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NEAR DEPOT.

MERRY WEDDING BELLS.

A Pretty Ceremony at St. Mary's Church Yesterday Morning.

McKUNE-STAFFAN NUPTIALS

TWO PROMINENT YOUNG CHELSEA PEOPLE MADE ONE IN THE PRESENCE OF A LARGE CONGREGATION OF THEIR RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.

St. Mary's church was yesterday morning the scene of another of the many pretty weddings that have taken place at different times within its sacred walls. In spite of the lowering weather a congregation of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties, Mr. J. Edward McKune and Miss Catherine M. Staffan, which nearly filled the church, had gathered before 8:30 o'clock, the time set for the ceremony. At that time to the ever beautiful music of Mendelssohn's wedding march, which was charmingly rendered by Miss Mamie Clark, the bridal party headed by Dr. W. A. Conlan, of Detroit, and Mr. George P. Staffan, as ushers, marched down the aisle of the church to the altar where they were met by Rev. William Considine and the groom. The bride leaned on the arm of Mr. Herbert McKune, who officiated as best man. She was attended by Miss Mabel Gillam as bridesmaid.

Miss Staffan was prettily gowned in dotted silk mull, the waist being made with a yoke, and the skirt with a deep flounce, the whole was trimmed with fine lace. She carried a bouquet of cream roses. Her hat was a charming creation of lace and roses. The bridesmaid was dressed in blue, with trimming of black, and carried a large bouquet of pink carnations. Her large hat was heavily trimmed with flowers.

The solemnly beautiful marriage service of the church was performed by the pastor, Rev. William Considine, and was followed by the nuptial mass. Mr. Louis Burg sang in a masterly manner the "Ave Maria," and the Junior choir sang a bright and pleasing hymn. At the conclusion of the marriage sacrament Rev. Charles O. Reilly, D. D., of Adrian, who has been a lifelong friend of Mr. McKune's family, gave an eloquent and stirring address on the sanctity of the marriage vow and the duties it involved on each of the newly wedded pair to perform, coupled with some timely advice as to their future conduct towards each other and the church of their choice. It was a touching scene to a good many to hear the doctor, who is almost blind, deliver his feeling address.

After the services were concluded the wedding party which numbered about 30, repaired to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Staffan, on South Main street, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served.

The wedding presents were numerous, handsome and valuable, and attested to the high esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. McKune are held by their friends.

They left on the 10:40 train for a brief trip eastward. They were attended to the depot by a number of their young friends who did their best to make the first hour of their wedded life very interesting for them. The quantity of rice that was showered on them should ensure them the choicest blessings that can follow a happy wedded life. They will be at home to their friends after June 1.

Among the guests from abroad were A. Wagner and daughter, of Dearborn, Miss Anna Harty, of Grand Rapids, V. D. Hindelang, of Albion, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Hodge, of Jackson, Dr. W. A. Conlan, of Detroit, and others.

Big Fire in Ann Arbor.

The large furniture store of Mack & Co., in Ann Arbor, was badly damaged by fire Monday afternoon. The fire originated by spontaneous combustion in a bale of cotton in the upholstering room on the third story, and spread with great rapidity on account of the inflammable nature of some of the goods. The second and third floors were a total wreck, together with the contents, before the fire could be got under control. The stock, worth \$40,000, was damaged about \$30,000. The damage to the building is about \$10,000.

Co. A, 31st Michigan, will arrive home in Ann Arbor tomorrow.



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THE WEEK'S NEWS

Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

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

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

DOMESTIC.

A break in the Erie canal flooded Spencerport, N. Y., doing great damage, and a number of farms north of the village were submerged.

The town of Homer, Neb., was inundated by a cloudburst, driving people from their homes, and hundreds of head of stock were drowned.

The supreme court of Iowa says that a note on account of moneys involved in bucket shops cannot be collected by law in the state.

La Patria, the most influential paper in Havana, strongly indorses the American administration.

Riotous strikers at Duluth, Minn., blew up a street car with dynamite, injuring ten passengers.

The United Confederate Veterans' annual reunion began in Charleston, S. C.

George Uhler, a farmer 50 years of age, residing near Mount Hope, Pa., killed his wife and then killed himself while insane.

The cruiser Nashville, the first sea-going war vessel that ever came up the Mississippi river as far as St. Louis, was riding at anchor off that city.

Western manufacturers of corn-shellers, feed-cutters, grinding mills and cider presses have agreed to make a general advance of 15 per cent in prices.

A cyclone at Coldwater, Kan., destroyed 12 houses, the Presbyterian church and a block of stores and killed Joseph Bowers, a prominent cattleman.

Joseph Harvey, aged 20, killed his wife, Robert Pierson, his uncle, and his grandmother at Howard City, Mich., and mortally wounded his three-months-old child and his father-in-law, John Logenslayer, and finally shot himself, inflicting a serious wound.

A construction gain on the Pittsburgh & Western railroad went through a trestle near Newcastle, Pa., killing four men and injuring a number of others.

Henry Tineknall killed his wife in Auburn, N. Y., and then took his own life. No cause is known for the crime.

The forty-fourth annual session of the southern Baptist convention began in Louisville.

Memorial services were held at Clyde, O., in honor of George Burton Meeks, a sailor on the Winslow and the first Ohioan killed in the Spanish war.

The Third Nebraska, Col. William J. Bryan's old regiment, was mustered out at Augusta, Ga.

Six of the largest wholesale dry goods and notion firms in Philadelphia have consolidated.

The industrial commission began in Washington an inquiry into the operations of trusts.

Burglars robbed the state bank of Ellsworth, Ia., of \$3,685 in cash and made their escape.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 12th aggregated \$1,984,155,183, against \$2,162,918,801 the previous week. The increase compared with the corresponding week in 1898 was 43.7.

There were 165 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 12th; against 153 the week previous and 246 in the corresponding period of 1898.

From 30 to 35 persons were killed and 50 others injured in a collision of passenger trains on the Philadelphia & Reading road at Exeter, Pa.

The United Confederate Veterans at their reunion in Charleston, S. C., re-elected Gen. John B. Gordon commander in chief.

Edward Smith (colored) was hanged in the district jail in Washington, D. C., for the murder of a colored woman named Edmonia Jackson on the 15th of November, 1897.

R. W. Henry, prosecuting attorney of Jackson county, died in the courtroom at Maquoketa, Ia., during a trial.

The Civic Federation of Chicago has selected June 26 to 29 as the time for a national conference in Chicago to discuss trusts.

Donald McLean, a wealthy railroad contractor from New York, fell four stories in the Palmer house in Chicago and was killed.

The percentages of the baseball clubs in the National league for the week ended on the 14th were: St. Louis, 739; Philadelphia, 708; Chicago, 696; Cincinnati, 636; Brooklyn, 607; Boston, 583; Baltimore, 458; New York, 409; Louisville, 409; Pittsburgh, 364; Washington, 167; Cleveland, 136.

The schooner Nelson foundered in Lake Superior off Grand Marais and nine persons were drowned.

Rev. Dr. Charles A. Briggs, who was suspended for heresy by the Presbyterian assembly, was ordained a priest of the Episcopal church in New York by Bishop Potter.

President McKinley, Mrs. McKinley and a few friends visited Natural Bridge, Va.

Harry Neat, of Buffalo, assistant superintendent of the Wagner Palace Car company, died in Utica, N. Y., from injuries received in a collision.

Unseasonably cold weather, heavy rains and severe hailstorms prevailed throughout Nebraska.

A report that ex-President Cleveland, who is fishing at Middle Bass island, in Lake Erie, had dropped dead, was false. Thousands of sheep have been killed in the hills in Utah by inclement weather.

The American Bicycle company, commonly called the bicycle trust, was incorporated in Trenton, N. J., with a capital of \$80,000,000.

Aaron M. Powell, of New York, a noted anti-slavery agitator, temperance worker and writer, died from heart disease while making a speech in Philadelphia.

John Holland (colored) was lynched by a mob at Blue Lick Springs, Ky.

Kenoyer's bank at Leon, Kan., was visited by burglars, who secured about \$2,000.

In a riot between prohibitionists and the liquor elements at Alva, O. T., Rev. Alexander Ross and Gene Hardwick, a saloon keeper, were fatally shot.

Peter Hegelman won the 72-hour gas-you-please walking match in New York, covering 407 miles.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

George Earle, a lawyer of prominence and assistant postmaster-general under President Grant, died in Washington.

Robert H. Folger, the oldest practicing attorney in the state of Ohio, died at his home in Massillon, aged 87 years.

John Sherman, ex-secretary of state, celebrated the seventy-sixth anniversary of his birth at his home at Mansfield, O.

