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CONFIRMED A LARGE CLASS

AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH THURSDAY EVENING.

Right Reverend Bishop Foley was Present and Delivered an Eloquent Address—There were Seventy-six in the Class.

A very impressive service was conducted at St. Mary's church on Thursday evening last, when the Right Rev. Bishop Foley made his Episcopal Visitation to the parish. The occasion being confirmation service. There were present 750 and upwards to witness the ceremonies. The musical part of the service was under the direction of Louis Berg and Miss Mamie Clark who presided at the organ. The church and floral decorations were under the supervision of Miss Alice Gorman and were a "thing of beauty."

Among those from out of town were Capt. John Considine, sr. of Detroit, father of Rev. W. P. Considine, and the visiting priests who filled the various offices assigned to them. Rev. C. M. Schenklerburg of Jackson, deacon; Rev. M. J. Comerford of Pinckney, sub deacon; Rev. John P. Ryan of Dexter, and Rev. Joseph Joos of Dowagiac, deacons of honor; Rev. Joseph Hallisey of Hudson, master of ceremonies. Hon. J. S. Gorman acted as sponsor at the altar for the boys and men, and Miss Margaret Haggerty did a like service for the ladies and girls.

The class to be confirmed, consisting of sixty five boys and girls and eleven adults, was formed in a procession, headed by the Master of Ceremonies, at the rectory and then marched to the church followed by the Right Rev. Bishop Foley and his Deacons.

For the first time in Chelsea, Pontifical Vespers were sung, the Right Rev. Bishop Foley celebrant, after which came the Episcopal Blessing by the Bishop. Then came the sermon, a most masterly and powerful address, also delivered by the Bishop who is justly noted for his magnificent oratory. He pointed out in clear and forcible language the duties of a christian which was intently listened to and fully appreciated by the vast audience present. Immediately following this were the confirmation services, after which the Bishop and his Deacons stepped to the front of the sanctuary and delivered his charge to the class, also taking occasion to pay a glowing tribute to the well known Rector of St. Mary's parish, the Rev. W. P. Considine, members of the church and the village of Chelsea.

Benediction then followed during which Louis Berg sang the solo, "O Salutaris," and Miss Estella Conlan followed with "Tantum Ergo" in which the choir joined in the chorus.

The procession was then re-formed and left the church in the same order as they entered.

On Friday morning Rev. W. P. Considine accompanied the Bishop to Dexter where he acted as Deacon and a class of fifty-two was confirmed.

HORSES BY THE POUND.

Tommy McNamara has Struck a New Method of Selling Horses.

Argus: Tommy McNamara, the versatile comedian of Chelsea, sprang a new one at the Plymouth fair last week.

He sold a horse that was worth about \$1.50 to a man who wanted a horse bad and didn't care much about money.

He struck an easy mark.

The fellow asked Tommy how much he would take for the animal.

"I'll take 5 cents a pound for him," he replied.

"All right," said the other, "he's mine."

"Give me \$2 to bind the bargain," said Tommy and the agreement was soon clinched.

When they came to figure up the weight the fellow had to pay just \$36.85 for the animal.

It was certainly a new way of disposing of horses.

He Changed the Part.

The boys have got back to college, and nearly every one of them parted his hair in the middle the last thing before he left home. Every young man that parts his hair in the middle ought to be called "Sissy." If a young man wants to ape the feminine he should be encouraged to all possible extent; and nothing could be so suggestive of the presence of the feminine gender as "Sissy." About the best joke that has happened in connection with this question of hair, happened at the table of a well known boarding house not far from the campus. The students were pouring in like magic and everybody was pretty generally stranger to everybody else. The young lady who

waited the table was a student, and so, to be polite, introduced those who sat next to each other. Among others she introduced a blonde young man who had his yellow locks parted in the middle and spanked down against his forehead, to a very charming young lady, fresh and rosy as the proverbial rose bed. The young man was apparently smitten, and began to be exclusively agreeable. The young lady was very pert, familiar with everything and everybody pertaining to the campus, and the two were perfectly lovely until an opportunity presented itself, and she suddenly asked: "Are you in—in—the high school?" The blonde young man collapsed. He was a senior law, but he managed to swallow a few more draughts of milk before he left the table. When he appeared at the next meal, his hair was parted on the side—"The Stroller" in Evening Times.

THREE YEARS IN JACKSON

ARTHUR STARK, ALIAS GUNONG, GETS THAT SENTENCE.

He Was the Fellow Who Assaulted Miss Edna Reade, Last Spring—His Mother Made a Plea to the Court for a Light Sentence.

The trial of Arthur Stark, alias Gunong, who has been in jail for six months is at last over.

He was charged with attempt at rape upon Miss Edna Reade, a young school teacher of Lima, who bears an irreproachable reputation.

Miss Reade was put upon the stand and told her story in a straightforward, decisive and altogether modest manner. While boarding at the home of A. J. Easton, Stark came there and hired out for the summer as a farm hand. Shortly after midnight on Saturday morning, April 21, Stark entered her room. She awoke and started to scream, Stark grabbed her by the throat and threatened to choke her to death if she made an outcry. He told her that she ought to be his wife, and stated that he loved her.

After threatening her for some time, Stark left the room, and she went down stairs as soon as she could dress herself and told Mrs. Easton what had occurred. She told Mrs. Easton that she wanted to see her parents. They came Sunday, and she went home with them. Monday she was so sick that she could not leave the house, and Tuesday she made the complaint against Stark.

On cross-examination it was brought out very forcibly that Mr. and Mrs. Easton slept down stairs and in an entirely different part of the house, so that the noise in Miss Reade's room would not be likely to be heard.

Mrs. Easton swore that Miss Reade and Arthur Stark had nothing but a speaking acquaintance, that there were no signs of any familiarity between them, and that this had never occurred before.

Mr. Easton learned of it after breakfast and discharged Stark, who left Saturday afternoon.

Attorney Stivers asked for a recess. He surprised everybody by announcing that the defense would offer no testimony. The jury went out at 1:45 p. m., and after an hour and a half's deliberation returned a verdict of guilty with a recommendation of mercy to the court.

The defendant's mother made a plea for the boy on account of insanity in the family, his father being now confined in an asylum. But Judge Kinne said he must protect society, and sentenced him to three years in the state's prison at Jackson.

WORST IN THE STATE.

Washtenaw County's Jail has Been so Declared by an Inspector.

Dr. Arthur Worden, commissioner of the state board of corrections and charities, was in Ann Arbor Thursday and paid the county jail a visit for the inspection of the same.

Said he "Washtenaw county's jail is the worst in the state. The board of supervisors will meet October 9, and if they do not make some provision for the improvement of its sanitary condition the building will be condemned and Washtenaw will have no place in which to confine its prisoners. And they must tend to it right away. Sheriff Gillen is not to blame. The board of supervisors do not provide him with a sufficient quantity or quality of bedding."

"And then, again, the board must make some provision so that there will be a separate woman's ward and a place for the detention of witnesses."

"The city supervisors went to the jail with me and they are fully convinced that something must be done. It is the country supervisors who must be made to appreciate the situation, and unless they fully grasp it, the building will be condemned."

THE JUDSON AND ANTI-JUDSON CASES

WILL BE TRIED THIS TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT.

Judson Has Got Six Lawyers; Moran Four; Allmendinger Three; and Canfield Three—Promises to be Very Interesting.

Argus: When the alleged libel case of Lester Canfield vs. G. Frank Allmendinger was called Monday for the arrangement of its proper place on the call of cases for the October term of the circuit court, Mr. Stivers, of Lehman Bros. & Stivers, promptly announced that Mr. Canfield was ready for trial.

Judge Kinne—"How is it with you you, Mr. Sawyer?"

Mr. Sawyer—"Mr. Bennett is the managing editor. However the case will be tried."

The case was marked ready, and the attorneys did the same thing to the case of Wm. Judson vs. S. A. Moran (libel). In this case "Mysterious Billy" will be represented by Arthur Brown, T. D. Kearney, M. J. Cavanaugh and W. W. Wedemeyer. Mr. Moran's interests will be looked after by Seth C. Randall, Frank Jones, A. J. Sawyer, Sr., and A. J. Sawyer, Jr. In the case of Selby A. Moran vs. Wm. Judson (false imprisonment) Randall & Jones said Mr. Moran was ready and Lawrence & Butterfield announced that their client was in the same condition.

It thus looks as if the Rough Rider cases would be disposed of this term.

Sunday School Convention.

The annual convention of the Washtenaw County Sunday School association will be held at Saline, October 18th, every Sunday school in the county is entitled to send delegates. Programs will be sent to every school in about a week. The Saline people are preparing to take good care of all who attend. Electric cars make it possible to get in and out of Saline at any hour of the day. Let every Sunday school worker who can attend; make it a point to do so. John K. Campbell is president and E. E. Calkins secretary.

Resolutions.

Whereas, our Heavenly Father whose providences seem veiled from human vision, and wisdom past finding out, has removed from our Chapter by death our brother, Lewis Winans, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, as members of Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S., while we submit to the Divine decree, with sad hearts, express our sympathy with the bereaved widow, daughter and friends, trusting that we will all meet again, where there are no more partings, and the golden chain never more be broken.

Resolved, That we drape our charter in mourning for sixty days; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered upon the records of our chapter and that a copy of the same be sent to the sorrowing widow and daughter, also be published in our local papers.

MARY L. BOYD
LIBBIE MILLER
DR. R. S. ARMSTRONG } Committee

Real Estate Transfers.

Amity B. Renwick to Ferdinand Duron, Salem, \$703.50

Sarepta Smalley to M. C. R. R. Co., Ypsilanti, 60

Wolverine Lodge, No. 197, I. O. O. F. to F. & M. bank of Milan, Milan, 2,000

Statira D. Hawkins by ex to Alice B. Dicus, Ypsilanti, 13,300

Mary Schaff et al to Susan E. Carmady, Ypsilanti, 300

Caroline H. Platt to First Presbyterian Society, Ypsilanti, 400

James H. Wallace and wife to John Miller and wife, Ypsilanti, 1

Hannah L. Ferguson to Norman L. Cross et al, Ypsilanti, 1,900

Wm. E. Bellows and wife to Intha J. Updyke, Ypsilanti, 400

Orlando H. Brown and wife to Winifred S. Thornton, Augusta, 45

W. S. Thornton to George Richardson, Augusta, 25

Julia A. Slawson to Maggie Smith, Ypsilanti, 500

George Richardson and wife to Fred Scholtz, Augusta, 40

Peter Peterson to Rosina Peterson, Ann Arbor, 1,000

Lucy E. Gates to Frank Eden, Lima, 100

George C. Richel and wife to Chas. F. Keller, Ypsilanti, 1

Chas. F. Keller to George C. Richel, Ypsilanti, 1.

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DEAD DRUGS!

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INSURGENTS ACTIVE

TRYING TO MAKE A FLANK MOVEMENT ON THE AMERICANS.

BOLOMEN SURPRISED AMERICAN OUTPOST AT GUYAGA.

UNITED STATES GUNBOAT URDANETA HAS BEEN RECOVERED.

Manila, Oct. 5.—Several hundred insurgents have recaptured Porac, which was captured by Gen. MacArthur on September 28, and evacuated by the Americans the following day. The insurgent forces are also reported moving toward Mexico, southeast of Angeles. The object of the double movement is, apparently, to get behind the American garrison on both sides of the Manila-Dagupan railway.

Reconnaissance from Mexico by the Fourth Cavalry toward Santa Ana, northeast of Mexico, and toward Arayat, due north of Santa Ana, developed the fact that the insurgents are in position at both points.

An American private was killed in the skirmish at Santa Ana. The Arayat party learned that Scott and Edwards, of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, who are missing, are prisoners at Magalang.

The insurgents made two attacks on Calamba, in which the commanding officer reports sixty Filipinos were killed and many wounded. Two companies of the Twenty-first Regiment repelled each attack, losing two men killed and seven wounded.

Bolomen surprised an American outpost near Guyaga, killing two privates. The other two escaped.

While four sailors of the United States cruiser Baltimore were entering the Bacor river in a boat Tuesday, after the fight, they received a volley, wounding three. It is understood that the volley came from United States soldiers who, having been ordered to prevent the passing of boats, fired by mistake upon the Baltimore men.

Rear-Admiral Watson announces the recovery of the United States gunboat Urdaneta, which was captured and beached by the insurgents near Orani on the Orani river, where she had been blockading. The expedition was entirely successful, the Americans suffering no casualties.

An attack upon Paranaque was made by the insurgents Wednesday night and rebel sympathizers in the town set fire to a number of buildings. Col. Daggett repulsed the attack and declined offers of assistance from Bacor. The extent of the damage done by the incendiary fires has not yet been learned.

BRIEF DISPATCHES.

Wednesday's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$288,511,547; gold reserve, \$255,044,463.

An incendiary fire Tuesday night between Cisco and Emigrant Gap, on the Central Pacific railroad, destroyed 6,400 feet of snow sheds, entailing a loss of \$50,000.

