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PLAYTIME'S PAST

School begins in a few days and the boys will again take up their studies.

How well we are provided for their wants in proper wearing apparel a visit to our store alone will tell—for we cannot in this small space—the styles are too varied, the values too great.

Larger and Grander than Ever Before

Is the display of up-to-date, ready to wear merchandise, and at prices that are calculated to please the most economical parents.

Come and look. We want you to compare our prices with those of other stores.

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NEW ARRIVALS

—AT—

THE CORNER STORE.

New Fall Styles in Men's Fedora Hats,

In Pearls, Beach, Brown and other shades.

New Fall Styles in Men's Stiff Hats,

In Blacks and Browns.

New Fall Styles and Shapes in Neckwear.

New Fall Styles and Shapes in the PURITAN Men's Shoes,

Best Shoes for \$3.50 on earth, in Patent Leather, Enamel, Tan, Calf, Etc. Ask to see them.

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WE OPEN OUR ELEVATOR

—ON—

Tuesday, September 19,

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WHEAT

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WHEAT

Should the largest load be not up to grade it will be docked from 70 cents proportionately.

Bring in your Wheat and make a few Extra Dollars.

On and after our opening we will be in the market for All Kinds of Grain at the highest market price.

Don't fail to see us before selling.

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A WELL EARNED PROMOTION.

George A. Gilbert Made Assistant Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service.

George A. Gilbert, of Ann Arbor, brother of James L. Gilbert, of Chelsea, has received a well merited promotion in the United States postal service, he having been appointed assistant superintendent at large of the railway mail service.

The appointment came to Mr. Gilbert last week through the regular channel. The commission is dated August 30, and accompanying it was a letter from General Superintendent of the Railway Mail Service James E. White, stating that it was the desire of the department that the new appointee report to that office in Washington as soon as he could "consistently do so without embarrassment to the service." A letter from George W. Pepper, superintendent of the ninth division of the railway mail service, advised him to report at once, so Mr. Gilbert went to Washington and reported for duty Monday.

The position to which Mr. Gilbert has been appointed is a comparatively new one in the service, having been created less than two years ago. There are fifteen assistant superintendents at large, and they work under the immediate direction of the second assistant postmaster general's office. The duties of the position are to inspect the star routes, steam ship service, messenger service and other special work demanded by the department. The salary is \$1,600 a year and an allowance of \$4 a day for traveling expenses.

George A. Gilbert is a type of the self-made man. He is 54 years of age now, but ever since his 13th year he has been dependent upon his own resources to gain a livelihood. He was born in Livingston county, Mich., but most of his life was spent in Ann Arbor, whither his family moved while he was still young. An abbreviated public school education in the University city was followed by a few years' clerkship in a clothing store. From this position he entered the railway mail service. This move was made 24 years ago.

He has been in the railway mail service about 25 years, and has risen from the ranks. He served as a clerk on the New York and Chicago fast mail for five years. He was then transferred to the Michigan Central, between Detroit and Chicago where he remained for nine years, when he was promoted June 1, 1889, to the chief clerkship of the ninth division, which he held until his recent promotion.

Mr. Gilbert is very popular among the 170 clerks that report to him, his gentlemanly manner and never failing courtesy having secured for him the friendship of all. He is a prodigious worker and his elevation to his new post comes to one who has earned it well and faithfully. During the ten years that he has been chief clerk he has not been absent from his place of duty thirty days, including days of illness and holidays.

Although Washington will be Mr. Gilbert's headquarters, he will retain his present residence at Ann Arbor, where his wife and daughter make their home.

M. E. Church Assignments.

The M. E. conference, which has just closed its session in Detroit, has made the following assignments for the Ann Arbor district:

Presiding elder, E. W. Ryan; Ann Arbor, B. L. McElroy; Chelsea, J. I. Nickerson; Dexter, H. W. Hicks; Dixboro, Howard A. Field; Dundee, Hartley Canfield; Grass Lake, Franklin Bradley; Hudson, Dwight H. Ramsdell; Leoni, Reuben Emery; Manchester and Sharon, D. L. Shier; Milan, F. O. Jones; Monroe, William J. Balmer; Munith, A. Wood; Pinckney, Chas. Simpson; Ridgeway, D. H. Yokom; Saline, Frank E. Dodds; Stockbridge, S. R. Williams; Stony Creek, Henry J. B. Marsh; Waterloo, Horace Palmer; Whitmore Lake and Hamburg, F. E. Pierce; Ypsilanti, C. T. Allen.

Have Compromised Their Suits.

The damage suit in the circuit court brought by Stowell Wood against Eugene B. Freer to recover \$5,000 for defamation of character has been discontinued. On Thursday last the parties got together and compromised the matter. Freer withdraws a suit he had brought against Wood in Justice Parker's court to have him put under bonds to keep the peace and Wood withdraws his suit against Freer in the circuit court. Each party pays his own costs incurred in the cases.

Eat Lunch at Barker's.

BAPTIST CHURCH RECEPTION.

A Hearty Welcome to the New Pastor Rev. Frank A. Stiles.

The reception tendered by the members of the Baptist church to their new pastor, held at the church last evening was in every way a very pleasant one and was largely attended by the good people of Chelsea irrespective of creed. The welcome to Mr. Stiles was warm and hearty, and if it is any augury of a successful ministry his will surely be a most successful one.

After a period of introductions and visiting George E. Davis called the gathering to order and Mr. Jay Everett opened the program with prayer. Then followed addresses of welcome by Nathaniel Laird on behalf of the church and the B. Y. P. U., Rev. J. I. Nickerson on behalf of the clergy of Chelsea, Mrs. R. P. Chase for the Women's Home and Foreign Mission and Aid Societies, and President George P. Staffan on behalf of the village. To all of these Mr. Stiles responded in a very pleasing, hearty and heartfelt manner, expressing his appreciation for the kind words spoken.

Ice cream and cake were then served and after another period of visiting the company gradually dispersed.

AFTER THE TAX DODGERS.

The Register of Deeds Must Make Returns of All Deeds Recorded.

The tax commission blanks which are to unearth the tax dodgers have been received at the register of deeds office, and Register Cook or Deputy Creech will now have to go over all the deeds received for record for June 1, 1898, to June 1, 1899, and make answers to the following questions:

1. In what liber found.
2. Upon what page.
3. The name of the grantor.
4. The name of the grantee.
5. The consideration.
6. The town or city.
7. The number of the ward.
8. The number of the town as per survey.
9. The number of the range as per survey.
10. Description of the property.
11. Remarks.

Then the county treasurer will have to place on the blanks for comparison the assessed valuation of the property during the years 1890, 1894 and 1898.

This means a great deal of extra work for the register of deeds office for which there is no provision made for remuneration.

Miller-Liebeck.

A very pleasant wedding occurred at St. Mary's church Tuesday morning when Miss Alice Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob P. Miller, of Sylvan, was married to Mr. John F. Liebeck. The ceremony was performed by the pastor Rev. W. P. Considine, who celebrated a solemn high mass. During the ceremony Mr. Louis Burg sang "Ave Maria" in a very beautiful manner. The bride was attended by her sister Miss May Agnes Miller, while Mr. Joseph Liebeck, a brother of the groom, acted as best man.

A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents at noon, after which a reception followed. The wedding presents were many and quite handsome.

Mr. and Mrs. Liebeck left on the 3:15 p. m. train for Detroit where they will make a brief visit. On their return they will go to housekeeping on the Joseph Webber farm in Sylvan, which Mr. Liebeck has rented for a term of years.

New Form Domestic Money Order.

The post office department has adopted a new form of domestic money order, which will be introduced gradually, or as supplies of the old form become exhausted at the various post offices throughout the country. Its dimensions are about those of the ordinary bank draft. Its color is blue. The receipt, which is to be furnished by the issuing postmaster to the remitter showing the number and date of the order and the amount for which issued, will be greatly appreciated by the public.

Detroit which has been dubbed "The model office" was honored by being selected as the office to receive Book No. 1 of the new issue. It will be some time before the new issue reaches the Chelsea post office.

It is expected that on or about Jan. 1 next the fee charged for orders will be materially reduced.

Fresh Oysters at Barker's.

The Bank Drug Store

WILL YOU

PAPER

THIS

FALL?

Come and see us, we will show you a large stock and interesting prices.

We Are Selling

18 lbs Fine Granulated Sugar for \$1

36 boxes Parlor Matches for 25c.

8 cakes Jaxon Soap for 25c.

Pure Bicarbonate of Soda 6c a lb.

Best Sal Soda 3c a lb.

NEW CLOCKS.

Glazier & Stimson.

FOR FALL WEAR

We are showing the largest and finest line of stylish hats for street wear that we have ever carried.

We have all

The Latest Styles

and

Novelties in Colorings.

Come in and see them.

MILLER SISTERS.

Oysters. Oysters.

New York Selects

and Blue Points

Served as you like them or for sale at

Barker, the Baker's,

West Middle Street.

SEPTEMBER—1899.

Calendar table for September 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

DOMESTIC.

Domestic news including the first national convention of the Young People's Christian Temperance union, Joe Patchen's race, and various local incidents.

Continuation of domestic news, including reports on the schooner Gen. Hardcastle, the schooner Gen. Hardesty, and various accidents and events.

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Advertisement for 'Circumstances Alter Cases' featuring Hood's Sarsaparilla and Carter's Ink, with a portrait of a woman.

DARLING.

So oft, my friend, you speak of her, It bids my inner being stir. And who is darling, this I pray?— A sunny child, a bud of May.

Ah no! I see it is in truth, A maiden in the growth of youth, As lovely as a morn in June.

My darling is not thus, ah no! Her eye it hath no lustrous glow, Her brow bears marks of age and care.

These marks of beauty, friend, are such, Not age nor sense, but heart that touch; They tell me in a little while.



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CHAPTER XVI. FRIEND OR FOE.

I used to sup alone in my rooms, occasionally asking St. Armande to join me; and after supper we dined together for an hour or so, for very small points.

"Three hundred of them, cavalieri!" he said; "I won them from Fabrizio Colonna, who is looking green with rage. If your purse is running short, they are at your service."



He was an infant at the game.

would waste your time here, as you appear to be doing. I understood you to say you had never seen a sword drawn in earnest as yet—and your mustache is grown! Take my advice. Play no more for gold pieces with Colonna or anyone else.

"Ah! that is good," he said; "and why does the grave and reverend Cavaliere Donati waste his time here, hanging at the heels of a churchman, and moping o' nights like an owl on a ruined wall, instead of stirring the times himself with the point of his sword?"

With any other I would have been annoyed; with the youth before me I was slightly amused, and at the same time a trifle surprised. Hitherto he had appeared so shy and reserved, and now, of a sudden, he had thrown this off, and had put on an air which I had not noticed before, but which became him vastly. I set it down to the fact that perhaps he was slightly warmed with wine, having apparently absolved himself from his vow; al-

though of course I did not appear to notice this last, as he was in a manner my guest. I therefore made reply:

"My reasons for my action, cavalieri, are good, and when the time comes I promise you I shall not be found sleeping."

The gentle reproof in my words seemed to bring him back to his old self, for by the light of the candles I observed him flush scarlet, and that curious look which recalled a strange resemblance to some one I knew, but could not remember, came over his features.

