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Hosiery and Underwear.

We have placed on sale a lot of Hosiery bought at much less than value, of a manufacturer that was closing out all stock on hand. These goods are just as they come from the mills. "Run of the Mill," some dealers call them—because they are not sorted over at all. This leaves some among the lot with slight imperfections—as a dropped stitch, an imperfect finished seam, or some other slight imperfection that will not in the least impair the wearing qualities. This mill makes the best wearing goods on the market.

Women's Fast Black Hose, will wear as well as any hose in our department at 25c pair. This sale 10c pair or 3 pair for 25c.

Women's Fast Black Hose—same goods as above—but of a much finer thread and texture at 15c pair or 2 pair for 25c.

Women's Fast Black Woolen Hose—Special value at 25c.

Boy's special value—Fast Black Hose—fine ribbed and heavy ribbed seamless—regular 19c value. This sale only, at 10c pair.

Boy's extra heavy hose—Fast Black—will wear as well as any 25c hose on the market. This lot only at 15c.

Boy's 25c Wool Hose. This sale only at 19c.

UNDERWEAR.

For a short time only at these prices.

We have some especially good items in Underwear that we offer while while they last.

Men's White Merino shirts and drawers 25c.

Natural Pile extra heavy shirts and drawers—plain or mottled—worth 75c. This sale 50c.

Women's White Fleece Union Suits—extra good for 35c. Worth 59c.

Women's White or Ecru Vests and Pants 50c quality for 39c.

Children's—all sizes—very heavy and fine fleeced Vests and Pants—ribbed—35c quality for 25c.

Women's Wool—natural color—Vests and Pants—all sizes—ribbed—regular \$1.00 value. Now 75c.

SPECIAL VALUE—Women's Black Equestrienne Pants at \$1.00.

H. S. Holmes Mercantile Co.

Agents for Butterick's Patterns and Publications

A CHILD'S PLEA TO KIPLING.

Induces the Famous Author to Continue His "Just So" Stories of Animals.

The plea of a child for more animal stories has induced Rudyard Kipling to add to his series of funny "Just So" tales which have appeared in the Ladies' Home Journal. After the famous author had published the last of that series there was a flood of letters came to the Journal asking for more. One among these was addressed to Mr. Kipling personally, and was forwarded to him in England. It proved to be a letter from a child who pleaded with the author to "give us some more stories about animals; we enjoyed your others very much. There is not much written that we little folks can enjoy, so please, dear Mr. Kipling, write something about my pussy." The earnestness and sincerity of the child appealed very strongly to Mr. Kipling, who is exceedingly fond of little folks, and he writes to the Journal saying that he is going to grant that child's request even if he has to disappoint all his other friends.

The Market.

The Chelsea shippers are paying the following prices for the various articles named: red or white wheat 70 cents; oats 20 cents; rye 50 cents; barley 90 to \$1 per hundred; beans \$1.40; clover seed is retelling at \$6.00 and timothy seed at \$2.25; hay \$7 to \$8 per ton; good bright wheat straw \$4; chickens and fowls 6 cents; ducks 5 cents; there is no demand for geese or turkeys at present; beef cattle 2½ to 4½ cents; dressed beef 5 to 7 cents; veal 5 to 5½ cents; dressed veal 7 cents; sheep 2 to 3 cents; lambs 4 to 4½ cents; live hogs 4½ cents; dressed hogs 6 cents; lard 8 cents; tallow 3 cents; green hides 7 cents; pelts 25 to 75 cents; potatoes 20 cents; apples 20 to 25 cents bushel, per barrel 75 cents; drying apples 25 cents per hundred; butter 16 cents; eggs 15 cents.

A Pretty Wedding.

Henderson. (Ky.) Gleaner: A very pretty wedding took place at the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Sandefur on Second street yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Their daughter, Myrtle Sandefur, and Mr. D. B. Sparks, of Chicago, were united in marriage by Rev. Frank M. Thomas of the M. E. church.

Promptly at the appointed time, to a wedding march played by Prof. Bach the contracting parties entered the parlors, preceded by little Misses Margaret Barnes and Hattie Bell Spoehr, who officiated as flower girls.

The bride, who is known as one of Henderson's prettiest young ladies, was charmingly arrayed in a traveling dress of fawn colored broadcloth and carried bride's roses.

After a very pretty wedding ceremony and the congratulations of friends and relatives, the newly wedded couple took the 2:46 train for Detroit, Mich., and other points via Louisville, after which they will be at home in Detroit.

The parlors were beautifully decorated and the list of handsome wedding presents was quite large.

The bride is well known in Henderson where she is greatly admired.

Congressman Smith's Record.

Saturday Evening Star: The Star supported Hon. Henry C. Smith two years ago because, more than for any other reason, he stood for sound money as against Mr. Pierce, his opponent, who was the champion of the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1. It knew but little of Mr. Smith's career at that time beyond the fact that he was a successful lawyer and had won a suit against the great corporation of the Lake Shore railway as against the people, wherein it compelled that railway company to accept the thousand mileage books for any member of the buyer's family. This was sufficient. But his experience in the halls of Congress has served to confirm the endorsement of The Star and to renew it for his re-election. It is well understood that a new member in the national Congress "cuts but little ice," ordinarily. Like the small boy in company, he is supposed to be seen but not heard. Mr. Smith proved an exception to the rule. His strong mental powers, his marked ability to debate and his engaging personality quickly won for him recognition on the part of the old members and his eloquent voice was soon heard and felt on the floor of Congress as well as in the committee room. He succeeded in getting through several bills for suburban mail routes, which is so great a boon to the farmers; he put through innumerable pension bills which had been long hung up, under the reign of Representative Spaulding, and he succeeded, by reason of his influence with the President and Secretary of War, in securing the discharge from the army of at least one young man—who lives in this city—because he was the only son of a widow who needed his support. His position on the Porto Rican tariff bill

when he displayed heroic independence and sturdy manhood, when every other member of Congress from his own State was so firmly against him, especially endeared him to The Star as an independent journal. And though this is not an issue in this campaign, it serves to show none the less of what stuff he is made. Mr. Smith is a native of these United States, and while, like all other American born citizens, he is proud of the fact that he was born under the glorious Stars and Stripes, he is cosmopolitan throughout and he welcomes every man who becomes a citizen of this country without reference to the land of his nativity or whence he came. He is especially friendly to the German-Americans, and his speech in New York when the Boer ambassadors were here stands out conspicuously in his public career. In all things entrusted to him he has proved faithful and competent. He stands for the old flag wherever it floats, whether in the Philippines or in China, and he stands by President McKinley and his masterful diplomacy in the Chinese kingdom, where he seeks no empire and opposes a partition of China, and where his course is being adopted by the great nations of the earth. Do the voters of this great district want to supplant Henry C. Smith for an untitled man like M. G. Loennecker? The Star cannot believe it.

The Youth's Companion's Seventy-Fifth Year.

The new volume of The Youth's Companion for 1901 will mark the paper's seventy-fifth year of continuous publication—seventy five years, during which it has had the approval of three generations of readers. The constant aim of The Companion is to carry into the home reading that shall be helpful as well as entertaining—reading that shall contribute to the pure happiness of all the family. Strong in the assurance that every reader gained is a friend won, the publishers offer to send The Companion free for the remaining weeks of 1900 to those who subscribe now for the new volume for 1901. There will not be an issue from now until 1902 that will not be crowded with good stories and articles of rare interest and value. Diplomats, explorers, sailors, trappers, Indian fighters, story writers and self-made men and women in many vocations, besides the most popular writers of fiction, will write for The Companion not only next year, but during the remaining weeks of this year.

The new subscriber will also receive The Companion's new "Puritan Girl" calendar for 1901, lithographed in 12 colors.

Illustrated announcement of the volume for 1901 will be sent to any address, with sample copies of the paper.

The Youth's Companion, Boston Mass.

Change of Date.

Monday afternoon we received a telegram from the Central Lyceum Bureau as follows:

"Ernest Gamble sick at Delaware, Ohio. Unable to fill engagements. Will arrange later date for Chelsea."

This is a great disappointment to us, as it will undoubtedly be to all holders of seasons tickets.

We wish to assure you, however, that the Ernest Gamble Concert Co. will positively appear at a later date.

Immediately upon receipt of the above telegram we tried to secure Round's Ladies' Orchestra to fill the cancelled date, but found they were to play to an engagement on that evening at Masonic Temple, Detroit.

We succeeded however, in securing this excellent company for Monday evening, October 29th.

This is an extra number and the regular price of admission will be 50 cents.

Season Tickets, however, will admit you to this entertainment without extra charge.

Bring your season tickets with you. They must be presented at the door. Reserved seat coupons alone will not secure admission.

Ladies are requested to remove their hats during all entertainments.

Management Peoples' Popular Course.

Herman Oversmith, by Cornelius B. Carr, his guardian, has filed by his solicitor, A. J. Waters, a bill in chancery against Adam Oversmith and the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Ins. Co. He alleges that October 7, '99, Herman Oversmith was possessed of the southwest quarter of section 16 in the town of Sharon, on which there were buildings, etc. That on December 18, '99, Herman Oversmith was declared insane. On September 28, '00, he, Cornelius B. Carr, was appointed the guardian of Herman. In July, '00, a barn on the described land was struck by lightning and destroyed. It was insured for \$500 in the Washtenaw Mutual Ins. Co. the policy never having been assigned to Adam Oversmith. He prays that the deed to Adam Oversmith may be set aside and he be given permission to collect the insurance policy.

