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Fur Overcoats marked way down.
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All Winter Caps one-quarter off.
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Do we mean we are selling all our Ladies' and Children's Furnishings cheaper than other stores? Yes. So come to us for

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THE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Is Seeking a Route by Which It May Come Into Chelsea.

Present indications seem to point to the fact that before fall Chelsea will be connected with Ann Arbor and Detroit and the country lying to the east of us by an electric railroad. Mr. Jennings, the agent of the company which owns and operates the road from Ann Arbor to Detroit, was here yesterday looking up a route to get into and out of the village. He also intimated that it was the desire of the company to establish its power house and car barns here, on account of the central location of Chelsea between Ypsilanti and Jackson.

He has been for some time busily at work securing a right of way for it, and has already secured about 14 miles of it. He has made contracts with the farmers for a two rods wide strip in front of their farms and just outside the highway, on the north side of the old territorial road between Ann Arbor and Lima Center, and with four exceptions has been successful along the whole route. In some cases it will run very close to farmhouses, and in others, buildings will have to be moved. The barns of Charles Parker, in Lima, will have to be moved back, also Theodore Covert's house and the M. E. church. The farmers generally seem to be willing to meet the company half way and sell it strips off their farms at the price of \$100 per acre.

From Lima Center the route will be alongside the territorial road to the Freer school house. There it is proposed to branch off to Chelsea, and it is desired to bring it into the village via Washington street, thence along East street to Park street, along Park street to Main street, where a waiting room and depot would be established, preferably on Mrs. Frey's property. Westward the line would run along South street to the fair grounds, and from there out along F. H. Sweetland's farm to the territorial road again.

Another route into Chelsea spoken of was from Hiram Pierce's farm north on Main street as far as South street, then make a loop and go out the same way it came in.

The agent will be here again tomorrow night.

TRIBUTE TO THE U. OF M.

Congressman Brosius Has Not Forgotten How Good the Institution Was to Him.

At the annual banquet of the Washington Alumni Association of the U. of M., held at the Ebbitt house, Washington, D. C., Wednesday evening of last week, Representative Brosius, of Pennsylvania, who graduated from Ann Arbor more than 30 years ago, in speaking of the number of U. of M. men who hold responsible positions in governmental life paid the following gracious tribute to the worth of the University:

"That this is so, is not mere accident. It is more than fortuitous. It is because it must be so. Men trained to accurate habits of life in the University of Michigan naturally take their places far ahead of those training has been superficial or lacking. When I was in the University, men were content to work their way through and take oatmeal for their breakfast, or bread and water if need be. And they were glad to pay that price for an education. You are seeing the results today. During the eleven years I have been in the house of representatives, there have been each term from eleven to fifteen members of congress who acknowledged Ann Arbor as Alma Mater. Since I graduated thirty years and more ago—I am ashamed to say it—I have not been back to Ann Arbor. But I love the university, because the university was good to me."

Drunks in Washtenaw.

Prosecuting Attorney Kirk's report for the past six months shows that there were 117 arrests for drunkenness in this county in that time.

Of these none were acquitted; 108 were convicted, 11 were dismissed upon payment of costs, one made a settlement, two cases were discontinued and one's sentence was suspended. Besides, nine paid fines and costs, the fines amounting to \$26.

The remaining number went to jail, and in all served time amounting to 487 days, or over a year.

The amount of business done at the Eckert post office in Freedom in 1899 was as follows: Stamps, etc., sold, \$218.08; stamps cancelled, \$146.67; deposit at Detroit postoffice, \$66.86; number of registered letters, 181.

THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Program for the Two Days' Session to Be Held Here Feb. 16 and 17.

So far as possible all arrangements for the holding of a farmers' institute in Chelsea, Friday and Saturday, Feb. 16 and 17, are completed and the Herald is enabled this week to give the program the officers have mapped out. It follows below:

FRIDAY, FEB. 16, 1:30 P. M.

Prayer—Rev. J. I. Nickerson.

Music.

Address of Welcome—President George P. Staffan.

Response—O. C. Burkhardt.

Paper—What is the most successful way of conducting a farm. L. D. Watkins.

Discussion led by Wm. Laird, followed by Wm. Stocking.

Music.

Paper—The sugar beet industry.

Discussion led by Nathan Pierce.

EVENING SESSION.

To be conducted by the ladies.

Paper—What is economy.

SATURDAY, FEB. 17, 10:00 A. M.

Prayer—Rev. F. A. Stiles.

Music—Lima Farmers' Club.

Paper—The sheep industry of Michigan. Rowce Wood, of Saline.

Discussion led by M. L. Raymond, of Grass Lake, followed by A. A. Wood, of Saline.

AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30.

Music.

Paper—Farm organization and its influence on legislation. Geo. T. English.

Discussion led by Jay Easton, of Lima.

Music.

Paper—Our country schools. E. Crafts, of Sharon.

Discussion led by Rev. C. S. Jones.

EVENING SESSION.

Addresses by good speakers.

WASHTENAW'S DIVORCE RECORD.

Extreme Cruelty Seems to Be the Favorite Cause for Release from the Marital Tie.

The books in the county clerk's office show that during the past year the total number of suits filed for divorce was 71. Extreme cruelty seems to be the favorite ground on which the claims for "bills" was based. Seven of the suits were withdrawn, and 32 are still pending. The statistics are as follows:

Number of bills granted.....	52
Number of bills refused.....	1
Number of bills withdrawn.....	7
Number of bills pending on Jan. 1, 1900	32
Number of cases in which the bills were contested.....	30
Number of bills filed in 1899 in which the husband was the complainant..	19
Number of bills filed in 1899 in which the wife was the complainant.....	52
The causes alleged for divorce in these bills were as follows:	
Extreme cruelty (alone).....	50
Extreme cruelty and other causes, such as habitual drunkenness and non-support.....	10
Non-support.....	8
Non-support, joined with drunkenness or desertion, or both.....	11
Desertion.....	18
In 58 cases there were children born to the parties:	

He Still Worked There.

The following good story of Congressman Henry C. Smith's ever ready wit is told in the columns of Sunday's Free Press:

Mr. Smith had made an impression on the waiters of the house cafe by his wit, and they "spot" him whenever he enters the popular eating place. His easy relations with the dusky waiters came about thus:

The congressman was at luncheon during the busy hour and sat waiting for his dessert, the tardiness of which was due more to the arduous duties of the waiter than to inactivity or laziness. Smith relished his pie in anticipation until it began to get stale and then called another waiter and in all seriousness said:

"My man, will you go and see if the waiter who took my order works here yet?"

The waiter looked at him seriously for a moment and retreated to the kitchen with a broad grin. Smith's original waiter appeared at once, not much changed by age, and with him appeared at the door a group of his fellow-men, all grinning and eyeing the man from Michigan who could stir up a waiter without swearing at him.

Have I not bidden ye beware of something said to be the same as Rocky Mountain Tea, made by the Madison Medicine Co.? If ye are truly wise, heed this warning. Ask your druggist.

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10 lbs Clean Broken Rice for	25c
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Kirkoline Washing Powder, per package,	18c
Gold Dust Washing Powder, per package,	18c
A Good Broom for	22c
(These brooms are not controlled by the trust, which accounts for the low price.)	
Fresh Ginger Snaps, per lb,	05c
2 doz Warranted Lanterns, each	39c
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T. W. MINGAY, Editor and Proprietor.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

FEBRUARY—1900.

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THE WEEK'S NEWS

Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

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

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the senate on the 24th the urgent deficiency appropriation bill (\$9,024,948) was favorably reported, and a resolution asking information as to the Sulu treaty was passed. In the house the time was occupied with speeches on the Roberts case. A bill making service in the Spanish war sufficient to remove the disabilities against those who aided or abetted the southern troops during the war of the rebellion was favorably reported.

The urgency appropriation bill was passed in the senate on the 25th. Senator Hanna (O.) introduced a bill to give congressional recognition of National Association of Manufacturers. In the house Brigham H. Roberts, of Utah, was excluded by a vote of 268 to 50. Mr. Jones (Wash.) introduced a bill to give soldiers who served in Cuba \$250 and those in the Philippines \$750 bounty. A favorable report was made on a bill to permit ex-confederates who fought in the Spanish war to receive pensions.

There was no session of the senate on the 26th. In the house the greater portion of the session was devoted to eulogies upon the life and public services of the late Vice President Hobart. The conference report upon the census bill was adopted, and a joint resolution was introduced providing for an amendment to the constitution giving congress the power to create corporations for the purpose of commerce between the states.

The senate was not in session on the 27th. In the house joint resolution setting apart \$100,000 of the appropriations made for the support of the regular and volunteer army for the current year for the construction of a military hospital at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., was introduced. Eulogies were delivered upon the late Samuel T. Baird, a representative from Louisiana.

DOMESTIC.

Secretary of the Navy John D. Long has been elected president of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence society.

John Smith was devoured by wolves a short distance from a logging camp near Presque Isle, Mich.

In a dispute over a lumber deal John Benningfield and his son, Jerome, were killed by John Legg near Rogersville, Ala.

Charles Reed and Nolan Armstrong, cowboys, who were terrorizing the town of Culbertson, Mont., were shot dead by Sheriff Elder.

Commander Wainwright, of the Gloucester, was presented a sword at Washington.

Sixty-four families were made homeless by a fire in a tenement building in Chicago.

Gen. Corbin announces that contributions received since the closing of the Lawton fund have swelled the total amount to \$93,364.

The one hundred and forty-first anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns was celebrated in various portions of the county.

The transport Pennsylvania sailed from San Francisco with 1,500,000 in currency and gold for troops in Manila.

One thousand armed Kentucky mountaineers arrived in Frankfort to see justice done in the gubernatorial contest between Taylor, the incumbent, and Goebel, who seeks to unseat him.

Flames destroyed property valued at \$200,000 at Fredonia, N. Y., and Alice Huntington and Warren L. Bretzkegi were burned to death.

Five men were killed by the explosion of a car of dynamite in a railroad wreck near Wilkesbarre, Pa.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 26th aggregated \$1,609,432,056, against \$1,718,116,804 the previous week. The increase compared with the corresponding week of 1899 was 24.8.

There were 231 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 26th, against 242 the week previous and 224 in the corresponding period of 1899.

Mrs. Maria McLain and Mrs. Polly Gabriel were killed by a passenger train at Evanston, Ill.

Thomas Reynolds, who escaped from the penitentiary at Canon City, Col., after murdering Night Capt. W. C. Rooney, was captured at Florence, taken back to Canon City and lynched by a mob.

Kate Claxton, the actress, filed a petition in bankruptcy in New York with liabilities of \$10,739 and no assets.

Reports from many parts of the United States show that a fight against smallpox is going on in almost every locality.

Dr. Edwin Klebs, of Chicago, urges that the United States establish serum stations to prepare for an invasion of the Asiatic plague.

It is reported that hundreds of people are dying of starvation and scurvy in the Copper River country in Alaska.

All cigar stores, groceries, bakeries and most drug stores in Baltimore were closed on Sunday.

Charles Hartuff, a tanner, murdered his wife, five-year-old son and infant daughter in Cincinnati and then attempted suicide by burning himself, but failed.

Fifteen thousand men and women are preparing to go to Cape Nome on the first steamers sailing from Pacific coast ports.

The H. B. Fargo company's bank at Deerfield, Wis., was entered by burglars, who secured \$8,100.

Fire nearly wiped out the town of Ramsey, Ill.

In a running fight in Quincy, Ill., police officers killed two expert safe blowers and fatally wounded another.

Tom Queenan, a well-known young man, killed his wife and himself at Oklahoma City, O. T. Business reverses were the cause.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Former Gov. Jones Wolf, of the Chickasaw nation, the last of the full-blooded Indian governors, died at Denison, Tex.

David M. Magee died at his home in Oxford, O., aged 89 years. He originated the famous Poland-China breed of hogs in 1840.

The president and Mrs. McKinley observed the twenty-ninth anniversary of their wedding.

Indiana republicans have changed the date of their state convention to April 25.

Marcus C. Smith, for ten years mayor of Muncie, Ind., and twice elected to the state legislature, died at the age of 76 years.

Judge Thomas J. Wharton, one of the oldest and most prominent jurists of Mississippi, died at Jackson.

A special election will be held in Utah April 2 to elect a congressman in place of Brigham H. Roberts.

William McNabb, the smallest man in Illinois, died at McLeansboro of pneumonia, aged 49 years. He was 33 inches tall and weighed about 75 pounds.

