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GRANTED A FRANCHISE

To W. A. Boland and Others to Construct an Electric Railway Through Chelsea.

At a special meeting of the common council held last evening an ordinance was passed granting a franchise to William A. Boland, of Grass Lake, and his associates to construct and operate a line of electric railway in Chelsea.

On account of the number of people who wanted to attend the meeting, the council adjourned from the council room to the town hall. There were present besides the council and citizens of Chelsea, W. A. Boland, of Grass Lake, Messrs. J. W. Miner, Foote, Hobart, Frisbie and Carroll, of Jackson, Dr. E. F. Chase and M. S. Cook, of Dexter, gentlemen from Grass Lake and others, all interested in the fate of the proposed ordinance. The citizens were in harmony with Mr. Boland's request, which indicated the strong impression his energetic action must have made, when in a few hours he could have brought about such a good feeling toward his project.

Mr. Boland was then called upon to explain what his company is doing. He spoke of the purchase of the Jackson street railway system, the work that has been already done between Jackson and Grass Lake, the connection of the line with the one running from Kalamazoo and Battle Creek to Jackson, the acquirement of franchises in Grass Lake and Dexter, the proposed route eastward from Ann Arbor, his prospects for a franchise in that city, the advantages of street railway connections, and asked the council to act favorably on the ordinance.

The ordinance granting the franchise was read and then remarks were made by O. L. Burkhart, Dr. Chase, of Dexter, H. S. Holmes, F. P. Glazier, James S. Gorman, J. W. Miner, of Jackson, and George P. Glazier.

Communications from the common councils of Dexter and Grass Lake were read urging Chelsea to grant the franchise and the council adjourned to the council room.

The franchise was read section by section and such amendments as the council saw fit were made and then Mr. Boland was called into the room. The changes made were submitted to him and as they were of a minor nature he agreed to most of them.

The ordinance was then passed by an unanimous vote of the board.

The franchise that was granted to Mr. Boland and his associates gives them permission to own, use, maintain and operate an electric street railway in the village of Chelsea, to be equipped in a first class manner, for the transportation of passengers, baggage, and light freight, with the right to put down all necessary single tracks, of standard 4 ft. 8½ in. gauge, with necessary turnouts and switches, to erect poles, wires and all appurtenances of a street railway, over the following route:

Commencing at the west corporation line of the village where Middle street intersects, thence easterly along the center of Middle street to Madison street, thence north along the center of Madison street to the Michigan Central right of way.

Cars to be run at intervals of not more than one hour each way, from 6 a. m. to 10 p. m. Tracks to be laid to conform to the grade of the streets, and should any change in the grades be made, the tracks are to be changed to suit the grade without expense to the village. All poles to be of metal, or smoothed pine or cedar at the option of the grantees. Tracks to be laid so as not to interfere with use of the streets by wagons and other vehicles, and the portions of the streets used are to be kept smooth and well graveled, no depressions below the tops of the rails, other than to admit the flanges of the car wheels, to be permitted. If the village ever decides to pave the streets then the grantees to pay their proportionate share of the cost of paving that portion of the streets between the rails and one and one-half feet on each side of the rails. The rails in such paved district to be tee rails at least six inches in depth.

The provisions in the ordinance asked for regarding rates of fare are five cents for a ride from any point in the village to any other point in the village along the line of the railway, and one and one-half cents per mile from any point in the village to any point outside of the village, provided that no fare shall be less than five cents.

The railway is to be constructed and in operation within one year from the granting of the franchise, or the ordinance to

be null and void if the common council so wills it, provided that if the construction of the railway be hindered by injunction or other legal process the grantees shall be entitled to the full time so lost in which to complete the railway.

The franchise is to be for 30 years. If the grantees or their successors during that period fail to run the railway in compliance with the terms of the ordinance, the common council may after 30 days' notice given in writing take possession of the streets if the said parties refuse to comply with the terms of the ordinance. Acceptance of the ordinance by Mr. Boland and his associates must be made within 60 days from the date of its passage by the common council.

The ordinance contains a number of other provisions, but the above given are its most salient points.

A Pleasant Gathering.

Grass Lake News: A company of venerable ladies gathered at the home of L. D. Loomis and wife on Church street, last Monday, 8th instant. The invitations were given in honor of their friend and guest, Mrs. Jane Jewett, of Chelsea. The ladies present were Mrs. Jewett, whose birthplace was New Hampshire, her age 89; Mrs. Melvina White, birthplace Vermont; Mrs. Julia E. Watkins, age 80, birthplace New York; Sarah Hobart, age 76, birthplace New York state; Mrs. Lucy Pettit, age 73, birthplace New York.

Mrs. Loomis, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Waltrous, served these venerable ladies with an old time New England dinner, consisting of chicken pie, pumpkin pie, fried cakes, cranberry sauce, and other dainties of a palatable relish. After dinner the time was spent largely in reminiscences of past years. At leave taking they agreed with one accord, if there were no more meetings here there would be one in the Land of Light, where no "good byes" will be spoken.

W. C. T. U. County Convention.

The W. C. T. U. county convention held at the M. E. church Thursday and Friday of last week was on the whole quite a success. The evening meetings were well attended and the morning and afternoon sessions fairly well. The program as laid out was nearly all gone through with. The honors in the "Matrons' Contest" Thursday evening were carried off by Mrs. Allie Austin, of Saline. On Friday evening Mrs. Jennie Wilcox, of Jackson, delivered an excellent address on the subject "Two," to a good audience. The collections taken up to help defray the expenses of the convention were generous ones. The convention will meet next year at Manchester.

Chelsea Portland Cement Co.

The Chelsea Portland Cement Co. is a new organization that filed its articles of incorporation Wednesday of last week. Five Detroit men hold all the stock and the offices are in Detroit. The stock is divided as follows: James D. Butterfield, \$280,000; Merle B. Moon, \$280,000; Daniel J. Smith, \$90,000; Lewis G. Gorton, \$200,000; John L. Steele, \$150,000. Total capital stock, \$1,000,000. The shareholders are the board of managers with Mr. Butterfield as chairman, Mr. Moon secretary and Mr. Smith treasurer. The proposed base of operations is the marl lands around Four Mile Lake.

Lima.

Andrew Winslow is visiting his brother Simon.

Miss Florence Hammond returned to Williamston Monday.

Several from here attended a party at Chas. Fiske's Saturday night.

There was a husking bee at Jake Steinbach's last Wednesday night.

Mr. Ira Winslow, of Williamston, spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith, of Manchester spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guerin and son spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. O. B. Guerin.

Every farmer or stockman, indeed every one who owns a horse or a cow ought to have a reliable stock book. At the Book Auction you can find Magner's, Manning's and Gleason's Horse Books. Also the American Farmer's Hand Book, the Farm and Stock Encyclopedia, and many others too numerous to name. It may save you a lot of money to have such a work at hand in an emergency when a veterinary or farrier is not promptly available, and your sick animal needs treatment.

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THE WEEK'S NEWS

Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

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

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

DOMESTIC.

Mrs. W. F. Dale, who with Mrs. S. M. Trautman, of Auburn, N. Y., formed the oldest pair of twins in the country, died at Oshkosh, Wis., aged 86 years.

The situation in the miners' strike in Pennsylvania remained unchanged. Gen. Gobin ordered troops to Oneida, the scene of the recent fatal rioting.

The reply of the United States in answer to the French proposals for a settlement of the Chinese trouble agrees to some of the proposals, but reserves action on others. The American response is so worded, however, that its reservations will not retard the initiation of peace negotiations.

The population of Connecticut is 908,355, an increase of 162,097 in ten years.

In a fit of jealousy Joseph Wilson shot Annie Wilson and then killed himself at South Brewer, Me.

The battleship Wisconsin is the fastest vessel of her class in the world, making on her trial trip 21.35 miles an hour.

Mrs. S. M. Woodward and daughter Ione, who went through the Peking siege, arrived at their home in Evanston, Ill.

Alexander Howard, a disappointed inventor in New York, killed his eight-year-old son and himself.

Dr. Rush Rhees was formally inaugurated as president of the University of Rochester, N. Y.

The report of the comptroller of the currency shows an increase of \$49,155,799 in national bank deposits in the country since July 1 last.

Nelson Williams (colored), 19 years old, murdered his father and sister at Osceola, Ark.

Two soldiers and one civilian were killed in a clash between American soldiers and Cuban police at Matanzas.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 12th aggregated \$1,571,406,706, against \$1,633,073,417 the previous week. The decrease compared with the corresponding week of 1899 was 14.1.

An explosion of chemicals in a school at Shelbyville, Ind., destroyed the eyesight of four persons.

The Michigan legislature in extra session approved the repeal of special railroad charters and adjourned.

Mrs. Henry Smith, living near St. Charles, Minn., gave birth to five living male babies.

There were 223 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 12th, against 208 the week previous and 164 the corresponding period of 1899.

Gen. Miles in his annual report will recommend an army of 80,000 men, including 18,000 for coast artillery.

Ex-Senator George Gray, of Delaware, has been appointed a member of The Hague permanent arbitration board.

The Chicago orphan asylum observed its fifty-first anniversary by distribution of new shoes to 350 children.

Prof. Jameson, of Brown university, has accepted the head professorship of history at the Chicago university.

William Ziegler, a wealthy resident of Brooklyn, N. Y., will fit out a new expedition in search of the north pole.

William Schreiber, the clerk who secured over \$100,000 from the Elizabethport (N. J.) bank, was captured at New Providence, N. J.

Suffragists may ask congress for a new administrative branch in the national government covering domestic science and child training.

Figures of the bureau of statistics show that the United States leads the world in the chief products.

The first day's proceedings of the miners' convention in Scranton disclosed a feeling on the part of a majority of the strikers in attendance that the operators' offer of a ten per cent. increase of wages should not be accepted.

The National League baseball season ended with the clubs standing as follows: Brooklyn, .603; Pittsburgh, .568; Philadelphia, .543; Boston, .478; Chicago, .464; St. Louis, .464; Cincinnati, .450; New York, .435.

The anthracite coal miners after a two days' convention in Scranton decided to accept the ten per cent. net increase in wages offered by the mine owners, providing they will continue the payment of the advance until next April and will abolish the sliding scale. If the operators consider the proposition unacceptable the miners are willing to arbitrate the questions at issue.

A canvass of Michigan factories shows that 1,005 have been started since 1897.

A Dowlicite deacon was again driven out of Mansfield, O.

James O. Hardy, of Pittsburgh, Pa., one of the leading assayers of the country, says Missouri will become one of the leading gold producing states of the union.

In two railroad wrecks and a trolley car accident three men were killed and ten persons injured in Chicago and vicinity.

Hogan Sealy, treasurer of the Galveston relief fund, says the total amount received is \$979,595.63.

Ovide Berniche's four children were burned to death at Holyoke, Mass.

At a railway crossing near Newcastle, Pa., four persons were killed by the cars.