C. E. Littlefield, of Rockland, has been nominated by the republicans of the Second congressional district of Maine to succeed the late Nelson Dingley.

Paul Darling Scofield, second son of Gov. Scofield, died at the executive mansion in Madison, Wis., of consumption, aged 25 years.

Gen. William Porcher Miles died at his home near Burnside, La. He was a member of congress before the war.

Chauncey Kelsey, auditor of the Chicago & Alton railroad since April 1, 1880, died at Pasadena, Cal., aged 53 years.

The democrats of the Second district of Maine have nominated John Scott, of Bath, for congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Nelson Dingley.

Roswell P. Flower, of New York, died of heart failure at Eastport, L. I., aged 64 years. He was a congressman in 1881 and governor of New York in 1892. He leaves a wife and one daughter and a fortune of \$30,000,000.

FOREIGN.

At Odessa an insane customs official murdered his five sleeping children and then fatally wounded his wife.

Secretary Long received a cablegram from Admiral Dewey asking permission to keep the cruiser Boston on the Asiatic station for a short time. The request was granted.

In a 100 hours' cycling contest in Paris Charles W. Miller, of Chicago, won first prize. He covered 2,258 kilometers.

In a fire at Gura Humora, Austria, 200 buildings, including the principal church, the town hall and other public offices and all the schoolhouses were destroyed.

Gen. Lawton moved against the Filipino forces which had taken up a strong position at San Ildefonso, north of Balinag. After losing one killed, he succeeded in driving them from their position and capturing their intrenchments.

A cyclone swept over the Hondo, a coal mine settlement in Coahuila, Mexico, killing nine miners and injuring 20 others.

It is announced that Admiral Dewey will return from the Philippines by the Suez route.

On account of a long-continued drought prayers for rain were said in every town and village in Roumania.

The Standard bank in Bowmanville, Ont., was robbed of \$11,000 by burglars. An expedition in search of Andree and his party will start from Stockholm for the northeast coast of Greenland in a short time.

New overtures for peace have been received by Gen. Otis from Aguinaldo, and confidential advices to the administration in Washington lead to the belief that the end is at hand. The strong positions of MacArthur and Lawton and his complete separation of Aguinaldo from the other insurgents south of Manila has apparently paralyzed the insurgents.

Fire at Fort Burwell, Ont., destroyed 27 business places and hotels. Only one business house is left.

LATER.

Advices from Manila say that Aguinaldo has fled to the province Nueva Ecija, that nothing has been heard of him for over two weeks, and that the insurgent general, Gregorio Pilar, believes he has been deserted by the so-called Filipino government and is anxious to surrender to the Americans. Another dispatch says that the Filipino government has decided to continue the war at all costs until independence is secured.

Joseph Surgnis and Joseph Brants were burned to death in a fire at the sugar refinery in Waukegan, Ill.

Mrs. Sarah Newberry, of Yankee Springs Township, Mich., aged 75 years, was criminally assaulted and killed by an unknown person.

Eighty United States engineers left New York for the Philippine islands.

As the result of a long-standing feud John A. Hunter, one of the most prominent men in Wallowa county, Ore., was shot and killed by Mrs. C. R. Elliott, who then killed herself.

John Welch lost 55 valuable dogs by the burning of his kennels in Brighton, Mass.

The Baptist church will celebrate the anniversaries of its missionary, educational and publication societies in a series of meetings to be held at San Francisco May 24 to 28.

British soldiers and warships have taken formal possession of Kow-Loon, opposite Hong-Kong.

A pitched battle in the streets was fought between Princeton (N. J.) students and members of Pawnee Bill's Wild West show and several were badly injured.

The people's party in Iowa will hold a state convention in Des Moines on August 16.

Frank A. Vanderlip, assistant secretary of the treasury, will act as chairman of a national committee to provide a home in Washington for Admiral Dewey.

Dr. Howard Ayres, president of the University of Missouri, has accepted the presidency of the Cincinnati (O.) university.

J. L. Hamilton, a painter, killed his wife in Santa Maria, Cal., and then killed himself.

A dispatch from Havana says that Gen. Brooke has decided to permit the municipalities to act as custodians of the arms surrendered by the Cubans and that Gen. Gomez will forward the payment of the soldiers by every means at his command.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

Roosevelt's rough riders will hold their first annual reunion on June 24 in New Mexico.

The Westinghouse Electric company has received an order to equip a trolley line between Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

The equestrian statue of Maj. Gen. John F. Hartranft in Capitol park, Harrisburg, Pa., was unveiled with impressive ceremonies.

At the annual meeting in Cincinnati of the Western Society for the Suppression of Vice W. J. Bred, of Cincinnati, was elected president.

Word comes from London that the joint high commission to settle disputes between the United States and Canada will resume its sittings August 2.

The contract for distributing government seeds this year has been let by the agricultural department to Charles Parker, of Santa Clara, Cal., for \$64,900.

Dr. William Seward Webb has presented war medals to every member of the Vermont regiment of volunteers composed of metal taken from Admiral Cervera's flagship, the Maria Teresa.

Lyndhurst, the country home of the late Jay Gould, has been purchased by Miss Helen Gould from the Gould estate. The Lyndhurst property consists of 244 acres and the price paid was \$344,000.

Mrs. Emily A. Fifield, a member of the Boston school board, presided at a recent session of that body in the absence of the president. It is the first time in the history of the Hub that a woman has been so honored.

Rear Admiral Watson, who succeeds Dewey in the Philippines, was a lieutenant on Farragut's flagship at the battle of Mobile bay and assisted in lashing the admiral to the rigging of the Hartford before he went to do or die.

Herr Nowodwonski, editor of the Wassawski Dnewik, and Herr Olszowski, a newspaper correspondent at St. Petersburg, have been exiled to Siberia. They are charged with publishing a confidential administration report to the czar.

For the first time in 15 years, R. W. Wagner, a prominent citizen of Bucyrus, O., is able to speak. In 1885 he was afflicted with illness which left him mute. While holding a little child on his lap recently he was seized with a sudden desire to speak to her, and to his surprise was able to do so.

SIX THOUSAND MILES OF RAILROAD.

It may be interesting to note the following statement of mileage of the New York Central, leased and operated lines, which shows the total miles of track east of Buffalo as 6,114.81.

It is, of course, generally known that some of the Western lines have a greater mileage, but their tracks run through a number of sparsely settled States, while the trackage of the New York Central and leased lines is all in the densely populated States of New York and Pennsylvania, accommodating, by its numerous trains, millions of passengers each year.

Here is the mileage of the New York Central leased and operated lines:

New York Central and branches.....	819.45
New York & Harlem.....	135.90
Spuytens Duyn & Port Morris.....	6.94
New York & Putnam.....	61.21
Troy & Greenbush.....	6.00
Mohawk & Malone and branches.....	181.50
Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg and branches.....	624.35
Carthage & Adirondack.....	46.10
Gouverneur & Oswegatchie.....	13.05
New Jersey Junction.....	4.85
West Shore and branches.....	495.20
Beech Creek and branches.....	157.38
Walkill Valley.....	32.88
Syracuse, Geneva & Corning and branches.....	64.82
Fall Brook and branches.....	100.70
Pine Creek.....	74.80
Tivoli Hollow.....	1.23
St. Lawrence & Adirondack.....	56.40
Terminal Railway of Buffalo.....	11.00

Total.....2,892.86

Miles of track.....4,453.83

Miles of siding.....1,660.98

Total number of miles of track and siding.....6,114.81

—Buffalo Express, April 6, 1899.

Helpers.

Coroner—Was the victim conscious when you reached him?
Pat—Yes, sir, he worr. But bechune us I don't believe he knew ut.—Philadelphia North American.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.

LUCAS COUNTY,
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A hole in one's pocket isn't desirable, but how about the rent in that of one's landlord?—L. A. W. Bulletin.

WOMEN are assailed at every turn by troubles peculiar to their sex. Every mysterious ache or pain is a symptom. These distressing sensations will keep on coming unless properly treated.

The history of neglect is written in the worn faces and wasted figures of nine-tenths of our women, every one of whom may receive the invaluable advice of Mrs. Pinkham, without charge, by writing to her at Lynn, Mass.

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Andrew Carnegie, at the age of 60 years, retires from active business life with a fortune of \$200,000,000, which he says he will spend largely in philanthropic work before he dies.

Grand Rapids Herald: The old world could scarcely be blamed if American newspapers were excluded, as well as American beef. Most of the rotten beef has been only on paper anyway.

The Detroit, Ypsilanti & Ann Arbor electric railroad is having quite a warm time of it in the courts through its illegal extortions for fares for riding on its cars. The fares charged are in excess of what its franchise allows. It should be mulcted every time.