Charles Giles Foster, one of the oldest newspaper men in the west, died in Chicago at the age of 79 years.

Rev. Richard Haney, the oldest active Methodist minister in the world, died at Altoona, Ill., aged 88 years.

Col. John Hornby, president of the Fort Worth and Rio Grande railroad, died suddenly at Fort Worth, Tex.

Philip D. Armour, Jr., son of P. D. Armour, the well-known Chicago capitalist, died at Montecito, Cal., after a brief illness, aged 31 years.

FOREIGN.

Gen. Otis reports that Gen. Schwan has defeated southeast of Laguna de Bay what is probably the last considerable force of Filipinos remaining in one command, with small loss to himself and heavy loss to the enemy.

The dowager duchess of Schleswig-Holstein, mother of Empress Augusta Victoria of Germany, died in Dresden, aged 75 years.

Since the taking of Spion kop by the forces under Gen. Warren nothing relating to the war has been made public by the British war office. Gen. Woodgate is among the many to lose their lives in the last big battle. Anxiety is not allayed, as Gen. Buller's army must cross 15 miles of battlefield held by strongly entrenched Boers before reaching Ladysmith.

Six American prospectors were shot in the Bacatello mountains in Mexico by order of Gen. Torres for friendliness toward Yaqui Indians.

Gen. Buller's announcement of the abandonment of Spion kop has depressed the British public. It is feared he has met with a more serious repulse than has been made known to the public. London papers consider the situation in South Africa very grave and urge the sending of more troops. Seven days of fighting have left the main Boer positions intact and Gen. Buller's army 706 weaker.

Scotland's oldest minister, Rev. Dr. Nixon Montrose, died in Edinburgh at the age of 97 years.

Gen. Buller reports the retreat of the British forces across the Tugela river. This is regarded in London as the most serious defeat in the campaign in which they have found almost nothing but defeat. The Boers say that the British lost 1,500 killed at Spion kop. The London Times says "the catastrophe is almost without precedent in our military history, and, indeed, without parallel except the surrender of Yorktown."

Rear Admiral Schley was given a brilliant entertainment by the American residents in Buenos Ayres.

A large unknown vessel, thought to be American, went ashore on Foxhall Point, in Bay St. George, N. E.

Official announcement is made of the death of Emperor Kuang-Hsu, of China.

A Manila dispatch says that Gen. Kobbe defeated 600 Filipinos in the province of Albay and occupied the towns of Sorsogon, Donsol and Bulan.

LATER.

The United States senate passed 23 pension bills on the 29th and decided not to reconsider the vote by which the Samoan treaty was ratified. In a speech Senator Mason (Ill.) condemned an alleged interview in which the British consul at New Orleans called him a "montebank." Senator Tillman denounced the administration's Philippine policy. In the house a bill was introduced to withdraw the military forces from Cuba on July 4 next. A bill was passed to appropriate \$60,000 for a military hospital at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Bob and Sam Curry, bandits, were killed by officers near Casper, Wyo.

The British steamer Expedient run down and sunk a harbor steamer near Altona and 30 workmen were drowned.

It is reported that the president intends soon to issue a proclamation extending amnesty to the insurgents in the Philippines and denouncing as outlaws and bandits all who do not avail themselves of its terms.

Boilers exploded in a steel mill in Pittsburgh, Pa., killing one man and injuring nine other persons.

The supreme court rendered a decision which questions the right of nearly every saloon in Iowa to operate.

The California legislature met in special session to elect a United States senator.

Reconnoissances in the vicinity of Taal, in Batangas province, developed into skirmishes with the Filipinos, and an officer and two men of the Thirty-eighth infantry were wounded.

The fifty-seventh birthday of President McKinley was appropriately observed in Washington.

The Illinois anti-trust law of 1893 has been declared unconstitutional by Judge Kohlsaat in the United States circuit court.

Grace Dixon (colored), born 103 years ago, died at her residence in Chicago.

The Spanish steamer Valle foundered off the coast of Balbao and 13 of the crew were drowned.

There is a very general belief in London that the British forces in South Africa will be concentrated for an invasion of the Orange Free State. Lady-smith may be abandoned, the relief of Gen. White and his army of about 8,000 being considered quite hopeless. The list of officers killed, wounded and missing, given out by the war office, is a formidable one, and shows the British ranks have suffered terribly.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

French railroads have ordered 30 locomotives from Philadelphia.

A Leipzig newspaper warns German manufacturers may crowd them out of Russia.

Congressman Caldwell favors a canal across the United States connecting the Atlantic and Pacific.

A French court sent a man to prison for three months for insulting Queen Victoria in a pamphlet.

Gov. Roosevelt asked the New York legislature to spend \$60,000,000 in improving the Erie canal.

Dr. Wirt Johnson, famous southern physician and surgeon, died at Jackson, Miss., of pneumonia.

The queen of Italy has a handkerchief valued at \$30,000. It took several women more than 20 years to make it.

Capt. Charles Loeffler has been doorkeeper at the entrance of the executive chamber in Washington for over 30 years.

The oldest consul of the United States in continuous service is Horatio J. Sprague, who became consul at Gibraltar in 1848.

The persons engaged in raising funds to buy a home in Washington for Rear Admiral Schley have made another appeal for money.

A New York evangelist declares churches should serve drinks, hold boxing matches, or do anything else to draw the people.

An autograph letter of the late Vice President Hobart sold in London the other day for a trifle over six dollars, American money.

The term of the present governor of Alaska ends in June, of Arizona in July, of Oklahoma in May, and of New Mexico in June, 1901.

With the prospective retirement of Mr. Vest from political life at the end of his term the last of the confederate senators will have gone.

England's postmaster general, the duke of Norfolk, has borne his title for 40 years, longer than any other duke outside the royal family.

The queen of Greece is the only woman admiral in the world. She was appointed to that position in the Russian fleet by Czar Alexander III.

A post mortem examination revealed that Miss Ella Gates, who died at her home, near Ontario, N. Y., had two perfectly developed hearts.

Artificial Sight.

A Russian inventor has perfected an electrical appliance, which he claims will enable the blind to see. This will bring much happiness to those who have defective eyesight. Another great discovery which will bring much happiness to those whose stomachs have become deranged is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It has made a world wide reputation for itself as a certain cure for such ailments as indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, biliousness and malaria, fever and ague.

In Another District.

Politics are absorbing; so the gushing young woman who had been talking to a congressman at last decided.

"See those distant stars?" she said, in a soulful tone. "Did you ever pause to think that they may be worlds?"

"Yes, I believe I have thought of it," was the somewhat dubious reply.

"And that they may be inhabited by human beings that hope and struggle as we do," continued the young woman, earnestly.

"Oh, did you ever give deep thought to those people so far away, unknown to us?"

"No," was the unhesitating answer, "I've never thought of them at all."

"Why not?" demanded his questioner, with sudden briskness of manner.

"Well," said the man, reflectively, "I suppose one reason may be that they don't vote in my district."—Youth's Companion.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

It All Depends.

"I suppose you are a believer in harmony," said the garrulous barber.

"Sometimes I am and sometimes I am not," replied the local politician.

"How is that?" queried the knight of the lather brush.

"Well, take your business for example," answered the l. p. "I fail to see just why you and your razor should pull together."—Chicago Evening News.

Give the Children a Drink

called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it, because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties.

Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 1/2 as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

Unconscious Plagiarism.

Crimsonbeak—How history does repeat itself, doesn't it?

Yeast—What now?

"Why, in our town we had a piano concert the other night and the artist's name was Prof. Gridley. When the manager was ready to start the show he shouted: 'You may bang away when ready, Gridley!'"—Yonkers Statesman.

Undoubtedly.

Miles—Man, according to Darwin, descended from a monkey.

Giles—And the monkey, I suppose, descended from a tree.—Chicago Evening News.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the Cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles 25 and 50 cents. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

Creasures of Habit.

Many a man now, when he starts to date his letter, makes it "99, and then he uses 0-y, 0-y words.—Philadelphia Record.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

The fellow whom you think wears his hair too long is quite as sure you wear yours too short.—Elliott's Magazine.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an A No. 1

Asthma medicine. W. R. Williams, Anchoch, Ill., April 11, 1894.

THE MARKETS.

	New York, Jan. 30.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers	\$4 45 @ 5 90	
Hogs	4 70 @ 5 00	
Sheep	4 25 @ 5 65	
WHEAT—Winter Patents	3 55 @ 3 80	
Minnesota Patents	3 85 @ 4 10	
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	74 1/2 @ 75 1/2	
May	74 1/2 @ 75 1/2	
CORN—No. 2	40 1/2 @ 41 1/2	
May	39 1/2 @ 40 1/2	
OATS—No. 2	29 1/2 @ 29 3/4	
BUTTER—Creamery	20 @ 21	
Factory	16 @ 18	
CHEESE	11 1/2 @ 13	
EGGS—Western	13 @ 17	

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Fancy Beefes	\$6 30 @ 6 50
Stockers	4 25 @ 5 40
Feeders	3 20 @ 4 00
Bulls	2 10 @ 4 90
HOGS—Light	4 65 @ 4 75 1/2
Rough Packing	4 60 @ 4 75
SHEEP	3 85 @ 5 00
BUTTER—Creameries	19 @ 24
Dairies	17 @ 22
EGGS	8 @ 14
POTATOES—(per bu.)	38 @ 45
LARD—May	10 75 @ 10 90
RIBS—May	5 75 @ 6 05
GRAIN—Wheat, May	5 75 @ 5 82 1/2
Corn, May	32 1/2 @ 33 1/2
Oats, May	23 1/2 @ 24 1/2
Rye, No. 2	20 @ 21
Barley, Malt	36 @ 44

MILWAUKEE.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n	\$5 67 1/2 @ 68 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White	25 @ 25 1/2
Rye, No. 1	55 1/2 @ 56 1/2
Barley, No. 2	46 @ 46 1/2

KANSAS CITY.

GRAIN—Wheat, May	\$5 65 @ 65 1/2
Corn, May	25 @ 25 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White	24 1/2 @ 24 1/2
Rye, No. 2	51 @ 51 1/2

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Native Steers	\$3 25 @ 6 40
Texas Steers	3 60 @ 4 85
HOGS—Packers	4 60 @ 4 80
Butchers	4 70 @ 4 85
SHEEP—Native Muttons	4 60 @ 5 50

OMAHA.

JATTLE—Native Steers	\$4 25 @ 5 55
Cows and Heifers	3 10 @ 4 60
Swine and Feeders	3 60 @ 5 00
HOGS—Mixed	4 60 @ 4 62 1/2
SHEEP—Western Muttons	4 30 @ 4 90

THE NERVES OF WOMEN

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves the Suffering from Overwrought Nerves.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I am so grateful for the benefit derived from the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that I wish you to publish this testimonial that others may know the value of your medicine. I was suffering such tortures from nervous prostration that life was a burden. I could not sleep at all and was too weak to walk across the floor without aid. The disease had reached a condition where my heart was affected by it, so that often I could not lie down at all without almost suffocating. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it worked like magic. I feel that your medicine has been of inestimable benefit to me."—MISS ADELE WILLIAMSON, 196 N. Boulevard, Atlanta, Ga.

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Pretty Things for Breakfast Wear

Gowns and Jackets in Which the Fashionable Woman Eats Her Morning Meal.

Dainty little house wrappers answer the purpose of breakfast gowns for the hurried housekeeper who has not the wealth of a Gould, a Vanderbilt, a Whitney, a Gerry or a Belmont. But the fashionable woman of New York deems her breakfast gown or breakfast jacket of as much importance as she does her theater or evening gown.

It was at the establishment of my little friend who makes these dainty house gowns that I got my first good idea of the magnificence and expense of these gowns. Of course I have always known that such things were worn more or less, and that the fashion journals gave elaborate directions for making them, but I had supposed that they were more for exceptional use than for everyday wear, even among the very wealthy. But my friend assured me that such was not the case, and that the wealthy women of New York wore these elaborate breakfast toilettes every day.

"If it were not for these half of my business would be gone," said she. "They are as much in demand as are the pretty little tea gowns for afternoon wear, and I believe that I make more of the breakfast gowns than I do of the latter. It was only yesterday that I received an order from Mrs. William R. Garrison for two of the gowns and a jacket that will cost her the price of an elegant evening costume. In fact she wants them made of the very choicest of materials, and of an exclusive design. That means work for my designer, who, by the way, is kept busy these winter days arranging these exclusive styles for New York's fashionable women."