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Silver plated goods in hollow and flat ware at rock bottom prices. We want your patronage, and we are going to have it if quality and price have anything to do with it.

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We carry one of the finest lines of Box Stationery procurable and our prices are within the reach of all.

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Our prices on Wall Paper are still creating considerable excitement. We have about 100 complete patterns to select from, and if you need Wall Paper this fall, remember

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can do you good and save you money.

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Dr. W. H. Lewis, Lawrenceville, Va., writes, "I am using Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in my practice among several cases of indigestion and find it an admirable remedy. Many hundreds of physicians depend upon the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure in stomach troubles. It digests what you eat, and allows you to eat all the good food you need, providing you do not overdo your stomach. Gives instant relief and a permanent cure. Glazier & Stimson."



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Beef, Veal, Pork, Lamb and Mutton,

at the lowest prices consistent with the highest quality.

Fresh Oysters and Poultry.

ADAM EPPLE.

IMPERSONAL COMMENTS.

A man is generally at his heaviest in his fortieth year.

When reading a man usually gets through 400 words a minute.

It is one of the risks of a soldier's career that, while in time of peace his profession is the healthiest of all, when war comes it is transformed at once into the deadliest of all callings.

A lazy New York tramp goes around the streets with a puffed jaw, begging for five cents to make up the quarter necessary to have his aching tooth pulled. He never has it pulled, however, for at night he removes a wad of cotton from his mouth, the swelling subsides, and he contentedly goes home to enjoy the money he has coaxed from the charitable.

The illness of a Liverpool clergyman caused a substitute to appear in his pulpit on a recent Sunday, and he preached an excellent sermon. On the following Sabbath, as the pastor still continued ill, another substitute appeared, and he preached the very same sermon as his predecessor! Investigation disclosed the fact that both of the clergymen were generous patrons of a bureau which supplied sermons to lazy or incompetent clergies.

NEW FALL MILLINERY.

We are now showing all the latest and newest designs in FELT HATS and Novelties in the Millinery line. Call and see our new stock.

ELLA CRAIG-FOSTER. Over Webster's Tailor Shop.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of a certain installment of interest due and payable upon a certain mortgage made and executed by Ernest A. Dieterle of Ann Arbor, Michigan to Rosa Christina Schlotterbeck of Cincinnati, Ohio, to secure a part of the purchase price of the premises therein described and so specified in said mortgage, by reason of which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative. Which said mortgage is dated August 16th, A. D. 1899 and was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Washtenaw county, Michigan, on the said 16th day of August, 1899, in Liber 100 of mortgages, on page 184. And no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and there is now claimed to be due upon said mortgage the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) as interest, and the further sum of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) as an attorney's fee provided by law and stipulated in said mortgage, and there is also the further sum of two thousand dollars yet to grow due upon said mortgage debt and secured thereby. Now therefore notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described therein, at public auction to the highest bidder at the east front door of the Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County of Washtenaw, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said County of Washtenaw is held) on Friday the 21st day of December next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows: Lot number seven-(7), in block number two (2), south of Huron street, in range four (4) east according to the recorded plat of the Village, now city of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan.

Dated, September 18th, 1900.

ROSA CHRISTINA SCHLOTTERBECK, Mortgagee.

FRANK E. JONES, Ann Arbor, Mich., Attorney for Mortgagee.

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Chelsea Phone No. 50. Don't be afraid to call us up.

LIMA.

The Epworth League will have a New England supper at the home of Irving Storms, Friday afternoon and evening, November 2d. Supper 10 cents. All are cordially invited to attend.

Stops the Cough and works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

FREEDOM.

Robert Kraft spent Sunday with Lima friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoopes moved back to Sylvania, Ohio last week.

Mrs. Mary Bahnmiller visited with her brother, Chas. Geyer in Pittsfield over Sunday.

Miss Anna Gulman drove to Lima last Monday to visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Nordman.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

WATERLOO.

The Gleaners will give a social Friday evening in their hall.

Rev. H. S. Cooper delivered his first sermon in Waterloo Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Gorton of Corning, N. Y., is visiting relatives here.

Prof. and Mrs. F. R. Gorton of Ypsilanti are rejoicing over the birth of a son on October 20th.

M. G. Loennecker, the democratic candidate for congress, and W. E. Ware, the democratic for judge of probate spoke in Koelz hall, Monday evening. Mr. Loennecker spoke much on the question of taxation. He seems to be a very able man. He spoke in German for the benefit of his German hearers.

Torturing skin eruptions, burns and sores are soothed at once and promptly healed by applying DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the best known cure for piles. Be ware of worthless counterfeits. Glazier & Stimson.

SYLVAN.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Steinbach of Lima spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Forner sr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Coy and Herman Dancer of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dancer.

Mr. Winchell of Ann Arbor will speak at the Sylvan Christian Union next Sunday both morning and evening.

The annual election of officers of the Christian Union church will be held Wednesday evening, October 31.

The Christian Union church will hold a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Forner sr. Friday evening, November, 2.

Your blood goes through your body with jumps and bounds, carrying warmth and active life to every part of your body, if you take Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your Druggist.

FRANCISCO.

School closed in district No. 2, Friday.

Ed. Bhone of Dexter visited his here last week.

Mrs. C. Notten spent Thursday and Friday at Jackson.

Mrs. L. Palmer of Jackson is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Wm. Palmer has returned from her visit at Jackson.

Mrs. Burleigh Whitaker spent part of last week at Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kalmbach spent Sunday with their parents here.

John Webber of Grass Lake was the guest of his parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foot of Eaton Rapids are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. August Mensing of Chelsea spent Sunday with Mrs. Henry Gieske.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Killmer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beeman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman and family of Waterloo was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Muebach Sunday.

Quarterly meeting was held at the German M. E. church Sunday. There was a large attendance.

Miss Edna Notten who has been spending part of the summer at Waterloo has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Kaiser and family, Mrs. Frank Berry and Gilbert Main spent Sunday with Mr. Keiter and family of Waterloo.

Martin Keeler, a helpless paralytic, died last Wednesday, aged 64. The funeral was held in the Christian Union church, Friday at 2 o'clock and the remains were taken to the east cemetery, Grass Lake for burial. He leaves a widow and son. There were relatives present from Eaton Rapids, Leelle, Chelsea, Grass Lake and Jackson.

This is the season when mothers are alarmed on account of croup. It is quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure, which children like to take. Glazier & Stimson.

County and Vicinity

George Hindelang of Munith is putting some finishing touches on the stone work of the new bank building of Geo. P. Glazier & Gay of Stockbridge.

In the window of Schumacher & Miller's drug store, in Ann Arbor, is exhibited three teeth found on the farm of Joseph Dald in the southwest part of Saline township. They are three molars. Part of the jaw bone is attached to one of the teeth. Mastodons were herbaceous animals. Mr. Dald will make further investigations in hopes of finding more bones.

A bouquet of apple blossoms has ornamented the editor's desk the past few days. They were picked October 12 by John Taylor from a tree in A. Olsever's yard. But even more noteworthy than this was a bush of ripe red raspberries which was brought in Saturday by the Misses Leavey. This is the second crop this year and they picked about a quart of fully developed and luscious fruit.—Dexter Leader.

While on the continent last summer Dr. Amy Kimball lost a traveling satchel containing money, watch, identification papers and other articles of value. Every effort was made to trace it up but without avail. The queer aspect of the case is that the satchel reappeared by express the other day, intact, as when packed in Christiania, Norway, three months and a half ago. More than that, the express charges were prepaid.—Jackson Patriot.

A little eighteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Zahn died very suddenly Saturday from arsenic poison. The circumstances regarding the case are: A friend of the family who was visiting there was in poor health and her doctor had prescribed certain pills containing arsenic which she was taking, the box containing them she had kept on a shelf out of the way of all, but strange circumstances often step in and so in this case, a gust of wind through the house, blew the box to the floor the jar of which caused the cover to come off and thus scatter the little drugs. The little child was near by and before what had happened was realized by the family, the little girl had found and swallowed several. A few minutes later she was overcome by spasms and before medical aid could possibly reach her she had passed to the other shore. The funeral was held Tuesday.—Saline Observer.

Don't Get Thin

Get fat; get nice and plump; there is safety in plumpness.

Summer has tried your food-works; winter is coming to try your breath-mill. Fall is the time to brace yourself.

But weather is tricky; look out! Look out for colds especially.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the subtlest of helps. It is food, the easiest food in the world; it is more than food, it helps you digest your food, and get more nutriment from it.

Don't get thin, there is safety in plumpness. Man woman and child.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample its agreeable taste will surprise you.
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209 Pearl Street, New York.

There seems to be at present some little question as to the payment of the insurance carried by Robert Jerry who died last May. The policy which was with the Maccabees, was made in favor of his mother, whose home is in England, and when the mother sent in her claim for the insurance accompanied by her statement in duplicate, it was discovered that the insured was four years older than the application for membership showed. This, the company affirm annuls the policy, and they refuse to pay the same. They have appointed a day of hearing for November 5, when G. R. Lutz, Chas. Awery and Will Fowler, administrator, will go to Port Huron to see what can be done.—Saline Observer.

