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will cut the price.

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and Grain Drills at the
Right Price.

W. J. KNAPP.

A SPIRITED CONVENTION.

Washtenaw Democrats Nominated a Full
Ticket Yesterday.

The Democrats of this county met in county convention at Ann Arbor yesterday, nominated a full county ticket, chose its county committee and elected delegates to a senatorial convention yet to be called. The convention was a most spirited one, a full delegation being present, and there were brisk contests over the choice of county chairman, over instruction in favor of the renomination of Senator Ward, and over the nominations for judge of probate, clerk and register of deeds. Thomas D. Kearney, of Ann Arbor, was chairman, and Will Kirk, of Ypsilanti, secretary.

The first order of business was electing a county chairman and despite a determined effort to dislodge him, Martin J. Cavanaugh was again chosen to fill the place by a majority of 45 votes. The county committee was then chosen, the members from this section are George W. Beckwith, Sylvan; M. McGuire, Dexter; E. A. Nordman, Lima; Geo. A. Runciman, Lyndon; Ashley Parks, Sharon.

Nineteen delegates to the senatorial convention were then chosen, among them being E. A. Nordman, of Lima; A. J. Boyce, of Lyndon; Geo. W. Boynton, of Sylvan.

The convention declined to instruct the senatorial delegation for Senator Charles A. Ward for a renomination.

The county ticket nominated is as follows: Probate judge, Willis L. Watkins, Manchester; sheriff, John Gillen, Saline; clerk, Philip Blum, Jr., Ann Arbor; register of deeds, Clifford R. Huston, Ypsilanti; prosecuting attorney, John L. Duffy, Ann Arbor; treasurer, George J. Mann, Lodi; circuit court commissioners, William H. Murray, Ann Arbor, and Frank Joslyn, Ypsilanti; coroners, B. F. Watts, Ann Arbor, and Dr. C. F. Kapp, Manchester; surveyor, Dorsey Hoppe, Chelsea.

COSTLY GIFTS

Presented to St. Mary's Church, Chelsea,
by Some of its Members.

Rev. W. P. Considine, pastor of St. Mary's church, is rejoicing over some beautiful and valuable gifts that he has just received which are to be used in the services of the church.

The first is an ostensorium of a handsome new design, made of solid silver and plated with gold, 30 inches high. The receptacle for the Blessed Sacrament is surrounded by an aureole and set with amethysts, emeralds and other precious stones. On the base is engraved the following: "Presented to St. Mary's church, Chelsea, Mich., by John Stapish, July 9, 1900." This handsome gift, which cost \$200, will be used for the first time next Sunday morning.

The next is a solid brass crucifix with the figure of the Redeemer made in oxidized silver. It is of a chaste and beautiful design and very heavy. It cost \$50.

The third gift is an elegantly printed and adorned missal and a solid silver missal stand. The missal is a beautiful specimen of the printer's and binder's art, with bold, clear black type, colored initial letters and engravings in medieval style, substantially yet tastefully bound. The cost of these was \$50.

These two last gifts were from the altar society of St. Mary's church.

Death of Mrs. Andrew Allison.

Mrs. Forester Allison, widow of Andrew Allison, founder of the Chelsea Herald, died at the home of her niece Mrs. Marion A. Blanck, in Brooklyn, N. Y., Sunday, of blood poisoning, aged 75 years.

Mrs. Allison met with an accident two weeks ago Tuesday by falling down the stairs leading from the house to the garden and dislocated her hip. This injury was about well, when an inward ulcer, which it was not known she suffered from, suddenly assumed alarming symptoms, burst and caused her death.

The remains were brought to Chelsea for interment Tuesday, just two months to the day from the date she left here for her niece's home. The funeral services were held in the Congregational church Wednesday morning, Rev. C. S. Jones officiating, and she was buried beside her husband in Oak Grove cemetery.

People who burn the Lamp of Reason need Rocky Mountain Tea. Greatest reason producer known. 35c. Ask your druggist.

AN OLD LYNDON BOY

Wins Favor, Renown and a Diamond as a
Street Car Man in Chicago.

The Chicago Street and Elevated Railway Men's Journal of Saturday contains a long biographical article which has for its subject Edward J. Miller, an old time Lyndon boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, and brother to the Misses Miller, of this village. The occasion for this article is found in the awarding to Mr. Miller of the Journal prize for being the most popular street railway man in Chicago. The prize was a fine \$50 diamond. The number of votes polled in the contest was 16,560, and of these, 6,751 patrons of the street cars voted for Mr. Miller. When it is known that there are 60,000 street car employees in Chicago, the extreme popularity of Mr. Miller can be more readily conceived.

In its biographical article the Journal pays a fine tribute to Mr. Miller's worth as a man and his never failing accuracy and courtesy as an employee of the great south side street car system. It traces his life from the day he left his father's farm, and entered the employ of Joe T. Jacobs & Co., of Ann Arbor, in 1882, his subsequent learning of telegraphy and his career as an operator until he entered the employment of the street railway company as a conductor 13 years ago, and winds up by saying:

"Since that time he has built himself a reputation for strict honesty and integrity. All through this time he has preserved those qualities of mind and habit that gave him such accuracy and pre-eminence in his former work at the telegraphic instruments. Mr. Miller was one of the founders of the 'original thirteen' that organized the Sixty first Street Literary and Athletic Association, of which he is now president."

Of his two brothers who are also in the employ of the company the Journal says: "Mr. Miller has two brothers, who are both in the street car service. George Miller, Jr., is with the Chicago General Electric and Louis J. Miller is in the employ of the Chicago City Railway. Both the brothers partake in a marked degree of the characteristics of their elder brother and are looked upon by their companies as men of excellent worth."

MARRIED LAST NIGHT.

Rev. F. A. Stiles and Miss Leora J. Laird
Were the Contracting Parties.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Laird, of Sylvan, last evening at 8 o'clock, the marriage ceremony which united the lives of Rev. F. A. Stiles, pastor of the Baptist church, Chelsea, and Miss Leora Jean Laird, was solemnized. Rev. O. E. Hall, of Kingsley, Mich., a college friend of Mr. Stiles, spoke the words which united the young couple. The ceremony was a very simple one. Miss Rose Scully was maid of honor and the Misses Georgella Reilly and Frances Wallace were the ushers. The company present numbered about 25 and comprised only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

The house was prettily decorated with flowers and ferns, and the bay window in which the wedding party took its position was banked with golden rod and ferns. The dining room, in which an elegant three course supper was served, was decorated with smilax, bridal roses and carnations, and yellow and white ribbon.

The wedding presents were many and handsome, silverware being the most prevalent.

The guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. M. Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stiles and Mrs. Welch, of Wyandotte, brothers and sisters of the bridegroom, and Miss Rose Scully, of Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Stiles went at once to their home in Chelsea, followed by the congratulations and best wishes of their many friends, in which the Herald joins and wishes them many years of health, happiness and prosperity.

Organized a Democratic Club.

The Sylvan Democratic Club was organized Saturday afternoon after the regular business of the Democratic caucus had been concluded. The officers elected were:

President—George W. Beckwith.
Vice President—H. Lighthall.
Secretary—J. E. McKune.
Treasurer—James Taylor.

The regular meetings of the club will be on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. The first regular meeting will, therefore, be held tonight.

FRUIT JARS

Pint Jars with Cans and Rubbers,
60c per doz.

Quart Jars, with Cans and Rubbers,
70c a doz.

2-quart Jars, with Cans and Rubbers,
80c a doz.

Thick Elastic Rubbers, 5c a doz.

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Whole Wheat Bread

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We have

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A WEEK'S RECORD

All the News of the Past Seven Days Condensed.

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

News of the Industrial Field, Personal and Political Items, Happenings at Home and Abroad.

THE NEWS FROM ALL THE WORLD

DOMESTIC.
Crescens reduced the world's trotting record for stallions to 2:04 1/2 at Hartford, Conn.
The Michigan peach crop is the largest in years, taxing the capacity of steamboats and railroads.
By the fall of a corn crib near Peotone, Ill., William Krieg and Chris Miller were killed and George Krieg was fatally injured.
Despondent because of ill health, Mrs. Hannah Hansel, 33 years old, ended her life and that of her 14-months-old son in Chicago.
At Georgetown, Ky., Judge Cantrill sentenced ex-Secretary of State Caleb Powers, convicted in the Goebel case, to prison for life.
The population of Albany, N. Y., is 94,151, against 94,923 in 1890.
Elijah Davis (colored) was taken from the Charleston (Mo.) jail by a mob and lashed until the blood ran down his back for an assault on the city marshal.
Since July, 1899, 26,000 immigrants have arrived at Havana, Cuba.
An earthquake at Lituya bay, Alaska, killed five Indians and greatly damaged property.
The state bank of Lamont, Ill., closed its doors with liabilities of \$12,000; assets, \$24,000.
During a quarrel ranchmen drove 3,000 sheep over a precipice at Sharpdale, Col., and all were killed.
Women singers in Roman Catholic churches are alarmed because of the decree which forbids their appearance in choirs.
The freshman class at West Point, 176 in number, is the largest in the history of the military academy.
The secretary of war has instructed Gen. Chaffter, commanding the department of California, to discharge all volunteers in San Francisco.
The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 7th aggregated \$1,145,371,988, against \$1,128,946,198 the previous week. The decrease compared with the corresponding week of 1899 was 16.4.
There were 145 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 7th, against 175 the week previous and 132 the corresponding period of 1899.
Census returns from 54 cities show a population of 14,044,711, an increase of 3,494,660 in ten years.
The Western Baseball league closed its season with Denver the pennant winner.
John Reider, aged 69, killed his wife, aged 49, and himself at their home in Brooklyn, N. Y. Jealousy was the cause.
At McKeesport, Pa., the Fifth Avenue Savings and Loan association was placed in the hands of a receiver, with liabilities of \$500,000.
A tropical gale swept the Florida coast, causing loss of life, wrecking of ships and great damage to shore property.
Robbers held up the Alton station at Marshall, Mo., and killed the watchman.
The Abbott lowered the trotting record to wagon to 2:05 1/2 at the races at Hartford, Conn.
A severe storm did great damage to shipping along the south coast of Louisiana and Dr. R. H. Burford and Superintendent Richard Quinn, government officers at Fort St. Philip, were drowned.
Excursion steamer John Endicott struck a sunken rock off Minot's light, near Cohasset, Mass., Sunday night, and foundered. All on board were saved.