Gen. Brooke reports to the war department the death at Havana of Sergt. John B. Crow, Company M, First Infantry. He died on the 2d inst. of pleurisy.

Gen. Otis has informed the war department of the arrival at Manila of the transport St. Paul with seven troops of the Third Cavalry. The Garonne, carrying horses and mules, has also reached Manila.

The Marblehead, now at San Francisco, has been designated to proceed south along the South American coast and if possible locate the dangerous uncharted reef on which a British merchant ship recently struck.

The enlistments Tuesday were 772, making a total of 13,515. Two more regiments are completed, the Forty-fifth, Col. Dorst, at Fort Snelling and Vancouver barracks, and the Forty-sixth, Col. Schuyler, at South Framingham, Mass.

United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge arrived in London Wednesday from the continent and will sail for the United States on Saturday, to take part in the gubernatorial contest in Massachusetts. He is much benefited as the result of his long holiday.

Gen. Davis, at Porto Rico, has informed the war department of the death by drowning on Oct. 1 of Ed. McDonald. He also states that Cornelius Lynch, who was shot by a policeman on Monday, died yesterday. Both men were quartermaster's employees.

At the Missouri state missionary convention yesterday resolutions were adopted asking President McKinley to recommend to congress that a chaplain be appointed for each of the volunteer regiments organized under the new army bill for service in the Philippines.

The state department has received a report from United States Minister Morry at San Juan, Costa Rica, upon the recent epidemic of yellow fever which, for the first time, has afflicted the valley in which the capital lies. Under date of Sept. 24 he says that the fever in the town of Alajuela is under control and no new cases have developed.

The secretary of war has directed Capt. Gillette, in charge of the harbor of Savannah, to advertise for a new project for that work, the contract with the Atlantic Contracting Co., made by Capt. Carter, having been annulled. A similar order was issued to Capt. McKinstry regarding the work at Cumberland Sound, Ga., for the same reason.

Three hundred machinists and fitters of the Canadian Pacific railroad, representing various centers, from Fort William to Vancouver, went out on strike yesterday. Recognition of the union was refused and is the chief cause of the trouble, though differences as to the wages scale is a factor. The company says it can get along without the men.

GREETED GEN. ALGER.

War Department Officials and Secretary Root.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Ex-Secretary Alger took a New York train at noon after a busy morning, a part of which was spent in his old offices in the war department. Gen. Alger has set himself a high standard of conduct, that of the man who is too big to nurse a grievance. To his philosophical mind it seemed the handsome thing to go to the war department this morning and pay his respects to his successor in office. The ex-secretary was very cordially received and had a hard time getting past the half dozen messengers who guarded the secretary's door, whose desire on this occasion was not to keep the visitor out, but to shake his hand as long and as heartily as possible. The ex-secretary had a pleasant half hour in the big building, and many of the department officials seized the opportunity to greet him and congratulate him upon his complete restoration to health.

PROBATE JUDGES' CONVENTION.

Interesting Papers Read—Election of Officers.

Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 5.—At the court house Wednesday morning the probate judges closed their convention and adjourned to meet at Grand Rapids some time in August next year. Judge White, of Kalamazoo, presented a paper on "Dower and Homestead Rights," and Judge Jewell, of Grand Rapids, described the "Development of the Probate System." The name of Judge Grant, of Manistee, appeared on the program, but owing to death having entered his family, he was unable to appear. His paper upon "The Laws Governing Sales of Real Estate" was read by Judge Sparks, of this city. Officers were elected as follows: President, Judge Bush, of Corunna; vice-president, Judge Speer, of Macomb county; secretary and treasurer, Judge Sparks, of Saginaw.

\$13,000 Fire at Bay City.

Bay City, Mich., Oct. 5.—Fire broke out in the basement of Mansfield & Co.'s double store, meat market and grocery, in the Campbell House block, Wednesday night. Good work of the fire department kept the flames in the section of the building where it originated, although at one time the hotel was threatened with destruction and guests with personal property rushed to the street. Mansfield & Co.'s loss, principally by smoke and water, will run up to \$8,000, with \$5,000 insurance. The building was damaged to the extent of \$5,000, covered by insurance. Origin of blaze unknown as no fire was kept about the building.

\$1,000 Paid Out for \$500.

Niles, Mich., Oct. 5.—Expert accountants who are going over the books of the Citizens' National bank, which was closed several months ago, recently discovered, it is said, that \$1,000 was accidentally paid out on a check for \$500. The matter has just been made public and the extra \$500 has been returned. According to the story a man residing near Three Oaks presented a check for \$500. Through an error the cashier handed him \$1,000, and the man refused to make a correction until officers of the law took charge of the case.

Actions Against Violators.

Menominee, Mich., Oct. 5.—The apprehension of violators of the pure food law of Michigan is having a very salutary effect upon grocers of this section in an indirect way. Upon the complaint of Carl Franko, the state inspector, Willis N. Mills, the prosecuting attorney for Menominee county, informs your correspondent that numerous actions will be promptly brought in this county against the violators.

Complaints Against Dentists.

Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 5.—The secretary of the state board of examiners in dentistry, Dr. H. T. Harvey, of this city, has received complaints against a number of dentists who are practicing without complying with the law. He has called a meeting of the board at Saginaw, October 10, to which these dentists have been summoned to attend and pass an examination and prove themselves qualified to practice in this state.

Diseases in Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 5.—Reports to the State Board of Health show that rheumatism, diarrhoea, neuralgia, bronchitis and tonsillitis in the order named caused the most sickness in Michigan during the week ending September 30. Consumption was reported at 205 places; typhoid fever 108; scarlet fever 57; diphtheria 19; whooping cough 18; measles 9; cerebro-spinal meningitis 3; and small-pox at 1.

Three Oaks Preparing.

Three Oaks, Mich., Oct. 5.—Preparations are being made to give Dewey a reception that will be remembered as the greatest thing of its kind that ever occurred in southwestern Michigan. Nothing is known as yet when it will be, as the admiral will set his own time. Miss Helen Gould has also consented to be present, providing she has no engagement at that time.

Killed by the Cars.

Evart, Mich., Oct. 5.—The body of John Warkup, section boss on the Flint & Pere Marquette Railroad at Sean, four miles east of this place, was found by section men Wednesday morning. He came here Tuesday night on the evening train, and it is supposed he took the railway track back and was struck by the cars.

Saginaw's Suburban Railway.

Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 5.—The work of surveying the Saginaw & Frankenthum Electric road is in progress. The promoters of the road will confer with the officials of the Saginaw Valley Traction Co. this week in reference to arrangements for running into the city over the Traction company's tracks.

JEWELLED SWORD

PRESENTED BY PRESIDENT MCKINLEY TO ADMIRAL DEWEY.

A MAGNIFICENT BANQUET GIVEN IN THE EVENING.

GOV. PINGREE MET WITH AN ACCIDENT IN THE PARADE.

Washington, Oct. 4.—The culmination of Admiral Dewey's triumphal home-coming was reached Tuesday in the shadow of the dome of the national capitol. Here he received from the hands of the president the magnificent jewelled sword voted him by congress in commemoration of the victory of Manila bay.

For Dewey it was a trying as well as a triumphal day. None but those nearest to him could see how he labored to repress his feelings during the address of Secretary Long, but when he arose to receive the sword from the hands of the president no one could mistake the flash of the white-gloved hand as it rose to dash away the tears before the admiral came to the rigid attitude of attention before his chief.

When it became Dewey's turn to reply his voice failed him and he made the effort twice before his lips would respond. When he did succeed his tones were clear and steady, but so low that only those nearest him could hear.

One of the most remarkable features of the eventful day was the ovation to Rear Admiral Schley on the return of the party from the capitol to the White House. His carriage was several numbers behind that of the president and Admiral Dewey and received an ovation that could be scarcely ranked below that accorded to the admiral himself.

The venerable Cardinal Gibbons was presented and after an exchange of greetings the president asked the admiral if he felt equal to a general ordeal of handshaking. The hero of Manila swerved from the shock, explaining that his right arm was partially paralyzed from his experience in New York.

Gov. Pingree met with an accident while riding a restive horse in the parade, in which he narrowly missed a broken leg. The big horse slipped and fell heavily to the ground, rolling over on his rider and pinning the governor's left leg under his body. It looked for an instant as though the governor would be crushed in the horse's frantic efforts to regain his feet, but as he heaved his great body to the right the governor with a tremendous tug released his leg and sprang up with the agility of a school boy.

In the afternoon Gov. Pingree and staff paid their respects to the president.

President McKinley, in honor of Admiral Dewey, Tuesday night, gave the largest dinner party in the history of the White House social functions. Covers were laid for over eighty persons. The guests included the cabinet, the governors of nine states, justices of the supreme court, some of the members of both houses of congress, army and navy officials and others. Gov. Alger and Gov. Pingree were present.

COWARDLY MURDER.

Of a Railroad Chief Engineer at Salt Lake.

Salt Lake, October 4.—John O'Melveny is dead and Capt. J. F. Mills, formerly lieutenant-governor of Idaho and recently connected with the Second United States Volunteer engineer regiment, is in jail as the result of a tragedy which occurred here late Tuesday afternoon. O'Melveny, who was chief engineer of the Oregon Short Line, was in his office when Mills entered. The latter had made application recently for work in O'Melveny's department, but had not been accepted, for which he blamed O'Melveny. He fired three bullets into his victim, then dropped the revolver and quietly walked to General Traffic Manager Eccles' office and in the most nonchalant manner said: "Mr. Eccles, I have shot Mr. O'Melveny. I told him this morning I would do so and I have kept my word."

Officer Lincoln appeared on the scene about this time and said: "Are you the man who did the shooting?" Mills said he was and was put under arrest. O'Melveny was shot while writing at the desk and the ink had scarcely dried on the paper before he was dead.

The First Time in Years.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 4.—There was quite an unusual sight on the river Tuesday afternoon. The schooner Abbie Andrews, in command of Capt. Frank Boland, one of the oldest lake captains on the lakes, passed up with lumber from Buffalo to Chicago. It is the first time in many years that a schooner has taken a load of lumber from Buffalo to Chicago. Capt. Boland explained that he had on a cargo that the railroads would not take and one of the like of which has never been passed between the two ports. It is vulcanized Georgia pine. Owing to its slippery surface and the difficulty in handling and carrying it, the railroads refuse to touch it.

Boycott to be Declared Off.

Cleveland, October 4.—Business Agent Pratt, of the Cleveland Street Car Men's union, said that at a meeting of the strikers, to be held Friday night, the boycott on all persons who ride on Big Consolidated street cars will be declared off. He said he had recently attended a number of meetings held by labor unions and informed the members that when they would be inconvenienced by not riding on taboored cars they might ride without fear of a fine being imposed by the organization to which they belong. The strike, Pratt said, would be continued.

CHICAGO'S FALL FESTIVAL.

Opened With Much Enthusiasm and Glowing Lights.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—With music, streams of light and patriotic enthusiasm Chicago's fall festival was formally opened Wednesday evening in the presence of a vast throng. At 6 o'clock the cords binding the banners lining both sides of the Court of Honor were cut and 25,000 yards of red and white bunting were released. Ten minutes later the festoons connecting the Venetian masts decorated with 11,000 incandescent bulbs, were glowing with light, and State street between Van Buren and Lake streets presented a brilliant picture.

A promenade concert was given at Madison and State streets. The Court of Honor was packed with an immense throng of curious sight-seers. The electric light decorations on State street are beyond anything in that line ever attempted in Chicago, and although not all of them were in working order the effect was beautiful. The evening concert and illumination will comprise the festival programme until the arrival of President McKinley on Saturday night, when the first parade, that of the bicyclists, will be held.

TRANS-CONTINENTAL TOUR.

Admiral Dewey May Make One in November.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Admiral Dewey told Gen. T. M. Anderson Wednesday morning that he intended to make a tour of the west this fall. Gen. Anderson came with the committee from Chicago to invite the admiral to the fall festival exercises. Senator Proctor is authority for the statement that Dewey's trip will probably be extended to the Pacific coast and will probably take place in November. It is the intention of the admiral to accept as many invitations as his time and health will permit. The journey will assume the proportions of a grand trans-continental tour.

In determining to take this trip the admiral has yielded to the urgent solicitations of his friends. He feels that to settle down permanently in Washington without even taking off his hat to his many admirers would appear a bit churlish.

Wonderful Surgery.

New York, Oct. 5.—The two weeks of anxiety for Walter Duryea, the millionaire's son, who broke his neck, are over and an apparent "miracle" has been worked by modern surgery. As a last resort—for death was staring the young man in the face—Duryea submitted to an operation in Roosevelt hospital. It was apparently successful, but nothing certain was known until Tuesday, which was the time for testing the operation. Without stopping to think what would happen Duryea set in motion the machinery of the left. It turned. In his exultation he forgot the pain and turned his face to the right. He wagged his head from side to side until he was convinced that he had again established communication between his brain and that portion of his body below the nape of his neck.

Admiral Schley Honored.

