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## Mackintoshes

At less than cost to manufacture.

For both men and women . . . . .

Part of them are sample garments bought at 50 cents on the dollar, and will be sold accordingly.

Balance are regular stock garments marked away down to prices that will sell them quick.

You can buy mackintoshes at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.75. It's just about one-half ordinary retail prices.

You cannot afford to miss this sale.

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**W. P. SCHENK & COMPANY.**

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## SPRING ARRIVALS.

New line ladies' fancy and black Hosiery.

New line ladies' muslin night gowns.

New line ladies' neck wear.

New line ladies' collars.

New arrivals of Men's Hats.

New arrivals of men's neckwear.

New arrivals of men's colored shirts.

New arrivals of men's cotton night shirts.

New novelties arriving continually.

**KEMPF & MCKUNE.**

Corner Store.

## For SAFETY and to DRAW INTEREST,

Deposit your Money in the

**Chelsea Savings Bank.**

Spar Bank.

Its Money is protected from fire and burglars by the best screw door, electric alarm, burglar proof vault-safe made.

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. . . IN ALL

## Departments!

**HOAG & HOLMES.**

Stoves at closing out prices. Cutters in all styles.

## New Meat Market.

I have opened up a new meat market in the Klein building on North Main street, and will keep on hand at all times a full line of all kinds of

**Smoked, Fresh and Salt Meats, Sausages, Etc.**

I solicit a share of your patronage and by strict attention to business and fair dealing I hope to merit a continuance of the same.

Goods delivered.

**C. SCHAFFER.**

Klein building, North Main street, Chelsea, Mich.

### Their Fiftieth Anniversary.

Tuesday last, Feb. 21, was the jubilee birthday of the Chelsea Congregational Society. It had been at first intended to have a regular commemoration of the event on that day. That idea was abandoned, but the interesting event was not allowed to pass by wholly unrecognized. At the Sunday morning service letters of congratulation were read from Rev. John Caley, now of Vermilion, Ohio, Rev. J. Edward Riley, now an Episcopalian minister in Omaha, Neb., and Rev. W. H. Walker, of Salem, Mass. Other letters had been expected, among them one from Rev. Robert Hovington, of East Tawas, who died last Saturday. Rev. Thomas Holmes, D.D., gave a brief address, and the pastor, Rev. C. S. Jones, in his sermon made some remarks on the past history of the church and expressed the hope that the church would follow on in good works in the footsteps of those who had gone before.

The church was originally organized in 1835 as a Presbyterian church with Rev. Enoch Bouton in charge. Fourteen years later, on Feb. 21, 1849, it was reorganized as the First Congregational church, at Sylvan Center, with Rev. Josephus Morton as its pastor. It was of this reorganization that the jubilee occurred. Mrs. Emeline Crowell, of this village, is the only surviving charter member of the society, and she was too ill to be present at the services.

The following lines taken from the jubilee hymn sung at the Fort street Presbyterian church, Detroit, last Sunday, and composed by Rev. Arthur T. Pierson, are very applicable to this occasion:

"For fifty years cherished, this church has not perished,

For Thou hast upheld from the days of its youth; The lamp is not shining, the light not declining,

The flame still supplied with the oil of Thy truth.

"Our Jubilee meeting is rapidly fleeting, And pathways, unknown and untrodden to trace;

Go Thou, Lord, before us, be Thy banner o'er us, Till gathered at last to the praise of Thy grace"

### Knights of Pythias Banquet.

The third annual banquet of Chelsea Lodge, No. 194, K. of P., took place last evening and was a most auspicious affair. About 75 people were present and everyone had a good time. The lodge room was tastefully decorated for a reception room and there the guests amused themselves until 10:30 o'clock when the banquet was served in G. A. R. hall under the able catering of Miss Mabel Gilman. The menu was all that could be desired and it was done ample justice to.

After the banquet an interesting program of toasts, speeches and vocal and instrumental music was proceeded with, George E. Davis being the toastmaster and speaking in the toast "Our Guests." The other toasts responded to were "Washington," by G. W. Beckwith; "Our Future Possibilities," by George A. BeGole; "Our Object," by B. B. TurnBull; "How I Treat the K's of P.," Dr. H. W. Schmidt; "Expansion," H. Lighthall. Dr. H. H. Avery was given "A Cue to the Situation," as his toast and handled it in an admirable manner. "The Black K's of P.," sung by Misses Ethel Bacon and Anna Light hall in true "coon" get up, was very good, as also was T. G. Speer's select reading.

It was 1:30 a.m. before the last merry banqueter left for home and the K. of P. annual banquet for 1899 was over.

### Have Bought Lands in Lima.

Ever since last fall parties from Detroit have been quietly contracting for all the low land that lies around Four Mile Lake, in the townships of Lima and Dexter. The price paid is \$20 per acre. The contracting parties have had men on the spot boring and testing the soil, the latest test having been made within the last two weeks. It is understood that a fine grade of marl, suitable for the manufacture of cement, has been developed.

### School Notes.

Two new pictures adorn the walls of the 7th grade room.

The Seniors are beginning to think about Commencement.

A walking bill board appeared in the High School Tuesday morning.



## The President

Is trying to make a new suit, for our expanding

## Uncle Sam.

Our COFFEES will SUIT YOU

Both in quality and price if you will try them.

PURE SPICES

- and -

PURE EXTRACTS.

We aim to make the Bank Drug Store the most satisfactory place in Chelsea for you to trade.

We are selling fresh oyster crackers at 5 cents per pound.

Notice our prices on brooms. Canned goods are cheap if you buy them at the Bank Drug Store.

We are selling:

Best Herring 14c per box.

Try our 25c N. O. molasses.

Lamp wicks 1c per yard.

Ch nice honey 10c per lb.

Light table syrup 25c per gal.

Best Cheese, 12c lb.

A good lantern for 38c.

25 boxes matches for 25c.

5 boxes tacks for 5c.

6 doz clothespins for 5c.

36 boxes Parlor Matches for 25c.

Good Coffee 10 cents per pound.

Electric kerosine oil 9 cents gal.

8 cakes Jackson soap for 25 cents.

Good sugar corn 7 cents per can.

Good Alaska Salmon 10c per can

Good sugar syrup 20c per gal.

10 pounds best oatmeal for 25 cents.

7 cans sardines for 25 cents.

4 lbs Vail & Crane crackers for 25c.

Poultry powder 15c per package.

## Glazier & Stimson

## Order 1 Pound

Of the Best Coffee in Chelsea for 25c

And get chance on Fancy Coffee Mill at

**Farrell's Pure Food Store.**

I will not be undersold.

## Central City Bakery,

A large 5c. loaf of Bread for 4c.

3 doz. Cookies for 25c.

Try our 15c. Meal.

Lunches of all kinds served at all hours.

**J. G. EARL.**

## Our Bargain Day

Is Every Day

We are offering the very BEST

For the LOWEST PRICES.

A trial will convince you.

**GEO. WEBSTER.**

THE CHELSEA HERALD.

T. W. MINGAY, Editor and Proprietor. CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

FEBRUARY—1899.

Calendar grid for February 1899 with days of the week and dates.

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.

On the 13th the senate passed a bill creating the office of admiral of the navy. The agricultural appropriation bill and a bill removing the disabilities of certain persons engaged in the civil war were also passed...

DOMESTIC.

It is thought that southwest Missouri has lost much of its great peach and pear crop for this year because of cold weather. Incendiaries made a futile attempt to burn St. Vincent de Paul's academy at Oshkosh, Wis.

Fire destroyed the great machine shops in the Brooklyn navy yard, causing a loss to the government of over \$1,000,000.

The keel plate of the new first-class battleship Maine, which is to be the equal of any fighting vessel in the world, was laid at Cramp's shipyard in Philadelphia.

Flags were placed at half mast in the principal cities of the country on the first anniversary of the blowing up of the Maine in Havana harbor.

The president has nominated Representative Samuel J. Barrows, of Boston, Mass., for librarian of the congressional library.

Letter Carrier Fred Marty and his wife and child lost their lives in a fire that destroyed the Arlington building in Chicago.

For the seven months ended January 31 last the merchandise exports were \$749,472,465, against \$718,387,407 in the same period in 1898, and the imports \$367,175,925, against \$340,616,530 for the seven months of the previous year.

At the triennial meeting in Washington of the National Council of Women Mrs. Fannie Gaffney, of New York city, was elected president.

Fire in Akron, O., destroyed the immense plants of the Thomas Building & Lumber company. Loss, \$100,000.

Seventy-two young men graduated from the Military academy at West Point, N. Y., and received diplomas.

There are at the present time 38,000 American troops in Cuba.

The wholesale shoe house of Tuttle, Smith & Co., in Boston, made an assignment with liabilities of \$250,000.

Three hundred representative Spiritualists of the United States met in Chicago to attend the National Spiritualists' association.

In an address before the Home Market club in Boston President McKinley said that until congress directed otherwise it would be the duty of the executive to possess and hold the Philippines; that our concern was not for territory or trade or empire, but for the people whose interests and destiny, without our willing it, had been put in our hands; that no imperial designs lurked in the American mind, they are alien to American sentiment, thought and purpose, and that our priceless principles undergo no change under a tropical sun.

Judge Thomas Mittenberger and his wife were asphyxiated by gas in their home at Bellefontaine, O. Reports from the fruit sections of Michigan, Georgia and Florida show that the recent cold snap has played havoc with fruit generally, and especially with peaches.

The law interfering with ticket brokers is unconstitutional, according to an opinion handed down in the circuit court in Chicago by Judge Gibbons.

Fire destroyed three business buildings in Philadelphia, the loss being \$400,000.

G. R. Birt, managing director of a London dock company, was said to be short \$1,200,000.

Frank Parker, ex-county treasurer of Vernon county, was arrested in Nevada, Mo., on the charge of embezzling \$40,000.

At Elkton, Tenn., Freeman Harvey (colored) was shot to death by Officer Wilkerson and a posse.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Charles Chapman Backus, one of the organizers of the American Express company, died in New York, aged 83 years.

Lawrence E. Myers, the amateur champion short distance runner of America, died suddenly in New York of pneumonia, aged 41 years.

Sevier Forcier, 100 years of age and the pioneer settler of northern Wisconsin, died in Chippewa Falls.

Rosa Washington, aged 135 years, and Harriet Hutcheson, 109 years old, died in Louisville, Ky.

A Yaqui Indian named Parito died in Salinas, Cal., aged 108 years.

Susan B. Anthony celebrated her 79th birthday at her home in Washington.

FOREIGN.

The village of Jaro, an insurgent stronghold near Iloilo, was captured by the American forces.

Many fishing boats and coasters have been lost along the French coast near Brest and 26 fishermen have been drowned.