Bicycle suits and gay wearing apparel have been barred from the sessions of the United States supreme court.

A Lake Shore express ran into an open switch in South Chicago and the fireman and a man stealing a ride were killed and the engineer and two passengers injured.

The United States offers \$4,000,000 for the Danish West Indies, and may get them.

The commissioner of labor has issued a bulletin showing that wages have generally increased since 1896.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Capt. M. E. Jones, who fired the first shot at Gettysburg, died at Wheaton, Ill., aged 70 years.

Mrs. Julia Duplici celebrated her one hundred and first birthday in Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Ex-President Harrison in an interview explained why he supports McKinley for reelection. He will make no campaign speeches.

Mrs. John Lawless died at Madison, Wis., aged 104 years.

Ex-President Cleveland announces that he is in favor of the gold standard.

Granny Wilkins celebrated her one hundred and first birthday at Remington, Ind.

Patrick Murphy died at Joplin, Mo. He was the first settler at that place and was known as the "Father of Joplin."

Jay A. Hubbell died at his home in Houghton, Mich., aged 71 years. He was a congressman for ten years.

Charles Fargo, a director and former vice president of the American Express company, died at his residence in Chicago, aged 69 years.

FOREIGN.

The sultan of Turkey warned Germany that he would not be responsible for the safety of the crown prince should the latter visit Palestine.

Sir Thomas Lipton has admitted that he controls practically all the pork in the United States, but declares he holds it for legitimate business purposes.

The Boers ambushed a party of British in the vicinity of Pretoria and killed two and captured 11.

Rear Admiral Remy reports the gradual withdrawal of Americans from China. Germany regards favorably Russia's idea of referring the Chinese situation to the international arbitration court at The Hague.

The edict of October 1 ordering punishment of high officials is regarded in Tientsin as a farcical one.

Consul Wildman, at Hong-Kong, denies that Admiral Dewey promised aid or independence to the Filipinos before the battle of Manila.

Dr. A. G. Bateman, of London, says parliament will be asked to pass an act for the suppression of John Alexander Dowie.

John Alexander Dowie declared in London that he is not an American and that he prefers the union jack to the star spangled banner.

Austria suddenly recalled its ambassador at the vatican, and thereby caused a sensation in Rome.

Four distinct elements in China seeking for mastery or reform threaten a big civil war. Leaders of the anti-Manchu party take advantage of foreign complications. A Paris newspaper says that the powers will block the Chinese coast guard at Pao-Ting-Fu and French troops will try to intercept communication between the empress and Prince Tuan.

A typhoon on the coasts of China and Formosa destroyed 1,900 houses and many lives were lost.

The Boers were very active in the Kroonstad district. Gen. De Wet has proclaimed that burghers who refuse to fight will be made prisoners of war. Capt. Shields and 51 Americans captured by the Filipinos have been rescued. Insurgents lost 20 men killed and 40 wounded in an attack on Americans at Iloilo.

France is dependent on America for coal, and scarcity of fuel impedes the operation of railways.

LATER.

There is no concealment by the authorities in Washington of their earnest desire that peace negotiations between the powers and China be instituted at once. Only such action, the officials believe, can prevent fresh outbreaks which may further embarrass the government in attempting to bring about a prompt solution of the entire question without affecting the administrative and territorial entity of China.

The business portion of Port Limon, Costa Rica, was almost entirely wiped out by fire.

Three robbers held up a passenger on the Baltimore & Ohio road at Athens, O., and robbed him of 100.

The visible supply of grain in the United States on the 15th was: Wheat, 56,978,000 bushels; corn, 9,829,000 bushels; oats, 12,235,000 bushels; rye, 986,000 bushels; barley, 2,348,000 bushels.

A Paris audience wrecked a theater and turned hose on the actors because two stars failed to appear.

Mark Twain arrived in New York after nine years' sojourn in Europe.

The agent of the Wells-Fargo Express company at Escalon, Mexico, disappeared, taking with him \$18,000 of the company's money.

There was no change in the strike situation in Pennsylvania.

The first of the post-series of ball games between Brooklyn and Pittsburgh for the world's championship and possession of a \$500 trophy cup was won by Brooklyn.

All outdoor long-distance cycle marks were eclipsed by Marguerite Gast, of New York. Her time for 2,000 miles was 222 hours 5½ minutes.

Ten business houses in the village of Herrick, Ill., were destroyed by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sayres, an aged couple, were instantly killed by a Big Four train at Alyria, O.

Frank and Henry Robinson (brothers) were killed in a runaway accident at Pana, Ill.

A severe shock of earthquake occurred at Skaguay, Alaska.

Flames laid a large portion of the business district of Sullivan, Ind., in ruins.

Jefferson Jones and his wife and four children were blown to atoms at Sells, Ark., by a dynamite explosion.

A checker match of 40 games between Charles Barker, of Boston, and Richard Jordan, of Edinburgh, Scotland, for the world's championship, began in Boston.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

About \$500,000 worth of unredeemed Porto Rican money is in circulation in the island.

The British shoe dealer is raising a cry of alarm because his market is being preempted by American rivals.

The police of Brussels foiled a plot to kill Prince Albert on the occasion of the welcome to himself and bride.

New York city has 1,522 polling places, only 51 less than the whole state of Nebraska, and nine more than there are in North Carolina.

Kaiser Wilhelm in a speech at a foundation laying expressed his desire that Germany become a second Rome of imperial greatness.

There has just been started at Steubenville, O., the first American manufactory of glass marbles, which have hitherto been imported from Germany.

Andrew Carnegie has offered to duplicate whatever sum is raised by the people of Paterson, N. J., for the erection of a projected labor lyceum in that city.

The Northwestern Steamship company of Buffalo is building four steamships to carry grain from lake ports to Europe by way of the St. Lawrence route.

Gen. Baden-Powell arrived at Pretoria to take command of the police in the Transvaal and Orange River colony, where it is proposed to maintain a force of 12,000 men.

Contracts for 300 sugar cane cars for a Honolulu concern have been placed with a Cleveland company. The same company is also to build 200 brick cars to go to Antwerp.

Orders have been received by the Baldwin locomotive works in Philadelphia for 22 locomotives for the New Zealand government system and six for a mining company in Spain.

A Russian authority, discussing the results of the peace congress in Paris, says the hope for an end of all wars lies in the fact that modern fighting would soon exhaust any nation's resources.

Cecil Rhodes in an address before the South African league at Cape Town said "mugwumps" were responsible for the war, because they emboldened President Kruger to send his ultimatum.

WORTH A KING'S RANSOM.

Saved From
The Maelstrom
of Catarrh

How Peruna
Saves
Lives



Mrs. Col. E. J. Gresham, Treasurer Daughters of the Confederacy, and President Hernden Village Improvement Society, writes the following letter from Hernden, Fairfax county, Va.:

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"I noticed your advertisement and the splendid testimonials given by people who had been cured by Peruna, and determined to try a bottle. I felt but little better, but used a second and a third bottle and kept on improving slowly.

"It took six bottles to cure me, but they were worth a King's ransom to me. I talk Peruna to all my friends and am a true believer in its worth." Mrs. Col. E. J. Gresham.

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"Them's the Rules."

A visitor in Paris was seated at a table in one of the high-priced restaurants in the exhibition grounds thinking of various things as he read over the bill of fare and observed the prices.

"By thunder!" he exclaimed to the waiter, "haven't you any conscience at all in this place?"

"Beg pardon," replied the haughty servant.

"Haven't you any conscience—conscience—conscience? Don't you understand?" The waiter picked up the bill of fare and began looking it over.

"I don't know if we have or not. If we have, it's on the bill; if we ain't, you've got to pay extra for it. Them's the rules, sir."—London Spare Moments.

Right Up with His Game.

"I am striving for the peace of the world," said the first wily diplomat.

"Which particular piece do you refer to as the piece?" the other diplomat, who was just as wily, inquired.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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MATURITY.

Would you change the red rose with the wine in its blood
For a promise? exchange the rich flower for the bud?
Give the tall bending grasses that wave to and fro
For the buds of next year lying under the snow?
Give the bird, with its quivering throat and its breast
Thrilled with song, for the poor sightless bird in the nest?
Would you change the rich gem, polished, sparkling, its worth
Unmeasured, for all the rough gems of the earth?
Give the book, finished, perfect, the joy of the age,
For a book to be writ, or a plain title page?
Give the all for a fragment, the whole for a part?
The smile on your lips or the smile in your heart?
Would you drop the ripe fruit that you hold in your hand,
Fragrant, luscious, so tempting that none may withstand
Its proffer of sweetness, for bloom on the bough?
Give perfection for promise?—for sometime the now?
Give the fruit in your hand for the fruit that will follow
When suns warm the blood? give to-day for to-morrow?
O promise, fulfillment; fair prophecy, flower,
And fruit all in one, love's best gift, richest dower!
O rose that is blooming, thy fragrance divine,
Shall I value thee less, or thy beauty resign
That the once folded leaves of the bud fall apart
Revealing thy riches, the gold in thy heart?
—Helen Hart Woodworth, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Caught the Wrong Man

By F. Young.

YES, we commercial travelers have our fair share of odd experiences, and we grow case-hardened in time. But there was one occasion when I unconsciously played a queer part in a big affair, and whenever I travel on this line circumstances come vividly before my mind's eye, and I experience a strange feeling of nervousness which, try as I will, I cannot overcome.

It happened one night in December, a good many years ago, when I was young on the road. I was traveling by the evening train from Euston to catch the midnight boat at Liverpool for Belfast.

I arrived at the terminus on the stroke of the hour, and barely had time to get my ticket and fling myself and bag into a second smoker before the train moved off.

There were only two other passengers in the compartment, occupying the ends of the same seat; so, with a sigh of relief, I settled myself down in a corner and prepared to enjoy a cigar and the latest evening paper.

Before starting to read I took a look at my fellow-passengers, for I have always been fond of a chat, and can generally spot a likely talker at once. However, there was little prospect of anything of the kind, for both were middle-aged men of reserved appearance, who would hardly deign to notice a youngster like myself. The one opposite to me, a clean-shaven man with a professional air, was buried in his paper; while the other was lying back in the far corner with his cap over his eyes, smoking a big cigar, and apparently half asleep.

We had got as far as Rugby without a word being spoken, when I suddenly felt my foot joggled in a peculiar way and looking up I met the keen glance of my professional neighbor.

"Excuse me, sir," said he, with an odd smile. "Would you mind exchanging papers? I see you have exhausted yours."

"Certainly," said I, slightly surprised, and we swapped accordingly, while he gave my toe another warning kick.

Imagine my astonishment when I saw penciled on the margin of his paper these words:

"Keep calm. I'm a Scotland Yard man. Our fellow-traveler is Burnside—you know who. Warrant for his arrest waits me at Liverpool; but may have to secure him before we reach there. Rely on your assistance if necessary. Speak to me in refreshment-room, Stafford."

