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Wonderful Bargains

Throughout the Big Store During
the Month of March.

We Are Closing Them Out.

Everything in the line of Winter Goods.

All broken lots in Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes cheap.

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NEW M. E. CHURCH

Was Formally Dedicated to the Ser-
vice of God Sunday

AND ENOUGH MONEY WAS RAISED

To Pay All the Indebtedness on the
Church and Purchase a
Pipe Organ Also.

To say that there are a happy lot of
Methodists in Chelsea at this time is put-
ting it mildly, as many of them feel like
jumping and shouting "Hallelujah" at
every turn. The reason for this is to be
found in the successful completion of
their beautiful church and the providing of
sufficient funds not only for the payment
of the balance still due for the building of
it but for the purchase of a fine pipe
organ. The past year has been one of
hard and incessant labor for both pastor
and congregation, of the practicing of
much self denial, and the constant con-
tribution of funds for the object in view.
The result is one of the finest and most
completely equipped churches in Mich-
igan, and the prettiest church to be found
in any village of its size. Its cost, \$15,
625, is considered to be wonderfully cheap,
and it is due to the untiring and careful
supervision of the building committee,
consisting of Rev. J. I. Nickerson, F. P.
Glazier, William Bacon, O. T. Hoover,
Dr. George W. Palmer and O. C. Burk-
hart, that so fine a church has been
erected at so small a cost.

A brief description of the church and
its furnishings will be of interest to our
readers. The church is built of field
stone, all of which was gathered in this
vicinity and the walls contain many
beautiful conceptions in ashlar work. Its
outside measurement is 78x97 feet, height
of main walls 20 feet, with a square tower
on the northwest corner 54 feet high, with
a 16 feet high steeple. It also has a hand
some porte cochere on the east side of
church. There are entrances to the main
body of the church on the east and west
sides and in front through the tower. On
the ground floor the auditorium is 50x60
feet in size, the choir loft 12x20 feet, the
Epworth League room 27x37, the primary
room 12x16, pastor's study 10x14, choir
room 10x16, library room 6x8, two roomy
vestibules, and a tower entrance 11x11.
In the basement the space is divided up
into a dining room 27x37 feet, kitchen
14x24, pantry 10x16, both fitted with
commodious cupboard room, check room
12x16, also furnace room, cold air room,
coal storehouse, etc.

The inside finish of the ground floor is
in quarter sawed white oak, except the
pastor's study which is finished in curly
birch and the choir room in bird's eye
maple. This is all rub finished. The
seating of the auditorium is arranged in
semi-circular style with curved carved
quarter sawed white oak seats capable of
seating comfortably 360 people, although
400 can be seated if necessary. By
throwing open the Epworth League and
primary rooms seating accommodation for
200 more is assured and at a pinch by
adding chairs in the aisles, etc., 300 people
can be cared for. The Epworth League
room is divided from the auditorium by
Wilson's slat rolling partitions, and the
primary room is separated from the
League room by draperies. The floors
are of hardwood and are covered through-
out the aisles and on the rostrum and
choir loft with red figured velvet carpet.

The walls are beautifully decorated in
soft neutral shades very pleasing to the
eye and do not tire one to look at. On
the walls each side of the rostrum are two
pictures one representing the Savior
knocking at the door, the other the Good
Shepherd carrying the lambs in his
bosom.

The stonework on the church was done
by Frank A. Norton, of Ypsilanti; the
carpenter work by William Newman, of
Bay City; the plastering by F. F. Brooks
& Son, of Chelsea; the decorating by O.
J. Cover & Son, of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; and
the finishing by E. C. Babcock, of Bay
City. Clark & Munger, of Bay City, were
the architects.

The building receives ample light
through the beautiful stained glass win-
dows, 33 in number, 27 of which are
memorials, and were donated as follows:
The rose window on the east side was
given by Mrs. Thomas S. Sears in mem-

ory of her father and mother, Charles and
Harriet M. Congdon, the five windows
below it were given by Sidney A. Collins,
of Lyndon, in memory of his four de-
ceased brothers, all of whom were M.
E. ministers. The west window was put
in entirely by F. P. Glazier in memory of
his two sisters, his mother, Mrs. George
P. Glazier, Thomas Stimson and
Hill. Other windows were donated by
Mrs. John C. Taylor in memory of her
deceased husband, and by Mr. and Mrs.
John Schenk and family. The window
over the organ loft was donated by the
Epworth League, and the large rosette
window in the front of the church by the
Junior League. Of the five windows be-
low it, one is in memory of William
Wood, presented by his brother Theodore
E. Wood; another of James M. Monroe,
presented by his wife; another of Mrs.
Martha Keenan, presented by her son
Ellis Keenan; the others were presented
Mrs. Lillie Wood and Arthur H. Avery.
In the primary room one window was
presented by Daisy Brown and sisters. In
the library the windows are in memory of
John and Anne Bacon and their son John
W. Bacon, presented by their son and
brother William Bacon, and in the pastor's
study the window was donated by Rev.
J. I. Nickerson in memory of his little
son.

At night the building is lighted by a
blaze of electricity from 260 incandescent
lights, arranged along the girders and
trusses of the roof, over the arches, in
4-light electrolines on the corners of the
arches and in the panels of the ceiling, a
32-candle power light with funnel shaped
reflector directly over the pulpit, a trough
shaped reflector with eight 32-candle
power lights over the heads of the choir,
making the whole choir left as light as
day. In the Epworth League room are
48 lights and in the primary room is a
star composed of 18 lights. The pastor's
study and the choir room are also lighted
with 5-light electrolines. All the fin-
ishings are gold plated, and it is safe to
say there is not a church in a town the
size of Chelsea which is so brilliantly and
effectively lighted. The whole system is
in 34 circuits controlled by 37 switches
from a rosewood marble switchboard.
There were 10,000 feet of wire consumed
in wiring the building which has all been
done under the superintendency of R. W.
Reading, of Detroit.

In the basement the finishing is all of
Georgia pine, rub finished. This is also
brilliantly lighted with electricity.

The program for the dedicatory ex-
ercises embraced a services at 10:30 a. m.
Sunday with sermon by Rev. B. I. Ives, D.
D., of Auburn, N. Y.; an Epworth League
rally at 5:15 p. m., led by Rev. J. H. Mc-
Intosh, of Morenci; and preaching in the
evening at 7 o'clock, by Rev. J. E. Jacklin,
associate editor of the Michigan Christian
Advocate, Detroit; banquet with toasts
and responses Monday evening; address
on Christian Education by Dr. J. P. Ashley,
president of Albion college, Wednesday
evening; and an Epworth League rally
Friday evening. This program was
slightly changed, however. At the request
of Dr. Ives a platform meeting was held
Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock instead of
the Epworth League meeting, and the
rally Friday evening was abandoned on
account of Dr. J. F. Berry, who was to
speak being unable to attend.

The rostrum was beautifully decorated
Sunday morning for the opening services.
Easter lilies, hyacinths, and other fragrant
flowers were there in profusion, while
graceful palms added their pretty foliage
to the general beautiful effort. Seated on
the rostrum were Revs. B. I. Ives, of
Auburn, N. Y., J. H. McIntosh, of
Morenci, A. Roedel, of Durand, Crawford,
of Grand Rapids, J. I. Nickerson, C. S.
Jones, Thomas Holmes, F. A. Stiles and
G. B. Marsh, of Chelsea.

The services opened with the singing of
the anthem "O, come let us sing unto the
Lord," by the choir, which was rendered
in a most excellent manner; and it is well
to say right here that all the work of the
choir throughout the entire services was
of the same high character. Rev. J. I.
Nickerson read the opening sentences of
the dedicatory services, the hymn "Joy to
the world the Lord is come" was sung,
and then Dr. Ives offered an earnest
prayer. Miss Margaret B. Nickerson
next sang a beautiful soprano solo "I will
extol Thee, O Lord."

Dr. Ives then took for his text II Cor.
iv: 3, "But if our gospel be hid, it is hid
to them that be lost." In a quiet, easy,
conversational, yet persuasive manner Dr.
Ives preached from these words an elo-
quent sermon.

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The fine New Orleans Molasses we
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THE WEEK'S NEWS

Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

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

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

CONGRESSIONAL.

The senate on the 21st in executive session ratified the treaty between the United States, Great Britain and Germany affecting claims growing out of the joint control of the Samoan Islands and continued the debate on the Hawaiian government bill. In the house the debate on the Porto Rican tariff bill was continued. A communication was received from Secretary Hay saying he had no knowledge of unwarranted tampering with mail by the British as charged by Macrum, and denied the existence of a secret alliance with England.

The senate on the 22d listened to the reading of Washington's farewell address by Senator Foraker, of Ohio. In the house the Porto Rican tariff bill was further discussed, a bill was introduced to regulate sleeping car rates, and a resolution was introduced for an investigation of Macrum's charges.

In the senate on the 23d Senator Aldrich presented the conference report on the financial bill. Senator Daniel (dem., Va.) spoke in favor of seating Senator Quay (Pa.). The Hawaiian government bill was further discussed. In the house an agreement was reached that the vote on the Porto Rican tariff bill be taken up at three p. m. next Tuesday.

The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was reported to the senate on the 24th and the Hawaiian government bill was further discussed. In the house the Porto Rican tariff bill was considered and a bill was introduced to provide a government for Porto Rico, the capital to be at San Juan, with a governor, a judicial system and a legislature.

DOMESTIC.

It is announced that the Philippine commission will consist of W. H. Taft, D. C. Worcester, L. E. Wright, N. C. Ide and Benjamin I. Wheeler.

The business portion of Glen Hazel, Pa., was for the second time in recent years almost totally destroyed by fire.

John Lazarus, of Mount Carmel, Pa., jumped from Goat Island bridge into the upper rapids at Niagara Falls, N. Y., and went over the American falls.

Treasury department officials say currency has increased 245 per cent. since 1879, and that the per capita amount is now \$26.

A crowd of boys pelted a British flag hanging before the residence of Consul Wyndham in Chicago.

Edwin C. Vance and Irving Edgar were killed by poisonous gas in a tank at the cereal mills in Decatur, Ill.

A new Vanderbilt railroad line between Pittsburgh and Chicago is said to be assured.

Bernard Moses, a professor in the University of California, has been appointed by the president as the fifth member of the new Philippine commission.

The Virginia legislature has made June 3, the birthday of Jefferson Davis, a legal holiday in the state.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 23d aggregated \$1,389,235,870, against \$1,507,131,331 the previous week. The increase compared with the corresponding week of 1899 was 16.0.

There were 201 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 23d, against 213 the week previous and 191 in the corresponding period of 1899.

Twenty business firms were burned out by a fire in Philadelphia, the loss being \$500,000, and one woman lost her life.

Thirty-eight cars of a freight train on the Big Four road went through a bridge near Terre Haute, Ind., causing a loss of \$200,000. No lives were lost.

The transport Hancock arrived at San Francisco from Manila, bringing 100 discharged soldiers and 506 dead bodies.

The American Newspaper Publishers' association has asked congress to investigate trusts.

At the conference in Philadelphia of anti-imperialists President McKinley's expansion policy was condemned.

The Rock Island railroad will have cars fitted out for traveling schools for its employees.