The prince of Wales is remarkable among royal personages for the enormous amount of luggage which he takes with him on his journeys. He makes a point of never appearing twice in the same coat when visiting, and his wardrobe is most extensive. He takes with him two huge boxes of hats and large trunks filled with coats, dress suits and every kind of clothes.

Senator Depew has the reputation among his fellow legislators of being the bookish member of congress, as he is the only member of either house who is a regular visitor to the apartment set aside in the congressional library for members of congress. Two rooms have been fitted up luxuriously for them, but have failed to tempt others than Senator Depew, who keeps the attendants busy in supplying the wants of his omnivorous researches.

E. W. Grove

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Western Rates Reduced.

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Don't say that the old garments will have to do. No doubt they have thinned down until you can see through them anywhere. Have the kind that will admit of your braving the bitter weather of winter without fear or discomfort. We sell the very garments you should have for

Men's Fleeced Lined, blue, gray and natural colors \$1.00 per suit.
Men's Wool light and heavy weights \$2.00 per suit.
Men's Jersey Sanitarian Australian Wool, ribbed, \$2.00 per suit.
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When you examine them you'll think so, too—but when you get into them you'll be sure of it. All sizes.

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NOTICE—To Hunters and Trappers. I forbid all persons hunting or trapping on my farm. G. T. English.

NOTICE—To Hunters and Trappers. I forbid all persons hunting or trapping on my farm. J. B. Dean.

FOR SALE CHEAP—a round wood or coal stove, and light top driving carriage. J. J. Raftrey.

WANTED—girl for light housework. Inquire of J. F. Shaver, barber.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Good wages. Address, Mrs. O. F. Schmid, 123 Stewart avenue, Jackson, Mich.

HOUSE TO RENT—Inquire of H. S. Holmes.

WANTED—girl for general housework. Wages \$2.50 per week. Inquire at Standard office.

Two (2) top buggies and one (1) surrey to exchange for hay or oats. E. G. Hoag, Chelsea House.

FOUND—A purse containing a sum of money. Inquire at Postoffice.

IT HAPPENED IN A DRUG STORE.

"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not have in stock," says Mr. C. R. Grandin, the popular druggist of Ontario, N. Y. "She was disappointed and wanted to know what cough preparation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that she could take a bottle of the remedy and after giving it a fair trial if she did not find it worth the money to bring back the bottle and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or two the lady came back in company with a friend in need of a cough medicine and advised her to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy." It is for sale by all druggists.

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JEWEL

AND

Peninsular Base Burners,

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Air Tight and Soft Coal Stoves,

STEEL RANGES,

STOVE BOARDS, COAL HODS,

OIL CLOTHS,

WASHING MACHINES.

Buggies and Harness,

To Close out Cheap.

HOAG & HOLMES.

6 BALES OF ALL-WOOL BLANKETS 6

AT LAST YEAR'S PRICES.

This is the year we are after your Blanket trade

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Having bought direct from the factory we are prepared to discount other dealers prices at from 15 to 20 per cent.

Silk, Plush, Mohair and a Beautiful Novelty in Genuine Lambs Wool Robes are among our attractive features.

Come early and get the best selection.

C. STEINBACH.

Standard Sewing Machines.

No Need to Guess the Time

If you carry one of WINANS' WATCHES. Many people are handicapped in their journey through this vale of tears by carrying any old thing for a time piece, and often being just too late to "get there." Some unkindly say that they carry the watch just to show the chain. Be that as it may, we want you all to know that nowhere else can you find such good values in watches of all sizes, grades and makes, as we have at \$4.00 and upwards. Everything fully guaranteed

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Notes of the Week

C. E. Fair December 6 and 7.

C. Schafer will reopen his meat market Saturday.

Joseph Elsie, who has been very ill, is much better.

Fred Morton of Detroit is suffering with typhoid fever.

Born, Sunday, October 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Emmett, a son.

Geo. P. Glazier has purchased Stephen Laird's residence on Middle street.

Manchester's business men and schools have adopted standard time. A good move.

Miss Anna Bacon, who is teaching at Coldwater, is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Guy Lighthall is suffering with a badly burned leg and foot, as the result of a fire bursting at the power house.

Jackson's population has been announced as 25,180, as against 20,798 in 1890. This is a gain of 4,382, or 21 per cent.

There will be a republican meeting at town hall, Thursday evening, November 1st. Hon. P. T. Colgrove will address the meeting.

Next Sunday, October 28th, the annual collection for the Seminarians of the diocese of Detroit will be taken up in St. Mary's church.

The open season on quail started Saturday, and the bombarding commenced as soon as it was light enough to see the sights on the gun.

The annual Thanksgiving supper and harvest home festival by the ladies of St. Mary's parish will be given at the opera house on Wednesday, November 28th.

Regular meeting of Olive Chapter O. E. S. will meet Wednesday evening October 31st. Election of officer to fill vacancy. A good attendance is desired.

The German Mutual Fire Insurance Co., have paid the loss of Theodore Wedemeyer in full. The loss was caused by the burning of his farm residence in Lima.

There were fifty-five deaths in Washtenaw county during September, two of which were in Chelsea, two in Lyndon, two in Freedom, one in Lima, and one in Sharon.

It is reported that Dorsey Hoppe of Chelsea and Prof. A. D. DeWitt of Dexter will be candidates for the democratic nomination next spring for school commissioner.

S. O. Hadley reports that he raised 48 bushels of ears of corn from less than one quarter of an acre of ground. He wants to know who raised a larger crop. Stockbridge Sun.

The Maccabees initiated a class of thirty-eight Wednesday evening. The "Rustlers" won the contest and will eat supper at the expense of the "Hustlers" next Wednesday evening.

The committee of supervisors to examine the accounts of the superintendents of the poor reported that during the year there had been \$5,029.26 received and \$4,449.79 paid out, leaving a balance of \$579.47.

Twin boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Liebeck of Sylvan, last Sunday, but they lived only a few hours. The funeral was held from St. Mary's church Tuesday morning at ten o'clock with burial in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

The line for the purchase of reserved seats for the People's Popular Course formed early Saturday morning. A number of boys being there from about 7 o'clock. Two hundred and ninety seats were reserved that evening.

Following we give the assessments made by some of the mutual fire insurance companies of Washtenaw county during the past year: Washtenaw Mutual, \$3 per \$1000; German M. aal, 60 cents per \$1000; Northwestern Washtenaw Mutual, 15 cents per \$1000.

Alfred Brower of Grass Lake, claims to have been "under the oaks" at Jackson in 1854 and helped organize the republican party of Michigan. He had just attained his majority when a call to a Free Soil mass convention to meet in Jackson for the purpose of uniting all anti-slavery factions into a new party was made, and he was chosen a delegate. He was in the convention hall when the Hon. Levi Baxter of Jonesville, called the gathering to order and David S. Walbridge was made chairman of the session.

The young men of Chelsea will give a dance in Staffan block, Friday, Nov. 2d.

Taxidermist Wood of the University Museum Monday received a specimen of a female Sand Hill Crane, that was shot near Unadilla. This when mounted, will fill the group of a pair of those birds and two young ones.

There are no Christmas presents so satisfactory as books. It is not very long till Christmas. Why not anticipate your needs and buy now what you will need then while you can get books so cheap as the book auction offers them?

The campaign was opened in Chelsea last week by a meeting of the republicans, which was addressed by Hon. Henry C. Smith, Col. B. N. Thompson and Judge Newkirk. On Saturday evening the democrats held a meeting which was addressed by J. N. Lewis and W. L. Watkins.

The will of Mrs. Forester Allison, wife of A. Allison, the late editor of the Chelsea Herald, has been admitted to probate, and a niece, Mary A. Blank of Brooklyn, N. Y., appointed executrix. The estate is valued at \$500 and is devised to nephews and nieces in Massachusetts and Maine.

Baroness von Kettler, accompanied by her brother and wife, passed through Chelsea Sunday afternoon in the private car of her father, Henry B. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central. The baroness is suffering from nervous prostration but underwent the journey from China as well as could be expected.

The friends here of Mrs. D. E. Sparks of Detroit were shocked to read in the daily papers of Monday that she had been seriously burned by the explosion of a gas stove on the day previous. The Standard is pleased to be able to state that while her burns were painful they are not dangerous, and she is able to be about.

Rev. L. Koelbing received a call from a congregation in Illinois, October 6th, and resigned here October 14th. Since he took charge of the German congregations in Dexter and Chelsea in 1896, both congregations not only increased in membership, but also the Chelsea congregation was entirely cleared of debt; the debt on the property of the German church of Dexter was reduced to a trifle.

Thursday, November 1st, will be the feast of All Saints, and special services will be held in St. Mary's church at 6 and 10 a. m. on that day. At 7:30 p. m. the vespers of the day will be sung, followed by vespers of the dead, the service closing with the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Friday, November 2nd, will be the commemoration of all the faithful departed. Requiem high mass will be celebrated at 8 a. m. in St. Mary's church.