The steamer China sailed from San Francisco for Hong-Kong with nearly \$1,500,000 for the United States troops in China.
One thousand to 3,000 persons are reported killed by the hurricane at Galveston, Tex., and 4,000 buildings destroyed. The city is still cut off from the mainland. Ninety bodies have been found in other towns. Relief trains are blocked by great waves eight miles inland. Sabine Pass, Port Arthur and other places are isolated and their destruction is feared. Hundreds of dead are strewn over the prairies. Vessels were driven miles inland. The rice crop is destroyed.
President McKinley has given out his letter of acceptance pledging support to the Philadelphia platform and meeting the issues put forward by democrats. The financial question is given a prominent place and the isthmian canal is advocated. The letter treats of the Philippine question at length, reviewing the events leading up to the present situation. He asserts that his policy will be "to establish in the islands a government suitable to the wants and conditions of the inhabitants and prepare them for self-government." Conditions in Cuba and Porto Rico, the trusts, civil service reform and his Chinese policy are among other topics discussed.
The national executive board of the United Mine Workers of America adjourned Sunday sine die in Indianapolis, Ind., without promulgating a formal indorsement of the application of the miners of the anthracite district for permission to strike. The board empowered President Mitchell to order an anthracite coal strike if pending negotiations failed.
The census bureau announces that the population of Portland, Ore., is 90,420, as against 46,385 in 1890. This is an increase of 44,041, or 94.95 per cent.
Ex-President Cleveland has declined the president's appointment as a member of the international board of arbitration under The Hague treaty. Ex-President Harrison has accepted the appointment.
PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.
The democrats of the Seventh Wisconsin district have nominated John P. Rice, of Sparta, for congress.
The New York republican convention at Saratoga nominated B. B. Odell, Jr., of Newburg, for governor and renominated other state officers.
The national party has nominated Senator Donaldson Caffery, of Louisiana, for president, and Archibald Murray Howe, of Massachusetts, for vice president.
Later returns from the Vermont election give the republicans a plurality of 32,000.
The Connecticut republicans have nominated George R. McLean, of Simsbury, for governor.
Arthur Sewall, democratic candidate for vice president in 1896, died at his summer home near Bath, Me., aged 65 years.
Frank H. Follansbee, ex-alderman and wealthy real estate owner, committed suicide in Chicago because of ill health.
The Montana republicans nominated David E. Folsom, of Lewiston, for governor, and S. G. Murray, of Missoula, for congressman.
Gov. Roosevelt opened his western tour at Detroit with a meeting in which he scored the anti-imperialists. Gold democrats will open national headquarters at Indianapolis and work for McKinley.
William J. Morgan, of Buffalo, comptroller of the state of New York, and renominated for the office, died suddenly in Albany.
Seth W. Ellis was formally notified at Columbus, O., of his nomination by the union reform party for president of the United States.
Charles Russell, the "human arrow," a famous acrobat and clown, died in poverty at St. Louis.
Rev. Lorenzo Waugh, said to be the oldest Methodist minister in the world, died suddenly in Williams, Cal., aged 92 years.
Col. Albert D. Shaw, former commander in chief of the G. A. R., was nominated for congress by the republicans of the Twenty-fourth New York district.
Thomas Kingsford, head of the Kingsford-Starch company's works at Oswego, N. Y., died at the age of 73 years.
FOREIGN.
Colombia's president has been imprisoned, his office usurped, and another revolution is feared.
The Boers left Ladybrand after looting the stores and taking all the horses, including the cavalry mounts. The British casualties were five wounded.
A rising of Filipinos in Carmen was suppressed by a detachment of Americans who defeated 120 bolomen, killing 100.
Advices received in Washington say that Russia has agreed to a compromise, leaving a portion of the troops in Peking and sending the main body to Tientsin, which will be the military headquarters. Li Hung Chang has made a request for an American escort to accompany him on his journey to Peking. The Japanese government announces that if any attempt is made to dismember the Chinese empire Japan will take possession of the rich province of Fo-Kien, of which Amoy is the principal city.

During the Austrian military maneuvers on the borders of Galicia and Bohemia a gun exploded, killing four men and fatally wounding 18 others.
A mutiny occurred among the Filipino prisoners in Bilibid prison, which resulted in the death of four and the wounding of 15.
Japan is preparing to mobilize a big army and is drafting its subjects in America.
Italy is buying American coal and a growth in exports is anticipated.
LATER.
Estimates of the loss of life at Galveston vary from 1,500 to 5,000. About 100 Texas towns have been wholly or partly wrecked, and the property loss will reach \$40,000,000 or \$50,000,000. Of 120 United States soldiers stationed at Fort San Jacinto, Galveston, it is said only 15 were saved. Gov. Sayers, of Texas, is asked to call a special session of the legislature in order to take steps to relieve the suffering. The state has approximately a surplus of \$2,000,000. President McKinley has ordered tents and rations sent to Galveston and Secretary Root instructs Gen. McKibbin to go to Galveston at once and make a report on the situation. Governors of various states offer aid and sympathy to the Texas sufferers. Towns of Sabine Pass and Port Arthur, for whose safety fear had been expressed, report considerable damage but no loss of life.
The Chicago public schools opened with an estimated enrollment of 240,000 pupils, an increase of about 5,000. Intense excitement prevailed on the New York cotton exchange as the result of the Texas storm.
The state election in Maine resulted in a republican majority of 33,000.
It is reported at Frankfort, Ky., that efforts will be made to indict Senator Deboe, former Gov. Bradley and other prominent Kentuckians for complicity in the Goebel murder.
Census figures show that the men in Chicago outnumber the women by 51,755. The figures are: Males, 878,160; females, 826,415.
Gen. Joseph Wheeler has been placed on the retired list, having reached the age of 64, the war department's service limit.
Prof. De Voe, of Chattanooga, Tenn., predicted the Texas cyclone in an almanac.
Railroad men believe the crippling of Galveston by the tidal wave will increase the importance of Port Arthur as a gulf shipping point.
The Citizens' bank of Evanston, Ill., was robbed of \$3,000 during the noon hour, while the cashier was talking to a stranger in front of the building.
Native Christians confirm reports of wholesale massacres of American and other missionaries in China, and give names as well as descriptions of the awful torture by imperial troops and Boxers.
Emperor Kuang Hsu has appointed Li Hung Chang a special envoy to treat with the powers for peace.
MINOR NEWS ITEMS.
It is reported that Chicago and London firms will invest \$20,000,000 in Colorado mines.
The month of August was the hottest August on record, according to the weather authorities.
Swift & Co., the big Chicago packing firm, has leased the extensive New York plant of the Eastmans company.
Capt. Tuttle, of the revenue cutter Bear, reports that fever and famine threaten to exterminate Alaska natives.
Spirit distillers and distributors have formed a cooperative association embracing all the distilleries in the United States.
The new year at West Point began with 434 cadets on the rolls, the largest number by 60 that was ever at the academy.
The great world's fair that was announced for Brussels in 1905 has been abandoned because of the failure of the Paris exposition.
Of all the line and staff generals in the United States army at present only two, Ludlow and J. M. Wilson, are graduates of West Point.
Lincoln, Neb., made the boast that it has the largest creamery in the world. The institution turns out 30,000 pounds of butter every day.
A Victoria (B. C.) dispatch says that the money has been subscribed for a new railroad from the Great Lakes to the Pacific coast with a branch line to Dawson.
British capitalists have acquired options on more than 1,000,000 acres of oil fields in northern Wyoming and has organized the Western States Oil company of America.
The exports of copper during the month of August, according to returns kept by the metal exchange, were 13,845 tons. This is considerably in excess of the July record.
The steamer Umatilla has arrived in San Francisco from the north, bringing about \$1,500,000 in treasure from the Klondike and Douglas island and a few nuggets from Nome.
This year's apple crop in North America is expected to be the largest ever known. The horticultural statisticians predict from 80,000,000 to 100,000,000 barrels, which will be a supply of more than one barrel for every inhabitant of the United States.

His Idea.—Nephew—"This hotel is run on the European plan." Uncle Josh—"How's that? Do they charge Americans twice as much as anybody else?"—Puck.
Lane's Family Medicine.
Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.
The letter P, like the selfish friend, is first in pity and last in help.—Chicago Daily News.
Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.
It is surprising what a strong case a loafer can make out against an industrious man.—Atchison Globe.
If you want to keep your teeth clean, bright and sound, you will chew White's "Yucatan" Gum. Every confectioner sells it.
The desire for fame has betrayed many an ambitious man into committing indiscretions that forever ruined his reputation.—Chicago Daily News.
Thirty minutes is all the time required to dye with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES. Sold by all druggists.
To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.
The trouble with the air castles girls build is that they are all parlor and music room, with no kitchens attached.—Atchison Globe.
Hall's Catarrh Cure
Is taken Internally. Price 75c.

All Women Know

That ordinary treatment fails to relieve painful periods.
They know Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will and does and has, more than any other medicine.
Every woman knows about Mrs. Pinkham's medicine.
Every woman knows some woman Mrs. Pinkham has cured.
But nine women out of ten put off getting this reliable remedy until their health is nearly wrecked by experiments or neglect!
Then they write to Mrs. Pinkham and she cures them, but of course it takes longer to do so. Don't delay getting help if you are sick.
She has helped a million women. Why not you?

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
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The Real Worth of Our \$3 and \$5 Shoes compared with other makes is \$4 to \$5. Having the largest \$3 and \$5 shoe business in the world, and a perfect system of manufacturing, enables us to produce higher grade shoes and at a lower price than can be had elsewhere. We give our dealer exclusive sale in each town. Take no substitutes! Insist on having W. L. Douglas shoes with name and price stamped on bottom. If your dealer will not get them for you, send direct to factory, enclosing price and the extra for carriage. State kind of leather, size and width, plain or cap toe. Our shoes will reach you anywhere.
Catalogue free.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 11

LIVE STOCK—Steers	4 1/2 @ 5 1/2
Hogs	5 7/8 @ 6 1/2
Sheep	2 50 @ 3 20
FLOUR—Winter Straights	3 45 @ 3 60
Minnesota Patents	4 00 @ 4 20
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	78 1/2 @ 80
September	78 1/2 @ 80
CORN—No. 2	45 1/2 @ 47 1/2
September	45 1/2 @ 47 1/2
OATS—No. 2	27 1/2 @ 28 1/2
BUTTER—Creamery	17 @ 21
Factory	14 @ 16 1/2
CHEESE	10 1/2 @ 10 3/4
EGGS	11 @ 12

CHICAGO

CATTLE—Prime Beef	5 80 @ 6 00
Texas Steers	4 25 @ 5 15
Stockers	2 60 @ 3 50
Feeders	4 00 @ 4 75
Bulls	2 70 @ 3 60
HOGS—Light	5 30 @ 5 75
Rough Packing	5 00 @ 5 25
SHEEP	3 40 @ 3 50
BUTTER—Creamery	16 @ 20 1/2
Dairies	14 1/2 @ 18
EGGS—Fresh	14 @ 15
POTATOES (per bu.)	32 @ 36
PORK—October	11 25 @ 11 55
LARD—October	8 3/4 @ 8 7/4
RIBS—October	7 30 @ 7 45
GRAIN—Wheat, October	73 1/2 @ 74 1/2
Corn, October	38 1/2 @ 39
Oats, October	21 1/2 @ 22 1/2
Rye, No. 2	51 @ 51 1/2
Barley, Feed	37 @ 39

MILWAUKEE

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n	75 1/2 @ 76
Oats, No. 2	25 @ 25 1/2
Rye, No. 1	53 @ 53 1/2
Barley, No. 2	51 @ 52

KANSAS CITY

GRAIN—Wheat, December	66 1/2 @ 67 1/2
Corn, December	32 1/2 @ 33 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White	24 @ 25
Rye, No. 2	44 @ 45

ST. LOUIS

CATTLE—Native Steers	3 50 @ 6 00
Texas Steers	3 25 @ 4 05
HOGS—Packers	5 35 @ 5 55
Butchers	5 35 @ 5 55
SHEEP—Native Muttons	3 50 @ 4 00

OMAHA

CATTLE—Native Steers	3 40 @ 5 80
Cows and Heifers	3 00 @ 4 35
Stockers and Feeders	3 40 @ 4 75
HOGS—Mixed	5 10 @ 5 15
SHEEP—Native Muttons	3 25 @ 3 40

THE UNIVERSITY REGENTS.

Meet in Ann Arbor and Make Appointments in Various Branches of the Institution.

ORDER NEW FURNITURE FOR A HOSPITAL.

Board Fails to Agree with the Auditor General of the State Concerning Vouchers—Plan to Solve the Forestry Problem Proposed by Prof. Charles W. Garfield.

[Special Correspondence.] University of Michigan, Sept. 10.—The board of regents at the meeting held last week appointed Dr. Perry W. Cornue, of Ypsilanti, surgeon of the homeopathic hospital for the first semester of the coming college year. Two other appointments were George K. Burgess, an assistant in the Massachusetts school of technology, instructor in physics, and Edson R. Sutherland, clerk of the practice court in the law department.

To Buy Furniture. The board authorized its secretary, James H. Wade, to purchase the furniture for the new homeopathic hospital. It is expected that the hospital will be ready for occupancy early in October. The plans and specifications of the new science building which is to be erected the coming year were examined by the board.

