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ZERO WEATHER

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If you have waited for low prices here is your chance. A regular snap for buyers. New stylish Jackets, better made, better fitting jackets than most dealers are showing, and we offer them now at the beginning of extreme cold weather at wholesale prices. All Wool Kersey Jackets, lined throughout at **\$6.50**. All Wool best quality Kersey Jackets, lined with best quality satin lining, warranted to wear two seasons, at **\$8.50**. Misses' and Children's Jackets reduced to prices that will surprise you when you see them. Children's Jackets are now going at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Come and look.

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AT

THE HERALD OFFICE

SOCIETY ELECTIONS.

Several Sets of Officers Have Been Chosen During the Past Week.

L. O. T. M.

At the regular meeting of Columbian Hive, No. 284, L. O. T. M., held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Lady Commander—Minerva Davis.
Lieut. Commander—Lois M. Bacon.
Record Keeper—Lila M. Campbell.
Finance Keeper—M. Ella Drislane
Chaplain—Mary Gerard.
Sergeant—Hattie E. Steger.
Mistress at Arms—Caroline Townsend.
Sentinel—Emma A. Leach.
Picket—Hattie L. Chandler
Organist—Lena Williams.

C. M. B. A.

At the annual meeting of Branch No. 80, C. M. B. A., held Wednesday evening of last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Spiritual Advisor—Rev. W. P. Consideine.
President—James S. Gorman.
1st Vice President—Louis Burg.
2d Vice President—J. J. Raftrey.
Recorder—J. Henry Mullen.
Asst. Recorder—Louis Stapish.
Financial Secretary and Treasurer—Joseph Seckinger.
Marshal—Ed. Beissel.
Guard—Arthur Fallen.
Trustees, long term—John Clark, Geo. Eder, G. Weick. Long term—John P. Foster and Edward Stapish.

L. C. B. A.

At the annual meeting of Branch No. 410, L. C. B. A., held Thursday evening the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Spiritual Advisor—Rev. W. P. Consideine.
President—Mrs. Hattie Raftrey.
1st Vice President—Mrs. Julia Foster.
2d Vice President—Mrs. Catherine Martin.
Recorder—Mrs. Josephine Carringer.
Asst. Recorder—Miss Lena Foster.
Treasurer—Miss Margaret Miller.
Financial Secretary—Mrs. Anna Remnant.
Marshal—Mrs. Elizabeth Eder.
Guard—Mrs. Eleanor Hankard.
Trustees—Mrs. Margaret Conway, Mrs. Maria Heatley, Mrs. Mary Burg, Mrs. Lena Staffan, Mrs. Catharine Howe.
Past President—Mrs. Mary Clark.

K. O. P.

At the annual meeting of Chelsea Lodge, No. 194, K. of P., held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

C. C.—George A. B. Gole.
V. C.—R. D. Walker.
P.—John D. Watson.
M. of W.—E. E. Shaver.
K. of R. and S.—Schuyler P. Foster.
M. of F.—Lewis P. Vogel.
M. of E.—Edgar A. Williams.
M. at A.—T. G. Speer.
I. G.—D. C. McLaren.
O. G.—Chauncey M. Stephens.
Representative to Grand Lodge—Geo. A. BeGole.
Alternate—B. J. Howlett.
Trustees—D. Ed. Beach, J. A. Palmer and H. S. Holmes.
Installing Officer—Clarence W. Maroney.

M. W. O. F. A.

Chelsea Camp, No. 7388, M. W. of A., elected its officers for the ensuing year at the last meeting:

V. C.—J. Hummel.
W. A.—George Jackson.
Banker—W. R. Lehman.
Clerk—B. Parker.
Escort—H. Brooks.
Watchman—O. A. Burgess.
Sentry—W. Fritz.
Manager—W. Atkins.
Delegates to the County Convention to be held at Ann Arbor Jan. 10, 1901, were also elected as follows: J. Hummel, Wm. Fritz, C. Carpenter, W. R. Lehman.

A Keen, Clear Brain.

Your best feelings, your social position or business success depend largely on the perfect action of your Stomach and Liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills give increased strength, a keen, clear brain, high ambition. A 25 cent box will make you feel like a new being. Sold by Stimson, the druggist.

If the average man would look himself squarely in the eye, he would see at once that he needs Rocky Mountain Tea. A priceless boon to men. 35c. Ask your druggist.

