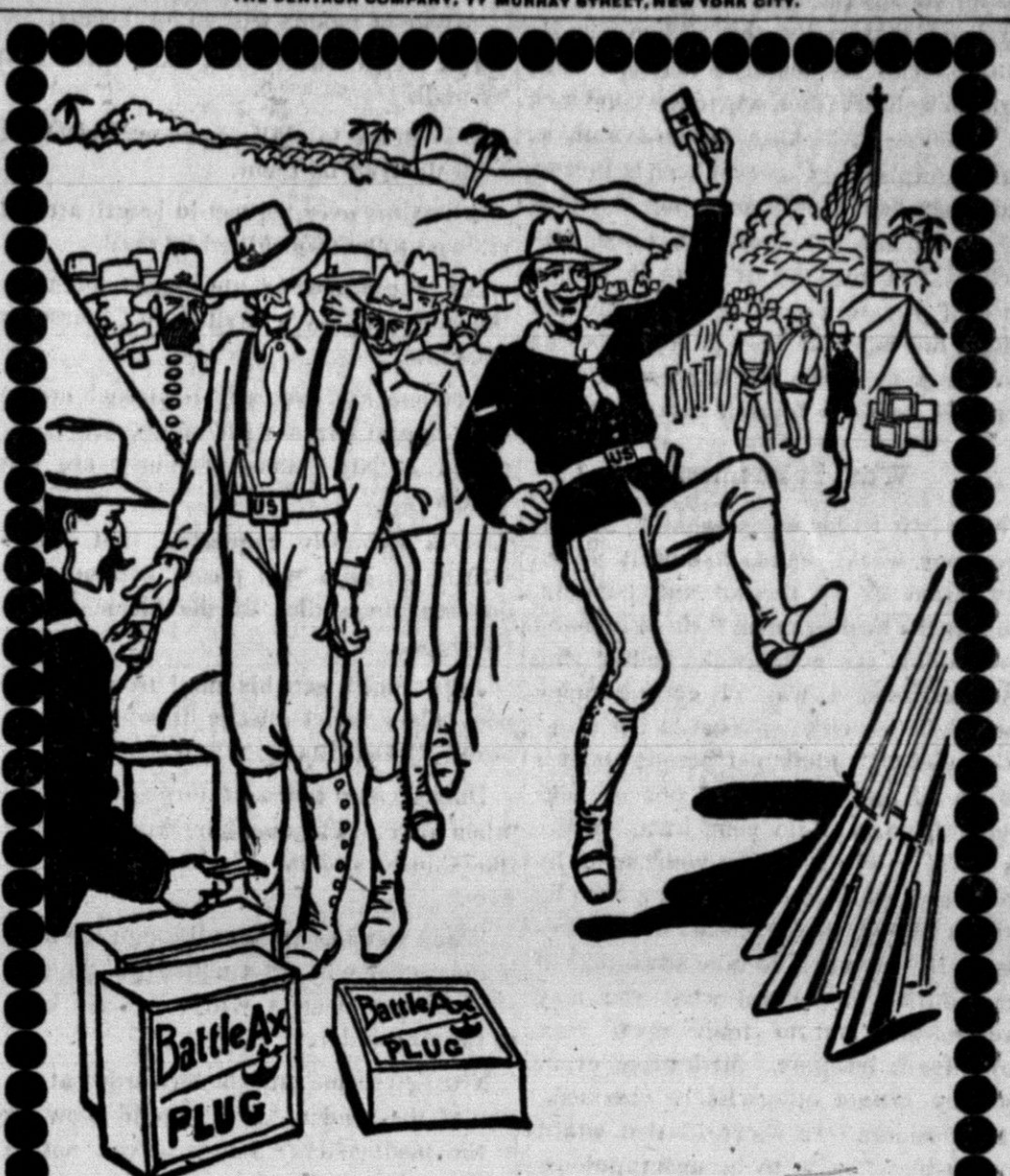
Hall's Catarrh Cure Is a Constitutional Cure. Price 75c.