"Take me with you." He asked this almost in a tone of entreaty, keeping his eyes away from me, however, and nervously twisting at his mustache.

"Very well. Only you must be prepared to start at a moment's notice, and there will probably be hard riding and hard fighting, and there is yet another thing."

"What is that?" "You must come as a simple volunteer, and must make no inquiry as to what the business is on which I am engaged."

"After that he retired, it being late. I saw him across the courtyard as far as his apartments, and then, returning to my rooms, unconsciously took the chair St. Armande had vacated."

"Like lightning—a suspicion of treachery came on me. The man had been pretending to drink. With what object? I could not make out. Was the offer of the money a blind? Perhaps so, and if then? I had been a fool to agree to his joining me, with that sour-looking abbe of his. Yes, I had been a fool, but it was lucky I discovered my own folly in time."

"He came and stood, bolt upright, next to my chair, without saying a word. I knew from this that he had some request to make, some favor to ask, as otherwise he would not have hesitated to make play with his tongue at once."

"What is it, Jacopo?" He shifted uneasily from one foot to the other, and then replied: "Your excellency, I want leave."

"Leave! What for? You are not going to be married, are you?" "Heaven and the saints forbid, excellency. No—it is not that, it is only leave for the day I want, and also for our men."

"The devil! What are you going to do?" "Only a little dinner, excellency, which I am giving."

"And wasting those crowns you got the other day. Well, that is your affair, not mine. Yes, you can have the leave."

"Mind you, there must be no brawling, no trouble." "Well, good night, and remember what I say. Here, you may remove this wine-cup as you go."

"Good night, signore," and Jacopo, lifting the goblet, went out. The night being fairly warm, I kept my door open, and as he passed into the portico I saw him drain the contents of the goblet with a gulp, and heard him draw his lips together with a smack of approval, and march off to his quarters, chuckling at something or other.

"The following afternoon I rode out with Bayard and half a dozen others. It was a hawking party, and there was a long gallop to our point of operation, which was to begin a little way beyond Ponte Molle."

"Do you think so?" I said; "he strikes me as being effeminate to a degree—and yet I cannot help liking him."

"He has a wonderful pure mind," said Bayard; "the boy, for he is no less, is as innocent as a child."

"The vatican will not improve him then, especially if he plays for gold crowns with Colonna."

"Plays for gold crowns!" exclaimed Bayard; "you are surely mistaken, cavalieri."

"By this time the others came up, and we said no more. As we went back to Rome, I dropped a little behind, reflecting on what Bayard had told me. I was certain that St. Armande had lied to me, and I began to feel sure he had done this not for my good. In short, it seemed to me that this innocent-looking boy, with his shy, re-

tiring manners and apparent want of knowledge of the world, was nothing more nor less than an accomplished actor. Then again he was a Frenchman, and how came he, obviously fresh from France, to become an agent of the Medici plotters, for so I put him down to be? There were the letters from Mme. de la Tremouille, his introductions were unimpeachable, the cardinal believed in him—the whole thing was contradictory. Above all, there was my strong personal liking for St. Armande. In his presence I never felt that secret warning which all men feel when they are with an enemy. I have never known it fail with me, and with St. Armande there was no such warning, no such silent signal which goes straight from soul to soul. On the contrary, I felt he was almost more than friendly towards me, and I felt, in my turn towards him, despite our short acquaintance, very nearly the same protective feeling that one has towards a defenseless child. As may be imagined, I was in no very comfortable frame of mind about this, and rode back silently, revolving the point. When we reached the palace, almost the first person I met was St. Armande, and as I dismounted he came up to me with a cordial greeting, and asked:

"Well, cavalieri, good sport, I trust?" "Very," I replied, shortly, and then looked him straight in the face as I added: "Do you intend to give the Colonna his revenge to-night?"

"Something in my tone caught him, he met my eyes for a moment, then dropped his gaze, and looked towards the ground. We stood thus before each other for a little time before he replied, and his voice was almost inaudible."

"Perhaps—I am not sure," he added, with an effort. I was standing, holding Castor's reins; but as he spoke I handed the horse over to a groom, and linking my arm in St. Armande's, said, loudly, and with a tone of affected gaiety:

"You missed a great ride, cavalieri—come take a turn with me in the garden."

He yielded passively, and in a few steps we had crossed the courtyard and were in a secluded portion of the palace gardens that was called the Lemon walk. This I may add was subsequently improved out of existence by the architect, in the course of completion of the palace and grounds. When we reached this point, I unslipped my arm, and, turning round, faced St. Armande, having resolved to end my suspicions."

"See here, cavalieri," I said, "I am playing for heavy stakes, I am walking on dangerous ground, and must know where I put my feet, will you answer a plain question? Are you friend or foe?"

He looked round in a helpless sort of way, his color coming and going, but said nothing. Was it possible the man was a coward?

"If you do not reply," I said, "I will take the risk, and treat you as an enemy, do you hear? You lied to me when you said last night you had played at the vatican with Colonna—now draw." I pulled out my weapon, and stood before him, expecting every instant to see his rapier in his hands; but he stood absolutely still, his head hanging down.

"Man," I said; "have you not heard? Am I to think you a coward as well as a liar?" "How dare you say that!" he burst out. "You—you of all men—Oh! what am I saying? Yes, I did not play with Colonna; but I thought you were hard pressed for money, and—invented the fiction, thinking that perhaps—"

"That perhaps I would accept your winnings over the gambling table, rather than the offer of a friend. You do me much honor, cavalieri."

"You wrong me, Savelli—nay, start not. I know your name and story, and, before heaven, I say I am your friend."

"You know me!" "Yes, I am working for you; come, put by your sword. Look at me! Do I look like an enemy?"

He had recovered himself, and met my gaze fearlessly. Where could I have seen that face before? I drew my hand over my forehead as if to sweep the cobwebs from my memory, but with no avail.

"Well," he went on, with a smile, "do I look like an enemy? If I do, your sword is ready. Strike now, it will be quick ridance; come!"

I put back my sword with a snap. "I do not understand, but I accept your explanation."

He held out his hand frankly. "That is right, and you will still let me be your comrade?"

I took his grasp. "Yes, if you wish it."

We walked back together in silence, and on reaching the courtyard St. Armande said: "I am afraid I have fallen much in your esteem."

"My esteem, cavalieri, is at present of no value to man or woman."

"Do you think so?" he said, and then, rapidly: "Adieu for the present; remember, I hold you to your word that you think me a friend."

"He never struck me as a man to run after the ladies," I said.

"No," replied the abbe, "but it is the other way. You would stand no chance against him, cavalieri, for all your long mustache—a thousand thanks," and the genial Le Clerc seized the flagon of Orvieto I passed to him, and filled his goblet.

After this the conversation changed, and I shortly retired to my apartments and, dismissing my lackey, sat down to read a book on falconry that the cardinal had lent me. I had not been occupied thus for an hour when the door opened, and Jacopo cautiously peeped in. He withdrew his head on catching my eye, and I heard him shuffling outside.

"Come in," "Excellency," and the sound of further shuffling, but no Jacopo. I lost patience at this, and fearing at the same time that there had been trouble, repeated my order to come in sharply. This had the desired effect; but as soon as my benchman appeared in view I made certain there had been a brawl. He was very red in the face, and from under the helmet he wore I could see a white bandage.

"What the devil does this mean, Jacopo?" I asked, sternly. "I have come to report, excellency."

"You hardly appear in a fit state to do so."

"Perfectly fit, excellency," and Jacopo drew himself up to attention and saluted. "Is the matter of importance? For, if not, you had better come to-morrow."

"Yes, your excellency—matter of importance. By your worship's leave, as you are aware, I gave a dinner to-day, and we had—"

"Never mind what you had; to the point."

"Boiled meat with sauce, sausages with garlic, a risotto alla Milanese—"

"I do not care what you had—go on, fool."

"I am going on, excellency. Where was I—a risotto did I say? And bread made with yeast. And for drink, signore—"

"I doubt not you had store of that, Jacopo."

"But a dozen flagons or so of wine, your worship—all rosso."

"Jacopo—you will be good enough to retire at once."

"I am retiring, excellency; but my report."

"Will do for to-morrow."

"As your worship desires; but we have burnt the inn."

"What?" "The inn, where we rested the day of our arrival in Rome, your worship. What with one thing and another, the landlord footed up his bill to four crowns. And I said to my friends: 'What are honest soldiers to pay like this?' Whereat there was trouble, excellency; but we came off best."

I rose without a word, and seizing Jacopo by the neck, ejected him from the room, with, I am sorry to say, very considerable violence.

Cursing myself for my folly in having been so generous, I banged the door after him, and returned to my book. I could not, however, read, for my mind was full of the consequences that might arise from this mad freak of my followers, and I determined to seek out the cardinal the next day, and obtain his permission to move out of Rome to some quieter spot, and there await his instructions. Amidst it all, however, I could not help being pleased at the thought that retributive justice had overtaken the scoundrel tavern-keeper, the memory of whose bed made me shudder. I had no doubt that Jacopo was speaking the truth, and that, even as he spoke, the flames were sputtering merrily above that den of thieves.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Setting the Boy's Career.

An old Dutchman had a beautiful boy, of whom he was very proud, and he decided to find out the bent of his mind. He adopted a very novel method by which to test him. He slipped into the little fellow's room one morning and placed on his table a Bible, a bottle of whisky and a silver dollar.

"Now," said he, "even dot-boy comes in, ef he dakes dot dollar, he's goin' to be a beesniz man; ef he dakes dot Bible, he'll be a breacher; ef he dakes dot whisky, he's no goot—he's goin' to be a drunkart," and he hid behind the door to see which his son would choose.

NOT BUYING ARMS.

Joubert Says Transvaal Government is Making No Purchase—Only Desire is for Peace.

Pretoria, Sept. 12.—Commander General Joubert denies that the war department is ordering heavy ordnance and rifles. He declares that he is anxious for the preservation of peace.

The tension remains high, pending the receipt of Mr. Chamberlain's dispatch. It is asserted on excellent authority that the Transvaal government, with a view of keeping the mining industry going, has decided to protect it in every possible way. As a first step the government has notified the rand companies that their men will receive protection as long as they remain peaceful, and should war unfortunately occur the men will be given a reasonable time to leave the country if they desire.

Pretoria, Sept. 12.—Excitement prevails here pending the decision of the cabinet. Secretary of State Reitz has left this city for Johannesburg and Cape Town. The likelihood of war is much discussed. The coming of British troops is not regarded as meaning certain war, but merely as making up for the paucity of troops in South Africa, much commented upon during the past month.

London, Sept. 12.—The Times, in an evidently inspired article, intimates that Great Britain will make fresh demands on the Transvaal republic, as follows:

- 1. The Boer government will be expected to pay expense of recent negotiations, including dispatch of troops to the cape. 2. Great Britain's suzerainty must be acknowledged in plainer terms. 3. The Transvaal must give assurances that no fresh claims for independence shall be made in the future.

Cape Town, Sept. 12.—Four trains containing refugees from Johannesburg have arrived here. Four hundred refugees have also arrived at Durban.

During the past week the relief committee at Johannesburg assisted 2,000 cases of distress reported throughout the Transvaal.

London, Sept. 12.—The activity in the war and admiralty offices continues, though there is nothing new regarding the Transvaal situation.