The United States forces under Brig. Gen. Miller captured Iloilo, capital of the island of Panay and seat of the so-called government of the Visayas federation. The rebels set the town on fire before evacuating it, but the American troops extinguished the flames. There were no casualties on the American side.

Official inquiries made at Hong-Kong establish the fact that there has been no exportation of German weapons to the Philippines.

By the breaking of ice on a river leading to Tsin Tsin, China, 106 persons were drowned.

President Zelaya has issued a decree declaring the republic of Nicaragua to be in a state of siege.

Advices from Manila say that firing is heard almost continually in the outlying portions of the city and it was feared that the natives were planning an uprising and massacre of the Americans.

M. Felix Faure, president of the republic of France, died in Paris of apoplexy after an illness of three hours, aged 88 years.

Henry Jones, aged 68, one of the best-known authorities on whist and other card games, died in London.

All the surviving captains of Spanish warships destroyed in the naval battles off Santiago de Cuba and in Manila bay by the American fleets will be court-martialed.

Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish senate, has resigned that office in order to put himself in a position to defend his action as president of the Spanish peace commission at Paris.

LATER.

In the United States senate on the 17th the naval personnel bill and a bill granting a pension of \$50 a month to John M. Palmer, of Illinois, were passed, the private pension calendar was completed, 74 bills being passed, and a resolution adopted expressing to the government and people of France sympathy over the death of President Faure.

The committee on commerce decided to put the Nicaragua canal bill on the river and harbor bill. In the house the sundry civil appropriation bill (\$40,000,000) was passed, as was also a bill authorizing the president to appoint five additional cadets at large to the naval academy. A bill was introduced to pay Spain \$20,000,000, provided for in the Paris treaty.

Bills were passed in the United States senate on the 18th to amend the patent laws so as to give the right of applying for a patent on the part of an insane person to his legal guardian, and for the sale of the surplus lands on the Pottawatomie and Kickapoo Indian reservation, Kansas. The post office appropriation bill was discussed and an amendment was adopted extending the franking privilege as now fixed by law to the Hawaiian islands. The house spent two hours upon the naval appropriation bill and devoted the remainder of the session to eulogies upon the life and public services of the late Representative Northway, of Ohio.

The estimate of losses to the cattle and sheep interests caused by the recent storms in Colorado is \$200,000.

A dwelling house at French Run, Pa., belonging to a woodsman named Carlson, was burned and four children perished in the flames.

Thirty persons were frozen to death in West Virginia during the recent cold snap.

President McKinley visited the grand army encampment in Boston, was given a reception by the state legislature, and afterward left for Washington.

Receipts from customs at the port of Havana, Cuba, in January amounted to \$703,183.

The insurgents attacked an American outpost near the Manila waterworks and were repulsed, 50 rebels being killed. No Americans were killed.

The American Newspaper Publishers' association in session in New York elected as president S. H. Kaufmann, of the Washington Star.

Robert Howard (colored) was hanged in Chicago for participation in the murder of Frank C. Metcalf on November 9 last.

Three firemen were killed in the ruins of a burned building in Philadelphia.

M. Loubet, president of the senate and former premier, was unanimously nominated for the presidency of France, in succession to the late President Faure.

The court of inquiry to investigate the allegations of Maj. Gen. Miles in respect to the quality of the beef furnished the army met in Washington.

There were 178 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 17th, against 217 the week previous and 265 in the corresponding period of 1898.

Luther Chapin, founder of the senior order of United American Mechanics, died in Philadelphia, aged 83 years.

Albert Heysler, who murdered his wife and stepdaughter at Burkettville, Me., committed suicide by taking poison.

In a railway collision at Foret, Belgium, 30 persons were killed and 100 injured.

Agonillo, the Philippine insurgent representative who fled from Washington to Canada, left Montreal for London.

The transport Sheridan, carrying the Twelfth infantry, left Brooklyn for Manila.

David Bradley, president of the David Bradley Manufacturing company and the oldest plowmaker in the country, died suddenly at his home in Chicago, aged 88 years.

Fire wiped out the business portion of Hunnewell, Kan.

Emile Loubet was elected seventh president of the French republic by the national assembly at Versailles to succeed the late Felix Faure.

In a conflict over taxes between the Russians and Chinese at Talienvan, China, 300 of the latter were killed.

Charles Miller, of Chicago, won the six-day bicycle race in San Francisco, going 2,192 miles and making a new record.

Mrs. Charles Fahrenkamp, aged 33, her two children and an unknown woman were asphyxiated by gas in a Philadelphia boarding house.

Miss Salie Potter, said to be the oldest woman in Illinois, died in Urbana, aged 102 years.

Fire which started in the factory of the Wisconsin Chair company at Port Washington, Wis., destroyed many business buildings, the total loss being over \$400,000.

Our Policy of Territorial Expansion.

Extreme annexationists are advocating the addition of Canada to this country, and think it can be accomplished in a peaceful manner without exciting a quarrel with England. Such grave questions call for the wisest statesmanship, just as dyspepsia, constipation, liver and kidney diseases and malaria call for a thoroughly reliable remedy like Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. No experimenting should be done with untried medicines when an old established preparation is to be had.

Her Maiden Aim.

Hoax—So young Goldrox has taken a wife. What was her maiden name? Joax—Her maiden aim seems to have been to marry Goldrox, and she proved an unusually good shot for a woman.—Philadelphia Record.

The book called "David Harum" is one of the most intensely interesting, as well as one of the funniest stories of American life yet published. It deals mainly with country people. It is true to life and so full of interest it is difficult to stop reading when one begins. For sale at all book stores, or sent post paid on receipt of \$1.50 by D. Appleton & Co., 72 Fifth Ave., New York.

Keeping It Up to the Last.

Dix—I understand Windig, the attorney, is seriously ill. Hix—Yes; I met his physician this morning, and he says he is lying at death's door. "That's just like a lawyer."—Chicago Evening News.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE. Write to-day to Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y., for a FREE sample of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to shake into your shoes. It cures chilblains, sweating, damp, swollen, itching feet. It makes tight shoes easy. Cures Corns, Bunions and Ingrowing Nails. All druggists and shoe stores sell it. 25 cents.

What Caused the Fracture.

Hanson—Did you hear about Stewart? He is suffering from a broken jaw. Billbury—That's what football comes to. "But it wasn't football. It was golf. A tangle with the dialect, you know."—Boston Transcript.

The most luxurious service by many attractive routes from the North and West to Florida, all leading via Plant System which is the preferred line to the favorite resorts beyond the frost line. For particulars address L. A. Bell, 205 Clark St., Chicago.

This world's population resembles a home-made pie; the biggest and best part of it lies between the upper and under crusts.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Businesslike Passenger (trying to put on the air of a director)—"Guard! Guard, are you running on time to-day?" "Guard (sizing him up and answering "according")—"No, sir. We're running on the same old steel rails."—Ally Sloper.

Snooks—"I paid that bill before—there's some mistake." Inchtat—"Can't be a mistake—my books are carefully kept, double entry system." Snooks—"That accounts for it; I thought I'd paid most of my bills twice!"—Judy.

"There is a man that I would trust anywhere." "Yes, and he would probably fool you." "Never! There isn't a dishonest drop of blood in his veins." "Why are you so sure about it?" "He doesn't try to create the impression that he gets twice the salary he actually receives."—Cleveland Leader.

Father—"When women get to voting, if they ever should, they will be found wearing the party yokes as meekly as the men." Daughter—"They won't if yokes are not in fashion."—Cigarette.

Giving Herself Away.—Miss—"Jane, I've mislaid the key of my escritoire. I wish you'd just fetch me that box of odd keys. I dare say I can find one to open it." Jane—"It's no use, ma'am. There isn't a key in the 'ouse as'll fit that desk."—Punch.

International Troubles.—"What do you think about this universal peace movement?" "It will do to quarrel about as well as anything."—Chicago Record.

Wiggs (proudly)—"There, that's something like a dog, isn't it, old chap? As fierce as a tiger, too." Wiggs—"Hum! by the way he breathes I should be inclined to call him more of a pant(h)er."—Ally Sloper.

Parents should learn to enjoy their children more while they are of the spankable age, and depend less upon pleasure in them when they are grown.—Atchison Globe.

TUMOR EXPELLED.

Unqualified Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Mrs. ELIZABETH WHELOCK, Magnolia, Iowa, in the following letter describes her recovery from a very critical condition:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been taking your Vegetable Compound, and am now ready to sound its praises. It has done wonders for me in relieving me of a tumor.

"My health has been poor for three years. Change of life was working upon me. I was very much bloated and was a burden to myself. Was troubled with smothering spells, also palpitation of the heart and that bearing-down feeling, and could not be on my feet much.

"I was growing worse all the time, until I took your medicine.

"After taking three boxes of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Lozenges, the tumor passed from me.

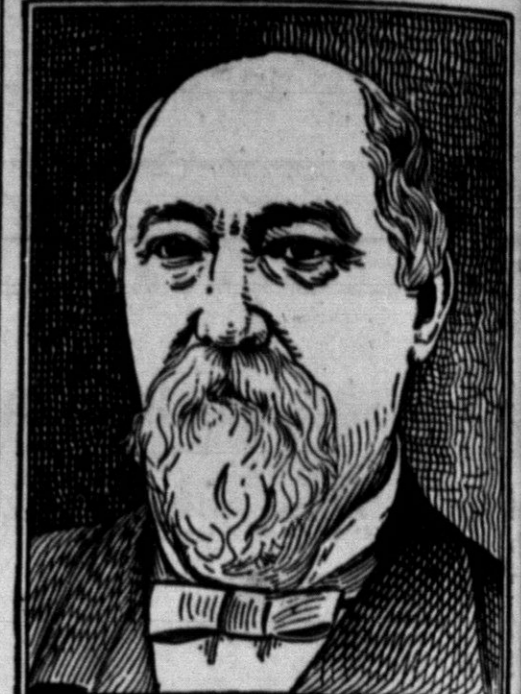
"My health has been better ever since, can now walk quite a distance and am troubled no more with palpitation of the heart or bloating. I recommend your medicine to all sufferers from female troubles."

It is hardly reasonable to suppose that any one can doubt the efficiency of Mrs. Pinkham's methods and medicine in the face of the tremendous volume of testimony.



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Restored By Pe-ru-na.



GOVERNOR T. C. FLETCHER.

Hon. Thomas C. Fletcher, the noted war Governor of the State of Missouri, is a great friend of Pe-ru-na. He writes: The Pe-ru-na Drug Mfg Co., Columbus, Ohio:

Gentlemen—For years I have been afflicted with chronic catarrh, which has gone through my whole system, and no one knows the torture and misery I have passed through. My doctor has prescribed various remedies, and I have never found any relief until I was persuaded by a friend to use Dr. Hartman's Pe-ru-na. After the use of one bottle I feel like a new man. It also cured me of a dropping I had in my throat, and built my system up generally. To those who are suffering with catarrh I take pleasure in recommending your great medicine. Very respectfully, Thomas C. Fletcher.