New York, Oct. 5.—Rear Admiral Winfield Scott Schley was installed as commander of the Loyal Legion at the meeting of the order held at Delmonico's Wednesday night. As he entered the dining room where the members had already gathered at the tables, he was greeted with applause and a round of cheers. The flag was duly presented and the oath of office was then administered to the new commander by the senior vice-commander, Gen. Henry L. Burnett.

The secretary of war directed that work proceed in accordance with the river and harbor appropriation act for dredging a channel north of Pelican island to Texas City, Tex. This project was opposed by the people of Galveston on the ground that it would injure their harbor. A report from Col. Robert is against the contention of the Galvesto people.

GENERAL MARKETS.

Live Stock.

Chicago—Hogs, mixed and butchers, \$4.25; heavy, \$4.30; light, \$4.35; rough heavy, \$4.15; light, \$4.20; Cattle—Beef, \$4.00; mixed, \$3.75; cows and heifers, \$3.50; Texas steers, \$3.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.40.

East Buffalo—Veal calves, good to choice, \$7.50; a few extra, \$7.75; fair to good, \$5.50; Hogs—Yorkers and mediums generally, \$4.50; pigs, \$4.80; Michigan, \$4.75; roughs, \$4.50; Sheep and lambs—Good to choice lambs, \$5.00; fair to good, \$4.50; culls and trade, dull and slow, mixed, \$4.00; choice yearlings and wethers, \$4.50; fair to good ewes, \$3.50; culls and common thin sheep, \$3.00.

Detroit Grain Markets.

Wheat—No. 1 white, 71-1-4; No. 2 red, 72-3-4; No. 3 red, 68-1-2; December, 75c; May, 79c; Corn—No. 3 mixed, 34c; No. 3 yellow, 35c; Oats—No. 2 white, 23-3-4; No. 1 white, 26c; Oats—No. 2, 21-1-4; 3 white, 25c; Rye—No. 2, 61c; Beans—October, 11-3-4; November, 11-3-4.

Chicago Grain Markets.

Wheat—December, 73-1-8; May, 76c; May, 76c; Corn—December, 32c; May, 31c; Pork—December, 38-3-4; January, 37-1-2; Lard—December, 35c; January, 35-1-2; Beans—December, 11-3-4; January, 11-3-4; Flaxseed—December, 11-1-4.

BASEBALL RESULTS.

National League Games.

At Boston—Boston, 5; New York, 4. At Chicago—Chicago, 4; Louisville, 3. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 4; Louisville, 8. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 5; Philadelphia, 7. At Washington—Washington, 1; Brooklyn, 5. At New York, 5; Brooklyn, 1.

National League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	9	4	.692
Boston	9	4	.692
Philadelphia	9	5	.643
Baltimore	8	5	.615
St. Louis	8	5	.615
Cincinnati	7	6	.538
Pittsburgh	7	7	.500
Chicago	7	7	.500
Louisville	7	7	.500
New York	5	7	.417
Washington	5	9	.357
Cleveland	5	9	.357

POOR LO MUST GO

INDIANS AT BURT LAKE SERVED WITH WRIT OF EJECTMENT.

GIVEN UNTIL SPRING TO MOVE OFF THE LAND.

THEIR GROUND WAS SOLD BY THE STATE FOR TAXES.

Cheboygan, Mich., Oct. 5.—Sheriff Ming, with a posse, went Wednesday to Indian village on Burt lake to serve a writ of ejectment on the Indians who were occupying land sold by the state for taxes. They were beaten in the Circuit Court last December, but the Indians did not realize what it meant.

The purchaser of the land made an offer to give a lease of house and an acre of ground to each Indian, but they would not accept because they believed they could not be turned off the land they had occupied for years. They dropped the case after the Circuit Court decision.

Mr. McClain gave them until spring to move off and will at once proceed to clear up the land, only small patches of which has been cultivated. About fifteen families are affected by the writ. They offered no opposition, but agreed to go in the spring and said they would not molest the men at work clearing up the land.

A GRAND JURY.

Prosecuting Attorney Frazer Will Have One.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 5.—In view of the council committee's report on the Moreland investigation Prosecuting Attorney Frazer says there will be a grand jury to look into the doings of public men of Wayne county. Mr. Frazer prepared the following statement on the subject:

"There will be a grand jury called. One is necessary every year at least in my judgment, for general inquiry into all matters proper to be looked into by such a body. General inquiry is one of their great functions, whether sufficient evidence is secured for indictment or not. The latter depends entirely on the witnesses.

"Politics made cowards of the committee of investigation in their report. They neither condemn nor exculpate; they do nothing only shift the whole matter to the prosecuting attorney. The public interests require that I do not shrink it, and as I believe in the wholesomeness of their work generally, I will go ahead, and have the investigation free, fair, complete and avoid allowing that body to be used for political advantage or partisanship, by either Democrats or Republicans."

Dean Murder Trial.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 5.—Nothing very interesting developed in the Dean murder trial Wednesday. Mrs. Emma Knapp, keeper of the boarding house at 20 Howard street, where the murder occurred, being on the stand nearly all day. Attorney Robison subjected her to a long and rigid cross-examination which proved amusing to the spectators, owing to the efforts of the witness to fight off answering questions as much as possible. Mr. Robison's purpose was evidently to throw suspicion on the boarding house and some of the boarders and with that end in view he asked numerous questions at which Mrs. Knapp took offense.

Long-looked-For Railroad.

Alpena, Mich., Oct. 5.—The long-looked-for railroad west from Alpena will now probably be a reality. Surveyors for the Detroit & Mackinaw railway are now going over the route from here through to the western part of Montmorency county, and the line when finished will open up some of the finest tracts of hardwood timber in the state, besides making an outlet through the western and northern part of the state.

Caught Between Two Cars.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Oct. 5.—M. J. Williams, drummer for the Michigan Central railroad, was caught between two cars and perhaps fatally squeezed. He was unconscious for some hours, but is improving.

STATE SPECIALS.

Dennis S. Stevens, aged 83 years, who was severely injured in a runaway recently, died at his home in Vevay Wednesday night. He leaves a widow and one son.

Miss Lottie Greenman, of Ann Arbor, suddenly fainted while riding on the merry-go-round at the fair grounds Wednesday afternoon, and upon being removed to an adjoining building, died of heart failure.

Elliott Owens, of Battle Creek, was arrested Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Elliott, charged with attempted assault upon Miss Naomi Trethrick, of South Battle Creek. Owen stoutly denies the charge.

The Detroit, Rochester, Romeo & Lake Orion Electric Railway Company broke ground between Orion and Oxford Wednesday afternoon. The promoters say they will have the cars running into Orion in ninety days.

The state board of agriculture has awarded the contract for building a new dormitory for women at M. A. C. Work on the building will begin next Monday and will be rushed forward as rapidly as possible during good weather.

The annual conference of the pastors of the Evangelical church of the southern Michigan district closed at Laporte, Ind., Wednesday. The next meeting will be held at Three Oaks. The Evangelical denomination will send missionaries to labor in the cause of the church in the Philippines, and the other acquired possessions of the United States.

INHERITANCE TAX LAW

IMPORTANT MEASURE NOW BEFORE THE STATE.

IMMENSE REVENUE WILL BE DERIVED IF UPHOLD.

PROBATE JUDGE DUFFES TO MAKE A TEST CASE.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 4.—According to a notice sent out by the auditor-general from Lansing, all laws passed by the legislature that were not given immediate effect at the time of their passage took effect on Sept. 23. Under the latter heading is included what is known as the inheritance tax law, which is now considered one of the most important measures the state officials have to deal with.

If the law is upheld by the supreme court, an immense revenue will be derived by the state, but in all probability there will be a contest before the law is put into actual operation. Until within a day or two, hardly a lawyer in the city knew of the existence of the law. Judge of Probate Duffes has been studying the matter for some time, and while he believes that there can be no contest on the merits of the law as it was drawn strictly within the lines of the constitution, it is his opinion that several points will have to be cleared up and a test case will probably be started in order to get the opinion of the supreme court.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 4.—It has developed that the inheritance tax law passed by the last legislature is full of holes, and it is generally understood that it will not stand the test of the supreme court when it comes before that tribunal.

The defects in the law were discovered recently when the auditor-general proceeded to prepare a set of blanks and a system of books in order to carry it into effect. The law was found to be ambiguous, unintelligible, and crudely constructed. It was with considerable difficulty that a workable system for carrying the law into effect was devised.

An inheritance tax was enacted by the legislature of 1891 and it was declared unconstitutional, and this fact accounts for the general belief that it is impossible to prepare a law for the taxation of inheritances that will stand the scrutiny of the courts. The present law was drawn without the assistance of the attorney-general's department and the fact that it is full of defects leads to the conclusion that its author may not have avoided the constitutional objections raised to the previous law.

Gives Up the Scheme.

Kalamazoo, Mich., October 4.—Mrs. William Holsinger, wife of the convicted burglar of that name, has given up the scheme by which the prisoners nearly escaped from jail. She says she wrote to the stenographer for Talbot & Talbot, attorneys at South Bend, enclosing a letter to the warden and had the warden sent to Miss Lulu Beasley, of this city. She secured them and threw them to the prisoners in the jail cage on the corridor. The prisoners in the cage are accused of the Kalamazoo bank robbery and are clients of Talbot & Talbot.

Robbed of Her Valuables.

Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 4.—Mrs. Margaret Yates, of this city, was in the wreck of the steamer Scotman and has arrived home. She was the oldest lady on board, being 70, and was returning from a four months' visit with relatives in England. She suffered terribly from exposure and tells a thrilling story of the wreck. She was robbed of her valuables by the drunken crew.

STATE S. E. C. A. S.

Burglars last night entered the home of John Jewett, R. Port Huron township, and stole \$62.

While the 5-year-old son of H. B. Hickon, of Camden, was harnessing a large hound the dog became infuriated and bit off the little fellow's nose.

Phil Dyson, a well known colored man of Battle Creek, was killed in a railroad wreck at St. Louis, Mo., Tuesday. He left Battle Creek last Friday.

St. Clair now knows "the light that failed." A connecting rod at Tuesday electric lighting plant broke Tuesday evening and merchants and citizens had to resort to tallow dips and kerosene lamps.

Henry H. Lever, a druggist at Fremont, was drowned in Fremont lake Tuesday morning. He was last seen alone in a small boat. Later the boat was seen drifting and

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A. Steger was a Detroit visitor Wednesday.

Chauncey Freeman spent Sunday at Manchester.

Lewis Norton spent the first of the week in Detroit.

Henry Steinbach of Dexter spent Sunday at this place.

Miss May Creech spent Sunday with parents at Ypsilanti.

Ed. Moore is in Ohio, where he will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Wm. Durand of Battle Creek visited friends here this week.

John Bagge of Detroit spent Thursday and Friday with Chelsea friends.

Alva Steger of Detroit spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Steger.

Ex-Judge Wm. Look of Detroit was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Staffan Sunday.

Miss Amanda Huchenlucher was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Congdon Sunday.

Capt. John Considine, sr., of Detroit spent last week with his son, Rev. W. P. Considine.

Wilbur VanRiper has returned from New York City where he has been spending the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Helmrich of Detroit were the guests of Mrs. Bertha Helmrich Sunday.

Rev. J. I. Nickerson was called to Cleveland, Wednesday by the serious illness of his sister.

Mrs. John Eschelbach and children of Freedom are spending a few days with Mrs. Daniel Wacker.

Ed. Weiss and Wm. Walters left for Germany, Tuesday, where they expect to spend several months.

Dorr L. Rogers of St. Joe, Mo., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Rogers of Summit street.

A. J. Waters of Manchester was in Chelsea Monday for a short time, while on his way to Ann Arbor.

Mrs. G. A. Robertson and Mrs. Gillett and daughter of Battle Creek are the guests of Miss Mary Smith.

F. D. Schaeicher and daughter, Sophia of Ann Arbor were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Schumacher Sunday.

Misses Helen Hefner, Beatrice Bacon and Nellie Congdon left Monday to attend the Normal College at Ypsilanti.

Miss Winifred Cassidy, a graduate of St. Joseph's Academy Adrian left this week to join Dominican Order at Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vogel and son, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Elseacer of Dexter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wacker Sunday.

W. R. Reynolds, jr., of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Hartigan and son of Saginaw were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Runciman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McLaren, Gus BeGole, Ernest Cook and Chandler Rogers attended the Stockbridge fair last week.

Jas. Rowe and daughter, Mattie of Franciscan, and Mr. Rowe's sister, Mrs. Franklin Krum of Hamilton, Ont. spent Tuesday with Chelsea friends.

School Notes.

Karl Vogel entered the high school Monday.

Report cards for the first month are out this week.

Genevieve Young entered the high school this week.

Jacob Forner begun school this week in the ninth grade.

Miss Amy Whalen visited the ninth grade Monday morning.

Katie Collins returned to school Monday after a week's sickness.

Considerable excitement was caused Thursday by the sound of the fire whistle.

Nellie Savage, Linna Runciman and Inez Marshal attended the Stockbridge fair Friday.

Teacher in history to pupil—"Who founded the State of Penn?" Pupil studying German—"William Tell."