Every farmer, indeed every one owning a horse or a cow, needs a good stock book. How frequently in an emergency when you have a sick animal and a veterinarian is not at home, immediately such a book may save you a loss equal to many times its cost. At the book auction you can find the best publishers, such as Magner's, Gleason's and Manning's Horse Books, The Farm and Stock Encyclopedia, and many others in the same line. All offered at about one third of publisher's prices.

On Thursday of last week Andrew Boyce of Lyndon, went before Justice E. A. Ward of Sylvan and swore out a warrant for one Thomas S. Beal, Jr., charging him with forging Mr. Boyce's name to a note for \$250. The warrant was placed in the hands of Deputy Sheriff W. R. Lehman Friday, but the officer so far has been unable to locate his man, and on Tuesday he, in company with Detective Tom Lally of the Detroit police force spent the day in Detroit trying to locate the much wanted man but their efforts were fruitless. Beal has been in Chelsea since the latter part of April acting as agent for the Equitable Life Insurance Co., and for a time he did some work for other companies, but confined his efforts principally to the interests of the first named company, and the managers of the Detroit agency of the Equitable reported to Mr. Lehman that their books shows that Beal is short some \$400. Beal left Chelsea on Friday afternoon, October 12, saying that he was going to Ypsilanti and from there to Manchester, but it seems he went to Detroit, where he was seen Saturday morning by some of his acquaintances, but latter in the day he disappeared from his usual haunts in that city.

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PERSONAL.
N. W. Laird spent Sunday in Ann Arbor.
Chas. Miller of Jackson spent Sunday here.
Miss Anna Miller spent Saturday in Detroit.
Chas. Steinbach was a Detroit visitor Tuesday.
J. Bacon was a Coldwater visitor Thursday.
Orrin Wilans of Ray is visiting relatives here.
Mrs. M. Hook is spending this week at Coldwater.
Fred Wedemeyer spent Saturday at Ann Arbor.
Mrs. T. E. Wood is visiting relatives at Chicago.
Mrs. R. A. Snyder spent Wednesday at Ann Arbor.
C. E. Babcock of Grass Lake spent Sunday here.
A. Steger spent several days of this week at Saginaw.
Mrs. Michael Staffan was an Ann Arbor visitor last week.
Mrs. M. Foster is the guest of Mrs. A. E. Foster of Owosso.
Miss Edith Boyd is spending this week with Detroit friends.
F. J. Riggs of Detroit is spending this week in this vicinity.
Miss Georgia Riley visited her parents in Ann Arbor Sunday.
Mrs. Barbara Manz is visiting Mrs. Chas. Geyer at Pittsfield.
D. B. Taylor of Mason was a Chelsea visitor the first of the week.
Frank Lane of Port Huron is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. G. Bush.
Miss Anna Lighthall of Detroit spent Sunday with her father here.
Mrs. James Breitenbach of Battle Creek is visiting her parents here.
Lina Runciman is spending this week at Albion, Olivet and Eaton Rapids.
Chas. Foster of Fruit Ridge is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.
Mrs. R. M. Hoppe and little son, Douglas, are visiting friends in Toledo.
Mrs. L. M. Gillette and daughter, Enid, of Battle Creek are visiting friends here.
Mrs. Boardman of Port Huron is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Emmett.
Dr. Shaw and family of Ypsilanti are spending this week at Cavanaugh Lake.
Miss Nettie Hoover of Ypsilanti is spending this week with her parents here.

Hugo Loeser of Jackson, the republican candidate for senator, was in town Saturday.

Chas. Carpenter was called to Kalamazoo yesterday by the serious illness of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schenk entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. Wolfer of Stillwater, Minn., last week.

Very Rev. Dean Savage of Detroit, is spending this week with relatives and friends in Chelsea.

Mrs. Cella Dean of Grass Lake and daughter, Mrs. May of Danville spent Saturday at this place.

R. A. Snyder left last Saturday for Pittsburg and other points in connection with the onion business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Caldwell of Pinckney were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schenk the last of the week.

Eugene Stiegelmaier of Portland, Or., and Miss Minnie Stiegelmaier of Jackson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stiegelmaier Sunday.

Ladies are particularly invited to call and inspect the stock of the book auction. There are many of especial interest, including no less than a dozen Cook Books such as the White House, the Chautauqua, the Home Queen, the Ideal, etc. Also many works of great aid to members of literary clubs, such as the Encyclopedia of Quotations, Dictionary of Phrases and Table and Manual of Mythology. A visit to inspect the stock will amply repay you. In a few days some sales at auction exclusively for ladies will be appointed.

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Registration Notice.
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Notice is hereby given, That a meeting of the Board of Registration of the township above named, will be held at town hall within said township, on Saturday, November 3d, A. D. 1900, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose; and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated this 16th day of October, A. D. 1900.
By order of the Township Board of Registration.
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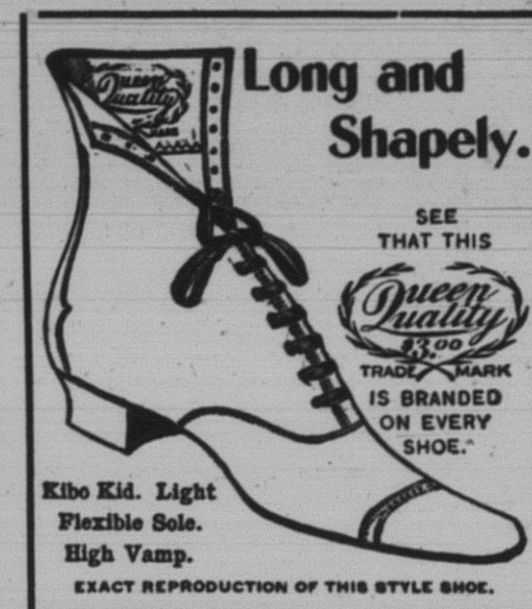
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FROM ALL OVER MICHIGAN

Happenings of a Week Stewed
Down for Ready Reading.

A WHOLE REGIMENT OF ITEMS.

Dairy and Food Commissioner Grosvenor in His Monthly Report Roasts Detroit's Health Board for Allowing Milk Dealers Access to the Records.

Grosvenor Roasts Detroit's Health Board. Food Commissioner Grosvenor in his monthly bulletin, issued on the 19th, discusses the subject of prosecutions for selling adulterated milk, a subject which has kept him pretty busy for several weeks. During the warm months of July and August in 1900, the commissioner says, over 2,500 samples of milk in cities and villages having no city inspection of milk were examined without the discovery of a single sample of milk in which preservatives had been used. This year, however, a traveling salesman, representing a house engaged in putting out a so-called milk preservative, came into the state. Inspectors were put upon his track. The presence of formaldehyde and other milk preservatives deleterious to public health were discovered and a number of prosecutions resulted in conviction and the payment of fines. As to the inspection in Detroit, it is stated that over 75 per cent of the samples collected were found to contain formaldehyde. The commissioner complains that the Detroit board of health has allowed the dealers who were prosecuted access to their records for the purpose of proving their innocence.

Supreme Court Will Decide. Recently some of the assessing officers of the state have refused to use the valuations fixed by the state tax commission as a basis for levying the state and county taxes, basing their refusal on section 39 of the general tax law, which provides that the valuation fixed by the board of review shall be taken as the basis for the tax. The tax commission claims that under section 152 of the amendment of the tax law passed at the legislative session of 1899 authority was given to the tax commission to review the rolls and to have the valuation fixed by the board taken as the basis for the tax. It was decided several days ago to bring these provisions of law before the supreme court for its construction, and at a meeting of the tax commission and Atty.-Gen. Oren, papers were prepared for a case to be commenced against the assessing officers at Ishpeming. The court will be asked for a mandamus to compel the assessing officers to make use of the valuations fixed by the tax commission as a basis for the December taxes, and the question will then come squarely before the court.

Echo of the Marsh Trial. An important and interesting echo of the Marsh trial was heard in the circuit court at Lansing on the afternoon of the 16th, when testimony was taken in connection with the proceedings commenced against Judge Speed and Capt. Pope, by order of Judge Wiest, for alleged contempt in withdrawing from the case when their motion for a continuance was denied, and leaving Marsh without counsel. Five witnesses were sworn. Sheriff Porter testified that just before Speed made his speech withdrawing the attorneys from the case, he heard Pope say to Speed, "Now is the time to announce our withdrawal."

High Wages in 1900. Labor Commissioner Cox has again contributed his share to the prosperity literature of the day. The present contribution is in the form of a report on the factory inspection. It is not a complete report, but is a comparison of several reports showing advancement in the condition of the laboring men in the factories. In 1893, it is stated, the average wages paid in the factories of the state was \$1.30 per day; in 1894, \$1.28; in 1895, \$1.32; in 1896, \$1.28; in 1897, \$1.28; in 1898, \$1.37; in 1899, \$1.39; in 1900, probably, \$1.41.

Indians Ejected and Houses Burned. The Indians of the Indian village at Burt lake, Cheboygan county, are homeless. The land which they lived on was sold for taxes two or three years ago, and on Oct. 4, 1899, they promised to go away the next spring. If the writ of assistance granted by the circuit court was not served and they be allowed to stay. A few of them went away, but some remained and finally had to be evicted and have their former homes burned down.

