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### Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club met at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Sweetland on Thursday, Jan. 19th, 1899. The weather was everything that could be desired, although the wind was sharp. The sun shone brightly all day, and by 10:30 a. m. a large company had gathered, and were made welcome by their genial host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Sweetland.

A sumptuous dinner was then served, the first table being seated as the clock told the hour of noon, and two hours were consumed in this pleasant pastime of filling the inner-man, and in social intercourse. Seventy-two guests took part in this pleasant exercise.

At 2:30 p. m. the house was called to order by the President, Mr. N. Cook, and then came the following order of exercises:

First, reading and approval of minutes of last meeting—Frank Storms, Secretary. Quotations from various authors were next in order, about 40 being given.

A fine recitation was then well rendered by Mrs. Ellsworth Fletcher.

Three very interesting reports were listened to, which were reported by our delegates to the State Association, Mr. and Mrs. Sweetland and Mr. Geo. Boynton. They each urged the necessity of an agricultural education for the future generation, and they were each gems of thought and good sense, bringing out some discussion and eliciting the approval of all present.

Several fine recitations were given by Frank Storms, Mrs. H. Baldwin and a few others.

Several new names were then added to the club, and after singing the closing hymn, "America," the meeting was dismissed with benediction by Rev. Jones, of the Congregational church.

The next meeting will be at Mr. George Boyington's, where the annual election of officers will take place. An oyster dinner will be given, and a general good time is anticipated.

G. E. D.

### Our Weekly Weather Report.

Friday—Cold and cloudy, with snow in the afternoon, but warmer; cloudy at night, with strong winds.

Saturday—Cold winds and quite cloudy; trying to clear during the day; light snow, but clearing at night.

Sunday—Frosty and cool in the early morning, but partly clear and warmer during the day; slightly colder at night.

Monday—Quite cool and partly cloudy, with slight rain in the early morning, and trying to clear during the day; colder at night, with rain and snow.

Tuesday—Colder, but almost clear; little warmer through the day, but colder late in the day and night.

Wednesday—Still quite cold and cloudy, with light winds, but clearing in the afternoon and warmer; colder at night.

Thursday—A little colder; cloudy, with light winds, growing stronger and colder; with light snow.

### List of Patents

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

W. L. Beall, Albion, cultivator-tooth; G. R. Chisholm, Sault Ste. Marie, Child's carriage; R. B. Patterson, Ludington, potato-digger; J. W. Sykes, Detroit, carpet-sweeper; S. N. Webb, Detroit, book-holding clamp for indexing purposes.

### A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D.: "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Saviour, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial; took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Glazier & Stimson's Bank Drug Store. Regular size 50c. and \$1. Guaranteed or price refunded.

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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

#### CONGRESSIONAL.

There was no session of the senate on the 16th. When the body convened it proceeded at once to the hall of the house of representatives to attend the funeral of Mr. Dingley. At one o'clock the senate returned to its chamber, and Jonathan Ross, appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Justin S. Morrill, was sworn in. In the house the funeral of Nelson Dingley took place, President McKinley and his cabinet and other distinguished persons being present. The body lay in state in the hall of the house until shortly before the time for the departure of the special train which conveyed the remains to Lewiston, Me.

On the 17th almost the entire session of the senate was devoted to consideration of the pending Nicaragua canal bill. Senator Butler presented a petition from 65 ex-confederates of Muscogee county, Ga., asking for pensions. In the house the naval personnel bill was passed. It increases the marine corps to 6,900 men, creates a judge advocate's corps, abolishes prize money and provides for the retirement on three-quarters pay of enlisted men and petty officers in the navy after 30 years' service.

Senator Bacon (Ga.) spoke in the senate on the 18th on his resolution declaring it not to be the purpose of the United States to hold the Philippine Islands, but that they should be free and independent. The Nicaragua canal bill was further discussed. Bills were introduced providing that trade between the United States and Porto Rico and also between ports in Porto Rico and adjacent islands ceded to the United States shall be carried on in American vessels; extending the navigation laws of the United States to the Hawaiian Islands. In the house the day was set apart for the consideration of measures reported from the committee on interstate and foreign commerce.

On the 19th the senate listened further to discussion of the policy of expansion. Senator Turner (Wash.) speaking against the issue, after which consideration of the Nicaragua canal bill was resumed. The nomination of Joseph H. Choate, of New York, to be ambassador to Great Britain was confirmed. In the house the Brown-Swanson contested election case from the Fifth Virginia district was decided in favor of the sitting member, Mr. Swanson, a democrat. The post office appropriation bill was discussed.

#### DOMESTIC.

Prof. Goodloe Bell, one of the oldest professors of Battle Creek (Mich.) Adventist college, was killed in a runaway. The derailing of a train on the Erie railroad at Monk's station, N. J., caused the death of three men and injured 24 others.

Twenty-eight head of cattle and 18 horses were burned with the barn of T. J. Clark, near Kankakee, Ill.

Near Mena, Ark., the wife and child of Joseph Bates and a young woman were drowned in a river they were attempting to ford.

A plot of anarchists to blow up 11 hotels in San Francisco was discovered.

Six prominent persons near Mountain Home, Ark., have died in a sudden and mysterious manner in the past few days.

Plymouth church in Brooklyn, N. Y., has called as pastor Rev. Newell D. Hillis, of Chicago.

Theodore Alcan, 30 years old, a Western Union operator, and his wife, Carrie, 25 years old, were suffocated by gas in a New York hotel.

The advices received at the war department from Gen. Otis at Manila continue reassuring in character.

Marcio Garcia, a son of the late Calixto Garcia, has entered Union college in Schenectady, N. Y.

Five small boys, from seven to ten years of age, met death by drowning in South Gibson, Pa. They were coasting and ran on to thin ice.

While W. J. Bryan was speaking in the coliseum at Denver a platform gave way and 40 persons were injured, some seriously.

After fasting 48 days Rev. A. D. Hendrickson died in Janesville, Wis., aged 81 years. He was unable to eat because of a stroke of paralysis.

Michael Rulinski, under sentence of death in Pittsburgh for the murder of his wife, committed suicide in the county jail by hanging.

While endeavoring to escape from their burning home in Cleveland Mrs. Fred W. Tisdell was killed and Mr. Tisdell fatally injured.

Col. William A. Stone was inaugurated governor of Pennsylvania.

Holliday & Co., wholesale dealers in dry goods in Baltimore, failed with assets of \$432,000 and liabilities of \$377,000.

Thomas W. Lawson paid \$30,000 in Boston for the carnation that bears his wife's name and for the 6,000 plants which Florist Galvin has raised.

Attorney-General Goddard holds that the special session of the Kansas legislature called by Gov. Leedy was illegal and that all laws passed at that session are void.

In session in Pittsburgh the United Mine Workers of America elected John Mitchell, of Indianapolis, president.

A flood in Cleveland, O., caused by the bursting of a dam, destroyed a fine steel bridge and did other damage to the extent of \$100,000.

The trial by court-martial of Gen. Eagan will begin in Washington on the 25th inst., with Gen. George B. Davis as judge advocate.

Benjamin I. Greenbaum, a building contractor in Chicago, failed for \$500,000.

While attempting to arrest William Flannery for murder in Scott county, Va., Officers Joel Neccessary, Charles, Necessary, Will Freeman and Sam Duncan were fatally shot by Flannery and his mother.

The family of John Peterson, 12 in number, at Ohio, Neb., were victims of trichinosis poisoning, and several of them died.

In a street car in St. Louis Kate Clancy shot and fatally wounded the conductor, John McCafferty, and then took a fatal dose of poison. Unrequited love was the cause.

Secretary Alger has reestablished at Havana the Bank of Spain by an order of the war department.

The building occupied by Alfred J. Cammeyer, one of the largest retail shoe dealers in New York, was gutted by fire, the loss being \$500,000.

The Kansas City (Mo.) Times urges the candidacy of United States Senator Francis M. Cockrell for the democratic presidential nomination in 1900.

The president nominated Peter S. Grosscup, of Chicago, to be United States circuit judge for the Seventh judicial circuit.

One of the worst freshets Wood county had seen for years prevailed south of Bowling Green, O., and great damage was done.

All the important companies of the world engaged in the production of borax and boric acid have joined in a trust.

The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Keck, of Columbus, O., and Dr. Murray, of Vicksburg, were found in the debris of the steamer Ouachita, which was destroyed by fire at Memphis, Tenn.

Al J. Wagerman, clerk of the court of criminal correction in St. Louis, is said to be short \$40,000 in his accounts.

The birthday of Robert E. Lee was generally observed in southern cities.

An indictment for murder in the first degree was returned by the grand jury in Canton, O., against Anne E. George, charged with killing George D. Saxton, Mrs. McKinley's brother.

The president issued an order setting apart what is known as Mission rock, in San Francisco bay, as a naval station.

The Cuban evacuation commission was dissolved after submitting to the president a report on their labors.

Because of a threatened strike all the collieries at Audenried and Honeybrook, Pa., were shut down, throwing 2,500 men out of employment.

Chief of Police Crow, of Somerville, N. J., was shot and fatally wounded while chasing a burglar.

David Williams, a surveyor, shot and killed his wife and then committed suicide at his home near Silverdale, Wash.

Gen. Eagan was served with legal notice of the ordering of a court-martial and his duties as commissary general of the United States army were placed in charge of Lieut. Col. George B. Davis.

Gen. Jimenez Castellanos, former captain general of Cuba, complained to Gen. Brooke that the Cubans in the province of Santa Clara were murdering Spanish ex-volunteers.

#### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Maj. G. W. Urie, the first treasurer of Ashland county, O., and reputed to be the oldest mason in Ohio, died at Ashland, aged 93 years.

Republican United States senators were elected as follows: New York, Chauncey M. Depew; Massachusetts, Henry Cabot Lodge; Minnesota, Cushman K. Davis; Connecticut, Joseph R. Hawley; Michigan, Julius Caesar Burrows; Indiana, Albert J. Beveridge; Maine, Eugene Hale. Francis M. Cockrell (dem.) was elected in Missouri.

John Russell Young, librarian of the Congressional library, noted diplomat and traveler, and famous journalist, died at his home in Washington, aged 58 years.

William K. Sullivan, a veteran journalist, and formerly editor of the Chicago Journal, died in Chicago of pneumonia.

Michigan republicans will hold the state convention for nomination of justice of the supreme court and regents of the university at Jackson March 1.

Nathan B. Scott, commissioner of internal revenue, was chosen as candidate for senator by the caucus of the West Virginia republicans.

In North Dakota the republican legislative caucus nominated Porter J. McCumber for United States senator.

The funeral of Nelson Dingley, Jr., took place at Lewiston, Me.

Andrew Peterson, ex-consul of Denmark to Illinois and 15 other states, died in Chicago, aged 70 years.