Old Difficulty Comes Up. The old difficulty between the treasurer's office of the university and the auditor general of the state was brought up. The auditor general assumes the right to refuse to pay the accounts audited by the university officers when in his opinion they are not regular. The regents take the position that they are a constitutional body, ranking with the state legislature and supreme court, and that they are not subject to the red tape regulations adopted by a state officer.

Concerning Vouchers. Among other things the auditor general insists that all vouchers before being paid shall be examined and approved by a majority of the board of regents. This the regents say is an impossibility unless they take up their residence in Ann Arbor and give the greater portion of their time to auditing bills. At the board meeting it was voted to have the finance committee examine the vouchers and forward them to Lansing, and if they are then held up a mandamus will be asked from the supreme court.

The Forestry Problem. President Charles W. Garfield, of the state forestry commission, has evolved a plan which he believes will solve the forestry problem in Michigan and at the same time give the university an opportunity to be useful. In speaking about the scheme the other day he said:

"There are hundreds of thousands of acres of timber lands in the northern part of the lower peninsula which are practically worthless for agricultural purposes, and from which the timber has been cut. The taxes on such lands are so great that in many instances large tracts have been permitted to revert to the state for delinquent taxes. If the owners of some of these tracts, instead of following this method, would deed these lands to the Michigan university for the support of a school of forestry, they would furnish the nucleus of what might develop into a magnificent endowment. Since the university is a state institution, the lands would be exempt from taxation. They are of no use to their present owners, and will never be of much value, except from the forestry standpoint. They are admirably adapted to the growth of forest products if properly handled.

Principal Obligation. "The principal obligation of the university is to be useful to the state, and once having these lands in its possession, with the opportunity of developing forest wealth upon them, success with them would mean an object lesson of very great value to the state. The more wisdom and forethought and technical knowledge put into the solution of the forestry problem the larger would be the value of the endowment to the university, and the greater the assistance to the state in solving one of its most serious and difficult questions.

"In ten years, by the natural growth of the trees, the land could be made self-supporting by cuttings for fence posts, and small telegraph poles could be taken out in abundance, thus giving an ever-increasing cash value to the university.

Responsibility Not Met. "I believe that the legislature would be willing to assist in such a plan, and turn over to the university any lands to which the state has a title, and which are in the vicinity of lands donated by individuals. The state is in possession of these lands, and with them has a responsibility concerning the future, which has not yet been met. The lands themselves would in time provide for a chair of forestry at the university. We have plenty of lumbermen in Michigan, but we have no foresters. These men must either be imported or educated. If we import them and secure the highest skill, we must go outside of the United States, and no matter how well educated a forester may be in Europe, he finds here a new set of conditions, and will have to be educated all over again.

Added Wealth to the State. "The most logical way to take hold of this question is to educate some experts, and while this is being done, the state forestry commission and experiment station can assist. If such a plan were put in operation and the management were economical, the result would be added wealth to the state that would become greater with each year."

R. H. E.

A NEW INDUSTRY.

Michigan Capitalists Are Investing Extensively in the Manufacture of Portland Cement.

The state board of Michigan is rapidly forging to the front in the manufacture of Portland cement. Nearly every section of the Lower Peninsula is represented by plants either in operation or projected—at Bronson, Burr Oak, Quincy, Coldwater, Mosherville, Montgomery, Hillsdale, Woodstock, Brooklyn, Three Rivers, Battle Creek, Union City, Kalamazoo, Wayland, Grand Rapids, Muskegon, Newago, Fremont, Baldwin, Elk Rapids, Alpena, Holly, Fenton, and other points. The product is said to be equal to the best imported article.

The productions of the mills already is sufficient to offset the entire importation, and it is only a question of a short time when the Michigan mills will be exporting goods in competition with the foreign article. The entire demand along the Atlantic seaboard could now be supplied from Michigan points if the railroads would give the matter attention and make as low rates on east-bound freights as is usually made on west-bound freight of this class. This is bound to take place in the near future, whether the railroads take hold of the matter in the right way or not.

As soon as the mills projected at lake points get in operation the low water rates in connection with the reduced prices will enable them to command the entire seaboard trade. Detroit is the center of interest in these enterprises. The securities of perhaps 20 or more projected manufacturers are now being offered on the market there.

As usual, sharpers are on hand with various schemes, and are offering securities in corporations capitalized for large sums and making great claims. Despite these rotten schemes, the Portland cement business is immensely profitable, and Michigan alone will be in position within the next two years to supply the entire demand of the United States.

MUST WEAR HATS.

The Pastor of St. Mary's Church in Lansing Objects to Women Attending Services Bareheaded.

Rev. Lafayette I. Brancheau, pastor of St. Mary's church, one of the largest in the Detroit diocese, is opposed to women appearing without hats in church, basing his declaration that the practice is against the law of God upon the fifth verse of the eleventh chapter of St. Paul's first epistle to the Corinthians, which reads as follows:

"But every woman that prayeth or propheseth with her head uncovered dishonoreth her head, for that is even all one as if she were shaven."

On a recent Sunday two women appeared without hats at one of the services in Father Brancheau's church. The priest made no comment at the time, but since then he told his congregation that the practice was against the rules of the church and objectionable to God. He declared that should the incident be repeated he would be compelled to request the offenders either to put on their hats or leave the church.

BALKS AT THE RING.

A Woman in Kalamazoo Refuses to Marry Because Groom Furnished a Cheap Cinct.

Mrs. Cora B. Erard, a bride to be, refused to marry Charles Miller in Kalamazoo because the wedding ring which he proposed to slip on her finger was a cheap affair. The officiating minister and guests were on hand, but the bride refused at the last moment. The woman met Miller on the street and spoke to him, mistaking him for another. They became acquainted and were finally engaged. She was so much infatuated that she went to the county clerk's office with Miller and paid for the marriage license. But when he bought a cheap ring she gave him up. She is a widow with five children.

Tries to End Life.

An inmate of the jail in Homer, who gave his name as Homer Powers, his charge as 38, said that he lived in Chicago as 38, tried twice to hang himself, making ropes of his shirt and the bed clothes. The attempts were both unsuccessful and the man was in the care of Deputy Sheriff James. He reached town and was locked up because he was suffering from delirium tremens.

Will Collect Pictures.

Under a resolution of the common council the recorder of Bay City has prepared a list of the former mayors of Bay City, and they or their relatives will be invited to contribute to the city life size portraits of themselves for hanging in the council chamber. There have been 15 mayors since Bay City was incorporated. Of these only eight are now living.

Too Much Salt.

The large salt plant of the Anchor Salt company closed its doors in Ludington for an indefinite period, the reason being that the product is a drug on the market and the local docks and warehouses are filled to overflowing.

HOME FROM CHINA.

Herbert House, of Saugatuck, Gives an Interesting Explanation of the Cause of the Trouble There.

Herbert E. House, of Saugatuck, arrived in Grand Rapids direct from China, where he had a narrow escape from the Boxers. He has for three years been a tutor for the son of Yung Shi Kai, governor of the province of Shan Tung, where the Boxer movement originated. The governor was commander of the government troops of that province, and greatly hated by the Boxers because of his friendship for foreigners. Just before the outbreaks of the Boxers the governor told House that he did not dare to keep him any longer, and advised him to escape. An escort was given him to Tientsin, and he left the country immediately.

An explanation of the Boxer movement is offered by Mr. House which is interesting, since he learned of it through personal experience. He says:

"There is in China what is known as the 'Society Literati,' and that the members are writers who correspond more than anything else to the scribes in the ancient times, when the Hebrew nation was strong. They teach the doctrines of Confucius, and sell the manuscripts of his teachings. With the coming of Christianity and civilization their means of obtaining a living was cut off in many provinces and the members of the society, mad with rage over the loss of their pupils, instigated in every corner of the country the feeling against the foreigners. He says the 'Literati' was able because of its numbers and because it was scattered all over the country, to incite the people easily.

WILL BE PLENTIFUL.

Partridge and Quail Have Been Well Protected by Game Wardens During the Open Season.

Game Warden Morse in his report for August says:

The active patrol maintained in both peninsulas afforded splendid protection to our wild life, which usually suffers its greatest loss during August. The warden says that water fowl has been protected through the open season with less slaughter than in any previous year in the history of game protection in Michigan.

Partridge and quail have suffered very little, and the fields and forests are filled with large flocks of young birds in the best of condition, which the warden hopes to be able to protect through the remaining 50 days of the closed season.

During the past month 102 cases were reported and investigated, the result being 42 results, 14 being for violation of the game laws, and 28 for violations of the fish laws. The cases brought resulted in 23 convictions, three acquittals and three dismissals, with eight cases still pending. There were 14 seizures in the month, the aggregate values of the property confiscated being \$267.71. The total of fines and costs imposed was \$374.10.

FOUND HIS DAUGHTER.

John Ireland, a Civil War Veteran, Discovers a Child in Okemos After Separation of 38 Years.

A father and a daughter who had been separated for 38 years were reunited in Okemos. John Ireland, a native of England came to this country in 1848 and settled in New York. When the war broke out he enlisted and went to the front, leaving his family behind him. He was in most of the noted battles and served until peace was declared. When he returned to New York city he was unable to find his family, and drifted west, finally settling in Kansas.

During the G. A. R. encampment in Chicago Mr. Ireland learned that his daughter was living in Okemos, and he lost no time in going there. Her name is Mrs. Elgerly. The meeting between the father and daughter was very affecting. Mrs. Elgerly was only seven years old when her father went to the front. He is now 72 years old.

Will Begin at Once.

Gov. Pingree, Attorney General Oren, Tax Commissioners Campbell and Freeman and Prof. Cooley had a conference at the executive office in Lansing and arranged to have Prof. Cooley enter at once upon the task of having the value of the property and franchises of the railroads of Michigan appraised. The tax commission will have general supervision of the work, which will be in the immediate charge of Prof. Cooley, who will, within a few days, submit a plan of procedure in detail.

Must Pay in Advance.

Hereafter persons desiring to commence civil actions in the justice courts in Lansing will be required to pay the several officials' fees in advance. The local justices, constables and deputy sheriffs have acquired so many bad debts through being accommodating in the matter of issuing and serving papers that they have signed a compact to exact payment in advance in every case from now on.

Given Final Warning.

A year ago there were 114 physicians practicing in Berrien county who were not graduates of any regular school of medicine. Now, thanks to the law passed by the last legislature and its enforcement by the state board of registration, there are only about 15 such left, and these have been given a final warning to get out.



AN INDIANA ROMANCE.

Fifty Years Ago Phoebe Meeks Left Her Sweetheart and Has Ever Since Been a Recluse.

If Phoebe Meeks should open her door and look out upon the town of Brookville, Ind., she would not recognize it. Forty-six years have wrought many changes, and it has been that long since Phoebe Meeks retired to her home and closed the doors behind her. Fifty-six years ago she was a fresh and blooming girl; now she is an old woman and dying. Still the mystery of her long seclusion is unsolved.

There have been well to do Meekses ever since the town of Brookville was founded. In 1835 Phoebe Meeks was the belle of the village. Her father owned much rich land, and Phoebe's gardens about her home were the talk of everyone. In it the merriest of garden parties were held, and Phoebe was a most charming hostess.

Hadley Johnson had neither money nor lands, nor family tradition; yet he sought the dainty Phoebe, and declared his love for her. Phoebe wore a sparkling ring on her finger, and after the engagement was announced there was one round of pleasure.

One day there was a Sunday school picnic and all of Brookville went. When the party returned home Hadley Johnson and Phoebe Meeks walked together in advance of the other strollers, and found a seat in a wooded spot to rest. Suddenly Phoebe left the side of her lover and presently a little white figure was seen flitting down the road. This was the last time that Phoebe Meeks was seen by the villagers.