The monthly class average for September for the twelfth grade is 94.12 13, juniors 88, sophomores 86, freshmen 79, school average 87. The class of '00 is as usual in the lead.

A new system has been adopted in the high school whereby the different grades are divided into classes and these are divided into ranks. In the ninth grade, four classes exist with as many ranks as there are pupils in each class, the class and rank being determined by the monthly average.

In the tenth and eleventh grades three and two classes exist respectively while the seniors have but one class and rank each according to his averages.

FORMALLY DETACHED

DEWEY'S CONNECTION WITH THE OLYMPIA TERMINATED.

ADMIRAL GIVEN PERFECT LIBERTY FOR A TIME.

WILL VISIT HIS OLD HOME IN MONTEPELLIER, VT.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Admiral Dewey made an early start Wednesday to fill a number of engagements. After breakfast he joined one of his associate officers for a stroll out Connecticut avenue, and on returning, proceeded to the navy department accompanied by Admiral Farquhar.

Admiral Dewey went to Secretary Long and talked over plans for the immediate future, and to these Secretary Long promptly gave notice that the department was willing to give him perfect liberty to do as he pleased. The admiral was, therefore, at his instance, detached formally from the Olympia, as of this date. In accordance with projects already planned, the admiral will go to Vermont Monday as the guest of W. Seward Webb, Shelburne Farms, near Burlington. After a reception at the state capital, on the 13th inst., he will go to Boston to attend the reception there in his honor on the 14th inst. The Olympia will meanwhile have arrived at that place, for her orders are to proceed at once from New York to Boston, to be put out of commission and be extensively repaired.

After the Boston ceremonies Admiral Dewey is expected to return to Washington to meet his colleagues of the Philippine commission. Secretary Long said that the admiral's time probably would be fully occupied in the deliberations of the commission for some months to come, and meanwhile, in order to leave him free for this work, he will not be assigned to any naval duties. Further than this point the department has not yet undertaken to define its plans for Admiral Dewey's future.

When all of these details had been arranged the admiral walked over to the White House to keep an appointment made with the president to discuss the Philippine situation. He remained with the president an hour. President Schurman, of the Philippine commission, was also at the White House and joined Admiral Dewey as he left the president.

The detaching of Admiral Dewey from the Olympia had the effect of detaching Lieut. Brumby, his flag lieutenant, and Lieut. Caldwell, the admiral's secretary, from the duties they have heretofore performed for him. An order was issued, however, directing these officers to report to the admiral in connection with his shore duties. This is only temporary, to allow the admiral to catch up with the mass of correspondence, and is not the assignment of a permanent staff, such as that Admiral Porter had.

Split Narrowly Averted.

Washington, Oct. 5.—A split on political lines was narrowly averted in the meeting of the Pan-Presbyterian Alliance Wednesday. The trouble grew out of a resolution favoring arbitration as a solution of the difficulty between Great Britain and the Transvaal. Objection to this resolution was raised on the ground that arbitration was out of place between a sovereign state and one of its dependencies. There are two South African delegates to the meeting, Rev. P. C. J. Meiring, of Johannesburg, and Rev. H. S. Bosman, of Pretoria. Mr. Bosman left here on Monday for Africa in response to a cablegram begging him to come back to his people because of the threatening war outlook. Dr. Meiring, soon after the session opened, presented a letter to the chairman of the meeting. This was referred without reading to the business committee. Though its contents were not made public, it was soon known that it was a request from a Boer member to have his name stricken out from the rolls as an evidence of his displeasure at the slight put upon his country. At the afternoon session, however, an adjustment was reached. Dr. Meiring was induced to withdraw his letter of resignation.

President's Western Trip.

Washington, Oct. 5.—President and Mrs. McKinley and party, including the entire cabinet, left Washington at 9 o'clock Wednesday night for a half month's trip to Chicago and the northwest. The president arrived a few moments before the time for departure, and with Mrs. McKinley leaning on his arm, walked briskly down the entire length of the train shed, frequently acknowledging the salutes of a small crowd of spectators. The first stop of the party was at Baltimore, where the engine was changed. The train, which will be the home of the distinguished party throughout the trip, is one of the most sumptuously equipped ever run out of the Pennsylvania station.

Senate Financial Bill.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The Post says: On the first day of the approaching session of congress the senate financial bill will be introduced in the latter body. It will not be on the same lines as the house, but it will declare without equivocation for the gold standard. Senator Aldrich, who, as chairman of the finance committee of the senate, has taken a prominent part in the framing of the bill, said that the measure had been prepared, but that it would not be made public until it had been shown to a number of Republican senators.

Cards have been issued for the marriage of Miss Viola Dietrick and William McKinley Duncan, of Cleveland, a nephew of President McKinley. The wedding is to occur on Wednesday, Oct. 18, at the home of the bride in Youngstown, O., and President McKinley will attend.

County and Vicinity

The new M. E. church at Saline will be dedicated October 29th.

The liquid air plan to be given to the University by the Brush Electric Co. is at present in the process of construction in Germany.

Frank Anspach, who was shot in the jaw, while in the Philippines, will return to Ann Arbor soon. He is now awaiting his regiment in San Francisco and will go from there to Montana to be mustered out.

Rev. Howard of Milan, who was sentenced to ten years in Sing Sing prison for his connection with the electric sugar fraud, has just taken solace in a third wife. It is also her third venture into matrimony.

An effort will be made by our board of education to enforce to the letter the compulsory school law. This law is right. School houses are far better and cheaper for the public to support than prisons and almshouses.—Dexter Leader.

The much-dreaded Russian thistle has put in an appearance near Hanover, the section men having secured a specimen nearly four feet in diameter. Systematic steps will be taken to stamp out the pest in its early stages to prevent spreading.

There is every indication that the Ann Arbor postoffice will be raised to a first-class office at the next classification, which will be on March 30th, next. This will open the way for several improvements, among which will be a new station of the office, to be located near the University.

Some street loafer with a vigorous thirst, that was destined not to be satisfied, stole a gallon jug from a wagon on north Main street Monday. He left a large quantity of groceries but was irresistibly attracted by the heavy jug, which, alas, contained nothing more thirst satisfying than kerosene!—Ann Arbor Courier.

S. E. Francis, our frog hunter, caught 10½ dozen nice croakers in Island lake last Thursday night. Mr. F. ships them to Cincinnati and receives \$1.50 per dozen. So that \$15.75 for one night's work is pretty good. The first thing Francis knows the law-makers will place a law on bull frogs and then his business will be up.—Stockbridge Sun.

Unless the chickens get an extra hustle upon themselves, the price of eggs will climb out of sight. Yesterday the grocers were offering 17 cents a dozen to the farmers. The chief cause of this great rise in price is the fact that an unusual number of people are packing eggs. Many farmers are aying in big supplies—as many as 300 dozen to a family. Unless great care is exercised in working off these eggs, some cheap ones can be purchased in January and February.—Ann Arbor Argus.

Last evening about 8 o'clock an incident occurred on Main street which for a while furnished much amusement. A dray, to which was hitched a spirited animal, went down Main street at a lively rate, and behind it were two young men, blindfolded and tied to the end of the wagon by long ropes. The initiation, which it probably was, amused the two initiators who sat on the seat convulsed with laughter. The funny combination attracted much attention as it passed through the business part of the city.—Evening Times.

An amusing and unfortunate circumstance took place Sunday evening that will perhaps, induce a certain young man to meet his sweetheart some other place than the M. E. church. He had only recently met her and as she was inclined to the church, George (that is the name we will assign the young man) made an engagement to meet her there and escort her home. With an extra brush to his clothes and a dove-tail twist to his hair, with his patent leathers shining like full moons, he went to church. He had just taken a last survey of himself to see that all was well preparatory to opening the door, when the leader of the evening services announced as the next hymn to be sung, "There's a Stranger at the Door. Let Him In." It's needless to say that George started for the business portion of the house in a very reflective mood.—Grand Lodge Register.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL EXCURSIONS.

Michigan State Sunday-school association, at Battle Creek, November 14-16. One fare for round trip.

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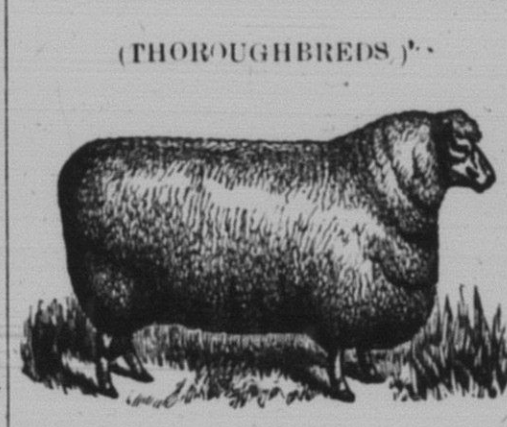
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Go see the Malden Ladies'.

Barrels of fun at the Convention.

Mrs. R. B. Gates is making some needed repairs to her farm buildings.

Jacob Staffan is acting as village marshal during the absence of Ed. Moore.

Rev. Marsh will preach at Lima, Sunday morning, and at Sylvan in the evening.

Staffan is offering some extraordinary inducements this week. See his advertisement.

Geo. P. Glazier and Stephen Laird shipped a carload of celery to St. Louis Saturday.

Just take your sweetheart and attend the Malden Ladies' Convention at the town hall, Friday evening.

Dwight L. Moody will be in Ann Arbor Saturday, Sunday and Monday, and will hold services in University Hall.

S. A. Mapes has purchased Frank Shaver's bath room outfit, and he has moved it to rooms over the laundry.

There will appear in next week's issue of The Standard, a very interesting letter from Wm. Grau, who is in the Philippines.

D. B. Taylor recently sold to John Alber and Bert McLain 16 acres of marsh adjoining R. A. Snyder's property for which they paid \$1,250.

B. Rummel, who has been running a saloon here for several months, has removed to Jackson. He has left his business in charge of Frank Carrington.

The B. Y. P. U. will serve a warm supper in the Sherry building, Saturday, October 7th, beginning at 5 o'clock. The proceeds go toward the new furnace, for the church.

The Oberammergau Co. will present the Passion Play in a series of living pictures at St. Mary's church, Monday and Tuesday evenings, October 10th and 11th. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Morton and Miss Nellie Congdon of this place attended the wedding of Miss Helen Ames of Ann Arbor, to Dr. Neil McDonald of Greenland, Upper Peninsula, at Ann Arbor Tuesday.

La Fayette Grange will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Burkhart, Thursday, October 12th, 10 o'clock a. m. Questions for discussion, "What are Trusts?" Led by George T. English; "Success and failure in poultry raising the past summer."

During the past week dogs got in their nefarious work in the flock of 150 sheep of Hiram Pierce just south of the village. Three were killed outright and several that are living show the marks of the vicious brutes by the wool that has been torn out and others are lame.

The Chelsea Telephone Co. now has a wire running into Grass Lake and Franciscan, the line having been completed last week. This company now has connection with Stockbridge, Unadilla, Gregory, Henrietta, Munith, Waterloo, Leslie, Franciscan, Grass Lake and Cavanaugh Lake.

Arthur Stark, who was sentenced to three years at Jails for attempted assault, threatens to "get even with the whole lot of 'em" after he gets out of prison. He threatens to kill Edna Reade, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Easton, Judge Kinne, Prosecuting Attorney Kirk, and the members of the jury.

The Bay View Reading Circle met at the home of Mrs. C. Martin, September 11th, 1899, to re-organize. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. C. Simson; first vice president, Mrs. J. R. Gates; second vice president, Mrs. George Palmer; secretary, Miss Mary Van Tyne.

What is the flag out for? Is this a holiday? What has Mrs. Noyes got the flag out for and a host of other questions was asked by the passers by on Saturday when they went by the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Noyes. Saturday was Dewey Day and we believe that Mr. and Mrs. Noyes were the only residents of this village who put out any flags. Hence the numerous questions.

Mrs. Carrie Seeper-Cushman will give a musical at the home of Mrs. H. S. Holmes on Friday evening, October 13, at which Miss Florence Pomeroy, teacher of physical culture, a pupil of Madam Albert, of New York City will take part in the exercises, in order to place before the pupils of Mrs. Seeper-Cushman the class of work she is doing. After the musical part of the program is through with Miss Pomeroy will deliver a short address on physical culture. A general invitation is extended to the ladies who are interested in this line of work.

The Convention convenes at the town hall Friday evening.

You can get a good laugh for 25 cents, if you go to the town hall Friday night, October 6th. It takes about thirty characters, which have been thoroughly trained by Miss Alice Isabel Finley of Detroit, to give the Malden Ladies' Convention, and Prof. Silas Blinkensop with his wonderful rejuvenating machine. Moral—"Don't try to be what you are not."

James Van Norden, the watchman on the M. C. R. R. crossing about 1 o'clock Sunday morning discovered a break in the water main near the crossing and at 6 o'clock Eliot McCarter, the watchman for the Glazier Stove Co. went to the residence of village president Staffan who at once started men at work to repair the break which was found to be at the point where the tap had been made for standpipe where the street sprinkler gets its supply.