The transport Sedgwick arrived at New York from Cuba with 46 discharged soldiers and the bodies of 54 dead soldiers.

Franklin L. Caldwell shot and killed Mrs. Ephraim H. Hayes, the wife of his employer, in New York, and then killed himself.

Gales swept the New England coast and shipping was damaged to the extent of several hundred thousand dollars and several lives were lost.

The wife and four children of Peter D. Smith were killed at a railway crossing near Canandaigua, N. Y.

The Platteville (Wis.) powder mills were wrecked by an explosion and three men were killed.

Fire damaged the Detroit (Mich.) steel and spring works to the extent of \$100,000 and Timothy Keohane, a fireman, was killed.

The barge Gen. Wiley foundered near Newport, R. I., and Capt. Harold and his four children were drowned.

The substitution of native for American troops in Cuba will begin on April 1st.

Frank Hogan and Charles Norris, prisoners at Forest City, Ark., set fire to the jail and were cremated.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Leslie E. Keeley, of Dwight, Ill., the inventor of the "Keeley cure for the liquor habit," died in Los Angeles, Cal., aged 68 years.

Ex-Congressman Charles C. Comstock died at his residence in Grand Rapids, Mich., aged 82 years.

Dr. James H. Smart, president of Purdue university, died in Lafayette, Ind.

The republicans of the Ninth district of Indiana have renominated Congressman Landis.

Fusionists in Louisiana have nominated Don Caffery, Jr., of New Orleans, for governor.

Ex-Congressman Harry Miner, formerly a well-known theatrical manager, died in New York.

The next national democratic convention will be held at Kansas City, Mo., July 4.

The republicans of the Seventh district of Indiana have renominated Jesse Overstreet for congress, and in the Tenth district Edgar D. Crumpacker has been renominated.

Gen. John McNulta, of Chicago, an ex-congressman and civil war veteran, died suddenly in Washington, aged 60 years.

Indiana populists in state convention at Indianapolis named a full state ticket, headed by A. G. Burkhardt, of Tipton, for governor.

Judge Henry E. Howe died at Toledo, O., aged 69 years. He cooperated in the organization of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Dan Rice, the veteran clown, died at Long Branch, N. J., aged 77 years. His real name was Daniel McLaren.

The New York republican convention to elect delegates to the national convention will be held in New York city April 17.

Mrs. Henrietta Snell, widow of Amos Snell, the millionaire whose murder has been a mystery for 12 years, died in Chicago.

Dr. A. R. Wright, of Buffalo, N. Y., aged 75, one of the foremost homeopathic physicians of America, died in a Chicago hospital.

Indiana democrats will hold their state convention in Indianapolis June 6.

Col. William S. King, ex-congressman and a national character for the last 40 years, died at his home in Minneapolis, aged 72 years.

Bimetallists will hold a national convention in Kansas City, Mo., July 4.

Rev. Edward Lorenz, editor of the German periodicals of the United Brethren church and for 40 years a prominent minister, died in Dayton, O.

FOREIGN.

Three hundred and twenty houses in Ataqueles, Spain, were destroyed by fire.

Advices received in London say that a great battle has been raging along the line of the Modder river around Paardeberg and Koodoosrand for four days and Lord Roberts reports 49 killed and wounded officers, including two generals, and 800 men. Rumors of the relief of Ladysmith were unconfirmed.

Though without official advices, London believes Cronje is as good as crushed and Ladysmith is practically relieved. Cronje, with 8,000 men, is surrounded in Modder river's bed by Roberts with 45,000. He asked an armistice to bury his dead, and when refused said he would "fight to the death."

Marcel Habert was found guilty in Paris of inciting the army to revolt and sentenced to banishment for five years.

Dispatches received in London say that British forces under Gatacre near Molteno were routed with heavy loss. Capt. Montmorency being among the killed. Buller has advanced slightly nearer Ladysmith, fighting has way.

Boers have a strong position at Glaters kloof. Lord Roberts reports continued fighting with Cronje's army.

There were reports in London of Gen. Cronje's surrender and the relief of Ladysmith, but these were unconfirmed by the war office. So good a showing has Cronje made in the face of terrific odds that the London press is forced to praise his bravery.

The shah of Persia is making warlike preparations in hostility to Great Britain.

Thirty-one girls lost their lives in a fire in a factory at Komejima, Japan.

Mexican troops and Yaqui Indians fought near Potam and the loss on the Mexican side was 300 killed and wounded.

Six large warehouses were burned in Paris, the loss being 2,000,000 francs, and 150 persons were seriously hurt.

LATER.

Formal discussion of the right of Senator Quay to a seat was begun in the United States senate on the 26th and consideration of the Hawaiian government bill resumed. An amendment was made striking out the property qualification of voters for members of the legislature.

Senator Clark (Wyo.) introduced a bill for the admission of Arizona as a state. In the house debate on the Porto Rican tariff bill was continued. The republican conference agreed to reduce the tariff to 15 per cent. and to limit operation to two years.

Wilson Wakelin, a prominent farmer near Brock, Neb., killed his wife and himself.

The United States milling combine, generally known as the flour trust, has gone to pieces with liabilities of \$15,000,000.

Four men were killed in the Mount Pleasant mine near Scranton, Pa., by the breaking of a mine carriage.

Antonio Ferraro was electrocuted at the Sing Sing (N. Y.) prison for the murder of Luciano Muchio in Brooklyn on April 4, 1898.

The loan and savings bank at Perry, Ga., was robbed by burglars of \$3,700.

Indiana prohibitionists have changed the date of their state convention to be held in Indianapolis from April 23 to May 1.

Rev. Anthony Robinson, the oldest Iowa evangelist, died at Ottumwa, aged 90 years.

The will of the late Philip D. Armour, Jr., of Chicago, leaves an estate valued at \$8,000,000 to his widow and two sons.

H. M. Comer, president of the Central railroad of Georgia, died at Savannah, Ga.

The London war office reports that Gen. Cronje has surrendered to the superior force of British troops. The Boers were assembling a large army near Bloemfontein to dispute the invasion of Gen. Roberts, and Gen. Buller finds his way stubbornly contested and was no nearer to Ladysmith.

Milton Rathbun fasted for 35 days in New York.

The Kentucky contest board awarded certificates of election to all the democratic contestants for minor state offices and the contestants were sworn in and repaired to the state house and made a formal demand on the republican incumbents for possession of the offices, but the demands were not acceded to.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

An Iowa concern is making farm wagons wholly of steel.

Electrical power can be transmitted with profit 80 miles and used as steam is used.

Of the 25 men who have filled the governor's chair in Indiana Gov. Mount is the only one living.

Diplomats in Constantinople believe Russia aims at commercial protectorate of northern Asia Minor.

The American Political league, a new organization, will hold a national convention in Boston July 4.

Congressmen and senators have 15,000,000 packages of seeds to distribute among their rural constituents.

Nearly all the progressive railroads are abandoning wooden cars and adopting the steel built structures.

The advanced price of turpentine, resins and naval stores is making hundreds of Florida producers rich.

An atheist in New York was arrested for refusing to send his boy to school because he there learned to revere God.

Pennsylvania factory inspectors report 2,228 accidents last year, three-fourths of which were due to carelessness.

The Mississippi legislature has passed a law forbidding the sale of cocaine except when prescribed by a physician.

In Virginia a company has been formed to make artificial marble of lime, salt, and marsh-mallow root, together with cement.

Mrs. Amelia Jalley, aged 72, whose second husband died a year ago, was married in Wilkesbarre, Pa., the third time to Daniel Reese, aged 22.

British naval estimates for the year provide for 220 more officers, 4,020 more men, and 15 new ships, besides 76 being constructed; cost, \$137,613,000.

Dr. Arnold C. Klebs, speaking at the Academy of Sciences in Chicago, said that 100,000 persons die of consumption each year in the United States.

Dr. John P. Wood, of Coffeyville, Kan., claims to be the oldest practicing physician in the world. He is 99 years old and still makes daily visits to many patients.

The war department issued the statement that the receipts of public funds of the Philippine islands, beginning August 13, 1898, and ending December 31, 1899, amount to \$6,696,080.

For Wireless Steering.

An English invention for steering any craft, whether submerged or otherwise, by means of an ether wave on the wireless telegraph principle has been perfected. In naval war it is expected to make the torpedo boat almost infallible. In this respect it will equal the great American dyspepsia cure—Hostetter's Stomach Bitters—which never fails to cure constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, malaria fever and ague. Everyone needs it and all druggists sell it.

Hard on the Doorkeeper.

On the opening day of the session of the Fifty-sixth congress, a tall, gaunt, man, shambling of gait, with "high-water" trousers, a slouched hat mashed in any old way, and an overcoat that needed brushing, presented himself at the center door of the house of representatives. He started to walk right in, but was stopped by one of the doorkeepers, who said to him, testily: "Say, don't you know you can't go in there?" "No, I didn't know it, my friend; I thought I could," he said, mildly. "Nobody but members allowed in to-day." "Well, I'm a member," Congressman Cushman, of Washington, said. "Oh! I beg your pardon; walk right in." As Mr. Cushman strode into the hall the astonished doorkeeper looked after him for a moment, and then, turning to his assistant on the door, said: "Say, Bill, did you see that? Well, after that I ain't got the nerve to stop anything."—Criterion.

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 25¢ as much as coffee. 15 and 25¢.

Suggested by the L.

Teacher—Now, Johnny, you know the eagle stands for America. What animal typifies Great Britain?
Johnny—I dunno.
Teacher—Oh, yes you do. Think for a moment; it begins with L."
(Eagerly)—"Lobster!"—Catholic Standard and Times.

An All-Year Resort.

The Crescent Hotel, Eureka Springs, Ark., opens March 1, 1900. A most desirable, attractive and convenient resort for health and pleasure seekers. Ideal climate, pure sparkling water, best accommodations. Through Sleepers via Frisco Line. Write for particulars to Manager Hotel or to any representative of Frisco Line.

At the Front.

He was a newspaper man. "Late war news kept me downtown," he stammered, as he entered the house at 5:30 a. m.
"Humph!" replied his wife. "Well, we'll make a little more war news right here for a late edition." And the battle was on.—Philadelphia North American.

Potatoes, \$1.20 per Bbl. and Up.

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Points to the New Man.

A shopkeeper named Danger moved across a street and put up this notice:
"J. Danger, from over the way."
Another man, who took the premises, put up this notice:
"This is a safe shop; no Danger here."—Answers.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE.

Write to-day to Allen S. Olmsted, Leroy, N. Y., for a FREE sample of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to shake into your shoes. It cures chafings, sweating, damp, swollen, aching feet. It makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for Corns and Bunions. All druggists and shoe stores sell it. 25¢.

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.

"Yes, he brought out his history of the regiment for private circulation." "Indeed. That's strange." "I don't think so. Every private in the regiment bought a copy."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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.

THE MARKETS.