#### FOREIGN.

Rev. Charles Chiniquy, the "apostle of temperance," died in Montreal, aged 90 years.

The Filipino government at Malolos announced that it would release the Spanish civilian prisoners in the hands of the insurgents, but not the friars.

The queen regent of Spain directed the cortes to ratify the treaty of peace with the United States.

Advices from Spain indicate that the country is ripe for a revolt, with a decided leaning towards Don Carlos.

An act to prohibit aliens from owning placer mines in British Columbia passed the provincial legislature.

A clash between the German consul in Samoa and the representatives of the United States and Great Britain threatens the most serious complications. The cruiser Philadelphia has been ordered to proceed to Samoa at once to represent the United States' interests there.

#### LATER.

Senator Gear offered a joint resolution in the United States senate on the 20th appointing Oscar W. Deignan, of Iowa, a cadet at the United States naval academy. Senator Nelson (Minn.) spoke in favor of expansion, and the Nicaraguan canal bill was further discussed. In the house Speaker Reed announced the appointment of S. E. Payne (N. Y.) to be chairman of the ways and means committee, to succeed the late Mr. Dingley. A lively debate took place between Mr. Grosvenor (O.) and Mr. Lewis (Wash.) over army contracts. The post office appropriation bill was passed and the river and harbor bill (\$29,294,676) was reported.

By a vote of 42 to 6 the United States senate on the 21st passed the Nicaragua canal bill, the cost limit being fixed at \$115,000,000. The Indian appropriation bill was discussed. The credentials of Julius C. Burrows, reelected a senator from Michigan for a term of six years, beginning March 4, 1899, were filed. In the house a favorable report was made on the bill providing that the standard of value in the United States shall be the gold dollar.

The post office and other buildings, occupying an entire block in the town of Davis, I. T., were destroyed by fire.

The American officials in Porto Rico have been ordered to enforce the Chinese exclusion laws of this country on that island.

John and Henry Hall, both negroes, were hanged at Montgomery, Ala., for the murder of James Belzer.

Germany has been called upon by the United States to explain satisfactorily or disavow the action of the German consul, Rose, at Apia, Samoa.

Rear Admiral Schley was presented with a jeweled sword by his brother members of the Royal Arcanum at Carnegie music hall in New York.

Advices from Manila say that American soldiers had landed on the island of Guimaras, about three miles from Iloilo. The landing was effected without opposition.

Vandals wrecked the offices of the Antigo Republican, the Weekly News and the German Herald at Antigo, Wis.

A. E. Keith and wife, prominent residents of Creston, Ia., were burned to death in a steamboat fire in Memphis, Tenn.

Porter J. McCumber (rep.) was elected United States senator in the joint assembly of the North Dakota legislature.

Job A. Cooper, governor of Colorado from 1889 to 1891, died suddenly of heart failure in Denver, aged 56 years.

Wreckage of the missing yacht Paul Jones was found at Breton island, in the Gulf of Mexico, and those on board were given up as lost. They were William Yocum and daughter, of St. Louis; Miss Margery Woodland, of Chicago; Miss Taggart, daughter of Mayor Taggart, of Indianapolis, and a crew of four persons.

Three children of John and Susan E. Shear were drowned in the reservoir at Ravenna, O.

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John Deithoff killed his wife and himself in Chicago. Domestic trouble was the cause.

More than \$850,000,000 worth of farm products were exported from the United States last year, against \$730,000,000 in 1897.

Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, of Chicago, has accepted the pastorate of Plymouth church in Brooklyn, N. Y.

A man named Ferrarini and his wife and four children jumped into the sea from the steamer Oriente near Genoa, and all were drowned.

Advices from Tacoma, Wash., say \$30,000,000 is a conservative estimate of this winter's Klondike output.

In a fit of insanity Mrs. S. J. McCullough, wife of a well-known man in Toledo, O., committed suicide after poisoning her four children, one of whom died.

The German national bank at Pittsburgh, Pa., which suspended payment on October 18 last, has resumed business, paying all creditors in full.

Two brothers known as the "Barton twins," aged 35 years, were burned to death in their home near Shelbina, Mo.

Abe C. Nanmeter, for 30 years editor of the St. Croix Republican, died at New Richmond, Wis., aged 53 years.

Judge George W. Stipp, for 18 years a circuit judge of the Ninth Illinois district, died in Princeton, aged 81 years.

A distinct earthquake shock was felt at Richview, Ill., but no damage was done.

Washington officials have decided upon a plan for the treatment of the Philippine situation in case Filipinos attack the American troops. The plan involves the blockading of the islands of the archipelago, the isolation of each and the subjugation of the islands one by one.

## TOWNS DEMOLISHED.

An Earthquake Creates Great Havoc in Greece.

Entire Destruction of a Number of Villages Is Reported—It Is Feared That Many Lives Have Been Lost.

Athens, Jan. 23.—Entire towns were destroyed and many lives are believed to have been lost by a series of terrible earthquakes that shocked the Peloponnese, or peninsula of lower Greece, Sunday. The center of the agitation has been the western coast, in the vicinity of the Gulf of Arcadia. The loss of life and property cannot yet be estimated, nor is there any feeling of assurance that the earthquakes that have lasted since early morning are at an end. Many thousands of men, women and children who fled from their homes in terror are camping on the open hills, hungry and miserable. A frightful shock early Sunday morning drove people from their houses and made public buildings and churches totter. Following at irregular intervals came shock after shock of varied severity.

Towns Completely Destroyed. Kyparissia, a town of 3,000 population and a place of great antiquity, is completely destroyed. So is Philiatra, near by. Pyrgos, a town of 10,000 population, has been terribly shaken, as have Andrusa, Kutiphari, Gargaliani, Tavia and numerous others. It is reported in Staso and several other towns not a single habitable house is left.

Full details of the disaster are anxiously awaited, as it is feared that this will prove one of the most destructive earthquakes that Greece has experienced. Tidal waves of great volume accompanied the shocks. People fled terror-stricken to the open country, away from the ocean and towns.

At Navarino, south of Kalamata, heavy damage was done. It was here that in 1827 a great naval battle was fought between the fleets of the English, French and Russians, united against the Turkish-Egyptian fleet.

News from Zante was expected to be tragic, it even being feared that the beautiful island, situated at the edge of the Gulf of Arcadia, and famous for its olives, currants and oranges, had again suffered, as it did by the visitation of six years ago. Telegrams just received, however, state that the loss there was comparatively slight.

In consequence of the flight of thousands from their homes without food or protection from the weather, the government has already taken measures to supply tents and supplies as quickly as they can be hurried to the points where they are needed.

### WILLIAM WILL YIELD.

Assures the United States and Great Britain He Will Not Uphold Wrong in Samoa.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Germany has informed the United States and Great Britain that if her consul in Samoa acted in the manner described by the American and British representatives he acted without authority and she will disavow his action, but that she can do nothing until a full report has been received. Germany does not mean it to be understood that she disavows in advance of knowledge of all the facts the course pursued by her consul. She may uphold him. And, furthermore, she may call upon the United States for an explanation of the decision of Chief Justice Chambers, and in any event will urge its revision. It is admitted in all quarters that a blunder has been made. If the German consul is responsible his government will remove him, but if Mr. Chambers' decision was not proper then a demand will be made by the German government for his relief. Baron von Holleben called upon Secretary Hay, armed with dispatches received by his government from the German consul in Apia, which show a different state of affairs than that indicated by the dispatches sent by the American consul. After he left Sir Julian Pauncefote submitted to Secretary Hay dispatches received by his government from the British consul and giving the result of the conference between the German emperor and the British ambassador in Berlin Friday.

London, Jan. 23.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times says: There are good reasons for believing that the German government regards the maintenance of cordial relations with Great Britain and the United States as far more important than even German commercial interests in Samoa. The tone of the leading journals, therefore, is on the whole, free from bitterness or exaggeration. In a word there are many indications that Germany will not frustrate a revision of the treaty of Berlin by extravagant demands such as for the cession of the islands to Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 23.—Germany, it is understood, is not likely to propose a conference as to Samoan affairs, but the government will readily consent to enter a conference if the United States government proposes one. The German gunboat Itis has been ordered to Samoa to replace the cruiser Cormoran.

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"SISTERS OF ST. FRANCIS, St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum."

For Dr. Hartman's latest book on catarrh, entitled "Winter Catarrh," address The Pe-ru-na Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.





A MADRID paper says that when the Cortes reassembles the Spanish government will ask for authority to sell the Ladrone, Caroline and Pelew islands, since Spain is unable to maintain a sufficient force to defend them.

SOME extraordinary bidding took place on a doll auctioned off at a charity bazaar held at Witley, Surrey, the other day. The puppet was only worth about seven shillings, but the bids came rapidly, and a Mr. Labouchere (not the Mr. Labouchere of Truth) finally secured the prize for £350.

It is rumored in Washington that our new ambassador to Great Britain will be instructed to do what he can toward securing the release of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, and her friends hope that, while all such efforts have heretofore failed, a pardon may now be secured because of the increased cordiality of feeling between the two countries.

Boston's mammoth station, which was recently dedicated, marks an epoch in the railroad history of the country. The terminal occupies 35 acres at the foot of Summers street, and the station itself occupies 12½ acres. The length of the depot is 850 feet and the width is 725 feet. It is the largest railroad station in the world. It cost \$4,000,000.

The church is already separated from the state in Cuba. The revenues are cut off and the American method is being adopted. The bishop of Havana has issued a letter to the clergy directing that the parishes be hereafter maintained by private contribution. The renting of pews and the placing of contribution boxes in the churches is recommended.

The annual report of the interstate commerce commission again calls attention to the defects of the law and the inability to prevent the cutting of rates by railroads. This cutting of rates, the report alleges, fosters trusts to the detriment of the small shipper. An amendment to the law is asked allowing the railroads to combine under proper supervision for the preservation of rates.

According to statistics prepared by the government of Sweden and Norway and sent to the state department there are in use in the world 1,288,163 telephones, the service covering a distance of 1,509,499 miles. An idea of the extraordinary use of the telephone in the United States is derived from the fact that the figures credit this country with more than half of the instruments in use and the amount of the mileage of the whole world.

In spite of the ridicule that has been cast upon it, the absurd practice of providing costumes for canine pets still prevails in Paris. In the windows of the dog tailors may be seen little astrakhan overcoats with linings of pink or blue satin and collars of ermine or sheepskin. For traveling there are lighter wrappers fastened round the waist, if a dog has a waist, by belts of tanned leather. Cambrie shirts with lace frillings are quoted at 16 francs, and patent leather shoes—where is the French S. P. C. A.?—complete the costume.