It is said that orders have been sent to America for light iron girders and bridging sections for probable use in South Africa.

Transporters are moving to the docks, preparatory to embarking troops.

TO TALK OF TRUSTS.

All Sides of the Important Question Will Be Discussed at the Conference in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Trusts and combinations will be on trial from ten a. m. Wednesday until next Saturday evening in Central Music hall. It is expected that more than 200 political economists, statesmen, labor leaders, lawyers and successful business men will conduct the suit. Papers covering both sides and all features of the great question will be read, discussed and commented upon. It is now admitted by politicians throughout the country that the trust problem faces both parties, and is a political issue for the campaign of 1900. But the promoters of this conference, which has been conceived and planned out by the Civic federation of Chicago, say they have been careful to eliminate all semblance of political schemes from it. They declare that the leaders of thought who have been invited to participate will strip the trust problem of everything sentimental and theoretical and will consider it purely as an economical question.

W. J. Bryan is coming, and will hold the center of the stage long enough to present what arguments he may have against conditions that have made it possible for trusts to be formed and live. The Civic federation promises that every variety of opinion shall be heard, every interest represented.

When the arguments are all in and the case is summed up, then the general public to judge of the result. Whether the conference will reach that point where it may take a stand and pronounce on the results of and remedies for trusts is at present uncertain. The federation officers do not even undertake to predict. They say that a committee on resolutions, to report some sort of expression, undoubtedly will be appointed.

Suffocated in a Well.

Cincinnati, Sept. 12.—Two members of the fire department and a child of four years were killed by gases in a vault Monday afternoon. Monroe Dent, aged four, fell into the vault in the rear of his father's house in Clinton street, and the fire department was appealed to for aid. Thomas Bland and Harry Heinsheimer responded with a ladder, and, descending, were suffocated by the gases. Their bodies were recovered, as well as that of the child.

Will Extend Its Line.

Milwaukee, Sept. 12.—A Sentinel special from Oconto, Wis., says: From a well-known railway official it was learned Monday that the Illinois Central Railway company has practically decided to extend its line from Madison to Fond du Lac, thus extending the plan to make Fond du Lac a big railway center.

But He Kept on Talking.

Biggs—When it comes to absence of mind, that barber across the way scoops the pot.

Diggs—Why, what has he been doing? "I went into his shop to get my hair cut this morning, and he pinned a newspaper around my neck and gave me a towel to read."—Chicago Evening News.

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The state tax commissioners are in the upper peninsula on business. They should find plenty of work hunting out the low taxed copper mines to keep them busy.

The Manchester Enterprise last week commenced its 33d year of publication. The Enterprise has been in the hands of the Blossers, father and son, since its foundation, and has always been a good paper. The Herald wishes Mr. Blosser a full measure of well merited success.

Two hundred and two mortgages have been discharged at the register of deeds office for this county during this year up to the close of business Sept. 6, beating the record for last year up to that time. Last year 800 mortgages in all were discharged, but this year the number will run up to 1,000. This is a good evidence of prosperity under a Republican administration.

The new pension law provides that half the money received by pensioners may be set aside for the support of the family, upon the application by the wife of the pensioner before a justice of the peace or authorized court. This would be a good provision for many wives to follow up, especially in cases where the husband is in the habit of spending for drink a large share of the money a grateful country gives him to support himself and family.

The Ypsilanti Commercial, which has been balancing as an independent newspaper under its present management, has finally lost its balance and tumbled over into the Democratic fold. Its editor last week announced that "after mature deliberation it had responded affirmatively to the petition of the Democratic city committee and other leading Democrats of the community" and will in future be the established organ of the Democratic party in Ypsilanti.

The Dreyfus court martial farce at Rennes, France, ended Saturday as it was generally expected it would in the conviction of the unfortunate scapegoat of the "honor" of the French army, and he was sentenced to 10 years' imprisonment. Such a gross travesty on justice, with its mass of intrigues, impressions, opinions, suggestions and insinuations introduced and used as evidence against its victim, receives the righteous condemnation of the whole civilized world, and will in due time bring home its fruits to the men who have been implicated in bringing it about. Truth is mighty and will ultimately prevail, but it is hard to know that the poor prisoner of Devil's Island, broken down in health from the cruel treatment he has already received, must be again imprisoned for the misdeeds of others.

It takes a severe matrimonial frost to kill the orange blossoms used in making Rocky Mountain Tea. Made by Madison Medicine Co. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Letter List.

Following are the letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Chelsea, Sept. 9, 1899:

- Mr. J. E. Huston.
 - Fred Huston.
 - Mrs. Mary Wordner.
- Persons calling for any of the above please say "advertised."

W. F. RIEMENSCHNEIDER, P. M.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25 cents at any drug store, and at Glazier & Stimson's Bank Drug Store.

LOCAL ITEMS.

All the merchants have signed an agreement to close their stores at 7:30 o'clock in the evening after Oct. 1.

H. S. Holmes is shipping the balance of his wool purchases, amounting to 185,000 pounds, to Boston parties.

St. Anthony's school for feeble-minded girls will be opened for the reception of pupils at Nazareth P. O., Kalamazoo county, Mich., Oct. 1. It is under the management of the Catholic Sisterhood.

Rev. Seth Reed, the best known Methodist minister in Michigan, was married at Flint last evening to Miss Nettie Andrews. Mr. Reed is 80 years old and his bride 35. His first wife has been dead a year.

The Staffan-Shell Furniture Co. has been dissolved by the retirement of D. Shell from the firm. His interest has been purchased by the old firm and the business will again sail under the name of the Staffan Furniture and Undertaking Co., composed of Frank and George P. Staffan.

State Oil Inspector Judson says there will be no more accidents in Michigan from the use of kerosene oil that is not up to standard, if the most rigid care and precautions on the part of his department can prevent it. He has issued instructions to all his deputies in the state that they must test the oil in all storage tanks in their districts once in every two or three days, to make sure that no gasoline has been mixed with it, and that at frequent intervals they must test samples from the tank wagons for the same purpose.

Strayed from my premises in Chelsea, a black mare, 11 years old. Return to me or leave information that will lead to her recovery and receive reward.

SAM MOHRLOCK.

You'll never get tired, fagged out, disappointed, unhappy, or make mistakes in marriage if you use Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

Opinions by the Attorney General.

Attorney General Oren decides that a township board may fix the bond of a liquor seller at any sum between \$3,000 and \$5,000, but that such board cannot arbitrarily refuse to approve a good bond or suppress a saloon by any other arbitrary action.

The attorney general says that any person who manufactures or disposes of intoxicating liquors is subject to the provisions of the liquor law, and that a bar is a saloon, whether it be in a hotel or elsewhere.

Other opinions are to the effect that villages organized under the general law may provide that all sidewalks constructed in the villages shall be either stone or cement; and that after the school board has estimated and voted the amount necessary for the support of the school the board may borrow the money required.

Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything, and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at Glazier & Stimson's Bank Drug Store. Every bottle guaranteed.

Olive Chapter, O. E. S., Election.

At the annual election of officers of Olive Chapter, O. E. S., held last evening the following were elected for the ensuing year:

- Worthy Matron—Mrs. H. S. Holmes.
- Worthy Patron—Roland Waltrous.
- Associate Matron—Mrs. Ruth Waltrous.
- Secretary—Mrs. R. S. Armstrong.
- Treasurer—Mrs. John Cook.
- Conductress—Mrs. S. G. Bush.
- Associate Conductress—Mabel Gillam.
- Chaplain—Mrs. M. Boyd.
- Adah—Mrs. Blanchard.
- Ruth—Mrs. C. W. Maroney.
- Esther—Lizzie Hammond.
- Martha—Ethel Cole.
- Electa—Mrs. W. W. Gifford.
- Organist—Helen Steinbach.

To Village Water Consumers.

Owing to the inadequate water supply it will be necessary to change the hours for its use for lawn and street purposes as follows: From 6 to 8 a. m. and from 6 to 8 p. m. Any person or persons violating the above rule will have their water supply cut off immediately.

Chelsea, Aug. 17, 1899.

By ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

By special arrangement made with the publishers of the Farm Journal we are enabled to offer a 5-year subscription to that paper to every new subscriber who pays for the Chelsea Herald one year ahead; and the same offer is made to every old subscriber who will pay all back dues and one year in advance—both papers for the price of the Herald only.

He Wanted a Wife Badly.
"Prof." William Bress, who has had a variable existence in Ann Arbor for the past few years as a manufacturer of flavoring extracts, etc., lately developed the matrimonial advertising craze. He received two answers to his ads which particularly impressed him, and in order to obtain money to reach the object of his choice he asked his partner, Wm. A. Sturgeon, to let him have \$75. Meeting with a refusal he took a good half of the firm's effects and after staying around Ann Arbor for two or three days he left for Ainger, Ohio, last Thursday where the young woman resided.

House, Lot and Household Goods at Auction.

Having decided to go with my family back to Ireland to live I will sell at public auction my household goods, house and two acres of land, Saturday, Sept. 23, 1899, at 2 p. m. Terms cash.

OWEN MURPHY, Chelsea.

Paring Apples Wanted.

We want 20,000 bushels of good apples delivered at our evaporator works at Chelsea.

J. L. GILBERT & Co.

Harvest Home Festival.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church and the Epworth League will give their annual harvest home festival at the town hall, Wednesday, Sept 20, afternoon and evening. A large and varied assortment of fancy articles will be offered for sale during the afternoon and what goods are left unsold will be disposed of at auction after supper. A hot supper will be served from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. Admission to hall 10 cents, supper 15 cents. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to attend. Liberal donations for the festival will be appreciated by the ladies.

Eat Lunch at Barker's.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, Ohio, after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the World; 25 cents a box. Sold at Glazier & Stimson's Bank Drug Store.

Teachers' Examinations 1899-1900.

Teachers' examinations for Washtenaw county during 1899 and 1900 will be held as follows:

- Ypsilanti, beginning the third Thursday in October.
 - Ann Arbor, beginning the last Thursday in March.
 - Ann Arbor, beginning the third Thursday in June.
- Final Eighth Grade examinations will be held the last Saturday in February and the last Saturday in May.

W. N. LISTER, Commissioner of Schools.


CLOTHING CHEAP BUT GOOD.

SUITS THAT SUIT.

Remember one thing, that

WEBSTER'S

Clothes fit.



GEORGE E. DAVIS,
Everybody's Auctioneer.
Headquarters at THE CHELSEA HERALD office. Auction bills furnished free.

It's the Finest Mixed WE SELL IT.

E. J. HEINE & CO.'S . . .
French Prepared Mustard
10c. a Pint,


Measured from the barrel.
We are prepared to supply the people of Chelsea with the finest
Celery, Sweet Potatoes, Water Melons, Grapes, Bananas, Etc., at the Lowest Prices.

FREEMAN'S.

CLOTHING THE BEST FOR THE MONEY.

—CALL AT—
Raftrey's Glass Block,
For anything in the shape of
CLOTHING.

CLOTHING CHEAP BUT GOOD.



CLOTHING GOOD AND CHEAP.

With a new device we clean all kinds of Silks and Woolen Goods, Laces and Gloves.

Suits for \$10 and up.
Trousers \$3 and up.
Vests \$2.50 and up.
Top Coats for \$8 and up.