	New York, Feb. 27.
LIVE STOCK—Steers.....	\$4 60 @ 6 40
Hogs.....	5 25 @ 5 40
Sheep.....	3 50 @ 6 00
FLOUR—Winter Patents.....	3 80 @ 3 85
Minnesota Patents.....	3 80 @ 4 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	74 1/2 @ 75 1/2
May.....	72 1/2 @ 73 1/2
CORN—No. 2.....	42 @ 42 1/2
OATS.....	40 @ 40 1/2
RIBS—May.....	17 1/2 @ 18 1/2
BUTTER—Creamery.....	22 @ 24
Factory.....	16 @ 19
CHEESE.....	12 @ 13
EGGS—Western.....	14 1/2 @ 14 3/4
CHICAGO.	
CATTLE—Prime Beef.....	\$5 70 @ 5 90
Texas.....	4 10 @ 4 85
Stockers.....	3 00 @ 3 75
Feeders.....	4 00 @ 4 70
Bulls.....	2 60 @ 4 15
HOGS—Light.....	4 60 @ 4 70
Rough Packing.....	4 00 @ 4 75
SHEEP.....	4 40 @ 5 85
BUTTER—Creameries.....	18 @ 23
Dairies.....	17 @ 21
EGGS.....	35 @ 38
POTATOES—(per bu.).....	35 @ 43
PORK—May.....	10 60 @ 10 77 1/2
LARD—May.....	6 75 @ 5 80
RIBS—May.....	5 17 1/2 @ 5 32 1/2
GRAIN—Wheat, May.....	65 1/2 @ 66 1/2
Corn, May.....	65 1/2 @ 66 1/2
Oats, May.....	34 1/2 @ 35 1/2
Rye, No. 2.....	52 1/2 @ 53 1/2
Barley, Malt.....	37 @ 45
MILWAUKEE.	
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n.....	65 1/2 @ 65 3/4
Oats, No. 2 White.....	25 @ 25 1/2
Rye, No. 2.....	57 @ 57 1/2
Barley, No. 2.....	45 @ 45 1/2
KANSAS CITY.	
GRAIN—Wheat, May.....	62 @ 62 1/2
Corn, May.....	37 1/2 @ 38 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White.....	24 1/2 @ 24 3/4
Rye, No. 2.....	53 @ 53 1/2
ST. LOUIS.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$3 70 @ 5 85
Texas Steers.....	3 40 @ 4 80
HOGS—Packers.....	4 70 @ 4 80
Butchers.....	4 80 @ 4 90
SHEEP—Native Muttons.....	5 00 @ 5 75
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$3 90 @ 5 40
Cows and Heifers.....	3 20 @ 4 25
Stockers and Feeders.....	3 60 @ 5 00
HOGS—Mixed.....	4 65 @ 4 75
SHEEP—Western Muttons.....	5 25 @ 5 50

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THE INTER-SOCIETY DEBATE

Details Are Being Perfected at the University for the Second Oratorical Contest.

SILVER CUP WILL BE GIVEN THE WINNER

Summer Session of the Literary Department Will Begin July 2—Medical Missionaries in China—Ex-Senator Patton Talks on "The Republic, Its Growth and Dangers."

[Special Correspondence.]

University of Michigan, Feb. 26.—The details are being perfected at the university for the second annual inter-society debate. The contestants in this debate are representatives who have been selected by contest from the four literary societies. The representatives first meet in semifinal debates, then the winners of these contests meet in a final debate. The society whose representatives win in the final debate receives the Detroit alumni silver cup, which it holds until the representatives of some other society win in a final contest. The names of the debaters who win are engraved on the cup. At the end of 20 years the society which has won the cup the greatest number of times will receive it as a permanent trophy.

The subject to be debated this year in the cup contests is: "Resolved, That the Policy of Great Britain Toward the South African Republic Is Justifiable." The semifinals will occur just before the spring vacation in April and the final contest Friday, May 11. The cup was won last year by the Alpha Nu, of the literary department.

Preliminary Contests.

The preliminary contests leading to the contest of the Northern Oratorical league are now being held. Wednesday evening, February 21, occurred the junior law contest, and Thursday evening the sophomore literary contest. On Saturday evening, February 24, the junior literary contest will be held. Monday evening, February 26, and Tuesday evening the first year law contest. The winners in these contests will meet in University hall March 23 to contest for the honor of representing the university in the Northern Oratorical league contest to be held at Madison, Wis., May 4.

Medical Missionaries.

Drs. Ida Kahn and Mei-yi Shie (Mary Stone), two Chinese girls who graduated from the medical department with the class of 1896, are filling the positions of medical missionaries in Kiu Kiang, China. Associated with them is Miss Gertrude Howe, who was a student in the medical department in 1871-72. Recently Drs. Kahn and Stone were called to Nan Chang, the capital of Kiang Si province, to prescribe for the wife of a high official. The treatment was so satisfactory that the official contributed \$200 for the hospital. He also asked that Christian teachers be sent to Nan Chang and promised assistance if they were.

"The Republic."

"The Republic, Its Growth and Dangers," was the subject of an address delivered by former United States Senator John R. Patton, of Grand Rapids, at the Washington's birthday exercises held under the auspices of the classes of the law department of the university Thursday, February 22. The musical numbers on the programme were by the glee, banjo and mandolin clubs. During his address Mr. Patton said: "The real enemy of our institutions today is the man who corruptly buys a caucus, a jury or a legislature. No power, or station, or wealth, or charitable giving, can whitewash him before God, no matter how respectable he may be called among men, for he has polluted the very foundations of our government."

A Michigan Alumna.

Dr. M. Eloise Walker, a graduate of the literary department with the degree of bachelor of arts in 1893, and of the medical department with the degree of doctor of medicine in 1896, has been appointed head physician in the New York state custodial asylum for feeble minded women. The appointment was based on a civil service examination held at Albany, in which Dr. Walker received the highest marks.

Summer Session.

The seventh annual summer session of the literary department begins Monday, July 2, and continues for six weeks, closing Saturday, August 11. The tuition fee will be \$15 for all students, regardless of the number of courses taken. Laboratory expenses will vary with the character of the work. In addition to the subjects offered last year, courses will be given in Spanish, Italian, nature study and physical training. The faculty consists of seven professors, four junior professors, five assistant professors, 17 instructors and five nonresident instructors, a total of 38. A new feature in the course offered is instruction in physical training. Charles M. Williams, of the department of physical training, will give class and floor work in the subject. Charles B. Scott, a government official now in Porto Rico, will give instruction in nature

study. He will point out the relation between the study of plants, animals and the earth's features to other courses in the school curriculum.

Going to Europe.

Gardner S. Lamson, head of the vocal department in the university school of music, has resigned in order to make an extended tour in Europe, the resignation to take effect next June. William A. Howland, of Worcester, Mass., has been appointed his successor.

University Represented.

President James B. Angell represented the university at the dedication of the new law building of the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, February 22.

R. H. E.

PECULIAR PHENOMENON.

The White Hair of an Alpena County Pioneer Is Turning Black and New Teeth Are Coming.

The members of the medical and dental fraternity are puzzled over a most peculiar phenomenon. William L. McDonald, aged 75, a pioneer citizen of Alpena county, has been the possessor of snow-white hair for a number of years, and recently black hair began to make its appearance, until at present it is quite noticeable, and at the rate of change in color it will be but a brief time when black hair, the original color, covers his entire head. Mr. McDonald is also growing his third full set of teeth.

About six months ago his gums became exceedingly sore and what few teeth remained in the mouth dropped out, and a complete new set of upper and lower teeth made their appearance. In addition to the back teeth the front ones are all double, a condition that is almost unknown in the annals of dentistry. They serve the purpose of mastication very well. Dentists have examined the man's teeth and pronounce their formation a phenomenon without a parallel.

NEW COAL FIELD.

Company Formed in Battle Creek to Develop Discoveries Made in Adjoining Townships.

Battle Creek has been given an exciting surprise by the announcement that the rumors of a big coal and oil discovery were verified and a stock company of \$200,000 has been organized to develop the find and articles of association have been legally drawn up.

The new coal field lies in Barry, Baltimore, Maple Grove and Castleton townships, covering 2,000 acres, and is in a strip four miles long along the high banks of the river, and a mile wide on each side of the stream. The coal was discovered in 60-foot high banks on this river, in "sheets," which the company believes are "blossoms" to great coal fields. This location was mapped out by government survey 50 years ago as a coal region, but was never worked.

Builds a Road.

The purchase of the Escanaba & Superior railway by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the decision of the purchasing road to build ore docks at Wells, on Green Bay, mean the entrance of a new road into the ore-carrying business of the lake country. The St. Paul hitherto has been turning over to the Soo for shipment from Gladstone all the ore originating on its lines. It must now rebuild some abandoned lines to the Menominee range to reach old mines that are to be reopened.

Tiny Bit of Humanity.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dukes, of Ithaca, are the happy parents of the tiniest bit of humanity ever seen in that section. It is a baby boy, which weighed at birth a little less than 1½ pounds. The child is perfect in form and feature. Its head fills a teacup. Its fingers are the size of small straws, and an ordinary finger ring could have been slipped over the hand and worn as a bracelet. The child is healthy and thriving.

Oldest Engineer.

The Lake Shore railroad has in its employ the oldest railway engineer in the United States. His name is Gideon Hawley, and he is 74 years of age. Hawley is the oldest engineer on the Lake Shore between Chicago and Buffalo and the oldest in the United States. His railroad career was commenced on the Michigan Central at Wayne in 1844.

Beet Growers Organize.

A number of the sugar beet growers of Isabella county met at the courthouse and organized the Isabella County Beet Growers' association with Hon. S. W. Hopkins president and Warren Cratsley secretary. The association will not contract beets for less than \$4.50 per ton, with an additional charge of 33 cents for every per cent. sugar above 12 per cent.

Made Many Conversions.

Miss Downey, an evangelist, closed a remarkably interesting series of meetings at the M. E. church in Coldwater. She held meetings every night for three weeks. She also preached each afternoon and twice every Sunday. During the three weeks 118 persons gave in their names for church membership.

INCREASE OF BUSINESS.

Interesting Statistics Concerning Michigan Factories Given by Labor Commissioner Cox.

Labor Commissioner Cox has completed his annual factory inspection report. It says:

The total number of factories inspected was 4,729 and the number found running on the date of the inspection was 4,438, the number idle being 301. The employees canvassed had worked on an average of 10.4 hours per day and had been employed on an average 10½ months during the year. If the factories had been running at full capacity 138,330 workmen would have been employed, which would be an average of 40 for each factory.

At the time of inspection there were employed 131,532 males and 23,221 females, a total of 154,753 employees. Of this number 4,014 were between the ages of 14 and 16 years. Under the law no child under 14 years of age is permitted to work in a factory and this provision is said to be rigidly enforced.

The pay rolls of the factories canvassed aggregated \$23,304 per day, an average of \$1.39 for each employee. The averages vary in the different inspection districts and are highest in the northern part of the state.

Nearly 75 per cent. of the factories report increased business averaging about 18 per cent. over that of 1898, and 545 factories report an increase investment of capital amounting to \$6,531,884, or an average of nearly \$12,000 to each factory. There were also 201 new establishments reported with an investment of nearly \$5,000,000.

Accidents were reported in 152 factories aggregating 199 persons killed or injured.

SMALL DEFICIT.

State Fair Directors Report That Receipts Were Slightly Less Than Expenditures Last Year.