Mrs. Mary O'Connor, of Chelsea, has filed a bill in the circuit court for the discharge of a mortgage given on her land by herself and husband, February 7, 1862, for \$390, upon which had been paid \$48. The mortgage was given to Patrick O'Connor, an unmarried brother of her husband. About December 27, 1862, she alleges that Patrick O'Connor decided to go west and gave to her the mortgage as a gift and for the past 20 years he has not been heard from. She wants the blot on the title to the land wiped out.

The word "rubber-necking," said a Lansing school teacher, has descended into such general use that it promises to be grafted into the English language as a provincial term, at least, to express inquisitiveness. It has been pronounced vulgar, however, by some; so comes a bright high school girl with an expression to take its place. She says hereafter "peninsularing" must be used instead of rubber necking. "And why peninsularing pray?" asked a friend. Without a word she went to the library and brought forth a dictionary. Opening it she pointed out this definition: "Peninsula—a. A long neck stretching out to sea."—Howard City Record.

Our local buyers are paying 68 cents for wheat red, 68 cents for wheat white. Oats, new 25 cents, oats, old 28 cents. Rye 55 cents. Barley 75 to 80 cents. Clover seed \$4.50. Timothy seed \$1.50. Straw \$2.50 per ton. Hay \$8.00 to \$8.50. Beans \$1.20. Apples, retail 40 to 60 cents a bushel. Apples, per bbl \$1.25 to \$1.50. Apples, to dry 15 cents a bushel. Beef, live 4 cents, dressed, 7 cents. Hogs, live 4 cents, dressed, 5 cents. Veal, live 5 cents, dressed, 7 cents. Sheep 2 1/2 to 4 cents. Lambs 4 to 5 cents. Chickens, 6 cents. Fowls, 5 cents. Ducks, 6 cents. Turkey 8 cents. Geese 6 cents. Onions 25 cents. Butter 16 cents. Eggs 14 cents. Squash, 30 to 50 cents a dozen. Cabbage 35 cents a dozen.

Far More Sensible. During a "dictation" lesson a schoolmaster read out the following sentence:

"His choler rose to such a height that passion well-nigh choked him." On correction—the exercises he found to his amusement that one little fellow had rendered the above as follows:

"His 'collar' rose to such a height that 'fashion' well-nigh choked him."—Answer.

But Hardly Poetic.

"What do you think of my poems?" inquired the young man.

"They betray an astonishing ignorance of anatomy," replied his medical friend.

"But they're not supposed to be scientific, you know."

"That may be the case, but it affords no excuse for your saying they 'spring from an aching heart,' when it is so apparent that they proceed from a deranged liver."—The Rival.

Imagination.

"When I grow up," said Ethel, with a dreamy, imaginative look, "I'm going to be a schoolteacher."

"Well, I'm going to be a mama and have six children," said Edna.

"Well, when they come to school to me I'm going to whip 'em, whip 'em." "You mean thing!" exclaimed Edna, as the tears came into her eyes. "What have my poor children ever done to you?"

One of His Best.

"You seem to talk as if you had a proprietary interest in the late Col. Ingersoll."

"I have. I helped make him what he is. With my vigorous assistance he drew crowded houses every time he came to our town."

"May I ask your business, sir?"

"Certainly. I am Rev. Dr. Byles of the Orthodox Brimstone church."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Necessity.

"There is a great deal of excitement in Paris," said one French official.

"Yes," said the other, calmly.

"And discontent?"

"Doubtless. But there isn't nearly as much discontent as there would be if there were nothing to get excited over."—Washington Star.

QUIET A STRATEGIST.

How Rafferty Would Fool the Philippines and End the War.

"Rafferty," exclaimed Mr. Dolan, "what d'yez tink my youngest b'y cern home recitin' th' other day?"

"O' d'no," was the answer. "What did he?"

"It wor a piece about a discontented dago. 'Strike,' says he, 'fur yer althens an' yer fires! Strike fur the green graves iv yer aires,' an' so he went till O' stopped 'im. Iv coorse, him bein' only a b'y, O' spoke mould an' fatherly. 'Dinny,' says O', 'ye murtherin' young ljjot, yez talk loike a walkin' delegate. Don't tell 'em ty strike. Who'llver tis yer talkin' to, let 'em attind ty their own business an' don't mix in fur mere love o' trouble."

"Very good advice ut wor fur a young man. But, at the same toime, O' tink he's right."

"About what?"

"In 'is advice. O' tink they ought ty strike."

"D'ye know anythin' about the case?"

"Nothin' except if O' wor thim O'd strike."

"Ye're wrong. Ut's a hot-headed man y'are, Rafferty. But the workin' man's turn is comin', an' wid 'placeable manes. Wait till they call 'im over till the Philippines ty settle the thrubble, thim y'e'll see 'im gatherin' up the bouquets which is 'trun at his feet be the admirin' populace as he marches proudly home ag'n wid his pick or shovel over 'is shoulder an' the flag iv victory wavin' over 'is head."

"Dolan, is this a funny dream y'e're tellin', or what?"

"It's what's comin' ty pass. Don't strike. Let the workin' man kape in practice, realizin' all the time that his country may at any moment awaken till the need iv 'im an' send him ty the fray. The thrubble wid aich an' lvery wan iv the Philippine islands is thot it's too big. Ut affords too much space fur runnin' away. 'Ye're it,' says Aguinaldo, bad luck til 'im, an' wid that he dives intill a swamp. What'll we do? We'll send over a gang iv stout-hearted men wid th' implements iv honest toil on their shoulders. We'll start 'em at the beaches an' put some excavatin' tactics inty the drill book so's ty kape 'em at work steady cuttin' down the islands, shovelful be shovelful, an' cartin' the real estate, which wor no good in the first place, out inty the say. An' thim whin we've got the Philippines penned in a ring where they've got ty foight widout runnin' the soldiers kin lick 'em right, an' let us all come home ty 'place an' glory."—Washington Star.

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COULDN'T LOSE FORTUNE.

SAD PREDICAMENT OF AN ALPINE CLIMBER.

It Was Different When Will Was to Bar Out Relatives Present and It Gave Them Great Strength.

Fish stories are all very well in their way, but when it comes to an out and out "yarn" the man of the woods can outdo any fisherman who ever pulled a sea serpent aboard while fishing for black bass, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. Bear, deer and wildcat yarns enliven the cool evenings in the Adirondacks just now, but the other day an Englishman who has a passion for climbing added his mite to the fund of romance. He is climbing all the mountains of America systematically. Pike's Peak, Mount Washington and Whiteface he considers worthy of his skill. But Blue Mountain is an ant-hill. He went up to its crest one morning to see the sun rise and after trotting home to breakfast and spending the day fishing went up again in the afternoon to see the sun set (most people start at 5 in the morning and come home at 7 in the evening when they climb Blue mountain).

"Of course, I'm a hardened climber," said this energetic Briton as he stirred the fire of pine boughs. "And I've had some funny experiences. Climbing isn't dangerous out here, that's why I get about it so quickly. I remember once, years ago, when I was quite a young fellow, my two brothers and I were clambering about on the Gorner glacier with an elderly uncle of ours. He was a rolly-poly old chap and he slipped and got wedged up to his waist in a crack in the ice, so firmly that we almost despaired of ever getting him out again. We pulled and tugged and nearly dragged all his clothes off; then we gave him our flasks to drink. He said he didn't know what was the use of writing and talking so much about the St. Bernard's when a fellow could get in such a plight as his and not be able to get any assistance. Then he called the whole party together and began to dictate a codicil to his will, cutting out any legatees 'who might happen to be present on the occasion of any accident resulting in his demise.' I remember the wording of it to this day—it made such an impression on me at the time!"

"How terrible! And then I suppose he perished miserably?" broke in an awed voice.

"Oh, dear, no," said the bold Briton cheerily. "My brothers and I made a superhuman effort and hauled him to the surface again, just in time!"

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CHAPTER XVI.

CAIN LAVERSHA GOES POACHING.

By the time that Dolly and the undergraduate had picked their way out of the long rock gallery which led to Nick's snugery it was almost dark, and there was still the better part of an hour's hard scrambling to be done before they could hope to reach the Eureka again. Indeed, the journey took them considerably longer than an hour, for the rocky gullies and thorny knolls which they had to traverse needed careful walking even in the daytime, and now, in the rapidly growing darkness, they were doubly dangerous. Fortunately there was a moon, but moonbeams are not the most reliable light in which to go rock climbing, even if one is quite sure of the track.

The ketch's riding lamp served as a beacon to lead them in the right direction, and without its help it is most certain that they would more than once have gone very far astray indeed in their efforts to retrace the path which they had taken in the morning, for in the moonlight the shadows gave deceptive appearances of easy gullies where there were in reality nothing but ugly holes and of gentle slopes which a closer approach showed to be sheer precipices. Every step had to be picked, and carefully picked too.

When they reached to within a quarter of a mile of the Eureka, the rest was easy, for they were now upon the sandy, level beach once more. And here they came upon Dr. Tring.

The doctor was striding along quickly, a gaunt, black shadow in the moonbeams. At a hail from Guthrie he stopped.

"Guthrie ahoy!" he cried. "Are you all right?"

"All right it is!" answered the undergraduate.

"Both of you?"

"Both of us!" shouted Dolly. "Rather tired and fearfully hungry. That's all. Where's father?"

The doctor shifted his helm and bore down upon them. About a fathom away from them he stopped, fiddled for his glass and put it in his eye, and then he crammed both his fists deep into his pockets and stared hard at the truant.

He said nothing. His leathery features were screwed up as if he were going to whistle, but no sound came out from between the puckered lips.

"Well!" he remarked presently. "Aren't you ashamed of yourselves?"

Under that stare Guthrie had begun to feel uncomfortable. Dolly, as usual, took matters coolly. She knew how to manage most people and among them, of course, Dr. Tring.

"We're very sorry for outstaying our leave," she said demurely. "But we couldn't help it. We were boxed up and couldn't get out. We've had a very tiring day, and we've missed two meals."

"Bless my soul!" ejaculated the doctor, letting his eyelids topple down and his features smooth themselves out again. "So you have! What a fool I was not to do the St. Bernard dog trick—brandy bottle and bath bun. However, come along at once."

"Where's the dad?" asked Dolly.

"As the Yankees would say, 'Tearing around.' He began to get anxious about you a couple of hours ago, and I dare say he's fully convinced by this time that one if not both of you will have to be carried back to the Eureka on a stretcher."

"I say, doctor."

"Go and tell him, do, and save us the wiggling. We couldn't help it really. You see, it was this way."

"Never mind the yarn now," interrupted Dr. Tring. "Here we are at the boat. Henrietta will put you on board, and I'll go and find your father and tell him you're all right. Afterward you can give us the whole yarn."

"Mind you explain to the dad that we couldn't help it," insisted the girl.

"H'm! I'll tell him that you say you couldn't, but you've still got to prove that, you know, miss," answered the doctor, with a very feeble pretense at severity.

He turned away inland again, and the others went down to the boat. Henrietta squeaked a curt greeting, and as she was shoving off remarked that the "cap'n had took on bad about Miss Dolly."

"Poor old dad," remarked Miss Colepepper ten minutes afterward, when she and Guthrie had taken the keenest edge off their appetites—"he's always fussy and nervous about me. Alan, do you consider we've wasted this day?"

Now it so happened that cold beef and pickles prevented the undergraduate from giving an articulate reply to Dolly's question at that particular moment. But she shook his head most vigorously.

"We haven't found the spring of fresh water we were sent to seek, you know," suggested Dolly slyly.

"I don't care if we haven't," replied the young man unblushingly. "I'm glad, in fact, because we can spend another day like this in looking for it."

"Oh!" murmured Miss Colepepper quietly and dropped the subject.

There was, however, as it turned out, no necessity for another day to be spent in the search for the needed fresh water, because Captain Colepepper had found it himself. The spring was only about 100 yards from the part of the beach where the Eureka was lying, and the

captain had lit upon the spot accidentally, while he was engaged in turning the island of Piper's cay upside down to find the two authorized water searchers.

"No more shore leave for anybody at present," he declared that evening, therefore, when he had heard his daughter's tale. "It doesn't seem to be safe, and, besides, we've got plenty of work for all hands, without wasting our time in playing hide and seek all over the island. Tomorrow we'll set about the fill-



"Come, out with it, Tom!"

ing of the water casks and the other jobs that brought us to Piper's cay. I don't want to stay here a day longer than is necessary to put the ketch into proper trim for another attempt on the Santa Catarina's money box. We've got through a fairish bit of the repairing work today, while you two youngsters have been amusing yourselves by tumbling into my piratical ancestor's mantraps. But there's still three days' work good to be done before I shall declare the Eureka in fit trim to weather an Atlantic blow, so we'll make it four bells, doctor, and all hands to take their watch below. We shall make an early start tomorrow."