"Now take this one," continued my friend, as she displayed an elaborate affair of the softest of soft silk, "it will cost its wearer not less than \$200." The gown she showed me was in color shaded from a pink to a gold and resembled nothing so much as the color of a beautiful ripe peach. This was combined with a soft green silk, and an embroidery of shimmering

It was of flowered challie trimmed with valenciennes lace. It was made with a tight-fitting back with a round yoke in front, having a slight fullness from the yoke, and caught at the waist line with a sea-green velvet girdle. The valenciennes lace was in a cascade across the round yoke, and fell in a pretty cascade at one side to the bottom of the gown. The oriental sleeves were short, and had a full frill of the valenciennes lace on them exposing the white arm.

One that was exceedingly startling in color was of an automobile red made in the empire style, and trimmed with dozens of yards of nar-



A FASHIONABLE BREAKFAST GOWN.

row black velvet and small gold buttons. The entire yoke was covered with rows of the black velvet, and a tight sleeve with rows of the black velvet to the elbow. It had a flounce at the bottom with rosettes of the black velvet that caught the flounce every so often. The effect was quite pretty. The small gold buttons were in clusters on the yoke and the high standing collar and on the sleeves.

Gowns were not the only things that I saw for breakfast wear, however, for there were dainty jackets quite as



BREAKFAST JACKET OF WHITE CASHMERE.

green silk and crystals and the more vivid tones of beetle's wings that were very beautiful on the tight under sleeves which were entirely covered with the lovely embroidery, and having for the background the pale green silk lining of the hanging oversleeves. The long, loose oversleeves were trimmed with a border of the shimmering green silk and crystal. The gown had a low-pointed yoke on the empire style, with the shimmering green silk and crystal embroidery put on in a deep point both in front and in back of the yoke, and the golden pink shaded silk hanging in long, loose folds at the back, with a slight fullness in front.

"That I think is the prettiest thing of its kind that I have made this season," said my little friend, "but here is another that is not far behind it in point of beauty."

The second that she showed me was of a cream batiste trimmed with narrow pink ribbon. The back was made a princess, with a loose front of white batiste with pink silk dots. It had a large turn-back collar in the back and small pointed revers to the waist line. The revers were trimmed with ruchings of pink ribbon that were carried down to the bottom of the gown on each side of the pink-dotted batiste, and also around the bottom of the gown. The oriental sleeves were made to be worn over a shirred lace sleeve and were edged with frills of pink ribbon.

Both of these were far beyond the means of the ordinary woman, and even those with a few thousand a year would consider them too expensive, but the next one that I saw was much less expensive, although in a way quite as pretty.

OF BLUE CHALLIE TRIMMED WITH CREAM LACE.

pretty as the more elaborate gowns. They were made to a great extent as the breakfast gowns, and my friend assured me that they were quite as fashionable.

One of these of white cashmere was a lovely tight-fitting affair made with deep-rounded scallops around the bottom with a frill of lace under the scallops, and brought to the front in a narrow way leaving the scallop in front without the lace. It had a high collar and pointed vest of tucked white silk with a wide frill of lace around the back and to edge the pointed vest, with three large pearl buttons to fasten the jacket in front. The sleeves were of the white-silk and made tight with clusters of tucks to the elbow, and a frill of the lace at the elbow.

Another that was very dressy, and quite the prettiest one of them all, was a blue challie trimmed with cream lace, and an applique insertion. It was made with a short bolero back and long-pointed ends in the front, with a deep flounce of the lace around the bottom of the jacket, and the applique insertion down the front and around the long-pointed ends, then up the front to the bust line, and down to the waist line again, thus forming the short bolero. SARAH DAVIDSON

HOUSEHOLD MAGAZINE

FOOD SUPPLY WAGONS.

Their Inventor Believes They Will Solve the Servant-Girl Problem to Everybody's Satisfaction.

Conservative old New Haven is soon to have a twentieth century convenience that will make one of the dreams of Edward Bellamy a practical realization. In his famous book entitled "Looking Backward" Bellamy describes great cooperative kitchens from which whole cities are to be fed. New Haven will shortly have a big kitchen from which her residents may order their meals and have them sent piping hot to their homes all ready to be served. This, in brief, is the latest idea of a Yankee invention, designed to solve the servant girl problem.

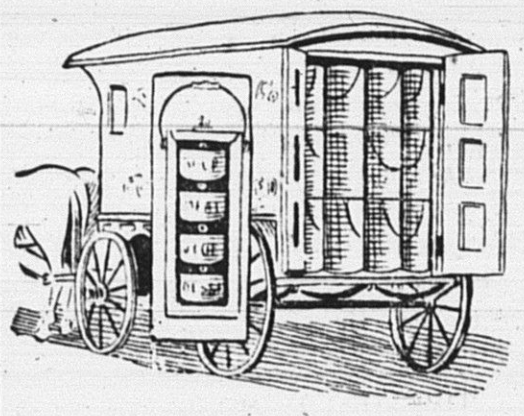
This scheme is not a mere dream. It is an idea of a New Haven business man who has made a success. It is backed by over 20 other New Haven business men, every one of whom is a practical and successful man in his line of business. These men have put their money into this idea because they believe that they have in this scheme a big fortune.

Many schemes have been tried in different parts of the world to supply food for families through cooperative kitchens. These schemes have never been very successful, because it has been impossible to keep food hot during transportation from one place to another. The scheme of many families eating together in one building has also proved objectionable. New Haven has apparently solved this problem by the invention of heat retaining devices by which a plate of soup or a roast of beef may be kept piping hot for as long as seven hours. The projectors say they can deliver, cooked and ready to serve, many dishes at a price equal to that which the housekeeper pays for the raw product.

In speaking of his scheme, Mr. S. H. Street said to a New York Herald reporter:

"This is not a mere dream. I have been studying this subject for years. I have discussed it with the best business men of the country. I have placed my ideas before them, and they have all told me that the scheme is practicable."

"People do not realize that it is possible to cook the cheapest portions of meat in a scientific manner and get as delicious dishes as are served in the finest restaurants in the country. It has been demonstrated that you can roast beef that costs four cents



FOOD SUPPLY WAGON.

a pound—that is, sections of the beef that are not usually used for roasting—and get a more nourishing dish than you can from the choicest cuts. This, however, can only be accomplished by cooking the meat slowly and cooking it in a scientific manner.

"Cereals are very difficult to cook properly. So are baked beans and some kinds of vegetables. We will devote ourselves at first to cooking things that require long and careful cooking. We do not propose to meddle with steaks and chops, which are easily cooked. Later on we may take up all sorts of cooking."

The secret of Mr. Street's scheme lies in his patent device for retaining heat. This apparatus is apparently nothing more than a big bucket, metal covered and lined, with sides and bottom about two inches thick. There is a close-fitting top or lid of similar thickness. What the sides of the wall of this package are lined with Mr. Street does not say. Into this heat-retaining package are put porcelain cans, which fit tightly and have close-fitting covers.

Mr. Street proposes to have various sized packages, in which breakfast, luncheon and dinner can be arranged. In the bottom of the bucket is placed the dessert, then the meat and vegetables, and then the soup. This is for a dinner bucket.

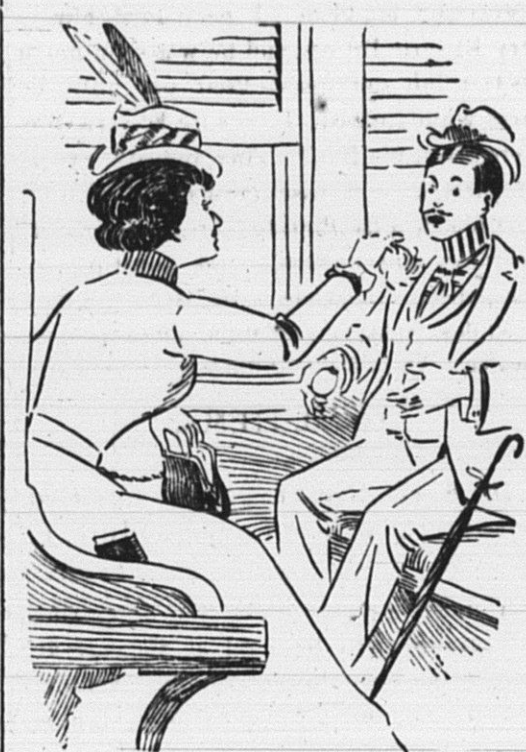
These buckets are to be delivered in big wagons, in which there will be an arrangement along the side for holding them in place. The scheme is to have a large number of wagons, which will make trips through various sections of the city to deliver food and take orders for the following day. There will be small wagons for quick delivery of late orders.

THE FINISHING TOUCH.

Chicago Dude Who Completed His Toilet on a Train Made Ridiculous by a Bright Girl.

Some wise person has said somewhere that if a woman desires to see vanity face to face let her look in her mirror. That is all very well, but now and then you run across a man who can ring in new changes on the feminine folly.

On one of the Alley "L" trains last week, along in the afternoon, a young woman got on at Thirty-ninth street. She was a quiet, lady-like girl, dressed in a well-fitting gray tailor-made suit, and settled herself back for a good read on the way to the city, when he got on at the next station and seated himself opposite. He was "gotten up" regard-



PROFFERED IT WITH A SMILE.

less. "One of those new, stunning suits in brown and tan checks that are all the go, white felt hat, with blue band, and a silk umbrella. As soon as the train was well under way again he drew out a penknife and worked industriously at his finger nails for several minutes. This finished, he produced a pearl toothpick and labored at his white, even teeth for awhile. After this operation was over he gazed thoughtfully out of the window at the glimmer of the lake far in the distance, and, with a sigh of contentment fumbled in his vest pocket until he found a small mirror. Having studied the effects of his new red and purple tie in this, he started in on his mustache, a pale, feathery suggestion of what might be in days to come. This latter was combed and twirled and petted until it stood out at the proper angle with a well-defined curl at either end. The felt hat was pushed further back to see if the part of the hair was O. K., and at last, with another sigh of relief, he replaced the mirror and leaned back complacently.

But the girl in gray had been watching him over the top of her book, watching each new branch of the business with increasing interest, and, finally, when she saw the mirror go back in its leather case, she laid aside her book, and, opening her chatelaine bag, drew out a chamois skin well powdered and proffered it with a smile to her traveling companion, while the people around enjoyed the little comedy.

"Wouldn't you like to put on the finishing touch?" she asked, sweetly, and he stiffly arose and went into the smoker.—Chicago Tribune.

THE STOOPING HABIT.

By a Few Minutes' Attention Every Day Round Shoulders Can Be Made Straight.

One of the greatest and most common deformities of the day is one that with care and attention can be remedied. It is the round-shouldered or stooping habit. Many of the most natural figures show this tendency to stoop, while in the narrow-chested it is marked to a painful degree. And yet, by raising oneself leisurely upon the toes in a perpendicular position several times a day this deformity can be easily rectified. To do this properly one must be in a perfectly upright position, the arms dropping at the side, the heels well together and the toes forming an angle of 45 degrees.

The rise should be made very slowly, and from the balls of both feet, and the descent should be accomplished in the same way, without swaying the body out of its perpendicular line. The exercise is not an easy one, but may be accomplished by patience. It can be modified, too, by standing first on one leg, then on the other. Inflating and raising the chest at the same time is a part of the exercise, and if persevered in will ultimately show an increased chest measurement, development of lung power and erect figure.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

"Take Time by The Forelock."

Don't wait until sickness overtakes you. When that tired feeling, the first rheumatic pain, the first warnings of impure blood are manifest, take Hood's Sarsaparilla and you will rescue your health and probably save a serious sickness. Be sure to get Hood's, because

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Never Disappoints

Felt Smaller Than He Looked.

The dwarf of the new house is John L. Burnett, from Alabama. An Alabamian the other day related this story, which will best illustrate how the diminutive member will appear to the speaker when he makes his maiden speech. Burnett, commonly known in his district as "the Jack of Spades," is a shrewd lawyer who has had much practice before the Alabama supreme court. The greatest embarrassment of his life was suffered when he made his debut before that dignified tribunal. He was seated behind a high table, stacked with law books and papers, and when he arose in his turn to address the court their honors were unable to even see the top of his head above the justice. "The learned counsel," said the chief justice, rapping vigorously with his gavel, "will kindly do the court the usual courtesy of rising when addressing it." It is needless to add that Burnett felt manifestly more diminutive than he looked.—Philadelphia Call.

Florida, West Indies and Central America.