Everything that affects the welfare of the people is a legitimate subject of comment to the real statesman. The statesman is not a narrow man. It is the politician who is narrow. The true statesman looks out on the world as it is, and seeks, as far as is in his power, to remedy evils and encourage the good.

Catarrh in its various forms is rapidly becoming a national curse. An undoubted remedy has been discovered by Dr. Hartman. This remedy has been thoroughly tested during the past forty years. Prominent men have come to know of its virtues and are making public utterances on the subject. To save the country we must save the people. To save the people we must protect them from disease. The disease that is at once the most prevalent and stubborn of cure is catarrh.

DO YOU COUGH DON'T DELAY TAKE KEMP'S BALSAM THE BEST COUGH CURE

It Cures Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis and Asthma. A certain cure for Consumption in first stage, and a sure relief in advanced stages. Use at once. You will see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Sold by dealers everywhere. Price, 25 and 50 cents per bottle.

BUY NORTHERN GROWN SEEDS FARM SEEDS Salzer's Seeds are Warranted to Produce. Mahlon Luther, E. Troy, Pa., astonished the world by growing 250 bushels Big Four Oats; J. Breider, Minnetonka, Wis., 173 bushels barley and Jersey Red Wing, Minn., by growing 220 bushels Salzer's corn per acre. If you doubt, write them. We wish to gain 500,000 new customers, hence will send on trial 10 DOLLARS WORTH FOR 10c. 10 pigs of rare farm seeds, Salt Bush, Rape for Sheep, the 3000 Corn, "Big Four Oats," Heartless Barley, Brown's Insecticide—killing 750,000 parasites on dry soil, etc., "4-in-1" Whast, including our mammoth Seed Catalogue, telling all about our Farm Seeds, etc., all mailed you upon receipt of but 10c. postage, positively worth \$10, to get a start, 100,000 lbs. Seed Potatoes at \$1.20 and up a bit. 25 pigs earliest vegetable seeds, \$1.00. Catalog alone, 5c. No. K.

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THE Oceanic, which was recently launched at Belfast, is the largest and heaviest ship ever made.

SENATOR WILSON, of the Minnesota legislature, has introduced a bill which, if it becomes a law, will practically effect the pardoning of the Younger brothers, who robbed the bank of Northfield and killed a number of people in 1876.

THE countess of Castellane, daughter of the late Jay Gould, has just moved into the palace in the avenue of the Bois de Boulogne, which has been in course of construction for several years.

GOLD is not the only valuable discovery made in the new northwest. What are called "natural soap and paint mines" have been discovered in British Columbia.

THE prince of Wales will benefit to the extent of \$1,250,000 under the will of Baron Ferdinand Rothschild.

ONE of the most interesting and novel effects in the new drama at the Princess is the demonstration of mechanically produced hypnotism by means of the revolving crystal globe that gives its name to the piece.

A TRAVELER, recently returned from the Ladronez, reports the existence of some strange things in the islands. "There is a fruit," says he, "the odor of which is so extremely offensive, that the average person who smells it can not be persuaded to taste it."

A MAN who has recently been under treatment at the Maine general hospital has lost his thumb from an injury that at first seemed very trivial.

THERE are half a dozen Felix Faures holding responsible positions in France, and this fact sometimes results in confusion, owing to the fact that the president's name is the same.

A NEW ice creeper has been invented. It consists of wire stretched back and forth across the sole of the shoe.

THE JUNIOR ANNUAL HOP.

This Is the Leading Social Event of the College Year at the University of Michigan.

SIGNIFIES THAT WORK IS COMPLETED.

History of the Origin of the Custom—It Is Strictly a Class Affair—Students Send for Their Best Girls and Entertain Them in a Right Royal Manner.

[Special Correspondence.] Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 14.—The social event of the college year at the University of Michigan occurred Friday evening last. It was the junior hop. This is held each year on the last Friday in the first semester.

History of the Custom. Although the junior hop is open to all university students, it is chiefly managed by the "frats," or those belonging to the secret societies known as the fraternities.

to make the hop a success. By 1896 several more fraternities now represented in the hop had been organized, and, being denied the right of participating in the event, carried the matter to the board of regents, who decided that if the event was to be given as a university affair in the university buildings it must be open to all.

Fraternities Rebel. The nine fraternities who had enjoyed the glory of the exclusive management rebelled, chartered a special train and went to Toledo.

Over One Hundred Guests. To the fraternity boys the junior hop means more than the dance in the big gymnasium. It is a three days' reception. On this occasion they send to Detroit, Chicago, Toledo, Grand Rapids, etc., for their best girls, and these they entertain from Friday to Monday.

An Electrical Display. The hop proper is held in the large gymnasium, which is well adapted for such event. Around the sides of the room, under the walking track, are arranged the booths, there being one for the chaperons, one for each fraternity and one for the independents.

The Chaperons. Among the chaperons at Friday night's gathering were Mrs. James B. Angell, wife of President Angell, administrator of Turkey, and Mrs. H. B. Hutchins, wife of Dean Hutchins, of the university law school.

The Next Day. The Saturday afternoons following the hops are employed by the students entertaining guests to show their friends the university and the beauties of Ann Arbor.

Requests to Institutions. The will of the late D. B. Merrill was admitted to probate in Kalamazoo. He leaves an estate of \$100,000.

Died with His Boots On. Walter Finch, aged 75 years, and his wife, aged 67 years, respected citizens and pioneers of Capac, were each attacked with the gripe and both died within a few days of each other.

B. H. ELSWORTH.

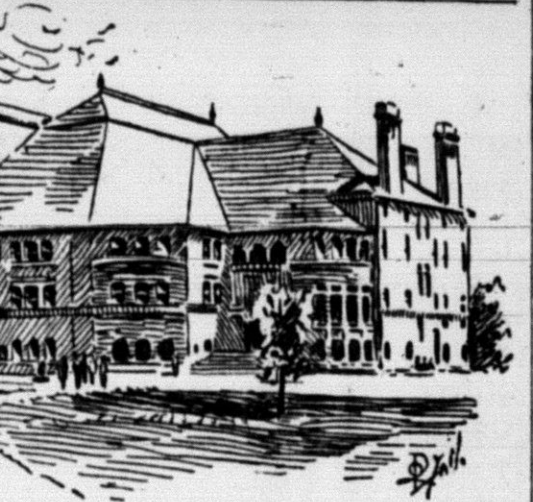
POPULATION OF PRISONS.

Interesting Facts and Figures Given in a Report Made by O. M. Barnes and Never Before Published.

O. M. Barnes, of Lansing, president of the joint prison boards of the state, and a deep student of the prison question, has prepared a very valuable report of the conditions in the prisons of this state.

The moral standing of the convicts when received and the effect of imprisonment are shown by the fact that of the 525 convicts received at the state prison during the two years ending last June 304 were undergoing their first conviction, 108 their second, 16 their third and seven their fourth or subsequent conviction.

It would be better if the circuit judges would more carefully distribute convicts among the prisons—hardened criminals should not be sent to Ionia. Only first offenders and such as are believed to be reformable should be sent there.



EXTERIOR VIEW OF GYMNASIUM.

on parole. The indeterminate sentence plan is highly indorsed. The world has come to regard reformation as one of the purposes of imprisonment, and the indeterminate sentence law gives room for the discharge of the convict at the time when his reformation is complete, and when further imprisonment would be an injury.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Gives the Receipts and Expenditures of the State for a Year and Shows a Large Balance.

Auditor-General Dix has completed his report for the year ended June 30, 1898. It says: The receipts of the state from all sources during the year were \$5,122,859.36, and the disbursements for all purposes \$4,690,534.79.

The salaries of public officers for the year amounted to \$68,185. The expenses of the judicial department were \$153,221.95; state banking department, \$17,171.90; extra legislative session, \$19,895.75; stationery for legislature, special session, \$1,239.39; appropriations from the general fund, \$1,196,978.44; cost of suits, \$11,450.35; paid to members of boards of state institutions, \$10,688.50; expenses of members of board of state auditors, \$1,323.53.

The net receipts from direct taxes during the year were \$3,308,735.18, and the amount of specific taxes received was \$1,028,930.25. There was paid during the year to the primary schools of the state out of the specific tax fund the sum of \$977,385.50.

Died with His Boots On. Walter Finch, aged 75 years, and his wife, aged 67 years, respected citizens and pioneers of Capac, were each attacked with the gripe and both died within a few days of each other.

Requests to Institutions. The will of the late D. B. Merrill was admitted to probate in Kalamazoo. He leaves an estate of \$100,000.

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B. H. ELSWORTH.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Mail Trains Collide.

Chicago & Grand Trunk fast mail and passenger train No. 1, west bound, plunged full speed into passenger and fast mail train No. 6, east bound, while the latter was standing at the station in Imlay City and Engineer Fairbanks and Mail Clerks Edward Reid and Thomas Stewart were killed and five other persons were badly injured.

Shaken by Earthquakes.

Portions of Montcalm county were shaken by earthquake shocks. Houses were rocked and dishes thrown off the shelves, and many bottles were smashed in the drug stores.

Outsiders Are Barred.

Michigan retail lumber dealers at their annual session in Detroit adopted resolutions to purchase their stocks only from wholesalers or manufacturers who are members of the state association or are in sympathy with its work.

Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health from 48 observers in various portions of the state for the week ended February 11 indicate that diarrhea and erysipelas increased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 96 places, measles at 21, typhoid fever at 17, scarlet fever at 46, diphtheria at 20, whooping cough at 13 places, and smallpox at Detroit and Redford.

Crevices in the Earth.

For several nights there were loud reports in Greenville accompanied by a shaking of the earth, leading people to believe that a terrible explosion had occurred. Houses rattled and dishes fell off the pantry shelves.

Frozen from Shore to Shore.

The Flint & Pere Marquette car ferry broke all records of winter navigation when it arrived in Ludington, having crossed Lake Michigan in 12 hours through a field of solid unbroken ice. The distance from Manitowoc is 60 miles. Capt. Kilty positively confirms the report that Lake Michigan was frozen solid from shore to shore.

The Modern Woodmen.

At the state convention in Menominee of the Modern Woodmen the following officers were elected: Consul, Samuel McKee, Kalamazoo; adviser, A. H. Brooks, Charlotte; clerk, John W. Bockius, Port Huron; banker, W. H. Sterling, Escanaba; watchman, C. W. Bakeman, Dowagiac; sentry, Albert Mass, Menominee; escort, W. H. Hawkins, Reed City.