But, as it proved, the general overhaul of the ketch was not destined to begin on that next day, after all, for in the morning at breakfast Tom Jelly made a statement that gave the whole crew other work to do. The one armed sailor arrived at the foot of the companion with a very embarrassed grin peeping from among the jungle of black hair on his face. He kneaded his cap nervously in his hand and did not seem to be able to speak at all till the captain had twice exclaimed, "Come, out with it, Tom!"

"At last, with a loud introductory 'H'm!' the man began his explanation."

"Why, cap'n, it's that lubber Cain!" And there he fetched up short.

"Well?" said the skipper, with a trifle of impatience. "What's the matter with him? He hasn't been running away, has he?"

"Why, cap'n," replied Jelly, "I believe you've about hit it. You see, it was this a-ways: Cain and me was ashore with the jolly las' thing las' night, and Cain, he says, 'Tom, says he, 'I bin a poacher, I bin.'"

"Oh!" says I. "Have you really now?"

"A dasprit poacher," says he, "afore Zusan Pierce took me in hand, and the longin's coming on me again now. If I don't go poach this night, I'st bust."

"Surely not," says I, shifting to wind'ard of him a trifle.

"Surely, yes," says he. "Zusan Pierce not being 'ere, 'is poach or bust."

"What's the use of telling us all this rignarole?" broke in the doctor impatiently.

"With due respect," said the voice of Tom from behind the black jungle, "you'd better hear the whole yarn. Well, I says to him, I says, 'Cain, when'll you have done?'"

"Sun up," says he, "sees me standing where us is now."

"Then says I, always being wishful to do the kind to a shipmate, though he be but a cook with the clay still yaller on his heels: 'Here goes, then, for shoving off wi' out you. But sun up Cain! La-what's-un's-name or I'll be getting into trouble.'"

"Sun up, Tom Jelly," says 'ee, an starts off into the scrub, leaving me to scull the jolly aboard by myself. Now, cap'n, that was how it began, but, though sun up see me ashore again and though I waited a matter of two hours, no Cain hove in view. So off I sculls again to the ketch and tells the whole business to 'Enrietta, 'er bein' fust person to hear it."

"Tom Jelly," says she, 'you be a blamed fool!' Them's the very words, cap'n—'blamed fool!' 'And,' says she, 'get below, you black avised swab, and tell the skipper at once!' Terrible clever woman 'Enrietta be, gentlemen all and miss."

The men was going on, but Captain Colepepper cut his rambling short with a "That'll do!" whereupon he saluted with his solitary fist and tumbled up the ladder.

"What does this mean, Colepepper?" the doctor asked, picking his wig up from a locker and clapping it on his bare scound.

"The fellow can't have been trying to desert, can he?"

"I don't see that there's anywhere to desert to," replied the captain peremptorily.

"Caves and booby traps," suggested Dolly.

"Ah," said the doctor, "of course I fancy that's more to the point, Colepepper. It seems likely enough that this infernal island fairly bristles with pleasant surprises of that kind. That great lumbering fool evidently went off under the impression that he was going to lay hands on black game or red deer, as he was probably accustomed to do on Dartmoor, when he carried less flesh on his bones. I've heard of men getting a touch of that sort of madness when they find themselves ashore after a long spell at sea. The only thing which surprises me is that this plethoric clod should have had enough imagination or energy for such an adventure."

"He'll have found some cozy niche, I expect," said the captain, "and have tumbled off to sleep. We shall hear him bawling, like one of his brother Abel's bulls, from the shore there in the course of the morning, asking to be taken off again. If he'd only screw his voice up into some sort of a decent sea hail, I believe I'd let him off without a wiggling. Now, on deck, all hands, and set to getting the work done! Thanks to my scurry round yesterday after you two youngsters, I've found the place where Piper or my scoundrelly ancestor or some of the other blackguards of the old days used to leave their craft down. It'll fit the Eureka as though it had been built for her."

They got the anchor up, and, putting the ketch under jib and mizzen, worked her into the miniature bay which the captain had noted. It was rather delicate work getting in, as the whole place was not bigger than a dock basin, but the captain had the boat out to get warps ashore, and before he piped down to dinner the Eureka was snugly moored by shore fasts at stern and bow. One of the sides of this tiny harbor was steep to, and by getting out a couple of springs and slacking up a trifle on the other warps they were able to heave her close in, and then, after slipping out the gangway, a bridge of planks put them in direct communication with land.

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"I'm afraid, Colepepper," said the doctor anxiously, "that your sleep theory is a wrong one, after all. I fear the fellow has got pitted like the young people were."

"It looks as if you might be right, doctor," admitted the captain, with some irritation. "Confound the lout! I don't suppose he'd have the sense to find us in our new moorings, either, if he did come down to the shore and found that the ketch wasn't exactly where he'd seen her last. I wish I'd left her where she was and gone to look for the man this morning."

"We must have volunteers for a search party," said Dr. Tring.

"No, I'll take all hands," replied the captain. "We shall be more likely to find him quickly if we spread well, and no harm can come to the ketch where she is lying now."

Five minutes after this the whole crew was ashore, with instructions to advance straight across the island and not to be afraid of giving tongue as soon as they saw any sign which might lead them to the missing farmer.

"Half a minute, Guthrie, my lad," added the captain, as the undergraduate was setting off with Miss Colepepper. "I don't think you and Dolly had better go together, or you'll be getting one another into mischief again."

"Send Henrietta to look after them," suggested Dr. Tring, with a grin.

"Right, I will. Thanks for the idea, doctor. Here, Henrietta, go as nursery maid with my daughter and Guthrie and see that they don't break their own necks or yours. Try the pirate's snuggery first, Guthrie. That fool of a farmer may have tumbled into the very same trap as you did."

"Aye, aye, sir!" said Guthrie, and then added in a tone which only Dolly could hear: "Confound Henrietta! But we'll try to lose her."

TO BE CONTINUED

An Opening

"George promised me he would talk to you on the evil effects of wine. You were there last night, I believe?"

"I was there."

"Did he open the subject?"

"Yes."

"In what way?"

"With a corkscrew."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Horror of Peace.

"It ought to interest you," said the professor, "to learn that the English representatives at the Czar's peace conference brought a lot of quinine with them."

"What for?" asked the doctor.

"They were afraid they might drop the H from 'Hague' and get—"

"I see."

Conflicting Advice.

She—It breaks my heart to see you come out of the tavern!

He—A man can't tell what to do any more! This morning the minister made a lot of talk because he saw me go into the tavern, and now you are scolding because I'm coming out.—Fliegende Blätter.

His Unerring Instinct.

"Excuse me, sir, but aren't you Merriam, the golf player?"

"No, I'm Schmidt, der sausage-maker."

"Thank you, sir. I felt sure there was some suggestion of the links about you."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Unexpected.

"A saintly old farmer came around to the house the other day and sold my wife three dozen alleged fresh eggs."

"I suppose you had the laugh on her in great shape."

"No, the eggs were all right."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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A GOOD STORY ON ARTHUR AND BLAINE.

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There is a good story of the presidential excursion down to the eastern shore of Maryland, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. The party embraced Secretaries Blaine and Windom and others. They were fortunate enough to hear an excellent sermon from the venerable protestant episcopal bishop of Maryland, who was there to administer the rite of confirmation. President Arthur and the two secretaries sat in quiet satisfaction. But their peace of mind was suddenly dispelled. The offertory was sung. At the familiar words: "Let your light so shine before men, etc.," the president and the secretaries each quietly dropped a hand into a pocket.

"Lay not up for yourselves treasures on earth."

Window drew forth a crisp \$1 note and held it between his thumb and forefinger, ready for the approaching plate. The president and Mr. Blaine went a little deeper into their pockets. One brought up a nickel and the other a dime. Their faces flushed. It would never do to make such a contribution.

"He that soweth little shall reap little and he that soweth plenteously shall reap plenteously. . . . God loveth a cheerful giver."

The president went to his pocket-book and the secretary of state explored his vest pocket with nervous fingers.

"Zaccheus stood forth and said unto the Lord: 'Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor, and if I have done wrong to any man I restore fourfold.'"

The plate was only four pews away. What the president found in his pocket-book was one fifty-dollar note and a ten-dollar greenback—nothing smaller. To put in a nickel or a dime was not to be thought of. To give \$10 was more than either cared to do. Each looked at Windom sitting there calmly with his dollar note in his hand. He shook his head.

"Charge them that are rich in this world that they be ready to give and glad to distribute."

There was no time for further pocket exploration or consideration. With a smile of commiseration at each other, and something like glee in Windom's placid countenance, the president and the secretary of state each plucked down his ten-dollar note for the "poor of this congregation." And the worst of it is, said one of the party afterward, that the Lord would probably two which they intended to give.

Couldn't Do It And.

A little group of professional men were talking of dentists the other day when the stout man of the party related a humorous incident that occurred some time ago. It happened in a dentist's office in Kansas City, and the stout man was there at the time.

A typical cowpuncher came in and wanted a tooth treated. He was a big fellow with an immense soft hat, and when he deposited himself in the operating chair everything cracked.

"Mind you, don't hurt me," he said, in a menacing tone, and then the dentist got to work.

After boring into the tooth a moment he paused.

"Now," he said, "don't stir. If you do this tool may slip and your nerve will get a nasty jar."

All went well for a few moments and the big fellow threw his head back.

There was a yell, a scramble, and a falling chair, and then a brawny fist flew out, and a dazed and bleeding dentist picked himself up from the floor on the opposite side of the room.

"You blamed idiot," he mumbled, with his hand on his jaw, "I told you not to move!"

"That don't make a mite o' difference," roared the cowpuncher; "no man kin hurt me like that an' live!"

And, seizing his hat, he plunged heavily down the stairs, anatomizing the whole dentist fraternity at every step.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Uncle Bill's Idea.

Even a married woman sometimes wastes a good deal of affection on a dog.

A young fellow seldom gets encouragement until it has turned into applause.

A man sometimes doesn't find out what he is until he discovers he'd like to be something else.

The man who gives away all his money before he dies has a good opportunity to discover what people really think of him.—Cleveland Leader.

Credit Where It Is Due.

"I am afraid that our new son-in-law's aristocratic traditions will make it difficult for him to hold his own in financial affairs."

"I kind of felt that way," replied her husband, "but don't let's be hasty in judging him. I must say he talked right up like a business man when it came to fixing a dowry."—Washington Star.

Before and After.

Magistrate—Do you mean to say such a physical wreck as he is gave you that black eye?

Complaining Wife—Shure, yer worship, he wasn't a physical wreck till he gave me th' black eye.—Tit-Bits.

Our Plat.

"The Brown-Jones don't speak to us any more."

"What's the trouble?"

"Well, we locked up and went off to the country Saturday and left their Sunday dinner in our ice-chest."—Detroit Free Press.

DOES IT PAY TO BUY CHEAP?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but always inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. Sample bottles at Glazier & Stimson.

Millions of dollar is the value placed by Mrs. Mary Birn, Harrisburg, Pa., on the life of her child, which she saved from cough by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. It cures all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. Glazier & Stimson.

PREVENTED A TRAGEDY.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors, but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous cure also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50 cents and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Glazier & Stimson's.

Eat plenty, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat. It cures all forms of dyspepsia and stomach troubles. E. R. Gamble, Vernon, Tex., says, "It relieved me from the start and cured me. It is now my everlasting friend." Glazier & Stimson.

STORY OF A TREE.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she was wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 40 cents. Sold by Glazier & Stimson, druggists.

"When our boys were almost dead from whooping cough, our doctors gave us One Minute Cough Cure. They recovered rapidly," writes P. B. Hiles, Argyle, Pa. It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung trouble. Glazier & Stimson.

THE BEST COUGH REMEDY ON EARTH. WARNER'S WHITE WINE OF TAR SYRUP. CONSUMPTION CURE, cures a cold in 24 hours if taken in time and does not stop a cough in one minute by paralyzing the throat, but it cures the disease and leaves the throat and lungs healthy and strong. 25 and 50 cents.

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Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25 cents at Glazier & Stimson's drug store.

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A dose or two of Foley's Honey and Tar will prevent an attack of pneumonia, grip or severe cold if taken in time. Cures coughs, colds, croup, hiccups, hoarseness, difficult breathing, whooping cough, incipient consumption, asthma or bronchitis. Gives positive relief in advanced stages of consumption, asthma or bronchitis. Guaranteed.

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Joseph Stockford, Hodgdon, Me., healed a sore running for seventeen years and cured his piles of long standing by using Dr. King's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures all skin diseases. Glazier & Stimson.

IT SAVED HER LIFE.

Miss Mammie Smith, Middleboro, Ky., writes: "My little sister had the croup very bad. I gave her several doses of Foley's Honey and Tar and she was instantly relieved. It saved her life."

"It did me more good than anything I ever used. My dyspepsia was of months' standing; after eating it was terrible. Now I am well," writes S. B. Keener, Housington, Kas.; of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. Glazier & Stimson.

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brings to view.
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Shaver the Shaver with the best of care.

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Time Card, taking effect, June 25, 1899.
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No. 3—Detroit Night Express 5:20 a. m.
No. 36—Atlantic Express 7:15 a. m.
No. 12—Grand Rapids 10:40 a. m.
No. 6—Express and Mail 3:15 p. m.
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SHIPMENTS OF LUMBER

AT SAGINAW THE SMALLEST FOR
FORTY YEARS.