The facilities of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad for handling tourists and travelers destined for all points in Florida, Cuba, Porto Rico, Central America, or for Nassau, are unsurpassed. Double daily lines of sleeping cars are run from Cincinnati, Louisville, Chicago and St. Louis through Jacksonville to interior Florida points, and to Miami, Tampa and New Orleans, the ports of embarkation for the countries mentioned. For folders, etc., write J. K. Ridgely, N. W. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

A Suggestive Name.

Mr. Dukane—There is one thing to be said in Gen. Kitchener's favor.
Mr. Gaswell—What is that?
"A man with that name should have no difficulty in getting the range of the enemy."
—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Wisconsin Central Ry.

Trains now leave Chicago from Central Station, Park Row and 12th St., Lake Front, for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Ashland, Duluth and the Northwest. Nearest ticket agent can give you further information. Jas. C. Pond, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis.

Due to Anxiety.

Guest—Ouch! You've spilled some soup down my neck.
Waiter—I'm awful sorry, sah; but you see, sah, I'm so in doubt if you is gwine to gub me a tipper not, it makes me nervous.—What To Eat.

Lane's Family Medicine.

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

History has to repeat itself because people are so forgetful.—Chicago Daily News.

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THE FOOD DRINK.

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A successful substitute for coffee, because it has the coffee flavor that almost everybody likes.

Lots of coffee substitutes in the market, but only one food drink—Grain-O.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1900.

Auditor General Roscoe D. Dix announces himself a candidate for a third term of the office he now holds.

Cassius M. Warner, of Ypsilanti, would like to make the run on the Republican ticket for sheriff of Washtenaw county, against Sheriff John Gillen. He will be a candidate for the nomination before the county convention next fall.

The Detroit Free Press representative at Washington says Congressman Henry C. Smith is "making more friends on the floor of the house than 90 per cent of the new congressman. He is a tireless worker." Smith is evidently keeping up his good reputation.

Congressman Henry C. Smith has introduced a bill in the house of representatives to make the Sunday nearest to Feb. 15, "Maine Day," in remembrance of the gallant sailors who met their death on the wrecked warship. As there is nothing mandatory about the measure and no expense attached to it, the congressman expects to see the bill become law.

Sedgwick Dean, of Ann Arbor, is of the opinion that should the legislature decline to pay for the expense of another grand jury there are thousands of citizens of Michigan who would gladly contribute to a fund to defray them, and that he could be depended on for \$200. It is good to see a man back up his faith in his fellow men in such a substantial manner.

The resolution to exclude Brigham H. Roberts, the Utah bigamist, from the house of representatives, was passed Thursday by a vote of 278 to 50. The minority resolution to seat Roberts and then expel him was defeated by a vote of 244 to 81. The vote which excluded him was divided as follows: Republicans 164, Democrats 98, Populists 4. The negative vote was: Democrats 47, Silver Republicans 2, Populist 1.

Grass Lake News: There is not as great a menace to the safety and well being of society in this state, as the prison pardoning board. Under its baneful wing the vilest and most hardened criminal seeks shelter, sympathy and release from the punishment to which a fair trial has subjected him. The wickedest elements in our penal institutions are in a ferment since it was rumored that the accused and damnable wretch Wright, who killed two men under the most atrocious circumstances, would get free. Now, every murderer, every lifer, clamors to be set at liberty, and this miserable pardoning board is just as likely to favor their application as otherwise. The people should rise in their might and either demand the gibbet for murderers or insist that the pardoning board be kicked out of existence.

For once the Herald heartily agrees with the News, and says "amen" to the above sentiment.

The Ann Arbor Evening Times says:

"There is a movement on foot to come up to the next Republican county convention with a farmers' ticket for all county offices, with the possible exception of those requiring attorneys. Just who are to be all the candidates on such a slate is not yet known, but it seems to be understood that Supervisor Case will be the candidate for county clerk and Supervisor Bibbins for register of deeds."

Such a scheme as that could never be carried through, and we hardly think our farmer friends are foolish enough to attempt to push any such a thing. Even if it were carried through the county convention the ticket would meet a sure and certain death at the polls. The country cannot do without the cities, and the cities and villages cannot do

without the country. The idea of a full farmer Republican county ticket is both chimerical and ridiculous.

The Ann Arbor Evening Times flings to the breeze the name of James O'Donnell, of Jackson, as a suitable compromise candidate for governor of Michigan on the Republican ticket. It says in endorsement of its proposal: "The nomination of the Hon. James O'Donnell, of Jackson, would rally to the support of the Republican ticket every Republican, and unite the elements that are making faces at each other."

It is asserted in political circles that Michael J. Lehman, of Ann Arbor, is to be Governor Pingree's appointee to the vacancy on the prison board caused by the death of Hon. O. M. Barnes. The governor is forced by law to appoint a Democrat, as the other two members of the board, H. S. Holmes, of Chelsea, and Dr. Bills, of Allegan, are Republicans, and the board must at all times be composed of men of both parties.

Stood Death Off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at Stimson's drug store.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Dr. S. G. Bush has been appointed assistant physician of Columbian Hive, L. O. T. M.

A meeting to consider the organizing of a grange will be held at the Sylvan Center School House, Monday evening, Feb. 5. Organizing Deputy Mrs. Emma A. Campbell will address the meeting. A large audience is desired.

Seek not to steal the other fellow's light. Rather put on steam and make your own. Do whatever you do with all your might. By taking Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Ask your druggist.

PERSONALS.

Miss Anna Lighthall has gone to Detroit to study music.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hammond went to Dayton, Ohio, Saturday.

D. B. Taylor, of Mason, is in Chelsea for a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boyd, of Sylvan, spent Friday and Saturday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eisenman went to Cleveland, Ohio, Friday, to attend the funeral of her mother.

Miss Helene Steinbach attended the song recital by Mme. Jacoby at University hall, Ann Arbor, last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Chase spent a few days in Detroit the past week, visiting their daughter Mrs. Charles Smith.

Miss Ida Keusch has been engaged to teach in the Howe district in Waterloo. She will commence her duties next Monday.

Mrs. C. F. Kelly, of Frederick, Crawford county, who had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. Parker, returned home Friday.

Dr. W. Stapish, of Anderson, Ind., was in Chelsea the first of the week attending the funeral of his uncle John Stapish, and visiting his mother Mrs. Clara Stapish.

Rev. Francis Kelly, of Lapeer, will be the guest of Rev. W. P. Considine, at St. Mary's rectory, on Wednesday next, the occasion of his lecture on "The Yankee Volunteer."

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The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25 cents per box. Sold by Stimson.

Maud—Is 5 and 50 too old to hope for improvement? I should say not. One just begins to live. Take Rocky Mountain Tea. You'll be blooming fair at 60. Ask your druggist.

W. H. Glenn, wife and grand daughter have been having the grip. All are recovering slowly now.

COUNTY NEWS.

The school in district No. 1, Freedom, has been closed on account of the prevalence of scarlet fever.

The Webster Farmers' Club has started a movement in favor of free delivery mail routes from Dexter and Hamburg.

Milan is going to build and equip a school building that will cost \$18,000, to take the place of the one recently destroyed by fire.

Charles Lemmen, of Dexter, caught a grasshopper the other day basking in the sun. That hopper was rushing the season a trifle early, sure.

Bridgewater German Lutherans have secured a young man for their pastor, when Rev. C. Clisser leaves his pulpit, because of poor health.

Livingston county paid out \$1 064 45 in 1898 on sparrow orders and \$634 45 in 1899. About half of the latter amount was paid to one man in Putnam township, alone.

A Milan man was told to put gasoline on his dog to kill fleas. He saturated the dog with the stuff and it drove the poor brute nearly wild, the gasoline having blistered the skin.

Among the list of the wounded in the battle of Vigan, Luzon, Dec. 4, appears the name of Wm. H. Bostwick, Co. K, 83rd Infantry, formerly a resident of Dexter. The nature of the injury is not given.

The creditors of Alban & Johnson, clothing merchants of Ypsilanti, have settled with them for 50 cents on the dollar of \$18,000 indebtedness. The business will be conducted in future as a stock company.

The Ann Arbor Chicory Co. has secured contracts for acreage that will produce as many roots as last season. The farmers who raised roots last year know what to expect, and with few exceptions are making new contracts with the price of the product raised \$1 per ton.

Mrs. Mary Miller, of Dexter, was appointed guardian of Deviney Allport, of Dexter, Monday, and was required to furnish \$8,000 bonds. She announced in the probate court that she stood ready to settle the case with Charles Stebbins at any time for any sum he had paid out for Deviney Allport.

Four new girls were added to the population of Sharon from Jan. 19 to 24th. On the 19th Mr. and Mrs. James Teagarten had a daughter born to them; on the 21st Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Koupp where made happy with twin daughters; and on the 24th Mr. and Mrs. William Wahr became parents of a daughter.

Mayor Luick, of Ann Arbor, is out on a campaign of retrenchment in city expenses, particularly those in connection with the board of public works. He says that a city engineer and street commissioner are unnecessary at this time of the year and insists that they be laid off until spring. If this action is taken it will save \$166.67 a month.

Siegfried Rosenthaler, a well known Ann Arbor billiard hall keeper, better known as "Rosey," died in that city Friday night, of cancer of the stomach. He went to Ann Arbor in 1883 with a small capital and catered to the student trade. He held his trade well and had accumulated \$20,000, besides carrying \$11,000 in life insurance. He leaves a widow and two children.

THE LIFE OF MOODY.

If You Pay Your Money for a Life of the Great Evangelist, You Want the Best.

Hold on there! "Haste makes waste."

The only authentic memoir of Mr. Dwight L. Moody, who died only six weeks ago, will be written, at Mr. Moody's dying request, by his son Wm. R. Moody, and published by The F. H. Revell Co., 158 Fifth avenue, New York City.

In a letter I have just received from Mr. Wm. R. Moody he says, "In answer to your inquiries, allow me to state that this company are the sole publishers of the only authentic biography of my father, which is to be written by myself."

One moment's reflection will convince any reasoning person that it is impossible to gather material and write out and publish, in six weeks, a reliable, well digested biography of any man whose labors have extended over so wide a field and so long a period of time as have Mr. Moody's. The very haste of these unauthorized publishers to get first into the market with their spurious productions, should be a warning to every admirer of Mr. Moody not to buy their books.

Mr. Wm. R. Moody is pushing the work he has in hand as fast as it can be well done. When it appears, the undersigned will give you a call, and you will be able to get just what you want, for the money you are now asked to pay for what you do not want, and will be dissatisfied with, when you get it. Be patient!

THOMAS HOLMES, Authorized Agent.

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DOWN THEY COME.

We have a few pieces of Semi-Porcelain Crockery, brown wheat pattern, gold band and dinner sets, which we wish to close out. We have cut the price to less than wholesale rates to move them. We are unable to supply even dozens or sets, but single pieces and broken dozens go cheap.

6 inch plates, were \$1.25, now 88c doz. Individual butters, were 50c, now 38c doz. Bone dishes, were \$1.50, now 75c doz. Bakers, 7 inch, were 25c, now 17c each. Bakers, 8 inch, were 35c, now 24c each. Platters, 14 inch, were 70c, now 52c each. Covered dishes, were \$1, now 68c each.

They're Going Fast

Last week we advertised a line of Crockery to close out. Some of it is sold but not all. We have added some other lines to the list. They have got to go and

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North Lake.

R. S. Whalian and daughter Mary went to Howell Thursday on a visit.

Mrs. Alva Hudson, mother of Mrs. R. C. Glenn, is visiting at the Grove house.

Wm. Hudson is now hauling wood to Chelsea, where the market is fairly good.

F. Forner nearly broke a leg and badly sprained a finger, in his haste to rescue the ones that fell into the lake.

Mrs. C. E. Glenn has returned home from Albion where she has been visiting her parents for a few weeks past.

Miss Rose Glenn goes to Adrian this week for a few week's stay with the Websters. Mrs. Webster was a former resident of North Lake.

An open grange meeting was held one evening last week with good speakers from abroad and a well carried out program by home talent. G. B. Horton, master of state grange, was one of the speakers. Wednesday evening of this week the grange met to initiate some new members and enjoy a big supper and literary entertainment.