News Items Briefly Told.

Salt inspection in January was: Wayne, 53,211 barrels; Saginaw, 34,258; Bay, 27,752; Mason, 14,931; St. Clair, 11,974; Midland, 2,300; Manistee, 20,834; total, 165,260.

During the year 1898 14 steam boilers exploded in the state, according to statistics gathered by Labor Commissioner Cox.

West Bay City residents want the name of their city changed to Wenona, and the common council has petitioned the legislature to pass the necessary bill.

H. V. Parke, of Detroit, aged 71, died at San Diego, Cal., of heart failure. He was a member of the firm of Parke, Davis & Co., chemists.

The grist mill of J. H. Loomis at Liberty Mills was totally destroyed by fire, the loss being \$12,000.

William Lammars was found frozen to death in his house near Holland.

Allegan has a ladies' history club which celebrated its twenty-fourth anniversary last week.

The people of Lisbon, Kent county, have petitioned the legislature to annul the village charter, as they are no longer desirous of paying village taxes.

Old 696, the first engine that ever ran over the Jackson division of the Michigan Central, was destroyed in the recent fire at Caro.

Mine owners profess to believe that the iron ore output this year will be between 18,000,000 and 20,000,000 tons.

Free delivery has been established at St. Joseph and Grant J. Hager, David J. Hale and George C. Karriek have been appointed letter carriers.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Arnold, aged 65 and 55 years, died within a few hours of each other at Metomora.

William E. Eberlein, a butcher living at Mill Creek, was accidentally shot and killed by his son Charles.

Fred Weinmann, who escaped from the asylum for the insane at Pontiac, last May, has been found in Missaukee county. Officers have gone after him.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

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

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 16.—Bills have been introduced in the senate establishing district libraries; giving mental labor debts the same preference as manual labor debts; allowing game imported from other states to be sold at all times; withdrawing sugar bounty from any factory entering a combine; appropriating \$30,489 to Marquette prison; repealing act creating state court of mediation and arbitration; fixing legal rate of interest at five per cent. In the house a sweeping anti-trust bill was introduced yesterday. It makes it a felony for any person to be identified with any organization formed for the purpose of controlling the output or increasing the price of any commodity.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 17.—Bills have been introduced in the senate to establish a metropolitan police force in cities of the fourth class; allowing cities of 1,000 population to incorporate; allowing sheriffs to give notice of elections and to summon jurors by registered letters; providing relief outside of soldiers' home for soldiers and marines, widows and minor children; empowering state board of education to grant three-year certificates to graduates of the four-year course at the agricultural college; prohibiting druggists selling any liquors but alcohol. Bills have been passed to provide an additional voting precinct in township of Holmes, county of Menominee; provide two additional voting precincts in township of Sault Ste. Marie. In the house bills have been introduced prohibiting marriage under certain conditions; swearing in of challenged voters; providing that application for admission to insane asylum for person in indigent circumstances must be indorsed by prosecuting attorney; appropriating \$5,845 for Michigan home for feeble-minded and epileptic; providing that salaries of bank employees shall not exceed five per cent. of the combined capital and surplus of bank; fixing duties of director of state weather service; setting aside swamp lands on great lakes for public parks; regulating sale of patent medicines; prohibiting contracts or agreements tending to lessen competition; providing compensation for persons illegally charged and convicted of a crime; exempting from taxation farm buildings, crops, tools, etc.; providing salary of state game and fish warden and appointing chief deputy; providing that convicts shall not be farmed out or sold or the products of their labor sold; prohibiting sale of oleo, etc., in lower peninsula of state; regulating pawnbrokers and providing rate of interest.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 18.—Bills have been introduced in the senate prohibiting the riding of bicycles on sidewalks in any village or city; making refusal or neglect of supervisors or assessing officers to assess property at true cash value a misdemeanor and to provide punishment; fixing salaries of supervisors at two dollars per day; appropriating \$157,930 for asylum at Newberry, for new buildings, etc.; taxing nonresident owners of logs in the state; amending law relative to fees of justices, constables and sheriffs in criminal cases; compelling prosecuting attorneys and assistants to reside at county seats; providing punishment for failure to comply with provisions of pure food law; placing suburban railways under supervision of railroad commissioner; fixing time of registration 15 days before election; changing name of Asylum for Dangerous and Criminal Insane to State Asylum; preventing use of tobacco in jails, prisons, etc.; establishing district school libraries. In the house bills have been introduced giving land commissioner control of swamp lands; defining duties of supervisors; amending liquor laws; appropriating \$10,000 for state house of correction; to regulate selection and organization of standing committees of house of representatives; providing for the election of four members of the state board of education and fixing salaries of members at three dollars a day; providing for uniform series of text books; providing punishment for gambling; providing punishment for unlawfully wearing G. A. R. button; providing that state shall not engage in work of improvement of roads except wagon roads designed to be used by the public; providing for the incorporation of associations for the aid and legal protection of women and children; presentation of bronze medals to the soldiers and sailors of Michigan who served in Spanish-American war; appropriating \$92,500 for state fish commission; appropriating \$2,000 for the horticultural society; prohibiting the giving of ballots by election inspectors in any place except within the railing of the voting-room; providing for the licensing of all persons who desire to use intoxicating liquors as a beverage.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 20.—Mr. Nevins started his colleagues in the state legislature Saturday by introducing a bill in the house to make persons who use intoxicating liquors for a beverage secure a five-dollar license. Other bills have been introduced doing away with contract labor in prisons; prohibiting beet sugar companies from going into trusts; detaching Calhoun from Fifth judicial circuit and creating Thirty-sixth circuit; limiting the amount that departments shall draw from state treasury; for the keeping of all insane females in the eastern asylum, and to be cared for by female attendants; appropriating \$158,470 for new buildings, etc., at Newberry asylum; fixing legal rate of interest at five per cent.; compelling counties to pay expenses of insane persons who seek admission to asylums; to reestablish the office of state statistician; to permit street car companies to condemn rights of way over toll roads; creating a board of examining horsehoes; providing for appointment of township commission to destroy noxious weeds; providing that dogs on which the license fee has not been paid shall be killed.

A Big Deficit. Madrid, Feb. 20.—A high authority states that the next budget will show a deficit of 325,000,000 pesetas.

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President McKinley has sent to the Senate the name of Gen. George Spalding, our present Congressman, as postmaster of Monroe. The appointment has caused quite a surprise to politicians generally.

The editor of the Herald thanks all his brothers of the press who have given such kindly mention to his purchase of the Herald. Space does not permit the publication of them, but they are thoroughly appreciated just the same.

Representative Aldrich's income tax bill which proposes a tax of one half of one per cent on incomes of between \$1,000 and \$2,000, 1 per cent on \$2,000 to \$4,000, and a proportionate rate up to \$20,000, with 8 per cent on incomes over that amount should pass, it would mean a great easing up in the tax rate and also on the poor man's pocket book.

Governor Pingree is strongly in favor of the convicts and those who are confined in our state institutions being compelled to do the carpenter work, make the brick and attend to the mason work on repairs and extensions to the buildings. This is another of Governor Pingree's good ideas of reform. Great Britain finds it profitable for her to employ her convicts in that way and Michigan could profitably take a leaf out of her great sister's book of economy in this instance.

## Republican County Convention.

This gathering of Republicans at Ann Arbor last Thursday had for its temporary officers C. E. P. Allen as chairman and G. Frank Allmendinger, of Ann Arbor, secretary, later when the committee on permanent organization reported, they were made the permanent officers. A. W. Wilkinson, of Chelsea, Fred Freeman and John Rawson were appointed as tellers, the usual committees were appointed, all were sworn and the convention adjourned over noon.

When the convention reassembled the committee on credentials reported 219 delegates entitled to seats in the convention, the seven delegates from Northfield being disqualified on account of illegality in holding the caucus. The motion to adopt the report as presented was followed by an amendment to seat the delegation. On a secret ballot, after having been voted on viva voce and by division, the amendment was lost by a vote of 105 yes, 112 no, blank 1. The other reports were adopted.

The motion that the delegates to the state convention stand by Col. H. S. Dean for regent, and those to the judicial convention by Judge E. D. Kinne carried unanimously. John F. Lawrence was elected delegate at large to the state convention. In the first district convention, presided over by James L. Gilbert, of Chelsea, the delegates were on motion to that effect, named by William Judson as follows: William Judson, O. E. Butterfield, Charles E. Hisecock, P. J. Lehman, George S. Wheeler, Emanuel Jedele, H. S. Holmes, A. W. Wilkinson and Henry Schieferstein. The second district delegates are A. F. Freeman, Grove Rouse, A. C. Hathaway, John Lawson, E. P. Allen, Frank Creech, W. M. Osborn, Matthew Keeler and Frank Galpin.

A. J. Sawyer was the unanimous choice for delegate at large to the judicial convention and the delegates were selected by a committee of two from each district, those from this vicinity being James L. Gilbert and Art Guerin.

The delegates to the state convention were instructed for Claudius B. Grant for justice of the supreme court.

William N. Lister, the present county school commissioner, was unanimously re-nominated. The convention then adjourned.

## Uncle Tom's Cabin.

When you hear the exhilarating sound of Stetson's Big Double Uncle Tom's Cabin Co., and see the entire company on parade, you can take it as about time to purchase your tickets for the evening's entertainment, which it is promised this time will excel all previous efforts, and that is rather a bold assertion, for Stetson has always had the best, and an abundance of it—still it is a fact. It will appear at the Opera House, Chelsea, on Monday evening, Feb. 27.

## Kittleman Woven Wire Fence.

I build the Kittleman Woven Wire Fence. Headquarters at Lima Center, Mich.

GEORGE WHITTINGTON.

## Removing an Old Landmark.

A number of workmen have been busily at work since Monday morning removing from view one of Chelsea's oldest landmarks, the M. E. church, which was partially destroyed by fire Sunday night, January 8. The old edifice was erected in 1859 during the pastorate of Rev. S. Stringham. It cost \$7,000 and at that time was the finest church building between Detroit and Jackson. The M. E. society was founded as early as 1856, but it had no church home until 1859.

The plans for the new church which find most favor with the trustees call for an \$8,000 building, of brick veneer, 60 x 80 feet in size, with a basement for use as a kitchen, dining room and furnace room 80 x 60 feet. The auditorium proper will seat 350 people and will have space for the organ and choir in rear of the altar, also a choir room and pastor's study. In the front part of the church will be a chapel which will seat 200 people additional and can be thrown open to the auditorium. Off this will be an infant class room. Some minor changes will be made in these plans if they are accepted. One thing is certain, however, that our Methodist friends will have a fine church home when the new building shall be completed.