The finest, largest and best stock to select from. Samples without end.

CLOTHING THAT HAS NO EQUAL.

—A NEW—
SCHOOL :- STATIONERY STAND.

I have put in in connection with my bakery and confectionery a full line of

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Tablets, Writing Paper, Pencils, Ink, Etc.

You will save money by calling and examining my stock before purchasing. I carry a full line of

Baked Goods and Confectionery

ALWAYS FRESH.
Next Door to Hoag & Holmes. **J. G. EARL**

STOVES. STOVES.

WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF

- Base Burners,
- Coal and Wood Stoves
- Steel Ranges,
- Cook Stoves,
- Stove Boards,
- Oilcloth, Etc.,

AND AT BOTTOM PRICES.

HOAG & HOLMES

Some Good Second Hand Wood Heating Stoves Cheap.

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.
W. J. Knapp, Pres. Thos. S. Sears, Vice-Pres. Geo. P. Glazier, Cashier.

WE ARE SHOWING
OUR FULL LINE OF
Fall Dress Goods,
Cloaks, Golf Capes,
Carpets, Rugs, Etc.
FOR SPECIAL DRIVES

IN THIS WE OFFER:
Balance of 5c Lawns for 2½c a yard.
Balance of 10c Lawns for 5c a yard.
Remnants of Ribbons Half Price.
Remnants of Damask, Red or Linen, One-Third Off.
Remnants of Crashes, 5c, 7c and 9c a yard.

H. S. HOLMES MERCANTILE CO.



Low Prices for September
on our
Entire Stock of Furniture.
New Line Sideboards
Grain Drills and Spring Tooth Harrows
at prices to close.
W. J. KNAPP.

**What Constitutes a
First-Class Meat Market?**

Keeping everything in season in sufficient variety to supply all wants.
Keeping a nice, clean store with everything in its place and a place for
everything, and clerks that know their business.
Keeping first quality of goods, prices within reason, and a proprietor
who is willing to listen to suggestions from his patrons.

TERMS—CASH.

ADAM EPPLER.

PENINSULAR STOVES AND RANGES.



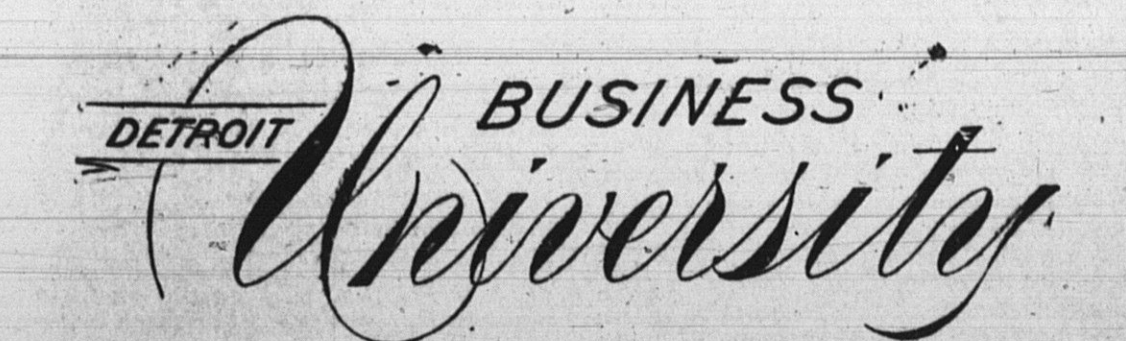
Base Burners,
Wood Heaters,
Slack Burners,
Cook Stoves,
The Peninsular
Range.

Any child can operate them.
25 per cent saved in fuel.

STAFFAN FURNITURE & UNDERTAKING CO.

At Farrell's Pure Food Store

YOU WILL FIND
**Sweet and Sour Pickles and
Canned Goods for Campers.**
Get a pound of good Coffee for 25c. Picnic Hams and Bacon. Good
Salt Pork 5c per pound.
JOHN FARRELL.



The Oldest, the Newest, the Leading, Business Training Institution of
America.
Educates young Men and Women for Money Making and useful citizenship. Has
had over 20,000 students in attendance since it was established in 1850 and furnished more situa-
tions to graduates than all other institutions of the kind in Michigan combined. Superior mod-
ern methods; large corps of experienced men teachers, and occupies an elegant building,
erected especially for its use. Handsome illustrated catalogues free. Correspondence invited.
WILLIAM F. JEWELL, Pres. **PLATT R. SPENCER, Sec'y.**
BUSINESS UNIVERSITY BUILDING, 11-19 Wilcox Ave., DETROIT, Mich

LOCAL ITEMS.

M. J. Howe has purchased Wm. Den-
man's draying business and outfit.
D. B. Taylor has sold 1636 acres of
marsh land in Lima to Bert McClain and
John Alber.

Wm. Atkinson will erect a new frame
dwelling house on his vacant lot on
Garfield street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Spiegel-
berg, of Dexter township, on Saturday
evening, a girl, weight 11½ pounds.

J. V. N. Gregory, of Dexter, is about to
move to Petoskey, where he is making
many improvements on property he owns
there.

The Ann Arbor Courier has been
designated by Auditor General Dix as the
newspaper which shall publish the
delinquent tax list of Washtenaw county
for 1897.

Fred Frey, of Lima, is building a cellar
for his new house, and while unloading a
stone boat the other day, a large stone
rolled over on his right foot, bruising the
toes quite badly.

Several members of the Foresters and
their lady friends had a pleasant social
dance at I. O. F. hall last Friday evening.
They will have another one Friday even-
ing of next week.

Manchester has 76 pupils in its high
school, 27 of whom are non-residents.
There are 322 pupils in all in attendance
at the schools and 409 persons of school
age in the district.

The Ann Arbor post office is now run
by standard time. Now if the U. of M.
and the schools and other public institu-
tions will fall in line it won't be long be-
fore there is only one time instead of two
in the University city.

The total school census for this district
is 485. Of this number 330 were enrolled
in the schools up to Friday night last,
apportioned as follows: First grade 34,
second 32, third 41, fourth 32, fifth 31,
sixth 30, seventh 20, eighth 26. In the
high school there are: Ninth grade 33,
tenth 23, eleventh 16, twelfth 13.

A well known farmer who lives on the
new rural mail delivery route from Grass
Lake was in Chelsea one day last week.
In the course of conversation he said that
with the convenience of having his mail
matter brought right to his door he would
now have no excuse to go to Grass Lake
as his folks did all their trading in Chelsea.

Ann Arbor Commandery, No. 18, K. T.,
will make a pilgrimage to Windsor, Ont.,
Tuesday-next, Sept. 19, to pay a visit to
the Grand Priory of Canada which will
be in session there at that time. There
are several members of the commandery
resident in Chelsea. It will be a big affair
in Templarism and will be largely attend-
ed by the fraters.

Paul Fritz, of Pittsfield, well known to
many in this vicinity, died Saturday, aged
83 years. His funeral was held Monday
from his old home in Bridgewater to the
Catholic church in that town. Mr. Fritz
was one of the old settlers of Bridgewater.
At his special request Frank Staffan took
charge of his funeral, he having buried
Mrs. Fritz 30 years ago.

The employees of the Chelsea post office
have been counting the number of pieces
of mail matter which they handle in a
week, and find for the week ending Sept.
9, that they handled 10,027 pieces. Of
this number there were 6,986 pieces re-
ceived, 3,634 letters and 3,352 papers, etc.
The number of pieces sent out was 3,041
of which 2,698 were letters and 343 papers.

The Ann Arbor coal dealers have en-
tered into a combine to sell no more coal
to any person except the order be ac-
companied by the cash or satisfactory
paper. This action is brought about by
the large amounts of unpaid accounts the
several dealers have on their books and
the action of the big coal trust which is
slowly but surely forcing the price of coal
upward.

Stockbridge Sun: The Stockbridge ball
team claims the championship of five
counties, Washtenaw, Livingston, Eaton,
Ingham and Jackson, having won a larger
per cent of games this season than any
other team in these counties. They are
willing to stand back of this claim and if
any team in these counties disputes the
statement they had better get ready to
play ball or shut up. Did ye hear that
crow of defiance, Chelsea Stars?

A very interesting social event occurred
last Thursday, Sept. 7, at the residence of
Paul Chase, about one mile east of town.
His daughter, Helen Stella, a most worthy
and highly esteemed young lady, with
the assistance of Rev. Thomas Holmes,
D. D., gave her heart and hand in mar-
riage to Frederick W. Riemensneider,
an equally worthy and esteemed young
gentleman of Sylvan. The company was
not large, but for sociability and agree-
ableness is not often surpassed. May
many happy, prosperous days be the
portion of the happy couple.

M. J. Cavanaugh is one of the new
members of the Ann Arbor school board.
Chas. E. Whitaker sold and shipped 107
black top sheep to parties in Wyoming
last week.

The Lyndon cheese factory is paying
its patrons 60 cents per 100 pounds for the
milk of their cows.

There will be a box social at Mr. and
Mrs. James H. Runciman's, in Sylvan,
Friday evening, Sept. 23. All are invited.

In an announcement in the advertising
columns of the Herald, the Lenawee fair
society announces that its big annual
exhibition will be held at Adrian, Sept.
25-29.

State Superintendent of Public Instruc-
tion Jason E. Hammond has prepared a
new compilation of the school laws of the
state with an entirely new set of refer-
ences.

The estimated average yield per acre of
wheat in Michigan is eight bushels. The
quality is poor, the berry being badly
shrunken. The northern counties make
the best showing.

The Ann Arbor Evening Times an-
nounces that the paper is to be enlarged
and otherwise improved in the near future.
Another Mergenthaler linotype machine is
to be added to its equipment.

The Welch Grain & Coal Co. offer a
somewhat novel lot of prizes for different
loads of wheat which shall be brought to
their elevator and sold to them on the day
of their opening, next Tuesday, Sept. 19.
Their advertisement on the first page tells
all about it.

One of the features of the coming
Washtenaw fair at Ann Arbor will be a
band contest. Not for many years has
there been a musical convention of this
kind in that city, and it will be a pleasing
thing to the people of Ann Arbor and the
many band organizations in the county of
Washtenaw.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will have a "straw
ride" and box social at Glenn's grove,
North Lake, Friday evening, Sept. 15.
Conveyances will be at the Congregational
church from 5 to 7 p. m. to take all who
can go. The ladies are expected to bring
lunches and the gentlemen money. All
are most cordially invited.

The quartermaster general is about to
issue new blanket bags to the several com-
panies of the Michigan National Guard,
to take the place of the old army knap-
sacks with which the state troops were
formerly equipped. The new blanket
bags are made of strong canvas, and will
be a valuable addition to the soldiers'
outfit.

Seward Cramer, who has been on the
staff of the Evening Times, Ann Arbor,
for several years, has severed his con-
nection with that paper, and taken a
position on the Argus. His place on the
Times is taken by A. Riley Crittenden,
formerly of Howell. The Herald wishes
both of the gentlemen success in their
new fields of labor.

Dr. Roy S. Copeland, of the U. of M.
homeopathic faculty and president of the
Michigan Union of Epworth Leagues, was
chosen to head the lay delegation of the
Detroit conference of the M. E. church at
the conference just closed. He was
elected on the second ballot. The position
is one much sought after and considerable
wire pulling was engaged in by some of
the candidates.