The Lotos club has increased its annual dues from \$60 to \$75. Club membership in New York is an expensive luxury. The dues of nearly all the first-class clubs are \$75 to \$100 a year. The Union, the University, the Union League, the St. Nicholas, the Racket, the New York and the Merchants' have dues of \$75, while those of the Lawyers', the Manhattan, the Metropolitan and the Progress are \$100. The initiation fees range from \$100 to \$300. The annual income of the Union League club, from dues alone, is over \$120,000.

HON. JOHN J. UPCHURCH lives on the boundary line between Florida and Georgia; he is a wealthy mill man and so popular on both sides of the line that he alternates his public services as a legislator between the two states. He represents Charlton county, Georgia, in the lower house of the legislature at the present session. He was a member of the Florida senate at that body's last session; before that he was sent to the lower house of the Georgia assembly and further back was in the Florida house and Georgia senate, in alternate sessions.

In 1890 la grippe first attracted world wide notice under that name. Since then hardly a year has passed that its attentions have not been pressed upon mankind, until it is coming into the front rank with consumption and pneumonia and diphtheria. What it is and whence it comes and what to do with it are questions the medical men are pretty much at sea about. Some trace a pretty close relationship between it and what we used to call the "epizootic" others find it closely related to epidemics of influenza that are recorded as far back as 1510; others find a close resemblance in it to the dengue or break-bone fever.

## GOOD YEAR AT HAND.

## Extraordinary Prosperity in Store for American Farmers.

## Chicago Still is the Greatest Grain and Live Stock Market in the Western World—Figures Prove the Claim.

[Special Chicago Letter.]

Chicago's two great industries are its grain and live stock trades. It was said some years ago that Kansas City and Omaha would outstrip the western metropolis as stock markets and that the same cities, Duluth and Minneapolis would crowd it pretty close as grain markets. Official figures of last year's transactions of the Chicago board of trade and the Union Stock yards, furnished to me by the officers of the two corporations, prove that the Illinois city still is the greatest trading center in produce of every description, and indications that it will remain the leader for many years to come are reliable.

It is possible that the famous Leiter wheat deal, which was floated in April, 1897, and collapsed July 1, 1898, had something to do with the enormous totals of Chicago board of trade bank clearings, but certainly not enough to affect the city's commercial standing. The Leiter deal was responsible for crowding the price of wheat up to \$1.85, in the face of government crop reports confidently predicting a yield of 650,000,000 bushels. Elevators were full to overflowing when the collapse came. Levi Z. Leiter, the father of Joseph, otherwise known as the Napoleon of the wheat market, had to come to his son's rescue and mortgaged and sold Chicago real estate to the amount of \$6,000,000 in order to save the family name from commercial failure. Complete stagnation followed the collapse, yet in spite of this the total board of trade clearings for the year



EXCHANGE HALL, CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

are but \$7,500,000 behind those of 1897, which was a splendid year from a speculative point of view. By months the clearings were as follows:

Date.	Clearings.	Balances.
January .....	\$3,691,005.00	\$1,177,761.63
February .....	6,161,485.38	2,065,118.14
March .....	4,842,888.00	1,572,038.36
April .....	7,961,193.75	2,482,572.46
May .....	16,430,040.00	5,404,878.91
June .....	11,225,470.00	3,585,782.62
July .....	4,354,946.25	1,395,072.10
August .....	5,258,525.00	1,805,927.40
September .....	7,738,907.50	1,389,075.00
October .....	3,973,039.33	1,290,106.43
November .....	2,838,213.75	946,473.16
December .....	2,575,735.63	942,240.63
Totals .....	\$72,972,450.64	\$24,065,527.34
Preced. year, '97 .....	\$80,596,901.25	\$26,294,848.01

## \*One day short.

The foreign demand for food products of every kind was phenomenal during the latter half of 1898; and an overwhelming percentage of the export trade was carried on through Chicago houses. According to the secretary of the board of trade the following were the receipts and shipments of all the leading articles of produce, excepting live stock:

Articles	Received 1898.	Shipped 1898.
Flour, bris. ....	5,316,195	5,032,236
Wheat, bu. ....	36,741,554	38,094,920
Corn, bu. ....	127,426,374	130,397,681
Oats, bu. ....	110,233,647	85,067,636
Rye, bu. ....	4,935,308	4,453,394
Barley, bu. ....	18,116,694	6,756,247
Grass seeds, lbs. ....	97,039,279	78,794,646
Flaxseed, bu. ....	5,451,173	8,396,730
Broomcorn, lbs. ....	11,690,943	8,867,239
Cured meats, lbs. ....	223,005,246	923,627,722
Canned meats, cases. ....	10,589	1,031,482
Dressed beef, lbs. ....	110,286,652	1,060,869,808
Beef, pkgs. ....	3,017	68,439
Pork, bris. ....	65,083,445	636,663,221
Lard, lbs. ....	39,097,448	4,948,166
Cheese, lbs. ....	221,879,185	205,461,987
Butter, lbs. ....	3,640	123,746
Dressed hogs, No. ....	75,415,365	126,677,422
Hides, lbs. ....	29,346,948	29,168,416
Wool, lbs. ....	1,887,200	845,488
Coal, tons. ....	1,556,647	691,844
Lumber, 1,000 ft. ....	298,151	297,871
Shingles, 1,000 .....	1,993,037	1,025,505
Salt, bris. ....	222,633	10,461
Hay, tons. ....	10,914,728	5,626,880
Potatoes, bu. ....	2,150,978	1,207,533
Eggs, cases. ....		

The following are semi-official estimates of the value of the produce received during 1898 and the corresponding totals for the ten preceding years:

	1898.	1897.
Flour .....	\$20,000,000	\$14,000,000
Wheat .....	30,000,000	22,735,000
Corn .....	37,000,000	29,500,000
Oats .....	25,000,000	21,800,000
Rye .....	2,500,000	1,800,000
Barley .....	6,000,000	8,000,000
Millstuffs .....	40,000,000	41,105,000
Butter .....	7,200,000	6,400,000
Cheese .....	7,900,000	7,000,000
Hides .....	5,500,000	6,100,000
Wool .....	5,400,000	4,500,000
Flaxseed .....	2,100,000	1,800,000
Other seed .....	1,000,000	1,000,000
Broomcorn .....	1,000,000	1,000,000
Salt .....	1,500,000	1,500,000
Potatoes .....	600,000	600,000
Other vegetables .....	1,900,000	1,100,000
Tallow and grease .....	2,000,000	2,500,000
Hay .....		

Apples .....	400,000	400,000
California fruits .....	1,000,000	2,200,000
Other fruits .....	2,300,000	2,800,000
Hops .....	600,000	800,000
Eggs .....	7,700,000	7,500,000
Poultry and game .....	2,300,000	2,117,000
Live stock .....	230,000,000	216,349,000
Beef .....	9,000,000	7,800,000
Lard .....	2,400,000	2,274,000
Meats (hog) .....	12,000,000	6,862,000

Totals .....	\$459,000,000	\$419,302,000
Total for 1896 .....		\$38,401,000
Total for 1895 .....		\$34,185,000
Total for 1894 .....		\$49,690,000
Total for 1893 .....		\$69,973,000
Total for 1892 .....		\$67,000,000
Total for 1891 .....		\$99,400,000
Total for 1890 .....		\$71,855,000
Total for 1889 .....		\$88,500,000
Total for 1888 .....		\$71,000,000

The Chicago stock yards make an equally gratifying showing. Receipts of all kinds of live stock aggregated over 17,000,000 head, valued at about \$230,000,000, and divided as follows:

Cattle .....	2,485,000
Calves .....	132,821
Hogs .....	3,756,230
Sheep .....	3,607,700
Horses .....	118,860
Cars .....	275,100

The capacity of the yards is 75,000,000 cattle, 300,000 hogs, 50,000 sheep and 5,000 horses; and this was tested several times during the year. The average price paid for hogs in May was \$4.25 and in December \$3.40, the two months representing the highest and lowest quotations. The average price paid for cattle per head was \$48; calves, \$12; hogs, \$9; sheep, \$4.50, and horses, \$70. The average weight of cattle is reported at about 1,084 pounds; hogs 233 pounds, and sheep 86 pounds.

The common belief that horses are no longer good property is discounted by the fact that 6,000 more horses arrived and were sold at the Union stock yards than in any previous year, and that an average price of \$70 was received for them. Part of this increase is accounted for, of course, by the Spanish-American war and the demand for cavalry horses created by it. Many of these animals were bought in the Chicago market, and it goes without saying that Uncle Sam paid full value for every creature he purchased. But leaving the war demand out of consideration, the general tenor of the horse market was exceedingly healthy in 1898, and prominent horse dealers are of the

## WILL BE COURT-MARTIALED.

## Gen. Eagan to Be Punished for His Recent Utterances—Make-Up of the Court.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The president Tuesday announced at the cabinet meeting shortly after it assembled for its regular Tuesday session that he had decided to order a court-martial to try Commissary General Eagan for the abusive and violent language he had used respecting Maj. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, while on the witness stand before the war investigating commission last Thursday.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The detail for the court-martial which is to try Commissary General Charles P. Eagan on charges growing out of his statements before the war investigation commission last week, in which he severely attacked Gen. Miles, was made public at the war department Wednesday night. The court is made up of 13 army officers, of whom Maj. Gen. Wesley Merritt is at the head, and a judge advocate, and it is to meet in this city on Wednesday, the 25th inst., or as soon thereafter as practicable, this qualification being necessary because a number of the members are at distant points and will require some days to adjust their affairs and reach the city. All the officers composing the court save one are from the regular army, a number of whom, however, during the war accepted volunteer rank and still hold those commissions. They are as follows:

Maj. Gen. Wesley Merritt, U. S. A.; Maj. Gen. James F. Wade, U. S. volunteers; Maj. Gen. Matthew C. Butler, U. S. volunteers; Maj. Gen. Samuel M. B. Young, U. S. volunteers; Brig. Gen. Royal T. Frank, U. S. volunteers; Brig. Gen. Alexander McW. Pennington, U. S. volunteers; Brig. Gen. George M. Randall, U. S. volunteers; Brig. Gen. Jacob Kline, U. S. volunteers; Brig. Gen. Richard Combs, U. S. volunteers; Col. Peter C. Hains, corps of engineers; Col. George L. Gillespie, corps of engineers; Col. Charles R. Suter, corps of engineers; Col. Francis L. Guenther, Fourth artillery; Lieut. Col. George R. Davis, deputy judge advocate general, judge advocate of the court.

Maj. Gen. Butler is the only one who is not connected with the regular army. Gen. Eagan may not be placed under actual arrest and deprived of any of his liberties pending and during the trial, but will be subject only to constructive and technical arrest during that time.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The charges and specifications in the court-martial of Commissary Gen. Eagan have been drafted and are now in the hands of the president. The charges are conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman and conduct prejudicial to good order and military discipline. The specifications quote largely from Gen. Eagan's statement attacking Gen. Miles before the war investigating commission.