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We make a specialty of articles suitable for Christmas Gifts. Our line is very large this year and you should not buy without looking it over.

Fancy Goods, Novelties.

Elegant Albums from 50c to \$5.00.
Toilet Cases from \$1.00 to \$7.00.
Celluloid Articles at 25 cents each.

Fancy Crockery. . .

Beautiful Plates 10c to \$1.75.
Salad Dishes.
Jardiniere.
Low Prices on Lamps.
Ebony Goods.
Ebonoid Novelties 17c each.

Books.

Our line of Books is very large.
All Standard Poems.
Popular Books of the day.
Books for Boys.
Books for Girls.

Jewelry and Silverware.

Solid Gold Rings.
Set Rings \$1.75 each.
Children's Rings.
Any article of Silver bought of us is fully warranted.
We have

4 Styles of Tea Sets.

Full line of Cake Baskets.
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Crokinole Boards 99c each.
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All kinds of Toys.

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Christmas Candy, Popcorn Balls, Mixed Nuts, Oranges and Bananas.

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The Bank Drug Store.

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and

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of all kinds and at all prices.

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Sterling Silver Novelties,</p> | <p>Ebonoid and Celluloid Goods in
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Fancy China,
Lamps,</p> | <p>Toilet Cases,
Books,
Plated and Nickel Ware in Tea and Coffee Pots, Knives and Forks, and Spoons,
Hand Sleds, Etc., Etc.</p> |
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| <p>We have Fancy Rockers,
Sideboards,
Dining and Easy Chairs,</p> | <p>Combination Desks and Book Cases
Music Cabinets,</p> | <p>Parlor Suits,
Bedroom Suits,
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We have Pocket Knives, Shears, Carving Sets, Skates, Granite Ware, Steel Ranges, all at very low prices.

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A strictly first-class, modern, up-to-date Hotel, located in the heart of the City.
DETROIT.
Rates, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 per Day.
Cor. Grand River & Griswold St.

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 23d day of November, A. D. 1900, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Charles G. Ward, 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 23d day of May next, and that such claims will be heard before said court on the 23d day of February and on the 2d day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.
Dated, Ann Arbor, Nov. 23, A. D. 1900.
H. WIRT NEWKIRK,
Judge of Probate.

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 Forester Allison, 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 G. W. Turnbull, in the village of Chelsea, in said County, on Tuesday, the 23d day of January, and on Monday the 22d day of April next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
Dated, October 22, 1900.
THOMAS WILKINSON,
HARRY SHAWER,
Commissioners.

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 Effie Baldwin, 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 B. Parker, in the village of Chelsea, in said County, on Saturday, the 16th day of February, and on Thursday, the 16th day of May, next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.
Dated, September 18, 1900.
GEO. J. CRUWELL,
W. F. HEIMENSCHEIDER,
Commissioners.

HORSES FOR SALE.—On my horse farm 7 years old, weight 1,100 pounds; one grey horse 10 years old, weight 1,150 pounds. These horses are good for either or age of general farm work. Call at the Her 1a office.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Glazier were Detroit visitors Tuesday.
Mrs. T. W. Mingay returned Monday from a week's visit in Ann Arbor.
Washtenaw Times: I. R. Sexton, of Chelsea, has been the guest of Roy A. Lanning.
Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Hafner, of Sylvan, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Ann Arbor.
Dr. R. S. Armstrong was in Ann Arbor Monday evening attending a meeting of the chapter of Royal Arch Masons.
George T. English and Elmer Dean went to Lansing Tuesday morning to attend the meeting of the state grange.
Rev. and Mrs. Geo. B. Marsh, of Tipton, Lenawee county, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Glazier since Monday. Mr. Marsh was a welcome caller at the Herald office.

Paid Dear For His Leg.
B. D. Blanton, of Thackerville, Tex., in two years paid over \$300.00 to doctors to cure a running sore on his leg. Then they wanted to cut it off, but he cured it with one box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Guaranteed cure for piles. 25 cents a box. Sold by Stimson, the druggist.