News from the Philippines seems to indicate that the partisans of Aguinaldo are growing weary of the strife. Gen. Otis daily notes signs of the disintegration of the hostile troops, the Filipino congress is sick of the war (for that matter so is everybody else) and the whole outlook for peace is quite encouraging.

As a result of Gen. Miles' "embalmed beef" charges and the investigation into them, the American meat trade with Germany is likely to be badly crippled if not entirely wiped out. A committee of the German reichstag to whom the subject of a meat inspection bill was referred has reported back a bill which is so hostile to American interests that it is not believed the government will sanction it.

Judging from a newspaper interview Gen. Miles has had all the investigation fighting he desires. In fact the court of inquiry has taken all the fight out of him. He is now as meek as a lamb and says "The president is commander-in-chief of the army and my superior. He has approved the findings of the Wade court of inquiry, therefore I have no comment to make. It would be an unsoldierly act were I to do so."

And now there is talk of a big railroad trust, to include all the lines between Boston and Chicago, to prevent the cutting of rates, the joint traffic association having failed to remedy that state of affairs. "Trusts, trusts, trusts," it's nothing but trusts nowadays. Anything to make the rich man richer and the poor man poorer. After a time it will be "bust, bust, bust," and again the rich man will be richer and the poor man poorer, for the capitalists will have the money and the "unsuspecting public" will have the stocks of the trusts.

Under the present specific tax laws of the state the railroads of Michigan will this year pay taxes aggregating \$1,087,616.83, an increase of \$145,803.35 over the taxes paid under the same law last year, the increase being due to increased earnings, and the new construction placed upon the law by Commissioner Osborn which has resulted in the addition of taxes aggregating \$43,874.98. The computation of taxes were placed in the hands of the auditor-general for collection Monday and all taxes must be paid by July 1. The average increase in the taxes of the roads is over 10 per cent. The Michigan Central taxes amount to \$206,866.78.

The navies of Europe will do homage to a brave man as Admiral Dewey makes his homeward trip from the Philippines by way of the Red Sea and Mediterranean. Already the French and English naval authorities are making arrangements to give him a fitting reception. An invitation is to be extended to him to visit Portsmouth and Plymouth, and if he accepts it a British escort will meet him at Aden or Port Said. "The world do move," a hundred years or so ago a British escort would also probably have been cheerfully accorded to a victorious American admiral, but he would have been a prisoner and not an honored guest.

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Memorial Day Services.

The beautiful springtime, never more welcome than this year, brings with its advent our sacred Memorial Day, May 30. The day set apart for paying special respect to the memory of our Nation's heroes, who, sleeping now in eternal rest, were once clothed in the uniform of their country's soldiery, doing such service as was commanded of them.

Since last we observed Memorial Day our country has passed from a war with a foreign power to a condition of peace. We are yet compelled to keep our brave soldiery in line of readiness to battle with insurgents in our new possessions, but as a nation we feel that the real horrors of war are at an end.

New made graves mark the resting spot of many a hero who responded to the call of his country in our last war; the deep sea covers the form of many a brave blue coat of our navy. Let it be our special desire to see that the memory of these brave boys be kept fresh. Let all citizens lay aside their daily work on Memorial Day and see that the day be not given to sports and games, but rather treated as would be the Sabbath day, accompanied with that desire for a pleasant, restful season given to a talk of our nation's interests.

Chelsea will not be unmindful of those who responded to their country's call when their services were needed and who died while doing that duty so nobly and so well, and will observe the season by exercises fitted to it.

Su day, May 28, is Memorial Sunday, and at 2 o'clock p. m. R. P. Carpenter Post and W. R. C. will attend the Congregational church where memorial services will be held and a sermon preached by Rev. C. S. Jones. To these services the public is invited.

Tuesday, May 30, is Memorial Day, and the program of exercises will be carried out in the town hall as follows:

Music.....Band
Reading of Orders.....Geo. J. Crowell
Music.....Choir
Prayer.....Rev. C. S. Jones
Music.....Choir
Oration.....Rev. J. I. Nickerson.
Benediction.

At the conclusion of the services a procession will be formed which will march to Oak Grove cemetery where the Post services will be held and the graves of deceased soldiers in Oak Grove and Mt. Olivet cemeteries will be decorated. The procession will form in the following order:

Band.
K. O. T. M.
R. P. Carpenter Post, No. 41,
Flower Wagon.
Carriages.

After the Post service and firing of salute the procession will return to the hall in the same order and be dismissed.

The children are requested to procure all the flowers they can and bring them to the town hall May 30 at 9 o'clock a. m., where a committee will be ready to receive them.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold at Glazier & Stimson's Bank Drug Store.

The Walter L. Main Circus.

Among the prominent features to be introduced by the Main circus at Ypsilanti, Saturday, May 27, may be mentioned the smallest elephant in the world; a detachment of Roosevelt's Rough Riders who took an active part in the famous charge of San Juan Hill; the celebrated Wernitz family—six in number; the great Livingstone family of society acrobats; Lil Kerslake and his troupe of performing pigs; Martina Lowanda, jr., the Brazilian horseman; Miss Rosa Deckrill, the beautiful and accomplished rider; Wm. Conrad and his horseback riding monkey; young Herbert the 10-year-old boy clown; a troupe of genuine Bedouin Arabs; Cooper, the tallest man in the world; Major Rinebeck, the smallest man; Wild Rose, the wild girl; and 50 other riders, aerialists, clowns, leapers and tumblers. Under the big menagerie tent will be seen the largest collection of rare wild animals in the entire world.

Public Notice.

To Whom It May Concern:
Please take notice that the assessment roll of the village of Chelsea for 1899 is now completed, and the board of review of said village will meet at the clerk's office in the town hall in said village on Friday and Saturday, May 26 and 27, 1899, when and where the assessment will be reviewed, and that any persons deeming themselves aggrieved by the assessment may then be heard, and if it shall appear that any person has been wrongfully assessed or omitted from the roll the board shall correct the roll in such manner as they shall deem just, as required by Chapter IX, of Act 3, of the Public Acts of 1895.
Dated May 15, 1899.

M. J. NOTES, Assessor.

LOCAL ITEMS.

W. G. Kempf and E. G. Hoag are exchanging places of residence today.

There is an advertised letter in the Chelsea post office for W. C. Taylor. The annual sale of plants will be held May 25, 26 and 27, at John Cumming's.

The Michigan Central will put 18 inches of gravel over its entire line between Ypsilanti and Detroit this summer.

The annual meeting of the Grand Commandery of Michigan Knights Templar will next year be held in Ann Arbor.

R. Dennis Walker has been drawn as a traverse juror for the next term of the United States district court which meets in Detroit June 1.

The Michigan Bell Telephone exchange has been moved during the last few days and is now located over the Kempf Commercial and Savings Bank.

In committee of the whole the senate and legislature has agreed to a bill making a misdemeanor of false representations in advertisements. It is intended to prevent "fake" sales.

The Nickell for May is replete with good reading matter. Its subscription price, 50 cents per year, places it within the reach of all. It is published by The Nickell Magazine, Boston, Mass.

The subject for discussion at the meeting of the Business Men's Class at the Congregational church next Sunday is "Our mission to the neglected places of this land." Charles Kaiser will open the discussion.

Jackson Patriot: "One of the queerest things in human nature," remarked the Summit philosopher the other day, "is that a fellow may be a king among men and yet not be able to play even the deuce among women."

Representative George E. Gillam has sold his newspaper, the Review, at Harrisville, and has purchased the Hillsdale Standard. Mr. Gillam has many friends in Chelsea who will wish him all kinds of success in his new venture.

Marcus W. Wallace, an Ann Arbor horseman, well known to many in Chelsea, was thrown from his buggy late at night Monday, and suffered a concussion of the brain, his ear drum having burst. He was dead when found at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Mr. Ben Huehl, of Chelsea, and Miss Emma Finkbeiner, of Lima, were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, in the presence of a number of their relatives and friends. They will go to housekeeping in Mrs. Bauer's house on South Main street.

County Clerk Schnh has received a circular letter from the department of the interior at Washington asking for a complete and authentic list of all the civil divisions and municipalities in the county. A list of the last census was enclosed. It shows the population of Washtenaw county to have been in 1890, 42,210. The population of the cities and villages were: Ann Arbor, 9,431; Ypsilanti, 6,129; Chelsea, 1,356; Manchester, 1,191; Saline, 706.