"Of course I knew who Burnside was—everybody did then. You may remember he was Lord A's secretary, who absconded with her ladyship's diamonds, and made a big stir at the time, though the affair was hushed up afterwards."

I was pretty cool in those days, and I read the words over and over again before I permitted myself to take a peep at the redoubtable Burnside himself. He was still smoking lazily, and was evidently unconscious of the proximity of danger. For a week he had eluded capture, and the last item of news was that the police were still working on a clew some days old. The very paper I held contained a paragraph to that effect very carefully

marked in pencil by my detective friend.

You may guess I was terribly excited by the time we reached Stafford, where a five minutes' stop was made; and no sooner had the train pulled up than I pocketed the paper containing the strange message, and hurried off to the refreshment-room. A minute later the detective joined me, lounging up in a careless style.

"Don't look round," he said; "he's over there at the coffee counter. If he suspects anything he'll bolt. He's expecting someone at Crewe, I fancy, for he sent a wire from the telegraph office at Euston to a party there, and I overheard the clerk asking him about some figures in the telegram—2,964, they were."

"Why, that's the number of our compartment," said I.

"Exactly. It's sure to be a message telling someone to meet him, and, if so, the pair of them may give me trouble at Liverpool."

"What do you mean to do then?"

"Collar him as soon as we start from here, strap him up, shove him under the seat, and when his precious accomplice arrives at Crewe I'll pitch a yarn to him about his friend being in another part of the train. Then he'll board the train, and at Liverpool the police can formally arrest my prisoner, while I follow the other chap to see what the game is. You see, I don't know which of them has the booty, and that's the main thing we're after."

"But supposing some other passengers have already entered our compartment?"

"They can't. I've made it all right with the guard. Time's nearly up. Better get back; I must buy a couple of straps. You'll help, if necessary?"

"Of course," said I, for the affair was greatly to my liking.

We were just about to start when Burnside, who had settled down in his corner, suddenly rose and thrust his head out of the window beside us.

"Guard!" he shouted. "What time do we reach Crewe?"

"Eight-forty-five, sir."

"Good!" Burnside took his seat again, and the detective and I exchanged glances. My heart began to beat fast, and I braced myself up for the coming struggle; for Burnside was a powerful-looking man, and the detective, though wiry and close-knit, was much slighter in build. We would evidently have a tough job of it I thought.

Just as the train flew through the third station beyond Stafford the detective, who had been fidgeting behind his paper, suddenly began to wipe his lips with his handkerchief, and then rose as if to get something off the rack. With one bound he was on Burnside and he had pinned him in the corner with his knee.

"Quick, get his wrists!" he said.

I jumped over and laid hold of Burnside's hands, just as he was struggling to reach his pocket. Then I saw that his face was covered with the detective's handkerchief, from which came a strong, sickly odor. He struggled frantically for a moment or two and then seemed to collapse.

"It's all right now," said the detective, "but he very nearly had me plugged. Fough! Open the windows, quick, or we'll be succumbing to the chloroform ourselves."

I lowered the windows, and none too soon, for already the drug was beginning to make my head swim. The detective, meanwhile, was securing Burnside's hands and feet with a couple of stout rug straps.

"That's all right," he said, when he had finished. "You nabbed his hand just at the right moment. I'll mention your name in the proper quarter if you'll give it to me, and who knows but you might come in for a recognition from his lordship!"

I gave him my name, but on condition that it would not be published in the papers.

"I'll see to that," he said; "and now help me to lift our worthy friend under the seat."

We lifted Burnside with some difficulty and rolled him under the overhanging cushions, placing his head against the detective's black bag.

"Good!" said my alert companion;

"but his arms show a trifle, so I'll place the footwarmers in front. There you are! Half a dozen people might look into the carriage and never dream he was there."

"When he comes to, though, he'll commence to shout."

"I'll gag him just before we reach Crewe. He'll be all right, never fear."

Now that the crisis had passed I began to grow cheerfully interested in the affair, and looked forward with eagerness to the second act in the little drama which was being played before my eyes.

Sure enough, when the train slowed up at Crewe, there was a tall, heavily-bearded man standing on the platform inspecting the numbers on the carriages.

"That's the fellow!" said my friend.

"You wait here while I get the guard to put a reserved label on this compartment. We don't want the beggar in here if we can help it."

He got out and closed the door, leaving me alone with the thief, who had been duly gagged, and was now breathing heavily, with every sign of returning consciousness. I felt somewhat un-

comfortable, I must confess, when the bearded man passed the carriage and glanced in; and, fearing he might return and subject the carriage to a closer inspection, I rearranged the foot-warmers and transferred my bag to the other side, so that the view under the seat was completely blocked.

Presently a porter came and labeled the compartment "reserved," and, feeling easier in my mind, I jumped out, closed the door, and stood by it until my friend returned.

"Everything right?" said he. "Good! I've wired further instructions to Liverpool. I'll relieve you now if you want a drink."

I rushed off for some coffee, for I was feeling cold. But no sooner had I put the cup to my lips than the bell rang, and I had to swallow the stuff at one gulp, half-scalding my mouth, and then make a bolt for my carriage. I was only just in time, for the train had begun to move. The guard held open the door and banged it to after me; and then, to my horror, instead of my friend whom I expected to find waiting for me, there was the black-bearded man in the far corner of the carriage, covering me with a revolver!

"The game's up, my friend," he said. "I was too astonished to reply, and sank down helplessly on the cushions, forgetting my blistered mouth in sudden terror, for I knew I was completely at the ruffian's mercy."

"You're a deep one; but not deep enough," he went on. "Just fetch out my friend there, and undo him. Mind, no tricks!"

I obeyed, in a kind of stupor, and presently Burnside was sitting up on the opposite seat rubbing his brow in a dazed manner.

"Are you all right, Barker?" said the bearded man, still keeping his revolver pointed at me.

"Oh! you've come, Burt," said Burnside, recovering his senses. "Have they got clean away?"

"We've nabbed one of them; but not the one we want."

"Good!" said Burnside, turning to look at me. "How did the other manage to bolt?"

"Well, I was waiting for you at Crewe, according to your instructions, and I spotted our man immediately, though I was rather surprised at your absence. However, I thought you'd turn up presently, so I followed him when he left the carriage."

"The beggar went to the booking office and took a ticket for Glasgow. Then I kept my eyes skinned, for I knew that something had gone wrong. He hurried back to the carriage, and our friend here then left him. I didn't bother about him, though, thinking he was an ordinary passenger; and as our man commenced to pace up and down I waited over at the bookstall to see what would happen. As you hadn't turned up I knew he had managed to play some trick on you, and I determined not to let him out of my sight."

"Then the bell rang, and in he jumped, closing the door behind him. I waited half a second for the guard's 'right away!' and then I made a rush and followed my man. But the beggar had gone!"

"Through the other door?"

"Yes. I was too late to follow him, and then, just as I spotted you under the seat, and tumbled to the whole plan, in comes our friend here and delivers himself up like a lamb."

By this time I had begun to see that there was a mistake somewhere, and that I was in a very awkward predicament. I turned hot all over and a funny feeling crept down my spine.

"Gentlemen," said I, "I'm afraid there's been a terrible mistake."

"Yes," growled the man named Burt, "and you'll jolly soon find it out, too. Look here, what's your name?"

I told him, adding that I was traveling to Belfast on business.

"Drop it, and own up," said he. "Come, you may as well tell us where you've put the swag."

"Swag! What swag? I can assure you, gentlemen, I know nothing of this business."

"You know how to chloroform a chap," said the other.

"It was the detective, not I," I replied, in dismay.

"The detective! Who on earth are you talking about?"

"Who?—my friend, who's gone. The detective!"

"Look here, young man, you're either very deep or a big fool. Do you know that we are detectives and that your precious friend whom you have assisted to escape was Burnside?"

"Burnside!" I repeated, horror-struck. Visions of prison cells and crowded courts and my name in the papers began to float before my eyes. I had been fooled utterly and completely.

"Yes, and you'll precious soon have to answer for it, too."

It was in vain that I explained; they wouldn't listen to me. Then I suddenly remembered the newspaper in my pocket.

"There," said I, "if you don't believe me, look at that!"

They took the paper and examined it, with evident surprise. Then Burt looked up.

"Look here, we'll want to see into this affair. If this yarn of yours is true, and you're a genuine traveler, show us your credentials. Open your bag there!"

I picked up what I thought was my bag, and then started back in dismay.

"Why, this isn't mine, it's the detective's—I mean Burnside's."

The detectives jumped to their feet and laid hold of the bag. It was locked, but in a trice they had forced it open and from its depths drew a flat morocco-leather case. Pressing the spring, Burt released the lid, and a blaze of dazzling light met our eyes.

"Well, I'm blessed!" said Burt. "He's gone off with the wrong bag. These are Lady A's diamonds!"

It was true enough. I remembered having moved my bag under the opposite seat, and Burnside in his haste must have mistaken it for his own, to which it bore a strong resemblance.

The detectives fell back on the seat and began to laugh.

Of course, I had a bit of a job to prove my bona-fides. I was detained at Liverpool that night and released on bail next day. Luckily the affair was kept out of the papers, and I escaped with the only indignity of receiving a severe official censure for my imprudence.

Burnside got clean away, as you doubtless remember, and I heard no more of the affair until six months afterwards, when I received a check for £50 from his lordship, who, it was rumored, was not sorry that Burnside had escaped, once the diamonds were recovered. But I don't think I should enter on a similar undertaking again, even with the prospect of a reward ten times as big.—Tit-Bits.

A SECLUDED GIRL'S FANCIES.

She Lived in Mortal Fear of the Preacher's Prophesied Coming of the Judgment Day.

"There was no church in our neighborhood, and it was only at rare intervals that a preacher came from some near settlement or from the village and preached at the school-house," writes "A Secluded Girl," in Ladies' Home Journal. "The first sermon that I have any distinct remembrance of hearing made a deep impression upon me. The minister was a man of such melanancholy cast of countenance, of such somber aspect and gloomy appearance, that I shrank from him instinctively, as if an icy wind had gone out from him and entered my soul. For months afterward I was haunted by his presence, and the terror his words had inspired; inwardly fearful at the same time lest God should punish me for such a wicked aversion for one of His ministers. I was particularly depressed by the preacher's description of the Judgment Day which, he averred, might come upon us at any time—early in the morning, perhaps, following some night in which the stars had fallen. The perpetual dread of this awful calamity was another source of mental anguish to me that drove sleep from my eyes during the silent hours of many a night. At such times I often stole from my bed to see if the stars were still in the sky, and when I saw them shining in the heavens a sense of thankfulness came over me, and I returned to my bed and surrendered myself to slumber. During this period of fear of the coming of the Judgment Day there was but one night of the week in which I rested securely, and this was Saturday night, for I reasoned that as God had rested on the Sabbath day He would not choose that day on which to destroy the world."

BRILLIANT SOUTHERN BEAUTY

She Might Have Averted the Downfall of Napoleon Had She Been Near His Throne.