THE COAL INDUSTRY REPORTED
ON THE INCREASE.

THREE COMPANIES WILL IN-
CREASE THEIR OUTPUT.

Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 2.—The water
shipments of lumber from the Saginaw
river in September were only
1,626,535 feet. From the opening of
navigation to date there has been
shipped from the river 29,370,412 feet
of lumber, the smallest shipments for
a corresponding period in 40 years.
The lumber made on this river is all
wanted here for manipulation in plan-
ing mills and factories and is shipped
out in car lots. The rail-shipments
for the year will reach about 300,000,
000 feet. There came to the Saginaw
river in the month of September just
ended, 14,430,000 feet of lumber. The
total receipts of lumber by water from
the opening of navigation to date were
58,775,557 feet. The high rate of freight
may shut off some lumber bought by
Saginaw lumbermen at upper lake
points. It is estimated there is about
40,000,000 feet to come this season.
Some dealers are arranging to bring
down their lumber by rail. Last week
1,000,000 feet was brought over from
Midland, Ont., on a \$2 rate, but now
they are asking \$3 from Georgian Bay
ports to the Saginaw river.

The Saginaw coal industry is on the
boom. Every mine will increase its
output during the winter and the only
bar to the business is the difficulty in
securing transportation. The Saginaw
coal company is now taking out about
100 tons daily. This will be increased.
The Erie Marquette Coal company is
taking out nearly 400 tons daily at
port No. 1, and about 100 tons at
port No. 2, the latter being a new
raft and just started. It is expected
the output will reach 700 tons. At St.
Clair the Somers Coal company is
taking out 800 tons and expects to
reach the output during the winter.

STATE SPECIALS.

St. Louis has had a flurry of snow.
There was a heavy frost at Allegan
Friday night. The thermometer
dropped 10 degrees below freezing.
A storm on the mill pond, nearly
over it.

President McKinley will include
Michigan in his return trip from the
U. S. Senate. Burrows has been notifi-
ed that the executive will be there
at noon of Oct. 17, the first day
of the carnival.

An Ann Arbor director of the Wes-
tern-Union says that the \$50,000 en-
dowment fund to employ a general
relief has been provided for the
next conference year. Also that pros-
pects are good for securing \$50,000 for
the building, and a like sum for its
care and custody.

The official statement at the state
university is given as 2,337, which
with the list who attended the summer
school and those who will enter dur-
ing the remainder of the year, will
give a registration of nearly 3,700.
Every department shows a substantial
gain in enrollment.

The oldest inhabitants of St. Joseph
say the present weather breaks the
cord in their experience, about six
degrees of snow having already fallen.
Thousands of barrels of apples and
tatoes, some peaches and grapes,
all thousands of tons of sugar beets
are still unharvested. Crops are so
advanced, however, that little
damage will result.

James Dickinson, editor of the Wind-
ward World, and formerly editor of the
Ontario Globe, been forced to give
up hope that his wife may have been
rescued in the pitiful Scotsman wreck.
Latest telegram confirms the report of
her drowning. Dickinson was 49
years old, and he is a family of three
sons and three daughters. Mr. Dick-
inson has received many messages of
sympathy from newspaper and other
friends in the provinces and states.

Mrs. Anson Wright has returned to
Ann Arbor after a mysterious ab-
sence of five days. She explains that
a woman doctor,ugged or hypnotized
her, when her friends, who were
searching for her appeared at the
house where she was hidden. A possi-
ble motive for the strange actions
may be the \$1,600 Mrs. Wright has
in the bank. Mr. Wright had warned
the bank, but no check was presented.

Hot Water Heating Franchise.

Bay City, Mich., Oct. 2.—The three
committees of the common council to
whom was referred the application of
Isaac D. Smead, Co. of Toledo, for a
franchise permit the installation
of a central hot water heating station,
with capacity of 600 houses, voted to
recommend the adoption of the pro-
posed ordinance. In case the fran-
chise is given the company proposes
beginning work immediately on the
plant, which is estimated to cost \$100,-
000.

Marsh Fires.

Detroit, Mich., October 2.—The dry
grass at Grosse Pointe was a mass of
flames Saturday. Three small boat
houses were destroyed. The residents
built a cross fire so as to check the
flames.

George D. Connor, secretary of the
Country club, and some of the mem-
bers put in Sunday afternoon trying
to extinguish a very pretty marsh fire
which was threatening to reach the
association's buildings. Owing to their
efforts, no material damage was done
outside the burning of one or two hay-
stacks, but the fire cut a path a quar-
ter of a mile wide by a mile and a half
long, extending from Lake St. Clair to
Jefferson avenue.

SEVERELY BURNED

MRS. IDA LEHMAN THE VICTIM OF
A GASOLINE STOVE.

ATTEMPTED TO FILL THE TANK
CONTAINING THE FLUID.

CODY BAKED ALL OVER—SHE MAY
NOT RECOVER.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 3.—Mrs. Ira Leh-
man ran screaming from her home
above the store at 1431 Michigan ave-
nue Monday evening. Her clothing
was a mass of flame and dropped in
pieces from her body as she ran to
Charles Addison's grocery store.

"Let me go and save my baby,"
shrieked the poor woman, as several
persons gathered about her in an ef-
fort to check the flames.

"Save my baby, save my baby," she
cried, unmindful of her own sufferings,
and finally she dropped to the floor
from exhaustion. Her clothing by this
time had been almost completely
burned from her body and she was
suffering great pain. Grace hospital
ambulance was called and removed her
to that institution.

Mrs. Lehman is the victim of a
gasoline stove. She was about to pre-
pare the evening meal and, after light-
ing one of the burners on the stove, at-
tempted to fill the tank containing the
gasoline. As she poured the oil the
burner flared suddenly up and set fire
to her dress. Little damage was done
to the building and the baby was in
no danger at any time.

At the hospital it is stated that Mrs.
Lehman may not recover. Her head
and face are only slightly burned, but
her body is baked all over. The burns,
however, are not very deep, and she
is not internally burned. Mrs. Leh-
man is 30 years of age.

Michigan Railroads.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 3.—Railroad
Commissioner Osborn issued an earn-
ings statement showing the earnings
of Michigan railroads for the month
of August. The aggregate earnings
for the month were \$3,407,477.80, as
against \$2,931,348.50 for the corre-
sponding month of 1898, the increase
being \$476,129.30. The total earnings
for the eight months of 1899 ending
August 31, were \$22,949,192.57, as
against \$20,044,939.60, a gain of \$2,-
904,252.97. The per cent of increase
is 14.57, and indicates a gain of over
\$3,000,000 for the year.

Mr. Moody Will Visit Ann Arbor.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 3.—A tele-
gram was received by Secretary M. C. A.
Moody, of the university Y. M. C. A.,
Monday afternoon from Dwight L.
Moody, the evangelist, stating that he
would be in Ann Arbor over Sunday.
Arrangements are now on foot looking
towards a three days' series of evangel-
istic services to be held Saturday,
Sunday and Monday under his aus-
pices.

STATE SPECIALS.

The saw and planing mill of Super-
visor Wm. Cuthington, northeast of
East Dayton, was destroyed by fire
Sunday night. The mill was the
largest of its kind in that part of the
state. Total loss estimated at \$5,000.

The Port Huron officers are looking
for Charles Kirtidge, superintendent
of the Port Huron Electric Light Co.,
who is wanted for an alleged brutal
assault on William Date, an electrician.
The officers have so far failed to
locate him.

Some misguided person who evidently
knew the lay of the land, entered
the Chelveygan Democrat office last
night and succeeded in opening the
outer door of the safe. With a piece
of stove wood the interior was slightly
damaged in the effort to find money.

The completion of the grade for the
Battle Creek & Kalamazoo Electric
Road to the corporation line of the lat-
ter city was signalled by the passage
through Galesburg of the entire force
on route to Augusta, where the work
of placing ties and laying iron will re-
ceive immediate attention.

Land Commissioner French has
made the following appointments at
the factory of the Alma Sugar Co.: W.
B. Scattergood, of Ithaca, to be in-
spector; George S. Youngs, of Alma,
to be tarenan; James B. Garrett, of
Alma, to be weighman; Howard Wil-
lard, of Alma, to be assistant weigh-
man, and George R. Taylor, of St.
Louis, to be assistant tarenan.

Three alleged burglars at Howell
Sunday broke jail and are still at large.
They were awaiting trial for breaking
and entering a store at Anderson. They
made their escape by sawing the bars
of the grate which covered the venti-
lating flue from the cell into the corri-
dor of the jail proper and cutting the
in or sheet iron on the corridor side
of the brick wall that let them into
the hall way and from there they went
out the kitchen door.

Edmund S. Black, of Marine City;
James McCall, of Yale, and S. C. Mc-
Louth, of Marine City, have been ap-
pointed members of the jury commis-
sioners for St. Clair county for the
term of four years from and after
March 15, 1899. Charles Jacobs, of
Center Line; Henry Verner, of Lake
Shore, and Charles C. Bradley, of Ro-
meo, have been appointed members of
the jury commissioners for Macomb
county for the term of four years from
and after April 17, 1899.

Street Railway Consolidation.
Columbus, O., Oct. 3.—The consoli-
dation of all the street railway lines of
Columbus was completed Monday
night. The property of the Columbus
Street Railway Co., the Cross Town
Street Railway Co. and the Columbus
Central were transferred to the new
Columbus Railway Co. The new com-
pany then executed a mortgage of \$7,-
200,000 to the Union Savings Bank &
Trust Co., of New York. R. E. Shel-
don is the president and P. V. Burring-
ton secretary of the new company. E.
K. Stewart will be the vice-president
and general manager.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

FREEDOM.

Mrs. Geo. Klein of Detroit is visit-
ing at Jacob Lutz's.

The dance held at the town hall
Friday night was very largely at-
tended.

Miss Mannie Barth and brother of
Lima spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Wm. Eschelbach.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Klein of Lima
spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Fred Eisman.

The house of Louis Geyer is being
put up very rapidly and will soon be
ready for the family to move into.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Geyer and family
of Pittsfield spent last Sunday with
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Geyer and family.

WATERLOO.

Lynn Gorton was in Detroit the first
of the week.

Rev. Charles Broadhead is attending
conference this week.

Miss Ella Monroe was a Detroit
visitor the first of this week.

Born, on Saturday, September 30,
1899, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman,
a daughter.

Eugene Quigley of Hastings was
called here to attend the funeral of
Mrs. Christina Barber.

The Ladies' Aid of the U. B. church
will meet Thursday afternoon, October
12, at Mrs. Andrew Runciman's.

Died, at her home in Waterloo, Sat-
urday, September 30, 1899, Mrs.
Christina Barber, aged 59 years. Mrs.
Barber has been a great sufferer for the
past four years. She leaves a husband
and four children to whom she has
been a very devoted wife and mother.
The funeral was held Tuesday after-
noon at the U. B. church. Rev. Blick-
enstaff of Hastings, her former pastor
conducting the service.

SYLVAN.

J. Forner is attending the high
school at Chelsea.

Homer Boyd spent several days of
last week in Detroit.

Miss Amanda Merker is spending
some time at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Chase spent
Monday at M. B. Millepaugh's.

Mrs. McCarter spent the first of the
week in this vicinity visiting old
friends.

Mrs. Nilfon of Britton was the guest
of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Millepaugh last
week.

William West and family of Locke
visited relatives at this place a part of
last week.

Rev. Marsh will hold an evening
service at the M. E. church of Sylvan
next Sunday evening.

Orlando Boyd is repairing the old
mill. Getting ready to business be-
fore the fall rains begin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Uptake spent
last Sunday with her daughter, Mrs.
S. P. Foster of Chelsea.

Miss Blanche Ludlow who has been
spending the summer with her sister
at Anderson returned home Saturday.

FRANCISCO.

William Wall's two children are
seriously ill.

Mrs. Delbert Main has returned
from Jackson.

Several from here attended the
Stockbridge fair.

Mrs. C. K. Kaler is spending a few
weeks at Dansville.

Miss Nancy Berry spent Saturday
and Sunday at home.

A large number from here attended
the fair at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Addie Croman of Mason visited
friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hornings spent Sat-
urday and Sunday at Jackson.

Anson Uptake is teaching the fall
term of school in the Palmer district.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Musbach spent
Saturday and Sunday at Root's Sta-
tion.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Umphery and
daughter, Ruth visited Grass Lake
Tuesday.

The dance at Michael Seeger's which
was postponed a week ago, will be
given Friday evening, October 6.

Misses Lina Notten and Fannie
Musbach spent a few days with A. J.
Snyder and family of Stockbridge.

James Cavanaugh and Ed Shaver of
Manchester spent some very happy
hours last Sunday evening with Misses
Eva Main and Nancy Berry.

James Richards has improved his
house very much by painting it. Con-
rad Lehman and E. J. Beckwith are
doing the work.

SHARON.