## ALL DOUBT REMOVED.

## Wreckage on Breton Island Identified as Portions of the Missing Yacht Paul Jones.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 21.—The government steamer Pansy touched at Biloxi, Miss., Friday afternoon and reported finding on Breton island a part of the stern of the naphtha launch Paul Jones, also a yawlboat with bow smashed and other small articles from the launch. The condition of the wreckage tends to show that the naphtha tank blew up and tore the boat to pieces. The Pansy met the Maud with Jones and Taggart on board. The latter visited the wreckage and identified it as part of the Paul Jones. No bodies were found. O. F. Fremont and party left Scranton Friday forenoon in the sailing yacht Adelaide, of very light draught, and will visit every nook to the westward. The expedition is provisioned for ten days.

## Elected Senator.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 21.—Porter J. McCumber, of Richland county, was elected United States senator in the joint assembly of the North Dakota legislature at noon for the six years following the term of William N. Roach (dem.). On the formal ballot McCumber received 77 votes; M. N. Johnson, 1, and Thomas Kleinogel received the fusion vote of 13.

## An Extradition Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The president has sent to the senate a new extradition treaty between this country and Brazil. It was referred to the committee on foreign relations and at Wednesday's meeting of that committee was taken up and referred to a subcommittee. The treaty is a formal document providing for the exchange of persons charged with offenses on the usual lines.

## Shafter Takes Command.

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—Thursday Maj. Gen. Merriam issued an order relinquishing the command of the department of California. Immediately thereafter Maj. Gen. Shafter issued an order announcing his accession to the command. Gen. Merriam will go to Denver, Col., to assume command of the department of the Colorado.

## Payne Is Named.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Speaker Reed Friday put an end to the speculation regarding the chairmanship of the ways and means committee by appointing Mr. Payne (rep., N. Y.) to the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Dingley. This carries with it the floor leadership of the majority.

## MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

## Daily Summary of the Work Done by the Lawmakers in the Senate and House.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 17.—In the senate last night bills were introduced providing for a graduated income tax and for an inheritance tax and to prevent the consolidation of express offices in cities of the fourth class and larger. Also to require fire insurance companies to pay the full face of the policy in case of total loss.... A futile attempt was made in the house to have a special committee investigate and report, with special reference to the value of all corporate and other property, and the estimated tax railroad, telegraph, express and telephone companies would pay under the Atkinson bill. This defeat of dilatory tactics is considered a decisive victory for the friends of this bill.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 18.—Bills were introduced in the senate yesterday authorizing formation of corporations for intellectual or scientific research, etc.; appropriating \$2,500 for Michigan Pioneer and Historical society, 1899 and 1900; regulating manner of doing business of insurance companies and preventing formation of companies as to rates; increasing holdings of libraries and lyceums. A ballot for United States senator resulted in the choice of Julius C. Burrows.... In the house bills were introduced for taxation of inheritances; medical examination bill; for the incorporation of societies for the prevention of cruelty to animals and children; for city ownership of street cars in Detroit; prohibiting sale of oleomargarine as butter; relative to garnishee of corporations; providing a minimum of \$150,000 as endowment for colleges; for the repeal of sparrow bounty act; for incorporation of fruit growers.

The formal vote upon election of United States senator was taken and Julius C. Burrows received 35 votes, Daniel K. Campbell (dem.) being given the vote of the eight democratic members.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 19.—The legislature yesterday took its final action in the election of United States senator, the joint convention ratifying the vote in the two houses, and formally declaring the election of Julius C. Burrows.... In the house two members were added to the committee on elections at the request of Representative Schmidt, a democrat, from Saginaw, whose seat is being contested, and who was to select the additional members.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 20.—Both houses yesterday passed a joint resolution authorizing the payment by the board of state auditors of all expenses incident to the exhuming and return of soldiers' bodies in excess of that paid by the general government. Bills have been introduced in the senate providing for the examination and licensing of barbers; amending act establishing home for feeble minded, so that board of control shall consist of three members, one of whom shall be a woman; providing for the purchase of books and equipments for the Michigan state library, and the Michigan traveling library; amending laws organizing asylums so that the board of trustees of any asylum now or hereafter organized shall consist of six members, four of whom shall be men and two women.... In the house bills have been introduced providing that insurance companies shall pay full amount of fire insurance policies; lengthening term, etc., of members of state board of arbitration; reducing garnishee exemption from \$25 to \$12.50; to license and regulate commission and produce dealers; to protect game; repealing act as to collection of taxes from default villages; requiring all bonds for villages under general incorporation law to be submitted to the people.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 21.—Notice of three insurance bills was given in the senate yesterday. One provides that all insuring shall be done by companies authorized to do business in Michigan, another provides for retaliation in case any state imposes excessive demands upon Michigan companies operating in that state, while the third bill amends the law so that fire companies shall be assessed only upon their net receipts in Michigan. Bills were passed for incorporation of Detroit Exposition company; providing for a representative of the state to go to Cuba and other places and arrange for exhuming the bodies of Michigan soldiers. Bills have been introduced providing for the taxation of inheritances and transfers of property by will; changing the name of the asylum for the dangerous and criminal insane at Ionia to state asylum.... In the house a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution in favor of equal suffrage was introduced. Bills have been introduced to revise laws as to Michigan public schools; for a graduated income tax; repealing law as to registration of deaths; to prevent marriage of first cousins; for reorganization of state militia; to prevent mob violence; providing for inspection of coal mines in Michigan; appropriating \$5,000 for books for state public library; amending general tax law; for incorporation of M. E. churches. A resolution for adjournment from January 27 to February 7, to give the junket committees time to visit state institutions was adopted in both houses.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 23.—In the senate a bill has been passed repealing act preventing fishing in Long lake. Bills have been introduced repealing act providing for a text book commission; providing for the ownership of property by husband and wife; regulating the payment of bounty to bear sugar farmers; protecting sidewalks or wheelways used by bicyclists; validating indebtedness of counties or townships and authorizing the levying of taxes for the payment of the same.... In the house bills have been introduced regulating publication and distribution of state manuals; relative to raising money by township boards; providing that only 40 per cent. of money due a garnishee defendant for labor shall be applicable on a debt; authorizing a board of county auditors for Bay; for the establishment of an agricultural experiment station in the upper peninsula; for free text books in public schools, to be selected by district boards, for seizure of personal property assessed for taxes.

## LAND CASE SETTLED.

## Rights of Archbishop Ireland to Lands Under the Second Contract Are Affirmed.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The secretary of the interior Saturday affirmed the decision of the commissioner of the general land office in the famous case of Archbishop Ireland, involving title to 33,178 acres of land in Minnesota. He holds that under the first contract, made with the St. Paul, Minnesota & Manitoba Railroad company on July 17, 1880, Archbishop Ireland was not a purchaser, but that under the second contract, made on March 30, 1883, he was a purchaser. Accordingly the lands covered by the first contract will not go to Archbishop Ireland, while he will receive those under the second contract.



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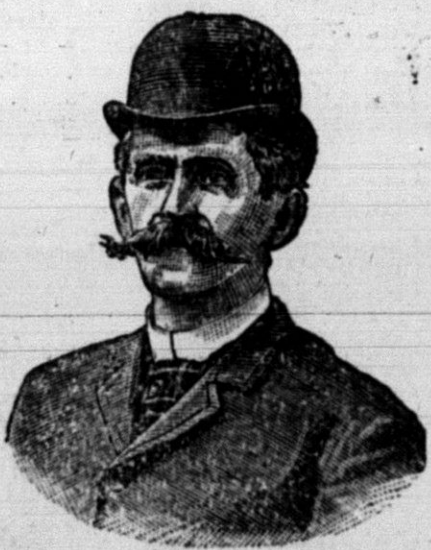
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## Echoes of the Week.

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About seven weeks of winter yet. Examinations in the schools this week. Invoicing is now taking place in our stores.

Chelsea against the world in catching mammoth fish.

Born, Jan. 23, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Hepburn, a son.

Louis Doll is able to be out again after his severe illness.

The Methodists will start revival meetings next Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Gorman, who has been very ill, is much better.

Born, Jan. 26, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Paine, a daughter.

Onions are being shipped daily, and the prices are going higher.

The Baptists will have a Washington birthday entertainment.

Wm. Widmayer is spending a few days in Manchester this week.

Tommy Wilkinson, of the 19th regulars, has received his discharge.

Go to H. L. Wood & Co. for Poultry and Stock Food; also Panacea.

Rev. W. P. Conditine visited friends in Adrian and Jackson last week.

The L. C. B. A. are making preparations for a social in the near future.

Mrs. R. Alexander and Miss H. Kitchen are Ann Arbor visitors to-day.

There were fifty three deaths in Washtenaw county during December.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frey were Norvell visitors last Sunday and Monday.

Michael Keelan, who has been very ill, is now able to attend to his work.

Mr. Wm. F. Kress, of Freedom, called on friends in Chelsea last Tuesday.

There will be a Farmers' Institute held at Ann Arbor, Feb. 15 and 16, 1899.

Miss Caroline Forner, of Sharon, was the guest of Miss Ida Keusch, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Trouten have moved on the James S. Gorman farm in Lyndon.

Ash-Wednesday, the first day of Lent, will be the 15th of February, this year.

James Daley, representing Feeley & Co., of Chicago, was in Chelsea last Tuesday.

Mrs. John Greening is slowly regaining the use of her ankle, and will soon be out again.

Mr. Birch and children, of Bunker Hill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Graham, last week.

Mr. Edward H. Doran, of Saginaw, was the guest of Miss Josephine Stapish, the past week.

Henry Howard and Fred Zimmerman, of Manchester, called on Chelsea friends last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin are going to housekeeping in the Moore house on Railroad street.

Married, Jan. 23, 1899, Mr. Alva Garbet and Miss Louisa Kalmbach. Justice E. A. Ward officiated.

Chelsea will have all new churches in the course of time. The Methodist will be the next new one.

Lewis Morehouse, of Munith, and Miss Emma Schunacher, of Waterloo, were married Jan. 25, 1899.

Basil Haberstroh left for Kalamazoo last Wednesday to accept a position in a leading hotel of that city.

Died at her home in Lima, Jan. 24, 1899, Mrs. John Joos, aged about 70. The funeral was held Thursday.

A branch of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association, commonly called the C. M. B. A., will soon be established in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Voelker, of Jackson, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Eppler, and other relatives, here, Sunday.

Died, at her home in Sylvan township, Jan. 20, 1899, Mrs. George Holzapfel, aged 34 years. The funeral took place Monday.

The Woman's Guild will hold a social at the home of Miss Haarer, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 1. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

At a meeting held in the Town hall, last Monday evening, the M. E. society decided to build a new church to cost between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

George Shanahan is the champion fisherman so far this season. He brought in a 13-pound pickerel last Monday and a 10-pound one Tuesday.