Upon going to Europe after her divorce from Jerome Bonaparte, Mme. Bonaparte was extremely delighted with the attentions which were bestowed upon her in England, and Louis XVIII., when she visited Paris, is said to have expressed a desire to have her presented at court, writes William Perrine, of the marriage of Betsy Patterson of Baltimore, to a brother of Napoleon I., in the Ladies' Home Journal. She declined by saying that as she had received a pension from the now exiled emperor, she could not appear at the court of his successor. To Prince Gortschakoff is attributed the remark that "had she been near the former throne the allies would have had more difficulty in overthrowing Napoleon." Indeed, many years afterward, Eugene Didier suggested the thought that it would have been a suitable match if the emperor himself had had the fortune to have married Miss Patterson, for she might have exercised over him an influence which Josephine was too timid and Louise too silly to attempt.

Suggestive.

"Beg pardon," said the rude young man, gathering his features together again, "I simply couldn't suppress that yawn."

"Don't mention it," replied the bright girl. "By the way, that reminds me; I visited the Mammoth cave this summer."—Philadelphia Press.

Asparagus Sauce.

Boil some asparagus tops till tender, then strain and add them to a white sauce which has a little sugar in it—half a teaspoonful. Asparagus sauce may be served with veal.—Washington Star.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Robbers Caught.

Thomas Boynton, and James Peterson were before the United States grand jury in Grand Rapids, charged with the robbery of the post office at Nashville, Barry county, of \$240. After the burglary they fled. They were overtaken by officers near Lyria, and instead of surrendering when commanded they pulled their revolvers, and a lively battle ensued, in which many shots were exchanged. The sheriff's horse was killed, and several holes put through his buggy. The fugitives finally abandoned their rig and took to the woods, where they were captured with the assistance of farmers.

A Mystery.

A. D. Aikens, an old and respected resident near Plainview, was found near his own door. A bullet hole in the right breast told how his life had ended. Aikens had been in Plainwell and started home about nine o'clock in the evening, driving a team of horses. Two miles from town his hat was found in the road and his team wandered into a neighbor's yard a short distance from where the body was found. The dead man carried no firearms, and in his pocket when searched was found about ten dollars, thus doing away with the theory of robbery.

Will Start a Store.

One hundred Holland citizens of Grand Rapids, tired of paying grocery bills, have agreed to start a cooperative grocery. They have organized a stock company, with 100 shares, at five dollars each, to buy their stock, and the manager in charge will give bonds equal to the value of the groceries carried. The store will be conducted on a strictly cash basis, and all goods will be sold at a profit of ten per cent. over the wholesale price.

Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health from 69 observers in various portions of the state for the week ended September 29 indicate that typhoid fever and diphtheria increased and pneumonia and scarlet fever decreased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 182 places, measles at 9, typhoid fever at 178, scarlet fever at 65, diphtheria at 42, whooping cough at 12, cerebro spinal meningitis at 5 places, and smallpox at Torch Lake.

Run on a Bank.

Prompt action by the National City bank of Grand Rapids saved the National bank of Grand Haven from failure. A run was started because of the failure of the Grand Haven Leather company, in which the bank was heavily interested. Every demand was paid with full interest and the run stopped in the afternoon, much money being returned.

Coming to Detroit.

Henry B. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central railroad, received a cable in Detroit that his daughter, Baroness Von Ketteler, widow of the German ambassador murdered by the Boxers, had reached Yokohama and would leave on the Empress of China for home. It is expected the party will reach Vancouver about the 19th.

Fast Pacer Drops Dead.

Wight, a black gelding, with a pacing record of 2:17½, dropped dead on the last quarter of the fourth heat of the 2:18 trot at Charlotte. Wight had second place when death came. The horse was owned by H. C. Knell, of Port Huron, and was valued at \$2,000.

Will Give Up Its Charter.

An agreement has been reached under which the Michigan Central is to surrender its special charter and be given power to sue the state for damages, the Lake Shore & Grand Trunk to acquiesce.

News Briefly Stated.

It is said that directors of the state fair will move the show from Grand Rapids to Jackson if the latter city will erect suitable buildings.

The farmers of Garfield township have organized and will keep hunters off their lands.

Shaft No. 5 of the Tamarack mine at Houghton will be completed about the end of this year and will then be a full mile in depth—the deepest in the world. The shaft was begun in August, 1895.

The star route postal service from the Agricultural college to Lansing has been increased to 18 times per week.

A summer hotel to cost \$85,000 is to be erected in Escanaba by local and Detroit capitalists.

An unknown young man victimized half a dozen merchants in Traverse City by means of bogus checks.

The post office at Walnut, Oakland county, has been discontinued, patrons to be supplied by rural free delivery; mail to Orchard Lake.

Supervisor C. D. Baker, of Adrian township, died of typhoid fever on the farm where he was born 39 years ago.

Katie Hutchinson, a colored girl, aged 21 years, took strychnine in Grand Rapids with suicidal intent and died in a hospital.

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HARRIS BALL, Ann Arbor.
For Surveyor—
GEORGE F. KEY, Ypsilanti.

Mr. Bryan says the ice trust is merely a local affair. So is Hades.

Hon. Jay A. Hubbell, 20 years ago a prominent leader in Republican national and state politics, died at Houghton Saturday evening, aged 71 years.

When the vote on the constitutional amendment to give congress the power to define, regulate, control, prohibit or dissolve trusts, monopolies and other combinations was taken June 1, 1900, 148 Republicans voted for it and 130 Democrats against. It required a two-thirds vote to pass; who defeated the bill?

The repeal of the special charters of the Michigan Central, Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee, and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railways by the state legislature last Friday is something that should please the people generally. They will now come under the general laws of the state regarding taxes, mileage rates and other things pertaining to the regulation of railways by the state laws.

Justice W. G. Doty, of Ann Arbor, presented a bill of \$471.85 to the board of supervisors last week for his fees as a justice of the peace. It was allowed. About seven-eighths of the bill was for trying the drunks and vagrants who are arrested in Ann Arbor, and, having no money to pay their fines and costs with, are tried at the expense of the county and sent to jail to be a still further expense to the county. Those who are arrested and have money are tried under the city ordinances and the fine money is turned into the city treasury. This is good business—for Ann Arbor.

The question of establishing a uniform rate of taxation on all such property as shall be assessable by the state board of assessors is now up to

the people, through the action of the legislature last Friday in passing the bill submitting the amendment to the constitution to the vote of the people. The cry of the people has been that such a law should be passed, and now it is the duty of the voters, one and all, not to neglect to vote on this amendment. It requires two-thirds of all the votes cast on the amendment to carry it, and if the people have been sincere in their demands they can now prove it by their votes. Don't neglect to vote on the amendment.

The Grass Lake News speaking of a Democratic meeting held in that village last week says:

"Not a phrase or syllable derogatory in a personal way, was uttered against any Republican, nor was there any abuse of that party during the evening. A candid and fair discussion of political questions alone engaged the attention of the speakers. This is as it should be. There is no argument in abuse. Away with it."

That is true, there is no argument in abuse. But, consistency is a jewel the editor of the News does not seem to be possessed of, to judge by the following words found a few inches further down in the same column:

"There is no paper in Michigan so bitterly hostile to the Democratic party as the poor old servile ammonia smelling Detroit Free Press. The Republican papers all over the state reek with swill from this rotten old barn."

And this, used in speaking of Governor Pingree's having called the special session of the legislature:

"Of all the extravagant old feather-heads that ever occupied a gubernatorial chair, Ping is the worst specimen."

And this, used in speaking of an attack by some persons on Rev. F. E. Wright, formerly a resident of Grass Lake:

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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Jasper Graham is building an addition to his house on Wilkinson street.

Reserve your seats for the People's Popular Course of entertainments next Saturday evening. Sale begins at 8 o'clock at Stimson's drug store.

Louis Paine and Miss Hannah Jackson were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jackson, last evening by Rev. C. S. Jones.

The board of supervisors has fixed the salary of the prosecuting attorney at \$1,200 per year instead of \$1,000 and \$600 for traveling expenses as formerly.

The M. E. church at the quarterly conference held Monday evening decided unanimously to advance the salary of their pastor, Rev. J. I. Nickerson, to \$1,200 per annum and parsonage.

Sunday was the first quarterly meeting of the conference year at the M. E. church. Rev. E. W. Ryan, of Ypsilanti, presiding elder of the district, preached to a large congregation in the evening.

The gross revenue of the Chelsea post office for 1900 was \$3,992; expenses, \$1,794; net revenue to the government, \$2,198. The gross receipts last year were \$3,869, an increase in receipts this year of \$123.

At the quarterly conference held in the Methodist church Monday evening it was resolved to extend a cordial invitation to the members of the M. E. church at Sylvan Center to transfer their membership to the M. E. church in Chelsea and enjoy all the fellowship of the church.

J. S. Cummings has bought the gent's furnishings stock of Kempf & McKune and will move it to the store occupied by him in the Turnbull & Wilkinson block. He will tear out the partition in the store, repaint and paper it and otherwise improve its looks. He will move his grocery stock, which he will still handle, to the north side of the store and will use the south side for the gent's furnishing stock.

A camp of the Royal Neighbors, the ladies' branch of the Modern Woodmen of America, is being organized in Chelsea. About 20 ladies have already signified their intention of becoming charter members. Any lady desiring information on the subject can obtain it from Herman Schickler or Rolla Beckwith who are in charge of the work of organization.

Ode Russ, of Ypsilanti, the well known horseman and race starting judge, has at the Chelsea House stables a horse that is probably the finest specimen of his class ever brought to this section. It is a three year old Percheron stallion, named Navarre (22733), coal black in color, and with a pedigree that runs back through many generations of the finest strains of thoroughbred Percheron blood. Mr. Russ will sell the horse to a syndicate of farmers and horse breeders if one can be formed. Such a horse as this would help greatly to improve the roadster and farm horse stock in this vicinity.

Books unquestionably make the best and most satisfactory Christmas presents. That joyful season of the year is not very far off. Ergo, why not take time by the forelock and buy what books you will need for Christmas presents now, while you can get them at your own price at the Book Auction.

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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

A new school house is being erected at Jerusalem.

Lima Center is to have a barber, at least so says the Dexter Leader.

The 20th Michigan Infantry are holding their annual reunion at Ypsilanti today.

Tim Drieland has handled 14 carloads of apples at this point within the last three weeks.

Dr. G. W. Palmer had put in place last week at his warehouse a set of fine new Fairbanks standard weighing scales.

The Ladies' Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church give a supper in the Staffan store next Saturday evening.

Hon. J. Nelson Lewis will speak at a Democratic rally to be held in the opera house next Saturday evening, Oct. 20.

There was no call for an assessment in the Modern Woodmen for the month of October and the members are just that much ahead.

Rev. John Neumann has resigned the pastorate of the German Evangelical church, Ann Arbor, which he has held for 23 years.