Disease in Michigan. Reports to the state board of health show that diarrhoea, neuralgia, rheumatism, bronchitis and tonsillitis, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the past week. Smallpox was reported at 4 places, cerebro-spinal meningitis at 12, whooping cough at 11, measles at 12, diphtheria at 41, scarlet fever at 192, and consumption at 185.

Trains Will be Run by Electricity. Within another year the Escanaba & Lake Superior railroad will be operated by electricity. On the 16th the stockholders decided to build a big dam on the Escanaba river, north of Wells, and utilize the water power in generating electricity as a motive power for the railroad. The cost of the proposed dam and power house is estimated at \$155,000.

Idaho has aggregated 248,000 acres of land on the Snake river, near Shoshone Falls, to be reclaimed by irrigation canals, at a cost of \$1,500,000.

Shot by His Playmates.

Harold, the 7-year-old son of Druggist P. C. Taylor, of Mt. Pleasant, was found dead on the night of the 21st under a barrel at the rear of his father's store with a bullet just above the heart. It is supposed that he was shot by some small boys and when they saw what they had done attempted to conceal him. The boy had come down to the store with his father in the afternoon and was playing about. When he did not appear at dusk a search was made with the above result. Five empty 32-caliber shells were found near the body. Later—Jas. Walker, aged 13, has confessed that he accidentally killed Harold; that he was playing with a revolver when it was accidentally discharged, and that when he found that he was dead became scared and hid the body.

Abandoning Quartermaster to Return.

After being a fugitive from justice for nearly a year Gen. W. L. White, the abandoning ex-quartermaster-general of the Michigan National Guard, who was indicted by the Ingham county grand jury, will return and surrender himself within the next three weeks. His return is the result of a carefully mapped out plan which will include a plea of guilty on White's part and also the return to the state treasury of the money the state was mulcted out of by the famous military deal, estimated at \$43,000. The Fidelity Surety Co., of Baltimore, which was on White's bond for \$50,000, has been reimbursed by his friends and the Henderson-Ames to the extent of \$43,000, which will soon be turned over to the state.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Manchester has adopted standard time.

Hartford is to have electric lights for her streets.

A postoffice has been established at Highwood, Gladwin county.

Saranac has a new bank—the Saranac State bank, capitalized at \$20,000.

Detroit's total registration this year is 59,769; against 54,368 four years ago.

Flint's assessed valuation has been placed at \$24,399,223 by the supervisors.

An attempt is being made to organize the electricians of Port Huron into a union.

The total value of real and personal property in Cass county, as equalized, is \$12,435,000.

Holland poultry farmers have organized and will hold a bench show some time this winter.

There is a possibility that Romeo may secure the bridge factory now located at Richmond.

The equalized valuation of Bay county as fixed by the board of supervisors is \$22,968,410.

There is a diphtheria scare at Marlette, and the schools have been closed as a matter of precaution.

The Oceana county voters will decide at the coming election a proposition for a new county jail.

Chelsea's council has granted W. A. Bowland a franchise to operate a street railway through the village.

Traverse City's street fund is exhausted, and all work on her thoroughfares has been abandoned.

According to the 1900 census Jackson has a population of 25,180, as compared with 20,798 four years ago.

Jackson county's equalized valuation is placed at \$30,000,000, and the city of Jackson must pay half the burden.

A futile attempt was made at wrecking an east-bound express on the C. & G. T. Ry. at Capac the other night.

By a vote of 16 to 13 the board of supervisors of Washtenaw county rejected the adoption of standard time.

The Grand Rapids board of trade are working for an appropriation to construct a 10-foot channel in Grand river.

The amount of taxes to be raised in Calhoun county this year aggregate \$130,481.38, or \$15,112.54 less than last year.

Mrs. Geo. Schutt, of Hesperia, picked ripe strawberries on Oct. 21, and the vines were loaded with blossoms and fruit.

It is now a sure thing that the silk fabric mill which has been talked about for some time past will be built at Belding.

There have been more auction sales in Sanilac county this year than during any other single year in the history of the county.

Typhoid fever is epidemic in Sumpster township, Wayne county. One death has been reported and several cases are critical.

A youth of 80 years appeared before the county clerk of Eaton county last week and took out a license to wed a little girl of 66 summers.

Mary H. Brown, a patient at the Pontiac asylum, committed suicide on the night of the 21st by strangling herself with a piece of sheet.

The Berrien Springs Canning Co. recently shipped two cars of canned peas to China, the first Berrien county product to go to that country.

The voters of St. Clair county will have abundance of material to vote for this fall, as there will be seven distinct tickets on their ballot.

Chas. Rogers, of Montrose, has a freak of nature which grew on his farm this season. As near as he can describe it is a vegetable peach. It grew on a vine similar to a cucumber, tastes and smells like a muskmelon, and is about as large as a good-sized apple.

Owing to several outbreaks of smallpox in the upper peninsula, the state board of health has recommended general vaccination in the counties where these outbreaks have occurred. The law authorized the local boards of health to offer free vaccination to those unable to pay for it.

Another wreck occurred on the L. S. & M. S. railroad at Chicago on the 23d, and eight persons were injured. A misplaced switch caused the accident.

The Colby mine at Bessemer closed down on the 17th, letting out about 300 men. A complete shut-down is expected. No reason is given.

Monroe is having a little more trouble than usual with the small boy and his Florent rifle. Several narrow escapes have been reported.

After two days had been spent in securing a jury for the Brumm murder trial at Charlotte, one was finally secured and the trial commenced on the 18th.

Upon the next legislature of this state will fall the important task of re-apportioning the congressional and legislative districts, according to the new census.

Mrs. Thomas Meyers, just west of Carsonville, has a strawberry patch that is just yielding an abundant second crop. The berries are large and luscious.

The Orion Review tells of a farmer in that vicinity who has a crop of 1,000 bushels of potatoes this year which all came from one single potato planted four years ago.

The value of personal property in Genesee county, as assessed, is \$5,914,443, and of real estate \$18,477,780, a total of \$24,392,223, an increase of almost \$3,400,000.

Reports from numerous places in the state announce that "Jack Frost" made his first appearance this season on the night of the 16th. Everything unprotected was damaged.

Rural free mail delivery has been ordered established at Fair Grove, Tuscola county; Laingsburg, Shiawassee county; and additional service at St. Johns, Clinton county.

Schools and churches at Fairgrove are closed and children quarantined. Diphtheria and typhoid fever are raging in the town and the country, but there are no recent deaths.

An attempt was made to destroy the St. Clair County bank, Port Huron, on the 17th. The blaze was started under the sidewalk but was discovered before much progress had been made.

Alma's beet sugar factory started up on the 17th and the first sugar was turned out during the night. An enormous crop of beets is being harvested, and the sugar test is unusually high.

It is estimated that the state will realize a profit of over \$250,000 from the sale of the lots now being surveyed at the St. Clair Flats, at the statutory price of 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1 per foot frontage.

Paw Paw people asked the board of supervisors to allow an extension of the village limits to take in some neighboring territory, but the supervisors are anti-expansionists and couldn't see it that way.

The potato crop in the vicinity of Holly is a big one and many farmers are having trouble to find men to dig the tubers. Yields of over 200 bushels per acre are common. One local firm is buying over 5,000 bushels per day.

The Methodistists of Grass Lake have been remodeling their church building outside and in, and now have one of the most convenient and artistic places of worship to be found in any village in southern Michigan. It has a seating capacity of 450.

Thirty new dwelling houses have been erected in Plymouth the past summer, and yet there is not a single empty house in the village. The business men are organizing a stock company to build at least 40 houses for renting next season.

The supervisors of Tuscola county, at their present session, are considering the matter of submitting the question of local option to the people of the county, the necessary petitions having been filed with the county clerk.

Matty Matthews, of New York, won the welterweight championship of the world at the boxing show given in Detroit on the night of the 16th, when Referee George Siler gave him the decision at the end of the 15-round fight with Jim Ferns, the Kansas rube.

The directors of the board of trade of Holland have decided to assess each business man of that city the sum of \$5 for the purpose of paying the expenses of the board and for a fund for entertaining guests and prospective manufacturers who visit that city.

The Baroness von Ketteler, daughter of Henry B. Ledyard and widow of the late German ambassador to China, arrived in Detroit in a private car on the night of the 21st. The baroness seemed weak and on the verge of nervous collapse, but with rest and careful nursing it is thought she will recover.

Thousands of bushels of apples are going to waste in Michigan this fall, while there are other thousands of families who are too poor to buy even one bushel as a treat for their children, who rarely see an apple except in a basket in front of a store. It seems as if something must be wrong somewhere when such a state of affairs can exist.

At Reading a musical feat is performed every day at 9 o'clock a. m. and at 6 o'clock p. m., that is a decided novelty. It consists of so manipulating the big whistles on the robe factory and the water works as to produce the popular melodies of the day.

On a quiet morning the well-known rag-time ditties can be heard distinctly at Camden, six miles distant.

Gov. Pingree is very anxious that the new conditions imposed upon election inspectors and county clerks by the joint resolution for a constitutional amendment, be thoroughly understood and complied with so that as large a vote as possible can be polled for the amendment. He has asked Atty.-Gen. Oren to have Secretary of State Stearns send each county clerk a circular letter explaining.