The new branch of the C. M. B. A. in this village was duly organized Saturday evening at Maccabee hall. Twenty-two members were initiated, after which the officers for the ensuing term were installed and are as follows: President, Chauncey Hummel; 1st vice president, Louis Burg; 2d vice president, William F. Kress; recording secretary, J. S. Hoefler; financial secretary, Joseph Seckinger; assistant secretary, Henry Mullen; treasurer, Martin Breitenbach; marshal, Edward Beissel; trustees, long term, James S. Gorman, John Webber; short term, John Clark, William Kelly, Peter Merkel; guard, William O'Connor. Grand Secretary John H. Breen, of Detroit, conducted the ceremonies.

Ann Arbor Railroad
AND STEAMSHIP LINES.
Hoi for Toledo.

Next Sunday, May 21, occurs the opening of Toledo's "Sea Side Resort"—Lake Erie Park and Casino, and the magnificent program arranged for the opening day will be a treat long to be remembered. The Ann Arbor railroad will run a special excursion, leaving Ann Arbor at 10:25 a. m., for which tickets will be sold at 75 cents for the round trip. Returning train will leave Toledo at 6:30 p. m.

Leave Chelsea on the 7:15 a. m. train and take it in. You can return on the train arriving here at 10:20 p. m. The fare for the whole round trip will amount to \$1.70.

A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold at Glazier & Stimson's Bank Drug Store.

10 Cents a Dish

Is the price of a large assortment of novelty glassware and fancy china plates which we have just placed on sale. No old back numbers but new things just out. Think of it, a full size decorated china tea plate for 10 cents.

Have you noticed our line of

Rose Candlesticks

Trimmed with fancy Cordova wax candles, at 25 cents each. They are smart sellers very much in use at present.

We are also showing a fine line of

25c China Cake Plates

And Art Glass Vases, new and up-to-date. Come in and look them over, you'll want some of them.

We will make you a low price on anything in the crockery line.

FREEMAN'S.

It's Just the Correct Thing

That is what you like about the Millinery I am showing this spring, and that is what will please you. My prices will also please you and I guarantee all my work.

All the Ladies Are Invited to Call and See My Stock.

Miss NELLIE MARONEY.

Upstairs—Over the H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.'s Store.

IT'S THE CHEAPEST

When buying Shoes of any kind to pay Cash for them.

I have a fine new stock of

Men's, Boys', Ladies' and Children's Shoes.

which I will sell at the lowest prices for cash. Come in and see them. Repairing of all kinds neatly and cheaply executed.

JACOB MAST.

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—FOR—

Rubber Hose and Connections, Sprayers, Lawn Mowers, Lawn Rakes, Ice Cream Freezers, Screen Doors and Windows, Oil and Gasoline Stoves.

BICYCLES.

Paints and Oils, Iron Age Pivot Axle Riding Cultivators, One Horse Corn Cultivators, Tiger Rakes, Double and Single Harness, All at Lowest Prices.

Special Prices on Buggies to Close Out.

HOAG & HOLMES.

Furniture at Low Prices.

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. SCHAFER.

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YOU CAN USE IT 20 DAYS FREE

Ask us to ship you one of our High Arm Sewing Machines with Ball Bearings and all Modern Improvements. This we will do by express to any station within 500 miles of Chicago. Upon arrival deposit our price, \$19.50, and express charges with the express agent of your town, then

TAKE THE MACHINE HOME AND TRY IT FOR 20 DAYS

If you are perfectly satisfied with the machine, keep it, otherwise return it to the express agent, and he will give you all your money back. If you prefer, we will ship by freight and draw on you through your nearest bank, draft attached to Bill of Lading. When machine comes pay draft, and take machine from station. We guarantee the machine for ten years. Remember you take no risk. It doesn't cost you one cent unless you take the machine. We have sold over 100,000, and they are all giving perfect satisfaction. ITS SPECIAL FEATURES are Ball Bearings, Light Running, Durable, Easily Operated, Automatic Double Footing, Feed, Self Threading Shuttle, Pair-Setting Needle, Tension Liberator, Automatic Spooler, High Arm, Kick-Start, Superior Finish, Highly Polished Bent Woodwork, Oak or Walnut.

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COUNTY NEWS.

The Ann Arbor post office cleaned up \$1,800 in profit to the government last month.

Merrick Burch has bought Charles Walker's house and lot at Sharon Hollow and will build a blacksmith shop on the lot soon.

Master Harry M Cole, of Ann Arbor, has a pet frog which is a curiosity. It has five legs, its fifth leg coming out between the two front ones.

Mrs. M. D. Case, of Manchester, who recently underwent an operation for cancer at the University hospital, Ann Arbor, continues to improve.

The senate has passed the bill appropriating \$139,600 for current expenses of the Normal College at Ypsilanti and \$22,900 for repairs, or in all \$162,500.

Supervisor Hall, of Sharon, says that in his judgment there will not be enough wheat harvested in that township to produce bread and seed sufficient for home consumption.

It is feared that the little son of Frank Creech, deputy register of deeds, will have to submit to an operation and have an eye removed owing to a tumorous growth on the optic nerve.

Ypsilanti stands a good chance of securing rural free mail delivery. Special Agent Blackman has been there looking over the ground and it is believed his decision will be in favor of it.

James Lee, of Howell, put a pan of burning sulphur upstairs and one downstairs in his house Sunday week to fumigate it, his son having just recovered from scarlet fever. The house took fire and was burned.

Rats gnawed a hole through the floor of Myron Pierce's barn in Sharon, through which a quantity of wheat ran into the basement. Five cattle so gorged themselves on the grain that they became sick and one of them died.

Miss Ratie E Corey was awarded \$5,000 in her \$20,000 damage suit against the city of Ann Arbor, Friday evening, for injuries received by falling on an icy sidewalk during the winter of 1897-8. It is understood the case will be carried to the supreme court as the question of liability is one of law.

Manchester.

Mrs. Amos Lazell moved into her house on Boyne street last week.

Mrs. Kirchgessner is visiting her son Will and family of Grand Rapids.

Miss Marie Kirchhofer entertained the senior class at her home one evening last week.

S. C. Ruckman went to Toledo Thursday where he will be employed during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fish, of Saline, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolworth, Sunday.

Miss Ida Silkworth and Hugo Kirchhofer attended the May Festival at Ann Arbor last week.

Miss Alma Teeter, is not teaching this week on account of scarlet fever having broken out in the district.

E. S. Hagaman and wife went to Ann Arbor last week on business connected with the estate of Spencer Gordon, deceased.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. Essery has decided to remain at the head of the school another year, the board having offered him the same salary as last year.

The butter and cheese factory is an assured thing. The required number of stockholders has been secured and a meeting was held last Saturday for the purpose of electing the officers.

During the high wind Tuesday afternoon, Pat. McMahon's house which was being raised and repaired was moved from its foundation, damaging the plaster in several places and breaking some of the dishes in the house.

Mrs. Hannah Wright, who has been visiting her father, James Weir, went to Ann Arbor Thursday to visit friends and attend the May-Festival. She will leave this week for her home in Deaver, Col., stopping on her way with friends in La Porte, Ind., and Chicago.

Hay for sale. T. Fleming, Lyndon.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—An organ for a single horse to match the one I now have; or a piano for a span of good roadsters. 39tf

C. STEINBACH.

North Lake.

Very little news in this part of the country now.

All the farmers are very busy getting ready for corn.

Cover your tomato plants, Jack Frost is lounging around.

The cold snap is putting corn planting back so that it and bean planting will rub together.

Strawberries now promise to be an average crop. If no unseen thing comes to hinder they will be fine.

Dr. English, of Ann Arbor, is at the Grove House for a short rest. The family will arrive later if at all this season.

There is room for every man to stand on his own head, but no room to stand on another man's head without permission from the man himself.

There is a big dog fish alive in North Lake with a spear tine in the back of his head to stop him swallowing other fish. They all ought to be muzzled in some way as they are so destructive to other fish.

Many of the bearing peach trees around North Lake are dead beyond hope of resuscitating, and all that remains to do is to pull them out and try again with one that wintered farther south or in a cellar.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. English, of Sylvan, were at the festival here Friday evening last. Mr. English gave happy words of encouragement and some good and wholesome advice to young grangers.

The Grange literary and maple syrup festival on Friday night last was very well attended, and in most ways was a decided success. The literary part was mirthful, instructive and entertaining. The sweet that followed was dealt out by the lump, yard and dish. Then the young people gathered in groups and played the old time games which served to take the remnant of sweet that had lodged on the young men's mustaches. It was all done neatly, sweetly and completely, while on their cheeks was left little cute red and pink kisses. It took some time to stir the young fellows up, but when started they went in as if bound to be in at the death. The old were saddened by thoughts of the days of yore, that this to them would return nevermore.