The directors of the State Fair association held their annual session in Grand Rapids. Treasurer Young showed that the receipts for the past year were \$22,430.42 and the expenditures \$22,521.31, leaving a deficit of \$41.39. The fair last year was not a financial success, owing to bad weather. The evening shows cost \$3,000, and the returns from them were only \$300. This year's fair will be held in Grand Rapids September 24 to 28. The following appointments were made:

J. Huffman, of Kalamazoo, general superintendent; W. E. Boynton, of Delhi Mills, superintendent of cattle; Eugene Fields, of Bay City, superintendent of sheep; John Lessiter, of Pontiac, sheep; L. W. Barnes, of Byron, swine; C. W. Waldron, of Tecumseh, poultry; H. E. Dewey, of Grand Blanc, booths and privileges; E. W. Hardy, of Howell, police; E. D. Graham, of Grand Rapids, horticulture; Frank Maynard, of Jackson, schools and special exhibits; F. E. Skeels, of Lansing, arts; Dexter Horton, of Ponton, machinery; W. P. Custard, of Mendon, gates; William Ball, of Hamburg, chairman of reception committee.

THE DEATH RATE.

Reports Filed with the Secretary of State Show an Increase During the Year 1899.

According to the reports filed with the secretary of state, which are now very accurate and reliable, there were 33,150 deaths in Michigan during the year 1899, the increase over 1898 being 4,461. It is probable that 4,000 is about the actual increase, as the total reported population for 1899 was slightly in excess of that of the previous year. The report says:

The average death rate per 1,000 population in 1898 was 12.5 and in 1899, 14.1 per cent. The number of persons under one year of age dying during the past year was 6,140, or 19.4 per cent. of the entire number. The number from one to four years of age was 2,432, and those over 65 years of age was 9,175, or 28.9 per cent. Pulmonary consumption carried away 1,925 persons and other forms of tuberculosis 651. The deaths from other diseases were: Typhoid fever, 571; diphtheria, 297; croup, 148; scarlet fever, 144; measles, 164; whooping cough, 217; pneumonia, 2,934; diarrheal diseases of persons under five years, 1,987; cerebro spinal meningitis, 830; influenza, 1,769; puerperal septicemia, 176; cancer, 1,282; violence, 1,694.

LIVES ON WHISKY.

Physicians Are Puzzled Over the Peculiar Case of a Woman Residing Near Bancroft.

Mrs. A. Tyrell, a widow who lives a few miles northwest of Bancroft, has not enjoyed a square meal in two years, and her case is a puzzle to all the physicians in the neighborhood. Mrs. Tyrell has been suffering from stomach trouble for many years. Two years ago her condition became such that she was unable to retain any solid food. Her physicians prescribed raw eggs beaten up in whisky, but she rebelled against the eggs, and ever since then her diet has been pure whisky and other alcoholic stimulants. The woman is gradually becoming weaker and has been reduced in flesh until she is almost a skeleton. There is no hope for her ultimate recovery.

Appreciated.

Recently a county school commissioner, in transmitting a list of school directors asked for by the state board of health office, included in his letter a statement as follows: "Your publications are being read with much interest by teachers and patrons. Much good will be the result of your work in our country schools and through them you reach the homes."

Regular Preaching.

The Indians at Saganing have regular preaching with an Indian interpreter to speak in the Indian tongue. Their church is all paid for and they are very devoted under the guidance of Mrs. Sagatoo, the white wife of one of their leaders.



THE FILIPINO BABY.

As a Rule He Is a Lusty Youngster, Although He Does Not Receive Much Coddling.

Babies are babies all the world round. The little dark fellow in Egypt cries for the moon just as does the white baby in Boston. But the mammas may differ.

This story is about the little Filipino baby and how it is carried about by its mother; for, after all, that is the main point of difference. Of course, the Filipino babies do not wear nearly as many clothes as babies do in this country, and do not have pins stick into them and make them cry. They lie around on the bamboo floors, with maybe one garment on, and sleep; and when they grow old enough their mammas take them out to market. It is very seldom that they wear anything on their heads, though most of the older ones have nice little silk bonnets. They got them when they went to the big stone church and were christened.



A FILIPINO BABY CART.

But they seldom wear them, and many a daughter is christened in the cap that her grandmamma was christened in. Sometimes the mother shades her infant daughter's head from the sun with an umbrella, but the boy babies receive no such attention.

But the way the Filipino mother carries her baby is the queerest, and probably the easiest for the mother, that is practiced in any country. The child rides astride on the mother's hip—one chocolate foot in front and the other behind. The mother places her hand against the back of the little one, and the "nino" (infant) holds on by grasping its mother's arm. And that is all there is to it. In Japan the women carry the babies in a blanket on their backs, much as an Indian squaw carries a papoose. In Egypt the little ones are carried on the shoulders of their parents, while in this country the small child is carried in the arms.

The Filipino babies are not always carried on the hips, however. In some of the richer homes there are perambulators, or baby carriages. There is nothing artistic about them. They look for all the world like clothes baskets mounted on four very small wheels. Sometimes the perambulator does for a cradle as well, and is so arranged that the basket sets in a frame and can be swung. Another kind is simply a box on two wheels. Often the baby is put into this box and an older sister pulls it back and forth along the street in front of the house. The photograph which goes with this sketch was taken at Las Penas, south of Manila. This "carriage" was the only one in all the village, and whoever made it had a view to comfort, as you may surmise from noticing the little wooden awning over it. Filipino babies learn to talk quite young. It is amusing to hear the little ones lisping over the Tagalo language and struggling with words that sound much like "ung" and "ong." When they are six years old the children are started off to school, and spend the days swinging their feet under the benches, learning the Spanish alphabet in the forenoon and the Tagalog in the afternoon. Now there is an hour a day given to the English language, or, as they call it there, the "Americano."

The Filipino little ones have few things to play with, and do not know what a doll is. They never see a picture book, and know only the tales that are told them after they are large enough to understand. It is not till childhood passes that they learn the meaning of the songs that are crooned to them when they are put to sleep—songs of the sea and of the battles of their fathers—Harry A. Armstrong, in Chicago Record.

Hippopotamus Ivory at one time was much used for artificial teeth.

THE BRIDE'S PICTURE.

A Charming Custom Inaugurated by a Young Woman of a Truly Artistic Turn of Mind.

It is not unusual for the bride who is going away for an extended trip, or who expects to make her home in a distant city, to give photographs to the most intimate of her friends before leaving them.

One such bride, who is given to doing things unique and original, determined to frame the pictures thus given, and to do so in an appropriate manner.

They were to be mounted under glass in the manner familiar to all, and known as passepartout, but instead of the usual mat of linen or cardboard, she used a material which was especially appropriate and one which made frame as well as picture worthy of being preserved among the family heirlooms.

The picture which she gave her mother had a mat of the white satin which had been used for her wedding dress, and across one corner was a bit of lace with which the dress was trimmed. To a sister she gave a picture also mounted in the white satin, but with a design of orange blossoms embroidered upon it; while the mount for the one given her maid of honor was of the white satin embroidered with a graceful spray of bride roses.

Friends less near received pictures mounted with the goods which had gone to make up the different gowns of her trousseau. The mount made from the material of her "going-away gown" had forget-me-nots embroidered in small scattered sprays, while some of the silks and figured goods were made up plain, being sufficiently decorative in themselves.

In each case the mounted picture was bound to the glass with a narrow strip of soft leather in a shade to correspond with the color of the mount. Upon the back of each was plainly written the name and date of the wedding.

It is needless to state that the gifts were prized as the pictures alone never could have been, and it is safe to predict that other brides will follow the graceful fashion. — St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

IS A LAW OFFICER.

Mrs. Van Dusen, a Charming Texas Widow, Appointed a Deputy United States Marshal.

Mrs. Emma Van Dusen, the first woman in Texas to be sworn in as a deputy United States marshal, has just assumed that position in the headquarters of the northern district of Texas, at the federal building in Dallas, under United States Marshal George H. Green. Mrs. Van Dusen, a young and accomplished widow, has been connected with the office of the clerk of the federal court at Dallas since a short time after the death of her husband, Charles Palmer Van



MRS. EMMA VAN DUSEN.

Dusen, of Evansville, Ind., nine years ago; soon after their marriage. Probably no other person in the federal building at Dallas is so well informed in the documentary department of the institution as is Mrs. Van Dusen. She has been in charge of an enormous number of papers, many of them forming parts of the records of some of the most noted criminal and civil cases in the history of the United States courts. Mrs. Van Dusen was born in Hillsboro, N. C. Her father was Robert O'Daniel, of the County Cork, Ireland; her mother was a Miss Jackson, of Virginia, a cousin of the immortal "Stonewall" Jackson, of confederate military fame. It will thus be seen that the new deputy marshal comes of "good fighting stock." Marshal Green says he will arm Mrs. Van Dusen with the regulation weapons, and insist that she "carry a gun," the same as a man. If she does, there is no doubt she will know how to use it.

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The Democratic national convention will be held in Kansas City, Mo., commencing July 4.

After a gallant resistance against overwhelming odds, Gen. Cronje and his brave Boers had to surrender unconditionally to Gen. Roberts on Tuesday morning. This is but the beginning of the end. It is only a question of time now when Boer independence will be a thing of the past.

The expected has happened and Michael J. Lehman, of Ann Arbor, has been appointed member of the board of control of Michigan state prison to succeed O. W. Barnes deceased. This looks as if William Judson was still another step nearer the wardenship of the state prison than he was before.

Congressman Henry C. Smith's constituents honor him for his fearless attitude on the Porto Rican tariff bill. It was only after he had been assured by a personal interview with President McKinley that it was his wish that the compromise measure of a 15 per cent tariff with a two years limitation be passed that he agreed to support such a bill.

The following clipping from the Ann Arbor Evening Times, which recites what a number of farmers from this vicinity said to its reporter the other day, shows the high esteem in which Probate Judge H. Wirt Newkirk is held by the tillers of the soil in this county. Speaking of his appearance at the farmers' institute recently held here they said:

"The judge always makes a good talk to the farmers," said one of the tillers of the soil, "and he has more friends among them than all of the prominent men in the county put together. Besides, he attends to the duties of the probate office personally, more so than any other judge has done during 25 years. I'll bet that every paper in the probate office is in its right place, filled out properly and according to the requirements of the law," continued the speaker. "When administrators and executors call at the office they always find the judge present at the appointed time. It is never necessary to call a second time."

We bet dollars to doughnuts if those farmers can have their way the judge will not only get a re-nomination at the Republican county convention, but will also be re-elected. Well, there are lots of others who are not farmers, who think just about as they do and will help such a good cause along.

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of Liver Trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give Clear Skin, Rosy Cheeks, Rich Complexion. Only 25 cents at Stimson's Drug Store.

"Uncle Josh" Picture Play Co.

The opera house was filled Friday evening to witness the entertainment furnished by the "Uncle Josh" Picture Play Co. "Uncle Josh" is the original play on which Denman Thompson's "Old Homestead" is founded, and the pictures of scenes from the old down east play with dialogue accompaniments by Mr. DeLong and Miss Miller were much enjoyed. The illustrated songs also came in for their share of approval, and the moving pictures of the battle of San Juan hill, "Fun in Camp," the 13th Pennsylvania Regiment, etc., were very pleasing. There was no intermission in the program of the entertainment, and its two hours and 10 minutes duration did not seem more than half that length. Miss Miller's "Serpentina" with stereopticon picture effects was exceedingly pretty.