## State Round-up Institute.

The 4th annual State Round-up Farmers' Institute of Michigan will be held in the city of Pontiac, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, March 1, 2 and 3. A splendid program has been prepared, and a large attendance is assured. The railroads will make a rate of a fare and a third for the round trip, on the certificate plan, and arrangements have been made in Pontiac so that good board may be obtained for from 90 cents to \$1.25 per day. Below is a synopsis of the program:

Wednesday forenoon will be devoted to the subject of Sugar Beets, which will be thoroughly discussed from all standpoints. In the afternoon the subjects of Mixed Farming, Improvement of the Soil, and Good Roads will be presented by experts. In the evening J. T. Daniels, ex-president of the Association of Farmers' Clubs; W. W. Tracy, and Hon. Thos. Mars, past master of the Michigan State Grange, will appear on the program.

Thursday forenoon will be devoted to the Dairy, which topic has been subdivided into five heads, and each phase will be presented by a master. The afternoon will be largely devoted to Fruit and Forestry. The evening will be a School evening, and will include addresses by Hon. J. E. Hammond, superintendent of public instruction; President J. L. Snyder, Mrs. Mary A. Mayo, Hon. Geo. T. Powell, of New York, and ex-commissioner A. G. Randall, of Calhoun county.

Friday is largely live stock day. In the forenoon will come Cattle Feeding, also an interesting paper by A. B. Cook, secretary of the State Association of Farmers' Clubs. In the afternoon Wool will be discussed by Prof. H. W. Humford, of the Agricultural College, and Mr. Robert Gibbons, of the Michigan Farmer; Sheep Feeding will be taken up by A. M. Welch, of Ionia county, and A. B. Cook of Shiawassee county, while Dr. G. A. Waterman, of the Agricultural College, will discuss Animal Diseases.

Friday evening there will be presented two fine addresses, one by Dr. W. H. Jordan, director of the New York experiment station at Geneva, the other by President James B. Angell, of the University of Michigan.

The Women's Section will be held each afternoon in the Lyceum, presided over by Mrs. Mary A. Mayo, and addressed by Miss Keller and Miss Rushmore, of the Agricultural College; by Miss Inglis, of Alma College; and by Mrs. Ella E. Rockwood, Mrs. Irma T. Jones, Mrs. Alex. Custard, and Mrs. Belle M. Perry.

## Death of Mrs. Thomas Leach.

Mrs. Margaret Leach died Friday, Feb. 17, at her home in this village, at the advanced age of 71 years, 7 months and 11 days. The funeral services held Sunday afternoon, were conducted by Rev. Thomas Holmes, and the remains were interred in Oak Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Leach's maiden name was Margaret Coghlin. She was born in Skull parish, county of Cork, Ireland, July 6, 1827. At the age of 18 she came to America and located herself in Canada, where she spent seven years. In 1852 she came to Buffalo, N. Y., where, on April 10, 1853, she was married to Mr. Thomas Leach. About a year after their marriage they came to Michigan and settled at Chelsea, which has been their residence ever since.

Mrs. Leach was the mother of seven sons and two daughters, all of whom are well known in this place. One son died some years ago, the remaining eight children are still living. In her native home Mrs. Leach was reared in the faith of the Episcopal church, to which she adhered to the end.

## PERSONALS.

C. E. Letts, of Detroit, was in town Monday.

Henry Seckinger spent Sunday in Francisco.

Jacob Zang went to Toledo, Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitaker spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.

Alfred Congdon, of Dexter, was here on business Monday.

Miss Nelle Mallon, of Grass Lake, visited in town last week.

Louis Stapish returned from Assumption College, Canada, last week.

Miss Edith Foster is home from St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, for a rest.

Miss Teresa Conlan visited her aunt, Mrs. Cassidy, of Jackson, last Friday.

Mrs. J. J. Ruffrey went to Jackson Friday to see her sister who is quite sick.

John Wisner, the building mover of Manchester, was in town Friday on business.

W. F. Hatch left Tuesday on a business trip to Saginaw and Reed City. He will return Saturday.

D. B. Taylor represented Chelsea Lodge, A. O. U. W., at the grand lodge meeting in Ann Arbor, Monday and Tuesday.

J. N. Merchant, who is employed in a flouring mill at Battle Creek, spent Sunday and Monday here with his family.

The Misses Margaret and Anna Miller will leave for Cleveland Saturday morning, stopping at Adrian to visit their sister Agnes.

Dr. R. S. Armstrong, H. S. Holmes and Geo. H. Kempf were in Detroit Friday and attended the meeting of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Spafard, of Manchester, who have many friends in Chelsea, celebrated their 23rd wedding anniversary among a few friends on Wednesday of last week.

Charles E. Whitaker, who has been suffering a three weeks' siege of quinsy and grip, is able to show his genial face to his many customers on the road again this week.

H. H. Torrey, of Oregon, and Will Gage, of Detroit, were guests of L. T. Freeman Monday. Mr. Torrey is an old schoolmate of Mr. Freeman's, and has been in Oregon in the beet sugar country for 12 years past.

## Sylvan Democratic Caucus.

The Democrats of the Township of Sylvan will hold a caucus in the Town Hall, in the Village of Chelsea, Michigan, on Saturday, the 25th day of February, at 3 o'clock p.m. (local time), for the purpose of selecting 18 delegates to the County Convention at Ann Arbor, called for March 2nd, next, at which time delegates will be chosen to State and Judicial conventions, and for the transaction of such other business that may properly come before the meeting.

Dated February 20th, 1899.

By order of

DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE OF  
SYLVAN TOWNSHIP.

## Peach Buds Not All Killed.

Every year just about the time that a cold snap occurs, the "no peaches this year" bugbear crops out among the fruit growers. Two weeks ago everyone of them was positive the peach buds were all killed and there would be no fruit. The pleasant weather of the past few days has put a new aspect on the matter and now the growers in the great Michigan fruit belt find that not only was there no damage done but they are inclined to boast that the crop of peaches will be bigger than usual. Our local growers also find they were mistaken, and so the "no peaches" cry is once more laid away until it is time to take it out for service another year.

## Coming! Coming!

The famous colored jubilee singers and orchestra of the Aeolian Concert Co. will appear at the Opera House tomorrow evening. The company is composed of talented musicians of the highest type, who are highly recommended by all who have heard them. Jubilee selections, southern melodies and comic songs, interspersed with classics, both instrumental and vocal, will be given. Come and enjoy a treat.

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Lizzie Schafer entered the 4th grade during the week.

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## MICHIGAN CENTRAL

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GOING EAST.

No 8—Detroit Night Express.. 5:20 A. M.

No 36—Atlantic Express ..... 7:15 A. M.

No 12—Grand Rapids Express.. 10:40 A. M.

No 6—Mail and Express..... 3:15 P. M.

GOING WEST.

No 3—Mail and Express..... 9:17 A. M.

No 13—Grand Rapids Express.. 6:20 P. M.

No 7—Chicago Night Express.. 10:20 P. M.

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### LOCAL ITEMS.

Teachers' examination at Ann Arbor, March 30 and 31

M. J. Noyes received another carload of draft horses last Friday.

A great deal of building will be done in Chelsea and vicinity during the coming season.

There are at present 102 persons, all men, serving life sentences at the state prison in Jackson

Stetson's big double Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. at the opera house next Monday evening.

Edward Gentner has leased the Horace Baldwin farm in Lima and will move on it next month.

B. Frank Judson shipped two double decked carloads of sheep to Buffalo, N. Y., last Saturday.

The Democratic county convention will be held at the court house, Ann Arbor, Thursday, March 2.

L. Miller has sold his interest in the Chelsea Bakery to Frank L. Miller, who will take possession March 1.

The wages that will be paid to farm hands in this section the coming season will range from \$15 to \$22 per month.

The Chelsea post office advertises the following uncalled for letters: Fred Burbank, F. M. Hooseer, William Howell.

The subject of Rev. C. S. Jones' sermon at the Congregational church next Sunday evening will be "What is a Christian?"

The Lima Farmers' Club met at Henry Luick's yesterday and discussed a good program and had a pleasant time generally.

D. B. Taylor filed the plat of his addition to the village with the village board at its last meeting and the lots are now on sale.

Farmers in this section are apprehensive of the condition of the wheat crop. They think considerable injury has been done to it.

Raftrey, the tailor, is bound that people shall know his place of business and has had a new sign put up in front of his store.

Prof. Byron W. King, of King's School of Oratory, Pittsburg, Pa., will give one of his popular entertainments in Chelsea, March 13.

Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., will have a special meeting this evening for the examination of candidates for the second degree.

The Stockbridge Sun says: "Work on the Lansing and Dexter electric road has been suspended for the present; the ink bottles froze up."

It took 50 tons of coal a day to heat the university buildings at Ann Arbor during the recent cold snap. The usual amount is about 36 tons a day.

Joseph Bird, an aged resident of Waterloo, died Tuesday and was buried yesterday afternoon, the funeral services being held at the house at 1 o'clock.

Rev. C. S. Jones will read a letter next Sunday morning from Rev. J. E. Taylor, of Douglas, Mich., which was received too late for last Sunday's jubilee exercises.

Over 100,000 bushels of grain have been taken in at the M. C. R. R. Co's. elevator since last July. Chelsea is the best market in Washtenaw county, which nobody can deny.

Representative Wheeler has introduced a bill in the legislature to have the license money of hawkers and peddlers paid into the several township treasuries in which they operate.

Employees on the different railroads in the state desire to be paid every two weeks instead of once a month as at present. A bill has been noticed before the legislature to compel such a custom.

Olive Chapter, No. 108, Order of Eastern Star, will have a special meeting next Wednesday evening for initiation. Refreshments will be served after the work. All members are requested to be present.

Department Commander Patrick, of the Michigan G. A. R., has issued orders appointing Wednesday and Thursday, June 21 and 22 as the dates for the annual encampment which will be held at Lansing.

Representative Stumpfenhusen, of the second district of Washtenaw county, has introduced a bill in the legislature to increase the pay of the stenographer of the Washtenaw and Monroe circuit court to \$2,000 per year.

Rev. Robert Hoyington, a former pastor of the Congregational church died on Saturday at East Tawas. He had retired from the ministry and of late years has been a justice of the peace and was practicing law.

Grip, tonsillitis, quinsy and other ills that accompany the changeable weather we have been experiencing the past month, have had a firm hold on many of our residents, making our physicians' lives very busy ones indeed.

St. Patrick's Day will be appropriately celebrated in Chelsea. "The Colleen Bawn" will be given by local talent, with choice vocal and instrumental music. The admission will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

Geo. E. Davis will sell on Tuesday next, Feb. 28, on the old Goodwin farm, three miles east of Chelsea and four miles west of Dexter, 4 horses, 10 head of cattle, 160 sheep, 1 brood sow and 8 shoats, the property of John T. Lucht.