There will be a joint installation of officers of the L. O. T. M., and K. O. T. M., at their hall, on Friday, Feb. 3rd. All the members are requested to be present.

The price of gasoline appears to be on the rise. It has gone up two cents at retail recently, and is said to be liable to go still higher. The cause is said to be a scarcity of the product.

The annual financial report of St. Mary's church, Chelsea, was recently presented to the congregation and showed a most gratifying condition of affairs. The church is entirely out of debt.

The prospects look very encouraging for another busy year in the building line. Houses, barns, etc., will be put up in our village and surrounding country, and the work will start quite early if the weather permits.

Bernard Kirk, of Ypsilanti, father of Prosecuting Attorney Kirk, was instantly killed in that city on Saturday last, while working on the new street car farms, by the falling of bricks from an insecure scaffolding.

Go to the Corner Barber Shop for a first-class shave. Hair-cutting and shampooing a specialty. Razors honed and shears sharpened in first-class shape; also have in stock fine imported and domestic cigars and tobacco. Will Schatz, Prop.

Died, at his home in Chicago, Jan. 19th, 1899, Mr. Hiram Van Tassel, aged 70 years. The funeral was held in that city, Sunday, and the remains were brought here and interred in Oak Grove cemetery on Monday. Mr. Van Tassel resided in Chelsea from 1869 until 1874, when he removed to Jackson, where he resided until 1896, after which he removed to Chicago, where he died. Deceased leaves a wife and three children.

Arrangements have now been completed whereby the proceedings of the Michigan Schoolmasters' Club for the present year will be published in the form of supplements to the University News-Letter. The first of these supplements, containing the proceedings of the November meeting, will be issued in about two weeks. It will be mailed only to those who have paid the annual fee of the Schoolmasters' Club. Any person desiring to receive the proceedings should at once send one dollar to the treasurer of the club, Supt. L. S. Norton, Jackson, Mich.

The Western Washtenaw Union Farmers' Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sweetland, on Thursday last, and the attendance and interest taken was the best for the year. The reports from the State institute, at Lansing, by the delegates, Mr. and Mrs. Sweetland, were all that the club could desire, while the talk by Mr. Boynton, followed by a discussion of the question concerning the Agricultural College, and the farmer, convinced us that they knew whereof they spoke. The next meeting will be held at Mr. Frank Storms, on Feb. 16th, with an election of officers and an oyster dinner. Corresponding Secretary.

Report of School in District No. 5, Lyndon, for the month ending Jan. 13: Attending every day, Alta and Ethel Skidmore, Vincent Young, Callista and Spencer Boyd, Belle McCall, Millie Wallace, Archie Morrison, Frank Beckwith; standing 90, Belle McCall, Callista Boyce, Ethel Skidmore, Madge Young; 85, Vincent Young, Grace Collins; 80, Jas. Young, Archie Morrison, Alta Skidmore, Frank Beckwith, Floyd Boyce. Jas. Young, Callista Boyce, Grace Collins, Belle McCall and Frank Beckwith have not misspelled a word in written spelling during the month; Millie Wallace and Verne Beckwith missed only on. Mrs. L. A. Stephens.

Mr. Howe having sold his farm, and going out of business, he will sell at public auction, on the premises, 4 miles west of Chelsea, near Cavanaugh lake, on Tuesday, Jan. 31, 1899, at 10 a. m., the whole of his personal property, without reserve, as follows: Four horses (1 mare, 6 yrs. old, and weighs 1150 lbs.; 1 gelding, 11 yrs. old; 1 bay mare, 10 years old; 1 bay gelding, 8 years old, weighs 1100, family horse); 3 cows (giving milk and coming in in the spring; 1 Jersey heifer, coming in in February); 25 ewes, 1 brood sow, 4 shoats, 1 wide-tire Flint wagon, 1 surrey, 1 road wagon, 1 pair of bob sleighs, 1 Champion binder, 1 Buckeye mower, 1 new wheel horse-rake, 1 good wood-rack, 1 stone boat, 1 Ward weeder, 1 spring-tooth harrow, 1 40-tooth drag, 2 single Gale cultivators, 1 Gale plow, 1 road scraper, 1 set heavy double harness, 1 light double harness, 1 single harness, 1 nice light buggy pole, 200 bushels corn, 5 tons clover hay, 5 tons of marsh hay, a quantity of corn stalks, a lot of bean pods, 1 cauldron kettle, 1 3-horse rig for a double wagon, 1 grind stone, a lot of forks, hoes, chains, etc., together with some household furniture. Terms—All sums of \$5 or under, cash; over \$5 nine months time will be given on good approved endorsed bankable paper, at 6 per cent. Hot coffee and lunch at noon. N. B.—One fine dog will be sold who knows more than his master. George E. Davis, Salesman. Hon. M. J. Howe, Proprietor.

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No. 13—Grand Rapids Express... 6:20 P. M.  
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Gilt-edge Bleached, 6c. quality, 4c. per yard.  
Kid Cambrics, 4c. per yard.  
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300 prs. ladies easy Shoes, odd lots and styles, were \$3 to \$4, now 98c.  
Every pair of \$3 and \$3.50 ladies Shoes, of one of our regular lines, to be closed out, now \$1.98.  
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### Here and There.

Nice ice is still being cut.  
A small snow-storm to-day.  
See new advs. and changes.  
Bishop Foley is seriously ill with the grip.  
We are waiting patiently for that wood on subscription.  
Sam's artistic sign writing is admired by many passers-by.  
James Moran, who has been quite ill, is slowly recovering.  
House to rent; good location. Inquire of U. H. Townsend.  
The band boys talk of having another dance early next month.  
Go to H. L. Wood & Co. for Poultry and Stock Food; also Panacea.  
The Central City Bakery has got a new sign with price list painted on it.  
For Sale—A pleasant home, Jefferson and Madison streets. T. Cassidy, Chelsea.  
The time for paying taxes is near the wind up. So don't put it off any longer.  
Tommy McNamara was in Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti and other places a few days this week.  
One of our townsmen in driving through the country the other day counted 53 white horses.  
Some of the Chelsea boys have been working in the ice business at Ypsilanti and other places.  
Mrs. Ellen Covert, aged 66 years, died at her home in Lima, Jan. 20, 1899. The funeral was held Sunday.  
We receive quite often specimens of artistic printing from Chicago and other cities that is truly wonderful.  
Some small buildings have been going up lately. Nice weather for out-door work. Building never ceases in Chelsea.  
L. O. T. M. will hold a special meeting, Friday evening, Jan. 27, at 7 o'clock sharp. It is desired that members be prompt.  
Artistic sign-writing is all the go now, and in order to be up-to-date you should have your show-windows, doors, etc., artistically painted.  
Remember that the HERALD is, really speaking, the official paper of the county; and, if you don't believe it, just cast your eye over the legal page.  
The Holmes' Mercantile Co.'s new sign, and the Kempf bank, show more artistic work, done by the well-known sign writer, Mr. Sam Heselchwerdt.  
Father Kelly, Chaplain of the 32nd regiment, Michigan volunteers, lectured last Wednesday at Pinckney, in the citizens lecture course. The subject was, "The Yankee Volunteer."  
"Ten Nights in a Barroom" and "Uncle Tom's Cabin" troupes are striking country towns. Will they ever lay those worn out plays on the shelf, or must they eke out a living with everybody's help?  
In some parts of our county tramps are still committing depredations. They are very bold too. They are not satisfied with eating bread and meat, but want cake and pie. The more you feed them the lazier they get.  
On a recent Sunday in a nearby village church the janitor came quietly up to the pulpit, where the minister was delivering his weekly discourse, and informed him that the church was on fire. "I will retire," said the minister, "and perhaps, John, you had better try to awaken the congregation, and inform them also."  
The Penny Magazine, New York, which is the lowest-priced magazine in America (20 cents a year), and which is owned by Hon. Chauncey M. Depew, the eminent American orator, wants a representative in this vicinity. It is a good opportunity for one of our ambitious young men or young women. Applications should be addressed to the Subscription Department, "The Penny Magazine," Temple Court, New York City.  
The calendar for 1899 gives these facts: New Year's day was Sunday, and watch-night services were held the night before. Calls were made on Monday. Lincoln's birthday comes on Sunday, Feb. 12; will be celebrated on Monday in some States. St. Valentine's day comes on Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 14. Ash Wednesday the next day. Washington's birthday and Emberday on Feb. 22. St. Patrick's day March 17. Maundy Thursday and Good Friday, Mar. 30 and 31. Easter comes on Sunday, April 2; celebrated in some States on Monday. Ascension day on Thursday, May 11. Whit-Sunday, May 21; celebrated in some States on Monday. Emberday, May 24. Decoration day, Tuesday, May 30th. Independence day, Tuesday, July 4. Labor day, Monday, Sept. 4. Emberday, Sept. 20. Christopher Columbus day, Monday, Oct. 2. Thanksgiving, Nov. 30. Emberday, Dec. 20. Christmas, Monday, Dec. 25. There are many other noted days in every year which are celebrated by the churches, lodges, etc., throughout the whole world. The new Congress takes their seats on Saturday, March 4.