A horse with a docked tail must feel like a neighbor.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

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Everybody who reads the newspapers knows what privation and suffering were caused in Cuba—by the failure of the supply of tobacco provided by the Government to reach the camps of the U. S. Soldiers.

## Battle-Ax PLUG

When marching—fighting—tramping—wheeling instantly relieves that dry taste in the mouth.

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## LEADING CHARACTERS IN THE DREYFUS SCANDAL.

No other event in the history of the year has caused as much international excitement as the latest development of this cause celebre, which ended in the suicide of Col. Henry, a French officer high in the esteem of the war office, who, prior to his death, confessed that the letters on strength of which Capt. Dreyfus was degraded and expropriated were manufactured by him "to save the honor of the French army." Other actors in this despicable drama are expected to destroy themselves before the much-wronged Dreyfus can be brought back to France for a retrial.

education, and Gen. Zurlinden. The cabinet will meet to-day expressly to deal with a request from Mme. Dreyfus for a revision of the proceedings of the court-martial that condemned her husband.

As the cabinet is now practically unanimously in favor of revision—partly because the ministers are aware that there is no other method of satisfying public feeling—the outcome of the meeting is almost a foregone conclusion. It is not thought that M. Cavaignac's retirement will involve the resignation of other ministers. The fact that Gen. Zurlinden has been in conference with M. Faure is taken to mean that he will succeed M. Cavaignac at the war office.

According to Le Soir, M. Faure, who received M. Cavaignac Sunday, strongly urged him to withdraw his resignation. The paper also asserts that at the council to-day the president will endeavor to prevent a decision in favor of revision.

In her letter to M. Sarrien, the minister of justice, Mme. Dreyfus says she addresses him again, since he alone has the right to demand revision on the ground of a "new fact." She argues that Lieut. Col. Henry's admission of guilt deprives his depositions and acts of all weight, and concludes her appeal by calling upon M. Sarrien to listen to the voice of public opinion and put an end to the punishment of a loyal and innocent man.

## PEACE COMMISSIONERS.

Spanish Ministers Definitely Select Three of the Men Who Will Confer with Americans.

Madrid, Sept. 5.—It is currently reported that the Spanish ministers at Friday's cabinet meeting definitely selected the three following peace commissioners:

Gen. Rafael Cerero y Saenz, general of engineers.  
Senor Eugenio Montero Rios.  
Senor Villaurrutia, under secretary of state for foreign affairs.

Twins Burned to Death.  
St. Louis, Sept. 5.—A special to the republic from Waco, Tex., says: In the village of Speegleville, eight miles from here, the three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Prater, twins, aged seven, and baby aged three years, were burned to death Sunday in a smokehouse.



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## Like Mr. Micawber.

It is really astonishing to find how many young men are waiting for something to turn up. And how wonderfully patient they are! A number of Chelsea people are included in this great army of waiters. If you happen to inquire what they expect and how they expect it, they will admit frankly they don't know. They haven't the slightest idea in what form the good fairy will deposit her gifts in their laps. And yet they are generally quite sanguine of the ultimate favor of dame Fortune, to be manifested in some way, at present entirely unintelligible to them. We have here a most remarkable exhibition of superstition of an age and an atmosphere so intensely practical as ours. Ask one of these young fellows on what ground he bases his singular belief in the friendly intentions of a vague providence, he is at loss for an answer, but his faith is not in the least shaken by this difficulty. He cannot recall any instance that has come under his observation, where the good luck to which he is looking forward with so much complacency has ever been bestowed, under similar conditions, upon anybody else. He has heard of such cases, and, perhaps, has read about them in certain fictional literature popular among the very young, but when he tries to remember an instance with which he is personally acquainted, he finds himself utterly at sea.