Miss Esther Reno of Jackson spent
Sunday here.

Misses Agnes and Tillie Obersmith
spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. H. O'Neil spent part of last
week with friends at Adrian.

Miss Emma Reno of Freedom visited
Miss Martha Kuhl over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carpenter of
Norvell called on friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortbring
spent Sunday with friends in Norvell.

Messrs. Purl Cooper and Fred
Bruestle have gone to Tuscola county
to buy poultry.

Jacob Alber who has not been feel-
ing well for some time has been obliged
to give up work entirely.

The home of Fred Lehman was the
scene of a very pleasant gathering last
Thursday, the occasion being the re-
union of the brothers and sisters of the
Lehman family. About thirty-one
relatives were present.

A couple of weeks ago Messrs Ed
Helmrich and Gene Foster of Chelsea
drove to Grass Lake to spend the day.
Upon returning home, which probably
was during the "wee" hours of the
morning, they struck the wrong road
and upon inquiring for the right one
they found that they were some where
in the neighborhood of Manchester.

Mr. Foster became so excited over the
matter that he lost his hat. After be-
ing directed to the right path they
renewed their journey and returned
home just as the roosters began to pour
forth their merry morning melodies.

UNADILLA.

W. S. Livermore now drives a new
horse.

Ben Morris was a Chelsea visitor last
week Thursday.

Quite a number from here are work-
ing in the apple dryer at Gregory.

Miss Katie Barnum visited relatives
in Stockbridge the first of the week.

Fred Aquith of Stockbridge was a
guest of Bert Bullis and wife last
Sunday.

J. D. Colton and Mrs. F. D. Watson
visited at J. D. Watson's last week
Thursday.

Holden DuBois and wife of Leslie
visited at his father's here last Thurs-
day and Friday.

Mrs. W. E. Moore of Lansing is
visiting friends and acquaintances
about here this week.

James James and bride of Calumet
were guests of his old friend and class-
mate, A. C. Watson last week Mon-
day.

Mrs. M. D. Ives and her niece, Miss
Kittie Livermore started last Thurs-
day for Ithaca, N. Y. where they will
probably spend the winter among
relatives.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the
M. E. church here Sunday evening,
October 8. Dr. Ryan, presiding elder
will be present. Quarterly conference
Monday morning following.

"Aunt" Anderson who has been
quite ill for the past two weeks, much
better at this writing. Mrs. Anderson
is the oldest of our old residents,
being over one hundred years old.

Homer Ives is moving to his farm
near Chelsea this week. Mr. Ives and
family will be greatly missed from our
midst, being a good citizen and neigh-
bor, as well as active in the church and
Sunday-school of which Mr. and Mrs.
Ives and children are members.

LIMA.

Charles Curtis called on friends in
Scio Sunday.

Carrie Lucas is teaching in the Geo.
Taylor district.

Mrs. C. Brown visited at J. Hind-
erer's Thursday.

Edwin Wenk visited his parents in
Freedom Sunday.

Miss Mary Paul of Ann Arbor visited
relatives here Sunday.

Miss Mattie Hammond of Chelsea
visited her parents Sunday.

Mrs. VanHusen of Dexter is teach-
ing the school at the Center.

Mrs. H. H. Avery of Chelsea visited
at E. B. Freer's Wednesday.

Miss Nina Fiske visited at Warren
Guerin's Saturday and Sunday.

Henry and Otto Steinbach of Chel-
sea called on friends here Sunday.

Charles Jenks' barley averaged 62 1/2
bushels to the acre. Next!

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strieter visited
relatives at Ann Arbor Sunday.

There will be a dance at the town
hall, Friday evening, October 6.

Mrs. F. H. Ward and son, Clayton
visited at Linval Ward's Friday.

Mrs. J. Friermuth has been visiting
friends in Jackson the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klien of Jeru-
salem visited at J. Klien's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris of Scio
called at Fred Wenk's Wednesday.

Rev. Nickerson and Rev. Marsh of
Chelsea called at this place Friday.

Will Morris of Scio will soon move
into George Steinbach's vacant house.

Dan Wacker has some fine sheep on
exhibition at the county fair this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Finkbeiner
spent Sunday with Chelsea relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fletcher were
the guests of Geo. Steinbach Sunday.

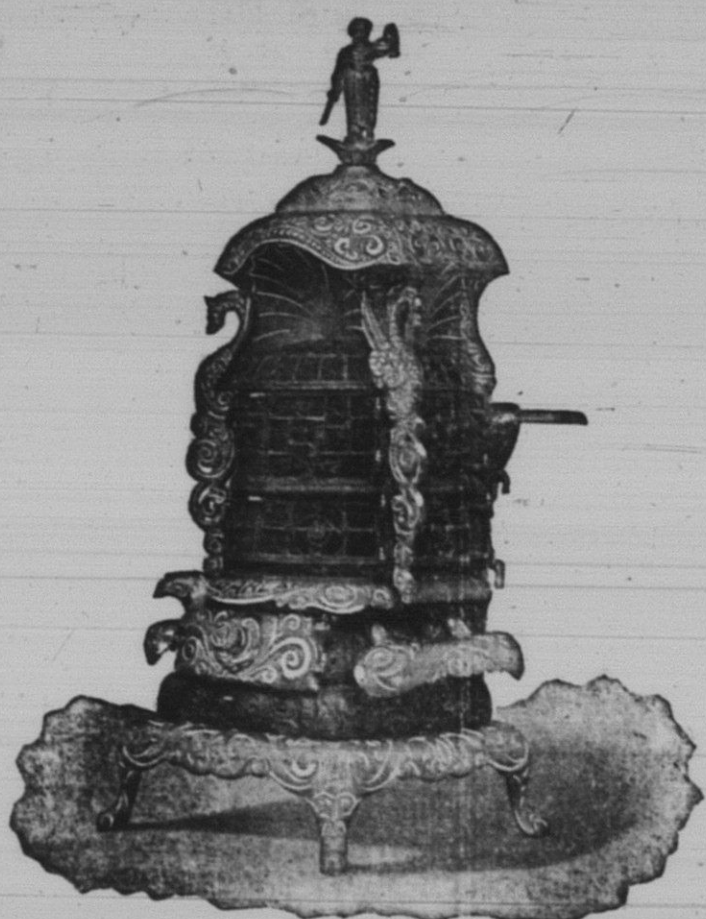
Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Covert, jr., and
children visited at J. J. Wood's Sun-
day

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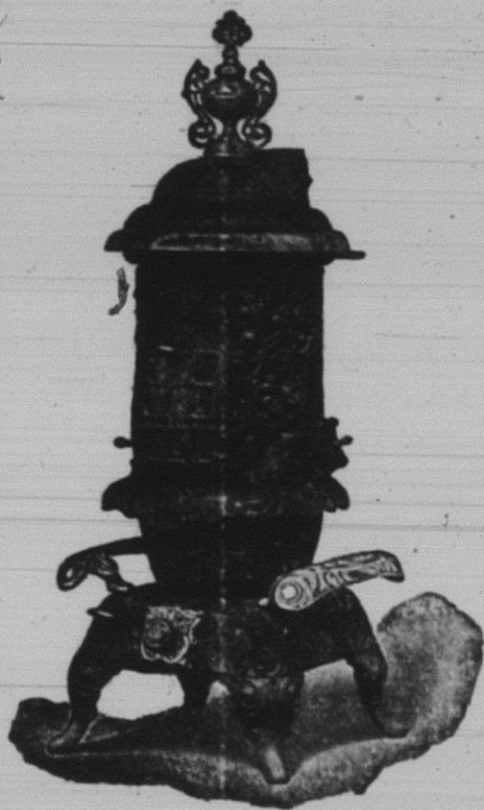
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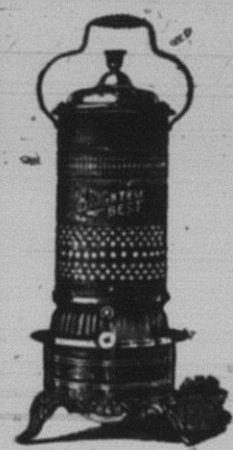
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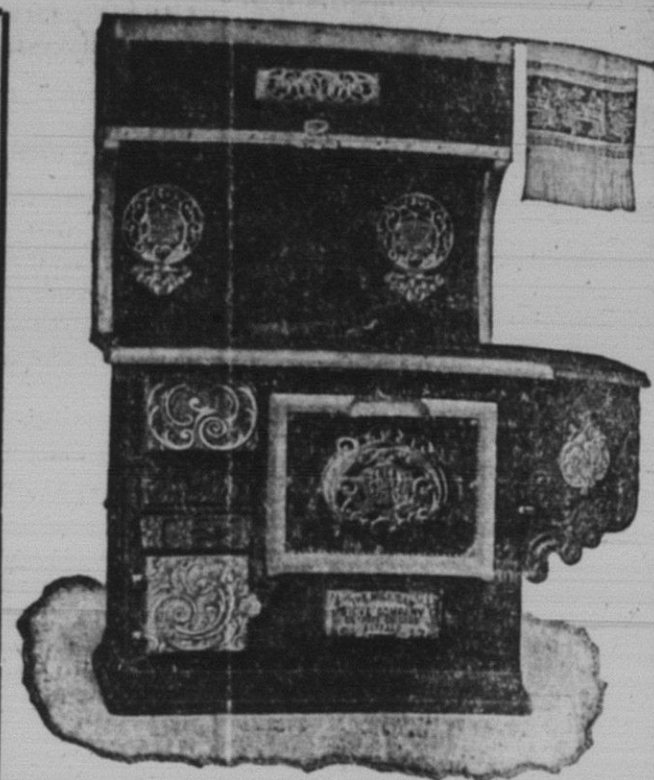
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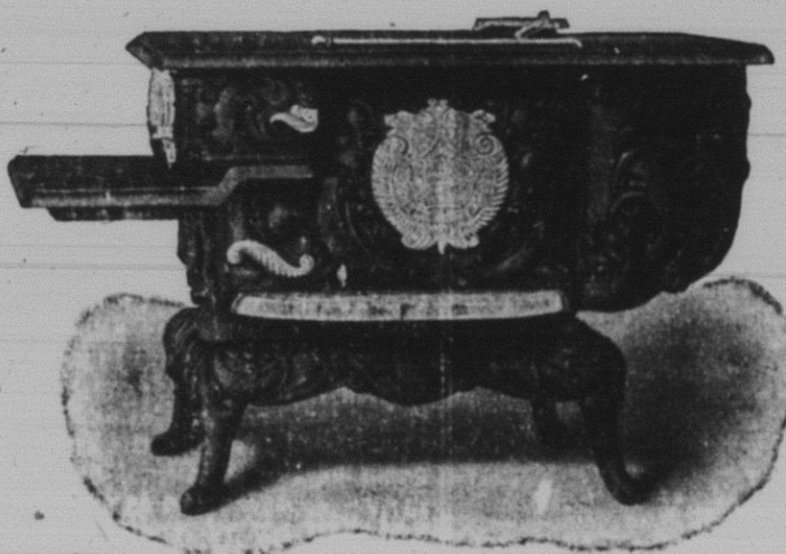
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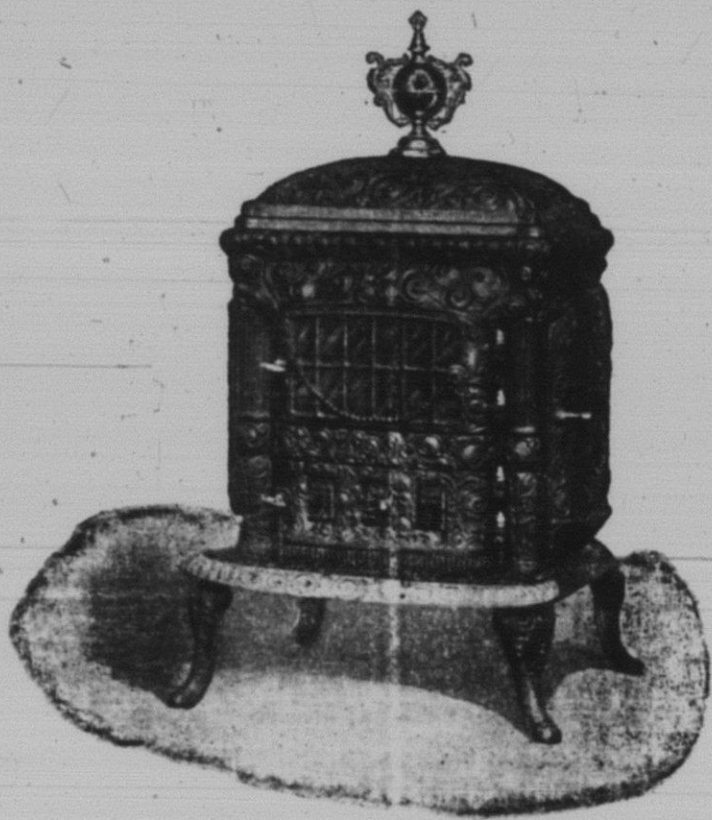


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