### Washington News.

Washington, D. C., January 20th, 1899.  
—If Senators maintain their present attitude towards the treaty of peace, an extra session will have to be called to get it ratified. After Col. Bryan's recent visit to Washington it looked as though at least half of the Democratic Senators would vote to ratify the treaty, but since then Senator Gorman has been working to combine them against the treaty, and at a meeting held this week it was demonstrated that he had got all but six of them. There are still enough votes sure to ratify the treaty, if it can be brought to a vote, and Senator Davis is indicating an intention to resort to heroic methods to force a vote, if it becomes necessary; but it is plain to the friends of the treaty that the minority is now strong enough, if so disposed, to prevent a vote upon the treaty, at this session, without resorting to anything that can really be called filibustering. They have only to take up the time when the treaty is under consideration by offering and discussing amendments to the treaty. No amendment can be adopted; that is certain.  
President McKinley pulled his administration out of an embarrassing position when he ordered the court-martial of Commissary General Eagan, whose abuse of General Miles created such a scandalous sensation, but he had to overrule Secretary Alger to do it. Alger wanted to appoint a Military Court of Inquiry, which would have gone behind Eagan's language and dragged Miles into the mess. The court-martial is likely to be short, as Eagan will plead guilty with extenuating circumstances. If the court finds him guilty it must add the penalty of dismissal from the army. There will be no choice. It can accompany the verdict with a recommendation to executive clemency, if so disposed. Although denied in official circles, the belief is prevalent in Washington that the days of Secretary Alger as a member of the Cabinet are numbered.  
Southern Senators have been getting protests against Senator Butler's proposed amendment, to open the pension rolls to ex-Confederates, which they have shown Senator Butler in order to convince him that his idea was unpopular. This week Senator Butler presented a petition to the Senate, from fifty-five ex-Confederates of Muscogee county, Ga., containing the following language: "We therefore hope you will press your bill (to pension ex-Confederates) and that Congress will pass the same, and by so doing show to the world that we are a reunited people. We desire this not as mendicants for a pension, but in response to the grand and patriotic sentiments of our President and as voicing the sentiments of every true patriot who loves his country and respects the valor of the dead Confederate soldiers."  
The Naval bill passed by the House, this week, will make some radical changes in the service, it it becomes a law. It puts the line officers and the engineer officers on the same footing, and offers inducements in the shape of increased pay for officers retirement; it also provides for the retirement on three quarter pay of enlisted men and petty officers after thirty years continuous service, and abolishes the payment of prize money for captures.  
Speaker Reed has announced that Representative Payne, of New York, will succeed the late Representative Dingley as chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, a position that carries with it the leadership of the majority of the House.  
A large delegation of Ohio Centennial boomers struck Washington this week, with a varied assortment of Buckeye hurrahs, and pockets full of Centennial buttons. The delegation had a conference with the Ohio Congressional delegation, for the purpose of arranging to get a Congressional appropriation for the big celebration they propose holding at Toledo, in 1902; also a talk with the President. They talk like men who know just what they want and expect to get it.  
Although it is not yet positively known whether President McKinley will appoint anybody to succeed Representative Dingley on the Anglo-American Commission, owing to the announcement that the commission expects to complete its work by the close of this month, the friends of several members of the House, including Tawney, of Minn.; Payne, of New York, and Boutelle, of Maine, believing that he will, have been laying wires to secure the appointment. The Canadian lumbermen, who were in Washington for the purpose of trying to get the lumber duty cut in half, went home disappointed. If the Commission provides for any reduction, it will be a small one.  
Senator Bacon made a speech on his resolution, declaring the policy of this government to be to allow the Filipinos to maintain an independent government. He said that if Senator Foraker in his recent speech correctly represented the position of President McKinley, the administration ought to support his resolution.

### \$50 Reward.

Whereas, some person or persons have several times, recently, entered the school house, in this village, and committed various depredations upon the property of the district; and, whereas, it is deemed important by the School Board that the many patrons of the school, who fully appreciate the great and inestimable privileges furnished to them at such great expense, be protected in the employment of these privileges against the lawless depredations of the ungrateful and unappreciative few who perpetrate them; now, therefore to the end, that all such offenders against law and order may be brought to justice; we, the undersigned, on behalf of School District No. 3, Fractional, Lima and Sylvan, hereby offer a reward of fifty dollars for the proof that will lead to the conviction of the perpetrators of any of the recent depredations upon the property of said district, or any similar depredations that may be committed upon it in the future. By order of the School Board.  
Dated Chelsea, Jan. 17, 1899.  
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## THE NICARAGUAN CANAL.

Synopsis of the Measure for Its Construction Passed by the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The senate on Saturday passed the Nicaragua canal bill, decided to make the anti-scalping bill the unfinished business, and continued without the completion of the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill. A number of amendments were made to the Nicaragua canal bill, and there were many short speeches during the day. There was, however, no opposition to a vote when the time came, and a roll call on it developed only six votes in opposition to final passage.

The Nicaragua canal bill as it passed continues the name of the Maritime Canal company. It provides for the issuance of 1,000,000 shares of stock of \$100 each. The canal company is required to call in all the stock issued except that held by the Nicaragua and Costa Rican governments.

The company is also required to redeem and cancel all bonds and scrip heretofore issued by the company and to satisfy all cash liabilities. To enable the company to comply with this requirement treasury warrants to the amount of \$5,000,000 are authorized, with a proviso to the effect that only so much of the amount shall be paid as shall be required to pay the actual cash value of the rights, privileges, franchises and property at the time of the payment, the value to be determined by commissioners to be appointed by the president.

This being done, the secretary of the treasury is authorized to subscribe for 625,000 shares of the company's stock for the government of the United States. The present members of the board of directors are then to resign and a board of seven is to be appointed in their stead, consisting of five on behalf of the United States and one each on behalf of Nicaragua and Costa Rica.

The directors on behalf of the United States are to be appointed by the president and confirmed by the senate. No two of them are to be residents of any one state and no person who has heretofore been interested in the canal company is to be appointed to this office. They are also prohibited from being interested in contracts on the canal.

Each of the directors except the president is to receive a salary of \$5,000 per year and the president is to have \$6,000. All traveling expenses are to be paid. Annual reports are required. There is a provision against declaring a dividend except upon the net earnings. The company is authorized to contract for the completion of the canal within six years. The payments are restricted to \$20,000,000 annually.

The canal is to be large enough "for the use of the largest sea going vessels at a cost not to exceed the estimate of the engineers and not to exceed \$115,000,000." This amount is made a permanent appropriation for the work, to be used as occasion may require.

The bill gives the government a lien upon the property to secure the repayment of the moneys advanced, and the president is empowered to declare forfeiture of the property to the United States without the necessity of judicial or other ascertainment. Thereafter full title to rest in the government of the United States. The president is authorized to suspend payments at any time. The president is also authorized to secure any change in or modification of the terms of the concession either from the concessionaries or from Nicaragua and Costa Rica.

In case of failure in such negotiation the president is also empowered to negotiate for another route across the isthmus. He is further requested to open negotiations for the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, or any other treaty found to be in existence and standing in the way of the construction of the canal.

The neutrality of the canal is guaranteed, but the right to protect it against the interruptions of business between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States is reserved.

## TO USE ELECTRICITY.

Wisconsin Towns Preparing to Secure Better Transportation Facilities.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 23.—The work of the farmers who reside between this city and Seymour for an electric street car line to connect the two cities has taken the novel turn of the building of a freight line. It appears that the farmers who are out looking for capital to build the line are not after a purely passenger service, but expect to have something in the line of freight trains to ship their grain to the Appleton elevators. If this plan be adopted it will be an innovation in the problem of electrical transit. At first it was proposed to run cars which would accommodate the farmers with a small amount of baggage, such as baskets and other light articles, a trailer or a combination coach being run. Now the plan has developed into the proposition to run a train of freight cars daily for the transfer of the produce.

## AN AWFUL DEED.

Demented Woman in Toledo Commits Suicide After Trying to Kill Her Children.

Toledo, O., Jan. 23.—Mrs. S. J. McCollough, wife of a well-known man of this city, suicided Saturday and attempted to kill her family of three children before she took the drug. The woman was undoubtedly insane. Four of the children were taken violently ill Saturday, caused by eating diseased meat. One child died Saturday afternoon, and the mother attempted to give the living children, all of whom are in a critical condition, a dose of carbolic acid. She was prevented by the people in the house, but she slipped away and was found later in a dying condition. She survived but a few minutes.

## Will Set Aside.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 23.—The will of the late Isaac Staples, of Stillwater, involving \$1,300,000, has been set aside, the jury returning a verdict for the contestant, E. S. Bronson, late Sunday afternoon. The jury decided that Mr. Staples was not of sound mind at the time the will was drawn.

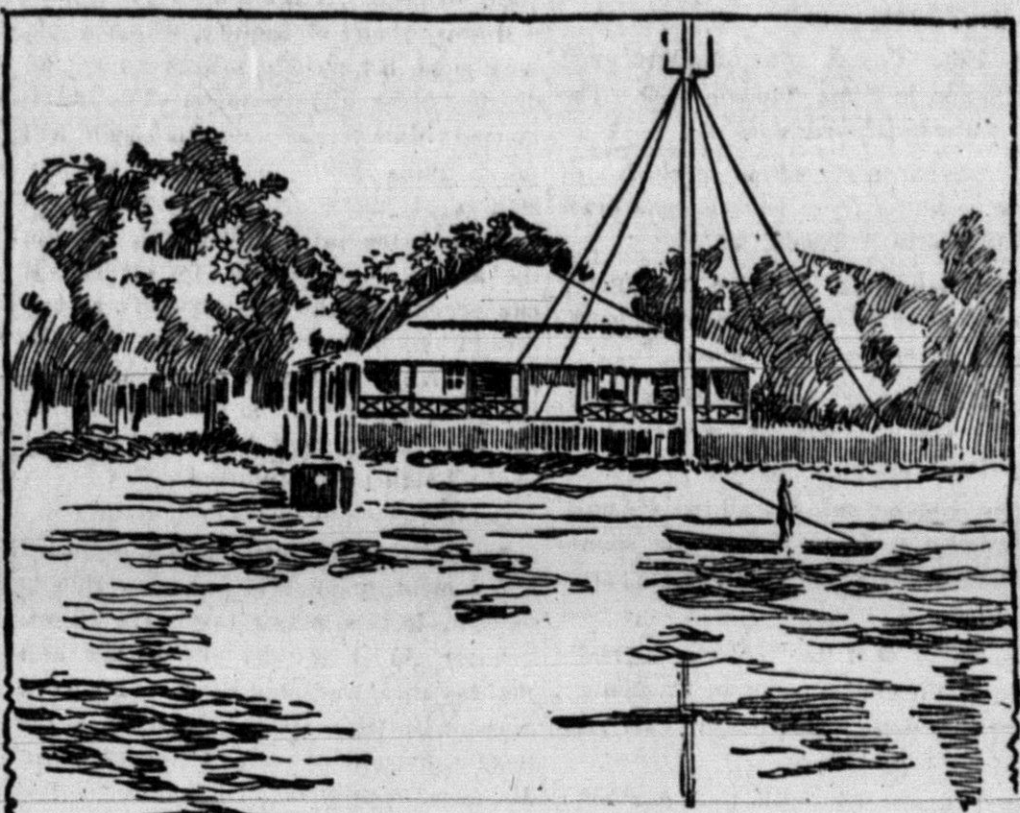
## THE SAMOAN AFFAIR.

President McKinley Asks Explanation of Conduct of German Consul at Apia.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—A clash between the German consul in Samoa on one hand and the representatives of the United States and Great Britain on the other, as reported Wednesday, threatens the most serious complications. The German agent broke into the supreme court building at Apia and took possession, ostensibly in the interests of King Mataafa. The American and British consuls ejected him. There was no violence beyond this.

The United States government on Thursday addressed a sharp note to the German embassy at Washington on the subject of the intrigues in Samoa. It was reported that the tenor of the communication was such as would be likely to cause a stir in Berlin. There was a good deal of war talk at the department in Washington, following a diplomatic conference participated in by the secretary of state, the British ambassador and a representative of the German embassy.

Berlin newspapers admit that the situation has become critical, especially in view of the growing hostility between the United States and Germany. The Pall Mall Gazette, of London, declares that Germany has willfully violated the



UNITED STATES CONSULATE AT APIA, SAMOA.

treaty respecting the protectorate. The London Times is disposed to question the propriety of Chief Justice Chambers' action in ruling against King Mataafa.