T. J. Farrell, of Manchester, has been appointed carrier for the Sharon and Freedom mail route which runs from the Manchester post office.

An old, demented man, who gave his name as W. R. Smith, was picked up on the street at Jackson Monday morning. He claimed Saline as his residence.

C. W. Maroney has the contract for making the changes in the Baptist church, which will result in its presenting a modern and much improved appearance.

Mr. Burleigh Whitaker and Miss Linna Notten, of Sylvan, were married Saturday, Oct. 6, at the parsonage of Mizpah Union church, Detroit, by Rev. Carl Zeidler.

The subject for discussion by the Business Men's Class of the Congregational church next Sunday is "Does civilization civilize?" J. George Webster will open the discussion.

The board of supervisors has chosen John L. Hunter, of Ypsilanti, Ezra B. Norris, of Ann Arbor, and Marcus S. Cook, of Dexter, as the board of county canvassers for the coming election.

On account of the Democratic rally at the opera house, the sale of reserved seats will be held at Stimson's drug store next Saturday evening, Oct. 20, at 8 o'clock. Don't forget the place and date.

D. R. Shier, the Republican nominee for member of the legislature from the second district, has named as his committee W. N. Lister, of Saline, A. J. Waters, of Manchester, and W. E. Smith, of Ypsilanti.

Alber & Youngs, who have recently gone into the tubular well sinking business, last week struck a flowing well for Michael Schiller, of Freedom, at a depth of 90 feet. The well is a gusher and throws the water 20 feet high above the ground.

R. A. Snyder shipped his first carload of onions for this season on Saturday night. It went to St. Louis, Mo. Other carloads to various points have gone forward since then. He is also shipping onions from Ann Arbor, Pittsfield and Whitmore Lake.

Clyde Rose, aged 16, son of H. D. Rose, familiarly known as "Dit" Rose, a former resident of Lyndon, got his right foot caught under the wheels of a railroad train, from which he was alighting before it stopped, at Leslie, Oct. 4, and the doctor had to amputate his leg between the knee and ankle.

Mrs. Hannah Norgard, mother of Matthew Jensen, of Sylvan, Thomas Jensen, of Chelsea, and Jens Norgard, of Detroit, died at the home of the first named Monday aged 88 years. The remains were buried in the Vermont cemetery yesterday, the funeral services being conducted by Revs. L. Keelberg and G. Eisen.

In 30 days up to last Saturday night Holmes & Gilbert had dried at their evaporators 52,000 pounds of apples and 35,000 pounds of cores and skins. The warehouse that has been constructed out of the fair ground that formerly stood on the fair grounds is used to store the boxes of apples in. It is a substantial and commodious structure.

The contemptibly mischievous actions of a lot of boys last evening at the home of Thomas Jackson, on West Middle street, cannot be too severely condemned and should meet with deserved punishment. During the marriage ceremony that took place there a large stone was thrown through a window and just missed striking one of the women present. Rev. C. S. Jones, the officiating minister, had to stop the ceremony until the hubbub outside was stopped. It is understood that Marshal Jay M. Wood has the names of the offenders and that warrants for their arrests will be sworn out.

C. E. fair Dec. 6 and 7.

Turn out and hear Congressman H. C. Smith at the opera house this evening.

The official census of Chelsea taken in June last gives the population as 1,689.

Jerome Parker, of Lima, harvested over 1,000 bushels of potatoes from 11 acres of land.

Rev. F. E. Wright, formerly pastor of the Baptist church, Stockbridge, died in St. Johns, Oct. 5.

The Stockbridge fair held last week was not so much of a success as some of its predecessors have been.

The amount paid in death claims by the Modern Woodman society up to the first of October aggregated \$17,929,899 80.

The Congregationalists of Grass Lake have just succeeded in raising a debt of \$650, and have \$200 in the treasury besides.

The Grass Lake News is for sale, and Editor Carlton who has conducted its destinies for 13 years says it is a good property.

Twenty-five of the losses incurred by the Washtenaw Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. this year were caused by lightning.

W. P. Schenk & Co. have bought the Herring & Gates' stock of groceries at Grass Lake and put it into their store in that village.

Chelsea high school boys played a game of baseball with the Stockbridge high school boys at the Stockbridge fair last Thursday and were defeated.

Dr. Morrison, of Muskegon, was in town a couple of days last week, looking over the country with a view to possibly locating here and practicing his profession.

Rev. Julius Klingmann, of Weinsberg, has received a call to the pastorate of the Bethel Lutheran church, of Bay City. It is not thought that Mr. Klingman will accept the call.

The Chelsea Band has received from Hon. H. C. Smith, with his compliments the band music score of the march and two-step dedicated to him and called "The Smithsonian Two-Step."

The highest wages ever paid in the history of Michtgan lumbering will be paid this winter. Men are scarce and lumbermen will pay from \$26 to \$30 a month and board for good men.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Hindelang, of Albion, was buried in Mt. Olivet cemetery yesterday. Funeral services were held at St. Mary's church, conducted by Rev. W. P. Considine.

At the tenth district Republican senatorial convention held in Manchester, Thursday, Hugh Loesser, of Jackson, was nominated by a vote of 28 to 11. His opponent was Dr. Palmer, of Brooklyn.

Dennis Leach, of Waterloo, says he has nearly 1,000 bushels of potatoes off 4½ acres of land. These are the tubers which the Herald made mention of some weeks ago as never having had a potato bug on them.

The family of J. G. Thompson, editor of the Dexter Leader, had a lively time for a short period the other day with a pet puppy, which to all appearances had gone mad. The puppy was finally cornered in a bedroom and shot.

Stockbridge Brief: We have heard many flattering remarks about the Lyndon cheese. It is very evident that the milk is not skimmed before using. [They surely know a good thing when they buy it over there at Stockbridge.—Ed.]

Every school district has some literary money, which can not be legally expended for any other purpose. The Book Auction has the best dictionaries in the world. The Encyclopaedia in 4 vols., Funk & Wagnall's Standard, Webster's International, and Webster's Encyclopedia, the Unabridged, the High School and a host of smaller books of the kind suitable for the desk. Then we have the best encyclopedias and histories written, and complete sets of the classic and modern poets, and of the masters of fiction whose works can with safety be placed in the hands of the young. A brief visit to the Book Auction will convince you and at the same time it will surprise you to see how large a library a few dollars will purchase.

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Question of Strike Settlement Rests with Operators.

Indications That They Will Agree to the Demands Made by the Miners' Convention Are Not Hopeful.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 16.—The threatened march of striking mine workers to the Panther Creek valley started from this section Monday night. The objective points of the marchers are Lansford in Carbon county, and Coal-dale in Schuylkill county. These towns are about 20 miles south of Hazleton, and the strikers expected to reach their destination early this morning. Most of the collieries in this section are operated by the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company. They have been working all through the strike, despite the efforts of the numerous organizers sent to that district for the purpose of inducing the men to quit. Other points in the Panther Creek valley where collieries are still in operation are Nesquehoning and Summit Hill.

President Mitchell's Views.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 16.—President Mitchell and the other of the strike leaders who remained over Sunday in this city left for Hazleton Monday afternoon. Before his departure Mr. Mitchell expressed himself as highly pleased and gratified at the general courteous treatment that he had met with during his stay in Scranton. He settled effectively the dispute as to whether or not the resolutions contemplate that the operators' offer must also be amended by striking off the codicil that the decrease in the price of powder is to be computed in figuring the advance in wages. "The advance must be a flat one," said Mr. Mitchell. "Where powder is being sold for \$2.75 a keg the excessive charge will be one of the grievances that the company will be called upon to take up when the men are accorded the conferences that their respective employers agreed in the posted notices to give them on their return to work." In the face of the pronounced declaration of the operators that the offer must be accepted as it stands this is regarded here as another serious obstacle to a speedy settlement.

There was no conference Monday of operators at the Temple Iron company's office as reported there would be, or if there was, the operators declare they know nothing of it. Mr. Watkins, president of the Temple company, declared that no conference had taken place and that none was to take place. "We have nothing to confer about," said Mr. Watkins. "We have nothing to do but wait for our employees to accept or reject our offer as it was made, as it stands and as it will stand. There will be no modifications of that offer."

A Hopeful Feeling.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 16.—The striking miners of the Wyoming valley are anxiously awaiting to hear what answer the operators will make to the demands of the Scranton convention. There is a hopeful feeling among the men that the concessions asked for will be granted, but nobody feels sure of an early settlement, and there will be no relief from the present anxiety until some definite information is received from the coal magates in New York. If the big coal carrying companies fall in line and conclude to accept the counter-proposition made by the men, the individual operators will acquiesce, and there will be resumption of operations in a short time. The representatives of the coal companies in this section say they have no news to give out beyond the fact that the ten per cent. increase in wages offered by the companies some time ago still holds good.

At strikers' headquarters it was given out that the men would not return to work until they had been notified to do so by the executive board of the United Mine Workers. If the companies did not meet the men half way and accept the decision of the strike convention as final, the strike would go on. One of the officers of the United Mine Workers said the strikers were in good shape yet, and could carry on the battle for some time yet without entailing much suffering to the men or their families.

Situation in Shamokin.

Shamokin, Pa., Oct. 16.—Committees of United Mine Workers have been calling on miners Monday afternoon and evening to warn them not to pay attention to petitions being circulated by agents of several coal carrying companies asking miners to return to work pending a settlement between the operators, coal carrying companies and miners. The committees are informing the men that operators are trying to effect a stampede among the men in order to break up the strike, and that it is probable the operators have decided not to comply with the demands of the Scranton convention. Most of the miners in this section of the Ninth district assert that they will not return to work until President Mitchell advises them to do so. Operators continue asserting that they will not sign an agreement to pay the men a ten per cent. increase to last until April. Everything continues quiet in this region.

TAKE YOUR CHOICE.

Political Forecasters Figure Out the Election of Both Bryan and McKinley.

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 15.—The following statement over the signature of J. A. Edgerton, the secretary, is given out by the people's party national committee:

"The following states may be classed as certain to cast their electoral votes for Bryan:

Alabama	11	Nebraska	3
Arkansas	8	Nevada	3
Colorado	8	North Carolina	11
Florida	9	South Carolina	9
Georgia	13	Tennessee	12
Idaho	3	Texas	15
Louisiana	8	Utah	3
Mississippi	9	Virginia	12
Missouri	17		
Montana	3	Total	153

"Added to these are the following states, that will probably cast their votes for Bryan:

Illinois	24	South Dakota	4
Indiana	15	Washington	4
Kansas	10	West Virginia	6
Kentucky	13		
Maryland	8	Total	84

"These added to 153 certain give 237, or 13 more than a majority in the electoral college. Outside of these certain and probable states are the following doubtful:

California	9	North Dakota	3
Connecticut	6	Ohio	23
Delaware	3	Oregon	4
Michigan	14	Pennsylvania	32
Minnesota	9	Rhode Island	4
Missouri	17	South Dakota	4
New Hampshire	4	Vermont	4
New Jersey	10	Washington	4
New York	36	West Virginia	6
		Wisconsin	12
		Wyoming	3
		Total	270

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Mississippi	9		
Montana	3	Total	115

Even Chances.