A stranger in town was riding a bicycle
Monday for the first time. In order to
facilitate his progress he rode down the
hill on Main street towards the railroad
track. A train was coming along just as
he got under good headway. His efforts
to stop the machine were vigorous and
ludicrous, but it was only by throwing
himself and the bike that he finally stop-
ped his wild career. He had a bad tear in
the leg of his trousers and an abraded
knee, but it probably saved his life.

Ann Arbor Argus: The Grass Lake
News, in writing up a marriage, speaks of
"the fairy land where love cooeth and
warbleth at the twilight hour, and the sky
is arched with rainbows, and joy turns
somersaults in horsey glee, and happiness
fans herself with Cupid's wings." That
certainly can't be Grass Lake. It must be
Chelsea. [Not so. We don't have any
such excruciatingly peculiar feelings as
"joy turning somersaults in horsey glee" at
a Chelsea wedding.—Ed.]

Discovered by a Woman.

Another great discovery has been made,
and that too by a lady in this country.
"Disease fastened its clutches upon her,
and for seven years she withstood its se-
verest tests, but her vital organs were un-
dermined and death seemed imminent.
For three months she coughed incessantly,
and could not sleep. She finally discovered
a way to recovery by purchasing of us a
bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for
Consumption, and was so much relieved
on taking first dose that she slept all night;
and with two bottles has been absolutely
cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz."
Thus writes W. C. Hamnick & Co., of
Shelby, N. C. Trial bottles free at Glazier
& Stimson's Bank Drug Store. Regular
size 50c, and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed.

**Hats for
Street Wear.**

All shades of colors—Black,
Brown, Grey, Blue and Castor,
in all the best shapes that the
market afforded.

All the Latest Novelties in Fall
and Winter Trimmings.

Miss Nellie Maroney

Over H. S. Holmes Mercantile
Co.'s Store.

Reuben Kempf, pres. H. S. Holmes, vice pres.
J. A. Palmer, cash'r. Geo. A. BeGoile, asst. cash'r.
—No. 208.—

THE KEMPF COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANK.
CAPITAL, \$40,000.
Commercial and Savings Departments. Money
to loan on first class security.
Directors: Reuben Kempf, H. S. Holmes, C. H.
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G. W. PALMER,

**Physician and
Surgeon.**
Office over Ruffrey's Tailor Store, East
Middle Street.

S. G. BUSH,

Physician and Surgeon.
Office hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 1 to 4 and
7 to 8 p. m.
Office in Hatch block. Residence op-
posite Methodist church.

H. W. SCHMIDT,

Physician and Surgeon.
Specialties—Diseases of the nose, throat,
eye and ear.
Office Hours—10 to 12 and 3 to 5. Office
over Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

H. H. AVERY,

Dentist.
All kinds of dental work done in a care-
ful and thorough manner. Special attention
given to children's teeth. Nitrous oxide
and local anesthetics used in extracting.
Office over Ruffrey's Tailor shop.

G. E. HATHAWAY,

Graduate in Dentistry.
A new preparation for extracting that
does not contain cocaine or cause any of
the bad results liable to follow the use of
this drug. Gas administered when desired.
Office over Bank Drug Store.

S. A. MAPES & CO.,

**Funeral Directors
and Embalmers.**
Fine Funeral Furnishings.
Chelsea Phone No. 5. CHELSEA, MICH.

GEO. EDER.

The Parlor Barber Shop.
Good work and close attention to busi-
ness is my motto. With this in view, I
hope to secure, at least, part of your
patronage.

GEO. J. CROWELL,

**Fire and Tornado
Insurance.**
Representing eleven of the best companies
doing business in Michigan. Give me a
call. CHELSEA, MICH.

FRED KANTLEHNER,

Jeweler and Optician.
Having removed to the store in the Boyd
Block, 8. Main street, I am prepared to
do all kinds of work in my line as hereto-
fore. Agent for Ann Arbor flour.

**OLIVE LODGE, No. 156, F. &
A. M.**

Regular Meetings for 1899.
Jan. 24, Feb. 21, March 21, April 18,
May 23, June 20, July 18, August 15, Sept.
12, Oct. 17, Nov. 14 Annual meeting and
election of officers Dec. 22.
THEO. E. WOOD, Secretary.

Always Ahead

Is a good motto and one we strictly
follow in our business. Always ahead in
the way we do our washing and ironing,
and in the superior finish we give all our
work. Try us and see.

The Chelsea Steam Laundry.

DON'T BE FOOLED!

The market is being flooded
with worthless imitations of
**ROCKY MOUNTAIN
TEA**
To protect the public we call
special attention to our trade
mark, printed on every pack-
age. Beware of cheap
For Sale by all Druggists.
Subscribe for the Herald, \$1 per year.

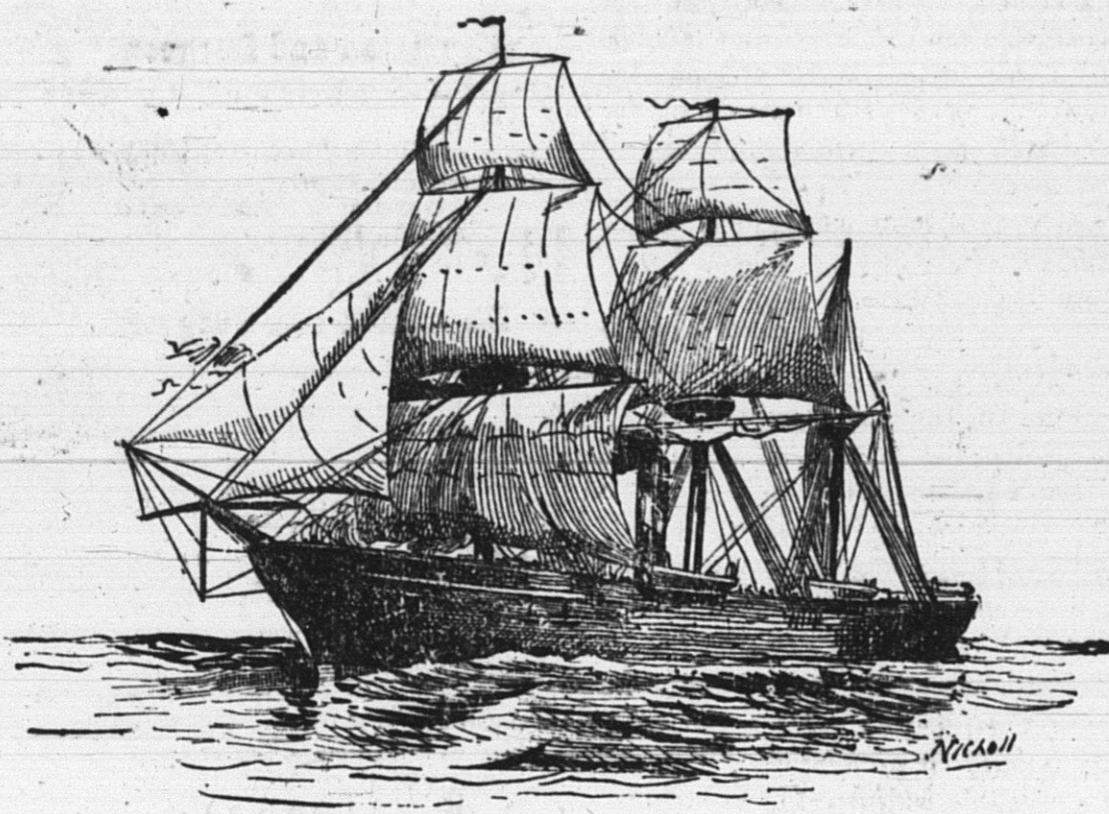
THE OLD HARTFORD.

Admiral Farragut's Flagship Again Placed in Commission.

To Be Used as a Training Ship for the New Navy—She Looks Old-Fashioned, But Still is a Powerful Craft.

[Special Washington Letter.]
The men and women of the present generation do not know the history of the battleship Hartford, the famous old wooden vessel which was used as a flagship by Commodore Farragut, the fighting ship of the past generation upon whose decks Farragut won the renown which made him an admiral, and placed his name in the highest niche of fame in naval annals.

There is very little left of the Hartford, except her keel. She has been rebuilt, but not remodeled; and, like the famous Constitution, looks exactly as she did in the days of her greatest fame. The theory and impulse which prompts men to revere historic things, prompted the old naval officers to seek the renewal of the Constitution and the Hartford, and both of them are sailing on their old keels, but all of their superstructures are new, although precisely proportioned upon the original plans. The congress appropriated the money for their reconstruction, and the old battleships will be kept in repair forever, as visible monuments of the glories of the dauntless American navy. The Constitution is already in Atlantic waters, and the Hartford soon will be.



THE OLD CRUISER HARTFORD, ADMIRAL FARRAGUT'S FLAGSHIP.

Information is received at the navy department from the navy yard at Mare Island Cal., that the Hartford's repairs are practically completed, and that she will soon be launched and placed in commission. It is not yet definitely announced whether the Hartford will sail around the horn, as did the Oregon, or whether she will follow the wake of Dewey, and come through the Suez canal, and the Mediterranean sea, and across the Atlantic ocean. If the Hartford goes across the Pacific, she will touch at Hawaii, the Philippines and the Asiatic ports which have been recently visited by Dewey. This itinerary will be particularly sentimental, the journey of the Hartford in Dewey's wake, because it was upon her old deck, and in the fleets of which she was the flagship, and under the command of Farragut, that George Dewey learned his first lessons of actual warfare.

When the Hartford reaches Atlantic ports she will, in her new sphere occupy the unique position of being the first one of Uncle Sam's fighting craft to be used exclusively for the training of green landsmen into the ways of typical man-o-wars-men. The mayor of Hartford has requested that the staunch and sturdy old ship be sent to that city, and the secretary of the navy has issued the appropriate orders, so that, as soon as she arrives on our Atlantic coast, she will sail to Hartford, where, for the city of Hartford, the mayor will present a silver service as magnificent as any that has yet been given to our modern cruisers and battleships.

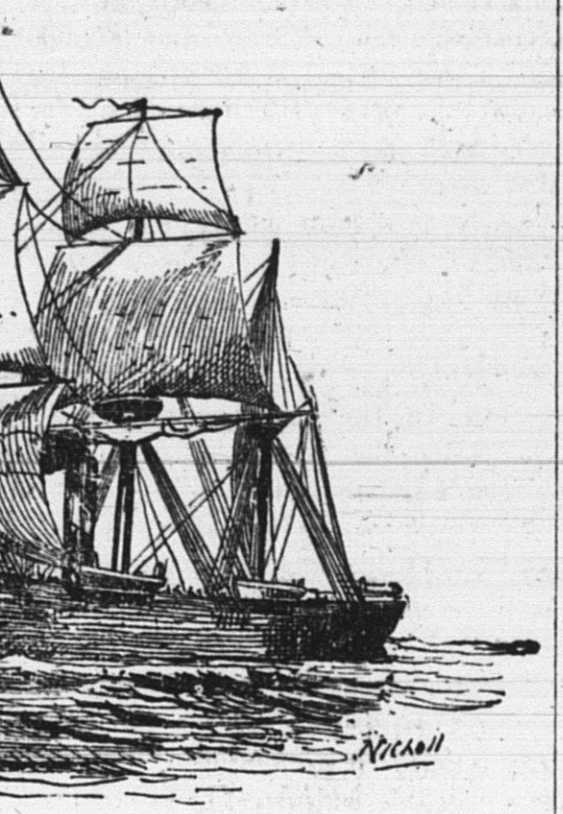
After that the Hartford will cruise about the principal coast cities, visiting those places where, almost 35 years ago, the Hartford cruised with Admiral Farragut on board, the hero of the nation; just as the Olympia has just been cruising about bearing proudly the hero of Manila.