Auckland, N. Z., Jan. 20.—Further particulars regarding the disturbances at Samoa show Mataafa's followers numbered about 5,000 men and that the adherents of Malietoa Tanu were only about 1,000 in number. There were two hours' fighting between the rival forces, during which several of the warriors were decapitated.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The president has directed Secretary Hay to draw up a state paper containing a summary of the provisions of the Berlin treaty relating to Samoa, a history of the previous exciting events in Samoa and a recital of the revolutionary acts of the German president of the municipal council, as related in the press dispatches and confirmed by the consular report from Auckland. This statement will be cabled to-day to Ambassador White at Berlin, with instructions to present it to the imperial government and request an explanation of the conduct of the German representative or a disavowal of his action. It is the opinion of the administration that Germany will promptly disavow all sympathy with the revolutionary tactics of her representative and promise to remove and punish him if the press dispatches are confirmed by official advices.

## Testimonial to Schley.

New York, Jan. 21.—Rear Admiral Schley was presented Friday night with a jeweled sword by his brother members of the Royal Arcanum at Carnegie music hall in the presence of 4,000 persons. Gov. Lowndes, of Maryland, with a party, and a large number of naval officers were present. After receiving the sword with a graceful speech Admiral Schley buckled it to his side and shook hands with about 3,000 men, women and children. Supreme Regent Edson M. Schryver, of Baltimore, who presided, made the presentation.

## Laid to Rest.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 19.—In the midst of marked evidences of public and private mourning the citizens of Maine, including the neighbors and lifelong friends of the late Representative Nelson Dingley, engaged in the closing services attending the burial of Maine's honored congressman here Wednesday. The public service was held in the Pine Street Congregational church, after prayers at the Dingley home. The body was then taken to Oak Hill cemetery, in Auburn, for interment.

## Votes Thanks to Miss Gould.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 19.—The Illinois house voted thanks to Helen Gould for her ministrations to Illinois soldiers.

## DESTRUCTIVE FLOOD.

Bursting of an Ice Dam at Cleveland, O., Results in Great Damage to Property.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 19.—A costly steel bridge crossing Kingsbury run and the tracks of the Nickel Plate railroad at Willson avenue was wrecked Wednesday forenoon by a flood caused by the bursting of an ice dam a mile or more above the structure. The disaster to the bridge has been impending for three or four days, or ever since the dam burst on last Sunday, after the heavy rains of Friday night and Saturday. The great flood of water liberated came rushing down the ravine to the culvert under the bridge. There a dam formed and the water backed up until many acres of the surrounding fields were covered. It was at first hoped that the culvert could be opened and the water let off in that way, but when the obstruction was removed the torrent rushed through with so much force that the foundations of the bridge piers were undermined one after another. Great sections of the earth, some of them 20 feet deep and 75 feet square, were carried out and soon the water was swirling about the abutments. Four of the piers were carried away in the morning and at about ten o'clock a fifth pier went, carrying down with it a 60-foot span of the bridge. Two other

## MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

### The Crop Report.

The January crop report says that the ground in the principal wheat growing sections of Michigan was fairly well covered with snow until the latter part of December. The common opinion among correspondents is that wheat suffered only a slight injury, if at all. The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed in December is 1,938,600, and in the five months, August-December, 9,769,106, which is 735,112 bushels more than reported marketed in the same months last year.

### Mutual Insurance.

At the annual meeting in Lansing of the Michigan Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance company the reports showed that during the year 1898 the company paid \$39,638.94 in losses. The net assets are \$657,800. The following officers were elected:

President, C. G. A. Voigt, Grand Rapids; vice president, N. J. Cyer, Ann Arbor; secretary, Arthur D. Baker, Lansing; treasurer, S. J. Titus, Battle Creek; directors, N. J. Cyer, Ann Arbor; Robert Henkel, Detroit; C. J. DeRoo, Holland; Arthur D. Baker, Lansing.

### Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health from 70 observers in various portions of the state for the week ended January 14 indicate that inflammation of the kidneys decreased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 150 places, measles at 21, typhoid fever at 25, scarlet fever at 51, diphtheria at 22, whooping cough at 19 places and smallpox at Detroit and Redford.

### Death of Gen. Humphrey.

Gen. William Humphrey died at his home in Adrian, aged 70 years. He was auditor general of the state four terms, being elected to that office in 1866. Afterward he served eight years as warden of the state prison at Jackson. He served as brigadier in the war of the rebellion, and during the administration of President Harrison he was postmaster of Adrian.

### Frozen to Death.

During a blizzard at Hancock Mrs. Thomas Uren and her little daughter and son, aged four and eight respectively, were frozen to death. The husband, who does not reside at home, came to visit the family, and found they had not been at home for some time. After a search he found their bodies about a half mile from the house buried in a huge snowdrift.

### Death of Hiram Walker.

Hiram Walker, capitalist, founder of Walkerville, Ont., situated opposite Detroit, and of the great distillery which bears his name, died in the family residence in Detroit, aged 82 years. Mr. Walker owned large tracts of land in Ontario and was interested in railroad and other investments besides the great whisky manufacturing concern.

### News Items Briefly Told.

Rev. Elias Cooley, who died at Albion, first commenced preaching when he was 17 years old, and in his early life he founded the seminary at Colon, which was later moved to Paw Paw.

Peter House, aged 93 years, who lived three miles north of Utica, is dead. He was an old British veteran and served in the army of King George IV. before the time of Queen Victoria.

Quartermaster General White takes pride in the fact that out of the \$512,000 expended in placing the Michigan regiments in the field only \$49,000 went to firms outside the state.

During the year 1898 319 marriage licenses were issued at the county clerk's office in Pontiac.

Tekonsha has a new society known as "Bachelor Maids," with Zoe Hollenbeck as president. The object of the society is for mutual improvement, and there is no by-law against marriage.

Dr. L. L. Houghton, state geologist, tendered his resignation to the board of geological survey.

Edward Eearius was found guilty in Saginaw of the murder of Louis Buehler on December 20 last and sentenced to life imprisonment at Jackson.

The M. E. church at Chelsea was burned, causing a loss of \$4,000.

The December report of State Salt Inspector Caswell is as follows: Manistee county, 129,531 barrels; Wayne, 54,463; Bay, 51,998; St. Clair, 46,187; Mason, 39,873; Saginaw, 39,247; Midland, 2,700; total, 363,999.

Lumber woods in the upper peninsula are more crowded with crews this winter than for many seasons past. The weather up to date has been very favorable.

Michigan republicans will hold the state convention for nomination of justice of the supreme court and regents of the university at Jackson March 1.

Carl Miner, an Ann Arbor boy, has been appointed inspector for the board of health in the city of Manila under Maj. Bourns.

Rev. J. O. Dean, pastor of the Baptist church at Imlay City, tendered his resignation, to take effect the 1st of April.

Prof. Frank M. Crossette, composer, band leader and cornetist, died suddenly in Constantine, aged 67 years.

C. A. Baxter, a farmer in Matteson, went to his barn in his usual good health to do his chores and was found dead by his wife a short time after.

## FEWER DELEGATES.

Number to Which Each County Will Be Entitled in the Next Republican Convention.

Secretary Sherman, of the republican state central committee, has made a table showing the number of delegates to which each county will be entitled in the state convention next spring. On account of the decreased vote for governor the number of delegates will be diminished from 1,101 to 833. The representation of the several counties will be as follows:

Alcona, 2; Alger, 2; Allegan, 12; Alpena, 4; Antrim, 4; Baraga, 1; Arenac, 3; Barry, 11; Bay, 19; Benzie, 4; Berrien, 21; Branch, 13; Calhoun, 20; Cass, 11; Charlevoix, 3; Cheboygan, 5; Chippewa, 5; Clare, 3; Clinton, 12; Crawford, 1; Delta, 4; Eaton, 16; Emmet, 5; Genesee, 16; Gladwin, 12; Gogebic, 5; Grand Traverse, 5; Gatiot, 12; Hillsdale, 15; Houghton, 12; Huron, 10; Ingham, 19; Ionia, 17; Iosco, 3; Iron, 2; Isabella, 19; Jackson, 21; Kalamazoo, 18; Kalkaska, 2; Kent, 47; Keweenaw, 1; Lake, 2; Lapeer, 10; Leelanau, 2; Lenawee, 23; Livingston, 11; Luce, 1; Mackinac, 2; Macomb, 14; Manistee, 9; Marquette, 10; Mason, 6; Mecosta, 5; Menominee, 6; Midland, 5; Missaukee, 1; Monroe, 13; Montcalm, 11; Montmorency, 11; Muskegon, 12; Newaygo, 7; Oakland, 20; Oceana, 7; Ogemaw, 3; Ontonagon, 2; Oscoda, 5; Oshtemo, 1; Otsego, 3; Ottawa, 17; Presque Isle, 2; Roscommon, 1; Saginaw, 25; Sanilac, 10; Schoolcraft, 2; Shiawassee, 15; St. Clair, 30; St. Joseph, 10; Tuscola, 12; Van Buren, 14; Washtenaw, 19; Wayne, 96; Wexford, 5; Dickinson, 5.

## BANK REPORT.

The State Commissioner Makes a Recommendation and Gives Some Interesting Figures.

State Banking Commissioner Malta in his annual report makes the recommendation that private bankers should be prohibited by law from using corporate titles. The report says further:

During the year ending December 31, 1898, the 183 state banks of Michigan have been examined once and many of them twice. Eleven new banks were organized during the year with an aggregate capital of \$285,500. Five private banks failed during the year with total liabilities of \$484,000.

The growth of business of the state banks since the law took effect in January, 1893, has been something remarkable. Deposits have increased \$57,764,665.61 and loans have increased \$48,330,831.11. The increase of the deposits between the December reports of 1897 and 1898 was \$10,625,638.27 and the increase in loans during the same period was \$5,338,308.21. The reports of the 81 national banks of the state made on December 1, 1898, show an increase in deposits of more than \$4,000,000, as compared with the reports of December 15, 1897.

## PAYS IN BILLS.

The Treasurer of Livingston County Gives the State Treasurer and His Deputies a Severe Shock.

State Treasurer Steel and his deputies got a shock from which they will not recover in some time. The treasurer of Livingston county ambled into the office and announced nonchalantly that he was prepared to make a payment on the state taxes apportioned to his county. The officers expected a draft or a check, but the Livingston county man stuck a hand into a pocket and brought out a bundle of one dollar notes. From various places about his clothing he kept drawing packages of one-dollar, two-dollar, five-dollar and \$10 bills. The pile kept growing until \$20,000 lay stacked up on the table. The office force was simply paralyzed with astonishment, but the county treasurer got a lecture he will probably not forget in a hurry.