What might have been a serious thing only for the timely help of C. E. Glenn, Frank Forner and H. Kane, happened Saturday evening. While a party were out skating on the lake three of them broke in where ice had been cut. Louis Stevenson and Rose Glenn went in first and Mr. Griffith coming to their relief made matters worse by tumbling in also. The skaters seemed to be well scattered, each one or couple intent on their own fun, and it was some time, which seemed hours to those in the water in zero weather, before anyone could get to them. But all were finally rescued after a very thorough wash. They were taken to the Grove House where a complete change of clothing was obtained for the young men. Miss Glenn went to bed at the house until morning, when she came out as good as new, only a few bruises left to remind her that it might have been worse. It is thought to be a good time to start a Baptist society here now as three are already immersed and the hole in the ice is still open for more. Fenders should be put up by all those taking ice from the lake, to avoid such accidents in future. [The state law requires it and it is a punishable offense not to do so—ED. HERALD.]

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LOCAL ITEMS.

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The next teachers' examination will be held in Ann Arbor, commencing Thursday, March 29.

Fred Boos, a former resident of Sylvan, was killed by the cars west of Chicago Saturday night.

The monthly meeting of the board of trustees of the Baptist church will be held tomorrow evening.

The Macabees had an initiation Thursday night followed by an enjoyable luncheon and social time.

The state convention of the Christian Endeavor societies will be held in Grand Rapids some time in March.

Modjeska, the great tragedienne, will play "Macbeth" at the Athens Theatre, Ann Arbor, next Tuesday evening.

Fred B. Schussler has taken his brother from London, Ont., into partnership with him in the cigar manufacturing business, and the firm name will be Schussler Bros.

The finder of a small green purse which was lost on the street Monday evening will be rewarded on leaving it at W. J. Knapp's store. There was some money and postage stamps in it.

Hon John F. Lawrence, the well known Ann Arbor lawyer, will forsake his bachelor ways in the spring. His marriage with Miss Marie Wilcox, of Detroit, is announced to take place at that time.

The weather bureau announces a prolonged season of very cold weather, to last 15 days. It will be the "backbone" of the winter. This section is experiencing its share of the cold weather. The thermometers registered 5 degrees below zero yesterday morning.

The remains of Mrs John Beam, sr., who died in White Oak, Monday, aged 74 years, were brought here yesterday and placed in the vault in Oak Grove cemetery. They will be interred later. Mrs. Beam formerly lived five miles south of Chelsea in Sharon. She left here 17 years ago.

The remains of Egbert Y. Low were brought here from Ionia county yesterday afternoon for interment in Oak Grove cemetery beside those of his wife. Mr. Low ran the old flouring mill in this village, before it burned down, and left here over 20 years ago. He was 80 years old at the time of his death.

The breaking up of formality and the making of better acquaintance possible is a thing greatly to be desired in these days and in this village. The penny social is one of the greatest things that has ever been devised for this purpose and there will be one of these pleasant occasions at the Congregational church, Wednesday evening, Feb. 21. Do not make any other engagement for that evening but be there and enjoy the social.

Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti stockholders in the New State Telephone Co. are wondering just how much of their good, cold cash they are going to get back on the blocks of stock they hold in the company. A Detroit party has offered them 46 cents on the dollar for it, so present prospects are that they will lose 54 per cent for dabbling in the other fellows' game. It is intimated that \$25,000 worth of New State stock is held by Chelsea people.

Rev. Francis Clement Kelly, who has become famous throughout Michigan as a platform speaker, and who was chaplain of the 33d Michigan during the Spanish-American war, will deliver a lecture in the People's Popular Course, at the opera house, next Wednesday evening, Feb. 7. His subject will be "The Yankee Volunteer." Everywhere the reverend gentleman has lectured, his efforts have been spoken of in the highest terms of praise.

The weighing social given by the O. E. S. at Masonic hall Friday evening was not largely attended, but it afforded plenty of fun nevertheless. Over \$9 was realized from the difference in weights of the gentlemen and their partners. One lucky fellow got the suppers for himself and partner for the modest sum of 1 cent. It cost Bro. Hoover 76 cents for himself and lady, and the editor of the Herald whacked up 50 cents. These were the two highest amounts paid.

The total cost of lighting and power for the University of Michigan for a year is \$5,590. It costs 8.113 cents per kilowatt hour since the institution runs its own plant as against 13.39 cents per kilowatt hour which was formerly paid to the Ann Arbor Electric Light Co. With the number of lights and amount of power now used if the university had to pay for them at the old rate the cost would be \$18,470 more than it now is. A pretty good argument in favor of owning its own plant. The item of \$5,590 mentioned as running expenses for a year includes an estimate of \$2,274 for interest, depreciation, etc.

School district No. 7, Sylvan, has a box social at W. H. Bahnmiller's tomorrow evening.

Mr. French, a student at the U. of M., preached to the Sylvan Christian Union on Sunday.

The Ladies' Research Club had a very pleasant meeting with Mrs. J. E. McKune Monday night.

The next final eighth grade examination to be held here will take place the last Saturday in this month, Feb. 24.

Lent commences four weeks from yesterday, Feb. 23. This makes Easter Sunday come unusually late this year, April 15.

Zera Burr, of Dexter, picked three pansy blossoms from a bed in his yard Jan. 17. The plants had been out all winter.

Mr. George F. Alber, of Sharon, and Miss Aleda E. Trolz, of Manchester, were married at the home of the bride's parents yesterday.

Will Hammond has purchased the house on East street, occupied by Ellis Keenan, from his father. The price paid was \$1,600.

The German Reading Circle will give a Valentine Shadow Social, Feb. 14, at the home of Miss Clara Hutzel. "Coming events cast their shadows before."

The subject for the Business Men's Class of the Congregational church next Sunday morning will be "Men who enrich the world." Leader, D. W. Greenleaf.

E. A. Nordman, of Lima, is 70 years of age, and by the laws of the K. O. T. M. is entitled to receive his life benefit in semi-annual payments of \$50 each. He received the first payment a few days ago.

Miss May Creech, preceptress of the high school, was one of the judges in a preliminary oratorical contest for the championship of the Grass Lake high school held in Grass Lake Friday evening.

At the recent meeting of the grand chapter of Michigan R. A. M., a charter was granted to about 20 of the Royal Arch Masons in Chelsea, and the institution of the chapter will take place within three weeks.

The Christian Endeavor will have charge of the services at the Congregational church next Sunday evening. There will be several five minute talks by members of the society, and a short address by the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Glazier were surprised Monday evening by a company of about 80 of their friends and neighbors who dropped in on them in a most unexpected manner. A very pleasant evening resulted from the surprise.

A donation party for the benefit of the pastor and family of the Congregational church will be held in the church parlors on Tuesday evening, Feb. 6. Refreshments will be served and an interesting literary and musical program rendered.

The February meeting of Section 2 of the County Teachers' Association was to have been held in Chelsea, Saturday of next week, Feb. 10. It has, however, been found necessary to postpone the meeting until a later date. Due notice of the new date will be given in these columns.

John Stapish, sr., died at the home of his sister-in-law Mrs. Clara Stapish on Friday, of dropsy. He had been confined to the house for over six months. He was 74 years old. The funeral services were held at St. Mary's church Monday morning and the remains were interred in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

George A. Gilbert, assistant superintendent-at-large of the railway mail service, who has been assigned to Michigan territory for duty, has received orders to report at Atlanta, Ga., to assist in superintending the annual weighing of the mails in that section. The assignment will keep Mr. Gilbert in the land of orange blossoms and alligators for at least 40 days.

Here is the way the Willis correspondent of the Ypsilanti dishes up the news about the noon hour of a meeting of the local grange: "The dinner hour was pleasant in the swing of thought. It was activity enthroned in the star chamber of human needs; physically, mentally and morally it filled the bill." BaNard has just passed his 77th birthday and is old enough to have got through making such cracks as that.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machius, Me., when the doctors said she would die from Pneumonia before morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvellous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Stimson's drug store.

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SOME INTERESTING FACTS

Furnished in Working on the Problem of Securing More Electricity from University Plant.

THE OPERATING EXPENSES IN ONE YEAR.

Great Saving in Cost of Lighting and Power—Statistics Given by Carroll D. Jones—"Junior Week" May Be Introduced—Other Notes of General Interest.

[Special Correspondence.]

University of Michigan, Jan. 29.—In working on the problem of securing more electricity from the light and power plant for the homeopathic hospital now building and the new science hall soon to be erected, Carroll D. Jones, of the department of electrical engineering, has obtained some interesting data.

The figures show that the operating expense of the present plant for a year is as follows:

Interest, depreciation, etc.	\$2,274
Labor	1,775
Supplies, oil, waste, etc.	231
Lamp renewals, carbons and globes	840
Coal (25 per cent. of coal used)	450

Total \$5,570

Only 25 per cent. of the coal used is charged to the lighting and power account, as the exhaust steam from the engines is used in heating the university buildings on the campus.

A Great Saving.

The total amount of work done by the plant at the present time in a period of one year is 179,700 kilowatt hours. This gives 3.112 cents as the cost per kilowatt hour. At the time the plant was installed the university was paying the Ann Arbor Electric Light & Power company 13.39 cents per kilowatt hour. From these figures it would appear that the university saves by owning and operating its own plant 10.278 cents on every kilowatt hour of electricity used. If the university had to pay for the electricity it is now using at the old price of 13.39 cents per kilowatt hour the cost of lighting and power would be \$18,470 more than it now is.

With 3.112 cents as the cost per kilowatt hour the cost of operating a 16-candle power incandescent lamp per hour is .186 cents, and the cost per hour for the arc lights 1.43 cents.

System Increased.

Since the installation of the university's plant motors aggregating 35 horse power and requiring 140 amperes, besides a large number of lamps, have been added to the system for which the dynamo produce the electricity. As now arranged, the system includes 5,194 incandescent lamps of 16 candle power each, 42 arc lamps of 1,800 candle power each and over 20 motors, with an aggregate of 175 horse power. As the normal capacity of the three generators in the power house and at the hospitals is but 725 amperes, it is necessary to shut down certain machinery, including the motors that operate the ventilating fans in the law building and the power motor in the physical laboratory, during the portion of the day between four and six o'clock p. m., when the number of lights in use is greatest.

Some Estimates.

It is estimated that the new homeopathic hospital will require 235 amperes, 100 for motors and 135 for lighting; and that the science hall soon to be built will take 370 amperes, 120 for motors and 250 for lighting. Including these, the maximum load, which is now 720 amperes, or 120 beyond the normal capacity of the two generators on the campus, will be increased to 1,500 amperes.

With generators having a normal capacity of 1,500 amperes, the cost of electricity can be reduced below 3.112 cents per kilowatt hour and .168 cents per lamp hour. The estimates as worked out by Mr. Jones are as follows:

Interest, depreciation, etc.	\$5,197
Labor	2,375
Supplies, etc.	237
Coal (25 per cent. of coal used)	1,884

Total \$10,511

The total output of the plant would be 425,000 kilowatt hours; the cost per kilowatt hour, 2.48 cents, and the cost per lamp hour, .15 cents.

Work of Students.

A five-kilowatt universal alternating dynamo is being constructed by the students in the department of electrical engineering. The machine was designed and the specifications, including shop drawings, were worked out last year as a thesis by two students in the department. The building of the machine has now been assigned to two other students. The dynamo is primarily a laboratory machine. It is so designed that one, two or three phase currents can be generated, and in this respect it will do the work of three different kinds of dynamos. When completed the machine will increase the valuation of the equipment of the electrical laboratory by about \$1,000.

"House Warming."

The splendid home of the women of the university was opened by a "house warming," given under the auspices of the Women's league. The hosts of the evening were the majority of the 650 members of the league, together with

Mrs. James B. Angell and Dean Eliza M. Mosher, of the women's department. It was one of the most extensive functions that has been seen here, as there were during the evening some 1,500 persons present.

"Junior Week."

There has been considerable discussion of introducing the custom of "Junior Week" into the university this year. This custom obtains in most of the eastern universities. During the week are given the junior hop, glee, banjo and mandolin concert, sophomore hop, comedy club play and the various games, house parties and luncheons. While this arrangement is not possible here at present a step in that direction will be taken. Besides the junior hop and house parties the musical clubs' concert will come in that week. This will be given the night after the junior hop. Daily rehearsals are now being held and will continue until the concert. The clubs are making every effort to make their first appearance after several years of sleep a memorable one.

Notes of Interest.

The pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the Wayne public schools, accompanied by their teachers, spent Saturday, January 20, in visiting the museum and the art galleries. They numbered about 50. The greater part of the day was spent in the museum, where they were made welcome by the university authorities.

The senior classes in electrical and mechanical engineering will make a test of the Birmingham power station of the Detroit & Pontiac electric railway about the middle of February. The machinery in the power house will be tested for a complete working day.

The second lecture in the course on the "History of the Great Epidemics," by Prof. Frederick G. Novy, of the medical department, was given before the medical students of the university Wednesday evening, January 24.