Another wreck occurred on the L. S. & M. S. railroad at Chicago on the 23d, and eight persons were injured. A misplaced switch caused the accident.

THREE HAVE BEEN CONVICTED

Of Being Implicated in the Murder of Gov. Goebel.

H. YOUTSEY THE THIRD ONE.

The Capture of Gen. Alvarez Will Tend to Pacify the District of Mindanao in the Philippines Islands—Our Navy to be Increased—Other Items.

Youtsey Gets Life Imprisonment.

Henry Youtsey, the third man to be found guilty in connection with the Goebel shooting in Kentucky, will not receive his sentence until next year, as the defense filed a motion for an arrest of judgment which the judge set for hearing on Feb. 2, next. Caleb Powers, tried on the charge of complicity, was sentenced to life imprisonment, while James Howard, tried on an indictment charging him with being a principal in the shooting, was sentenced to death. During the early days of Youtsey's trial the prisoner exhibited signs of breaking down. While Arthur Goebel, brother of the dead man, was on the stand testifying, Youtsey rose to the prisoner's docket and denounced the witness in wild exclamations, while Youtsey's wife screamed that Goebel had sworn away the life of her husband. Later, the prisoner became unconscious and, according to attending physicians, has since practically been inanimate. Each day his bed was carried to the door of the jury room, where it stood in plain view of the court, its occupant apparently oblivious to his surroundings.

Rebels Captured by a Night Attack.

Under cover of a stormy night, Capt. Elliott of the 40th infantry surprised the rebel headquarters near Oroquieta, Island of Mindanao, and captured, without fighting, Gen. Alvarez, with his staff and 25 soldiers. The capture is important and will tend to pacify the district. Alvarez had for a long time been provoking hostilities in Mindanao. It was he who effected the disastrous attack on Oroquieta some time ago, and he was preparing another when he was captured. Detachments of the 26th and 18th regiments engaged the rebels near Tubagan in southern Panay, routing them, killing 20 and wounding many.

Hon. John Sherman Dead.

Hon. John Sherman, former representative in the house, for a long term a member of the senate, and twice holding cabinet positions, died at his residence in Washington on the morning of the 22d; in the 78th year of his age. His death had been expected for some days and loving friends gave him their unremitting care and attention to the end. The immediate cause of death was described as brain exhaustion incident to extreme weakness due to old age and to several attacks of sickness from which he had suffered for the past year and a half.

U. S. Navy to be Increased.

Germany's great naval increase will play an important part in the determination of the recommendation for new vessels which the naval board on construction will submit to Secretary Long very soon. All the members desire that the U. S. government shall have a navy at least the size of that of Germany, and some favor a fleet which shall make the U. S. the third naval power of the world. From present indications the board will favor the authorization of 3 battleships and 12 gunboats of about 1,000 tons each.

Ferrell's Defense Is Insanity.

A jury was impeached at Marysville, O., on the 17th to try Rosslyn Ferrell, charged with the murder of Express Messenger Lane and the robbery of an express safe on a Panhandle train on the night of Aug. 10. The taking of testimony was begun. The preliminary statements of counsel disclosed that the plea of the defense would be insanity, the result of an hereditary taint.

Creeks Ready For Trouble.

A dispatch from Denison, Tex., dated the 21st, says: The Creek full blood council has been joined by Choctaws, Chickasaws, Chickasaws and Seminoles. They are armed with Winchester. All declare they will stand by the treaty of 1856 and will not take allotment of lands. Col. Sheeneffe, agent of the five civilized tribes, is confident that he can handle the situation.

Insane Prisoners Revolt.

There was a revolt at the Mattawan state hospital for the criminal insane at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., on the 21st, when six or eight keepers were assaulted and overpowered by about 20 insane patients. Some of the patients escaped and several are still at large. One or two of the keepers are badly bruised.

The Great Northern railway, connecting Quebec with Parry Sound, on the Georgian bay, has been completed and the first train to Parry Sound was run on the 24th.

Linsed oil took a jump in price on the 18th from 60 cents to 70 cents per gallon, which is the highest figure since the infancy of the industry.

Hon. Wm. L. Wilson, president of Washington and Lee university, and ex-postmaster general, died very suddenly of congestion of the lungs at his home in Lexington, Va., on the 17th.

Just before Gov.-Gen. Wood sailed from Havana for the U. S., he signed an order authorizing the establishment of 22 additional public schools in the province of Havana.

A dispatch from Berlin, Germany, dated the 17th, says that Prince Hohenzollern has tendered his resignation as imperial chancellor, and that it has been accepted. Count von Buelow has been named as his successor.

TRANSVAAL WAR ITEMS.

It is said orders for \$7,500,000 worth of railroad material will be placed in America by Maj. Grouard, the young Canadian, who acts as director of railroads in the Transvaal, under Roberts.

A dispatch from Lord Roberts, under date of Pretoria, Oct. 16, reports a number of minor affairs, but says that the only incident of importance was the surrender of Taconis Botha, brother of Commandant-General Botha, at Volksrust, Oct. 13.

A dispatch from Pretoria, under date of the 18th, says that the Boers are daily tearing up portions of the railroad and cutting telegraph and telephone wires. Their attacks are intolerable. The repairing line men cannot leave the garrisoned points without considerable escorts. The only remedy seems to be to corral all the burghers and deport them, as apparently none can be trusted.

Japan's Cabinet Has Resigned.

The resignation of the Japanese cabinet and the probable coming into power of Marquis Ito is the theme of the hour in that country. The change came as a surprise, although it was deemed inevitable in the not distant future. It was doubtless unwelcome to Marquis Ito himself, who has by no means yet got his new party in proper trim for harmonious and successful work. Although the latter is well organized, it is made up of many incongruous and warring elements, and early trouble is predicted for it, especially in the view of distribution of officers before it is brought under any sort of discipline. Marquis Ito is the only man to whom the country can turn in this emergency, as has been the case for many years past, whenever an important crisis has arisen. A significant feature of the present case is to be found in the fact that the marquis is not credited with strong pro-Russian tendencies.

Miners Will Not Resume Work.

President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, on the 21st expressed himself as being of the opinion that the men will not resume operations as soon as the mine owners expected. He says that some of the big companies have been breaking faith by not living up to the agreement promised on the 17th. Furthermore, he said: "I want to say that when the Scranton convention accepted the 10 per cent advance in wages providing the operators abolished the sliding scale and guaranteed the payment of the advance until April 1, the miners had met the operators more than half way. They had shown a conciliatory spirit and I know of no good reason why the proposition should not have been accepted by the operators."

Kruger Will Go to France.

Mr. Kruger has postponed his departure until Oct. 20, and he will now land at Marseilles, France. The announcement that he is going there will probably prove a disagreeable surprise to the French ministry, who had tried to persuade him to land elsewhere. Kruger is such a hero in France that M. Deleau, the minister for foreign affairs, did not wish to add to the anti-English demonstration that is expected to find expression in the chambers which is to convene Nov. 6, by having Kruger in the country. It is the fear of the ministry that the people will be so demonstrative that offense will be given to Great Britain.

43 Lives Lost in a Storm.

The St. Pierre schooner Fiona drifted ashore in Fortune Bay, N. F., during a recent gale, and her entire crew of 10 men were drowned. The schooner is a total loss. The schooners Amelia, Rosebud and Angler, with crews aggregating 18 men, were also lost. The schooner Hylthess is ashore on the Labrador coast. Five of her crew were drowned.

THE NEWS CONDENSED

President McKinley issued a commendatory proclamation on the death of John Sherman.

Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, military governor of Cuba, arrived in Washington on the 20th.

The government of Holland has placed an order for 12,000 tons of steel rails with the Carnegie Steel Co.

Reliable advices from Copenhagen assert that the sale of the Danish Atlantic to the U. S. will soon be effected.

The enumeration work of the 13th census is completed. There were 53,000 enumerators and 297 supervisors. The cost will be about \$4,200,000.

The steamer Morning Star arrived at San Francisco, Cal., on the 22d with 85 passengers and \$1,000,000 worth of gold dust from the mines of Dawson.

The Kentucky legislature sent the non-partisan election law, passed by it on the 20th to succeed the Goebel law, to the governor on the 22d, and adjourned sine die.

Habeas corpus proceedings to release Oberlin M. Carter, ex-captain of engineers, from the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., was filed in the U. S. circuit court on the 17th.

John Demlin, treasurer of the Galveston relief fund, gave out a statement on the 18th showing that the total contributions to date are \$1,095,202.

Five bags of registered mail, enclosed in one large pouch, were stolen from station H. L. New York, the other night, and so far the postoffice inspectors have been unable to locate the thief, although suspicion has fallen on one man.

Sharpsville, Pa., was the scene of a serious trouble on the night of the 17th between the Shenango furnace strikers and the imported laborers, in which guns and revolvers were freely used. One of the strikers was shot in the shoulder and one of the "scabs" had his head cut open. Twenty imported men were chased out of town.

John Alex Dowie, the Zionist of Chicago, who is preaching his doctrine in London, Eng., is continually being harassed by students during the meetings.

Newark, N. J., was struck by a severe windstorm on the afternoon of the 16th, which wrecked a partially constructed building, killing three workmen.