For four years Hadley Johnson stayed in Brookville, and every day sent a pleading message to his sweetheart to see him, but she would not receive him. Then the disappointed young man went away.

The Meeks home that had been the scene of so much gaiety began to be regarded by the villagers in the light of a tomb. Travelers journeyed to the place to see where the pretty young girl had shut herself up.

Some years after Phoebe's retirement the family fortunes became so



PHOEBE MEEKS, 56 YEARS AGO.

depleted that it was necessary for the Meeks sisters to do something to add to the income. The spacious library was opened as a millinery shop, and many customers went to it with the hope of seeing Phoebe and learning something of the reason for her mysterious action. But there was no sign of the woman except in the dainty touch that was shown in the bonnets of her trimming.

The news of the misfortunes of the Meeks sisters reached Hadley Johnson, and he went back to the old home. Phoebe's sister met him, and welcomed him, but without a glimpse of his old sweetheart he returned to the new home he had made for himself in the west.

This man was one of the presidential electors from the state of Utah at its first national election. Last year he died, never having married, and never having divulged—if he knew—Phoebe Meeks' reason for shunning him and all the balance of the world.

Professors of the Brookville college have boarded in the Meeks home, and they have told of the remarkable intellect of Phoebe Meeks, who read and studied all the deepest books she could borrow from them. The dainty handiwork of the strange recluse has found its way many times to the Woman's exchange, and when a magazine was started in Brookville Phoebe Meeks sent to the editor's office a beautifully-kept record of all the births and deaths that had occurred in the county for more than half a century, which showed that she had kept posted upon the happenings of the outside world.

A Sure Sign.

"Has your daughter already accomplished something in music?" "Well, I don't want to be too confident, but two tenants have left already."—N. Y. World.

AN AMIABLE DUCHESS.

Her Grace of Sutherland Is Immensely Popular in England as Well as in Scotland.

Every inch a duchess is her tall, fair grace of Sutherland. No woman in England is more intelligent and modern in her ideas, enjoys more varied interests and graces her strawberry-leaved coronet with a more conscientious endeavor to do what is becoming and worthy of a woman and a peeress. The duchess springs from a noble family of Rosslyn, and two of her sisters, the countess of Warwick and Lady Angela Forbes, are as famous for their brains and beauty, as she.

Not only does she come of one of the richest Scottish families, but,



TIED DUCHESS AND LADY ROSEMARY.

after a year in society, she married the richest young bachelor duke in England. She is the mistress of five superb homes, and in London, at Stafford house, and in the north country, at Dunrobin castle, she is reckoned one of the handsomest and most powerful social leaders of English society. In spite of her riches and the adulation that is her share, this tall, slender and gracious woman takes a deeper interest in scientific philanthropy, the education of children and the cause of woman suffrage than in balls and dinners.

Under her patronage the cottage industries of Scotland have enjoyed a remarkable prosperity. In the big cities of Scotland, in London, and even in New York, she has established shops that do a fine business in the extensive manufactures of the Scottish peasantry. Perhaps, if she is something of a socialist, like her older sister, the countess of Warwick, she is very consistent in her creed, and at her castle in the north she is tenderly loved by the poorer classes, in her relations with which she is both sensible and sincere.

The greater portion of the duchess' time is spent at Dunrobin leading a very simple life with her small family, tramping and riding about in a rough, short-skirted tweed gown, followed by her dogs and accompanied very often by her blond-headed little daughter, Lady Rosemary, who wears heavy boots and dull knickerbockers, who has a playmate in every cottager's child, and who is firmly grounded in the belief that a duke's daughter is no better than a farmer's, only more lucky.

Old-Fashioned Raised Cake.

An old-fashioned recipe for raised cake is the following: Two cupfuls light sponge, one cupful sugar, one-half cupful butter, two well-beaten eggs, one cupful stoned raisins, flour, half a nutmeg, grated, one-half teaspoonful soda dissolved in a little water. Make into a loaf or loaves, and when light bake in rather slow oven, as it scorches easily. If desired, cover it with a milk icing, for which use ten teaspoonfuls sweet milk, 1½ cupfuls sugar. Boil six minutes, take from stove and stir until quite white, flavor, spread quickly with a knife dipped in cold water.

An Ornamental Lamp Shade.

Did it ever strike you that with an old parasol cover and a little cheap lace you can make a charming lamp shade for your own special sanctum? If the silk is dirty scrub it with soap and water, rinsing it afterward before you take it off the frame. If you don't possess a frame for the shade, get a length of fairly strong wire and twist one for yourself. It is quite easy to do if you have another one at which you can peep for a guide, and it is wonderful how a pretty lamp shade improves the look of one's room.

How to Prepare Stuffed Ham.

Scrape and wash a medium-sized ham in cold water. Put in boiler and cover with cold water and let boil 15 minutes for every pound. Make a dressing of one pound of stale bread crumbs, a quarter of a pound of butter, one teaspoonful each of ground cloves, allspice, nutmeg, ginger, mace, celery seed and salt, with half a teaspoonful of brown sugar and a tablespoonful of made mustard.—Chicago Daily News.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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For Governor—
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For Superintendent Public Instruction—
DELOS FALL, of Calhoun.
For State Board of Education—
JAMES H. THOMPSON, of Osceola.
For Member of Congress, Second Congressional District—
HENRY C. SMITH, of Lenawee.

The following good words anent H. Wirt Newkirk's candidacy for a re-election to the position he has so ably occupied as probate judge of Washtenaw county are taken from the Dexter Leader:

"During a visit to the county capital the editor of the Leader made inquiries of a number of prominent Republicans as to the status of Judge Newkirk's campaign and the feelings with which it is being received. We were gratified to learn that while all professed the highest esteem for Col. Dean as a gentleman and a Republican, they thought that Judge Newkirk, by his ability and careful attention to the duties of his office, had ample claims to re-election, and they declared their intention to give him warm support. While they deeply regret the split in the party, they do not feel that it is just to make the Judge the scapegoat for other people's shortcomings—an opinion in which we heartily concur."

And there are others in all parts of the county and in every precinct of it who feel just as warmly towards Judge Newkirk and will work just as hard for his election as his friends in Ann Arbor will.

As the campaign advances it becomes more and more evident that the friends of good government, true patriotism, sound money and protection to American interests are uniting to oppose those who stand for the reverse of these civic virtues.

It is reported that D. J. Campan has informed his fellow members of the Democratic national committee that the Republican party cannot lose Michigan this fall. Mr. Campan is a true prophet.

Governor Roosevelt's trip through Michigan Thursday, Friday and Saturday was one long continued ovation. Thousands turned out everywhere to do honor to him and the Republican party.

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Prohibition County Convention.

The Prohibition electors of the county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, will meet in mass convention in room fourteen (14), Savings Bank Block, Ann Arbor, at 3 p. m. Saturday, Sept. 15, 1900, for the purpose of placing in nomination a county ticket; the election of delegates to the district convention; the election of a county committee, and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before them.

By order of County Committee.

L. D. CARL, Chairman.

A GRAND COURSE

Of Entertainments Have Been Secured for This Winter's Enjoyment.

Arrangements have been perfected whereby the People's Popular Course of Entertainments which proved such a success in Chelsea during the amusement season 1899 1900 will be a prominent feature during the coming season of 1900-1901. The entertainments provided last year were exceptionally good and the ten numbers that have been secured for this year are even better than they. The only company that will have a return engagement are the Lovett's Boston Stars who were the second choice in the voting which took place at the last entertainment of last year's course. The first choice was the Park Sisters, but owing to the marriage of two of the young ladies, the company has broken up.

The entertainments this year will commence Friday, Oct. 26, and will end Monday, April 1, 1901. The attractions and the dates on which they are to be here are given below:

Oct. 26, 1900—The Ernest Gamble Concert Co.: Mr Ernest Gamble, basso; Mme. Cecilia G. Bailey, soprano; Miss Ruth Anderson, violinist; Edwin M. Shonert, pianist.

Nov. 13—Hon. G. A. Gearhart, of Buffalo, will lecture on "The Coming Man."

Dec. 17—Spillman Riggs, humorous lecturer, solo whistler and musical impersonator.

Jan. 2, 1901—The Stephenson String Quartette, assisted by Wallace Bruce Ambury, reader. The quartette comprises Miss Lalla Stephenson, violin; Miss Elsie Stephenson, violin; Miss Clara Stephenson, violoncello; Mrs. Etta Hunter Stephenson, piano.

Jan. 11—The Ottumwas (male quartet): Edward Weeks, first tenor; B. B. Brock, second tenor and accompanist; E. W. Peterson, baritone; George W. Iott, basso and musical director. They will be assisted by Miss Addie Chase Smith, reciter.

Feb. 18—The platform prince, Dr. A. A. Willis, the successful lecturer of two generations, the only one of the four great lecturers, Henry Ward Beecher, Wendell Phillips, John B. Gough and A. A. Willis, who still survives, and who has been lecturing for 40 years, in his great lecture on "Sunshine." Dr. Willis is known as the "Apostle of Sunshine."

Feb. 26—The Parker Concert Co.: Miss Elizabeth Hanson, soprano and mandolin; Miss Beatrice Mori, mezzo soprano and guitar; Miss Juanita Boynton, mezzo contralto, reader and piano; Miss Maybelle Perry, alto and violin; Mrs. C. M. Parker, contralto and banjo; C. M. Parker, conductor.

March 6—Edward H. Frye, monologist, in a repertoire of "Rip Van Winkle," "David Harum," and "Across the Atlantic."

March 13—Lovett's Boston Stars, (return engagement): Frank H. Reynolds, singing humorist; Miss Katharine Hutchinson, soprano; Miss Georgia Harvey, reader; Miss Emma F. Donham, violinist.

April 1—Durno Emmett Combination: Durno, the magician; Hugh J. Emmett, in artistic violin solos, and imitations, comic singer, reciter and ventriloquist; McGibben Kimbrough, musical freak, pianist and accompanist.

The tickets for this admirable course of entertainments will be \$1 each. Arrangements for the securing of reserved seats and the prices for same will be announced later.

Democratic Delegates.

The following were the delegates elected at the Democratic caucus Saturday to attend the county convention: G. W. Beckwith, W. R. Lehman, Frank Leach, H. Lighthall, J. E. McKune, Geo. P. Staffan, Geo. W. Boynton, John P. Foster, Bert Taylor, F. H. Sweetland, Wm. Schatz, C. E. Whitaker, Jas. S. Gorman.

The delegates to the first district representative convention to be held at Ann Arbor, Sept. 29, are: Henry Gorton, Jas. Taylor; H. Lighthall, J. S. Gorman, D. Shell, C. E. Whitaker, Herman Schaeble, Geo. W. Boynton, John Weber, Peter Merkle, Joseph Heim, Louis Emmer, Joseph L. Sibley.

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An Unfortunate Family.

There is a family of four children named Wagner in Ann Arbor who are very unfortunate in breaking their limbs. The little four years old daughter has had her collar bone broken twice; the next brother older broke his leg eight weeks ago; another was thrown from his bicycle a short time ago and broke his arm, and the fourth has broken his right arm four times in different places, the last breakage happening Sunday when he was thrown from his bicycle.

LOCAL AND COUNTY ITEMS.

John Breitenbach, of Waterloo, has purchased a new bean thresher.

Miss Edith Congdon has been circulating a petition among the business men to have the stores close at 7:30 p. m.

Wilbur McLaren, of Lima, recently threshed 614 bushels of wheat from 80 acres of land. A little over 12 bushels to the acre, but it is the best yield reported hereabouts.

James Turnbull, of Alpena, brother of George W. Turnbull, died at his home in that city Tuesday after a six months' illness. George W. Turnbull went there yesterday to attend the funeral.

Prof. A. A. Hall, of Stockbridge, formerly superintendent of the Chelsea schools, who represented the second district of Ingham county in the state legislature the past two years, will not be a candidate for re-election. He does not want it.