Mrs. Jennie Martin and Mrs. Edna Martin, wife and mother of the late William Martin, extend their sincerest thanks to their friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses and favors shown them in their late bereavement.

The fine hot water heating plant which has been placed in the residence of Frank P. Glazier by Hutzler & Co., of Ann Arbor, is now complete and the workmen who had been engaged on it three weeks, returned to Ann Arbor Saturday night.

A spiritual retreat or mission will be given in St. Mary's church, Chelsea, beginning Sunday, March 19. The Rev. Fathers Klauder and Hogan, famous pulpit orators, will preach the sermons. Our citizens are cordially invited to attend.

William Jennings Bryan passed through here on the Grand Rapids train Saturday morning en route to Ann Arbor where he spoke in the evening. He held a little in formal reception at which he shook hands with and was introduced to about 50 persons.

The county officials, deputies and a number of other friends made up a purse and presented a handsome rocking chair and a set of dishes to Deputy County Clerk Blum, who was Wednesday of last week married to Miss Mabel Wallace, formerly of this town.

A meeting of those interested in obtaining information about the C. M. B. A. will be held next Tuesday evening, Feb. 28, at the G. A. R. Hall. Mr. John H. Breen, of Detroit, the Grand Secretary of the order, will address the meeting, which will begin at 8 o'clock sharp.

All bonds of notaries, township and county officers which have been filed with the county clerk since July 1, 1898, must have a 50 cent revenue stamp on them. There is a large fine for non-compliance with this law and all such officials should attend to the matter forthwith.

The merchants of Chelsea who advertise their goods in the columns of the Herald always have some good features to offer which it will pay to take advantage of. Patronize your home merchants and remember that their prosperity is also your prosperity and that of the village.

Mr. I. M. Whitaker and Miss Hannah Kitchen were quietly married yesterday afternoon at the residence of Rev. Thomas Holmes, D. D., who performed the ceremony, in the presence of a couple of witnesses. Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker are now receiving the good wishes of their friends at their home on South street.

William Jennings Bryan was given a reception at the court house, Ann Arbor, Saturday afternoon. It was an entirely non-partisan affair. He stood in line for 40 minutes and during that time shook hands with over 3,000 people. His address at University hall in the evening, on "Imperialism," was listened to by nearly 4,000 people.

Representative George Gillam is the father of a bill to amend the homestead law. It would make the price to be paid by homesteaders 30 cents per acre, 10 cents per acre to be paid down, the balance in four annual instalments of 5 cents each. Mr. Gillam is an old Chelsea boy and is the son of Mrs. Emma Gillam, of the Chelsea house.

An examination of candidates for "common school diplomas" will be held at the high school next Saturday. Other places in the county where these examinations will be held are Manchester, Dexter, Mooreville, Saline and Ypsilanti high schools, Fredonia, district No. 3, Salem, district No. 3, and at the county school commissioner's office, Ann Arbor.

Having sold his farm in Lima, Adam Bohnet will sell at public auction on the premises one and a half miles east and a mile south of Lima Center, on Tuesday next, March 2, his farm stock, implements, etc. There are three horses, two cows, six young cattle, a Durham bull, a new Champion binder, a new mower of the same make, besides other things. Geo. E. Davis is salesman.

Jasper Graham, engineer at the electric light works, while momentarily absent in another part of the building, had his watch stolen from where it was hanging in the engine room, Friday. Marshal Green went to Dexter Friday night and brought back the boy who had committed the theft. He was taken before Justice B. B. Turnbull Tuesday who let him off on suspended sentence.

John F. Wilmott, of Detroit, has filed a bill in chancery at Lansing, against the Lansing, Dexter & Ann Arbor Electric Railway Co., claiming damages on the ground that the company entered into a contract with him to build and equip the road. The company having now contracted with the Westinghouse people to build and equip the road the contract with him has been violated. He also asks that they be enjoined from proceeding with the work.

The Business Men's Class at the Congregational church last Sunday had an exceedingly good attendance. L. T. Freeman's excellent address on "What are the effects of the publication of crime on the morals of the people?" was listened to attentively and the discussion that followed was quite animated. The subject for next Sunday is "Should a man's wealth be restricted?" led by Fred Wedemeyer.

Arthur, the 7 years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meyer, of Sharon, died Sunday evening in a somewhat sudden manner. He was taken sick Thursday afternoon last with what seemed to be grip and tonsillitis. Later he complained of a pain in his stomach. Dr. Iddings, of Manchester, pronounced it inflammation of the bowels. The poor little fellow suffered terribly up to Sunday evening when he passed away. The funeral services were held Tuesday morning at the house and were conducted by Rev. Henry Lemster, pastor of Zion's church, Freedom. The remains were buried in the cemetery at Rogers' Corners.

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## TO BE HELD IN TRUST

### President McKinley's Ideas Regarding the Philippines.

#### First Public Utterance on the Subject Made at Banquet in Boston—Declares He Has No Imperialistic Designs.

Boston, Feb. 17.—President William McKinley arrived in Boston Thursday to be the guest of the Home Market club at a banquet in his honor at Mechanics hall. Messrs. Long, Alger, Bliss, Gage and Smith, of his cabinet, accompanied him, together with Congressman Grosvenor, of Ohio. The arrival of the presidential train at the south terminal station at ten o'clock was the occasion of a great outburst of enthusiasm from the thousands of citizens who lined the streets on the line of the procession from the station to the hotel. The remainder of the day after the arrival at the hotel was spent in quietude by the president until 4:15, when he was escorted to Mechanics hall to participate in the reception and banquet of the Home Market club. The president-to-day will visit the G. A. R. encampment, dine at the Algonquin club, hold a reception there, drive from the clubhouse to the South Union station and leave Boston at 5:10 p. m.

#### At the Banquet.

The crowning event of the day and the principal feature of the president's visit to Boston was the banquet tendered to him by the Home Market club at Mechanics hall Thursday night. It was the largest banquet ever arranged in this country, the exact number of persons who were served being 1,914. Besides these there were fully 3,800 spectators in the balconies.

The invocation was pronounced by Bishop Mallalieu. There was great enthusiasm when the dinner had been concluded and some of the tables removed to make way for chairs. President Plunkett introduced Gov. Wolcott and then Mayor Quincy, who made brief addresses welcoming the president. President McKinley was then introduced and spoke as follows:

#### The President's Address.

"Mr. Toastmaster and Gentlemen: The years go quickly. It seems not so long, but it is in fact six years since I was honored to be a guest of the Home Market club. Much has happened in the intervening time. Issues which were then engaging us have been settled or put aside for larger and more absorbing ones. Domestic conditions have improved, and are generally satisfactory. We have made progress in industry, and have realized the prosperity for which we have been striving. We have had four long years of adversity, which taught us some lessons which will never be unlearned, and which will be valuable in guiding our future action. We have not only been successful in our financial and business affairs, but have been successful in a war with a foreign power, which added great glory to American arms and a new chapter to American history.

#### Some Mighty Problems.

"I do not know why in the year 1898 this republic has placed before it mighty problems which it must face and solve. They have come and are here, and they cannot be kept away. Many who were impatient for the conflict a year ago, apparently heedless of its larger results, were the first to cry out against the far-reaching consequences of their own act. Those of us who dreaded war most, and whose every effort was directed to prevent it, had fears of new and grave problems which might follow its inauguration. The evolution of events, which no man could control, has brought these problems upon us. Certain it is that they have not come through any fault on our own part, but as a high obligation, and we meet them with clear conscience and unselfish purpose, and with good heart resolve to undertake their solution.

#### War of an Undivided Nation.

"War was declared in April, 1898, with practical unanimity by the congress and, once upon us, was sustained by like unanimity among the people. There had been many who had tried to avert it as, on the other hand, there were many who would have precipitated it at an earlier date. In its prosecution and conclusion the great majority of our countrymen of every section believed they were fighting in just cause, and at home or on sea, or in the field they had part in the glorious triumphs. It was the war of the undivided nation. Every great act in its progress, from Manila to Santiago, from Guam to Porto Rico, met universal and hearty commendation. The protocol commanded the practically unanimous approval of the American people. It was welcomed by every lover of peace beneath the flag.

#### Will Not Flinch.

"The Philippines, like Cuba and Porto Rico, were intrusted to our hands by the war, and to that great trust, under the providence of God and in the name of human progress and civilization, we are committed. It is a trust we have not sought; it is not a trust from which we will flinch. The American people will hold up their hands to their servants at home to whom they commit its execution, while Dewey and Otis and the brave men whom they command will have the support of the country in upholding our flag where it now floats the symbol and assurance of liberty and justice.

"What nation was ever able to write an accurate program of the war upon which it was entering, much less decrease in advance the scope of its results? Congress can declare war, but a higher power decrees its bounds and fixes its relations and responsibilities. The president can direct the movements of soldiers on the field and fleets on the sea, but he cannot force the close of such movements or prescribe their limits. He cannot anticipate or avoid the consequences, but he must meet them. No accurate map of nations engaged in war can be traced until the war is over, nor can the measure of responsibility be fixed till the last gun is fired and the verdict embodied in the stipulations of peace.

#### Must Not Go Back to Spain.

"We hear no complaint of the relation created by the war between this government and the islands of Cuba and Porto Rico. There are some, however, who regard the Philippines as in a different relation; but, whatever variety of views there may be on this phase of the question, there is universal agreement that the Philippines shall not be turned back to Spain. No true American consents to that. Even if unwilling to accept them themselves, it would have been a weak evasion of many duty to require Spain to transfer them to some other power or powers, and thus shift our own responsibility. Even if we had had as we did not have, the power to compel such a transfer, it could not have been made without the most serious international complications.

"Such a course could not be thought of, and yet, had we refused to accept the cessation of them we should have had no power over them, even for their own good. We

could not discharge the responsibilities upon us until these islands became ours either by conquest or treaty. There was but one alternative, and that was either Spain or the United States in the Philippines. The other suggestions showed first that they should be tossed into the arena for the strife of nations; or, second, be lost to the anarchy and chaos of no protectorate at all, were too shameful to be considered. The treaty gave them to the United States. Could we have required less and done our duty? Could we, after freeing the Philippines from the domination of Spain, have left them without government, and without power to protect life and property or to perform the international obligations essential to an independent state? Could we have left them in a state of anarchy, and justified ourselves in our own consciences before the tribunal of mankind? Could we have done that in the sight of God and man?