Delaware	3	Nevada	3
Kentucky	13	Utah	3
Maryland	8		
Nebraska	3	Total	38

Sixty to Forty in Favor of Democrats.

Colorado	8	Missouri	17
Idaho	3	Total	24

KILLED AT A CROSSING.

Train Strikes a Buggy Near Newcastle, Pa.—Three Persons Lose Their Lives.

Newcastle, Pa., Oct. 15.—A terrible grade crossing accident in which three persons were instantly killed and one probably fatally injured occurred Saturday night at Robinson's Crossing, about five miles west of this place. Four people occupied a double seated rig which was struck by passenger train No. 16, the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie east-bound flyer. The team escaped, but the buggy was demolished and three of the occupants literally ground to pieces. The injured man and the three bodies were brought to Newcastle. The dead bodies were taken to Dutton's undertaking establishment. One is a man and the other children, a girl apparently about 15 years old, and a boy about ten. The girl is frightfully mangled and was brought to Newcastle in a sack. The faces of both children are so horribly mangled as to be beyond recognition. The man's face and part of his head are gone. When searched by Coroner Porter \$30 was found on his person, but no papers by which he could be identified.

WILL TRY ARBITRATION.

Powers Will Submit Conflicting Points in Chinese Settlement to International Court.

Washington, Oct. 15.—The Russian suggestion that the international court of arbitration of The Hague be given jurisdiction over divergencies of views arising on the question of Chinese indemnities, was submitted to Secretary Hay by M. de Wollant, the Russian charge d'affaires in Washington, in a note on October 3. It has received the adherence of the American, the French and the Russian governments, thus giving the suggestion the approval of three of the foremost powers, and strong assurance of its general adoption. M. de Wollant's note has not been made public. It can be stated, however, that it was the result of extended exchanges between the French and Russian governments relative to the six proposals in the French note. It expressed approval of the various proposals, and then added the new suggestion relative to giving The Hague tribunal jurisdiction of indemnity in case there should be divergence of views.

STATE THEIR TERMS.

Miners' Convention Acts on Offer of the Operators.

Acceptance of the Ten Per Cent. Rate Will Be Made Providing Other Concessions Asked Are Granted.

Scranton, Pa., Oct. 15.—Prospects for a settlement of the anthracite coal miners' strike are apparently as far off as ever. This in spite of the fact that the miners' convention on Saturday, after two days of deliberation, decided to accept the advance of ten per cent. offered by the operators. Coupled with this acceptance, however, were certain counter propositions which it is almost certain the operators will refuse to accept and which render nugatory all the efforts so far made toward an agreement. The proposition of the miners is that they will accept the increase in wages provided the operators will agree to continue the payment of the advance until next April and will abolish the sliding scale. If the operators consider the proposition unacceptable the miners are willing to arbitrate the questions at issue. They also decided to continue the strike until the operators agree to the convention's proposition. The result is as follows:

"We, your committee, further respectfully submit for your consideration: "Whereas, the anthracite coal operators have posted notices offering an advance of ten per cent. over wages formerly paid and have signified their willingness to adjust our grievances with their employees. "Whereas, they have failed to specify the length of time this advance would remain in force, and have also failed to abolish the sliding scale method of determining wages, we would recommend:

"That this convention accept an advance of ten per cent., providing the operators will continue its payment until April 1, 1901, and will abolish the sliding scale in the Lehigh and Schuylkill regions, the scale of wages in the last two named districts to remain stationary at ten per cent. above the present basis price, and that the companies will agree to adjust other grievances complained of with committees of their own employees.

"Should this proposition be unacceptable to the operators, we recommend that the convention propose that all questions at issue be submitted to a fair and impartial board of arbitration.

"We further recommend that under no circumstances whatever should there be a resumption of work at any of the collieries until the operators signify their acceptance of this proposition and you are notified officially that the strike is ended and all return to work in a body on the same day."

Long Contest Predicted.

Judging by the unanimity of the miners in accepting the above resolution and by the determined stand taken by the operators it is believed that a long contest between the strikers and the mine owners is not unlikely. There was great enthusiasm in the convention when the counter proposition to the operators was carried and three cheers were given for President Mitchell. The resolutions were drafted by a committee of 13, appointed at the morning session, of which the national president was chairman.

When Mr. Mitchell was asked in what manner the operators would be notified, in view that they do not recognize the United Mine Workers, he said the employers would probably find it out through the newspapers.

Individual Operators Silent.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 15.—The individual coal operators who could be seen here Sunday declined to discuss the action taken by the anthracite miners' convention at Scranton Saturday. Neither would they say what steps the employers would probably take. It is evident from their reticence that the individual mine owners are waiting to see what the large coal-carrying railroads that mine coal will do. It is reported in the coal region that the presidents of these roads will hold a conference in New York to-day for discussion of the action of the convention.

There was a story afloat Sunday that the operators will accept the convention's decision, but nothing has come to the surface in this region on which to base the report. The United Mine Workers' officials say they are now again waiting on the operators and that they will continue to close up the collieries that have been in operation since the strike began, four weeks ago. There are many reports in circulation that if the strike continues much longer a break in the ranks of the idle men will occur. President Mitchell and his associate officials, however, reassert their confidence that the men, both union and nonunion, will remain away from the mines until the strike is declared off.

Think Strike Will End.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 15.—A canvass of the operators of the Wyoming valley shows that there is considerable opposition to granting the miners any more concessions than those outlined in the original offer, namely, ten per cent. increase without any conditions. The individual operators especially are opposed to tying themselves up to any agreement. One operator said the only way the strike can be settled is for the strikers to accept the ten per cent. without any provisions. Despite the views of the operators, the impression here is that the strike will be ended this week.



THE APRICOT HARVEST.

Out in Arizona the Entire Population, Men, Women and Children, Are Interested in It.

Like hop picking in the Mohawk valley, cranberry gathering on the Jersey and Cape Cod bogs or huckleberry harvest on the granite hills of New England, "cot" picking and packing in the Salt river valley of Arizona is an industry shared by the entire family. From the time the fruit "sets," in early April, bright eyes watch its rapid development, and small fingers keep pinching the spheres to see if they are getting meadow, for to the children "cot" harvest means the jolliest kind of a holiday. The birds, too—red-winged blackbirds and clear throated mockingbirds—are on the qui vive, as is abundantly attested by the flash of circling wings, the chorus of song and the punctures left in the ripening fruit by the sharp bills of these connoisseurs in fruit.

As the auspicious day draws near (and the Arizonians pride themselves on antedating by a week at least the earliest California shipment) all other work is suspended. By sunrise the whole family is astir, and while the women prepare breakfast the pickers are busy in the laden orchards. As fast



WHEAT FOR APRICOTS.

as gathered the brimming baskets are carried to the brush sheds, where the women and older children sort and pack the fruit. It is arranged carefully in layers, separated by paper.

All the ripest ones are rejected as liable to spoil in transit. These are not wasted, however, for the Pima and Maricopa Indians from the reservations have watched the ripening of the crop quite as solicitously as the birds and the children. With surprising prescience the first day of the harvest sees a dusky procession afoot, horseback or crowded into a dilapidated lumber wagon, all with mouths watering for the delicious fruit. There is no money used in this transaction, sacks and baskets of wheat being the commodity with which the Indians barter. It is the women, of course, who carry the burden, splendidly poised on their heads, while a papoose slung over the shoulder or a youngster riding astride the maternal hips rounds out the picture.

Keen at a bargain are these redskins, and the "cots" are critically examined and passed upon before the wheat is poured into the waiting bags.—N. Y. Tribune.

DISCUSS THE SERVANT GIRL.

Attendants at the Household Economic Association Consider Problems of the Day.

The National Household Economic convention at Toronto, Ont., the other day was addressed by Mrs. Hoodless, of Hamilton, Ont., who said that the Ontario government was the first in the world, so far as she has been able to learn, to have a normal school for domestic science teaching.

At the afternoon session the all-absorbing "servant girl problem" came up for debate. In comment on the suggestion that, as there are 100 typewriter girls seeking places to one cook, commercial education for girls be dropped out of the public school curriculum and cooking put in its place, Mrs. Helen Campbell made a speech saying the age was one of progress, and the domestic, after long years, was coming to her own. Those engaged in this work were going to rise in the social plane, she said, possibly by the general adoption of the New Zealand system of domestic labor bureaus, graduated wages, and other regulations raising service to the status of a trade.

Mrs. Florence Kelley said her experience in Hull house, Chicago, had proved that the real objection to domestic service was that it separated girls from their own home life.

How to Keep Lemons.

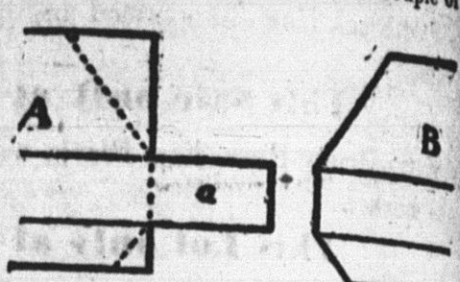
To keep lemons as well as to improve their flavor, put them into more than enough water to cover them and change it every day or two.

HOME PICTURE FRAMING.

If the Hints Here Given Are Followed Anyone Can Learn to Make "Passe Partouts."

A great amount of pleasure and much profit are combined in practicing at home the art of making the simple picture frames known as "passe partouts." It is an art that should recommend itself to one, for it requires no great skill or deftness, and if the hints given here are utilized the result is sure to be artistic.

The materials needed are a piece of glass of the size desired, a sheet of stiff bristol board, another of thick cardboard, a "mat" of the desired size and tint, and a strip of the "passe partout" binding, which may be of the same tint as the "mat" or a shade darker. Some photographer's paste and a couple of



MAKING A PASSE PARTOUT.

small "picture rings" for hanging the picture are also needed.

Place the glass over the sheet of bristol board and cut around the glass with a sharp penknife. Cut the cardboard in the same way. Then mount the picture to be framed upon the bristol board, using the photographer's paste. With the aid of a pencil and ruler there will be no difficulty in mounting the picture exactly in the center of the bristol board card. Then fasten the picture rings in the cardboard and place the cardboard and bristol board together. Place the "mat" over the bristol board card and the glass over the "mat." Now measure the sides and cut four strips of the "passe partout" binding to correspond, taking care to have each strip half an inch longer than the side to which it corresponds. Press each strip firmly over the edge it is to bind, leaving the extra half inch free at one end. Now cut the ends of the strips to correspond with the two figures in the cut below.

The extra half-inch is A. Now spread the under side of the binding strips with the photographer's paste and press the strips firmly around the edges. The dotted line in A shows where B overlaps A after the strips are pasted down. Put a heavy weight on the picture for a couple of hours. It can then be hung.