But not only the people of the coast cities are to be interested in the rejuvenation of the famous Hartford, but the people of the middle west and far west are being given an opportunity to infuse their vigorous blood into the enlisted branch of the navy, and 300 able-bodied men of the sections named are recruited for terms of four years, and they are to serve first on the Hartford, studying practical seamanship. Similar crews are to be enlisted and serve on the old Constitution. It is the theory of the older naval officers that enlisted men of the new navy ought to know how to sail any kind of a ship; whereas it has recently been customary to enlist men and set them instantly at work on the steelclad cruisers and battleships of the new navy. It is believed that patriotism will be infused into the young men by having them serve on the

old battleships, where they will learn their history, and with it the history of the glories and achievements of the navy. After that, with other young men to take their places, they may be sent on board of the modern cruisers and battleships.

They must learn how to go aloft, to run about the rigging, and be at home with sure footing, in calm and storm. They must learn all about the fore, main and mizzen masts, their spars, garnets and shrouds. They must learn to furl, unfurl and clew garnets, just as the American sailors did under John Paul Jones, Ingraham, Farragut, Foote and Porter. Upon the decks of these historic old terrors of the seas the sailors of the rising generation must learn all that is to be known of our navy; and, practically, they will thus be taught to feel that they have grown up with the navy from its incipency. They will love their calling better, and love their country better for the experience.

With this idea in view, Lieut. Alexander Sharp, Jr., has been on a tour of the western and far western states, selecting the 300 recruits who are to man the Hartford. He has also been designated to be executive officer of the ship, when she is in commission, again carrying the flag to foreign ports on her way back to the waters in which she won fame and everlasting glory. It is well indeed that the old battleship is to have such a man for executive officer. He is one of our naval heroes, and deserves greater celebrity than has been given to him. His name has been overshadowed by the names of Schley, Evans, Philip, Clarke and others of higher rank who participated in the battle off Santiago on July 3, 1898, when Spanish Admiral Cervera's



THE OLD CRUISER HARTFORD, ADMIRAL FARRAGUT'S FLAGSHIP.

fleet was destroyed. But he was an active participant in that battle, as the commander of the converted yacht Vixen, a little vessel which was in the battle from start to finish, and which rendered particularly valient service. Although a well-directed shot from any one of the Spanish ships might have destroyed the Vixen, Lieut. Sharp kept her well to the fore all the time, and she sent death-dealing missiles through the Spanish torpedo boat destroyers. The navy department did well in selecting such a man for the special recruiting service for the Hartford; and also in designating him to be the executive officer, or "first luff," as the sailors call that officer.

Commander Hawley, who also participated in the great naval engagement, has been designated to command the Hartford, and he has diligently attended to the work of supervising enlistments. He says: "The desirability of having western men for jackies was demonstrated during our late war with Spain. We had a number of recruits from the west, particularly from Illinois, who performed splendid service during those trying months, and they may well be proud of the records they made. Although they lacked the original training of sailor men, they soon overcame this handicap by their intelligence and zeal, and they rapidly became familiar with their duties in the strictest sense. Besides, they were hardy and endured climatic conditions which would have prostrated less hardy men."

So the old Hartford has not outlived her usefulness. In her old age she will furnish the sinews of strength for the navy, and will give to all of our fleets men of intelligence and skill, who will be the peers of all modern artillerymen, and probably the superiors of those in other navies; men who have been given ample opportunities to prove what they can do to targets a thousand or more yards distant.

If Admiral Farragut is to-day where he can view the American navy, and if there be tears of joy in the heaven of the heroes, his eyes must be moist with pride in his old flagship, the Hartford; the ship once so dear to him, the ship which never knew defeat.

SMITH D. FRY.

His Model Wife.
"And so young Hendrix married against the wishes of his parents?"
"Yes. He got a model wife, too."
"In that case I suppose the old folks will relent?"
"I don't know. Perhaps. She's a nice girl all right—she was a model in the dressmaking department of one of the big dry goods stores."—Chicago Times-Herald.

DREYFUS CONVICTED.

Court-Martial Finds Him Guilty of Treason.

Sentenced to Serve Ten Years in Prison—The Condemned Man Thinks He Will Be Pardoned, However—Indignation at the Result.

Rennes, Sept. 11.—Dreyfus has been found guilty and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

The court stood 5 to 2 for the condemnation of the prisoner, but found extenuating circumstances existed.

The crowd outside the court soon greeted the verdict with cheers for the army.

When the verdict was read to Dreyfus he gave not the slightest sign of emotion, did not utter a word and marched back to prison like an automaton.

Dreyfus' Last Protest.

At the conclusion of speeches by M. Demange and Maj. Carriere, Col. Jouaust, president of the court, asked Dreyfus if he had anything to add in his behalf. The prisoner rose and in a voice choked with emotion declared he had only one thing to say, but of that he was perfectly assured. He said:

"I affirm before my country and before the army that I am innocent. My sole aim has been to save the honor of my name, the name borne by my children. I have suffered five years of the most awful torture. But to-day, at last, I feel assured that I am about to attain my desire, through your loyalty and justice."

Col. Jouaust—Have you finished, Dreyfus?
Dreyfus—Yes, Mr. President.

The court then retired to deliberate, and the prisoner left the hall, never to return, as, in accordance with the law, the verdict was rendered in his absence.

Verdict Rendered.

The ringing of a bell announced the entry of the judges, an officer ordered "Carry arms," and "Present arms," and Col. Jouaust marched in, saluted, and laid his kepi on the table. The other judges did likewise, the gendarmes shouted "Silence," and the stillness of death fell on the audience who were waiting heart in mouth for the announcement of Dreyfus' fate.

Col. Jouaust then began reading the judgment, which opened with the question referred to the judges by the court of cassation: "Was Dreyfus guilty of entering into machinations to send secret documents to a foreign power?" He then gave the answer that the court, by a majority of five to two, found Dreyfus guilty.

The gendarmes then closed around the audience and pressed them outside. Not a cry or a word was raised by anyone.

Everything passed off with perfect calm.

As the people emerged the gendarmes kept them moving away from the court. The small crowd of people outside cheered for the army, but the gendarmes did not interfere and there was not the slightest disorder.

Dreyfus Appears Unmoved.

The judgment was read to Dreyfus in an adjoining little room by the clerk of the court, M. Coupois. Dreyfus listened impassively, did not give the slightest sign of emotion, did not utter a word, and marched back to prison like an automaton.

It is understood Dreyfus will be sent to Fort Corte, in the island of Corsica.

A large crowd, which the police kept moving, waited around the square in which the telegraph office and the principal cafes are situated. When the people learned the court had been out an hour, it was argued that this meant a disagreement in favor of Dreyfus. The first indication to these watchers that a result had been reached was when a soldier on a bicycle came tearing along as fast as he could from the Lycee towards the artillery barracks.

Dreyfus Holds Up Well.

Rennes, Sept. 11.—Dreyfus passed a quiet night and rose when his orderly brought him water at five o'clock Sunday morning, just as he did during the trial, when it was necessary. Mme. Dreyfus and Mathieu Dreyfus, his brother, visited him during the course of the afternoon, his brother subsequently leaving for Paris. The application to the court of revision was taken to him at noon by Maitre Labori's assistant and he signed it. He has spoken but little, though he has seemed in better spirits than might have been anticipated. The meeting with his wife was naturally very affecting, but both held up as well as possible.

Expects to Be Released.

He is convinced that the ten years' imprisonment to which he is sentenced will be wiped out by the five years of solitary seclusion he has undergone on Devil's Island, and he expects to be released by October 15, which will be five years from the date of his former condemnation. He is so sanguine that he has made an extraordinary request of his wife for a novel to read in the meantime, explaining that his mind is so shaken and weighed down by recent events that he needs to divert his thoughts and try to get all the recollections of the last three months out of his mind. He thinks that reading a novel will afford the desired mental repose and keep him from brooding.

OTIS' PLANS FORMED.

His Army to Be Divided into Two Commands to Prosecute the War Against Filipinos.

New York, Sept. 12.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Considerable progress has been made by Maj. Gen. Otis upon the plan of campaign he will inaugurate immediately upon the beginning of the dry season. To prevent similar preparations being made by the insurgents and perhaps as a forerunner to the comprehensive operations to occur when the conditions permit, an offensive movement by the commands of Maj. Gens. MacArthur and Lawton will begin at once. It had been expected that this movement would have begun last week, but evidently either the preparations have not been completed or the elements have prevented, for up to this time, so far as the department has been advised, nothing has been done. The officials are in hourly expectation, however, of advices showing that the columns under command of the officers named have begun a new campaign against Aguinaldo's troops.

Gen. Otis proposes to divide the army of 64,649 combatants and the mountain batteries and dynamite guns which he will have in December into two divisions, commanded by MacArthur and Lawton. One of these will operate to the north of Manila and the other to the west and south. Each division will operate in two military provinces to be defined by Gen. Otis, but there will be effective and prompt cooperation when it is desirable.

It is expected that each commander will have six brigades under his command, the remainder of the troops being employed to garrison Manila and other seaport towns through which the insurgents are receiving supplies. Lawton will be required to make quick movements and it is proposed to place the cavalry brigade under his command.

The navy and marine corps will also be doing effective work. It is understood to be the intention of the administration to enforce a strict blockade of the Philippine ports. This action has been considered upon the recommendation of Rear Admiral Watson, who has called attention to the amount of supplies which the insurgents have been receiving. The blockade which will be enforced will be municipal in character, so as to prevent any foreign nation seizing upon the blockade, if it were formally declared, as a pretext for the recognition of the Filipinos as belligerents.

It is apparent from the plan of campaign prepared by Gen. Otis that his duty will be more of a supervisory and supplying character than anything else. He will remain in Manila sending supplies and troops to the front and keeping the two divisions in the best possible condition, but the military operations themselves will be directed by the division commanders. Of course Gen. Otis will be charged with the responsibility, but it is evident that the administration is quite satisfied to trust the conduct of the field operations to Gens. MacArthur and Lawton.

New York, Sept. 12.—The World publishes a dispatch from Gibraltar giving an interview with Admiral Dewey just before the Olympia sailed for New York. The World's correspondent asked the admiral for a statement of his views as to the Philippine policy.

"I've little to say," he said, "until the recommendations of the commission, of which I am a member, are laid before President McKinley."

"Did you read what Mr. Schurman, one of the commissioners, had to say upon his return from the Philippines?"
"As he is quoted in the newspapers he definitely explains my position. I quite agree with what Mr. Schurman says. Indeed, I attach great importance to his opinions. He is an able and high-minded man, whose intelligence and conscientious devotion to the task assigned him won my admiration. We were invariably in accord."