Another Word to the Ladies.
EDITOR HERALD, Chelsea, Mich.:
We understand there are still a few ladies in Chelsea and vicinity who did not take advantage of our recent offer to send an elegant silver plated sugar shell absolutely free of charge to any married lady who would simply ask for it, so we will renew the offer for a short time only. We sell these shells regularly at 40 cents each. Retail jewelers ask 50 to 75 cents for such goods. They are exquisitely beautiful creations in high grade silver plate. To further advertise our wares we will send one, post-paid, to every married lady who has not received one. This announcement should be cut out and returned to us with your request. (This is important). Also please enclose a stamp or two to help pay cost of mailing. QUAKER VALLEY MFG. Co., Morgan and Harrison Sts., Chicago.
Dec 13, 14 and 15, the Ann Arbor Railroad will sell excursion tickets to points in Canada on the Grand Trunk, Canadian Pacific, Wabash and Michigan Central Railways, at one fare for the round trip, limited for return to Jan. 1, 1901.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 11th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of Pauline Kuebler, deceased.
Louise Winegar, the administratrix of said estate, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administratrix.
Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petition should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said administratrix give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Chelsea Herald, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
H. WIRT NEWKIRK,
Judge of Probate.
P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Registrar.

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Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 4th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred.
Present, H. Wirt Newkirk, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the Estate of John Grau, sr., deceased.
On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of John Grau, jr., praying that administration of said estate may be granted to himself, or some other suitable person.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Wednesday, the 2d day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petition 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.
P. J. LEHMAN, Probate Registrar.

The Herald from now to Jan. 1, 1902, for \$1 00

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made for more than sixty days in payment of installments of principal and interest on a certain indenture of mortgage, dated January 4, A. D. 1898, made by Edward Brown and Mary Brown, his wife, to James Taylor, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for the county of Washtenaw, in the state of Michigan, on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1898, in liber 96 of mortgages, on page 336, for which default said James Taylor, by virtue of the right given him by said mortgage, has made and hereby makes the principal sum of said mortgage and the interest accrued thereon due and payable; by which default the power of sale in said mortgage has become operative, on which said mortgage there is now claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Twelve Hundred and Twenty-two Dollars, and suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been commenced to recover the moneys secure by said mortgage or any part thereof.
Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder on Monday, February 11, A. D. 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the east front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor in said County (said court house being the place of holding the circuit court within said County) to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and all legal costs. Said premises to be sold are described in said mortgage as follows, viz: The west half of the southeast quarter of section number seven (7) containing eighty acres of land more or less. Also the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section number eighteen (18) containing forty acres of land more or less. Also commencing at a stake in the highway situated twenty nine (29) chains and seventy two (72) links east and ten (10) chains and seventy-three (73) links north of the west quarter post of section number seventeen (17) in said township, running thence east twenty-seven (27) chains and sixty two (62) links to a stake, thence north nine (9) chains and twenty-seven (27) links to a stake, thence west seven (7) chains and twenty (20) links to the center of the highway, thence south nineteen (19) degrees west five (5) chains and forty four (44) links along the center of the highway, thence south three (3) degrees west six (6) chains along said highway to the place of beginning. All in town one (1) south, range four (4) east.
Dated November 15, 1900.
JAMES TAYLOR, Mortgagee.
G. W. TURNBULL,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

VARICOCELE & STRICTURE
No other disease is so prevalent among men as Varicocele. As it interferes with the nutrition of the sexual organs it produces emissions, loss of semen through the urine, decay of the organs, pains in the loins, aching in the back, nervousness, despondency, bashfulness, palpitation of the heart, constipation, and a combination of these results in complete Loss of Manhood. Thousands of young and middle-aged men are troubled with Stricture. If you have reason to believe you are afflicted with it, don't neglect it. It will ruin you. Don't let doctors experiment on you by cutting, stretching or tearing it. Our New Method Treatment dissolves the stricture tissue hence it disappears and can never return. We cure Varicocele and Stricture without operation or loss of time. The treatment may be taken at home privately. Send for our Free Illustrated Book on Varicocele, Stricture and Gleet. We guarantee to Cure or No Pay.

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O. W. Rowe, of Jackson, Mich., says:—I had varicocele in the secondary stage and two strictures of 8 years standing. I was operated on twice, undergoing great suffering, but only got temporary relief. I was finally advised to try the New Method Treatment of Drs. K. & K. The enlarged veins disappeared in six weeks, the stricture tissue was removed in eight weeks and my sexual energy and vitality returned so I was a man in every respect. I recommend you doctors with my whole heart.

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T. W. MINGAY, Editor and Proprietor.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

THE WEEK'S NEWS

Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

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

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the senate on the 5th a bill was passed providing for the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the establishment of the national capital in Washington.