#### Our Only Desire.

"Our concern was not for territory or trade or empire, but for the people whose interests and destiny, without our willing it, had been put in our hands. It was with this feeling that from the first day to the last not one word or line went from the executive in Washington to our military and naval commanders at Manila, or to our peace commissioners at Paris that did not put as the sole purpose to be kept in mind first after the success of our arms and the maintenance of our own honor, the welfare and happiness and the rights of the inhabitants of the Philippine islands.

#### Consent Not Needed.

"Did we need their consent to perform a great act for humanity? We had it in every aspiration of their minds, in every hope of their hearts. Was it necessary to ask their consent to capture Manila, the capital of their island? Did we ask their consent to liberate them from Spanish sovereignty or to enter Manila bay and destroy the Spanish sea power there? We did not ask these; we were obeying a higher moral obligation which rested on us, and which did not require anybody's consent.

#### Spain Out of the Problem.

"We have now ended the war with Spain. The treaty has been ratified by more than two-thirds of the senate to be kept in mind States and by the judgment of nine-tenths of its people. No nation was ever more fortunate in war or more honorable in negotiation in peace. Spain is now eliminated from the problem. It remains to ask what we shall do now. I do not intrude upon the duties of congress, or seek to anticipate or forestall its action. I only say that the treaty of peace, honorably secured, having been ratified by the United States and, as we confidently expect, shortly to be ratified in Spain, congress will have the honor and I am sure the purpose, to do what in good morals is right and just and humane for these peoples in distant seas.

#### Difficult Solution.

"It is some times hard to determine what is best to do, and the best thing to do is oftentimes the hardest. The prophet of evil would do nothing because he flinches at sacrifice and effort, and to do nothing is easiest and involves the least cost. On those who have things to do, rests a responsibility which is not on those who have no obligations as doers. If the doubters were in the majority, there would, it is true, be no labor, no sacrifice, no anxiety and no burden raised or carried; no contribution from our ease and pure comfort to the welfare of others, or even to the extension of our resources to the welfare of ourselves. There would be ease, but alas! there would be nothing done. But grave problems come in the life of a nation, however much men may seek to avoid them. They come without our seeking, and we do not know, and it is not always given us to know; but the generation on which they are forced cannot avoid the responsibility of honestly striving for their solution. We may not know just what to do, but we can make an honest effort to end, and if made in conscience, justice and honor, it will not be in vain.

#### The People Must Decide.

"The future of the Philippine islands is now in the hands of the American people. Until the treaty was ratified or rejected the executive department of this government could only preserve the peace and protect life and property. That treaty now commits the free and undivided Philippines to the guiding hand and the liberating influences, the generous sympathies, the uplifting education, not of their American masters, but of their American emancipators. No man can tell to-day what is best for them or for us. I know no one at this hour who is wise enough or sufficiently informed to determine what form of government will best subserve their interests and our interests, their and our well being. If we knew everything by intuition—and I sometimes think there are those who believe that if we do not they do—we should not need information; but, unfortunately, most of us are not in that happy state. The whole subject is now with congress and congress is the conscience and the judgment of the American people. Upon their judgment and conscience can we not rely? I believe in them, I trust them. I know of no better or safer human tribunal than the people. Until congress shall direct otherwise, we will abide by the executive to possess and hold the Philippines, giving to the people thereof peace and beneficent government, affording them every opportunity to prosecute their lawful pursuits, encouraging them in thrift and industry, making them feel and know we are their friends, not their enemies, that their good is our aim, that their welfare is our welfare, but that neither their aspirations nor ours can be realized until our authority is acknowledged and unquestioned.

#### No Imperial Designs.

"That the inhabitants of the Philippines will be benefited by this republic is my unshaken belief. We will have a kinder government under our guidance and they will be aided in every way possible to the self-respecting and self-governing people as true as that the American people love liberty and life and abiding faith in their own government and their own institutions. No imperial designs lurk in the American mind. They are alien to American sentiment, thought and purpose. Our priceless principles undergo no change under a tropical sun. They read ye not the changeless truth, 'The free can conquer but to save'.

"If we can benefit these remote peoples, who will object? If in the years of the future the law and liberty, which we hold so dear, are to be established in government and to be maintained, who will regret our perils and sacrifices; who will not rejoice in our heroism and humanity? Always perils and always after them safety; always darkness and clouds, but always shining through them the light and the sunshine; always cost and sacrifice, but always after them the fruition of liberty, education and civilization.

#### Will Bless Our Republic.

"I have no light or knowledge not common to my countrymen. I do not prophesy. The present is all-absorbing to me, but I cannot bound my vision by the blood-stained trenches around Manila, where every red drop, whether from the veins of an American soldier or a misguided Filipino is anguish to my heart; but by the broad range of future years, when that group of islands under the impulse of the year just past, shall have become the gems and glories of those tropical seas, a land of plenty and of increasing possibilities, a land of redemption from savage indolence and culture devoted to the arts of peace, in touch with the commerce and trade of all nations, enjoying the blessing of freedom, of civil and religious liberty, of education, and of homes, and whose children and children's children shall for ages hence be blessed and redeemed their because it emancipated them in the pathway of the world's best civilization."

Addresses were also delivered by Postmaster-General Smith and Secretary Long. Secretary Long received an ovation second only to that of the president. He was cheered to the echo, and even President McKinley rose and waved his napkin in salute with the audience. Some one in the balcony called for three cheers for "Dewey's friend."

## TROOPS FALL BACK.

### American Volunteers Abandon a Position—Insurgents Keep Up a Guerrilla Warfare.

Manila, Feb. 20.—The California volunteers abandoned Guadalupe church at five o'clock Sunday morning, which has since been set on fire, and retired to San Pedro Macati. The rebels still hold the country in the vicinity of Guadalupe, Pasig and Paterno, despite the efforts of the gunboats to dislodge them from the jungle on both sides of the river.

In view of the fact that the enemy were concentrating on the American right flank, preparations were made to give them a warm reception in the event of attack. Gen. Owenshine's line, consisting originally of the North Dakota volunteers, Fourteenth infantry and two troops of the Fourth cavalry, stretching from the beach at Camp Dewey to Gen. King's right, was reinforced by two battalions of Oregon volunteers and three troops of the Fourth cavalry as infantry. The Buffalo's searchlight discovering the rebels unusually active about ten o'clock Sunday evening, signaled the flagship for permission to fire upon them, and, this being granted, bombarded the enemy's trenches for 20 minutes. The only effect of the fire was apparently to drive the rebels further inland. Beyond a few ineffectual volleys from the trenches, which were returned with interest, the enemy made no demonstration, and all is quiet along the rest of the line.

Scouts claim to have seen Gen. Pio Del Pilar, who commanded the rebels at Paco, with his arm in a sling, directing the troops. Gen. Montenegro, the insurgent commander in chief, is reported to be personally conducting the movements in front of Gen. King's line at San Pedro Macati. The signal corps is arranging signals with the navy for future operations on the left. With the exception of the port of Iloilo trade with Philippine ports is still blockaded.

The retirement of Gen. King's advance posts upon San Pedro Macati has evidently been construed by the rebels as a sign of weakness, as they pressed forward along both sides of the river, persistently harassing the occupants of the town.

The enemy have apparently realized the hopelessness of attacking the American position and are occupied chiefly by occasional sharp shooting from the jungle whenever feasible. Fortunately their ignorance of the use of sight minimizes the effect of their guerrilla tactics.

Saturday night the rebels poured volley after volley into San Pedro Macati from the brush on the adjacent ridge; but fortunately without effect. Gen. King's headquarters, in the center of the town, was the target for scores of Remington and Mauser bullets. The rebels are using smokeless powder and it is extremely difficult to locate individual marksmen.

The rebel troops continue to menace Iloilo with a strong force and an energetic policy is necessary to prevent an attack.

It is reported here that Aguinardo has outlawed Agoncillo for advising the attack on Manila in order to influence the vote on the ratification of the peace treaty. Agoncillo's telegraphic advice to the insurgent leader was known in Washington before the battle.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The accounts of such skirmishes as those recently reported by Gen. Otis and the stories of frequent firing by concealed natives upon the American outposts at Manila have conveyed the impression to the officials here that Gen. Otis is being rapidly brought to a pass where he must assume a most vigorous offensive campaign. Although no instructions have yet been sent to him, it is assumed that he will soon feel justified in doing this to prevent the demoralization of his troops and also to make his position tenable in the approaching wet season. The nature of the country around Manila favors the tactics the natives seem to have adopted after learning that they could not face the American soldiers in the open field, and it doubtless will be Gen. Otis' task just as soon as his reinforcements reach him to clear them away.

## THE OPEN DOOR POLICY.

### Lord Beresford Addresses Commercial Club of Chicago on Proposed Oriental Compact.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Standing before the bright red flag of the merchant marine of Great Britain and the folds of the American stars and stripes, Lord Charles Beresford, ambassador of the English chamber of commerce to China, outlined Saturday night at the Auditorium before the Chicago Commercial club his trade plans for the orient. The Briton's policy was not for a grabbing of territory for the enrichment of England and America at the expense of China and rival nations, but the maintaining of the open door by the nations best fitted to keep that door open—England, America, Germany and Japan. It was not a policy of selfish exclusion that Lord Charles advocated, but the policy of equal advantages to all nations, in the belief that the great bulk of trade would be benefited by the prosperity of each nation.

## A GREAT BATTLE.

### Three Hundred Chinese Slain by Russians—Lord Beresford's Opinion of the Importance of the Affair.

Peking, Feb. 20.—A serious conflict has taken place between the Russians and Chinese at Talienswan, 300 of the latter being killed. It is said to have originated in a question of taxes.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 20.—Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, en route from Chicago to the east, was seen in passing through Detroit Sunday night in reference to the battle reported at Talienswan between Russians and Chinese. Lord Charles, after reading the dispatch, said that such a battle was only what he had been expecting for some time. Itseffect, he believed, would be to shake the Chinese government more than anything that has occurred, and he asserted that trade would also suffer severely as a result of it. As to the statement that the origin of the trouble concerned a question of taxes, his lordship said that he did not understand how that could be the case unless the Russians had very recently begun taxing the Chinese. He thought it more likely that the Russians may have taken Chinese land for military purposes and not paid what the natives considered full value for it. As the Chinese never differentiate between foreigners, considering all alike, Lord Charles said that this incident will work as much harm to British and American interests as to Russia. "Russia has obtained such a hold in Manchuria," said his lordship, "that I consider it extremely improbable that, no matter what may be the final disposition of China, Russia will ever be driven out."