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NEW M. E. CHURCH

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quent gospel sermon which was listened to with the greatest attention by the audience which filled every available seat in the building. At its close he stated the total cost of the church had been \$15,035. Of this amount \$11,900 had been paid or subscribed, leaving \$4,400 to be raised. He then proceeded to do this and so successful were his efforts, ably seconded by the pastor and members of the church, that \$5,840 was subscribed. The doxology was then sung and Rev. C. S. Jones pronounced the benediction.

The congregation at the mass meeting in the afternoon was not nearly so large as in the morning. Prayer was offered by Rev. G. B. Marsh. This was followed with remarks from Revs. A. Roedel, C. S. Jones, J. H. McIntosh and Crawford. Then for an hour or more Dr. Ives talked to the young people urging them to embrace a christian life.

At the evening service prayer was offered by Rev. F. A. Stiles, and the sermon was delivered by Rev. J. E. Jacklin, who took for his text John iii: 17, "For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through him might be saved." It was a logical, clean, clear cut gospel sermon. At its close Dr. Ives addressed the congregation and \$1,600 more was pledged for the purchase of a pipe organ.

The banquet Monday evening was served in the spacious dining room and from 5 until long after 8 o'clock a constant stream of people of all denominations filed into the room with good appetites only to come out again with the inner man fully satisfied from the ample supply of tooth some viands that had been prepared by the ladies.

The auditorium and League room were well filled when Rev. J. I. Nickerson called the assemblage to order and introduced Rev. E. W. Ryan, D. D., presiding elder of the district, as the toastmaster of the evening, who announced that the speeches would not exceed 15 minutes each, although the musicians could sing to the end of their pieces, but there would be no encores. The choir rendered an anthem "Song of Thanksgiving." Dr. Ives, who was to respond to the toast "Church Organization," having gone home, his place was filled by Dr. Thomas Holmes who enunciated the facts that church organization was the most important organization in the world, preaching the most important branch of oratory, and that religion was the only thing that would elevate the human race.

Miss Margaret B. Nickerson sang in a fine manner the beautiful song "For all Eternity," and was accorded an encore, but owing to the toastmaster's cast iron rules could not respond.

Rev. J. H. McIntosh next spoke on "Christian Fellowship," and Mesdames Congdon and Keenan sang a duet "Drift my Bark."

Rev. George B. Marsh then made the best speech of the evening in his response to the toast "Our Young People."

A quartet composed of Mesdames Congdon, Keenan and Cummings, and Miss Margaret B. Nickerson sang "The Lovely Rose," which was much enjoyed. In the absence of Rev. H. W. Hicks, of Dexter, the pastor, Rev. J. I. Nickerson, responded to "The Status of Women in the M. E. Church," and took occasion to express his gratification at the successful completion of the beautiful church and the providing of means not only to pay for it, but to buy a pipe organ for the choir loft.

"Good Night, Farewell," sung by H. I. Stimson, Lynn Raider, Mrs. J. S. Cummings and Miss M. B. Nickerson followed, and then Rev. J. I. Nickerson pronounced the benediction and the large audience dispersed.

Banker Routs a Robber.

J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with Coughs, Colds, or any Throat, Chest or Lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Stimson's Drug Store.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. N. B. Jones, of Lansing, is visiting her son Rev. C. S. Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Watts, of Mason, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Parker.

Mrs. Fannie Garner, of Traverse City, is visiting her uncle James F. Harrington and family.

Mrs. M. A. Allyn, of Albany, N. Y., is visiting her brother James F. Harrington and family.

Miss Ella Breitenbach, of Jackson, spent yesterday with her mother Mrs. Katharine Breitenbach.

Mrs. M. Kempf, of Albion, was in Chelsea attending the dedicatory services of the new M. E. church.

Mrs. Thomas Shaw, of Ypsilanti, attended the dedicatory banquet at the M. E. church Monday evening.

The Misses Whitaker and Weimer, of Ann Arbor, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitaker Sunday.

Charles Andrews, of the Andrews Wire and Iron Works, of Rockford, Ill., spent Monday evening and Tuesday with his nephew Rev. Geo. B. Marsh and wife.

The Misses Margaret and Anna Miller went to Cleveland and Detroit Saturday morning to look up the new styles in spring millinery. They will be away for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Davis, of Charlotte, and Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Sprague, of Cheboygan, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Jones. The former are Mrs. Jones' parents and Mrs. Sprague is her sister.

S. A. Williams and family, of Ingham county have been visiting his sisters Mrs. E. Beach and Mrs. H. Martin, of Chelsea, also his niece Mrs. A. E. Johnson, of Dexter, the latter half of last week and a part of this week.

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Registration Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Registration of the Village of Chelsea will meet for the purpose of completing the list of qualified voters of said village and of registering the names of all persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, on Saturday the 10th day of March, A. D. 1900, at the place designated below: At the council room of town hall in said village, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place above mentioned, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, for the purpose above specified.

By order of the Board of Registration of the Village of Chelsea.

Dated at Chelsea, Mich., March 1st, A. D. 1900.

W. H. HESELSCHWERDT,
Village Clerk.

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given, that an Election will be held in the Village of Chelsea County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, on Monday, the 12th day of March, A. D. 1900, for the purpose of electing the following officers: One president, three trustees for two years, one clerk, one treasurer, one assessor.

The Polls of the Election in the said Village of Chelsea will be held at the place designated below: At the town hall in said village.

The Polls will be open at 7 o'clock in the forenoon of said 12th day March, A. D. 1900, or as soon thereafter as may be, and will be closed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Dated at Chelsea, Mich., March 1st, A. D. 1900.

W. H. HESELSCHWERDT,
Village Clerk.

Notice.

The People's caucus will be held in the township hall in the village of Chelsea on Monday, March 5, 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m. for the nomination of village officers for the ensuing year.

Dated March 1, 1900.

By order of Committee.

Notice.

The Citizens' caucus for the nomination of village officers for ensuing year will be held in the township hall in the village of Chelsea, on Wednesday, March 7, 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Dated March 1, 1900.

By order of Committee.

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STRAYED on the premises of George Liebeck, in Sylvan, a spotted fox hound, with black back, red ears and half black tail. Owner please call, pay expenses, and take the animal away. 29

LOST—A short time ago on Middle street between East street and Wm. Campbell's place on West Middle street, a pair of black leather slippers. Finder please leave at Herald office.

POULTRYMEN—I can supply you Strong Fertile Eggs from Standard Bred Stock at a very reasonable price. Write for catalogue. G. S. Oliver, care Toledo Poultry Farm, Toledo, O.

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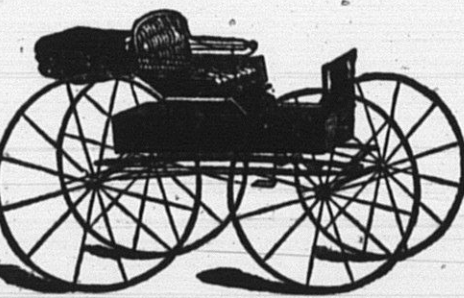
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LOCAL ITEMS.

March came in like a lion, will it go out like a lamb?

Roland B. Waltrous has purchased the Charles Wines' farm in Sylvan.

The Chelsea orchestra furnished the music for a dancing party at the Dexter opera house Monday evening.

Most men in Chelsea did half a day's work shoveling snow this morning before they even started out to perform their usual round of business.

The round-up farmers' institute which is being held at Ann Arbor is largely attended by farmers and others from different parts of the state.

Ed. Crafts, of Sharon, has bought 31 acres of land with a house and outbuildings on it in Grass Lake, and will move his family there about April 1.

As a result of the labors of the state tax commission 2,000 mortgages held by Ann Arbor parties will have to be assessed at their full value and placed on the assessment rolls.

The first semi-annual conference of the officers of the county and township Sunday school associations of Washtenaw county is being held in Newberry Hall, Ann Arbor, today.

Prof. Gardner S. Lamson has resigned his position as head of the vocal department at the School of Music, Ann Arbor, and his place will be filled by Prof. William A. Howland, of Boston, Mass.

The March term of the circuit court which commences next Monday, will consist of 78 cases, divided as follows: Criminal 9, issues of fact 36, issues of law 2, fourth class chancery 19, divorce pro confesso 7.

The state board of health has issued notices requiring that hereafter consumption shall be included in the official list of "Dangerous to the public health," referred to in sections 1675 and 1676 Howell's statutes, requiring notice by householders and physicians to the local health officer, as soon as such disease is recognized.

Sister Ernestine, formerly known as Miss Appolonia Breitenbach, died of consumption Tuesday morning in Kansas City, Mo., where she was stationed as a sister of the Good Shepherd. Sister Ernestine had suffered for several years from the dread disease and had been more than once at death's door. She was 37 years of age and was a daughter of Mrs. Katharine Breitenbach, of this village.

Martin Armstrong, of Lyndon, well known to many in Chelsea, was frozen to death last Saturday night. He went to Pinckney on business that day and early in the evening started to drive home, but never reached there. He was found Sunday morning frozen to death. His occupation was that of a farmer and contractor and he lived about two miles south of Unadilla. He was 71 years old and leaves a widow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Negus delightfully entertained a company of about 20 friends and neighbors Saturday evening, the occasion being the captain's 60th birthday anniversary. The evening was passed very pleasantly in social chat and amusement and it was nearly 12 o'clock before good-night was said and the guests left for home. During the evening delicious refreshments of sandwiches and coffee, cake and ice cream were served.

Chelsea people wondered what was the matter Tuesday morning when there were no morning dailies at hand for them to read. They wondered still more when they went to the post office and found no mail in their boxes. The reason of it was a freight wreck about a mile west of Ann Arbor. The accident happened about 2 a. m. and was due to the breaking of an axle on a blue line car. Five cars were smashed entirely and three more were injured. One of the cars was loaded with flour, two with corn and two with oats, and their cargoes were badly scattered about the scene of the wreck. Passenger trains were sent around the wreck from Jackson to Manchester and thence to Ypsilanti all morning. It was 11:25 before any trains passed the scene of the wreck.

The production of "Santiago" at the opera house Thursday and Saturday evenings of last week, by a company of the young people of Chelsea, under the directions of Ralph W. Thacher, was of a most creditable nature. The amateur Thespians had learned their lines well and delivered them in a very effective manner. The play is one depicting love and war, consequently there was plenty of the smell of burnt powder hanging around the house all the time. Owing to the number of things that were happening in Chelsea last week, the young people got somewhat alighted, in the matter of attendance, and the treasury of the senior class of the high school, for whose benefit it was given, was not made as much heavier as it would have been had the play come off at some other time. As it was the net balance was about \$30.

A Maccabee tea will be held at K. O. T. M. hall, next Tuesday, March 6. All Maccabees their families and friends are cordially invited to be present. Supper served from 5 to 7 o'clock.

The third of the Sunday evening lectures on "Men of the Bible" will be given in the Congregational church next Sunday evening by Rev. C. H. Jones. The subject will be "Isaiah, the Prophet."