The senate passed a bill on the 6th providing for a bridge across the Mississippi at Dubuque, Ia.

The senate on the 7th after an executive session, in which no business of importance was transacted, adjourned to the 10th.

There was no session of the senate on the 8th.

DOMESTIC.

Theodore Wallert pleaded guilty to murdering his wife and four stepchildren at Arlington, Minn.

Gov. M. A. Otero, of New Mexico, and Gov. N. O. Murphy, of Arizona, are in Washington to ask congress to admit their territories to statehood.

A gigantic international combination of all big warship-building concerns is being engineered by Cramp & Co., of Philadelphia.

The envoys at Peking have signed a new protocol along the lines laid down by President McKinley.

A returning miner says a rich gold strike was made on the Yellow river in western Alaska.

A New York packing firm paid \$2,145, or \$1.50 a pound, for a steer at the fat stock show in Chicago.

The state of Montana is out of debt for the first time in its history.

The fishing boat Cora S. McKay has been given up for lost, with all its crew of 30 residents of Provincetown, Mass.

William Scaton, aged 22, confessed that he murdered his sister and uncle and two children at South Park, Wash.

At the twentieth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor in Louisville, Ky., President Gompers pronounced against a compulsory arbitration law.

The bureau of statistics in Washington submitted figures showing an enormous lake traffic in past season.

The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 7th aggregated \$2,263,620,544, against \$1,782,744,333 the previous week.

There were 237 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 7th, against 184 the week previous and 221 the corresponding period of 1899.

Harvard men won the annual debate with Yale at Cambridge, Mass.

August Anderson and Charles Massman, employed at the Illinois Steel company's mills in South Chicago, were killed by the fall of a scaffold.

Judge J. Ewing, of Cleveland, O., is drawing up a measure for presentation to the next Ohio legislature to prohibit football playing.

Dan Long, a negro, was lynched near Ivanhoe, Va., by a mob for criminally assaulting Mrs. Fisher.

The Alabama legislature passed a bill calling for a constitutional convention to restrict the negro vote.

During the past season 110 persons lost their lives on the great lakes, against 109 in 1899.

Horace J. Hayden, second vice president of the New York Central road, was killed by a fall from his residence in New York.

The total receipts from all sources of postal revenue during the past year amounted to \$102,354,579 and the expenditures reached \$107,740,267.

During the last fiscal year 448,572 immigrants arrived in this country, an increase of 136,837 over the previous year.

J. J. Axtell, ex-parsen, barber and pugilist, was knocked out in 43 seconds by Kid O'Hara, of Detroit, at Pontiac, Mich.

Students at the Morgan Park (Ill.) academy celebrated a victory at football by burning a building.

The skeleton of a woman chained to a rock on the edge of Great Salt Lake gave a clue to a tragedy 50 years ago.

The tow barge Charles Foster foundered off Erie, Pa., and the crew of eight perished.

Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith in his annual report says that during the fiscal year the total receipts from all sources aggregated \$102,354,579; total expenditures, \$107,740,268, leaving a deficit of \$5,385,688.

Nearly 2,000 telegraph operators on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, covering the territory from Chicago to San Francisco, went on a strike, badly crippling the road.

George Knight, aged 83, whose prison service of 43 years is a record unequaled, died at the state prison at Thomaston, Me.

The Saxton block, owned by Mrs. M. C. Barber, sister of Mrs. McKinley, was destroyed by fire in Canton, O., the loss being \$300,000.

Exports from the United States to Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, Hawaiian and Samoan islands will aggregate \$50,000,000 this year, against \$41,000,000 in 1899.

John McAuliffe, a well-known artist, aged 70 years, was killed accidentally by falling from a window of his residence in New York.

After serving seven years of a 13-years' sentence in the penitentiary in Philadelphia James Parker, of Ellisdale, N. J., was found to be innocent and released.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL

Gov. Lind appointed Charles A. Towne, of Duluth, United States Senator from Minnesota to succeed the late Senator Davis.

The official vote in Kentucky gives Bryan a plurality of 8,098.

Joseph Lomax, who helped drive Mormons out of Illinois in 1844, died at Petaluma, Cal.

John Lawrence Manning Irby, formerly United States senator, died at his home in Laurens, S. C.

Adna Adams Treat, the oldest mason in the world, died at Denver, Col., aged 103 years and 8 months.

Mrs. Mary L. McLean, mother of John R. McLean, of the Cincinnati Enquirer, and of Mrs. Dewey, wife of Admiral Dewey, died at her residence in Washington, aged 72 years.