## What Is Business?

What is it to be businesslike? As the American world stands to-day it means very often to be shrewd and cunning. What is the business man? He is, in many men's minds, the wide-awake fellow who has discovered a way of getting much more than he earns. What is business? As very often understood among us, it is the art of juggling money out of your neighbor's pocket into your own. There is a world in which to earn your bread by honest and continuous labor is not to be businesslike—is not even to be "in business." In that world to take advantage of opportunities to conceal what you may have learned and to trade upon your knowledge is business. Misleading even, if ececy cannot otherwise be obtained; that is business. In short, in that world to be businesslike is to be unscrupulous. A lover of fine art may confine to hope that its devotees will not too rapidly become business men in that sense.—Scribner's Monthly.

## Effect of Weather on Roads.

Different kinds of roads are described by the new Pennsylvania road book as follows: Clay roads are usually hard and baked when dry, but soft and unrideable when wet or after a thaw. Gravel is usually hard after or during a rain; inclined to be soft and sandy when very dry; very bad after a frost. Small loose and rounded (that is, not broken) stones are included under gravel. Shale, when in the form of mud dug up from the gutter, is usually very hard and smooth when dry and well rolled with carriage wheels, but soft and bad when wet; when very dry it is apt to be soft. Sand is often packed hard and smooth during and immediately after rain, but it is very bad when dry and loose. Loam, usually called "dirt," is the ordinary soil not included under the above; it is generally soft and loose when dry or wet; sometimes when it contains clay it is tolerably hard when nearly dry. Clinders are inclined to be sandy, but are sometimes packed hard and smooth; they are generally best after a rain and worst when very dry.—Ex.

## Music and the Wheel.

Learning to ride would be greatly simplified for nervous women were one simple rule observed—that of timing the movements to some music, sung mentally. The time would then be marked by the downward stroke of the pedal, and also by the breath—is inhalation or exhalation. If one kept a musical time with the feet and the breath, one could never tumble, and there would be no question of balance. The whole body would then be under control, governed by a musical idea to which all one's movements were attuned. Any march would serve the purpose, even the music of "Yankee Doodle." When one realizes how a whole company of soldiers is controlled in its movements by a military band, so that all its movements become rhythmical, one can understand how much can be accomplished for one's self when out of tune through nervousness. One, at any rate, who tries will suddenly find that a new mode of locomotion has been acquired without effort.

## Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the World for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Feyer Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Glazier & Stinson.

## Clovers.

The clovers have no time to play, They feed the cows, and make the hay, And trim the lawn, and help the bees, Until the sun sinks through the trees, And then they lay aside their cares, And fold their hands to say their prayers, And drop their tired little heads, And go to sleep in clover beds. Then when the day dawns clear and blue, They wake and wash their hands in dew; And as the sun climbs up the sky They hold them up and let them dry; And then to work the whole long day; For clovers have no time to play.—Ex.

## Postal Changes.

A number of important postal changes took effect July 1st. A few of the important ones are published for the benefit of the public:

A pair of onions will go for 2 cents. Ink bottles must be corked when sent by mail.

It is unsafe to mail apple or fruit trees with the fruit on them.

Alligators over ten feet in length are not allowed to be transmitted by mail.

As all postmasters are expert linguists, the address may be written in Chinese or Choctaw.

Persons are earnestly requested not to send postal cards with money orders enclosed, as large sums of money are lost that way.

It is earnestly requested that lovers writing to girls will please confine their gushing rhapsodies to the inside of the envelope.

John Smith gets his mail from 674,279 post-offices, hence a letter directed to John Smith, United States, will reach him.

Ducks cannot be sent through the mail when alive. The quacking would disturb the slumbers of the clerks on the postal cars.

When watches are sent through the mail if the sender will put a notice on the outside the postmasters will wind and keep in running order.

Nitro-glycerine must be forwarded at the risk of the sender. If it should blow up in the postmaster's hands he can not be responsible.

When letters are received bearing no directions the persons for whom they are intended will please signify the fact to the postmaster that they at once be forwarded.—Dundee Reporter.

## Excursions.

Jackson's Carnival, Jackson, Michigan, Sept. 20 to 23. One first class limited fare for round trip.

Michigan State Fair, Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 26-30. One first-class limited fare for the round trip, plus 50 cents for admission. Date of sale Sept. 26 to 30, good to return Oct. 1, 1898.