## ASPHYXIATED.

### Two Women and Two Children Found Dead in a Philadelphia Residence.

Philadelphia, Feb. 20.—Mrs. Charles Fahrenkamp, aged 33 years, her two children, Florence and William, aged respectively ten and nine years, and an unknown woman, aged about 35 years, were found dead Sunday in a room in Mrs. Fahrenkamp's home, 1416 North Fifty-second street. The gas was turned on and life had apparently been extinct for several days. Scattered about the first floor were remnants of cigars and cigarettes and empty beer and whisky bottles. The bodies were found by a next-door neighbor who had forced an entrance to the house. Mrs. Fahrenkamp was lying on the floor and her daughter near by. The unknown woman and the boy were in bed. The last heard from the inmates of the house was on Thursday night, when the piano was kept playing until a late hour. On Friday morning Mrs. Wilson, living next door, was asked by Florence to assist her in raising her mother from the floor, where the child said she was sleeping. Mrs. Wilson told her she was unable to do so, and suggested that the girl cover her mother and allow her to continue sleeping. The two women and the boy, it is believed, were then dead, and from the position of the girl, who occupied another room, it is thought that she was overcome by the gas while trying to lift her mother. Mrs. Fahrenkamp's husband, who is a traveling salesman, left home about a week ago on business for his firm.

## MORE SNOWSLIDES.

### They Create Terror Among the Miners Around Ophir, Col.—One Man Is Killed.

Telluride, Col., Feb. 20.—A tremendous snowslide came down the side of Yellow mountain about a quarter of a mile below the town of Ophir Sunday afternoon and killed one man and practically destroyed the Caribou concentrating plant. The slide was plainly visible from the town of Ophir, and those who saw it say it was the largest they ever witnessed, it apparently being about 100 feet deep and more than a quarter of a mile wide. The Caribou mill was crushed like an eggshell. J. C. Vardel, the mill foreman, was the person killed. Mighty slides have been running all day on the mountains around Ophir and the miners are becoming much frightened. On two or three small properties they have refused to work and came to town, some of them coming to Telluride. The sun has been shining brightly, softening the snow and causing the slides to run.

## FATAL RAILWAY WRECK.

### Express from Calais Collides with a Standing Train Near Brussels, Belgium.

Brussels, Feb. 20.—An express train from Calais, having passengers from London on board, collided Saturday with a stationary train at Foret, near this city. Twenty persons were killed outright and 50 were more or less injured. The train left Tournai at 5:22 Saturday morning and reached Foret at 8:14. Immediately afterwards the Mons express dashed at full speed into the station and ran into the Tournai train, which was standing at the platform. It is said that, owing to the frog, the engineer of the express train did not see the signals.

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## A NEW RULER CHOSEN

### M. Loubet Is Elected President of Republic of France.

**Anti-Dreyfusites Enraged at His Election—Riotous Demonstrations in Paris—The New Executive Hissed.**

Paris, Feb. 20.—Emile Loubet was elected president of France on the first ballot at Versailles Saturday. He received 483 votes, while Meline, who had declared himself not a candidate, was given 279 votes. The new president has asked Premier Dupuy to retain office. M. Deroulede attacked M. Loubet during the balloting and was compelled to leave the speaker's desk, the sense of the assembly being shown by the shouts: "Down with anarchy!" Upon the arrival in Paris of the new president there were street demonstrations for and against him, but the police easily controlled the disturbers. The feeling throughout France in regard to the election is one of satisfaction. M. Loubet is receiving a host of congratulatory telegrams. The Temps rejoices in his election as "the best possible choice." The Journal Des Debats, which is more guarded, will wait to see him actually at work. The Liberte exhorts him to relieve the impression that he was elected in the interests of Dreyfus.

**The Assembly Meets.**  
The assembly met at one o'clock. M. Loubet declared the sitting open, amid the applause of the leftists, during which M. Loubet proceeded to draw for tellers.

The voting began with letter "D," and M. Dausette, moderate republican, representing in the chamber of deputies the Fourth district of Lille, in the department of the north, cast the first ballot.

When M. Paul Deroulede, organizer of the League of Patriots and deputy representing the Second district of Angouleme, voted he attempted to speak from the tribune where the urns were placed; but M. Loubet forbade him to do so, which called forth protests from the rightists and applause from the leftists.

M. Deroulede, however, persisted in speaking and repulsed the ushers and others who rushed up to expel him from the tribune, which he finally left.

In the meantime the voting continued, and at 2:40 p. m. the ballot was completed. While the checking was in progress the members of the assembly left the hall and assembled in the galleries and corridors, where they discussed the chances of the election.

**Official Ballot Is Announced.**  
The tellers entered, headed by Chauveau, who announced that M. Loubet had been elected by a vote of 483 to 279 cast for Meline, amid applause from the leftist and center groups. Fifty scattering votes were cast, divided among Cavaignac, Gen. Jamont, Gen. Saussier and others. The progressists insisted on voting for Meline, although he had withdrawn his candidature in favor of Loubet, which explains the vote cast for him. Senator Chauveau added:

"M. Loubet having obtained an absolute majority, I proclaim him president of the republic."

The announcement was greeted with prolonged applause, mingled with violent protests from the rightists, and the leftists shouting: "Vive la republique!" Chauveau then declared the sitting closed.

A squadron of cuirassiers which arrived at the palace to escort the new president was greeted by the crowd outside with cries of "Vive l'armee!" Calm prevailed, although the crowds were increasing in size. After the announcement of the result M. Chauveau and many members of the assembly repaired to an adjoining salon, where M. Loubet awaited them. The result of the election was communicated to him and he received the congratulations of his friends.

Loubet left the palace in a carriage, accompanied by Dupuy and followed by the ministers. The crowds along the route acclaimed President Loubet with cries of "Vive la republique!" "Vive l'armee!" "Vive Loubet!" At five o'clock Versailles had resumed its normal aspect.

President Loubet arrived here from Versailles at 5:08 p. m. and was received with military honors.

**Reception in Paris.**  
On his arrival in Paris President Loubet was greeted with mingled hisses and cheers. Although Loubet was elected by a total of 483 votes, out of the 792 cast by the members of the national assembly, the opponents of the new president refuse to recognize the election. The cry of "Panama! Panama!" shouted by thousands, was the welcome accorded Mr. Loubet by Paris crowds, and for many hours all efforts to disperse the hostile mob proved unavailing.

In the course of the rioting over the election to the presidency of Loubet 46 persons were injured, including 14 policemen.

Leaders of the opposition promise to hold back the disturbers until after the burial of M. Faure Thursday next. When the last tribute to the dead president has been paid the men who are fighting Loubet will begin their campaign to force his resignation.

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## Florida Air Line.

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Freddy—What's a reformer, pa?  
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COUNTY NEWS.

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A Letter from Cuba.

Mrs. Frank Lusty has received a letter from her brother C. E. Foren, who is with Co. D, 31st Michigan Volunteers in Cuba, dated Feb. 4, which gives an account of their trip from Savannah, Ga., to Cuba. Some extracts from it are given below: "We left Savannah Jan. 25 on the Chester, a United States transport. The ship is one of the best in the service, it is 500 feet long and draws 26 feet of water when loaded, and is painted white. Well, I guess it was loaded on this trip we had three months' supplies, which is equal to 75 carloads. When we started on the trip we went down the Savannah river to the ocean and when we passed the Tyber lighthouse we were in the ocean. The first day and night were rough. About 8 in the evening a storm came up and that big steamer rolled until I thought it would get upside down. The staging on deck, where the mules were, broke down and killed a lot of them and they were thrown overboard, with about a hundred tons of hay, 500 cots and a lot of large cases containing tents and clothing, in fact they were throwing stuff overboard half the night, but no one got hurt. The next morning was nice also the rest of the trip Sunday we got to Palm Beach on the south end of Florida, the boat stopped and the Colonel went ashore for an hour, then we started and the next morning we passed the Florida Keys and through Florida Straits. Our next stop was Key West at 10 in the morning, then the boat went to Havana, where the Maine was sunk. We saw the Maine sticking out of the water; they have a flag over the place. Morro Castle looked about as I have seen it in pictures. We left Havana and sailed west, passing through the Yucatan channel and into the Caribbean sea and sailed 400 miles, when we landed at the city called Cienfuegos. We laid in the harbor until the next day when we went ashore. This concluded our trip which was about 1,600 miles by water. We are about 2,500 miles straight south of Michigan. After we landed we staid in the town until afternoon when we took the train about 100 miles in the country to Rodrigo, where we are at now. We will move from here next week to Santa Clara about 50 miles from here. I am in elegant health. I was only sick about an hour while on the ocean. The weather here is fine just like June in Michigan. Everything is growing, coconuts bananas, oranges, pineapples, corn, sweet potatoes, sugar cane, tobacco, coffee and palms, all growing on the same ground, and all kinds of flowers. I will send you a rose I picked this morning. Will send you some other things later on. The Cubans are real pleasant. The Spaniards don't say anything. They are sending them home as fast as possible, they loaded a steamer with 2,000 the day we landed, and there were eleven more Spanish ships in the harbor waiting to be loaded. There are about 20,000 Spanish soldiers around here yet."

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and, to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed at Glazier & Stimson's Bank Drug Store.

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Lost—February 15, between Charles Young's and town's fur mitten. Finder please leave at Herald office.

WANTED—A girl to do housework. Enquire of W. J. Knapp

A man near Chelsea said to his wife, the other day, so says an exchange, "what would you do, deary, if I should forget myself, sometime, and tell you to go to the devil?" Quickly the little woman replied, "Well, I'd go right to your brother for you are devil No 1, while he is devil No 2."

F. & A. M.

Regular meetings of Olive Lodge, No. 156, F. & A. M., for 1899: Jan. 24; Feb. 21; Mar. 21; April 18; May 23; June 20, July 18; Aug. 15; Sept. 12; Oct. 17; Nov. 14; Dec. 12, annual meeting and election of officers. THEO. WOOD, Sec.

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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 Wednesday, the 15th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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 14th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard 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.

Notice to Creditors.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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 18th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Chelsea Savings Bank

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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 2 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.

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 14th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard 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.

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 13th day of February, A. D. 1899, six months from that date were allowed for credit-ors to present their claims against the estate of Susannah Wallace, 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 14th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 13th day of May and on the 14th day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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 18th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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 Decem. cr. 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, married, 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 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.

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 22nd day of November, in the year 1889, executed by Daniel W. Amsden and Lorinda C. Amsden, 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 73 of Mortgages, on page 577, on the 2nd day of December, in the year 1889, 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 one hundred and forty-one and sixty-two one-hundredths (\$41.62) dollars, and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as a reasonable solicitor or attorney fee, as provided for 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 the 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 any wise 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. 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. Voorheis, 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 10th day of March, and on Friday, the 16th day of June next, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Jan. 16, 1899. FRANK JOSLYN, PERRY WATTLING, Commissioners.

For Sale—A pleasant home, Jefferson and Madison streets. T. Cassidy, Chelsea.