J. J. Parshall, of Ann Arbor, is the proud possessor of a copy of the first issue of the Detroit Free Press. It was dated May 5, 1831, and was then known as "The Democratic Free Press and Michigan Intelligencer."

The shelving on the east side of Hoag & Holmes' hardware store has been continued upwards as high as the ceiling, about doubling its capacity. A new sliding ladder has also been placed in position making it easier to get at the goods on the shelves.

Instead of being elected one of the majors of the First regiment, M. N. G., at the election held in Detroit last Friday, Prosecuting Attorney John P. Kirk was elected its lieutenant-colonel. Capt. Ross (Granger of Ann Arbor, was elected major of the third battalion of the regiment.

Four pupils in the Manchester schools show remarkable records according to the Enterprise. Raynor Haussler has been neither absent nor tardy in 10½ years; Edith Tracy has the same record for 8½ years, and Julia Traub the same for seven years. Yetta Traub has not been absent in eight years and was tardy but once in that time.

Rev. F. A. Strough will lecture in the Congregational church this evening on "The Modern Predigal," illustrated with stereopticon views, to which the admission is free. Tomorrow evening he will give his illustrated lecture on "Hawaii and the Philippine Islands" at the same place. The admission to this lecture will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

Dexter Leader: A correspondent informs us that at a recent Farmers' club, meeting Prof. DeWitt was speaking strongly against intemperance. He said that this awful habit of drink must be stopped. The little two-year-old of Mr. Boyden pulled the bottle of milk away from its mouth, and turning to Mrs. Boyden said: "Shall I quit?" The professor made one convert.

Grass Lake News: "Beg your pardon, ma'am, but how are matters thriving in Chelsea?" "First class, but land sakes, I never saw you before! How do you know I live in Chelsea?" "I notice your shoes are 9's." The editor of the News had better stick close to home with that baby, for if he comes to Chelsea the women will mob him sure for making such a slanderous assertion.

There were not over 75 people out to listen to Dr. J. P. Ashley, president of Albion College, on Wednesday evening, at the M. E. church, the heavy snowstorm having so impeded travel that the people would not go out. For over an hour, however, the doctor spoke on "Boomerangs and Mirrors," and his lecture is said to have been superb. It is expected Dr. Ashley will come again at a later date to talk on Christian Education.

Yesterday's snow storm was the biggest of the season. It was particularly hard on the railroads and travelers. Through trains on the M. C. were a scarce article and the local trains were hours behind time. It was 12 o'clock before the mail went west yesterday morning; it was 1:15 p. m. when the Grand Rapids express went east, about 7 p. m. when the mail went east, and the Grand Rapids express west did not get here until 9:45 p. m.

The surrogate judge of Westchester county, N. Y., has signed the final decree in the final judicial settlement of the Dr. Elizabeth H. Bates estate. The decree directs that the executors pay over forth with to the University of Michigan \$36,688 which is its due by the terms of Dr. Bates' will which devised her whole estate subject to an annuity to the university. The balance of the \$120,000 estate will be turned over as fast as transfers can be made.

Grass Lake News: Articles of incorporation of the Rural Telephone Company of Waterloo township have been filed with the Jackson county clerk. Principal office at Waterloo, Jackson county, Mich.; term of existence 30 years; capital stock \$10,000, of which \$2,500 has been paid in; shares \$10 each; the board of directors is composed of W. J. Dancer, DeLaney Cooper, Eli Lutz, Thos. Howlett, L. L. Gorton, A. J. Boyce, J. F. Baldwin. There are 31 stockholders.

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MAJUBA IS AVENGED.

Anniversary of Famous Battle Witnesses Surrender of Cronje.

Lord Roberts informs the British Government that the Boer Commanders, So Long Besieged, Has Yielded Unconditionally.

London, Feb. 27.—It is officially announced that Gen. Cronje surrendered unconditionally at dawn this morning.

Roberts Tells the Story.

London, Feb. 27.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts:

"Paardeberg, Feb. 27, 7:45 a. m.—Gen. Cronje and all of his force capitulated unconditionally at daylight and is now a prisoner in my camp. The strength of his force will be communicated later. I hope that her majesty's government will consider this event satisfactory, occurring as it does on the anniversary of Majuba."

To Dispute Roberts' Advance.

London, Feb. 27.—The Boers are assembling an army near Bloemfontein, with which to dispute the invasion of Lord Roberts. This intelligence comes from Pretoria by way of Lourenzo Marques. The commandoes are described as "hastening from all quarters of the republics." No estimate is made of their numbers, but the withdrawal of the Boers from most of the places where they have been in contact with the British except the district near Ladysmith may raise their resisting force to 30,000 men. This figure assumes that the Boers have between 60,000 and 70,000 men in the field.

Gen. Buller on Saturday faced the last and strongest positions of the Boers who bar his way to Ladysmith. The strenuous fighting indicates a battle between armies, rather than rear guard actions protecting a retreat. On Thursday and Friday he lost 43 officers killed and wounded, representing probably a total loss of from 400 to 500.

Boers Concentrating.

London, Feb. 27.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Lourenzo Marques, dated Friday, February 23, says:

"It is reported here that 5,000 burghers have left Ladysmith for the Free State. The Boers are concentrating their forces 30 miles outside of Bloemfontein and the Free State government is moving to Winburg. Reinforcements from all parts are passing through Bloemfontein hourly. President Steyn has telegraphed President Kruger that Lord Roberts is within a few hours of Bloemfontein and he urges that every male, irrespective of nationality, should be commandeered."

Steyn Favors Peace.

"President Steyn is said to favor peace. The Boer general who was in command at Colenso sent a message to President Kruger saying that he had been smashed up there and recommending overtures for peace. The burghers at Mafeking are also reported to have sent word to Kruger that they would rather defend their own farms than fight elsewhere."

DEMOCRATIC ISSUES.

Chairman Jones Says Party Will Oppose Imperialism—Non-Committal About Silver.

St. Louis, Feb. 27.—Senator James K. Jones, chairman of the democratic national committee, who is stopping in the city for a few days, submitted to an interview with the Post-Dispatch Monday. When asked what would be the position of the democratic party on the issue of expansion in the coming campaign, Senator Jones said:

"The democratic party will be opposed to imperialism, and by that I mean the acquisition of territory remote from this country and its government either as a part of the United States or as colonies. The democratic party has always favored the extension of our commerce, while the republican party, by its protective tariff policy, has always opposed and discouraged it. The democratic party will continue to favor every legitimate means of expanding and extending the commerce of the United States."

"Will silver be as important an issue as it was in the campaign of 1896?" he was asked.

"If you will come to me about the 15th of next November I will be better informed on that point," answered the senator.

"Do you think silver has paled any as an issue before the American people?"

"You know as much about that as I do. Conventions and platforms do not make issues. The wishes and opinions of voters make them. The democratic party is the party of bimetalism, and its declaration in the next platform on this question will be as strong as it was in 1896. But whether silver, or opposition to trusts, or imperialism will claim most attention from the people is something I cannot tell you."

"Will Bryan be the next democratic nominee for the presidency?"

"I think so."

Senator Jones said he had not heard anything of the concerted movement among general passenger agents of railroads to request the committee to change the date of the convention from July 4 because of the tremendous travel on and about that day. "What is that to us?" he said. "Persons who go to the convention do not go on the Fourth. They go before the Fourth, and I cannot see how holding the convention on that date will interfere with the passenger traffic on that day."

Boy Frozen to Death.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 27.—A special from Winnipeg says: A boy named Joseph Hansen, son of a farmer near Medicine Hat, N. W. T., was frozen to death in the recent blizzard. Father and son had gone out to bring in some horses and lost their way, wandering about in the storm all night. The boy's feet froze and his father carried him until both were helpless. The father could do nothing but watch the boy die. About an hour later he reached home.

FAILURE OF FLOUR TRUST.

Receivers Are Appointed for the United States Milling Company—Causes of the Collapse.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 27.—The flour mill trust has collapsed. With less than \$1,000 in cash on hand and with liabilities of nearly \$15,000,000, the United States Milling company, the big combine that was formed less than a year ago, went into the hands of receivers. Judge James G. Jenkins appointed as receivers Daniel Thomas, of New York; Albert C. Loring, of Minneapolis; and Charles L. Kimball, of Summit, N. J. These appointments were originally made in New Jersey last Saturday, but were suppressed until they could be confirmed here by Judge Jenkins. The receivers are required to file a bond of \$25,000 each, and are ordered to take an inventory within 60 days. The creditors are given until September 1 in which to file their claims.

The collapse of the company is due to the inability of the company to float its securities on the open market.

George William Ballou, the stockholder who institutes the suit in which the receivers are appointed, makes the following statement concerning the causes leading to the failure of the company:

"That in the organization of the company," says Mr. Ballou, "it had been hoped that sufficient means would be provided for the purchase of the property required by the company and to supply sufficient working capital to carry on its business by the sale of its first mortgage collateral gold bonds, but because of the tight money market and the depression in industrial securities, the company was unable to carry out the plan and was obliged to resort to borrowing money on its collateral trust bonds and otherwise urged to secure a temporary loan by its issue of so-called trust bonds and further, by the failure of this plan, by borrowing in open market. The money so borrowed constitutes the floating indebtedness which amounts to \$1,095,508.08, of which \$144,365 is due and \$951,143 is on demand loans."

The United States Milling company was formed with a capital stock of \$25,000,000 on April 27, 1899, having secured control of the following flour milling property:

In Milwaukee—The Daisy and Faust-Kraus mills.

In Superior—The Lake Superior, the Anchor and the Listmann mills.

In West Superior—The Grand Republic, the Freeman and the Minkota mills.

In Minneapolis—The Excelsior, the Standard and St. Anthony mills, together with 95 per cent. of the capital stock of the Northwestern Consolidated Milling company which operates and owns five big flour mills.

In Duluth—The Imperial and the Constructed Terminal elevators.

In New York state—The Syracuse mills, the Baldwinsville mills, the Urban mill.

In New Jersey—Ninety-five per cent. of the Hecker-Jones-Jewell Milling company, which operates and owns four large mills.

Monday's proceedings will have to be instituted in every circuit where the company owns property. The bond fixed by the New Jersey court is \$100,000.

In each case Judge Jenkins requires them to give an additional bond of \$25,000 each. While the original suit is in New Jersey, the greatest litigation will probably be in Wisconsin, as the majority of the company's property is in this state.

Mr. Ballou is a resident of New Jersey, but his bill filed in the United States circuit court in Milwaukee goes into greater detail. Mr. Ballou says he has made a careful investigation of the affairs of the company, and is satisfied that it is wholly insolvent.

The company, Mr. Ballou sets forth, will be unable to meet any of its obligations as they mature. Its cash in the bank is but \$1,000, and it has no bills or accounts receivable, the proceeds of which would be sufficient to meet the matured and maturing obligations.

In the order appointing the receivers they are directed to proceed with the operation of such of the mills as have not been shut down, and they are required to proceed to carry out contracts on hand. An injunction is issued restraining all parties from interfering with the receivers or from bringing suit. All creditors must file their claims in the receivership proceedings. The officers, directors and agents of the company are commanded to surrender the property to the receivers forthwith. The receivers are ordered to file an inventory within 60 days, and creditors in Wisconsin have until January 1, 1902, in which to file claims.