William N. Jackson, the oldest man in active railroad service in the United States, died at Indianapolis, aged 91 years.

John W. Coppinger, former United States consul to Toronto, died at Alton, Ill., aged 49 years.

FOREIGN.

The envoys at Peking have signed a new protocol along the lines laid down by President McKinley.

King Victor of Italy had a narrow escape from drowning while viewing the flood in Rome.

An agreement has been reached setting aside \$20,833 a month for Countess Castellane, Jay Gould's daughter.

H. M. Hanna, brother of the senator, gave a Cleveland hospital Northern Pacific preferred stock valued at \$82,000.

Since the repeal of the Colorado law providing for capital punishment there have been 73 murders in Denver and vicinity.

A shipment of 100,000 young peach trees from Georgia nurseries, bound for Cape Colony and Natal, South Africa, has been made.

An organization for employment of all idle labor is being formed in Boston under the title of the Workers' Cooperative association.

Thirteen colored women, whose ages range from 35 to 75, are attending night school in Jersey City, N. J., and taking their first lessons in reading.

Horseshoes weighing an ounce each and just a trifle larger than a silver dollar were turned out in a California shop for a Shetland pony six months old.

A furniture dealer in Providence, R. I., offers to provide the minister, marriage feast and wedding trip to young couples patronizing him for household goods.

The famous old race horse Robert J., who went a mile in 2:01 1/2 against time, and went a mile in a race in 2:02 1/2, was sold at a recent New York horse sale for \$625.

The New York Central railroad will spend \$2,500,000 in improving its harbor property at Boston. The plan includes the largest grain elevator on the Atlantic coast.

An Alabama geologist who has been prospecting in the neighborhood of Decatur says he has found unmistakable traces of gold and phosphate within 15 miles of the city named.

The gross earnings of 143 representative railroads for the first nine months of this year amount to the sum of \$883,991,000. This is \$80,000,000 more than the same roads earned for the corresponding time in 1899.

The British government has not formally notified the powers of its annexation of the Transvaal and Orange Free State.

All the foreign ministers in Peking except the British envoy have been ordered to sign the joint demand on China.

The czar wrote to Kruger expressing sympathy, but saying that owing to illness he could not receive him nor help his cause.

LATER.

Bills were introduced in the United States senate on the 10th by Senator Cullom (Ill.) to grant pensions at \$50 per month to the widows of Gen. John M. Palmer and Gen. John L. McClelland.

Senator Towne (Minn.) took the oath of office. The Hay-Pauncefote treaty was further discussed. In the house the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill (\$24,496,308) was passed.

Mr. Norton (O.) introduced a bill for penny postage on letters. The president transmitted reports on the agricultural resources of Porto Rico.

Regularity of trains on the Santa Fe indicates that the backbone of the telegraphers' strike is broken.

President McKinley in Washington touched a button which formally opened the territorial exposition at Phoenix, A. T.

Gov. Gen. Wood has abolished the Cuban bar, which affronted him in honoring judges dismissed from office.

Oklahoma and Indian territories met in joint convention at South McAlester to unite on a single form of government.

Gen. Knox and Gen. De Wet's forces were engaged in a desperate conflict on the Basutoland border in South Africa.

By the death of her mother, Mrs. Washington McLean, Admiral Dewey's wife has become a millionaire.

The transport Hancock arrived at San Francisco from Manila with the bodies of 1,500 soldiers and sailors who perished in the orient.

Four men were killed in a gas explosion in the Union Pacific tunnel near Aspen, Wyo.

Gen. Otis was the guest of honor at a banquet in Chicago of the Illinois Manufacturers' association. He advised keeping the Philippines.

Engineer George Hanselman was found dying in his cab from a pistol wound at Belleville, Ill.

An escaped convict fought a posse at Logansport, Ind., for three miles, shooting one officer, and got away.

The pope has ordered mass for all who died in the nineteenth century.

It is announced that Chief of Police Kipley, of Chicago, has resigned.

The dowager's strength in China is on the wane, while the emperor grows in power. The success of American diplomacy is recognized. Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have been found to be without credentials from the Chinese emperor.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

The salmon output in the northwest exceeds that of all former years.

In Prussia an income tax is levied on all whose income exceeds \$225 a year.

King Victor of Italy had a narrow escape from drowning while viewing the flood in Rome.