Elected Its Old Officers.

At the regular meeting of Olive Chapter, No. 108, O. E. S., held Wednesday evening of last week, all the old officers with the exception of treasurer were re-elected as follows:

Worthy Matron—Mrs. H. S. Holmes.
Worthy Patron—Roland B. Waltrous.
Associate Matron—Mrs. Ruth Waltrous.
Secretary—Mrs. R. S. Armstrong.
Treasurer—Mrs. Geo. H. Mitchell.
Conductress—Mrs. S. G. Bush.
Associate Conductress—Miss Mabel Gilham.

The appointive officers will also be as last year.

Michigan Central Excursions.

Order Eastern Star, Grand Chapter meeting, Port Huron, Oct. 19 and 21. One fare for round trip.

Commencing Aug. 5, and until otherwise advised, ticket agents are authorized to sell Sunday excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip. No adult rate to be less than 25 cents.

The Michigan Central will run a week-end excursion to Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo and Three Rivers, Saturday, Sept. 15. Train leaves Chelsea at 8:45 a. m. Fare for the round trip \$1.50. Tickets good to return up to the early morning trains leaving those places on Monday, Sept. 17.

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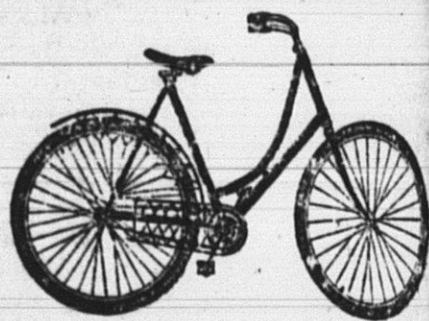
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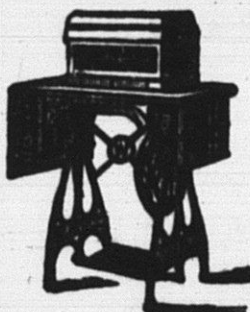
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LOCAL AND COUNTY ITEMS.

J. P. Wood & Co. started their force of bean pickers to work Monday.

Mrs. Lucy A. Stephens is teaching in the Savage district in Lyndon this year.

For 25 cents we will send the Herald to any new subscriber from now until Jan. 1, 1901.

Frank Penn has signed a contract to teach school in the Martin Howe district, Lyndon.

A new cement crosswalk has been laid on North Main street, from the laundry to the Chelsea House.

Sam Trouton has moved into the house lately occupied by James Harrington next to the engine house.

One of the chemical engines belonging to the village has been sold to the village of Harrisville for \$450.

Dr. E. H. Mensel, assistant professor of German at the U. of M., visited the Chelsea schools Monday morning.

Between 140 and 150 tickets were sold yesterday morning at the M. C. depot for the Maccabee excursion to Jackson.

The Western Washtenaw Farmers Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweetland, Thursday next, Sept. 20.

Dr. G. E. Hathaway's new house on Park street has got the first coat of plaster on it and is being pushed rapidly to completion.

The first load of new beans was brought to town Friday by C. C. Forner, of Lima. J. P. Wood & Co. bought it and paid \$1.35 a bushel.

Dr. P. W. Cornue, of Ypsilanti, has been appointed professor of surgery in the homeopathic department of the University of Michigan.

Next Sunday being conference Sunday there will be no preaching services in the M. E. church. Sunday school and Epworth League meeting will be held as usual.

James W. Robison, of Ann Arbor, was in Chelsea Tuesday looking for a team of horses for use in his hack and livery business. He has his eye on Jacob Hummel's grey team.

Over 100 Chelsea people accompanied by the Chelsea Band went to Jackson Friday afternoon to see and hear Col. Theodore Roosevelt, the Republican vice-presidential candidate.

During the past year the Chelsea M. F. church raised more money for benevolent purposes than in any former year. The amount raised was \$516, besides \$40 worth of supplies sent to missionaries.

Miss Mabel McGuinness will teach this year in the Youngs district, Lyndon, and Miss Tillie Hummel has secured a school four miles south of Saline. Both young ladies commenced teaching Monday.

The marriage of Miss Esther V. Reade to Dr. William Wylie is announced to take place at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. George C. Reade, of North Lake, next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

The Washtenaw Republican is to be launched on the sea of journalism in Ann Arbor next Saturday. As its name implies it is Republican in politics and is to be edited by Alvin A. Pearson, formerly editor of the Ann Arbor Courier.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold their annual thank offering meeting in the church parlors next Wednesday, Sept. 19, both afternoon and evening. Supper will be served from 5 to 7:30 o'clock, after which an entertaining program will be given.

Manchester Chapter, O. E. S., will visit Olive Chapter, of this village, tomorrow (Friday) evening. Supper will be served to the visitors and Chelsea members of the order at 6 o'clock sharp in the town hall. The work of conferring the degree will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

Ann Arbor has purchased seven Abbott voting machines and will use them in the coming election. The contract makes the sale of the machines dependent on their successful use at that time. Voting schools in all the wards of the city will be held for four days preceding the election.

Many reports come in of cherry trees leafing and blossoming for the second time this year. Mort Campbell showed the Herald a large bunch of blossoms and leaves the other day which he had picked from trees that had gone bare of leaves four weeks ago. On the Beulah home farm at Leoni a second crop of cherries is now ripening.

Tuesday night's wind storm was quite destructive hereabout. Small limbs and branches of trees were scattered promiscuously on lawns and streets yesterday morning. A large maple tree in front of Dr. H. H. Avery's was split in two and ruined as a shade tree. Fruit trees were in many cases entirely divested of their crops and the prospect for a good lot of winter apples has gone a-glimmering.

The Lenawee county fair will be held at Adrian Sept. 24-26.

Lafayette grange meets with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wilson, in Lima, today.

Rev. Charles O. Reilly preached the sermon at St. Mary's church last Sunday morning.

There are just two more children of school age in Dexter this year than there were last year.

Charles D. Leach has moved back to Paw Paw from whence he came here something over a year ago.

Miss Florence Martin entertained a number of young lady friends at her home on East street Monday afternoon.

The sisterhood of the Congregational church cleared \$18 from the sale of ice cream in the Winaus store Saturday evening.

The C. E. society will have a social at the home of Mrs. H. S. Holmes Friday evening, Sept. 21. Full announcement will be given next week.

At the Roosevelt demonstration in Jackson Friday the Chelsea Band had the honor of heading the procession as it marched to the speakers' stand.

Henry Howard left the employ of the H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co. Saturday night and Bert Gerard is now clerking in the clothing department of the store.

The grand stand which is being moved from the fair grounds to be made over into a storehouse for Holmes & Gilbert is well down on West Middle street now.

The banns of marriage between Michael Schanz, jr., and Miss Bertha Spenser, both of Lima, were published last Sunday in St. Mary's church. The wedding will take place in two weeks.

What is the reason that the average woman will spend a half day getting the flies out of the house and then in saying good bye to a caller will stand for an hour holding the screen door open?

The German ladies society of St. Paul's church is indebted to Mrs. D. Wacker, of Lima, for the pleasant afternoon they spent at her residence last Friday. After service and transaction of business, etc., a delicious supper was served.

The Olivet college scholarship subscribed by members of the Chelsea Congregational church has been awarded to Miss Edith Bacon, and the high school scholarship to the college has been awarded to Miss Corn Noyes. Both the young ladies 1 ft for Olivet today.

Miss Nellie Baron made application for a position as teacher of the primary grade in the Evansville, Wis., schools. Friday evening she received a telegram to report for duty Monday morning as she had been unanimously elected to the position. She left for Evansville Saturday morning.

Colin E. Babcock, of Grass Lake, has bought the house where he resides on North Lake street, in that village, from Mrs. Mary Lyon. He paid \$800 for it and it is considered a big bargain as the property, which includes a large brick house and brick barn, cost \$4,500 originally.

Congressional Candidate Loennecker has announced his congressional committee, as follows: Jackson county, James Frank; Monroe county, Fred C. Nadeau; Monroe; Lenawee county, Dr. Jewett Williams; Adrian; Washtenaw county, Walter Mack; Ann Arbor; Wayne county, J. McInerney, Wyandotte.

A couple of freight cars got off the track in the M. C. yard Saturday afternoon. For a time they afforded considerable speculation to the bystanders as to how they would be got on again, but when the trainmen got to work at them it was only a question of a few minutes work until they were dropped back on the track by means of the elevated frogs that were used.

The Bethel's church in Freedom celebrated its 60th anniversary and held its annual mission festival Sunday. The organization of this church was the result of the labors of the great home missionary, the late Rev. Frederick Schmid, of Ann Arbor. The choir of the Bethel hem Evangelical church, Ann Arbor, assisted at the three services held. Addresses were delivered by Dr. F. Mayer and Rev. G. Eisen, of Detroit, Rev. J. Reichert, of Adrian, Rev. John Neumann, of Ann Arbor, and Rev. H. Greuter, of Saline.

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HAVOC OF THE STORM.

No Exaggeration in Early Reports of the Disaster in Texas.

Death List at Galveston May Reach 5,000—Many Soldiers Perish—Property Loss Placed at Between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 11.—From the latest reports which are considered reliable the disaster at Galveston and along the coast has not been exaggerated. The waters of the gulf and bay met, covering the island to a depth of six to twelve feet. During this sudden flood a most terrible storm was raging, the wind blowing about 80 miles per hour. Many of the dead have been uncovered; others are still under the debris; others carried out to sea. It is not possible to give, at this time, a reliable report as to the number of deaths. From estimates made by reliable persons who have just come from Galveston, it is believed that no less than 1,500, and possibly as many as 5,000, people were destroyed. Of course, the wounded and broken are numerous. The damage to property is most shocking.

Some of the best public buildings and private establishments were wrecked. Thousands of homes were swept entirely away. It is quite safe to set this down as one of the greatest disasters that has ever visited the United States. The loss of property is irreparable; the loss of life is appalling.

A Prompt Response.

Gov. Sayers appealed to President McKinley for aid. This appeal was met with a prompt response from the president, who stated that 10,000 tents and 50,000 rations had been ordered to Galveston. Gov. Sayers also addressed an appeal to each municipality in the state, asking for prompt assistance in caring for the sufferers.

Telegrams of inquiry and sympathy have been pouring in from every state in the union, and in almost every instance substantial relief has been offered.

The stricken city is in imminent danger of a water famine, and strenuous efforts are making here to supply the sufferers. Relief trains are being organized and will leave here at an early hour to-day.

Reports from the interior confirm the loss of life and destruction of property reported in these dispatches Sunday night.

A Resume.

Some figures showing the appalling nature of the disaster are given below:

Total property loss.....	\$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000
Dead at Galveston (estimated).....	1,000 to 5,000
Following is the estimated number of dead at other places:	
Dickerson.....	9
Texas City Junction.....	5
Richmond.....	5
Booth.....	3
Beasley.....	4
Letitia.....	1
East Bernard.....	3
Houston.....	1
Virginia Point.....	7
Morgan's Point.....	7
Brazoria.....	6
Fulshear.....	1
Rosenberg.....	1
Angleton.....	2
Oyster Creek.....	2
Sabine Pass.....	3
Texas City.....	3
Brookshire.....	4
Seabrooke.....	4
La Porte.....	2
Alvin.....	6
Southwest Pass.....	6
G. C. & S. F. R. wreck.....	1

In the following places no deaths are reported to have occurred, but the property loss is heavy: Hockley, Waller, Hearne, Cypress, Hempstead, La Marque, Genoa, Clear Creek, Webster, Eagle Lake.

Soldiers Perish.

A special to the News from San Antonio, Tex., says: At military headquarters, department of Texas, the information is that of 120 men stationed at Fort San Jacinto, Galveston, only 15 escaped. Further information is that the captain in command is among the victims. Lieut. Col. C. S. Roberts, adjutant general department of Texas, is in Galveston on a tour of inspection. It is not known if he is among the small number at the fort who escaped.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 11.—The News staff correspondent, who has just arrived in Houston from Galveston, confirms the story that there was great loss of life among the United States regulars.