New York, Feb. 27.—General counsel for the receivers of the United States Flour Milling company made the following statement:

"The properties of the United States Flour Milling company comprise three mills in New York state, eight in Wisconsin and five in Minnesota, beside the ownership of over 95 per cent. of the Hecker-Jones-Jewell Milling company, owning four mills in New York and over 98 per cent. of the Northwestern Consolidated Milling company, owning five mills in Minnesota, in addition about \$1,500,000 of merchandise and quick assets; all together recently valued at \$12,000,000. The company was struggling against the disadvantages of inadequate capital and a floating indebtedness of more than \$2,000,000, has been created. The pressure of this debt has compelled the company to suspend payment."

Judge Lacombe, of the United States circuit court in this city, confirmed as receivers of the United States Milling company Gen. Samuel Thomas, Charles R. Kimball and Albert C. Loring, who were appointed in New Jersey and Milwaukee. This gives them power to take the property of the company in this state and control it.

A COMPROMISE.

House Republicans Agree Upon a Modified Porto Rican Tariff Bill—Proposed Amendments.

Washington, Feb. 27.—At the conference of house republicans Monday night on the Porto Rican tariff bill assurances were given that the president believed the measure constitutional and would approve it if it came to him, and an agreement was reached to limit the operation of the bill to two years and to reduce the duty imposed by it from 25 to 15 per cent. of the American tariff. As a result the republican leaders claim that the bill will have the support of all the republicans except four—Messrs. McCall (Mass.), Littlefield (Me.), Lorimer (Ill.) and Crumpacker (Ind.), and that this loss will be offset by affirmative votes of the opposition. They claim the passage of the modified bill is certain.

After the conference adjourned at 11 o'clock Chairman Cannon gave out the following statement of the amendments agreed upon by the conference:

"The conference requested the ways and means committee to offer an amendment to the bill as follows: 'Amend the title to make it an act temporarily to provide revenue for the island of Porto Rico and for other purposes,' and to add the following section: 'This act shall be taken and held to be provisional in its purpose, intended to meet a pressing, present need for revenue for the island of Porto Rico and is not to continue in force after March 1, 1902.' These amendments were adopted with practical unanimity. Another to reduce the duty imposed by the act from 25 to 15 per cent. was adopted by a vote of 105 to 11. A further amendment is to be offered by the ways and means committee to make it clear that no double duty is imposed; that the payment of an internal revenue tax is the total tax on importations."

The republican members of the ways and means committee, together with Speaker Henderson, remained at the capitol canvassing the situation during the interim between the adjournment of the house at five o'clock and the assembling of the conference at eight. Chairman Cannon presided over the caucus. As soon as it had been called to order, Mr. Payne, of New York, the floor leader, submitted two amendments, which he said the ways and means committee were prepared to offer to the bill. One of them changed the title of the measure to make it a bill for temporarily raising revenue for Porto Rico. The other added a new section to the bill, limiting its operation to March 1, 1902, unless sooner repealed.

Mr. Grow, of Pennsylvania, the venerable ex-speaker of the house, said that the amendments proposed made the bill an emergency measure, against which the question of constitutionality ought not to be raised, and Mr. Marsh, of Illinois, earnestly appealed to the recalcitrants to rally around the republican standard and bury their dissensions.

This drew statements from Mr. McCall and Mr. Littlefield, the two leaders of the republican revolt. Both spoke in good temper, but abated not one jot their individual opposition to the measure. Mr. McCall said that the modifications offered and the assurance from the president might remove the objections of those who had opposed the bill on the ground of expediency, but that his objections, going deeper, to the constitutional question, could not be assuaged by any such amendments. He should, he announced, vote against the bill. Mr. Littlefield's speech was along the same lines. He, too, he said, must oppose the bill.

Speaker Henderson and Chairman Payne wound up the speechmaking with eloquent appeals for harmony and united action in the face of the enemy. The speeches aroused great enthusiasm. Speaker Henderson concluded:

"This bill should pass. I say to you to-night, put on your armor and sing glory hallelujah."

Mr. Payne adjured his colleagues to stand "shoulder to shoulder" and to "vote solidly." The amendments offered were then adopted and the conference adjourned.

Mr. McCall said after the conference that he still believed the bill would be defeated. "It will be a tight squeeze, anyway," said he.

Mr. Cannon said that the bill was misunderstood; that it was in fact a bill for the immediate relief of the Porto Ricans by providing them an equitable means of raising \$1,600,000 annually in an emergency.

BONDS TAKE A JUMP.

Sudden Rise in the Price of Government Securities—The Reason Assigned.

New York, Feb. 27.—Government bonds went up a full point Monday, and the price of fours of 1907 and 1925, with the five per cent. bonds, reached a higher level than any touched last year. The demand was ascribed to the belief of individuals and corporations that there will be unusual call for the bonds when the refunding law goes into effect, and the banks are allowed to issue circulation up to par value of the bonds. The four per cents. of 1925 reached Monday the highest price in their history, the fours of 1907 the highest since 1891, when the government was still buying bonds heavily. Part of the heavy borrowing from the banks has been attributed to operations with a view to this future demand.

TO USE LAWTON'S SCHEME.

Before His Death He Had Worked Out Plan to Create Force of Native Police.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Before his death, and after giving much thought to the subject, Gen. Lawton had worked out a plan for the maintenance of order in the Philippines, after the close of actual war, which had been submitted to Gen. Otis, and is presumably the plan which will commend itself to the war department when the time comes to replace the regular troops by other forces competent to preserve order.

Gen. Lawton's idea was to create a force of native police, whose officers, at first in all grades, and finally, as conditions improve, in the upper grades alone, shall all be Americans. Some such force as this is now successfully applied in Cuba by Gen. Wood under the cognomen of rural police. Owing to the racial differences among the inhabitants of the Philippines, it was Gen. Lawton's idea that there would be no difficulty in securing police who should be proof against disloyalty in the districts, apart from those of their nativity, to which they might be assigned. That this theory was well-founded is indicated by the successful use of the Macabebe tribe by Gen. Lawton himself, and by Gen. Young later on in his chase after Aguinaldo in the north of Luzon. The natives, by their acquaintance with the country, and the inhabitants, would be of great assistance in running down lawbreakers. Because of the similarity of feature and figure of the Tagals, the American troops have had great difficulty in distinguishing one individual from another; in telling friend from foe.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

A Dentist in New York Killed the Wife of His Employer and Commits Suicide.

New York, Feb. 26.—Mrs. E. P. Hayes, the wife of Dr. E. P. Hayes, a dentist, formerly of Chicago, but now with offices at the Hotel Endicott, in West Thirty-first street, was shot and killed Saturday in her apartments in that hotel by Dr. Frank Caldwell, an assistant of Dr. Hayes. Caldwell then shot and killed himself. Persons who know the Hayes couple and Caldwell say that Dr. Hayes had for years befriended Caldwell, and had given him an opportunity to advance in his profession; in fact, had considered him almost as one of his own family. As a result of this treatment, Caldwell became enamored of Mrs. Hayes, and it seems, after many repulses, decided that if he could not possess the woman he would take her out of the world with him. After brooding over his failure to win the love of the wife of the man who had been his partner in business, and his best friend, Dr. Caldwell murdered the woman of his affections and then put an end to his own life.

BIMETALLISTS TO MEET.

A National Convention Will Probably Be Held in Kansas City July 4.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Judge A. W. Rucker, of Denver, Col., president of the United States Monetary League, has been in Washington for several days conferring with the leading bimetalists throughout the country with the view of getting their opinion concerning the propriety of holding a national convention of bimetalists at some time in the future. It is now definitely determined that such convention will be held at Kansas City on the Fourth of July. It is expected some 600 or 800 delegates will be in attendance from all the states and territories of the union. A committee has been chosen to confer with the local committee at Kansas City for the purpose of securing accommodations for the guests.

TO MEET IN HOUSTON.

Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress to Be Held in the Texas City April 17 to 21.

Houston, Tex., Feb. 26.—Secretary Thomas Richardson has issued the official call for the tenth annual session of the trans-Mississippi commercial congress, to be held at Houston April 17 to 21 inclusive. The territory to be represented embraces all of the states and territories lying west of the Mississippi river. The subjects are set forth as follows: Irrigation, rivers and harbors, Nicaragua canal, Pacific cable, merchant marine, St. Louis world's fair, trade with the orient, consular service, statehood, railroad transportation, preservation of forests, beet sugar, trade with Mexico, advantages of American travel, exports and imports through gulf and Pacific ports, need of home factories and drainage.

Indiana Democrats.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—The democratic state committee on Saturday night fixed June 6 as the date of the state convention. The later date was on account of the date of the national convention, as it had been intended to hold the convention on April 18. The convention will be held in this city.

TO MEET STEAMSHIPS.

A New Service by the New York Central Railroad.

George H. Daniels, general passenger agent of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, has added a steamship bureau to the equipment of the passenger service of the road. He has engaged Captains Louis Ingwersen and F. A. G. Schultze to superintend the bureau, and one of their duties will be to meet all incoming trans-Atlantic and the principal coastwise steamships to assist passengers who wish to leave the city via the Vanderbilt system. Capt. Ingwersen will have charge of the American, Copard, White Star, Atlantic Transport, Wagon, Anchor and Allan-State lines, and Capt. Schultze has been assigned to the North-German Lloyd, Hamburg-American, French, Rotterdam, Red Star and Thingvalia lines.

They will meet all incoming steamships, and will be prepared to furnish railway tickets, parlor and sleeping car accommodations and to assist passengers with their baggage and check it to points on the line of the railroad, after it has been passed by the customs inspectors. They will also furnish passengers with cabs ordered by the railroad company, and furnish time tables and general information to passengers. The two men have also been directed to assist passengers who come to this city with a view of going abroad, and such passengers will be met at the Grand Central Station on incoming trains and conducted to the steamship. Their baggage will be attended to in advance by communicating with Mr. Daniels. From the New York Commercial Advertiser.

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CHARGES OF MACRUM

Secretary Hay Says He Never Reported Opening of His Mail by British Censor.

Washington, Feb. 22. — The answer of the state department to the house resolution calling for information regarding certain charges made by Late Consul Macrum was transmitted to the house Wednesday by the president. Secretary Hay says that the only instance of complaint in respect to the transit of the mails for Lorenzo Marquez and Pretoria was in November last, when a temporary stoppage of the mails occurred at Cape Town, against which Mr. Macrum and the consul at Lorenzo Marquez protested. Arrangements were made for the prompt delivery of the consular mails to the United States consul general at Cape Town, by whom the mail for Mr. Hollis and Mr. Macrum was forwarded to Lorenzo Marquez. The delay lasted but a few days and did not recur, so far as the department was advised.

At no time, continues Secretary Hay, while his post did Mr. Macrum report to the department any instance of violation by opening or otherwise of his official mail by the British censor at Durban or by any person or persons whatsoever, there or elsewhere. Neither did he so report after leaving Pretoria, although having the amplest opportunity to do so by mail while on the way home and in person when he reported to the department upon his return.