Dr. Paul C. Freer, professor of general chemistry, will lecture upon the subject, "Liquid Air and the Liquefaction of Gases," in the Park Congregational church, Grand Rapids, Mich., February 3.

The botanical gardens recently received through the kindness of Mrs. F. Ohlinger, an American missionary at Foo Chow, China, three assortments of Chinese lilies and orchids.

Prof. A. V. McAlvey, of the law faculty, is on the programme of the farmers' institute at Traverse City, February 7, for an address on the subject of "Home Sanitation."

R. H. E.

MICHIGAN'S SHARE.

Delegation Finally Decides Upon the Distribution of Plums in the National House.

Michigan's share in the national house patronage, which has been unsettled since congress reopened, has been finally disposed of as follows:

Mr. Corliss, tally clerk, Frank H. Wakefield, Detroit, \$3,000; Henry C. Smith, a page, Mr. Allen, of Morenci, \$800; Mr. Gardner, assistant doorkeeper, B. W. Kennedy, Grand Ledge, \$2,000; Mr. Hamilton, clerk in folding room, not selected, but probably of Barry county, \$1,200; William Alden Smith, assistant sergeant-at-arms, Col. E. S. Pierce, Grand Rapids, \$2,000; Samuel W. Smith, locksmith of congress, W. C. Jones, Detroit, \$1,440; Mr. Weeks, post office clerk, Silas F. Scott, \$1,200, and Chaplain Rev. Henry N. Couden, Port Huron, \$900; Mr. Fordney, policeman, H. A. Savage, Saginaw, \$1,000; Mr. Bishop, assistant librarian, Roswell F. Bishop, Ludington, \$1,800; Mr. Crump, messenger, not yet selected, \$1,000; Mr. Mesick, reading clerk, D. E. Alward, Clare, \$3,600; Mr. Sheldon, policeman, James O'Connell, \$1,000, late lieutenant Thirty-fourth Michigan infantry.

PURCHASED DIPLOMAS.

Decision by Michigan's Attorney General as to Medical Licenses Is of Great Importance.

The graduates of medical colleges which sell diplomas to applicants who are not required to attend upon instruction will find little comfort in action taken by the medical registration board. An opinion by the attorney general construing the new law has been filed and will be the board's guide in disposing of all applications. The opinion is outspoken against the licensing of graduates of such colleges, even though they were registered under previous statute. Graduates of clairvoyant and similar societies are ruled to have no standing as physicians and surgeons under the new law.

Rural Delivery Routes.

Three new rural mail routes, with headquarters in Albion, are soon to be established. There will be a recommend of about 25 miles each in length and averaging about 125 farmhouses. One is south and east, taking in South Albion and a portion of Jackson county; the second is north and east, including portions of Sheridan and Parma townships, and the third includes the remainder of the Sheridan and Clarence townships.

Fulfilled Her Contract.

Three years ago Miss Maude Richardson, daughter of Northville's foremost merchant, T. G. Richardson, was married to Claude Bennett. As a wedding present, her father gave her one of the handsome brick blocks on Main street, which he owned. In giving it he required her to pay a certain small sum each month for three years. Mrs. Bennett has completed her contract and possesses a deed to the property.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health from 75 observers in various portions of the state for the week ended January 20 indicate that measles and typhoid fever increased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 184 places, measles at 105, typhoid fever at 53, scarlet fever at 100, diphtheria at 42, whooping cough at 32, cerebrospinal meningitis at 1 place, and smallpox at Watervliet.

Was Well Known.

George W. Webber, ex-congressman, banker and capitalist, died at his home in Ionia of brain trouble. He was probably as well known as a shrewd business man and politician as any man in central Michigan. He was twice mayor of Ionia and represented the Fifth district in congress from 1880 to 1884. He was the founder of the village of Mecosta.

Revealed in a Dream.

John Morrison, of St. Joseph, dreamed that C. A. Reeves, a neighbor, had died suddenly. At breakfast in the morning he told the dream to his parents. Soon afterward a messenger called at the Morrison residence and informed the family that Mr. Reeves was dead. He had been a sufferer from cancer for the last six months.

Married Seventy Years.

The oldest married couple in Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Weed, residing near Battle Creek, celebrated the seventieth anniversary of their wedding. The groom was born in Darien, Conn., in 1806. His wife, formerly Miss Anna Gay, was born in Sharon, Conn., in 1812. The wedding occurred January 18, 1830.

Indicted for Kidnaping.

Harry Hamilton, of Battle Creek, a former engineer on the Chicago & Grand Trunk railroad, was indicted at Valparaiso, Ind., for kidnaping a young girl named Lillian Gray. He deserted his family and it is alleged abducted Miss Gray, who is now a witness for his prosecution.

Arrested in Chicago.

Clifford R. England, alias James Hammond, manager and confidential man of John McLelland's wholesale furniture house in Chicago, was arrested on a charge of embezzling \$10,000 from the Warren-Scharf Asphalt Pavement company of Detroit in 1897. He confessed the crime.

Crushed to Death.

E. B. Mack, of the National Safe & Lock company, Chicago, was crushed to death while overseeing the placing of a new vault in the Citizens' bank in Benton Harbor. The vault door, weighing 3,000 pounds, fell on him. Mack arrived from Chicago only two hours before his death.

News Items Briefly Told.

Two miners named Kratt and Sweet dropped nearly 2,000 feet in a mine at Houghton and were instantly killed.

Citizens of Grand Haven voted to authorize the issue of \$22,000 worth of bonds, payable after 20 years, to induce manufactures to locate there.

The total lumber cut of Menominee for the year 1899 was 366,427,000 feet. Prices have increased nearly 40 per cent.

The Michigan Passenger association has granted a rate of one fare for the round trip to the state round-up of farmers' institutes to be held at Ann Arbor February 27 to March 2.

Rural free mail delivery has been recommended for the township of Clarendon and the south half of Fredonia township, Calhoun county, with the distributing point at Tekonsha.

Twenty-two Ottawa county boys have enlisted in the regular United States army within a year.

William Jenkinson, who fell into the cellar of a new residence being constructed in Vicksburg, died from the effects of the accident.

Mrs. Helen Case Adams, daughter of the late Daniel L. Case, a prominent educator, died in Lansing of paralysis, aged 60 years.

The project to consolidate banks in Detroit and establish a national bank with \$2,000,000 capital, has been abandoned.

William Kessler, aged 79 years, hanged himself in the barn of his son-in-law in Adrian. A temporary fit of despondency is assigned for the act.

Rev. J. J. Axtell, of Royal Oak, has decided to leave that village and make Battle Creek his headquarters.

Frank Carpenter survived the shock of being buried under the collapse of a building in Battle Creek, while his wife died from fright.

Ogemaw's county treasurer has paid out \$141 in bounties for the killing of 47 wild cats.

John E. Jones, has been appointed deputy game warden of Menominee county by State Game Warden Morse.

Two miners, named Kratt and Sweet, employed at the Atlantic copper mine in Houghton, fell 2,000 feet down the shaft and were killed.

John Wykoff, a resident of St. Johns and 70 years of age, hanged himself from a tree in the orchard near his house while despondent.

FRANCHISE FEES.

Transactions of the Corporation Division of Secretary of State's Office During the Past Year.

The unusual activity in business circles during the past year is demonstrated by the following statement issued which shows the transactions of the corporation division of the secretary of state's office:

During the year the articles of incorporation of 726 companies, having an aggregate capital stock of \$332,219,000 were filed. Of this number 432 were mercantile and manufacturing corporations, 44 mining, 48 religious associations, 18 street and electric railways, 13 telephone, 15 publishing, 9 banking, 7 railroads, 7 gas, 5 navigation and transportation, 8 electric light and 126 miscellaneous.

Notices of dissolution of 439 manufacturing and mercantile corporations were recorded, and 196 were canceled on information that the companies had ceased to exist. Reports were received during the year from 1,915 corporations, of which number 1,681 were mercantile and manufacturing companies.

The amount of fees paid to the state through the corporation division during the year is as follows: Franchise, \$168,902.78; recording and filing, \$3,742.20; certified copies, \$1,455.83; total, \$174,100.81.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Interesting Statistics Gathered by Labor Commissioner Cox Concerning Cities in Michigan.

Labor Commissioner Cox has given to the public the following statistics concerning Michigan cities from reports received by him:

During the year 1899 ten of the 76 chartered cities of Michigan expended a total of \$318,400 for public buildings; 25 expended \$120,615 for parks; 25 expended \$857,648 for paving; 33 expended \$344,890 for sewers, and 45 expended \$311,062 for public improvements of all other kinds. The total expended for all kinds of public improvements in the 63 cities of the state was \$2,452,385, or an average of \$39,925.

Of the chartered cities 52 own city halls of an aggregate value of \$3,495,379, while 60 own other public buildings valued at \$10,600. Sixty-seven cities of the state have an aggregate indebtedness of \$13,025,876, an average of \$156,207. The average pay of city laborers last year was \$1.41 per day, and of a man and team, \$2.94.

Of the 296 incorporated villages of the state 112 own halls valued at \$410,100. Last year 255 villages made public improvements worth \$572,548, and 155 villages have an indebtedness aggregating \$1,321,174. Laborers were paid \$1.33 per day on the average, and men and teams were paid \$2.64.

SALOON MEN WIN.

Spotters Hired by Detroit Temperance People Play Into the Hands of Liquor Dealers.

The Anti-Saloon league of Detroit has been endeavoring for some time to obtain warrants for the arrest of 103 saloonkeepers for failure to observe the liquor law. The other day Judge Whelan gave a committee from the league a hearing on the matter and it developed that the three witnesses whom the league had employed to get evidence against the saloonkeepers had played into the hands of the saloon men. The "spotters" have signed a paper which President Kohn, of the Retail Liquor Dealers' association holds, declaring that the 103 cases they reported to the league are mythical ones and that they have no evidence against the saloon men.

FILLS VACANT PLACES.

Gov. Pingree Announces Appointments He Has Made on the State Military Board.

Quartermaster general, O'Brien Atkinson, of Detroit; assistant quartermaster general, Ford Starring, of Detroit; inspector general, Fred W. Green, of Ypsilanti—these are appointed by Gov. Pingree to fill the vacant places on the state military board. Maj. O'Brien Atkinson is the oldest son of the late Col. John Atkinson, during the last few years of his life one of the governor's closest political advisers. Fred W. Green is city attorney at Ypsilanti. Ford Starring, of Detroit, who will be Gen. Green's assistant, was first lieutenant in the Thirty-second Michigan volunteers, and has for a long time been secretary of the lighting commission in Detroit.

Medical Registration.

Secretary B. D. Harrison, of the new medical registration board, has prepared a report covering the three months' existence of the board, which he has filed, according to law, in the executive office in Lansing. Nearly 3,000 physicians, it is said, have applied for reregistration under the act. The receipts of the board for the three months of its existence were \$3,287, and the expenses up to January 1 were \$1,066.60, leaving a balance in the state treasury of \$2,220.40.

United After Many Years.

William Savage, aged 70, of Coldwater, and Sophia Kidder, of California, about the same age, sweethearts of 40 years ago, were married in Auburn, Ind. Savage is an influential citizen of Coldwater. More than 40 years ago the two were lovers in Michigan. Conditions arose which separated them thousands of miles, yet the two remained faithful through all the years, and their romance ended in their union.

The ages of the four generations of the royal family in the direct line of succession are: The queen, 80; prince of Wales, 57; duke of York, 34; Prince Edward of York, five.

MOVEMENT CHECKED.

Advances Into the Free State Must Await Roberts' Decision.

Speculation as to Further Operations for Relief of Ladysmith—Figures Show Total British Casualties to Be Enormous.

London, Jan. 30.—History pauses for a time in South Africa. It is one of those unsatisfactory pauses that are nearly as trying to British nerves as a sequence of reverses, and apparently it will terminate only when Lord Roberts gives the word for the forward movement into the Free State, which, according to the most cheerful view, he will be unable to do for a fortnight. Whether he will permit Gen. Buller to make another attempt to relieve Ladysmith is quite outside the knowledge even of those closely connected with the war office. With the troops due to arrive next month, he may think himself strong enough to try two large operations. Combining the forces under Gen. Methuen, French and Gatacre and adding to them the arriving troops, Lord Roberts would have 70,000 for the invasion of the Free State; with 40,000 to 50,000 guarding communications, and 40,000 trying to rescue Ladysmith. The public burns with impatience that something should be done.