An agreement has been reached setting aside \$20,833 a month for Countess Castellane, Jay Gould's daughter.

H. M. Hanna, brother of the senator, gave a Cleveland hospital Northern Pacific preferred stock valued at \$82,000.

Since the repeal of the Colorado law providing for capital punishment there have been 73 murders in Denver and vicinity.

A shipment of 100,000 young peach trees from Georgia nurseries, bound for Cape Colony and Natal, South Africa, has been made.

An organization for employment of all idle labor is being formed in Boston under the title of the Workers' Cooperative association.

Thirteen colored women, whose ages range from 35 to 75, are attending night school in Jersey City, N. J., and taking their first lessons in reading.

Horseshoes weighing an ounce each and just a trifle larger than a silver dollar were turned out in a California shop for a Shetland pony six months old.

A furniture dealer in Providence, R. I., offers to provide the minister, marriage feast and wedding trip to young couples patronizing him for household goods.

The famous old race horse Robert J., who went a mile in 2:01 1/2 against time, and went a mile in a race in 2:02 1/2, was sold at a recent New York horse sale for \$625.

The New York Central railroad will spend \$2,500,000 in improving its harbor property at Boston. The plan includes the largest grain elevator on the Atlantic coast.

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HE WAS READY FOR MORE.

Not Even a Railway Collision Could Subdue the Ardor of a Football Fan.

The two trains came together with an awful crash. Some one had hundered. That, however, was a matter which would have to be left for future investigation.

As soon as those who were uninjured could extricate themselves from the wreck they turned manfully to the work of rescuing their less fortunate fellow-passengers, says the Chicago Times-Herald.

It was a sickening sight. Cars were heaped on top of one another. People were pinned under seats, beams and trucks. Steam was hissing from the overturned boilers, the rails of the track were warped and torn loose from the ties, and the moans and cries of the injured could be heard afar off.

Finally, after long, hard work, the rescuers reached the bottom of the mass, where the legs and body of a man protruded from beneath a twisted platform. Beside him lay a cane decorated with colored ribbons, and a long tin horn.

Fearfully and anxiously a score of strong men lifted the weight from the head and shoulders of the prostrate one and carried him up the embankment. As they reached the higher level he opened his eyes, passed a hand in front of them, as if brushing away a dim screen of some kind, and shouted: "Rah! rah! rah! Sizz! boom, ah! Ki-yih! hip-hip! hoo-gah-yah! Come on, fellows! Which side has the ball!"

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Always in One.

Grimes—Is your wife fond of pets? Harum—I should say she was. She is almost always in one.—Boston Transcript.

Lane's Family Medicine.

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

Grace—"I thought you were never going walking with that Snaggs?" Neil—"I wasn't, but I've got a beautiful new cloak and I just had to go walking."—Syracuse Herald.

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Defensive.—"Just look at that garden, David; look at those weeds!" "Well, what's the matter with them? Ain't they thrifty?"—N. O. Times-Democrat.

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

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—John F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

Every mother of a singing daughter attributes the latter's failure to the fact that the world has so few appreciative souls.—Atchison Globe.

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

Mrs. Wunder—"We never hear of any women train robbers." Mr. Wunder—"And yet the ladies are always holding up trains."—Baltimore American.

You cannot be cheerful if you have dyspepsia. You won't have dyspepsia if you chew White's "Yucatan."

Love has even been known to fly out of the window, just with a man at the door having difficulty finding the keyhole.—Detroit Journal.

The Public Awards the Palm to Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar for coughs. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

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The Important Dates of the Nineteenth Century in the United States

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1801.
Feb. 15—Thomas Jefferson elected president by vote of the house of representatives because of tie in electoral vote between himself and Aaron Burr, the latter becoming vice president.
June 10—Tripoli declares war against United States.
Dec. 7—President Jefferson inaugurated system of sending written messages to congress. Since this date no president has addressed congress orally.
The second census was taken in 1800, but the total of the enumeration was not announced until 1801. It was 3,308,483.