Scenes Beggar Description.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 11.—Starting as soon as the water began to recede the Houston Post correspondent with others began the work of rescuing the wounded and dying from the ruins of their homes. The scenes that were presented cannot be told of in a prosaic manner. It is not possible to do it. Screaming women, bruised and bleeding, some of them bearing the lifeless forms of children in their arms, men broken-hearted and sobbing, bewailing the loss of their wives and children; streets filled with floating rubbish, among which there were many bodies of the victims of the storm, constituted part of the scene. In every direction as far as the eye could reach the scene of desolation and destruction continued.

The bodies of four white persons and seven colored were found in the first story of W. J. Reitmeyer's residence in the morning. Reitmeyer and family were in the second story and escaped.

Mrs. J. B. Treadwell and infant,

Mrs. C. T. Clark and infant, Mrs. A. Longnecker, Mrs. Beveridge and two children. Mrs. G. M. Schroeder and four children and the mother of United States Deputy Marshal Wood were all lost in one building. Mr. Longnecker escaping with serious injuries.

Seven members of the Wensmore family, residing in the East end, were killed, as were Mr. and Mrs. Schuler and five children.

"Francois," a well-known waiter, reports the loss of 23 persons who took refuge in his house. Six of them were members of his family.

Capt. R. H. Peck, city engineer, wife and five children perished.

Thirteen were killed in one building on Eighth and Broadway. Dominick Porrette is the only one of the party who lives to tell the tale.

A GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION.

Story of the Storm in Galveston by an Eye-Witness.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 11.—Richard Spillane, a well-known Galveston newspaper man who reached Houston Monday after a terrible experience, gives the following account of the disaster at Galveston:

"The wreck of Galveston was brought about by a tempest so terrible that no words can adequately describe its intensity and by a flood which turned the city into a raging sea. The weather bureau records show that the wind attained a velocity of 84 miles an hour when the measuring instrument blew away, so it is impossible to tell what was the maximum. The storm began at two o'clock Saturday morning. Previous to that a great storm had been raging in the gulf and the tide was very high. The wind at first came from the north and was in direct opposition to the force from the gulf. While the storm in the gulf piled the water upon the beach side of the city, the north wind piled the water from the bay on to the bay part of the city.

Residents Alarmed.

"About noon it became evident that the city was going to be visited with disaster. Hundreds of residences along the beach front were hurriedly abandoned, the families fleeing to dwellings in higher portions of the city. Every home was opened to the refugees, black or white. The winds were rising constantly and it rained in torrents. The wind was so fierce that the rain cut like a knife.

The City Submerged.

"By five o'clock the waters of the gulf and bay met, and by dark the entire city was submerged. The flooding of the electric light plant and the gas plants left the city in darkness. To go upon the streets was to court death. The wind was then at cyclonic velocity, roofs, chimneys, portions of buildings, telegraph poles and walls were falling and the noise of the winds and the crashing of the buildings were terrifying in the extreme. The wind and waters rose steadily from dark until 1:45 o'clock Sunday morning. During all this time the people of Galveston were like rats in traps. The highest portion of the city was four to five feet under water, while in the great majority of cases the streets were submerged to a depth of ten feet. To leave a house was to drown. To remain was to court death in the wreckage.

A Night of Agony.

"Such a night of agony has seldom been equaled. Without apparent reason the waters suddenly began to subside at 1:45 a. m. Within 20 minutes they had gone down two feet and before daylight the streets were practically freed of the flood waters. In the meantime the wind had veered to the southeast. Very few if any buildings escaped injury. There is hardly a habitable dry house in the city. When the people who had escaped death went out at daylight to view the work of the tempest and the floods they saw the most horrible sights imaginable. In the three blocks from Avenue N to Avenue P, in Tremont street, I saw eight bodies. Four corpses were in one yard.

"The whole of the business front for three blocks in from the gulf was stripped of every vestige of habitation, the dwellings, the great bathing establishments, the Olympia and every structure having been either carried out to sea or its ruins piled in a pyramid far into the town, according to the vagaries of the tempest.

Great Buildings Wrecked.

"The first hurried glance over the city showed that the largest structures, supposed to be the most substantially built, suffered the greatest. The orphan's home, Twenty-first street and Avenue M, fell like a house of cards. How many dead children and refugees are in the ruins could not be ascertained. Of the sick in St. Mary's infirmary, together with the attendants, only eight are understood to have been saved. The old woman's home, on Rosenberg avenue, collapsed, the Rosenberg school house is a mass of wreckage. The Ball high school is but an empty shell, crushed and broken. Every church in the city, with possibly one or two exceptions, is in ruins.

"At the forts nearly all the soldiers are reported dead. They having been in temporary quarters, which gave them no protection against the tempest or the flood. "The bay front from end to end is in ruins. Nothing but piling and the wreck of great warehouses remain. The elevators lost all their superworks and their stocks are damaged by water. The life saving station at Fort Point was carried away, the crew being swept across the bay 14 miles to Texas City. I saw Capt. Haines yesterday, and he told me that his wife and one of his crew were drowned.

At Texas City.

"The shores at Texas City contain enough wreckage to rebuild a city. Eight persons who were swept across the bay during the storm were picked up there alive. Five corpses were also picked up. There were three fatalities in Texas City. In addition to the living and the dead which the storm cast up at Texas City, caskets and coffins from one of the cemeteries at Galveston were being fished out of the water there yesterday.

"In the business portion of Galveston two large brick buildings, one occupied by Knapp Bros., and the other by the Cotton Exchange saloon, collapsed. In the Cotton Exchange saloon there were about 15 persons. Most of them escaped.

"Of the Lavine family, six out of seven are reported dead. Of the Burnett family, only one is known to have been saved. The family of Stanley G. Spencer, who met death in the Cotton Exchange saloon, is reported to be dead.

Shipping Damaged.

"Eight ocean steamers were torn from their moorings and stranded in the bay. The Kendall Castle was carried over the flats from the Thirty-third street wharf to Texas City, and lies in the wreckage of the Inman pier. The Norwegian steamer

Gyller is stranded between Texas City and Virginia Point. An ocean liner was swirled around through the West bay, crashed through the bay bridges and is now lying in eight feet of water near the wreckage of the railroad bridges. The steamship Taunton was carried across Pelican Point and is stranded about ten miles up East bay. The Mallory steamer Alamo was torn from her wharf and dashed upon Pelican flats. Down the channel to the jetties two other ocean steamships lie grounded. Some schooners, barges and smaller craft are strewn bottom side up along the slips of the piers. The tug Louise, of the Houston Direct Navigation company, is also a wreck. "For ten miles inland from the shore it is a common sight to see small craft, such as steam launches, schooners and oyster sloops. The lifeboat of the life saving station was carried half a mile inland, while a vessel that was anchored in Moses bayou lies high and dry five miles up from Lamarque.

"It will take a week to tabulate the dead and the missing and to get anything near an approximate idea of the monetary loss. It is safe to assume that one half of the property of the city is wiped out and that one-half of the residents have to face absolute poverty."

GOVERNMENT AID.

War Department Ordered to Furnish Tents and Provisions.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The following telegrams passed between the white house and Texas Monday:

"Houston, Tex., Sept. 10.—William McKinley, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.: I have been deputized by the mayor and citizens' committee of Galveston to inform you that the city of Galveston is in ruins, and certainly many hundreds if not a thousand are dead. The tragedy is one of the most frightful in recent times. Help must be given by the state and nation or the suffering will be appalling. Food, clothing and money will be needed at once. The whole south side of the city for three blocks in front of the gulf is swept clear of every building; the whole wharf front is a wreck, and but few houses in the city are really habitable. The water supply is cut off and the food stock damaged by salt water. All bridges are washed away and stranded steamers litter the bay. When I left this morning the search for bodies had begun; corpses were everywhere; the tempest blew 84 miles an hour and then carried government instruments away, at the same time the waters of the gulf were over the whole city, having risen 12 feet. The water has now subsided and the survivors are left helpless among the wreckage, cut off from the world except by boat.

"RICHARD SPILLANE."

"Washington, Sept. 10.—Hon. J. D. Sayers, Governor of Texas, Austin, Tex.: The reports of the great calamity which has befallen Galveston and other points on the coast of Texas excite my profound sympathy for the sufferers, as they will stir the hearts of the whole country. Whatever help it is possible to give shall be gladly extended. Have directed the secretary of war to supply rations and tents upon your request.

"WILLIAM MCKINLEY."

A copy of this telegram was sent to the mayor of Galveston as well as to Gov. Sayers.

"Austin, Tex., Sept. 10.—The President, Washington: Very many thanks for your telegram. Your action will be greatly appreciated and gratefully remembered by the people of Texas. I have this day requested the secretary of war to forward rations and tents to Galveston.

"JOSEPH D. SAYERS, Governor of Texas."

Louisiana's Loss.

New Orleans, Sept. 11.—The total damage in Louisiana by the late storm is estimated to be about \$620,000. The greatest damage was done in southwest Louisiana, and the sufferers were in nearly all cases farmers. It is thought the loss in the southwestern tiers of parishes will be \$490,000, principally due to destruction of rice and vegetables. Plaquemine parish seems to have been the heaviest sufferer, the loss being \$90,000. In the southern counties, near the gulf line, no cotton is raised. Louisiana cotton is grown north of Red river, and is well in the interior. The loss to the steamboat owners was estimated at \$50,000; the railroad losses were \$25,000, and the loss to the sugar planters was \$30,000. The losses of the railroads in Texas was about \$300,000—60 miles of tracks.

CENSUS RETURNS.

Figures Showing the Growth in Population of a Number of Western Cities.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The population of the city of Terre Haute, Ind., as officially announced, is: In 1900, 36,673; in 1890, 30,217; increase, 6,456; percentage of increase, 21.37.

The population of the city of Council Bluffs, Ia., according to the official returns of the twelfth census, is as follows: 1900, 25,802; 1890, 21,474. These figures show for the city as a whole an increase in population of 4,328, or 20.15 per cent. from 1890 to 1900.

The returns for South Bend, Ind., show population: In 1900, 35,999; in 1890, 21,819; increase, 14,180; percentage of increase, 64.99.

The population of the city of Joliet, Ill., as officially announced is: 1900, 30,720; 1890, 23,264; increase, 7,456; percentage of increase, 32.05.

The following is the population of the city of Springfield, Ill., as officially announced: In 1900, 34,159; 1890, 24,963; increase, 9,196; percentage of increase, 6.84.

Terrible Tragedy.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 11.—At West Station, five miles north of here, George W. Moore, a prominent merchant, who had been suffering with periods of insanity for some time, administered strychnine to his wife and two little children, telling them it was quinine, to keep off chills. Within a few minutes all three were dead. Moore then took a pistol and, firing two bullets through his own heart, fell to the floor across the dead body of one of his little children.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

The Prohibitionists.

In state convention in Lansing the prohibitionists nominated the following ticket:

Governor, Frederick S. Goodrich, Albin; lieutenant governor, Trowbridge Johns, Marquette; secretary of state, Reuben E. Reed, Howell; auditor general, William D. Farley, Battle Creek; treasurer, John F. Easley, Plainwell; attorney general, Walter S. Westerman, Adrian; superintendent of public instruction, David S. Warner, Spring Arbor; land commissioner, Gideon Vivier, Detroit; member of state board of education, Samuel W. Bird, Denton; presidential electors at large, J. Wallace Page, Adrian, and E. A. Cross, Mount Morris.

The platform declares any act that legalizes the liquor traffic to be treasonable to the moral law and inimical to the perpetuity of government, and demands that all lesser issues be held in abeyance and that the campaign be centered upon the single issue of prohibition in state and nation.

Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health from 86 observers in various portions of the state for the week ended September 1 indicate that cholera morbus and influenza increased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 170 places, measles at 23, typhoid fever at 104, scarlet fever at 54, diphtheria at 18, whooping cough at 13, cerebro-spinal meningitis at 5 places, and smallpox at Hancock, Nottawa and Torch Lake.

A Tidal Wave.

At the height of a storm at St. Joseph the first tidal wave in the history of that port forced its way ten feet above the original water line. When the water returned thousands of feet of lumber was carried into the lake. Had the wave extended five feet farther on the beach the large Drake & Wallace bathing pavilion, with a score of near-by dwellings, would have been carried out into the lake and dashed to pieces.

Fruit Damaged.

Fruit growers and commission men in Kalamazoo say fruit was greatly damaged by rains in August. Early peaches suffered the most. Pears, plums and apples are also damaged. The damage to late peaches depends on whether the rains continue. Fruit is so softened that shippers will only send considerable distance at the buyer's risk. Leading commission men say the minimum loss is \$1,000,000.

Blow Two Safes.

Burglars broke into the office of the Hyden mill in Tecumseh and blew open the safe. The charge of dynamite tore the big safe into atoms. One end of the office was blown out. The cracksmen secured little money. They also blew open the safe in Thomas Elliot's blacksmith shop, but secured nothing. They stole a hand car and escaped.

Crop Conditions.

The weekly crop report of the Washington weather bureau says for Michigan:

Weather favorable for completion of oat and pea harvest in northern counties, maturing of corn and potatoes, and for field work; early corn being cut; bean harvest well advanced but yield rather poor; pastures and meadows exceptionally good; plowing well advanced and rye seeding begun.

Set Fire to Rob.

Fire destroyed the house belonging to John Harmsen in Holland and the occupants, William Trimble and family, barely escaped. The fire, it is supposed, was set by burglars, who looted the homes of John C. Post, Fred Motz, John Raven and Frank Hadden while they and their families were at the fire.

Lumber Business.

During the month of August no lumber was moved by water from Saginaw. The receipts of lumber by water during the month were 5,916,728 feet. Nineteen vessels entered during the month and 18 cleared. The customs collections were \$7,440.67.

News Briefly Stated.

Alfred Wells, son of J. W. Wells, a wealthy lumberman of Menominee, was drowned at Escanaba.

Robert Smalley, a rich pioneer and farmer, 88 years old, died at his home near Orion.

The twenty-sixth annual reunion of the Ingham County Soldiers' and Sailors' association will be held at Mason September 18 and 19.

The new city directory gives Lansing a population of 17,000.

Over \$5,000 in money, stamps and postal cards was stolen from the post office in St. Joseph.

Miss Lillian Woodruff, the daughter of a well-to-do farmer living just out of Adrian, committed suicide in Tecumseh. Cause unknown.

The Iron Mountain Press says some one is killing all the fish in the small lakes thereabouts by the use of dynamite, contrary to the statute.

The entire oat crop in Alcona county is practically a failure, owing to the heavy rains which fell after the grain was cut.

C. C. Briggs, of Harrisville, has a crop of beans which are of extremely large size. Several of the pods measure 25 inches in length.

READY TO WITHDRAW.

Gen. Chaffee Ordered to Prepare to Remove United States Troops from Peking.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Orders have been cabled to Gen. Chaffee to prepare his forces for withdrawal from Peking. Further than that the war department has taken steps to have a Taku a sufficient number of United States transports to remove these troops to the Philippines as soon as they reach the port. These orders are preparatory, and do not necessarily indicate that our government has decided finally upon an immediate withdrawal from China. It is simply placing itself in a position to carry out the pledge conveyed in the reply to the Russian note in this language:

"The result of these considerations is that, unless there is such a general continued occupation as to modify the view expressed by the government of Russia and lead to a general agreement for continued occupation, we shall give instructions to the American forces in China to withdraw from Peking after due conference with the other commanders as to the time and manner of withdrawal."

Up to the present moment our government has not changed its policy in this matter of withdrawing troops. It has given the subject much consideration since the original note was written, but at all times there has been kept steadily in mind the propriety of removing the American troops from China as soon as this could be done consistently. It is estimated that the prospect for securing these objects through completely harmonious action by the powers is brightening every day.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Acting Secretary Hill, of the state department, said Sunday there were no developments in the Chinese situation Sunday. Dr. Hill was at the state department for a time during the morning, but no telegrams of importance had come during the night and there was nothing to make public. The naval officials were also without any information from the east during the day, nor were any dispatches from Gen. Chaffee posted at the war department. The Japanese legation furnished a news paragraph of considerable interest and importance, indicating that the Chinese imperial family are alive to the necessity of having a duly authenticated representative at Peking to meet the foreigners with a view to the arrangement of affairs there. This news is the return of Prince Ching to Peking, to which place he was escorted by a company of Japanese several days ago. Prince Ching is one of the best known foreigners in China, has occupied important positions in the government of that country and his return by the direction of the emperor is to the officials here a good augury for the opening of negotiations for peace.

London, Sept. 10.—The deadlock in Peking apparently continues. It begins to look as if no solution would be attained at any rate before the arrival of Count Von Waldersee at Tientsin. Germany seems to have introduced a new complication by endeavoring to organize some kind of offensive movement in the province of Chi Li. From the plentiful crop of conflicting rumors, both as regards the actual position of affairs in China and the diplomatic aspects in Europe, it is next to impossible to extract any definite fact. A Washington special talks of a movement among the powers to appoint Sir Robert Hart as the European representative in negotiations with China.

Tokio, Friday, Sept. 7.—Advices from Peking, dated September 1, say that Emperor Kwang Su was then at Hsuen Hwa Fu, in the province of Chi Li, 130 miles north of Peking. It is also reported that Gen. Yung Lu and his entire family committed suicide.

London, Sept. 10.—Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for India, speaking at Shiffnal said, in referring to the Chinese situation, that the communications between the powers had resulted in practical concord on three points:

1. That there shall be no partition of China.
 2. That there shall be no territorial acquisition.
 3. To demand reparation for past outrages and a guarantee against their recurrence.
- The establishment of a continental government, he declared to be absolutely essential, as it was also that nothing should be done which would look like giving away an advantage gained or retreating from a position won. He assured his hearers that if anything like this was proposed her majesty's government would not be a party thereto.

God with Them.

Stettin, Sept. 10.—The official text of Emperor William's remarks Friday, in replying to the burgomaster's address of welcome, gives the concluding passage as follows: "I have no anxiety whatever for the future, for God is with us and He will help us through."

Cleveland Declines.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Ex-President Cleveland has declined the president's appointment as a member of the international board of arbitration under the Hague treaty. Ex-President Harrison has accepted the appointment.

WAS NOT ASKED AGAIN.

On occasion when the Piety of a Michigan Politician Was Not Conspicuous.

Mr. Chittenden, the Michigan politician who died recently, dearly loved a joke. His initials, "M. E. C.," he always insisted, and for Methodist Episcopal church, which denomination, could it have secured him, would have acquired a very lively member.

"Mart," as Mr. Chittenden was familiarly called, relates the Chicago Chronicle, partly lost his hearing some years ago and communication with him thereafter was one of the fine arts. Being the agent of Standard Oil company for a large territory, he traveled considerably, and on a certain occasion fell in with a couple of friends in a hotel, who invited him to go with them to the house of a resident acquaintance. One of them quietly said to the other: "Mr. Chittenden is an exceedingly nice man and likes to have the food blessed before partaking. You must invite him to the blessing."

Accordingly, when all were seated, silence upon the company, while the host turned to Mr. Chittenden with "Will you ask the blessing?"

Chittenden's hand to his ear, with a usual, quick, nervous gesture, as in a joking attitude he responded in a tone somewhat unctuous:

"I've grown so all-fired deaf lately that if I've got anything to say to me you'll have to say it devilish loud."

A year from the two friends disclosed to Chittenden and the astonished host that they had been the victims of a practical joke. "Chit" enjoyed it amazingly when he understood what had happened.

PRESENCE OF MIND.

Little Bit of Bluff That Failed to Work with a Wide Awake Man.

If there be one thing that I more than anything else value in the having one's wits about one's ears, it is the power of bluff. To possess only of the spirit of d'escaliers is to be a poor man, writes John Paul in the Magazine.

An illustration of ready-witted men I read in an incident that I have often told but never published. Let me do that now in the hope that one of them is gone.

In company with the late J. R. Osgood I went to an evening dropped in at Wallack's Fourteenth Street theater. We could not get seats, as there was standing room only. At the end of the first act two or three extra seats were vacant in front, and we sat down and took them. Barely were we seated when two gentlemanly-looking men came down the aisle and addressed me.

"Beg pardon, but have you checks for the seats?"

I was on the point of rising, when Osgood replied: "No. Have you?"

They hadn't. It was merely a bit of bluff. But how few would have had the readiness to meet and parry it.

A VAGRANT FROM BOSTON.

Astonished a Bailiff by His High-Flown Language in Court.

Bailiff Kendig is recognized as something of a wit. The first prisoner to be subjected to the laconic thrusts of the bailiff in the court the other day was William Ross, says the Washington Times. The charge against him was vagrancy, and as he was arraigned Kendig said, sotto voce: "Rolling stone gathers no moss." He added, "that is a true saying." Much to the surprise and chagrin of Kendig, Ross replied without the faintest semblance of a smile:

"Why do you not quote that aphorism correctly? As we say it in Boston it is: 'Any rolling stone shows no affinity for the collection of mossy particles.'"

"That will do from you," said Kendig, "are you charged as a vag. Are you guilty or not?"

"I answered not guilty, but the evidence was against him. Policeman Gordon stated that he found Ross begging at the Baltimore & Ohio railroad station. Ross said that the only begging he did was to beg the policeman to release him. Judge Ross sent him to the workhouse for 60 days and a fine of \$20."

That Funny Feeling.

"Do ain't no feelin'," remarked Uncle Sam, "dat can hold er candle to de per-sensation dat melts in er man's soul, waders down his spine an' trickles out his heels when he done lays down er dollar bill in payin' fo' er ham an' de ban's him back jes' \$8.37 in change."

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TO LEAVE PEKING.

Indications Point to a Speedy Withdrawal of the Forces of the United States.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The developments of the day in the Chinese situation still point to a speedy withdrawal of the United States troops from China. Gen. Chaffee has added the weight of his opinion to that already entertained by many officials here. It probably is significant that the general's statement on this point was given publicly by the administration. No confirmation is at hand here of the report that Great Britain and Germany have joined in an agreement to remain together in Peking regardless of the attitude of the other powers. Should this be true, the fact doubtless would hasten the rearward movement of the American troops, for there is a firm determination to avoid becoming involved in any clash between the powers, such as might reasonably be expected to follow the execution of this reported British-German programme.

If there have been further responses to the Russian note relative to evacuation, their purport cannot be ascertained. This delay no longer interferes with the execution of the American policy. The state department has a reasonably accurate understanding of the attitude of even those powers that have not made formal responses to the Russian note, so that the mere written record of their views is not of importance.

The part of the problem relative to withdrawal that remains unsolved is the best means of securing guarantees for the attainment of the few objects set out in Secretary Hay's note of July 3, which have not yet been secured. Possibly guarantees must be obtained from two sides—from the Chinese government, as to the security of American treaty rights, and the creation of a claims commission, which shall provide for the payment of indemnity for the losses suffered by American citizens and for the expenditures on account of the Peking relief expedition. Then it is entirely possible that it may be regarded as necessary if any of the allies refuse to leave Peking and persists in a war of conquest that the interests of the United States in the matter of trade, of the "open door," and of all rights now guaranteed to us in China by treaty be made a matter of special agreement between the United States and these warring powers. It does not follow that because the United States troops are to be withdrawn this autumn from China that our interests will be left completely at the mercy of the other powers. On the contrary, such disposition will be made of those troops that they, with others, if necessary, can be returned to China in short order. To this end the entire army of Gen. Chaffee will be quartered in some of the pleasantest and most salubrious portion of the Philippines. If they are wanted again in China they can be transported inside of a week, thoroughly refreshed and fitted for effective action.