More Men Must Go.

The thing on which everybody seems agreed is that more men must go. Twenty thousand two hundred and twenty-two men and 155 guns are at sea. Eleven thousand infantry and 9,000 cavalry, including 5,000 yeomen, are practically ready to embark. Therefore the government without doing more, can place at the disposal of Lord Roberts 40,000 additional men and 155 guns. The further purposes of the war office officials are supposed to embrace somewhere in the neighborhood of 50,000 more men. As the indication is that candidates will be rather scarce, the war office will issue orders for those reservists who were found unfit at the previous mobilization examinations to report for further examination. Applicants for cavalry service are still freely offering as yeomanry.

Losses Are Heavy.

Gen. Buller's operations has cost 912 men, so far officially reported within ten days. Applying to the 206 Spion kop casualties reported to-day the rule of proportion, the losses of officers indicate is 500 casualties yet to come. The total casualties of the war, compiled from official reports, are 9,523, nearly a division! Of these 2,456 are killed, 4,811 wounded and the rest are prisoners.

The aggregate British home troops in South Africa number 116,000, the Natalians 7,158 and Cape Colonials 21,000.

London, Jan. 30.—The delight of foreigners and the jeers of the continental press are reproduced in the British papers and wound the national pride.

Bombardment Continues.

London, Jan. 30.—The Times has the following telegraph message via Modder River from Kimberley, dated January 26: "The bombardment continues. It is now directed towards the inhabited portions of the town rather than the fortifications. Between midnight and four p. m. yesterday 145 (?) shells were fired. They seem to have been of Transvaal manufacture, not bursting widely. One child was killed and four people were injured."

Heavy Loss of Officers.

London, Jan. 30.—Gen. Buller wires from Spearman's camp, January 29, that the casualties among the officers of the Fifth division and mounted brigade at Spion's kop, January 24, were:

Killed, 22; wounded, 20; missing, six.

Great Anxiety Relieved.

London, Jan. 30.—Great anxiety has been removed by the announcement that Lord Dundonald's cavalry forces, which it was feared were isolated among the hills in the neighborhood of Acton Homes, are safe on the south bank of the Tugela river.

Dr. Leyds Talks.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—To a correspondent who interviewed him, Dr. Leyds made the following statement:

"I know nothing about the reported missions of either Mr. Macrum or Mr. Webster Davis. Nor to the best of my knowledge, is either the bearer of a message of peace. There are no movements under way on our part to induce President McKinley to intervene between Great Britain and the Transvaal. As I do not at present have direct communication with Pretoria I do not know what Mr. Montagu White's mission is, except to establish diplomatic relations with the United States. All this talk about peace is sadly premature. Great Britain surely will not succumb now. Neither will we. While we are talking here, it may be that a decisive battle is being fought there, for I presume Lord Roberts has withdrawn the troops around Ladysmith and is massing them for a formidable coup."

Dr. Leyds repeated his former declaration that the Boers when concluding peace would want back part at least of the territories which England "stole from the Boers." He rather expects also that a harbor south of Mozambique will go to the Transvaal. "For our legitimate extension," he added, "we need free access to the sea." He asserted emphatically that one condition of peace would be the recognition of the absolute independence of the Transvaal.

ORDERED A RETREAT.

Buller's Movement to Relieve Ladysmith Is Disastrous.

Forced to Abandon Spion Kop and Withdraw His Troops to the South Bank of Tugela River—Said to Have Left 1,500 Dead on Field.

London, Jan. 29.—Gen. Buller says that Warren's troops have retreated south of the Tugela river. The Boers say that the British lost 1,500 killed Wednesday. It is believed here that this includes the wounded. The Boers also claim that 150 of the English troops surrendered at Spion Kop.

Withdraws His Forces.

London, Jan. 29.—Gen. Buller's dispatch to the war office states that Spion kop was abandoned on account of lack of water, inability to bring artillery there and the heavy Boer fire. Gen. Buller gives no list of casualties. His whole force withdrew south of the Tugela river with the evident intention of reaching Ladysmith by another route.

Following is the text of Gen. Buller's dispatch, dated Spearman's Camp, Saturday, January 27, 6:10 p. m.:

Buller's Dispatch.

"On January 20 Warren drove back the enemy and obtained possession of the southern crest of the high table land extending from the line of Acton Homes and Hanger's Post to the western Ladysmith hills. From then to January 25 he remained in close contact with the enemy. The enemy held a strong position on a range of small kopjes stretching from northwest to southeast across the plateau from Acton Homes, through Spion kop, to the left bank of the Tugela.

"The actual position held was perfectly tenable, but did not lend itself to an advance, as the southern slopes were so steep that Warren could not get an effective artillery position, and water supply was a difficulty.

Attack on Spion Kop.

"On January 23 I assented to his attacking Spion kop, a large hill, indeed a mountain, which was evidently the key of the position, but was far more accessible from the north than from the south. On the night of January 23 he attacked Spion kop, but found it very difficult to hold, as its perimeter was too large and water, which he had been led to believe existed, in this extraordinary dry season was found very deficient. The crests were held all that day against severe attacks and a heavy shell fire.

Praise for the Troops.

"Our men fought with great gallantry. I would especially mention the conduct of the Second Camerons and the Third King's Rifles, who supported the attack on the mountain from the steepest side and, in each case fought their way to the top, and the Second Lancashire Fusiliers and Second Middlesex, who magnificently maintained the best traditions of the British army throughout the trying day of January 24, and Thorneycroft's mounted infantry, who fought throughout the day equally well along side of them.

"Gen. Woodgate, who was in command at the summit, having been wounded, the officer who succeeded him decided on the night of January 24 to abandon the position, and did so before dawn, January 25.

Force Withdrawn.

"I reached Warren's camp at five a. m. on January 25 and decided that a second attack upon Spion kop was useless and that the enemy's right was too strong to allow me to force it. Accordingly I decided to withdraw the force to the south of the Tugela. At six a. m. we commenced withdrawing the train, and by eight a. m., January 27 (Saturday), Warren's force was concentrated south of the Tugela without the loss of a man or a pound of stores.

"The fact that the force could withdraw from actual touch—in some cases the lines were less than 1,000 yards apart—with the enemy in the manner it did, is, I think, sufficient evidence of the morale of the troops, and that we were permitted to withdraw our cumbersome ox and mule transport across the river, 85 yards broad, with 20-foot banks, and a very swift current, unmolested, is, I think, proof that the enemy has been taught to respect our soldier's fighting powers."

A Boer Report.

Boer Headquarters, Modder Spruit, Upper Tugela, Wednesday, Jan. 24, Midnight, via Lourenzo Marques, Thursday, Jan. 25.—Some Vryheid burghers from the outposts on the highest hills of the Spion kop group rushed into the laager saying that the kop was lost, and that the English had taken it. Reinforcements were ordered up, but nothing could be done for some time, the hill being enveloped in thick mist. At dawn the Heidelberg and Carolina contingents, supplemented from other commandoes, began the ascent of the hill. Three spurs, precipitous projections, faced the Boer positions. Up these the advance was made. The horses were left under the first terrace of rocks. Scaling the steep hill, the Boers found that the English had improved the opportunity and entrenched heavily. Between the lines of trenches was an open veldt, which had to be rushed under a heavy fire, not only from rifles but of lyddite and shrapnel from field guns.

British Surrender.

Three forces ascended the three spurs coordinately, under cover of fire from the Free State krupps, a creusot and a big maxim. The English tried to rush the Boers with the bayonet, but their infantry went down before the Boer rifle fire as before a scythe. The Boer investing party advanced step by step until two in the afternoon, when a white flag went up and the 150 men in the front trenches surrendered, being sent as prisoners to the head laager. The Boer advance continued on the two kopjes east of Spion kop. Many Boers were shot, but so numerous were the burghers that the gaps filled automatically. Toward twilight they reached the summit of the second kopje, but did not get further. The British maxims belched

flame, but a wall of fire from the mausers held the English back. Their center, under this pressure, gradually gave way and broke, abandoning the position.

The prisoners speak highly of the bravery of the burghers, who, despising cover, stood against the skyline edges of the summit to shoot down the Dublin fusiliers, sheltered in the trenches. Firing continued for some time, and then the fusiliers and the light horse, serving as infantry, threw up their arms and rushed out of the trenches.

The effect of the abandonment of Spion kop by the English can hardly be gauged as yet, but it must prove to be immense.

Feeling of Deep Gloom.

London, Jan. 29, 4:15 a. m.—The week has opened with the utmost gloom for the British public, and the reaction is all the stronger because of the high hopes that were reposed in Gen. Buller's turning movement and of his announcement that there would be "no turning back." At the very moment when Dr. Leyds is being received as an honored guest in the highest circles on the continent, Great Britain has to face the worst disaster in a campaign thus far disastrous. Open talk is heard of the absolute necessity of abandoning Ladysmith to its fate, while Lord Roberts reverts to the original plan of an advance over the Orange river upon Bloemfontein.

To Ladysmith the disappointment must be very bitter. A dispatch from the Boer laager, near the town, dated January 24, describes the garrison as "very evidently preparing a desperate coup in order to effect a junction with Gen. Buller's advancing army." It may be regarded as a certainty that, in the confident hope of early relief, Sir George White has lately been issuing extra rations, and this fact has given rise to an exaggerated idea as to the length of time the provisions would last. Even should it be decided to send Gen. Buller reinforcements and to attempt to reach Ladysmith by a movement through the still more difficult country east of Colenso, it is extremely doubtful whether the garrison could hold out long enough, as such a movement would occupy at least a month.

Should Send More Troops.

All the editorials this morning breathe the spirit of calm determination. Not one will allow that any reverse could deter the country from the object it has set itself to attain, whatever the sacrifices which may be involved. The Times says: "Heavy or light, the thing has to be done and the government ought to prepare for the immediate dispatch of 50,000 men and to take steps to send yet another 50,000, if these should be needed. The hopeless attempts to carry on the campaign with four widely separated columns, each unequal to its task, must be abandoned for a concentration of force and of purpose."

Defeat Equal to Yorktown.

The Times says: "The catastrophe is almost without precedent in our military history, and, indeed, without parallel except the surrender of Yorktown."

Very frank criticism of the government, however, is beginning to be heard even in quarters that have hitherto refrained. The Daily Mail boldly throws all the blame upon Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Lord Lansdowne and Lord Wolseley. It points to President Lincoln's dismissal of Simon Cameron from the post of secretary of war as a precedent for "getting rid of incompetent ministers."

Buller's Strength.

It appears that Gen. Buller had altogether five brigades wholly or partly engaged, Gen. Cooke's, Gen. Hildyard's, Gen. Hart's, Gen. Woodgate's and Gen. Lyttleton's, and the 27 casualties already announced in Lyttleton's brigade are thus explained. Much mystery still surrounds the retreat. It is possible that Gen. Buller has withdrawn his whole forces, but it is generally assumed that Lyttleton's brigade and Lord Dundonald's cavalry and other troops are still on the north side of the Tugela. Gen. Buller's confidence that the Boers did not molest his retreat, because they had been taught to respect the fighting powers of the British soldier, is not shared in London. It is thought rather that the Boers had some other plan in store or did not wish to waste their men.

Seeks Mediation.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—Despite Dr. Leyds' protestations, it is currently reported and believed that his purpose here is to induce Germany to intervene, his chief stipulation for peace being that Great Britain should guarantee the independence of the Boer republics, with minor territorial cessions, but no ports, this latter being left for future negotiations. Another power having into the negotiations. If he fails here Dr. Leyds will probably visit Washington with the same object. Should the kaiser decline the proposals, and failing in Washington, St. Petersburg will be tried. The inducements that are held out to Germany to assist him in his plans are commercial, railway and mining monopolies to the empire in the Transvaal and assistance against British competition in South Africa.

Sage Resigns Presidency.

New York, Jan. 29.—Russell Sage resigned the presidency of the Standard Gaslight company.

WESTERN CANADA.

One of the Choice Spots on the Continent Open for Settlement.

The following extracts from an interesting letter to the Mason City (Iowa) Republican, written by Mrs. S. A. Brigham, late of that place, but now of Ross Creek, Alberta, Canada, so nearly describes most of the districts of Western Canada that we take pleasure in presenting same to the attention of our readers:

WESTERN CANADA.

Crop Prospects and Climate About Edmonton, N. W. T.

(Interesting letter from Mrs. S. A. Brigham, late of Mason City.)

Editor Mason City Republican.

Ross Creek, Alberta, N. W. T.,

Canada, Aug. 7, 1899.