It is not essential to use a "mat" in framing pictures in this way. If a "mat" is not used great care must be taken that the picture, before it is mounted, is neatly trimmed around the edges, and that the bristol board on which it is to be mounted, is free from spots or dust. If the "mat" is used cardboard may be substituted for the bristol board, as, of course, it will not be in evidence after the picture is framed. The white "mat" is always neat and pretty. Almost all shades of gray give very charming effects. Very dark crimson and a dark, rich shade of green are both in good taste. Experiments with "mats" of any other color are apt to be unsatisfactory. Too pronounced or too brilliant colors soon grow wearisome to the eye.—N. Y. Tribune.

WOMEN MUST WEAR HATS.

Priest Scores Female Parishioners for Attending Mass with Bare Heads.

Rev. Father McGrath, rector of St. John's church at Fishkill Landing, N. Y., delivered a discourse in which he scored the young women members of his parish for appearing at mass without hats, and gave notice that no shirt-waist men would be allowed to attend services at his church at any time. The parish of St. John's is a large one, and is made up of members of many of the prominent families of the town. Rev. Father McGrath is an eloquent preacher. Some time ago he delivered a sermon to the young men, and scored them for coming to services alone and allowing the young women to depart for home alone. He also urged them to marry.

Father McGrath said that at services people should wear their best hats and clothes. Not even sailor hats or toques should be worn at mass, he said, but women should adorn themselves in their best bonnets. He said that many times during the last summer he noticed a great number attending church without their headgear, and it was his intention to call them by name on these occasions and reprimand them, but they had always occupied extreme back seats in the church.

However, now that the cool weather was setting in, he would give his congregation fair warning that any new departure in the manner referred to would not be tolerated next summer. He considered it a vulgar practice, and did not approve of it, even on the street. He also said that, although the shirt-waist men had not made their appearance in his church, he wished to warn them that they would not be allowed to do so at any time.

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Antiquities of Baseball.
A north Missouri editor, who first studied baseball rules while a Sunday school boy, enters into the following antiquities of the national game: "The devil was the first coacher. Eve stole first. Adam stole second. When Isaac met Rebecca at the well she was walking with a pitcher. Sampson struck a good many when he beat the Philistines. Moses made his first run when he slew the Egyptians. Cain made a base hit when he killed Abel. Abraham made a sacrifice. The prodigal son made a home run. David was a long-distance thrower and Moses shut out the Egyptians at the Red Sea."—Chicago Chronicle.

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He Wants a Pension.
The following letter was addressed to the war department by a colored citizen of Georgia recently: "Mister War—Dear Sir: I wuz thinkin' 'bout j'inin' de army, en I write dis let ter you know 'bout it. What does you give fer de shootin' off er one leg? En, 'spose I lost my head by runnin' 'gin a bumshell; what would I git fer dat? I a po' man wid one wife dat ain't able ter make a livin' fer me; en I wants ter git on de pension list. Do, ef you please, gimme a chance ter git shoot up, en I'll vote fer you wen you runs ergin!"—Chicago Chronicle.

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Mr. Nurox (with blood in his eye)—"Looker here! I left an order with you yesterday for a dozen bottles of the best Made'ry wine in yer old shop."
Wine Merchant—Yes, sir, weren't they delivered?
"Say, the stuff you sent me was so stale the bottles had dust on 'em an inch thick. You can't work no shop-worn truck off on me."—Philadelphia Press.

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Sad Fate of Ancestors.
"I tell you, fate is going to be the salvation of the nation. It is going to make athletic men and women out of our puny offsprings and lengthen our days by decades." "But our ancestors didn't go in for golf." "And where are they now? Dead! All dead!"—Boston Journal.

Does Coffee Agree with You?
If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it, but after using it one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." It nourishes and feeds the system. Children can drink it freely with great benefit. It is the strengthening substance of pure grains. Get a package to-day from your grocer, follow directions in making, and you will have a delicious and healthful beverage for old and young. 15c and 25c.

Perfectly safe.
Watts—Do you really believe anyone will ever invent a perfectly safe flying machine?
Potts—There are dozens of 'em now. They can't get high enough in the air to be in any danger.—Indianapolis Press.

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 25c and 50c.

Meant Every Word of It.
Oldsail (grimly)—How do you like yachting, old man?
Landlubb (seasick, very weakly)—Why, I could die yachting!—Puck.

We refund 10c for every package of PUTNAM FADELESS DYES that fails to give satisfaction. Monroe Drug Co., Unionville, Mo. Sold by all druggists.

After a woman finally decides where to place her bureau she begins to long for next house cleaning time, when she can change it.—Acheson Globe.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c.

When patronizing a Boston hotel don't forget that "culinary symposium" on the bill of fare means hash.—Chicago Daily News.

The Mexicans ally their thirst by chewing Chicla, which is the main ingredient of White's "Yucatan" Gum.

The girl who turns up her nose at sight of a broom is always glad enough to sweep down the aisle when she's married.—Philadelphia Record.

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A blind man never sees anything he wants.—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.

THE HALL OF FAME.

Full List of the Famous Americans Given a Place on Its Tablets.

New York, Oct. 13.—The election in the Hall of Fame contest was concluded Friday, when the senate of the New York university assembled and passed upon the list of eligibles submitted to that body by the committee, which for the last three days has been counting the votes. The total number of names submitted to the 100 judges was 252. Though the standard of eligibility had been placed as low as 51 votes, only 13 of the nominees had reached that standard. It was the names of such nominees that were submitted to the senate and that body, in which is vested the power of absolute and preemptory veto, on this occasion, confined itself to simple confirmation of the committee's findings. According to this decision the following famous men were accorded a place on the tablets of the Hall of Fame: George Washington, 97 (the full vote); Abraham Lincoln, 96; Daniel Webster, 96; Benjamin Franklin, 94; U. S. Grant, 92; John Marshall, 91; Thomas Jefferson, 90; Ralph Waldo Emerson, 88; Henry W. Longfellow, 94; Washington Irving, 82; Jonathan Edwards, 82; David G. Farragut, 79; Samuel F. B. Morse, 79; Henry Clay, 74; George Peabody, 72; Nathaniel Hawthorne, 72; Robert E. Lee, 69; Peter Cooper, 68; Horace Mann, 67; Henry Ward Beecher, 66; Eli Whitney, 66; James Kent, 65; Joseph Story, 64; John Adams, 61; William Ellery Channing, 58; James Audubon, 57; Elias Howe, 53; William Morris Hunt, 52; Gilbert Stuart, 52; Ann Gray, 51.

AMBUSHED BY BOERS.

Party of Engineers Attacked and Capt. Stewart Killed and Others Wounded and Captured.

London, Oct. 12.—The following dispatch has been received from Lord Roberts: "Pretoria, Wednesday, Oct. 10.—An engine with a truck conveying a party of engineers belonging to Paget's rifle brigade, while proceeding yesterday, to Kaapmuiden, was ambushed by Boers. Capt. Stewart, with 40 men of the rifle brigade, went to their support. The casualties, unfortunately, were heavy. Stewart and one private were killed. Capt. Paget, Lieut. Stubbs and five engineers were wounded and Lieut. Sewell and ten of the rifle brigade were made prisoners. De Lisle's mounted men and colonials, after three days' fighting, have driven De Wet north of the Vaal, near Venterskroon. De Wet has been assuring the burghers that Europe would stop the war October 10. The Boers were thus buoyed with the hope that something would intervene to end the war in their favor. I trust they now realize how futile were their expectations."

For Good Government.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 11.—The fourth annual convention of the National Good Government league will be held in the city of Allegheny, Pa., November 28, 29 and 30, 1900. The aims and objects of this movement, briefly stated, are:

1. To unite for mutual encouragement all friends of good government.
 2. Elimination of corruption from city, state and national politics.
 3. Extension of self-government by means of direct legislation through the initiative and referendum.
 4. Promotion of the practice of good citizenship and the study and advancement of good government.
- All organizations throughout the United States wishing to cooperate with this league in obtaining the objects mentioned are entitled to representation.

Buried in One Grave.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 10.—The bodies of the wife, three daughters, granddaughter and niece of Capt. James Corrigan were lowered together into one large grave in Lakeview cemetery, Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Sprecher, of the Euclid Avenue Presbyterian church, conducted the services. On July 7, the schooner yacht Idler, owned by Capt. Corrigan, capsized in a squall on this port and Mrs. James Corrigan and Ida Corrigan, Jane Corrigan and Mrs. Rieley, her daughter, and baby Rieley, were drowned. The last of the bodies was recovered only a few days ago. Miss Mabelle Hall, a niece of Capt. Corrigan, and a beloved inmate of his home, died within the last week and she was buried with the victims of the wreck.

The Wisconsin Is Speedy.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The official report of the trial trip of the battleship Wisconsin off Lower California is contained in the following brief telegram received by Secretary Long from Admiral Hantz, commanding the Pacific station at Santa Barbara: "Wisconsin completed satisfactory official trial, making 17.1 knots, subject to tidal corrections."

The secretary also received Friday morning the following telegram from I. M. Scott, president of the Union iron works, which constructed the battleship: "The Wisconsin presents her record 18.54 maximum; average for 32 knots, 17.9; average during trial, 17.25, subject to corrections. Not a hitch. A splendid battleship. We congratulate you."

A Three Days' Fight.

London, Oct. 10.—The Times publishes the following dispatch from Vredfort, Orange River Colony: "The British column had a three days' fight, from October 5 to October 7, inclusive, with Gen. De Wet's commando of 1,000 men and five guns. It took place in a veritable sea of mountains near here. The Boers were dislodged and dispersed, and they fled demoralized. The British casualties were slight."

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Not Pleading.

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Have You a Good Windmill?

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How My Throat Hurts!—Why don't you use Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar? Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

There is no individual liberty apart from social responsibility.—Ram's Horn.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Oct. 16.	
LIVE STOCK—Steers.....	\$4 70 @ 5 75
Hogs.....	5 30 @ 5 55
Sheep.....	2 75 @ 4 25
FLOUR—Wheat.....	55 @ 3 65
Minnesota Patents.....	4 20 @ 4 50
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	79 1/2 @ 80 1/2
October.....	78 1/2 @ 79 1/2
CORN—No. 2.....	47 1/2 @ 48 1/2
October.....	46 1/2 @ 47 1/2
OATS—No. 2.....	25 1/2 @ 26 1/2
BUTTER—Creamery.....	18 @ 21
Factory.....	13 @ 16
CHEESE.....	10 1/2 @ 11
EGGS.....	16 @ 21

CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Prime Beefsteers.....	\$5 65 @ 5 90
Texas Steers.....	4 00 @ 4 80
Stockers.....	2 20 @ 3 70
Feeders.....	3 75 @ 4 60
Bulls.....	2 60 @ 4 50
HOGS—Light.....	4 75 @ 5 15
Rough Packing.....	4 30 @ 4 10
SHEEP.....	3 50 @ 4 10
BUTTER—Creamery.....	17 1/2 @ 21
Dairy.....	14 @ 17
EGGS—Fresh.....	25 @ 29
POTATOES (per bushel).....	11 20 @ 11 30
PORK—January.....	6 55 @ 6 65
LARD—January.....	5 75 @ 6 05
RIBS—January.....	7 1/2 @ 7 42
GRAIN—Wheat, November.....	37 1/2 @ 37 3/4
Corn, November.....	24 1/2 @ 25 1/2
Oats, November.....	21 1/2 @ 21 3/4
Rye, No. 2.....	50 1/2 @ 51
Barley, Fair to Good.....	50 @ 55

MILWAUKEE.