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The Chelsea Herald and Twice-a-Week Detroit Free Press, each for one year, and the Free Press Annual Year Book and Encyclopedia for 1899, a valuable book of over 550 pages that tells you all you want to know, for \$1.65. Over 35,000 of the 1898 issue of the Year Book were sold at 25 cents each. It is the most popular book of the kind ever published.

Subscribe for the Herald, \$1 per year.

Lima Items.

Arl Guerin spent Saturday at Ann Arbor.

Nelson Freer has been spending a few days with his parents.

Miss Dena Strieter spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents.

Mort. Freer, of Chelsea, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Freer.

W. N. Lister and Arl Guerin caught some fine fish in North Lake last week.

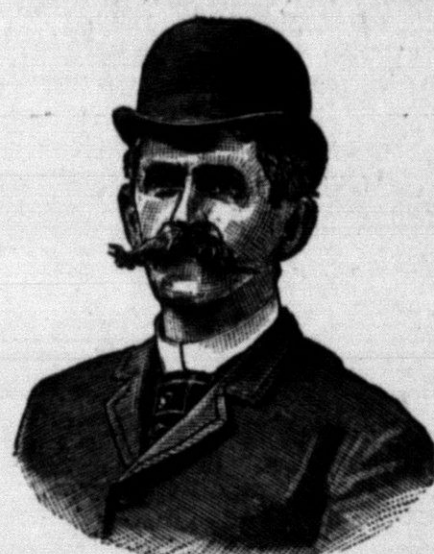
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Covert, of Scio, spent Sunday at Wm. Covert's.

Jay Easton is building a new kitchen and making repairs on his house.

Bertha Finkbeiner, of Ann Arbor, is spending a few days with her parents.

Ed. Spaulding's hired man was thrown from his bicycle Sunday afternoon and broke his shoulder.

W. W. Wedemeyer will deliver the Memorial Day address, Sunday, May 28, at 2 o'clock.



GEORGE E. DAVIS,

Everybody's Auctioneer.

Headquarters at THE CHELSEA HERALD office. Auction bills furnished free.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

Time table taking effect Jan. 29th, 1899.

90th MERIDIAN TIME.

Passengers Trains on the Michigan Central Railroad will leave Chelsea Station as follows:

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.

No. 37 will stop at Chelsea for passengers getting on at Detroit or east of Detroit.

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We shall clean up all Carpets in our department at very low prices.

Rolls strictly All Wool Super 2-ply, 39c
Rolls " " Extra Super 2-ply, 44c
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The newest factory made Rag Carpet, 32c
Very heavy Ingrain, beautiful patterns, 29c, 32c and 35c

Big Line of Boys' Wash Suits, 3 to 12 years,
50c, 75c and \$1.00.

SPECIAL.

We have just made a big purchase of White Shirts from a bankrupted manufacturer in Boston and are able to sell Men's 75c White Shirts for 49c; Men's \$1.00 White Shirts for 75c.
1 lot of Colored Shirts at 50c that are worth more than our price.

WASH GOODS.

10 pieces 19c Organdies for
50 pieces 10c Percale, 28 inches wide,
New White Goods for Confirmation Dresses. 12c 5c

H. S. HOLMES MERCANTILE CO.

Butterick Patterns for June now on Sale.

ICE. ICE.

To the Citizens of Chelsea:

We will deliver pure ice to your home every day, wash and place it in your refrigerator for the nominal sum of \$5.00, payable monthly. We kindly ask our customers to have water convenient to wash ice with.

Respectfully,

CHELSEA CONSUMERS' PURE
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Fresh Garden and Field Seeds

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Steel Skein Wagons on hand all the time from now on. We can make Wagons on very short notice, any size or left wanted. Sarven Wheels and Tubular Axles, anything that is wanted in the wagon line.

Repairing done on shorter notice than ever because we have plenty of help. Give us a call and be convinced.

Ward and Syracuse Plows, Disc Wheel and Floating Harrows,
Riding and Walking Cultivators, Binders, Mowers
and Horse Rakes.

ALL FOR SALE BY A. G. FAIST & CO.

Grand Opening for Chelsea.

THE ONLY TOWN IN MICHIGAN.

We are showing in the piece, not from samples, all the finest and latest Spring Suits, Top Coats and Trousers, and Fancy Odd Vestings
Suits from \$16.00 up; Trousers from \$3.00 up; Top Coats from \$10.00 up; Odd vests from \$2.00 up. These goods are all made in our large shop and by competent workmen. All work guaranteed and trouser and vests made while you wait. Samples furnished on application. Special prices to clubs of five or more.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

The Glazier Stove Co. is sending away several carloads of stoves this week.

H. S. Holmes has already purchased about 30,000 pounds of wool this season.

The war department has issued an order providing for the observance by the army of Memorial Day, May 30.

Any person wishing plants for house, garden or cemetery will do well to call at the flower sale May 25, 26 and 27.

The Home College Reading Circle met at Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Hathaway's Tuesday evening, and had a very pleasant time.

The next teachers' examination and the last of the present school year will be held in Ann Arbor, Thursday and Friday, June 15 and 16.

The wool season is now fairly open and the price ranges from 11 to 13 cents for fine unwashed and 15 to 17 cents for coarse unwashed wool per pound.

D. P. Markey, of Port Huron, will be in Chelsea, Sunday, June 11, and will deliver the address at the Maccabee Memorial Day exercises then to be held.

A regular meeting of Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S., will be held next Wednesday evening, May 24. All officers and members are requested to meet promptly on time.

The Woman's Guild of the Congregational church will give a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman, next Wednesday afternoon, May 24. A very cordial invitation is extended to everybody to be present.

J. H. Hollis has had a broad cement walk laid from the house to the sidewalk on his property on South street. He has just completed a handsome new stable in rear of the house. The improvements add much to the looks of the property.

The Washtenaw County Teachers' Institute will this year be held at the Normal College, Ypsilanti, and will continue four weeks from July 5 to July 28. It will be conducted by members of the Normal College faculty and Commissioner W. N. Lister.

Farm work in this neighborhood is progressing very favorably and the corn is about half planted. Wheat will not be more than one-third of a crop. The timothy meadows look well and there will be a good crop of this grade of hay. Clover will be scarce.

Thursday last was Ascension Day and it brought a large number of people from the surrounding country into Chelsea to attend the services held at St. Mary's Catholic and St. Paul's Lutheran churches. In the afternoon the stores did a big trade with the holiday makers.

The fire alarm sounded good and strong Thursday afternoon and called a large crowd in the direction of the railroad. It was found that the roof of the barn on the old Hewes property had caught fire. J. W. Speer put out the blaze before the fire department arrived on the scene.

The next quarterly meeting of the Michigan conference of the Washtenaw circuit of the Evangelical church will be held at Dexter June 3 and 4. Rev. W. A. Kohler, of Blissfield, the presiding elder, will be present. The pastor of the church in this circuit is Rev. John Schmaus, of Freedom.

The bright lights in John Farrell's store have created much attention to them the past week. They are produced by the use of Welsbach burners in conjunction with gasoline. They are exceedingly cheap and effective light, making the 16 candle power incandescent electric lights look dim beside them.

Ann Arbor Lodge, No. 325, B. P. O. Elks, will initiate a class of 43 candidates next Thursday evening, May 25. Following the initiation a grand social session will be held to welcome home the members of the lodge who have been away in the 31st Michigan. Chelsea Elks are particularly invited to be present on the occasion.

Martin Widmayer, of Lima, died at his home Saturday, of consumption, after an illness extending over a period of three years, aged 39 years. The funeral services were held at the house Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. L. Koelbing officiating. He leaves a wife who is in very poor health and a family of five small children.

On the affidavit of the defendant G. Frank Allmendinger that he cannot get at witnesses whose testimony is essential to his defence, the libel suit brought against him by Lester Canfield has been put over this term of court. It looks considerably as if the defense in these Judson-Moran and Canfield-Allmendinger libel suits were a little bit afraid of the gun.

The marriage of Mr. John Cappy and Miss Amy Alber was quietly celebrated at the home of the bride's parents on South Main street, Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Wuerfel, of Francisco, performing the ceremony. A bountiful wedding supper was afterwards served to the large number of friends who were present. A number of nice presents were given to the newly married couple.

The Congregational church is undergoing a process of house cleaning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Covert, of Lima Center, on Tuesday, a daughter, Ann Arbor Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, gave \$30 towards the purchase of an armory for Co. A, 31st Michigan.

J. W. Nichols, of Stockbridge, has the contract to erect the new cheese factory building at Boyce's Corners, in Lyndon.

Business of importance will come up in Chelsea Tent, No. 281, K. O. T. M., tomorrow evening, and every member is requested to attend.

W. W. Wedemeyer, of Ann Arbor, will deliver the commencement address to the graduating class of the schoolcraft high school, Friday, June 9.