Popular week-end excursion to Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo and Three Rivers via the Michigan Central, Saturday, Sept. 17, 1898. Train leaves Chelsea at 9:23 a. m. Fare for the round trip, \$1.50.

Grand Lodge and Rebekah State Assembly, I. O. O. F., of Michigan, Lansing, Oct. 17 to 22, 1898. One first-class limited fare for round trip. Date of sale Oct. 17 and 18, good to return Oct. 23, 1898.

"In the large city," writes Ruth Ashmore to the business girl, in the September Ladies' Home Journal, "you soon begin to wonder how you will ever get to know anybody, or whether you will be solitary all your life. Turn your thoughts back to the time in the early autumn when the apples were gathered. Do you remember how they were gone over, and those that were rich in color, sweet of perfume and graceful of form in their healthiness were chosen as the best and kept for some special purpose? You must pick out your friends as you did the apples, choosing to have those which are not only agreeable, not only pleasant, but the ones which are warranted to keep."

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Wisely and Use the Best.  
Results prove DANA'S is the best. It is also guaranteed as a true remedy for the Nerves, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Money back if you get no benefit.  
The only medicine that dares stand this test is **DANA'S SARSAPARILLA**  
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## Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Samuel P. Bray, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the Probate office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, on Wednesday, the 30th day of November, and on Thursday, the 2nd day of March, 1899, next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Ann Arbor, Aug. 30, 1898.  
ROBERT CAMPBELL, Commissioner.  
WM. K. CHILDS, Commissioner.

## 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 Friday, the 26th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charlotte J. King, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Julia A. King, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to herself, the executrix in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 24th day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

## 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 Monday, the 29th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frederick Wedemeyer, deceased. Leonhard Gruner, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 24th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said executor give notice to the 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

## 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 Wednesday, the 31st day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Palmer, deceased. Susan Palmer, the administratrix of said estate, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administratrix.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 1st day of October, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said Administratrix give notice to the 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

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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 16th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George F. Nash, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Sophonia Nash, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to Comstock F. Hill, or some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 10th day of September 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Judson Thompson, deceased.

Mary E. Sweet, the administratrix of said estate, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administratrix. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said administratrix give notice to the 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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## Real Estate for Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. In the matter of the estate of Gabriel Freer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1898, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the office of G. W. Turnbull, in the Village of Chelsea, in the County of Washtenaw, said estate, on Friday, the 30th day of September, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased), the following described real estate, to-wit: Village lot number five (5), in Block fifteen (15), according to the recorded plat of said Village of Chelsea, excepting and reserving a strip of land one rod wide east and west off from the west end thereof, heretofore conveyed to Benjamin F. and Francis Hawley, husband and wife, by said Gabriel Freer in his life time.

A. MONTIMER FREER, Administrator.

## 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 Wednesday, the 24th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Catharine Moran, deceased.

Susan Boyer, executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such executrix.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 17th day of September next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said executrix give notice to the 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

## 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 Friday, the 5th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary Enke-mann, deceased. On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Mary Klargier, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to Eugene Osterlin, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 10th day of September 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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## Mortgage Foreclosure.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Henry Osborn and Catherine, his wife, dated the 20th day of September, 1896, to the Ann Arbor Savings Bank, of the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, and recorded in the office of the Register of deeds of Washtenaw County, Michigan, on the 23rd day of September, 1896, at 9 o'clock and 5 minutes a. m., in Liber 72 of mortgages, on page 62, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Thousand and Forty-five Dollars, and no proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now therefore by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 24th day of September, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, 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 said County is held) there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, and the costs of this foreclosure including the attorney fee provided for therein. The premises so to be sold are described as follows:

Beginning at the mill dam on the Huron river on Section 11, in the Township of Scio, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence up the river on the south bank south 47 degrees and 15 minutes west 5 chains and 25 links; thence south 15 minutes east, 15 chains and 50 links; thence north 74 degrees and 30 minutes east, 11 chains and 33 links to the line between Sections 11 and 12, at a point 11 chains and 3 links south of the quarter Section post between and continuing same course 17 chains and 50 links; thence in the same course 20 chains to the river; thence up the river to the place of beginning.