1802.
April 30—Territory of Louisiana purchased from France for \$15,000,000. Territory consists of 1,717,821 square miles.
United States frigate Philadelphia captured by Tripolitans in harbor of Tripoli.
1804.
Feb. 16—United States frigate Philadelphia burned by Lieut. Stephen Decatur and American crew in harbor of Tripoli.
Feb. 23—Impeachment trial of Samuel Chase, associate justice of the supreme court, began. He was acquitted in March, 1805.
March 4—Thomas Jefferson and George Clinton inaugurated.
June 2—Treaty of peace signed between Tripoli and the United States.
July—American ports closed to the British and British ships ordered from American waters.
July 11—Successful voyage of Robert Fulton's steamboat Clermont from New York to Albany.
July 12—Aaron Burr charged with treason for attempting to organize new empire in northern Mexico.
Aug. 2—Embargo act passed forbidding American vessels to leave for foreign ports.
Jan. 1—Act prohibiting importation of slaves into country became law.
March 4—James Madison and George Clinton inaugurated.
March 15—Embargo act, excepting as to Great Britain and France, repealed.
May 10—First agricultural exhibition in United States held at Georgetown, D. C.
Third census taken; population, 3,929,881.

1811.
Nov. 7—Battle of Tippecanoe fought by Gen. Harrison.
April 8—Louisiana admitted to the union.
The 18—U. S. declared war against England.
Aug. 15—Fort Dearborn massacre on present site of Chicago.
March 4—James Madison and Elbridge Gerry inaugurated.
Aug. 31—Indians massacred garrison and women and children at Fort Mims, Ala.
Sept. 10—Com. O. H. Perry defeated British squadron at Put-in-Bay, Lake Erie.
April 14—The embargo act repealed by congress.
Aug. 25—Washington burned by the British.
Sept. 21—Treaty of peace signed between Great Britain and United States at Ghent, Belgium.
1815.
Jan. 8—British defeated by Americans at New Orleans.
Feb. 17—U. S. declared war against Algiers.
Sept. 25—Peace treaty signed between United States and Algiers.

1816.
April 10—United States bank chartered by congress for 20 years; capital, \$35,000,000.
April 27—First protective tariff bill passed by congress.
July 6—Ice a quarter of an inch thick formed in Pennsylvania, New York and New England states.
Dec. 11—Indiana admitted to the union.
Dec. 19—American colonization society organized in Philadelphia. This society founded Liberia in Africa, its object being to establish a home for free American negroes.

1817.
Jan. 1—The United States bank began operations.
March 4—James Monroe and Daniel D. Tompkins inaugurated.
Oct. 10—Mississippi admitted to the union.
April 14—President approved act establishing flag of United States at 13 stripes and a star for each state.
Oct. 3—Illinois admitted to the union.
Feb. 22—Spain ceded Florida to United States for consideration of \$5,000,000.
March 25—First ocean steamship, the Savannah, left Savannah, Ga., for Liverpool.
Sept. 10—Com. O. H. Perry died at Trinidad, West Indies.
Feb. 14—Alabama admitted to the union.
March 15—Maine admitted to the union.
March 5—James Monroe and Daniel D. Tompkins inaugurated president and vice president for second term.
Feb. 10—Missouri admitted to the union.

1820.
Jan. 4—President Monroe vetoed appropriation bill providing for government improvements on the Cumberland road, and transmitted to congress a message approving his objections to national appropriations for internal improvements. This practically changed the policy of the government regarding internal improvements excepting as regards rivers and harbors.
Feb. 2—Proclamation by President Monroe declared that for the future the American continents were not to be considered as subjects for colonization by European power. This constitutes the "Monroe doctrine."
March 12—Convention signed between Great Britain and United States for suppression of slave trade.
Jan. 15—Gen. Lafayette landed in New York for visit to America.
Feb. 9—Tenth presidential election. Of 22,000 popular vote John Quincy Adams received 105,221; Andrew Jackson, 152,899; W. H. Crawford, 41,555; Henry Clay, 47,892. No candidate for president received majority of electoral votes and election devolved upon house of representatives. John C. Calhoun elected vice president.