The board of review for the township of Sylvan will hold its session Monday and Tuesday, May 32 and 23, 1899, at the clerk's office in the town hall, village of Chelsea.

The Michigan Central will run a weekend excursion to Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo and Three Rivers, next Saturday, May 20. Fare for the round trip from Chelsea \$1.50.

Henry Lisemer, of Saline, father of Editor L. J. Lisemer, of the Evening Times, Ann Arbor, died Tuesday aged 74 years. He was an old resident of the county and much respected.

The department of agriculture at Lansing issues the following crop bulletin for Washtenaw county: All vegetation has made good progress; oats have germinated finely; early potatoes planted; corn seeding begun; wheat looks poor and sickly.

The case of Findlay B. Whitaker plaintiff vs. Loren Babcock et al., of Chelsea, went over the term in the circuit court T. D. Kearney the plaintiff's attorney made affidavit to receiving letters from plaintiff that he was unable to appear at this time.

Mrs. Carrie A. Ingersoll, who fired the house in which she and her husband lived in Lansing and shipped their household goods to Chelsea so as to defraud the insurance company, was convicted in the Ingham county circuit court Monday afternoon.

Rev. E. E. Caster will lecture at the Congregational church next Monday evening, May 22, at 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Epworth League, for the benefit of the new M. E. church. His subject will be "From the new world to the old—London and Paris." He comes highly recommended. Admission, adults 15 cents, children 10 cents.

A man and his wife came to Chelsea Friday from Waterloo and when they arrived here found they had left their valise behind. He telephoned to have it brought over if it could be done before the train left. In just 40 minutes from the time he went into the telephone office John Collins, of Waterloo, delivered the satchel to him all right, having made the trip over on his wheel.

Final examinations for eighth grade or "common school diplomas" are announced by School Commissioner Lister to take place Saturday, May 27, at the following places: Ann Arbor, commissioner's office; Dexter high school, Chelsea high school, Manchester high school, Saline high school, Ypsilanti high school, Salem, district No. 3, Freedom, district No. 3, and Mooreville high school.

This is the way the Dexter Leader puts it: "In one of our churches last Sunday morning, by actual count, 39 ladies bowed their heads in prayer and on each bowed head hung a corpse. Yes, the corpse of a murdered bird. How much of life, joy, happiness and song went out with the murder of these innocent little songsters of God's own creation." And anyone attending church in Chelsea could have duplicated the above.

A peculiar case has turned up in the probate court in connection with the estate of the late William Martin, jr. When his father died he left William \$500 and \$500 to his daughter. William gave his mother a life use of the \$500 and subsequently died after having been married about six weeks. Somebody told her that she would have to pay his funeral expenses out of this money. She did so and has since been informed that she need not have done so. She has now filed a petition for an administration of his estate so that she may file a claim against it for the funeral expenses.

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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THEO. E. WOOD, Secretary.

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We can help you about your spring laundry work and do up the goods better and nicer than you, because we have better facilities. We redress Lace Curtains to look nearly like new, do Blankets, Flannellettes.

The Chelsea Steam Laundry.

Ribbon Sale

FANCY RIBBONS

Will be very much used this season for neckwear. We have just been able to get a lot of 59c to 75c Ribbons (that a wholesaler was closing out) which we shall place on sale at

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We also got some narrow Fancy Ribbons, which we shall sell at

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Worth double the asking price.

H. S. Holmes
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An Aermotor windmill and derrick for sale. In first class condition. Apply to H. S. Holmes 36tf

Toledo, O., May 16.—The formal work of preparing the grounds for the Ohio centennial will begin next week by the contractor, Mr. Hussey, of New York. The event will be celebrated with fitting ceremonies. The complete dredging of a harbor and other preparations will not be completed until October, 1900.

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France's New President.
President Loubet, the new president of France, is, if anything, calm, sane, a trifle bourgeois and utterly devoid of sense of importance. But there is a strong and irresistible will behind his bland face, and he looks like a man who would infuse into the French politics as much vigor and run-down French politics as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will infuse into the run-down system of anyone who uses it. It is an absolute cure for the worst of all stomach disorders.

Then She Felt Relieved.
"I felt sure the hero was going to be killed," she said, in describing the serial story to her best friend, "until I happened to think that the author was paid so much a word, and probably would not want to spoil a good thing."—Chicago Post.

What "Kalsomines" Are.
"Kalsomines" are cheap temporary preparations manufactured from chalks, clays, whitening, etc., and are stuck on the walls with decaying animal glue. They bear no comparison with Alabastine, which is a cement that goes through a process of setting, and hardens with age. Consumers, in buying Alabastine, should see that the goods are in packages and properly labeled. Nothing else is "just as good" as Alabastine. The claims of new imitations are absurd on their face. They cannot offer the test of time for durability.

The Giving of It.
Lesson—The bride was given away by her father.
Platt—And it was the newspapers, I believe, that gave the count away.—Philadelphia North American.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!
Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomachs receive it without distress. 14¢ the price of coffee. 15¢ and 25¢ per package. Sold by all grocers.

How to Get Rich.—"Some men," said Uncle Eben, "wouldn't hab no trouble 'bout gettin' rich ef dey held on as tight to de money dey earns as dey does to de money dey borrows."—Washington Star.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn?
Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tightest New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot, Callous, Sore, and Sweating Feet. All Druggists and Shoe Stores sell it. 25¢. Sample sent FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

"It takes a thief to catch a thief," and an honest man finds more good men in the world than a rascal would ever guess were there.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Lane's Family Medicine.
Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25¢ and 50¢.

Always Nimble.
There is no rest for money. Spendthrifts keep it going. Misers keep counting it.—N. O. Picayune.

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

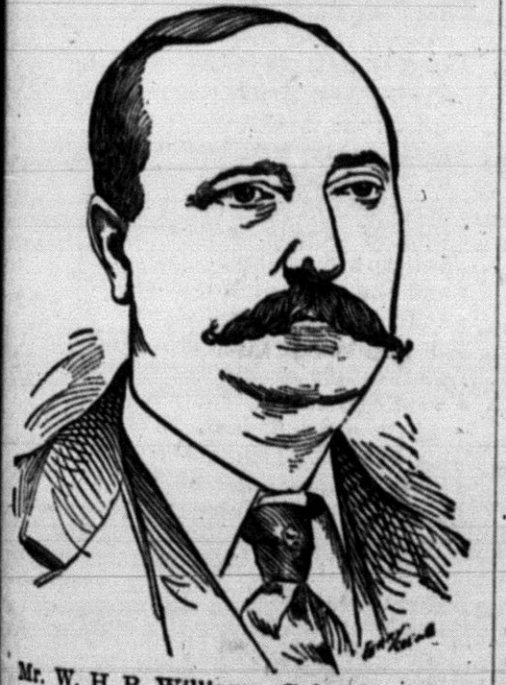
Nothing makes a man feel prouder than to be on time once, when he is naturally in the habit of being late.—Washington (La.) Democrat.

Beauty marred by a bad complexion may be restored by Glenn's Sulphur Soap. Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye, 50 cents.

It's a fowl trick for nature to make a pigeon-toed, duck-legged man chicken-hearted.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

I have found Piso's Cure for Consumption an unfailing medicine.—F. R. Lotz, 1305 Scott St., Covington, Ky., Oct. 1, 1894.

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Mr. W. H. B. Williams, Columbus, O.
W. H. B. Williams, publisher of The Farmers' Industrial Union, in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman says: "I have used Pe-ru-na as a family medicine for several years. I find it of especial use for myself. I have had several tedious spells with systematic catarrh and before using Pe-ru-na I had tried several other remedies with little or no success. But in Pe-ru-na I found a prompt and sure cure. I always keep the remedy which promptly relieves any attack of the same malady.
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LEFT ALL TO BROOKE.

Gen. Gomez Withdraws Aid in Paying the Cubans.

Forced to This Step by Strong Opposition of Other Leaders—Rumor That Gen. Brooke Has Yielded on the Arms Question.

Havana, May 16.—Gen. Maximo Gomez informed Gov. Gen. Brooke Monday that he must withdraw from the plan for distributing the \$3,000,000 appropriated to the payment of the Cuban troops to the extent that he will not name other commissioners to replace those originally named by him, who have refused to serve.

Gen. Gomez added that he had arrived at this decision with great reluctance and with the most friendly feelings toward Gen. Brooke personally and officially, but he felt he could no longer represent the Cuban army because a cabal, composed of many of the subordinate commanders, existed to oppose and, if possible, defeat the plans for partitioning the money.

Gen. Brooke expressed sympathy with Gen. Gomez and said he regretted the position he had taken; but, the American commander added, if his decision was unchangeable he would proceed to deal with the question alone.