Geo. A. Pearson, the self-confessed murderer of Miss Annie Griffin, was on the 17th sentenced to hang by Judge Rose, of Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 7 is the date fixed for his execution.

CHINA WAR NEWS.

The Germans are withdrawing their troops from Shanghai.

The provisional government of Tsingtao has sentenced six boxers to death.

Gen. Chaffee has ordered two companies of the 9th U. S. infantry to garrison Tien Tsin.

Another serious outbreak was reported in China on the 11th. Kwang Si is the seat of the trouble this time, and it is said that the imperial troops were inadequate to cope with it. Missions were destroyed at Han King Chau.

A dispatch from Canton, dated the 14th, says that the Kwang Si rebels have defeated the imperial troops on the borders of Kwang Tung, and that Gen. Su has resigned in consequence of his request for reinforcements being ignored.

Detailed reports to the war office of the occupation of Mukden, Manchuria, show that the Russians met with strong opposition at Schachow, where the Chinese with 30 battalions, 20 field guns, and Krupp and Maxims occupied the railway embankment and heights. The Russians lost 50 killed and wounded, but captured several guns.

It was authoritatively stated at Washington on the 22d that the U. S. government views with distinct favor the principles enunciated in the Anglo-German agreement relating to China, and that a formal response to that effect will be made at an early day to the invitation extended to this government to accept the principles of the agreement.

The Russian government permits it to become known that its attitude in China will be increasing independence of the concert of the powers. Russia, it is explained, is disposed to attach less value to joint action since her interests have been fully secured by the successful campaign in Manchuria. Moreover, Russia is not willing to follow the irreconcilable policy of some of the powers.

For the first time in three days Minister Conger was heard from by the state department at Washington on the 18th. He communicated by cable the substance of propositions advanced by Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang as a basis for peace negotiations. It is believed that the last Chinese advance is in the nature of counter proposals to those of the French note on the theory that the proposed punishments are sufficient to meet the demands from the powers in that respect. There is reason to believe that the government will take favorable action on the latest proposition of the French government.

No concealment is made at the state department in Washington of the purpose of the U. S. to insist upon the fulfillment of the pledge given by the powers for the maintenance of the "open door" on Chinese soil, whether parts of the present territory of China are annexed to other sovereignties or not.

A determined stand will be made by the U. S. against the partition of the Chinese empire, in accordance with the purposes set forth in the note of Secretary Hay on July 5. In case Germany, Russia, France and Japan seize large strips of territory, it will probably be thought best to ask a renewal of the pledges that the commerce of the U. S. and that of all other nations shall stand upon a footing of equality there with the commerce of the governing power. There is little doubt that Great Britain and Japan would certainly support this proposition.

NEWSY BREVITIES.

Lieut. Richard P. Hobson is responsible for the report that Rear-Admiral Sampson is slowly dying at his home in Boston as a result of brooding over the Sampson-Schley controversy which followed the naval engagement at Santiago.

According to a Brussels telegram dated the 23d, a train was derailed at Le Carosse station and three carriages filled with passengers were precipitated over an embankment 18 metres high. Thirty persons were injured, one seriously.

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CHAPTER V.

Mid June had come, and there was
the very devil to pay—so said the
scouts and soldiers up along the Big
Horn. But scouts and soldiers were
far removed from the states and cities
where news was manufactured, and
those were days in which our Indian
outbreaks were described in the press
long after, instead of before, their oc-
currence. Such couriers as had got
through Frayne brought dispatches
from the far-isolated posts along that
beautiful range, insisting that the
Sioux were swarming in every valley.
Such dispatches, when wired to Wash-
ington and "referred" to the depart-
ment of the interior and re-referred to
the head of the Indian bureau, were
scoffed at as sensational.

"Our agents report the Indians peace-
ably assembled at their reservations.
None are missing at the weekly dis-
tribution of supplies except those who
are properly accounted for as out on
their annual hunt." The "officers,"
said the papers, "seem to take the real
Indian in every bush," and unpleasant
things were hinted at the officers in
consequence.

Indians there certainly were in other
sections, and they were unquestion-
ably "raising the devil" along the
Smoky Hill and the Southern plains,
and there the interior department in-
sisted that troops in strong force
should be sent. So, too, along the line
of the Union Pacific. Officials were still
nervous. Troops of cavalry camped at
intervals of forty miles along the line
between Kearney and Julesburg, and
even beyond. At Washington and the
great cities of the east, therefore,
there was no anxiety as to the
possible fate of those little
garrisons, with their helpless charge
of women and children, away up
in the heart of the Sioux country. But
at Laramie and Frayne and Emory, the



"Got heap better," was his comment.

nearest frontier posts; at Cheyenne,
Omaha and Gate City the anxiety was
great. When John Folsom said the In-
dians meant a war of extermination
people west of the Missouri said:
"Withdraw those garrisons while
there is yet time; or else send five
thousand troops to help them." But
people east of the Missouri said: "Who
the devil is John Folsom? What does
he know about it? Here's what the In-
dian agent says, and that's enough,"
and people east of the Missouri being
vastly in the majority, neither were
the garrisons relieved nor the reen-
forcements sent. What was worse,
John Folsom's urgent advice that they
discontinue at once all work at War-
rior Gap and send the troops and la-
borers back to Reno was pooh-poohed.

"The contracts have been let and
signed. The material is all on its way.
We can't back out now," said the of-
ficials. "Send runners to Red Cloud and
get him to talk. Promise him a lot of
presents. Yes, if he must have them,
tell him he shall have breech-loaders
and copper cartridges—to shoot buffa-
lo with, of course. Promise him pretty
much anything to be good and keep his
hands off a little longer till we get that
fort and the new agency buildings fin-
ished, and then let him do what he
likes."

Such were the instructions given the
commissioners and interpreters hurried
through Gate City and Frayne, and on
up to Reno just within the limit fixed
by Folsom. Red Cloud and his chiefs
came in accordingly, arrayed in pomp,
paint and finery, shook hands grimly
with the representatives of the Great
Father, critically scanned the proffered
gifts disdainfully rejected the
muzzle-loading rifles and old dragon
horse-pistols heaped before him. "Got
heap better," was his comment, and
nothing but brand new breech-
loaders would serve his purpose.
Promise them and he'd see what could
be done to restrain his young men.
But they were "pretty mad," he said,
and couldn't be relied upon to keep
the peace unless sure of getting better
arms and ammunition to help them
break it next time. It was only tem-
porizing. It was only encouraging the
veteran war chief in his visions of power
and control. The commissioners
came back beaming. "Everything satis-
factorily arranged. Red Cloud and his
people are only out for a big hunt." But
officers whose wives and children
prayed fearfully at night within the
puny wooden stockades, and listened
trembling to the howls and tom-toms
of the dancing Indians around the
council fires in the neighboring valleys,
wished to heaven they had left those
dear ones in safety at their eastern
homes—wished to heaven they could

send them thither now, but well knew
that it was too late. Only as single
spies, riding by night, hiding by day,
were couriers able to get through
from the Big Horn to the Platte. Of
scouts and soldiers sent at different
times since the middle of May, seven
were missing, and never, except
through vague boastings of the In-
dians, were heard of again.

"It is a treacherous trick, I tell you,"
said Folsom, with grave, anxious face,
to the colonel commanding Fort Em-
ory. "I have known Red Cloud 20
years. He's only waiting a few weeks
to see if the government will be fool
enough to send them breech-loaders.
If it does, he'll be all the better able
to fight a little later on. If it doesn't
he will make it his canvas belli."

It was nearly 300 miles by the wind-
ing mountain road from Gate City to
Warrior Gap. Over hill and dale and
mountain pass the road ran to Frayne,
thence, fording the North Platte, the
wagon trains, heavily guarded, had to
drag over miles of dreary desert, over
shadeless slopes and divides to the dry
wash of the Powder, and by roads
deep in alkali dust and sage brush to
Cantonment Reno, where far to the
west the grand range loomed up
against the sky—another long day's
march away to the nearest foothills,
to the nearest drinkable water, and
then, 40 miles further still, in the heart
of the grand pine-covered heights, was
the rock-bound gateway to a lovely
park region within, called by the
Sioux some wild combination of al-
most unpronounceable syllables, which,
freely translated, gave us Warrior
Gap, and there at last accounts,
strengthened by detachments from
Frayne and Reno, the little command
of fort builders worked away, ax in
hand, rifle at hand, subjected every
hour to alarm from the vedettes and
pickets posted thickly all about them,
pickets who were sometimes found
stone dead at their posts, transfixed
with arrows, scalped and mutilated,
and yet not once had Indians in any
force been seen by officers or men
about the spot since the day Red
Cloud's whole array passed Brooks'
troop on the Reno trail, peaceably
hunting buffalo. "An' devil a soul in
the outfit," said old Sgt. Shaughnes-
sy, "that hadn't his tongue in his
cheek."

For three months that hard-worked
troop had been afield, and the time
had passed and gone when its young
first lieutenant had hoped for a leave
to go home to see the mother and Jess.
His captain was still ailing and unfit
for duty in saddle. He could not and
would not ask for leave at such a
time, and yet at the very moment when
he was most earnestly and faithfully
doing his whole duty at the front,
slander was busy with his name long
miles at the rear.