## City Attorneys.

The city attorneys of the fourth-class cities of Michigan in session in Lansing appointed a committee composed of Hodsall, of Owosso; O'Hara, of St. Joseph; Hicks, of Benton Harbor; Lungerhauser, of Mount Clemens; and Chadwick, of Hillsdale, to prepare amendments to the fourth-class cities' general charter to be presented to the legislature. The principal amendment desired is one making the appointment of a board of public works optional with the different cities.

## Diphtheria from a Cat.

After watching two days, Health Officer Ticknor captured a cat which had been in John Hockstra's family in Kalamazoo, where three cases of diphtheria had appeared, the nearest case being a block distant and the families did not mingle. Dr. Crane secured mucus from the cat's throat, which showed that the animal had diphtheria in a malignant form. The cat was killed. There is no question but what it carried the germs and inoculated members of the Hockstra family.

## Big Estate Divided.

One of the biggest landed estates in Washtenaw county has been partitioned. Philip Dunlavy, deceased, owned 958 acres. The estate was amicably settled by the widow taking 203 acres; William Dunlavy, 180 acres in Scio; Edward Dunlavy, 120 acres and a village lot in Dexter; John Dunlavy, 120 acres in Webster, and a store in Dexter; Mary Dunlavy, 110 acres, and Anna Dunlavy, 135 acres.

## The Governor's Staff.

The governor has made the following appointments on his personal staff: Colonels, Eli R. Sutton, Charles W. Herbst and Truman H. Newberry, of Detroit; George A. Loud, of Oscoda; major, Ralph Stone, of Grand Rapids, secretary to the governor and military secretary; Ed J. Rogers, of Port Huron, judge advocate, with rank of major.



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#### Detroit Live Stock Market.

Michigan Central Live Stock Yards, Detroit, Jan. 25th. The demand for live cattle is rather quiet this week; the receipts have been somewhat liberal of late. The following prices are being paid at the Detroit Live Stock market: Prime steers and heifers, \$4.25@4.75; handy butchers' cattle, \$3.50@4.00; common, \$2.50@3.25; canners' cows, \$1.50@2.50; stockers and feeders, liberal supply; active; \$2.75@3.50; milch cows, steady, at \$3.00@4.00; calves, steady, at \$5.00@6.50; sheep and lambs, liberal supply; dull; prime lambs, \$4.50@4.85; mixed, \$3.50@4.00; culls, \$2.00@3; hogs are the leading feature in this market; fair receipts; trade is active at following prices: Prime mediums, \$3.75@3.80; Yorkers, \$3.70@3.75; pigs, \$3.40@3.50; roughs, \$3.00@3.25; stags, 1/2 off; cripples, \$1 per cwt. off.

#### Farmers' Institute.

The following is the program for the Farmers' Institute, to be held here Saturday next:

10 a. m.—Prayer by Rev. Dr. Holmes. Institute Appropriations, N. Pierce. Discussion, led by Frank Dwell.

11:30 p. m.—Prayer by Rev. Nickerson. Music.

The Farmer as a Business Man, Robert Gibbons.

Discussion, led by Geo. Rawson.

Poem, Miss Conklin.

Music.

Business Principles and Farm Insurance, M. L. Raymond.

Discussion, led by Wm. Stocking.

Paper, A. J. Easton.

7:00 p. m.—Prayer, Rev. C. S. Jones.

Music.

The Grandest Crop of our Farms is Men, N. Laird.

Music.

Co-operation, Wm. Stocking.

Discussion, led by Robt. Gibbons.

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#### Teachers' Examinations.

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

Ann Arbor, Mar. 30 and 31, 1899.

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#### Attendance in the Law Department.

The total enrollment in the law department of the University of Michigan is larger this year than ever before. The total number, including those taking the combined literary and law course, enrolled up to noon of Jan. 11th was 773, or five more than the total enrollment for last year. The number enrolled only as law students is 742 as against 733 for Jan. 15, 1898. The number taking the combined course of six years literary and law work is 36 the present year as against 22 last year. The largest number enrolled in the department in any one year when the law course required but two years instead of three as at present, was 670. Dean H. B. Hutchins, from present indications, estimates that before the close of the collegiate year the total enrollment of the department will be not less than 780, which will be 15 more than last year's total.

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#### Markets.

Chelsea, Jan. 26, 1899.

Eggs, per dozen	15c
Butter, per pound	12c
Oats, per bushel	25c
Corn, per bushel	20c
Wheat, per bushel	68c
Potatoes, per bushel	25c
Apples, per bushel	50c
Onions, per bushel	25c
Beans, per bushel	85c

#### 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 Saturday, the 14th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Susanah Wallace, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William Wallace, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to himself or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 13th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.] 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 Thursday, the 12th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Caswell, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Michael Welch, 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 James D. Kelly, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the 11th day of February, 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 circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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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 Friday, the 12th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Herman Calhoun, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 13th day of February, next, at 10 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 circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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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 Saturday, the seventh day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Richard Webb, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George Benton, praying that he may be licensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 6th day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

#### Chancery Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery.

Sarah S. Embrose, complainant, vs. James C. Embrose, defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery, at Ann Arbor, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1898.

Present, Hon. E. O. Kinnie, Circuit Judge.

In this cause it appearing from affidavit on file, that the defendant, James C. Embrose, is not a resident of this State, but resides at Hamilton, Ontario, on motion of D. C. Griffin, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that the said defendant, James C. Embrose, cause his appearance to be entered her-in, within five months from the date of this order, and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the complainant's Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said complainant's solicitor, within twenty days after service on him, of a copy of said bill, and notice of this order; and that in default thereof, said bill be taken as confessed by the said non-resident defendant.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days the said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that such publication be continued there at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

E. D. KINNIE, Circuit Judge.

D. C. GRIFFIN, Complainant's Solicitor.

Ypsilanti, Michigan.

#### 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 11th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Osborn, deceased.

Maria LaRue, 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 18th day of February next, at 10 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, 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 circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

#### Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a mortgage bearing date Oct. 27, 1895, made and executed by Sidney O. Rathfon and Mary Rathfon, to Robert Lambie, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, Michigan, October 13, 1895, in Liber 13 of Mortgages, on page 634, which mortgage was duly assigned by Robert Lambie to Mary Rathfon, and said assignment recorded in said Register's office, September 27, 1895, in Liber 13 of Assignment of Mortgages, on page 171, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of the notice for principal, interest and attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, the sum of two thousand four hundred and sixteen and 60/100 dollars. Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on the 27th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the southern end of the door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage, and all legal costs, to-wit: That parcel of land situate in the Township of Pittsfield, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, that piece being a part of section twenty-five, being situate on the east half of the northwest quarter of said section twenty-five; thence south along the line to the southwest corner of said east half of the northwest quarter; thence east along the quarter line to the place of beginning; and in case the above bounded piece does not contain fifty acres, and no more, the length of line on the west side is to be lengthened or shortened until it will contain fifty acres, and no more; second piece, the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five, excepting and reserving therefrom the south twenty-three and one-half acres.

Dated Nov. 2, 1898.

MARY RATHFON, Assignee of said Mortgage.

D. C. GRIFFIN, Attorney for Assignee, Ypsilanti, Mich.

#### 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 30th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William M. Roberts, deceased.

James N. Dean, 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 Friday, the 27th day of January 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 circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

#### Real Estate for Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of the Estate of Geo. F. Rash, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of said deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1899, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased, in the town of Lodi, in the County of Washtenaw, in said State, on Friday, the 3d day of March, A. D. 1899, 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:

East half of the south-west quarter of Section No. 13, and the south 20 chains and 32 links in length of the west half of the south-west quarter of Section No. 13, and also the south 20 chains and 32 links in length of the east half of the south-east quarter of Section No. 14, Town 3 south, Range 5 east, Town of Lodi, Washtenaw County, Michigan, containing 163 acres of land, more or less.

28 COMSTOCK F. HILL, 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 Thursday, the 30th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of John and William Kapp, minors.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Frederick Kapp, praying that he may be licensed to sell certain real estate belonging to said minors.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 20th day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the next of kin of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

#### Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1899, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of John C. Wheeler, late of said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 21st day of before said Court, on the 21st day of April, and on the 21st day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, Jan. 21, A. D. 1899.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

#### Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by two certain mortgages, one dated on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1895, executed by William Felske, unmarried, of the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, to Frederick G. Schleicher, of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, in Liber 82 of Mortgages, on page 552, on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1895, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., and another dated on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1896, made by said William Felske, unmarried, of the place aforesaid, to said Frederick G. Schleicher, of the place aforesaid, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, in Liber 80 of Mortgages, on page 558, on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1897, at 11:55 o'clock a. m.

And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on both of said mortgages, at the date of this notice, for principal, interest, taxes and insurance, as provided therein, is the sum of three hundred and forty-seven and seventy-one one-hundredths (\$347 71/100) dollars, and the further sum of fifteen dollars as an attorney fee, as provided by the statutes of the State of Michigan, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgages, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgages, or either of them, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in each of said mortgages has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said powers of sale contained in each of said mortgages, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgages will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the north front door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw (that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said county), on the 18th day of March, next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, which said premises are described in each of said mortgages as follows, to-wit: The lands, premises and property situate in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: The westerly five-eighths (5/8) of lot number fourteen (14), in block number two (2), Ormsby and Page's addition to the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereof.

Dated Dec. 15, 1898.

FREDERICK SCHLEICHER, Mortgagee.

30 LEHMAN BROS. & STIVERS, No. 4 Savings Bank Block, Ann Arbor, Michigan, Attorneys for Mortgagee.

#### Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage, dated the 23rd day of November, in the year 1899, executed by Daniel W. Amesen and Loretta C. Amesen, his wife, of the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, to Sophia Schleicher, of the same place, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Washtenaw, in Liber 72 of Mortgages, on page 577, on the 2nd day of December, in the year 1899, at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice for principal, interest, taxes and insurance, as provided therein, is the sum of six hundred and forty-one and sixty-two one-hundredths (\$641 62/100) dollars and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as a reasonable solicitor or attorney fee, as provided for in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the south front door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw (that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said county), on the 18th day of March, next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and being in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: Lots thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) in John S. Wellers' Addition to said City of Ann Arbor, together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto now or hereinafter belonging or in anywise appertaining or thereupon situated.

Dated Dec. 15, 1898.

SOPHIA SCHLEICHER, Mortgagee.

LEHMAN BROS. & STIVERS, No. 4 Savings Bank Block, Ann Arbor, Michigan, Attorneys for Mortgagee.

#### Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. 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 Margaret B. Voorhees, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of Frank Joslyn, in the City of Ypsilanti, in said county, on Thursday, the 16th day of March, and on Friday, the 10th day of June next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Jan. 16, 1899.

FRANK JOSLYN, Commissioners.

PERRY WATTLING, Commissioners.

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