Gov. Gen. Brooke is to go ahead with a new plan, Gomez remaining in an attitude of friendly inactivity. Gen. Brooke will issue an order for Cuban privates and noncommissioned officers to meet at specified places on specified dates to receive payment. They are to be accompanied by their company officers, for the purpose of identification. Both Gen. Gomez and the governor general feel that the privates ought not to lose their share in the American gratuity merely because the schemes of certain high officers in the Cuban army have interposed obstacles. The belief among the Americans is that the company officers will assist in this way. Gen. Brooke's order will be disseminated through the newspapers, placarded in the post offices and given the widest circulation practicable.

Monday afternoon Gen. Gomez wrote a history of his relation to the army payment question. It includes the correspondence that has passed between himself and the governor general, and it is intended to make his position clear to the public, and to contrast his conduct favorably with that of the other Cuban leaders.

Rumor That Brooke Has Yielded.

There is a rumor which has gained much credence to the effect that Gen. Brooke waived the hateful condition requiring the surrender of the insurgent arms to the American officials and assented to their delivery instead to the civil authorities of the districts in which the various commands are now stationed. The custody of these arms is the chief point of contention in the controversy which has arisen touching the manner of distributing the money. Whether the arms are to be given up or not is a question which the American military authorities evade for diplomatic or other reasons. The Cubans, and even Gen. Gomez' friends, say that the arms will be delivered to the various municipalities and kept by the respective mayors as trophies of the war for independence.

Will Need Careful Handling.

Washington, May 16.—High officials in the war department were reluctant to discuss the Cuban situation. The news was read with interest, but did not cause much surprise among army officers who are well informed about the Cubans, especially those who are known as "soldiers of fortune," and who have been bitterly disappointed because the island was not turned over to them immediately after the Spanish surrender. There is an impression also that the intention of Gen. Brooke to see that the \$3,000,000 are distributed among all the Cuban troops has caused disappointment among the many "generals" and other high officers who were evidently expecting to secure a large share of the money. The belief was expressed that the situation in Cuba is serious, and that careful and diplomatic management will be needed. It was stated that no orders would be issued to Gen. Brooke, as he had ample authority to deal with any situation which might arise. There seems to be a belief that Gen. Gomez has contributed to the delay in the payment of the money.

DEWEY WILL BE THERE.

Word Received That the Admiral Will Attend "Chicago Day" Ceremonies in Chicago October 9.

Chicago, May 16.—The committee in charge of the Chicago post office corner stone ceremonies has received word from Senator A. J. Beveridge, of Indiana, who is now at Hong-Kong, and to whom the committee had intrusted a special invitation to Admiral Dewey, announcing that the admiral would be here for "Chicago day," October 9. It was also announced that President Diaz, of Mexico, and Lord Minto, governor-general of Canada, would surely be present simultaneously with President McKinley.

REJECTS PEACE TERMS.

Filipino Junta Says Aguinaldo Declares He Will Continue the War.

London, May 16.—The Filipino junta here has received the following message from Aguinaldo, cabled from Hong-Kong under date of May 12:

"The Filipino government, in accordance with the general feeling of the country, has decided to continue the war at all costs until independence is secured."

"The Filipinos energetically refuse the American peace overtures, based on restricted autonomy coupled with promises of subsequent self-government."

"The Filipinos demand a strict fulfillment of the articles of the American constitution and treaties contracted by the American representatives when imploring a Filipino alliance in combating the Spaniards."

"All the Filipino generals support Aguinaldo. Gen. Luna's reported overtures for peace are untrue. Our army is near Manila, simultaneously attacking the whole American line."

"The heat and rains are causing many casualties in the American army. All the hospitals are crowded with sick and wounded. Four hundred of the Cincinnati regiment have been imprisoned by Gen. Otis for insubordination in refusing to fight. The regular troops quartered in Manila and other towns are quiet. The volunteers are abused and are always at the front, with scanty rations."

"The discontent between the Americans and Europeans is general."

New York, May 16.—A dispatch to the Herald from San Miguel, via Manila, says: It is said that Aguinaldo has fled into the province of Nueva Ecija. On April 29 he retreated by carriage from Balinag through San Isidro, and nothing has been heard from him in the two weeks since. The 5,000 Spanish prisoners who are reported to be held by the insurgents have been carried into a northern province and scattered among small garrisons. They are beyond American suzerainty this season unless a Filipino surrender takes place within three weeks. Five American prisoners were carried through this town last week. Their names are unknown.

Manila, May 16.—The New York Journal correspondent cables: Gen. Lawton's brigade advanced northward Monday morning and captured Ildefonso without resistance. After posting a guard at the town Gen. Lawton pushed on to San Miguel. The scouts in advance of Gen. Lawton's column were surprised as they approached the city by a fire opened upon them at a range of about 500 yards. Chief of Scouts Young and two privates were seriously wounded. The Minnesota regiment reinforced the scouts and charged the trenches, from which the Filipinos were firing, killing two captains and three lieutenants and wounding 27 of the enemy. The Filipinos retreated before the charging Americans, and Gen. Lawton occupied the city. In San Miguel were found 600 insurgents. Their arms had been secreted.

At the Front with Lawton's Column, San Miguel, May 14, via Manila, May 16.—The insurgent Gen. Gregorio del Pilar believes that he has been deserted by the Filipino government, and desires to surrender if he can secure what he regards as honorable terms from the Americans.

A WESTERN TOUR.

President McKinley Decides to Be Present at the Return of the Volunteers.

Hot Springs, Va., May 16.—It is the intention of President McKinley to be in the western states at the time of the return of the volunteers who have done heroic service in the Philippines. It is expected that the necessity for the retention of volunteers in the island of Luzon will not exist much longer, and when the volunteers reach their native states for muster out Mr. McKinley hopes to be there to greet and honor them. If the trip to the west, already planned, should not occur when the volunteers are returning another journey will be made to carry out this purpose. This action on the part of Mr. McKinley is forecasted in a dispatch sent to Senator Davis, of Minnesota, Monday by Representative Loren Fletcher, of that state. This dispatch says:

President McKinley has promised, if possible, to make a visit to Minneapolis and St. Paul this summer or fall, in connection with a western trip.

Mr. Fletcher came here to extend an invitation to visit St. Paul and Minneapolis, and the foregoing telegram shows the result of his visit.

The war department on Monday forwarded here advices from Gen. Otis stating that there now remain in the Philippines about 2,000 Spanish soldiers who must be returned to their homes by the United States in accordance with the terms of the treaty of peace. Information also was received of the situation in Cuba. Gen. Gomez, it is said here, is considered insincere in his dealings, and nothing unfavorable or disconcerting was announced.

Big Mills Change Hands.

St. Paul, Minn., May 16.—A West Superior, Wis., special to the Pioneer Press says: The United States Flour company assumed charge of six flouring mills in this city Monday, the filing of the deeds transferring the property being the final step towards putting the trust in control. The properties, which were a few days ago transferred from the mill companies to Thomas McIntyre, were transferred by McIntyre to the United States company for a consideration aggregating \$1,280,000.



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FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE
In the Great Grain and Grazing Belts of WESTERN CANADA and information as to how to secure them can be had on application to the DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Ottawa, Canada, or to J. H. BROUGHTON, 1233 Monadnock Bldg., Chicago, Ill.; T. O. CURRIE, Stevens Point, Wis.; M. V. MCINNES, No. 1 Merrill Bldg., Detroit, D. L. CAVEN, Bad Axe, and JAMES GRIFFIN, Mt. Pleasant, Mich.; N. BAR-THOLOMEW, 185 4th Street, Des Moines, Iowa; EVERETT & KANTZ, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Excursions to California
Burlington Route
Every week an organized party leaves from Chicago via Denver and Salt Lake, in charge of a special conductor. Pullman Tourist cars are used. They lack only the expensive finish of Palace cars, while the cost per berth is about one-third. Similar parties leave each week from St. Louis also. For particulars address T. A. GRADY, Excursion Manager, 211 Clark Street, Chicago.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. C. Winans is critically ill. Miss Kate Haarer spent Sunday in Detroit.

Harry Foster is very sick, with symptoms of appendicitis.

George H. Kempf spent Sunday at Base Lake with friends.

Walter H. Dancer, of Ann Arbor, was a Chelsea visitor Wednesday.

Miss J. W. Speer and Miss Lizzie Maroney were in Detroit Monday.

John Baumgardner, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea on business Tuesday.

Fred C. Mapes and D. Greenleaf were Manchester visitors on Sunday.

Adolph Eisen, of Detroit, spent Sunday with George Wackenhut and family.

George Parsons, of Grass Lake, was the guest of Mr and Mrs. J. L. Gilbert Sunday.