Something was amiss with Burleigh,
said his cronies at Gate City. He had
come hurrying back from the hills,
had spent a day in his office and not a
cent at the club, had taken the night
express unbeknown to anybody but
his chief clerk, and gone hurrying
eastward. It was a time when his
services were needed at the depot, too.
Supplies, stores, all manner of ma-
terial were being freighted from Gate
City over the range to the Platte and
beyond, yet he had wired for authority
to hasten to Chicago on urgent per-
sonal affairs, got it and disappeared.
A young regimental quartermaster was
ordered in from Emory to take charge
of shipments and sign invoices during
Burleigh's temporary absence, and the
only other officer whom Burleigh had
seen and talked with before his start
was the venerable post commander.
One after another the few cavalry
troops (companies) on duty at Emory
had been sent afield until now only
one was left, and three days after Bur-
leigh started there came a dispatch
from department headquarters direct-
ing the sending of that one to Frayne
at once. Capt. Brooks' troop, owing
to the continued illness of its com-
mander, would be temporarily with-
drawn and sent back to Emory to re-
place it.

Marshall Dean did not know whether
to be glad or sorry. Soldier from top
to toe, he was keenly enjoying the
command of his troop. He gloried in
mountain scouting, and was in his ele-
ment when astride a spirited horse.
Then, too, the air was throbbing with
rumors of Indian depredations along
the northward trails, and everything
pointed to serious outbreak any mo-
ment, and when it came he longed to
be on hand to take his share and win
his name, for with such a troop his
chances were better for honors and
distinctions than those of any younger
he knew. Therefore he longed to
keep afield. On the other hand, the
visit paid by Jessie's school friend,
little "Pappoose" Folsom, was to be
returned in kind. John Folsom had
begged and their mother had consented
that after a week at home Jess
should accompany her beloved friend
on a visit to her far western home.
They would be escorted as far as Oma-
ha, and there Folsom himself would
meet them. His handsome house was
ready, and so said friends who had
been invited to the housewarming,
particularly well stocked as to larder
and cellar. There was just one thing
on which Gate City gossips were en-
abled to dilate that was not entirely
satisfactory to Folsom's friends, and
that was the new presiding goddess
of the establishment.

"What on earth does John Folsom
want of a housekeeper?" asked the
belongings of his friends at Fort Em-
ory, and in the busy, bustling town.
"Why don't he marry again?" queried
those who would gladly have seen some
unprovided sister, niece or daughter
thus cozily disposed of. It was years
since Elinor's mother's death, and yet
John Folsom seemed to mourn her as
fondly as ever, and except in midwin-
ter, barely a month went by in which
he did not make his pilgrimage to her
never-neglected grave. Yet, despite

his vigorous years in saddle, sunshine
or storm, and his thorough love for
outdoor life, Folsom, now well over 50,
could no longer so lightly bear the
hard life of the field. He was amazed
to see how his sleepless dash to head off
Red Cloud and his days and nights of
gallop back had told upon him. Women
at Fort Emory who looked with ap-
proving eyes on his ruddy face and
trim, erect figure, all so eloquent of
health, and who possibly contemplated,
too, his solid bank account, and that
fast-building house, the finest in Gate
City, had been telling him all winter
long he ought to have a companion—
an elder guide for Miss Elinor on her
return; he ought to have some one to
preside at his table; and honest John
had promptly answered: "Why, Nell
will do all that," which necessitated
their hinting that although Miss Fol-
som would be a young lady in years,
she was only a child in experience, and
would be much the better for some one
who could take a mother's place. "No
one could do that," said John, with
sudden swimming of his eyes, and that
put a sudden stop to their scheming,
for the time at least, but only for the
time. Taking counsel together, and
thinking how lovely it would be now if
Mr. Folsom would only see how much
there was in this unmarried damsel, or
that widowed dame, the coterie at Em-
ory again returned to the subject, un-
til John, in his perplexity, got the idea
that propriety demanded that he
should have a housekeeper against his
daughter's coming, and then he did go
and do, in his masculine stupidity, just
exactly what they wouldn't have had
him do for worlds—invite a woman, of
whom none of their number had ever
heard, to come from Omaha and take
the domestic management of his hearth
and home. All he knew of her was
what he heard there. She was the
widow of a volunteer officer who had
died of disease contracted during the
war. She was childless, almost desti-
tute, accomplished, and so devoted to
her church duties. She was interest-
ing and refined and highly educated.
He heard the eulogiums pronounced
by the good priest and some of his
flock, and Mrs. Fletcher, a substantial
person of some 40 years at least, was
duly installed.

Fort Emory was filled with women
folk and consternation—most of the
men being afield. The seething ques-
tion of the hour was whether they
should call on her, whether she was to
be received at the fort, whether she
was to be acknowledged and recognized
at all, and then came, mirabile dictu,
a great government official from Wash-
ington to inspect the Union Pacific
and make speeches at various points
along the road, and Mrs. Fletcher,
mind you, walked to church the very
next Sunday on the honorable secre-
tary's arm, sat by his side when he drove
out to hear the band at Emory and re-
ceived with him on the colonel's veran-
da, and that settled it. Received and
acknowledged and visited she had to
be. She might well prove a woman
worth knowing.

Within a fortnight she had made the
new homestead blossom like the rose.
Within a month everything was in per-
fect order for the reception of Elinor
and her school friend—a busy, anxious
month, in which Folsom was fitting to
and fro to Reno and Frayne, as we have
seen; to Hal's ranch in the Medicine
Bow, to Rawhide and Laramie, and the
reservations in northwestern Nebras-
ka; and it so happened that he was
away the night Maj. Burleigh, on his
way to the depot, dropped in to inquire
if he could see Mr. Folsom a moment on
important business. The servant said
he was not in town—had gone, she
thought, to Omaha. She would inquire
of Mrs. Fletcher, and meantime would
the major step inside? Step inside, and
stand wondering at the threshold of
the pretty parlor, he did; and then
there was a rustle of silken skirts on
the floor above, and as he turned to
listen his haggard, careworn face took
on a look something like that which
overspread it the night he got the let-
ter at Reno—something that told of be-
wildered and perplexity, as a quiet,
modulated voice told the servant to tell
the gentleman Mr. Folsom might not
return for several days. Burleigh had
no excuse to linger, none to ask to hear
that voice again; yet as he slowly de-
scended the steps its accents were still
strangely ringing in his ears. Where
on earth had he heard that voice be-
fore?

TO BE CONTINUED

The Essentials.
Our mothers at 17, while they were
absorbing as much history, philosophy
or foreign languages as was good for
them, were learning at the same time
half-unconsciously how to cook, to sew,
to bring up children, to control serv-
ants, to take care of the sick—in a
word, to be unselfish, skillful home-
makers. If love came to them, as it
comes to most women at that age, it
found them in the shelter of their
homes, guided by the wisdom of those
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Interrupted.
"Eliza, you'll never again get me
out at four o'clock to cut the grass."
"David, I wanted you to do it before
it got hot."

"Well, Eliza, it got hot in just three
minutes. I hadn't cut five strokes
before the people on both sides of
us threw two bird cages and four
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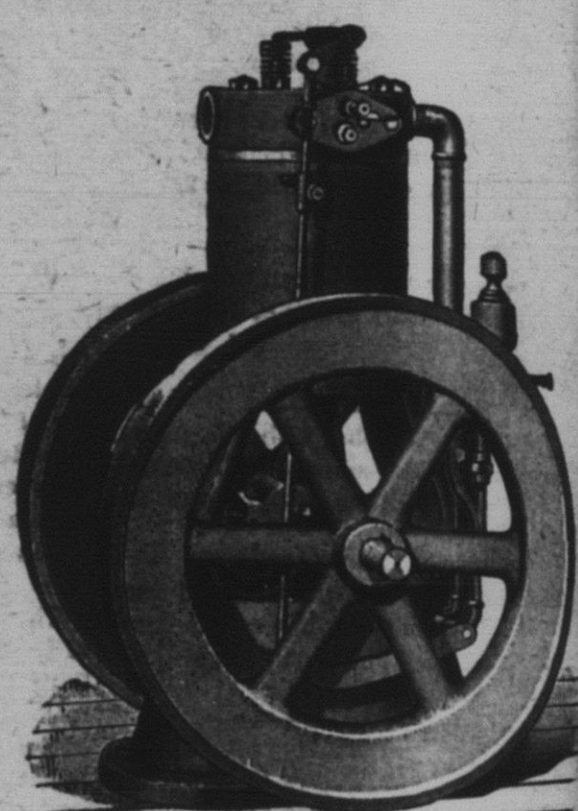
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In the matter of the estate of J. A. P. Wirt,
deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly ver-
ified, of Blanche Saper Cushman praying that
the administration do bonds out of said estate
may be granted to Carrie Saper Cushman as
some other suitable person.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Wednesday, the
7th day of November next, at ten o'clock in the
forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said
petition, and that the heirs at law of said de-
ceased, and all other persons interested in said
estate, be required to appear at a session of
said Court, then to be held at the Probate
Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show
cause if any there be, why the prayer of the
petition should not be granted. And it is
further ordered, that said petition be given
notice to the persons interested in said estate
of the pendency of said petition, and the hear-
ing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to
be published in the Chelsea Standard a news-
paper printed and circulated in said county
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hearing.

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