Dear Sir: We are located in the Beaver Hills, 30 miles from Ft. Saskatchewan and 50 miles from Edmonton. To the east of these is an immense area of bottom lands, which furnishes abundance of hay for the settlers. It is dotted with small lakes, the largest of which is called Beaver Lake, 16 miles in length.

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We have long days during the months of June and July, one can see to read many evenings until 10 o'clock in the twilight. Some nights less than 3 hours of darkness and the birds are singing at 2 o'clock. Then again, it rains so easily. You look toward the west and see a little cloud coming up, a gentle shower follows, the sun shines forth again, and in a little while you forget it has rained.

Cyclones are unknown here and the thunder and lightning is very light. We had two storms this summer accompanied with wind and hail, but nothing to lodge the grain. The average heat is about 78 degrees. We had three or four days in July at 90. The nights are always cool.

The winter season is one of great activity. All the fencing is gotten out then and logs for the farm buildings. By paying 25 cents you are granted a permit at the land office to cut logs upon vacant lands. The roads are good and smooth, for the snow never drifts, not even around the buildings, and this is a great saving of time to the farmer. Hay is hauled from the bottom lands all winter long, and a man can work outside every day as far as the weather is concerned. There are cold snaps when it reaches 40 and 48 below zero, but the lack of wind prevents one realizing it and the mountains 150 miles west of us are a great protection.

Our neighbors are mostly Canadian, Scotch, Swede, and we have a nice sprinkling of people from the States. The creeks abound in small fish.

We are now in the midst of hay-making (Aug. 7th). Wheat will not be cut until early September, this being a little later season than common, but the crop will be immense. I send you a sample of wheat and barley—its height is almost even with my shoulders, average 50 inches. Newcomers lacking binders can hire their grain cut for 75 cents per acre. Prairie chickens are here by the thousands.

The water is good. We have a fine well 15 feet deep. In the creeks the water is soft and of a yellowish colour.

Then again we are surrounded with bachelors; we have no less than 18 single men in this neighbourhood, on matrimony bent. When a feminine gender of any age between 14 and 40 visits these hills we pity her, so great is the demand for her company.

In conclusion, if the remainder of our loved ones were here with us, we should better enjoy life on Ross Creek, and unless the unexpected develops, consider this will be a pretty fair place to end our days.

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Total number enrolled,	859
Total number enrolled by transfer,	0
Total number enrolled by re-entry,	88
Total number left, all causes,	29
Total number belonging at date,	298
Percentage of attendance,	95.4
No. of non-resident pupils,	89
No. pupils neither absent nor tardy,	154

W. W. GIFFORD, Supt.

The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy during the month:

HIGH SCHOOL.

Earl Finkbeiner	Enid Holmes
Herman Foster.	Martha Kusterer
Carl Plowe	Eva Luick
George Speer	Gladys Mapes
Bertie Steinbach	Mabel McGuinness
Edgar Steinbach	Cora Nickerson
Edward Zinke	Linna Rancman
Henry Speer	Bertha Schumacher
Louis Stevenson	Barbara Schwicklerath
Karl Vogel	Clara Snyder
William Stevenson	Rose Zuilke
Florence Collins	Luiz Marshall
Louise Hieber	Cora Noyes

MAY E. CREECH, Teacher.

NINTH GRADE.

Furman Fenn	Jacob Forner
Harry Foster.	Earl Updike
Leah Foster	Joseph Bacon
Howard Holmes	Lillie Blach
R. Kautleiner	Helen Burg
Willie Luick	Leila Geddes
Wirt McLaren	Myrtle Guerin
Dwight Miller	Alice Heim
Chandler Rogers	Christian Kalmbach
Rollen Schenk	Cora Stedman
Herbert Schenk	Nellie Walsh
Warren Spaulding	Anna Zuilke
Harry Stedman	Eliza Zinke

FLORENCE N. BACHMAN, Teacher.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Oscar Barrus	Leon Kempf
Howard Boyd	Leone Curtis
Burton Grey	Nellie Martin
George Keenan	Mamie Snyder

NINA M. HOWLETT, Teacher.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Edith Bennett	Anna Corey
Erma Hunter	Edna Ives
Julia Kalmbach	Lee Chandler
Mina Sieger	Paul Hirth
Esther Seife	Austin Keenan
Josie Hoeselschwerdt	Guy McNamara
Lillie Schmidt	Bert Snyder
Ada Yakley	Elmer Winans

MAMIE E. FLETCHER, Teacher.

SIXTH GRADE.

Flora Atkinson	Grace Swartout
Pauline Burg	Albert Steinbach
Agnes Conway	Leroy Wiley
Jennie Geddes	Arthur Young
F. Hoeselschwerdt	Jennie Ives
Louise Luemle	Hazel Spier
Mabel Raffrey	

ANNA M. BEISSER, Teacher.

FIFTH GRADE.

Mildred Atkinson	Adeline Kalmbach
Ruth Bacon	Ira Mast
Charlie Bat-s	Beryl McNamara
Ethel Burkhardt	Bessie Swartout
Alice Chandler	Bertha Turner
Bernice Hlong	

ELIZABETH DEPEW, Teacher.

FOURTH GRADE.

Clayton Bennett	Clara Koch
Donald Curtis	Ethel Moran
Emma Buehler	Meryl Prudden
Galbraith Gorman	Edna Raffrey
Nina Hunter	Cora Schmidt
Clare Hoover	Lynn Stedman
Myrtle Kempf	Don Rodell

M. A. VANTYNE, Teacher.

THIRD GRADE.

Arthur Avery	Marguerite Eppler
Earl Bennett	Elsie Maroney
Paul Martin	Eva Osterle
Agnes Palmer	Lena Schwicklerath
Sydney Schenk	V. Schwicklerath
Myrtle Young	Clarence Laird

CLARA B. HEMENS, Teacher.

SECOND GRADE.

Fred Bennett	Theresa Schafer
Marjorie Freeman	May Stigelmair
Nada Hoffman	Bertha Turner
Mary Koch	Phoebe Turnbull
Iva Lehman	Cleon Wolf
Ruth Raffrey	Mabel Norton
Ellis Schultz	Raymond Staphis

MARIE BACON, Teacher.

FIRST GRADE.

Carl Chandler	Meryl Shaver
Affa Davis	Una Steigelmair
George Kaercher	H. Schwicklerath
Elaine Jackson	Jennie Walker
Paul Maroney	Mary Schwicklerath
Esther Schenk	Libbie Schwicklerath

LOUELLA C. TOWNSEND, Teacher.

Lima.

There was a party at Geo. Bareis' last night.

About 20 couples attended the dance Friday night.

Miss Bertha Spencer spent part of last week in Ann Arbor.

About 50 attended the party at J. Hinderer's Tuesday night.

The sugar beet meeting at the hall was quite well attended last Thursday.

The electric railroad men were here last week looking over the route.

The farmers along the route of the proposed electric line held a meeting at the hall Saturday night. Nearly all are in favor of the electric road.

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The 48 stockholders, largely farmers, who own the Chelsea Savings Bank, re-elected at their recent meeting the following directors and managers of the bank: Herman M. Woods and James L. Babcock, of Ann Arbor, Victor D. Hadelang, of Albion, John R. Gates, Wm. P. Schenk, Dr. G. W. Palmer; Wm. J. Knapp, president; Thos. S. Sears, vice president; Geo. P. Glazier, cashier; Theodore E. Wood, assistant cashier; David W. Greenleaf, teller; A. K. Stimson, special accountant.

The Chelsea Savings Bank is the oldest, largest and strongest bank in Western Washtenaw county and is quite likely to remain so if it continues to earn, as it has for the past eighteen months, after deducting interest paid to its depositors and all other expenses, remarkable profits and large dividends to its stockholders. The bank will continue to pay three per cent interest on money deposited in it, under the rules, and to loan on approved paper at the lowest consistent rates.

For safety, profit and a convenient place to do your banking this bank is all that can be desired. If you are not already keeping a bank account give the Chelsea Savings Bank a trial. In many ways a bank account is a source of great advantage which only those who keep such an account realize, by preserving a history of their business transactions in a methodical manner, and preventing losses and waste to a degree unsuspected by those who have never kept such an account.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the 26th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

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

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 2nd day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Sarah W. Chilton, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Fannie E. Wines, administratrix, with the will annexed, praying that she may be licensed to sell the real estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered that Friday, the 2nd day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of James Duggan, deceased.

On cause shown it is ordered that Monday, the 22nd day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that a certain claim of John C. Duggan against said estate will be heard before George W. Albion and J. M. Chidister commissioners duly appointed, they will meet at the office of T. L. Towner, in said county, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said claimant give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1900, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Julia Hoffelbower, late said County, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 12th day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 12th day of April and on the 12th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated Ann Arbor, January 12, A. D. 1900.
H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

Teachers' Examinations 1899-1900.

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

Ann Arbor, beginning the last Thursday in March.

Ann Arbor, beginning the third Thursday in June.

Final Eighth Grade examinations will be held the last Saturday in February and the last Saturday in May.

W. N. LISTER, Commissioner of Schools.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date March 31st, 1888, made and executed by Randall Boss and Lucretia T. Boss to Nancy Hendricks, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw county, State of Michigan, April 8th, 1888, in liber 65 of mortgages, on page 541.

Which mortgage was duly assigned by Nancy Hendricks to Charles H. Roberts, said assignment recorded in said register's office, June 20th, 1895, in liber 12 of assignments of mortgages, on page 199.

Which mortgage was duly assigned by Charles H. Roberts to George McElcheran and said assignment recorded in said register's office, January 31st, 1900, in liber 13 of assignments of mortgages, on page 350.

Upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal, interest and attorney's fees, as provided for in mortgage, the sum of \$8,401.

Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder, on the 28th day of April next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the southerly front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and all legal costs, to-wit:

Those piece or parcels of land situate in the township of Pittsfield, county of Washtenaw and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The west one-half of the northwest quarter of section 24 in town 3 south of range 6 east, containing 80 acres more or less, (except the land on the south side of the Chicago road used by the school district so long as same is used for school purposes, said school lot is described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of said section 24, thence east 20 rods, thence north to the Chicago road, thence southwest along the south line of the Chicago road to the place of beginning; also the following described parcel of land in town, county and state aforesaid, and described as follows, to-wit: The northwest part of the east one-half of the northwest quarter of section 24 as aforesaid, bounded south by the Chicago road, otherwise known as the Detroit, Saline and Plank road, east by and conveyed by W. H. L. Roberts to Lytle and now owned by said Randall Boss, north by the highway and west by the lands first above described, containing 10 acres more or less.

Dated, January 31, 1900.
GEORGE MCELCHERAN, Assignee of said mortgage.
D. C. GRIFFEN, Attorney for assignee, Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Mortgage Sale.

OCTOBER 10th, 1888, Mary Ann Harris made and executed a mortgage to Helen McAndrew, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw county, Michigan, October 11th, 1888, in Liber 71 of mortgages, on page 591.

October 7th, 1892, Mary Ann Taylor (formerly Harris) made and executed a mortgage to Helen McAndrew, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw county, Michigan, October 8th, 1892, in Liber 80 of mortgages, on page 328.

Said mortgages were upon the following described parcel of land, situate in the city of Ypsilanti, county of Washtenaw, and state of Michigan, to-wit: The west half of lot number thirty-three (33) in H. W. Larzelere's addition to the city of Ypsilanti. These mortgages were, on the 24th day of January, 1895, duly assigned, by said Helen McAndrew, to William Perrel, which assignment was, on the 16th day of March, 1895, recorded in said Register's Office, in Liber 12 of mortgages on page 138.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgages is Three Hundred and Sixteen and 06/100 dollars, principal and interest; Thirty dollars attorney fees, as provided by law, and Twenty-nine and 80/100 dollars taxes on said premises, paid by said assignee.

Default having been made in the conditions of said mortgages, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the debt thereby secured, Notice is hereby given that said mortgages will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, on Monday, the 28th day of April, 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon (Standard time), at the south door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, county and state aforesaid.

Dated, January 22, 1900.
WILLIAM PERREL, Assignee of Mortgages.
FRANK JOELYN, Attorney for Assignee, Ypsilanti, Mich.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Thursday, the 18th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Maria E. Furgeson, deceased.

Frank J. Wirt, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered that Wednesday, the 14th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 12th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Raymond B. Millard, minor.

The Michigan Trust Company, the guardian of said ward, comes into court and represent that they are now prepared to render their final annual account as such guardian.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 12th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the next of kin of said ward and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said guardian give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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