Admiral Dewey has never expressed regret that he asked to be made one of the Philippine commissioners. On the other hand he has said that he is glad that he was a member of the commission and his greatest desire now is to put its report in the hands of the president as soon as possible.

"You may add this," the admiral said, with great earnestness. "I have not changed my opinion which I stated in the early days at Manila, then speaking of the Philippines more as capable of self-government than the Cubans."

"I took the keenest interest in those Filipinos who were employed at the arsenal in Cavite, and often I was surprised by their intelligence. With fair and properly directed opportunities there are great possibilities in the Filipinos."

Washington, Sept. 12.—Gen. Otis informed the war department that two companies of the Nineteenth infantry left Sunday night for Iloilo, to be followed Monday by headquarters and the balance of the two battalions to relieve the Tennessee regiment at Iloilo and Cebu. The following also was received from Gen. Otis:

"Following minor affairs reported: Capt. Butler, Third infantry, with portion Balinag troops, drove insurgents at San Rafael, capturing seven with arms. Insurgent forces made demonstration against Santarita on Porac road; loss, two officers; six privates with arms captured by Col. Bell; no casualties among our troops."

Yellow Fever Figures.

Key West, Fla., Sept. 12.—The total number of yellow fever cases up to date is 189; reported in the past 24 hours, 12. No deaths have occurred in the past 24 hours. Nine cases are being treated at the yellow fever hospital, and the remainder are in private families.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Condition of Crops.
The weekly crop bulletin for Michigan says:

The rainfall generally has been insufficient to thoroughly break the drought in the principal agricultural counties. Corn cutting has been quite general and the yield will be poor. Wheat has been blasted in many localities and late potatoes are badly in need of rain. Pastures offer scant fodder for stock, apples are falling and rotting under the trees. Sugar beets may still turn out fairly well. In the upper peninsula the crop conditions are very promising. Pasture is good and the hay yield has been heavy. Oats and wheat harvests are in progress and yields are very good.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

Three men were killed and three fatally injured by the explosion of the boiler in Chapman & Sargent's bowl and tray factory in Traverse City. Portions of the machinery were blown half a mile, and the bodies of the victims were mangled beyond recognition. The killed are: Charles Handy, engineer; Perry Melfont, sawyer, and Leo Estabrook, turner; injured, Charles H. Taylor, Oliver Sanders, Howard Ketcham, Robert Peterson, Al Le Count and George Rice. Loss on factory, \$5,000.

Mining with Machinery.

Mining coal with machinery has been started in Bay county, and its promoter feels confident that hereafter his mine will not be troubled with strikes, which have kept all of the mines in that vicinity idle about half of the past year. The new machine was tested at the Michigan mine and worked successfully for several hours. Ten of these machines are to be introduced, and, while no men will be discharged, a greater quantity of coal will be taken out.

Brotherly Love.

The state military board held a meeting in Lansing and turned over to ex-Auditor General George W. Stone the flag of the Petersburg (Va.) Grays, in accordance with a joint resolution of the legislature authorizing the return of the colors to the regiment. Gen. Stone was a member of the First Michigan sharpshooters, which captured the colors during the civil war, and with several others was detailed by Gov. Pingree to return the flag.

A Fatal Quarrel.

John Melcher and William Graves fought over the action of Melcher in closing up a piece of road in Coleman which had been used as a highway. Graves was getting the better of his adversary, when Melcher drew a revolver and fired seven shots at Graves, but only wounded him in the knee. Graves' wife started to her husband's rescue, carrying a rifle, and Graves took it and shot and killed a bystander and mortally wounded Melcher.

State Lands.

The annual report of the state land commissioner says:
During the last year, the end of the fiscal period being June 30, the traffic in state lands has been the largest in the history of the state. The number of acres sold was 39,327.03, the amount received being \$17,004. The total number of acres of land held for sale and homestead entry at the close of the year was 642,319.33. The total receipts of the land office were \$226,565. No tax homestead lands were deeded by the auditor general to the state during the year, but there were taken as homesteads 26,651.91 acres.

Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health from 71 observers in various portions of the state for the week ended September 2 indicate that intermittent fever, inflammation of the kidneys, neuralgia and influenza increased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 200 places, measles at 15, typhoid fever at 76, scarlet fever at 35, diphtheria at 13, whooping cough at 19 and cerebrospinal meningitis at 1 place.

Many Buildings Burned.

Fire at Pinconning destroyed the Michigan Central passenger station, Maccabee hall, 13 business houses and 25 dwellings, with their contents in nearly every case. A heavy north wind prevailed and the firemen were unable to cope with the flames. The fire stopped when it had burned itself out. The loss is estimated at \$75,000, with small insurance.

Is Now a Citizen.

Rev. Richard R. Sidebotham took out citizenship papers at Lapeer. He had always supposed he was a citizen until he applied for passports to Corea, where he goes as a missionary next month. His grandfather took out citizenship papers years ago, but his father neglected to do so.

News Items Briefly Told.

Great preparations are being made for the coming free street fair to be held in Mason October 3, 4, 5 and 6.
Michigan lumbermen who own timber in Ontario have united in a petition to the high court of justice in Toronto to have the regulation forbidding the exportation of logs set aside as unconstitutional.
Hillsdale county's handsome new courthouse was publicly dedicated at Hillsdale with ceremonies befitting such an occasion.
The forty-seventh semiannual meeting of the Northeastern Medical Society of Michigan was held in Port Huron.
Howard City's electric light plant and Messenger & Summers' woolen mill were totally destroyed by fire. Loss on light plant, \$5,000; woolen mill, \$4,000.



WEEDS GOOD TO EAT.

In Europe Many of Them Are Considered Delicacies and Used as Rare Flavorings.

Go out on any farm and see the farmer hoeing away at the weeds that threaten to choke his crop.

The dandelion isn't the only weed eaten by people who know what's good to eat. Take wild cherry, the plague of the farmer.

Everybody in America hates a nettle and can't see what use it is. In Scotland, Poland and Germany tender young nettle leaves are used as greens.

Most people think milkweed poisonous. It is a medicinal vegetable with a delightful flavor all its own.

Sorrel, feticus and chevrl are looked on as field pests by ninety-nine out of every hundred farmers.

LININGS FOR CASKETS.

Directions by Which the Ingenious Home Artist Can Make Her Own Safety Vault.

Here is an ingenious device by which any home artist can convert her jewel casket into a veritable safety vault.



PATTERNS FOR CASKET LININGS.

The smallest, then the size can be more evenly regulated. The jewels are laid between the first and second linings.

Moths Routed by Perfume. It has become known to the wise ones that the destructive moth despises the pleasant fragrance of perfumes.

Washing Knuckles. There is a new appliance which seems likely to lighten the labor of laundresses.

WOMEN IN THE ORIENT.

Among the Hindoos They Have No Interest in Heaven and Very Little in Earthly Things.

The Mohammedan peasant woman is spared all the jealousy and misery of sharing her title of wife with others.

A Hindoo is generally supposed to have but one wife, but should she bear him no son within seven years he may take another.

HINDOO WOMEN OF THE BETTER CLASS.



some remunerative employment, such as picking, cleaning, spinning or weaving cotton, in company with others.

Her costume varies according to her religion, race and rank, and so numerous and minute are the differences in dress that in the case of a man even his occupation may be known by his clothing.

Women of all ranks make a great display of jewelry, the rich wearing gold and precious stones, and the poor either silver or some manufactured material of little value.

Having no individuality apart from her husband, a woman is practically an irresponsible creature, except that should she have the ill grace to outlive him she is blamed as the cause of his death.

She takes no part in public worship, and they say that serving a husband is the wife's religion.

In recognition of the superiority of the man an Indian woman always sits on a lower seat than her husband.

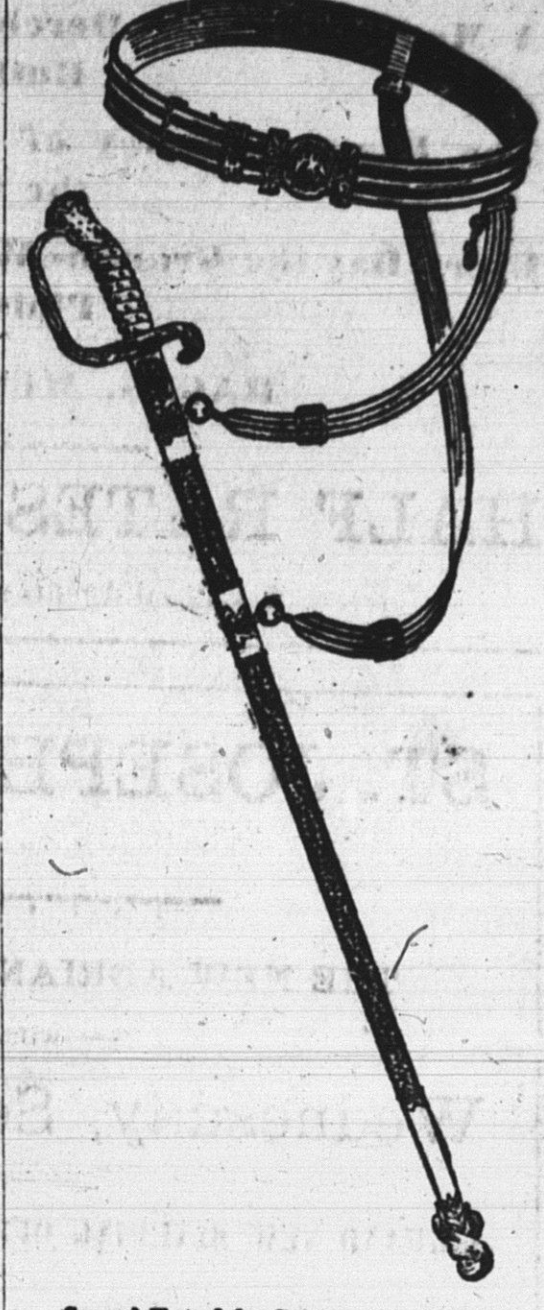
Mohammed wrote: "Men shall have the preeminence above women, because of those advantages wherein God hath caused the former to excel the latter."

New Idea in Buttons. There will be found this fall a world of distinctly new ideas in buttons.

NATION'S GREETING TO DEWEY.

Features of the Reception to the Hero Here in Washington.

The central idea underlying the grand welcome to be given Admiral Dewey in Washington the first week in October is its national character.



Sword Voted by Congress to Dewey.

It will probably occur on Monday, October 2, although the date will depend upon the length of the celebration in New York, which is still unsettled.

The different features of the preparations are in the hands of a central body of citizens and eleven committees, embracing in all over a thousand people.

Before resigning your position, remember that for every unoccupied hole, there are 20 pegs trying to get in.—Acheson Globe.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has no equal as a cough medicine.—F. M. Abbott, 383 Seneca St., Buffalo, N. Y., May 9, 1894.

It always puzzles a horse to find out what a woman's driving at.—Philadelphia Record.

The more horse sense a man has the less he bets on the races.—Chicago Daily News.

Hall's Catarrh Cure Is taken Internally. Price 75c.

A lie is always in a hurry, but the truth is willing to wait.—Chicago Daily News.

THE MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various commodities like Live Stock, Flour, Wheat, Corn, etc., with columns for item name and price.