Austin and Clyde Yocum, of Manchester, were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Charles Seckinger, of Manchester, spent Monday with his brother Henry J. Seckinger.

Michael Holloway and wife, of Jackson, spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Rev. Chas. O. Reilly, of Adrian, was in Chelsea yesterday, at the McKune Staffan wedding.

Mrs. T. E. Wood spent Friday in Ann Arbor visiting her brother George Blaich and family.

Alva Steger, of Detroit, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Steger over Sunday.

Dr. Will A. Conlan, of Detroit, has been in town the last two days visiting friends and relatives.

E. A. Nordman, of Lima, was in Chelsea Monday on insurance business for the Washtenaw Mutual.

Mrs. William Yocum, of Manchester, is in town, called here by the sickness of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Winans.

Miss Nellie Bacon and Miss Lottie Steinbach were home from Ypsilanti Sunday visiting their respective parents.

A. A. Cookright, of Detroit, formerly in the grocery business here, has been visiting Chelsea friends since Monday.

V. D. Hueland, of Albion, is visiting relatives and friends here this week, and attended the McKune Staffan wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wurster, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Martin in Webster.

Rev C. S. Jones and family went to Charlotte Thursday to visit Mrs. Jones' parents. Mr. Jones returned home again Saturday.

Charles Steinbach and daughter, Miss Helen Steinbach, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Spring, of Ann Arbor, Saturday.

W. F. Riemenschneider, accompanied by George P. Glazier, went to St. Louis, Tuesday, where he will try what the baths will do to help him.

Rev W. L. B. Crist, of Bloomsburg, Pa., who has been a student for the past year and a half at the Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, is spending the month of May with Romeyn P. Chase and family, at their new home south of town. He was a warm associate of Rev. Stephen R. Chase, who died in November last.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Snyder and daughter, Miss Mattie and Henry Stimson, Miss Edith Congdon, Mrs. G. W. Palmer, D. Greenleaf, George A. Ward, Charles Steinbach and Fred C. Mapes were among those who attended the May Festival concert at University hall, Ann Arbor, the last three days of last week. All speak in the highest terms of praise of the excellence of the concert.

Markets.

Chelsea, May 18, 1899.

Eggs, per dozen	11c
Butter, per pound	13c
Oats, per bushel	30c
Corn, per bushel	20c
Wheat, per bushel	69c
Potatoes, per bushel	35c
Apples, per bushel	c
Onions, per bushel	40c
Beans, per bushel	80c



What is Celery King?

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Dr. R. S. Armstrong returned home Thursday from a business trip to Shia was e county. He made his whole journey with a team and carriage, and was driving almost constantly from Mon. day morning until Thursday noon.

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 May A. D. 1899, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Lucinda H. Goodrich, 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 18th day of November next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 14th day of August, and on the 13th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, May 13, A. D. 1899.
H. WIRT NEWKIRK,
Judge of Probate.

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 Matthias Schwikierath, 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 D. B. Taylor in the Village of Chelsea, in said County, on Friday the 28th day of July, and on Saturday the 29th day of October next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, April 28, 1899.
CHARLES NEUBERGER, 41
ROBERT SCHWIKIERATH, Commissioners.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

DEFAULT having been made in the payments of a certain mortgage made by Robert G. Barnes and Nettie E. Barnes, his wife, to Theodore J. DeForest and Carrie A. DeForest, his wife, dated the first day of April, 1898, and recorded in the Register's office of Washtenaw County, Michigan, on the 4th day of April, 1898, in liber 96 of mortgages, on page 548, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Nine Thousand and Twenty-two dollars and Fifty cents, (\$9,022.50), principal and interest, the mortgagee electing to consider the whole sum now due for the non payment of interest, and no suit at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the said amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 31st day of July next, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the south front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, that being the building in which the circuit court of said county of Washtenaw is held, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in said mortgage, to satisfy the amount of said mortgage, together with taxes, insurance and the costs of this foreclosure. The premises so to be sold are described as follows:

Beginning at the south-east corner of section 36, in town two south, range six east, and running thence north on the township line 8 chains and 50 links to a post, thence north 23 degrees and 40 minutes east along the north westerly line of land formerly deeded by Robert Geddes to Robert L. Geddes to a stake standing at the north-westerly corner of said Robert L. Geddes' land thence north easterly along the northerly line of said Geddes' land (now owned by D. C. Griffen), and the continuation of the same to the land of the Michigan Central Railroad Company, thence westerly along said railroad company's land to a point where the said railroad crosses the Huron river, thence southerly and westerly along the southerly line of said river to a point where said railroad crosses said lands on said section 36, Ann Arbor, thence along said railroad westerly to the center of the highway running north and south through said section 36, thence south on the quarter section line to the south line of section 36, thence east on said section line to the place of beginning. Also the north-east quarter of the south-west quarter of section 36, town two south, range six east, intending hereby to describe all the land owned by Robert G. Barnes and wife on section 31 in the township of Superior in said county of Washtenaw, and on section 36 in the township of Ann Arbor, in said county, (except one and one-half acres of land lying south of the highway running from Ypsilanti to Ann Arbor on the south-west corner of the north-east quarter of section 36 aforesaid), containing three hundred and fifty acres more or less.

Dated May 3, 1899.
THEODORE J. DEFOREST,
CARRIE A. DEFOREST,
Mortgagees.

W. D. HARRIMAN,
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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 28th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Ann Eliza Gorton, deceased. Arminda Francisco Gorton, the administratrix of said estate, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administratrix. Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 26th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said administratrix give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this Order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the 13th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Charles Karcher deceased. Charles G. Karcher executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor. Thereupon it is ordered that Friday, the 9th day of June, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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

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Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions thereof, there will be foreclosed a mortgage by sale of the mortgaged premises. Horace Carpenter and Ann Carpenter are the mortgagees. Mary E. Carpenter the mortgagor. Mortgage bears date September 6th, 1877, and was, on the 8th day of September, 1877 recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw county, Michigan, in liber 54 of mortgages, on page 249. Said mortgage was, on the 16th day of June, 1881, duly assigned by the said mortgagee to Catherine Boutell, and said assignment recorded in said Register's office, on the 13th day of July, in liber 7 assignment of mortgages, on page 180. At this date there is due on said mortgage One Thousand Seventeen and 60-100 Dollars. The mortgaged premises are described as follows: All that tract or parcel of land situate in the township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw county, Michigan, being part of the west half of the northwest quarter of section ten, beginning six chains and seventy five links north of the north bounds of the Central Railroad on the west line of said section ten, thence easterly parallel with the north line of said section four chains and forty eight links to land occupied by Patrick Carl, thence northerly along said Carl's line two chains and ninety nine links to land formerly owned by M. C. Parker, thence west four chains and forty-eight links parallel with the north line of said section, thence south along the west line of said section to place of beginning, containing one and 34-100 acres.

Said premises will be sold at Public Vendue to the highest bidder on the 5th day of June next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, standard time, at southerly front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, and all legal costs.

Dated February 23, 1899.
CATHERINE BOUTELL,
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Mortgage Foreclosure.

DEFAULT having been made in the payments of a certain mortgage made by Ludwig Wuertth and Lydia Wuertth his wife, to Magdalena Kapp, dated the 3rd day of July, 1895, and recorded in the Register's office of Washtenaw county, Michigan, in liber 90 of mortgages, on page 256, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, (the mortgagee electing to consider the whole amount of said mortgage due for the non-payment of interest the sum of two thousand four hundred and forty-seven and 83-100 dollars (\$2,447.83), and no suit at law or in equity having been instituted for the collection of said amount or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 22nd day of July next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the east front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor (that being the building where the circuit court of said county is held), there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder thereof the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of said mortgage, taxes, insurance and the costs of this foreclosure.

The premises so to be sold are described as follows: Beginning at a point on the section line of the west side of the north-west quarter of section 31, in town two south, range 6 east, in said county, 5 chains and 52 links north of the quarter stake, thence north on said section line 4 chains and 50 links, thence east parallel with the quarter line 44 chains and 4 links, being 16 rods east of the quarter line of said section, thence south 4 chains and 50 links; thence westerly parallel with the quarter line 44 chains and 52 links to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres more or less. Also, beginning at the west line of said section 31, 27 chains and 4 links north of the quarter post, thence east along the north line of the above described land 44 chains and 44 links thence north 2 chains and 26 links, thence west parallel with the first line 44 chains and 44 links to the west line of said section, thence south 2 chains and 26 links to place of beginning, containing 10 acres more or less. Also, the north half of the north half of the south half of the east half of the southeast quarter of section 36 in said township.

Dated, April 26, 1899.
MAGDALENA KAPP,
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