In regard to the charge that a secret alliance exists between the republic of the United States and the empire of Great Britain, the secretary says that no form of secret alliance is possible under the constitution of the United States, inasmuch as treaties require the advice and consent of the senate; and, finally, that no secret alliance, convention, arrangement or understanding exists between the United States and any other nation.

It has been given out at the state department that inquiries set on foot immediately after the publication of Macrum's first statement developed the fact that the British government had no knowledge of any interference with the correspondence of the United States consulate at Pretoria, and the additional fact that if any such interference had taken place it was contrary to instructions.

Reach an Agreement.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 22.—The contests over the state officers are very much simplified by an agreement entered into between the attorneys for the republicans and the democrats Wednesday, representing both sides and straightening out the legal tangle over the multiplicity of injunction suits for the title of the governorship. The agreement is that there shall be a speedy trial in the courts on an agreed case, involving all of the issues, the first hearing to be before Judge Emmett Field, at Louisville.

Famous Fanmaker Dead.

New York, Feb. 23.—Dan Rice, the veteran circus clown, died at Long Branch, N. J., Thursday night after a lingering illness, aged 77 years. His real name was Daniel McLaren. He was born in New York. His father nicknamed the boy Dan Rice, after a famous clown in Ireland. Dan Rice made three independent fortunes. He died, however, a comparatively poor man. With his own shows he traveled over the whole United States, and also abroad.

Big Lumber Deal.

Duluth, Minn., Feb. 21.—Word has reached Duluth from a reliable source of the completion of a large lumber deal that has been pending for some time. The deal involves the sale by W. H. Gilbert, of Ashland, Wis., of \$5,000,000 feet of log run stock to Cleveland parties, for a consideration of between \$650,000 and \$700,000. About 30,000,000 feet of the stock will be sawed in Duluth and the balance in Ashland.

Root Chinese Forces.

Rangoon, British Burma, Feb. 23.—A British official attached to the boundary commission, named Hertz, while touring the Burmah-Chinese frontier, with an escort, has engaged and routed two considerable forces of hostile Chinese from Hien Kawg Pa, killing the leader of the Chinamen and 70 Chinese.

Banishment for Five Years.

Paris, Feb. 24.—In the senate, sitting as a high court, Deputy Marcel Habert, who has been on trial charged with inciting soldiers to insubordination at the time of the funeral of President Faure, was sentenced to five years' banishment.

Girl Burned to Death.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 22.—Mary Nyberg, aged ten, was burned to death in a fire that destroyed the family home near Blair, Trempealeau county. The family escaped in their night clothes, but forgot the little girl who was left behind.

Fight to Occur May 14.

New York, Feb. 24.—Unless something unforeseen happens in the meantime, James J. Corbett and James J. Jeffries will fight for the heavy-weight championship of the world in the arena of the Seaside Athletic club on May 14.

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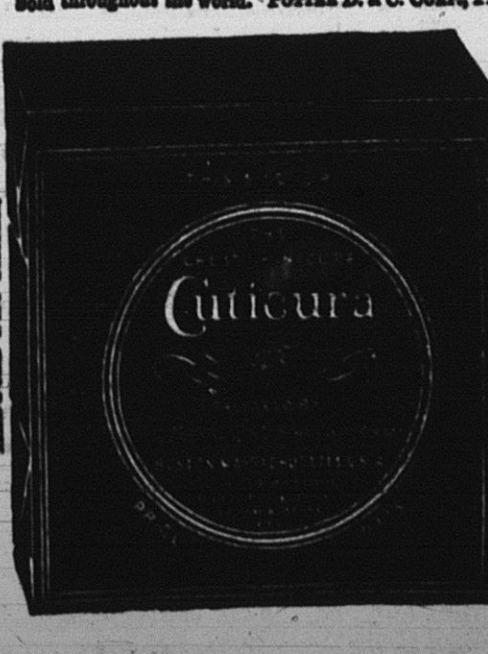
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Lima.

Ora Wood spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Ora Wheelock is confined to her bed with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wenk are entertaining company from Lansing.

About 80 attended the League party at Mr. Finkbeiner's last Thursday night.

There was no services here Sunday morning on account of the dedication at Chelsea.

Mrs. Jay Easton spent part of last week in Dexter taking care of her mother who was quite ill.

The Epworth League will give an entertainment at the hall on Thursday and Saturday nights of next week, March 8 and 10.

PROGRAM.

Music by Steinbach's Orchestra.
Song by Mrs. Henry Luick.
Song by Jay Easton.
Play, "The Deacon's Tribulations."
CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Deacon, whose weakness for brandy is finally overcome,.....C. Hawley
George Graff, the deacon's nephew,.....Fred Staebler
George Darrah, escaped convict,.....Jay Easton
James Reed, escaped convict, Fred Baries
Dusty Jim, a tramp,.....Arl Guerlin
Billy, the deacon's hired boy,.....Otto Hinderer
Pete, Mrs. Thornton's darkey servant,.....Will Coe
Constable,.....John Steinbach
Amelia, the deacon's wife, whose chief end is the reformation of her erring husband,.....Estella Guerlin
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An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Stimson's Drug Store.

North Lake.

Mrs. R. Webb, formerly of this place, is now a visitor here for a few days.

Mrs. Hudson is slowly recovering from the injury received from a fall a few weeks ago.

Rose Glenn came home from Adrian to beat the wedding of her cousin Mattie Wood.

The biggest blowout and fillup of late was that at the grange social at the hall last week.

Fred Schultz will farm it this season and has laid in a big supply of wood, enough for years if saving.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. B. Isham who has suffered for a long time with eczema is now recovering.

The light snow fall of the winter will tend to shorten the wheat crop, and may burst some of the insect eggs.

In the near future there will be a literary entertainment, also eatables in abundance at North Lake. Look for farther notice.

No minister here on Sunday last. Too cold for his health at present. He'll be all right by the time the next wedding bells jingle.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Secord, of Unadilla, was buried here last Saturday. Death was caused by abscess of the brain.

Quite a number have been engaged of late getting up a large pile of wood for the big saw. Ed May among the rest has a big pile on your scribe's land, cut on shares.

Last Wednesday morning early all the bells of the neighborhood at one time pealed out the glad tidings of the happy event of the day, the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schultz.

On Friday evening, March 2, the Epworth League will give a ribbon social. A literary entertainment will be followed by a bountiful supper if you will kindly bring it along with you. Come out and have a good time.

C. E. Glenn and Mr. Griffith have finished a job of 90 cords of block wood for Fred Glenn. Enough to keep Tira good natured for quite a spell. Herman Hudson did the sawing. He's a stager at it and does good work.

One of the largest and most interesting gatherings of the winter occurred last Thursday, Feb. 23, at the home of Mrs. Lucy M. Wood, to witness the marriage of

her daughter Miss Mattie Wood to Mr. Fred Schultz. The knot was tied at noon by Rev. Horace Palmer in the presence of a goodly number—83 in all—of the relatives and friends of the bride and groom. The bride who was handsomely dressed and carried a bouquet of carnations and similar, was attended by Miss Bernice Allen. The groom was attended by his brother Mr. Sam Schultz. The remainder of the day was spent in feasting, song and social intercourse. The company all seemed to be at their best, and were smiling and cheerful except when they would think this was the last time they would have the privilege of attending one of aunt Lucy's wedding parties, as Mattie is the last of the family. The presents were numerous, useful and beautiful.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[OFFICIAL]

Chelsea, Mich., Feb. 14, 1900.

Board met in regular session.
Meeting called to order by the President.
Roll called by the Clerk.
Present, Geo. P. Staffan, President, and Trustees McKune, Avery, Bachman, Vogel and Twamley.
Absent—Trustee Schenk.
Minutes read and approved.
Moved by Vogel, seconded by Avery, that the notice of F. P. Glazier in regard to contract be accepted.
Yeas—Vogel, McKune, Avery, Bachman and Twamley.
Nays—None.
Moved by Bachman, seconded by Twamley, that the notice of A. R. Welch in regard to power be laid on the table.
Carried.
Moved by Avery, seconded by Bachman, that the following bills be allowed and orders drawn on the treasurer for amounts:

Wm. Faber, cleaning walks,	\$ 50
J. B. Cole, collecting taxes,	67 00
Michigan Telephone Co.,	25
E. H. Chandler, drying,	4 85
A. E. Winans, express,	11 75
John Kicket, unloading coal,	6 00
Will Moore, labor,	2 00
Kemp & Co., soft coal,	4 75

The street committee reports as having investigated the elevated track of F. P. Glazier, crossing North street, connecting buildings of the Glazier-Stove Co., and report that in their opinion the same be allowed to remain.

Moved by McKune, seconded by Avery, that the report be accepted and adopted.
Carried.
Moved by Avery, seconded by Vogel, that Geo. P. Staffan, J. A. Bachman and W. H. Heselschwerdt be appointed as Board of Registration for the coming annual election.
Carried.

On motion, Avery, McKune, Vogel Twamley and W. H. Heselschwerdt were appointed Election Board for the coming election.
Carried.
On motion, Avery, Vogel and J. Schenk were appointed Election Commissioners.
Carried.

Moved by Avery, seconded by Bachman, that the clerk be instructed to post proper notice of the coming election.
Carried.
Moved by Avery, seconded by McKune, that this meeting stand adjourned until Wednesday evening, Feb. 21, 1900.
W. H. HESLSCHWERDT,
Village Clerk.

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Time table taking effect October 7, 1899.
90th MERIDIAN TIME.

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

GOING EAST.

No. 8—Detroit Night Express.....5:20 A. M.
No. 36—Atlantic Express.....7:15 A. M.
No. 12—Grand Rapids Express.....10:40 A. M.
No. 6—Mail and Express.....3:15 P. M.

GOING WEST.

No. 3—Mail and Express.....10:12 A. M.
No. 13—Grand Rapids Express.....6:20 P. M.
No. 7—Chicago Night Express.....10:20 P. M.

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

E. A. WILLIAMS, Agent, Chelsea.
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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,
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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 Tuesday, the 7th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Giles Waters, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of David S. Waters, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to David S. and Giles M. Waters, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Wednesday, the 14th 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.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,
Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.]
P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Register.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage bearing date March 31st, 1888, made and executed by Randall Biss and Lucetta T. Boss to Nancy Hendricks, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw county, State of Michigan, April 8rd, 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 18 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 \$3,401.

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 plots 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 land 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. GRIFFIN,
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 326.

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. Lauzelle'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 23rd 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 JOSLYN,
Attorney for Assignee,
35 Ypsilanti, Mich.

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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Wm. P. Groves, deceased.

Edwin W. and Albert D. Groves executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, come into court and represent that they are now prepared to render their annual account as such executors.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 26th day of March, 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 executors 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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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Herman Calhoun, deceased.

C. F. Hill 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 Monday, the 26th day of March 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, 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,
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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of John Ambrose, deceased.

Louise Ambrose, executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such executrix.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 16th day of March 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 executrix 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,
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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 27th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Sarah W. Chipman, 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 10 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 CHESAIRE 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 Tuesday, the 20th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of John Staphis deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Jacob Staffan praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to James Taylor or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Wednesday, the 31st 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 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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