Discovery of Life Plant.

Science has discovered a plant so full of life that if one of its leaves be broken off and merely pinned to a warm wall another plant will grow from it.

He Didn't Like Chopin. "A musician out of work, are you?" said the housekeeper.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn? Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet.

Our Fans. Baroness de Rothschild, it is said, owns the finest collection of fans in Europe.

Lane's Family Medicine. Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

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

Mrs. Barnard Thanks MRS. PINKHAM FOR HEALTH.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 18,992] "DEAR FRIEND—I feel it my duty to express my gratitude and thanks to you for what your medicine has done for me."

An Iowa Woman's Convincing Statement. "I tried three doctors, and the last one said nothing but an operation would help me."

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Advertisement for Ayer's Pills, featuring a woman's face and text: "Dizzy? Then your liver isn't acting well. You suffer from biliousness, constipation. Ayer's Pills act directly on the liver."

Advertisement for Buckingham's Eye Whiskers, featuring a man's face and text: "Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the Whiskers."

Advertisement for Candy Cathartic Cascarets, featuring a woman's face and text: "I suffered the tortures of the damned with protruding piles brought on by constipation with which I was afflicted for twenty years."

Advertisement for Cure Constipation, featuring a man's face and text: "Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, No Good Never Sicken, Weaken, or Gripes, etc."

Advertisement for W. L. Douglas Shoes, featuring a man's face and text: "WORTH \$4 TO \$6 COMPARED WITH OTHER MAKE."

Advertisement for Battle of Manila, featuring a man's face and text: "A wonderful reproduction of the greatest naval victory in history. Dewey's voyage from Hong Kong across the Chinese sea."

Advertisement for Fits Permanently Cured, featuring a man's face and text: "FITS Permanently Cured. No fits or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer."

Large advertisement for John M. Smyth & Co. Mammoth Mail Order House, featuring a silhouette of a man and text: "OUR PRICE CONQUEROR. To You It Commends Itself from an Economical Standpoint. A Business Suit at a Business Price. Not a bargain suit, but a thoroughly first-class suit at a genuine bargain price."

PERSONALS.

Victor D. Hindelang visited his father last Sunday. Mrs. Charles Staplah, of Lyndon, is dangerously ill.

R. A. Snyder was in Grand Rapids Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Wheeler called on friends in Chelsea last week.

John Eisenman made a business trip to Manchester last Friday.

Conrad Lehman and Miss Tillie Girbach spent Sunday in Waterloo.

Dr. C. W. Ryan, of Jackson, visited R. D. Walker and family Sunday.

Dr. H. H. Avery was in Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon on business.

John Bauer, of South Main street, is seriously sick with appendicitis.

John P. Miller left for Assumption College, Sandwich, last Monday.

George Wade and Henry Eisele called on friends in Dexter last Saturday.

Miss Cora Devereaux, of Pinckney, visited Mrs. Margaret Hindelang last Tuesday.

Miss Stella Coulan visited her aunt, Mrs. Pierce Cassidy, of Jackson, last Sunday.

The Misses Paula Girbach and Mary Alber were the guests of friends at Grails Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor, of Northfield, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. John Greening.

Miss Mary Agnes Miller, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob P. Miller.

Capt. Conditine, of Detroit, was the guest of his son, the Rev. W. P. Conditine, last Sunday.

Sister Mary Ignatius, formerly Miss Agnes Miller, of Chelsea, is now teaching in Saginaw, Mich.

The Misses Nellie Noyes and Ethel Bacon left for St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, last Friday.

The Misses Agnes Wade and Mary Schwickers spent Sunday at Dexter, the guests of Miss Daley.

Miss Winifred Cassidy left last week for Caledonia, Mich., where she has accepted a position as stenographer.

Miss Liebeck, of Jackson, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Liebeck, of Sylvan, this week.

The Rev. J. B. Stackable and his cousin Lester Dunn, of Pinckney, were guests at St. Mary's rectory last Sunday.

Sister Evangelista, formerly Miss Emelie Neuberger, of Chelsea, is teaching this year at St. Mary's Academy, Monroe.

Mrs. Farrel and Mrs. Herr, of Sandusky, O., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry V. Heatley, of Lyndon, left for home last Monday.

Ann Arbor Times: Lorenzo Sawyer will go to Chelsea, Mich., Friday, to appear for the defense in the Reeves vs. Windmill Co. case.

Miss Rose Mullen, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mullen, of Hastings, who has been her guest, left for a month's visit in Detroit last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Flemming and family, of Henrietta, and Mr. and Mrs. Rice, of Stockbridge, attended the Liebeck-Miller nuptials last Tuesday.

Harris Ball, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea, Friday, posting bills and distributing hangers advertising the Wash-tenaw fair at Ann Arbor.

Theo. E. Wood is in Coldwater today attending the reunion of his old regiment the 17th Michigan Infantry, which was known as the Stonewall regiment.

Frank Penn is now clerking for the Staffan Furniture and Undertaking Co. He takes the place of Eric Zinke who will commence the study of dentistry at the U. of M.

Mrs. Ann Walsh, the faithful and efficient housekeeper for Rev. Father Conditine, has resigned her position, owing to increasing infirmities. Miss Margaret Sullivan, of Detroit, has taken her place.

House and two acres of land for sale. \$150 takes it. All kinds fruit, good water. Inquire at this office.

To the Editor: Will you please inform your readers that we are giving away bicycles, gold and silver watches, jewelry, dinner, tea and chamber sets, silverware, sideboards, hall trees, chairs, lawn mowers, cameras, guns, revolvers, harness, stoves, razors, musical instruments, washing machines, and many other valuable and useful articles that we have no room to mention here. They will be glad to know that they can get any of these articles for selling or using a few cans of our "Silver" Baking Powder. We do not require any money in advance. We send the baking powder for them to sell, and when they return the money we send them the article they select. We will be glad to send our Premium Catalogue to any or all of your readers.

Yours truly, FRED D. McCLEURE CO., Detroit, Mich.

COUNTY NEWS.

The oldest house in Ann Arbor was torn down last week to make room for a new structure. It was at least 60 years old.

The new iron suspension bridge over the Huron river at Dexter is completed. The single span of the bridge is 159 feet. The structure cost complete \$5,500.

The Dexter Cemetery Corporation has bought two acres of land adjoining Forest Lawn cemetery in that village from E. Jedele and added it to the cemetery.

Don Beeman, of Waterloo, having been appointed superintendent of the electric light and water works of Valley City, N. Dak., will move his family there Oct. 18.

D. H. Johnson, of Ann Arbor, had a pocketbook with \$50 in it sticking out of his pistol pocket the other day. Someone touched it off and away it went. Ernest Crump and Fred Loney have been arrested for doing the deed.

George F. Maier, the young man who set his home in Jackson on fire Tuesday of last week in order that he might get the insurance on his household goods, part of which he had previously secreted, and in which fire his brother-in-law Arthur Sellick was burned to death, formerly lived in Ann Arbor. In the Jackson circuit court Saturday, Maier pleaded guilty to a charge of arson and was sentenced to 15 years at hard labor in Jackson prison.

Live for those who love you. For those whose hearts are fond and true, The only way to do this right, Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Ask your druggist.

The Chelsea Herald and the Twice-a-Week Detroit Free Press both four months for only 30 cents. This special price is made in order to introduce the papers to new readers.

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MICHIGAN CENTRAL "The Niagara Falls Route."

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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... 10:12 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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ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY, THE NEW ADRIAN CONVENT SCHOOL,

WILL OPEN Wednesday, September 6, '99

A GRAND NEW BUILDING OFFERS UNLIMITED FACILITIES.

Terms: For session of five months, including bedding, washing, mending, plain and fancy needle work, type-writing, stenography and drawing, Fifty Dollars; session of ten months, One Hundred Dollars. No extras save music, Eight Dollars a quarter, including use of instrument.

For further information address SISTERS OF ST. DOMINIC, Adrian, Michigan.

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. Klein building, North Main street, Chelsea, Mich.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 5th day of September, 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 P. Hutchinson, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 2nd day of October, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

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

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

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 Sarah W. Chipman, late 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 Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, on Wednesday the 6th day of December, 1899, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, September 6, 1899. ZINA P. KING, L. D. CARR, Commissioners.

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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 6th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Jacob Hesel-schwerdt, deceased.

Eva Mary Hesel-schwerdt, 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 20th day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed.

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

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. ss. NOTICE is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1899, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Ann Simpson, 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 12th day of February, next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 11th day of November, 1899, and on the 12th day of February, 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, August 11, A. D. 1899. H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

MONEY TO PATENT Good Ideas may be secured by our aid. Address, THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md. Subscriptions to The Patent Record \$1.00 per annum.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE Chelsea Savings Bank, At Chelsea, Mich.,

At the close of business, Sept. 7, 1899.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts \$100,980.87. Stocks, bonds and mortgages 178,624.04. Revenue stamps 188.58. Banking house 8,800.00. Furniture and fixtures 8,577.12. Other real estate 10,175.00. Due from banks in reserve cities 29,261.67. Due from other banks and bankers 1,080.00. Exchanges for clearing house 5,656.25. Checks and cash items 529.21. Nickels and cents 263.95. Gold coin 2,825.00. Silver coin 1,260.50. U. S. and National bank notes 5,289.00.

Total \$831,867.09

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in \$60,000.00. Surplus fund 7,178.00. Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 8,065.64. Dividends unpaid 316.00. Commercial deposits subject to check 41,552.48. Commercial certificates of deposit 92,445.92. Savings deposits 38,588.51. Savings certificates of deposits 98,716.18.

Total \$831,867.09

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. I, Geo. P. Glazier, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Geo. P. GLAZIER, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Sept., 1899.

Theo. E. Wood, Notary Public.

Correct-Attest: Wm. J. Knapp, W. P. Schenk, Geo. W. Palmer, Directors.

Cash \$89,535.58. Loans 274,535.81. Deposits 261,908.05.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank

At Chelsea, Mich., At the close of business, Sept. 7, 1899, as made to the Commissioner of Banking.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts \$78,299.16. Stocks, bonds and mortgages 147,840.65. Overdrafts 8.00. Banking house 8,000.00. Furniture and fixtures 2,000.00. Due from banks in reserve cities 27,759.04. Due from other banks and bankers 26,837.42. Checks and cash items 263.67. Nickels and cents 99.57. Gold coin 3,305.00. Silver coin 1,390.95. U. S. and State Bonds 4,500.00. U. S. and National bank notes 4,113.00.

Total \$299,516.55

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in \$40,000.00. Surplus 500.00. Undivided profit, less current expenses, interest and taxes paid 2,148.37. Commercial deposits subject to check 61,370.23. Commercial certificates of deposit 17,463.87. Savings deposits 158,825.88. Savings certificates of deposit 19,208.20.

Total \$299,516.55

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. I, J. A. Palmer, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. PALMER, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Sept., 1899.

Geo. A. Beagle, Notary Public.

Correct-Attest: R. S. Armstrong, H. S. Holmes, C. Klein, Directors.

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

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Hannah Winans, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 22d day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

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

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate. [A true copy.] P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Removal Notice.

U. H. Townsend is about to move his shoe shop to the basement of the store occupied by Adam Eppler, where he will be pleased to meet all his old customers and many new ones.