GRAIN—Wheat, No. 1 Nor'n.....	75 @ 78 1/2
Oats, No. 2 White.....	25 1/2 @ 25 3/4
Rye, No. 1.....	52 @ 53 1/2
Barley, No. 2.....	57 @ 58

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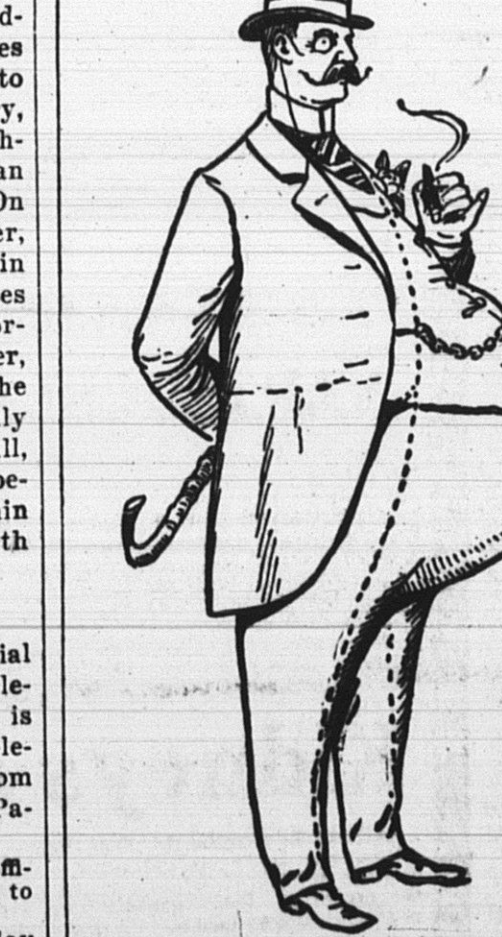
GRAIN—Wheat, December.....	66 1/2 @ 66 3/4
Corn, December.....	32 1/2 @ 32 3/4
Oats, No. 2 White.....	24 1/2 @ 25 1/2
Rye, No. 2.....	48 1/2 @ 49 1/2

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CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$3 50 @ 5 90
Texas Steers.....	3 30 @ 4 35
HOGS—Packers.....	4 80 @ 5 00
Butchers.....	4 90 @ 5 10
SHEEP—Native Muttons.....	3 75 @ 4 10

OMAHA.

CATTLE—Native Steers.....	\$4 25 @ 5 60
Cows and Heifers.....	3 10 @ 3 75
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 50 @ 4 65
HOGS—Mixed.....	4 80 @ 4 85
SHEEP—Western Muttons.....	3 65 @ 4 20



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PERSONALS.

B. Parker was in Detroit on business Friday.

Miss Mary Miller spent Sunday in Mendon.

Rev. L. Koelbing was an Ann Arbor visitor Thursday.

The Misses Mary and Maggie Miller were in Detroit Tuesday on business.

Herman Vogel, of Detroit, spent Sunday here with his brother Ed. Vogel.

Mrs. Geo. P. Staffan was in Grass Lake Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Foster.

B. Parker went to Lansing Tuesday evening where he was called as a witness in a lawsuit.

Rev. F. A. Stiles and wife went to Flint Tuesday to attend a state meeting of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Martin Howe left last week for an extended visit with relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

Rev. C. S. Jones and son Merie visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Jones in Ann Arbor Monday.

Mrs. F. F. Thatcher returned this morning from an extended visit through some of the western states.

Mrs. C. S. Jones and children returned home Saturday night from a brief visit with her parents in Charlotte.

Roy. C. S. Jones went to Grass Lake yesterday to attend the meeting of the Jackson Congregational Association.

Rev. G. Eichen, superintendent of the Zoar Orphan Asylum, Detroit, was in Chelsea the past week on business connected with that institution.

Mrs. H. S. Holmes, J. G. Webster, E. E. Shaver, D. C. Wurster and A. A. VanTyne attended the Congregational Association meeting at Grass Lake yesterday.

Rev. J. H. McIntosh and daughter, of Morenci, were guests of Rev. J. I. Nickerson and family and other friends in Chelsea from Friday to yesterday. Mr. McIntosh preached in the M. E. church Sunday morning.

Ladies are especially invited to attend the Book Auctions and if more convenient for them to come in while public sales are not in progress, they will be welcome at any hour. An immense variety of works of particular interest to ladies, such as cookery books, viz.: The White House, the Home Queen, the Pure Food, the Chautauqua, the Ideal, the Every Day, the House-keepers' Helper. Also cook books in the German language are to be had very cheap. Auction sales for ladies exclusively will be arranged for in a few days.

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Lyndon.

A J. Boyce has had a new cement windmill tank erected.

Brettenbach & Forner are threshing beans in the north part of the town and in the south part of Unadilla.

Husking corn and digging potatoes is the order of business at present with farmers, and both are turning out well.

George Doody, of North Lake, is canvassing the town for a book which gives the history of the Galveston disaster, and seems to sell a good many.

Mrs. Chas. A. Sortor, of Chicago, who has been visiting friends in Adrian, Jackson and Toledo, is now spending the week with her sister Mrs. John Clark.

Mr. A. B. Skidmore made a trip to Leslie and Mason and other points on that line with a load of cheese last week and disposed of about 75 cheese on the trip. The factory has a fine market for their cheese in that direction.

The stockholders of the Lyndon cheese factory contemplate building a cold storage house this fall. They have been storing cheese in the Mason cold storage this season and like the results so well that they think one of their own would be more convenient as well as more profitable.

When you see a young man, and sometimes an older one, drive into your yard nowadays you can put it down that he wants to sell you a book or coupons on a buggy, so that he may get a buggy for \$4, and you, if you want to do some hustling can get one too, though he is not so anxious about your chances as he is of his own. Some will get left.

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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Abram Polhemus, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet, at the office of Carver & Wedemeyer, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, on Saturday, the 12th day of January, and on Friday, the 13th day of April, next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated, Oct. 12, 1900. 12
GEO. CHAPIN, Commissioners.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the 17th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Edward H. Clark, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of Frances H. Chapin, praying that the administration de bonis non of said estate may be granted to Noah W. Cheever or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 19th day of October, 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 held at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the 13th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Forester Allison, deceased.

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

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 22nd 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 held at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1900, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of John Boisel, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 25th day of March next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 24th day of December and on the 25th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated Ann Arbor, Sept. 24, A. D. 1900. 9
H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 24th day of Sept., A. D. 1900, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Vincent Crittenden, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 25th day of March next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 24th day of December and on the 25th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, Sept. 24, A. D. 1900. 9
H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1900, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Joseph K. Tuttle, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 1st day of April next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on the 2d day of January and on the 1st day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Oct. 1, A. D. 1900. 10
H. WIRT NEWKIRK, Judge of Probate.

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. Satisfactory 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. 10
E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

JOHN P. KIRK, Complainant's Solicitor.

Attest: 9 CHARLES AWREY, Deputy Register.

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Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by James W. Fulton and Sarah M. Fulton, his wife, to Noah W. Cheever, dated June 6th, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds in Washtenaw county, Michigan, Book 880, page 380, which said mortgage was signed by said Noah W. Cheever, dated April 4th, A. D. 1882, and only a default in said mortgage, by which the power of sale contained in said mortgage became operative, and no suit proceeding in law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and sum of two hundred thirty dollars (\$230.00) being now claimed to be due upon said mortgage. Notice is therefore hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein described, or some part thereof, to-wit: All of the following described land situated in the township of Northfield, the county of Washtenaw, and state of Michigan, viz.: Commencing on section line between sections 5 (5) and 6 (6) said township, four (4) rods and eleven (11) feet north of the quarter stake and in said section line fifteen (15) rods and one (1) foot, thence southeast eleven (11) rods and one (1) foot to a point in the center of the highway which is nine (9) rods east from the place of beginning; thence southwest along the center of the highway nine (9) rods to the place of beginning; public vendue on Saturday, the 5th day of January, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the east front door of the Court house in the city of Ann Arbor, said county of Washtenaw, that being the place of holding circuit court in said county.

Dated October 9, A. D. 1900. DWIGHT B. CHEEVER, Assignee of Mortgage.

NOAH W. CHEEVER, Attorney for Assignee.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by George F. Lomas, Ann E. Lomas, Florence E. Lomas and George F. Lomas to the Ann Arbor Savings Bank, dated the 17th day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and which was recorded in the register's office in Washtenaw county in the state of Michigan, on the 17th day of July, 1895, at ten o'clock and 40 minutes p. m., in favor of mortgagee, on page 126, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due as of the date of this notice \$694.36, no suit having been instituted to recover the money secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1900, at ten o'clock a. m., at the east front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw county, Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for said county is held), there will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, and the legal costs of the foreclosure, including the attorney's fees allowed by law. The premises so to be sold are described as follows: The northeast quarter of section one, in the township of Seco, in said county; also the east half of the southeast quarter of section 26, in the township of Webster, in said county; also the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section six, in the township of Ann Arbor, in said county.

Dated September 15, 1900. ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.

W. D. HARRIMAN, Attorney

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery. Marguerite Landon complainant vs Truman B. Landon defendant. State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, ss. Fred W. Green, being duly sworn, says that he is solicitor for the complainant in the above entitled cause, and that he is informed that the defendant, Truman B. Landon, resides out of the said State of Michigan and in the State of Ohio.

FRED W. GREEN, Solicitor for Complainant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of October, A. D. 1900.

PHILIP BLUM, Jr., Notary Public, Washtenaw County, Michigan.

State of Michigan: In the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery. Upon due proof by affidavit that Truman B. Landon, defendant, in the above entitled cause pending in this court, resides out of the said State of Michigan and in the State of Ohio, and on motion of Fred W. Green, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that the bill of complaint filed in the said cause within two months from the date of this order, the said bill of complaint shall be taken as confessed. And further, that this order be published within twenty days from this date, in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed in said County of Washtenaw, and be published there once in each week for six weeks in succession; such publication, however, shall not be necessary in case a copy of the order be served on the said defendant personally, at least twenty days before the time herein prescribed for his appearance.

Dated this 4th day of October, A. D. 1900.

E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

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