Also beginning on the north bank of the Huron river in the line between Sections 11 and 12, 24 chains and 37 links south of the north-east corner of Section 11; thence north 66 links; thence 72 degrees and 30 minutes west 4 chains and 53 links; thence south 50 degrees west 3 chains and 3 links to the railroad fence, and continuing the same course 8 chains and 69 links; thence south 26 degrees west 10 chains and 50 links; thence south 51 degrees and 50 minutes west, 13 chains and 76 links to the bank of the Huron river 1 chain and 8 links above the north end of the mill dam, thence easterly down stream to the place of beginning. All on Sections 11 and 12 in said Township of Scio, Washtenaw County, Michigan.

Dated, June 20 1898.  
THE ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.  
W. D. HARRIMAN, Attorney for Mortgagee.

## Chancery Sale.

IN PURSUANCE and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, in Chancery, made and entered on the 16th day of July, 1898, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein the Ann Arbor Savings Bank is complainant, and Robert Hunter, Edwin Hunter, Adam Turnbull, James Barclay and Richard Harvey are defendants. Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the said County is held), on Wednesday, the 5th day of October, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said date, the following described real estate:

Being a part of section twenty-nine, in township two, south of range six east, in said County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, beginning two rods west of the stake standing on the highway in the centre of the Mill Creek road, on the east bank of Allen's creek, running thence west ten rods, thence south eight rods, thence east ten rods, thence north eight rods to the place of beginning, containing one-half acre of land together with all the privileges and reservations contained in a certain lease given by Martin Davis to Hiram Wright, dated the 10th day of November, A. D. 1896, as by reference thereto will more fully appear; and also, that certain parcel or tract of land situated in the Township of Ann Arbor, aforesaid, known, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of the furnace lot so called, and above described, on the northwest quarter of section twenty-nine in said township two, south of range six east, west of the Village of Ann Arbor, and south of the Dexter and Jackson road, thence west to the center of said Jackson road on Huron street so far that a line south would pass through the center of block one south of Huron street, and range two west of Allen's addition to the village of Ann Arbor, thence south on the center line of said block one so far that a line from thence east would intersect the continuation of the west line of said furnace lot, and would include two acres of land, thence from said point east and parallel with Huron street to the intersection of said west line as aforesaid, thence north to and with the west line of said furnace lot, to the place of beginning, excepting from the parcel last above described a piece of land containing about one acre and a quarter, deeded by Volney Chapin and wife to Jacob Knapp, by deed bearing date the 22d day of April, A. D. 1867; and also the following piece or parcel of land: Beginning on the southeast corner of a lot of land and conveyed by John Allan to Volney Chapin, by deed, dated December, 1898, and recorded in the Register's office, in Washtenaw County, in Liber M on page 151, and running west along said lot ten rods to land deeded to A. DeForest to said Chapin as recorded in Liber W. on page 64, in said Register's office, thence south along said DeForest's land and at right angles with first line eight rods or more to Washington street, thence east along the north line of Washington street ten rods to land occupied in 1847 by A. Hutzel, thence north eight rods, more or less, to the place of beginning, together with a right of way through Washington street on the south side of said land, intending to convey all the land lying north of Washington street and east of Chapin's and Loomis' land and reserving from the last described parcel a certain piece of the same, deeded by Volney Chapin and wife to Augustus Hutzel.

Dated, Ann Arbor, August 17, 1898.  
O. ELMER BUTTERFIELD, Circuit Court Commissioner.  
W. D. HARRIMAN, Solicitor for Complainant.

## Markets.

Chelsea, Sept. 8, 1898.	
Eggs, per dozen	10c
Butter, per pound	14c
Oats, per bushel	22c
Corn, per bushel	22c
Wheat, per bushel	40c
Potatoes, per bushel	40c
Apples, per bushel	20c
Onions, per bushel	50c
Beans, per bushel	70c