Washington, Sept. 11.—The following dispatch has been received at the war department:

"Taku (no date).—Adjutant General, Washington.—Two, afternoon 4th. Evidence accumulates that diplomatic relations will not be resumed here for a long time. Russian legation leave very soon for Tientsin. Appears to me certain Chinese government will not return here whilst foreign army remains, and if this true our legation can transact no business. My opinion Peking to be merely camp for foreign army pending settlement by powers at other points."

(Signed) "CHAFFEE."

London, Sept. 11.—A special dispatch from Berlin says that Great Britain and Germany have agreed not to evacuate Peking until full satisfaction for the recent outrages has been obtained.

THE ELECTION IN MAINE.

Returns Show a Republican Plurality in the State of About 33,000.

Portland, Me., Sept. 11.—The republicans elected their state ticket Monday by a plurality over the democratic candidates of over 33,000. The vote was almost as large as four years ago, and the returns up to 11:30 p. m., compared with 1896, showed republican losses of about ten per cent. and a democratic gain of about 18 per cent. The result must be in a great measure gratifying to both parties. To the republicans because they polled almost as large a vote as in 1896, and to the democrats because of the heavy gains over that year.

Congressman Amos L. Allen, Charles E. Littlefield, Edwin C. Burleigh and Charles Boutelle are reelected by majorities ranging from 6,000 to 10,000. In all but one of the 16 counties the republicans elected their county tickets. The legislature is about the same as at present.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 11.—Returns from 240 towns and plantations out of 312 in the state give Hill 54,648 and Lord 30,252. The same place four years ago gave Powers (rep.) 60,574 and Frank (dem.) 24,784. This shows a republican loss of 11 per cent. and a democratic gain of 18 per cent. On this basis it is estimated that the republican majority this year will be about 32,978.

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With Regrets.—"The true editorial spirit," said the old-timer, "is declining." "I guess you're right," agreed the struggling author. "It certainly doesn't appear to be accepting."—Philadelphia Press.

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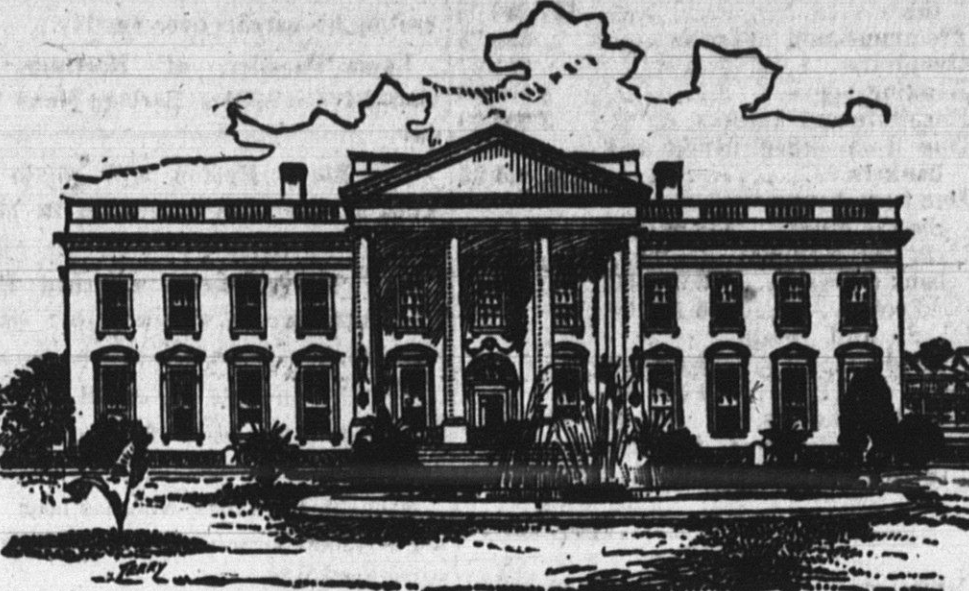
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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$ 61 529 05
Bonds, mortgages and securities	167 280 05
Premiums paid on bonds	398 75
Overdrafts	691 47
Banking house	8 000 00
Furniture and fixtures	2 000 00
Due from other banks and bankers	11 806 28
Due from banks in reserve cities	\$39 641 92
U. S. and National bank currency	3 076 00
Gold coin	5 100 00
U. S. and State Bonds	4 500 00
Silver coin	2 566 45
Nickels and cents	107 49
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account	48 991 86
Total	\$300 981 21

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 40 000 00
Surplus	2 000 00
Undivided profits, net	8 512 58
Dividends unpaid	17 50
Commercial deposits	\$40 367 87
Certificates of deposit	16 440 30
Savings deposits	182 247 21
Savings certificates	16 845 75
Total	\$300 981 21

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

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

J. A. PALMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of September, 1900.

GEO. A. BEGOLLE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: C. H. KEMPF,

H. S. HOLMES,

C. KLEIN.

Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The Chelsea Savings Bank, AT CHELSEA, MICH.

At the close of business, Sept. 5, 1900,
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Banking Department.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$111 804 21
Bonds, mortgages and securities	167 582 95
Banking house	4 000 00
Furniture and fixtures	2 018 00
Other real estate	2 550 00
Due from banks in reserve cities	\$19 491 85
Exchanges for clearing house	6 110 91
U. S. and National bank currency	4 674 00
Gold coin	4 585 00
Silver coin	795 75
Nickels and cents	303 17
Checks, cash items, internal revenue account	35 910 68
Total	\$324 558 07

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 60 000 00
Surplus fund	7 887 10
Undivided profits, net	4 418 95
Dividends unpaid	456 00
Commercial deposits	\$34 604 62
Certificates of deposit	76 866 18
Savings deposits	41 638 92
Savings certificates	98 656 49
Total	\$324 558 07

State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss.

I, Geo. P. Glazier, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. P. GLAZIER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of September, 1900.

THO. E. WOOD, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: W. M. KNAPP,

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GEO. W. PALMER.

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SUMMARY.

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Total deposits	251 766 12
Total cash	\$ 35 910 68

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. James Gilbert is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Sears visited friends in Jackson yesterday.

Lloyd Gifford left Tuesday for a few days' visit in Ann Arbor and Detroit.

Miss Evelyn Miller visited her sister Miss Mary Miller, of Ypsilanti, last week.

Fred Morton, of Detroit, was in town visiting his parents over Sunday.

Louis Baessler, of Harrison, Kas., visited his aunt Mrs. Barbara Mans Tuesday.

Miss Eloise Morton will go to New York next Monday to engage in literary work.

Mrs. Harry Shaver returned Friday from a two weeks' visit with her sister in Chicago.

Mrs. C. Spinnagle was called to Toledo Saturday by the death of her cousin Mrs. Jacob Steger.

Miss Emma Wines, who has been visiting here, left yesterday for Olivet to resume her studies.

Mrs. August Boos, of Jackson, was the guest of Mrs. Joseph Schatz from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Kate Hooker goes to Detroit Monday where she has secured a position for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Steger went to Toledo Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Steger's sister-in-law.

John Ross, sr., of Sylvan, is seriously ill with slight hopes of recovery. Mr. Ross is in his 87th year.

Misses Minnie and Bertha Schumacher left today to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives in Ann Arbor.

Miss Edith Congdon left today on her vacation. She intends visiting friends in Detroit, Ann Arbor and Saline.

Mrs. D. C. McLaren and Mrs. Chase, of Dexter, have gone to Stockbridge where they will visit friends for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hoag returned home Tuesday from a week's trip to Columbus and Cincinnati, O., and Potoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Raftery were Jackson visitors Friday afternoon. The latter went to see her sister who was sick.

Mrs. H. C. Boyd, of Sylvan, who has been the guest of her son Merritt Boyd for the past week, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank McNaney, of East Grand Forks, Dak., accompanied by her two children, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Foster.

Joseph Eisele, jr., accompanied by his father, left this morning for Columbus, O., to enter the Pontifical College Josephinum as a student.

Revs. J. L. Nickerson and Geo. B. Marsh left Tuesday for Pontiac to attend the annual Methodist conference there. They expect to be gone about a week.

Miss Mary Haab has returned from a two weeks' trip to Detroit and Cleveland, where she has been visiting the wholesale houses and purchasing her fall stock of millinery.

E. S. Serviss went to Dayton, O., Tuesday to attend the golden wedding of his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Serviss, which occurred yesterday. Mr. Serviss is 74 years old and his wife is 72.

Editor's Awful Plight.

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Twenty-two couples attended a dance at Chas. Paul's Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McLaren are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl.

Mrs. Diantha Luick has gone to Homer and Marshall to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Boynton, of Sylvan, spent Sunday with I. Storms and family.

Miss Estella Guerin leaves Friday for Pontiac and Detroit to spend a few days.

John Brown had his left hand badly crushed in a threshing machine last Friday.

Mrs. E. Hammond, of Jackson, is spending a few days with Mrs. M. Hammond.

Mrs. G. B. Marsh is spending part of this week here visiting friends. On Friday she will go to Pontiac to attend conference.

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Probate Orders.

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 4th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William H. Calkins, deceased.

James Taylor, the trustee of said estate comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his annual account as such trustee.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 15th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs and 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 trustee give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

Judge of Probate.

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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 Saturday, the 8th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Alexis P. Renwick, deceased.

Charles Kingsley, the administrator of said estate, comes into Court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 8th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Probate Orders.

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 August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Vincent Crittenden, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Olga L. Crittenden, praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to herself or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 24th day of September 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 circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

Judge of Probate.

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—Twenty-Second Judicial Circuit—In Chancery.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw in Chancery. Naomi Knickerbocker, Complainant, vs. Edwin H. Knickerbocker, Defendant.

In this cause it appearing that defendant Edwin H. Knickerbocker is a non-resident of this state, and that his whereabouts are unknown.

Therefore on motion of W. D. Harman, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that defendant enter his appearance in said court on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, said publication to continue at least once in each week for six successive weeks.

Dated August 25, 1900.

E. D. KINNE,

Circuit Judge.

Real Estate for Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. In the matter of the estate of J. Henry Kauffmann, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned executor of the estate of said deceased by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 29th day of August, A. D. 1900, there will be sold at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the east front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw, in said state, on Tuesday, the 16th day of October, A. D. 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the said sale), the following described real estate, to-wit:

Commencing sixteen feet northeast of south line of lot four in block three north of range six east, according to the record plat of the village (now city) of Ann Arbor, Michigan, thence northeast along east line of Detroit street forty-six feet, thence southeast at right angles to Detroit street eighty-seven feet to south line of lot four in said block, thence south twenty-four degrees west forty-eight feet, thence northwest at right angles to Detroit street one hundred feet to beginning, and being in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

VICTOR J. D. KAUFFMANN,

Executor.

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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

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

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

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 24th day of September 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 circulating 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 Wednesday, the 14th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Lewis Winans, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered that Friday, the 14th day of October, next, at 10 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 granted. And it is further ordered, that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph E. Tuttle, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 1st day of October, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, 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 circulating 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 Wednesday, the 22nd day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Angelina Clarken, deceased.

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

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

H. WIRT NEWKIRK,

Judge of Probate.

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Chancery Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—Suit pending in the Circuit Court for Washtenaw County, in Chancery; wherein Paulina White is complainant and Thomas White is defendant. Suit's history proof appearing to this court by affidavit on file, that defendant is not a resident of this state but is a resident of the state of Illinois. It is ordered that defendant appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in this cause within four months from the date of this order.

Dated, Ann Arbor, August 31, 1900.

E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

JOHN P. KIRK, Complainant