1823.
Jan. 22—House of representatives voted for president, each state having one vote. John Quincy Adams received 12; Andrew Jackson, 7; and William Crawford, 4.
Oct. 29—Erie canal opened from Buffalo to Albany.
1826.
July 4—Ex-Presidents John Adams, Quincy, Mass., and Thomas Jefferson, Monticello, Va., died.
First railroad in the United States began operations. It extended from Quincy, Mass., to the Neponset river and was operated by horse power.
1828.
Nov. 11—Eleventh presidential election. Andrew Jackson received 653,028 popular and 178 electoral votes; John Quincy Adams received 512,159 popular and 83 electoral votes.
1829.
Aug. 8—First railway locomotive operated in America started at Honesdale, Pa.
1830.
Jan. 25—Robert Y. Hayne, S. C. in speech in congress on Foote resolution on public lands announced nullification doctrine.
Sept.—Anti-masonic party held the first national political convention in United States at Philadelphia.
1831.
Jan. 15—South Carolina railroad, first passenger and freight railroad in United States, opened for traffic.
July 4—Ex-President James Monroe died in New York, aged 73.
July 26—First successful reaper, invention of Cyrus H. McCormick, tested at Steele's Tavern, Va.
March—Black Hawk war begun.
June 2—First death from cholera in the United States occurred at New York.
July 12—Source of cotton in Mississippi discovered by Henry R. Schoolcraft.
July 14—Tariff measures of 1823 partially repealed.
Nov. 12—Twelfth presidential election. Andrew Jackson received 675,902 popular and 219 electoral votes, and Henry Clay 530,189 popular and 49 electoral votes.
Nov. 14—Charles Carroll, last surviving signer of declaration of independence, died at Baltimore, aged 95.
Nov. 19—Convention at Columbus, S. C., adopted resolutions declaring tariff acts null and void.
1832.
March 15—South Carolina repealed nullification resolution in convention.
Dec. 6—American Anti-Slavery society organized in Philadelphia.
1834.
Dec.—President in annual message announced extinguishment of national debt.
1835.
Dec. 28—Seminole Indian war began. Thomas Davenport, of Braddon, Vt., built first electric railway motor at Springfield, Mass.
1836.
March 2—Texas declared its independence.
May 14—Mexico acknowledged independence of Texas.
June 15—Arkansas admitted to the union.
June 28—Ex-President James Madison died at Montpelier, Vt., aged 85.
Nov. 8—Thirteenth presidential election. Martin Van Buren elected president with 761,549 popular and 170 electoral votes, against 73 electoral votes for his nearest competitor, William Henry Harrison. Total popular vote, 1,483,205. No vice president chosen because of lack of majority of electoral votes. Senate chose Richard M. Johnson.
1837.
Jan. 6—Michigan admitted to the union.
May 10—All banks in New York city suspended specie payment because of financial panic.
1838.
May 10—Banks in New York resumed specie payment.
1839.
Oct. 10—United States bank suspended, causing financial panic.
1840.
Jan. 19—Lieut. Wilkes discovered Antarctic continent.
June—Fifth census taken. Population, 17,068,696.
Nov. 10—Fourteenth presidential election. William Henry Harrison received 224,000 popular and 1,275,017 electoral votes, and Martin Van Buren 60 electoral and 1,128,702 popular votes.
1841.
April 4—President Harrison died, aged 68.
July 6—Act to distribute money from sales of public lands among the states passed.
1842.
Aug. 14—End of Indian war in Florida proclaimed.
Aug. 20—Ashburton treaty, settling Maine boundary dispute between United States and England, ratified by senate.
Oct. 13—First submarine cable laid by Prof. Morse in New York harbor.
1844.
May 27—First telegram sent over a land line from Washington to Baltimore.
Nov. 12—Fifteenth presidential election. James K. Polk received 170 electoral and 1,335,834 popular votes; Henry Clay received 105 electoral and 1,297,643 popular votes.
1845.
Jan. 22—Congress appointed first Tuesday following first Monday in November national election day.
Feb. 25—Texas annexed by joint resolution.
March 3—Florida admitted to the union.
June 8—Ex-President Andrew Jackson died, aged 78.
Dec. 29—Texas admitted to the union as a state.
1846.
April 25—Hostilities between Mexico and United States began by capture of small force of U. S. troops by Mexicans.
May 11—President Polk announced that state of war existed between United States and Mexico.
June 15—Treaty signed with Great Britain settling the Oregon boundary dispute.
July 6—Com. John D. Sloat, U. S. N., occupied Monterey, Cal., and declared country annexed to United States.
Sept.—Ellas Howe patented first successful sewing machine to the union.
Dec. 28—Iowa admitted to the union.
1847.
Feb. 22—Battle of Buena Vista fought; 30,000 Mexicans defeated by 5,000 Americans.

1848.
Jan. 19—Gold discovered near Coloma, Cal., by James W. W. Marshall.
Feb. 2—Treaty of peace between United States and Mexico signed at Guadalupe Hidalgo. United States paid Mexico \$15,000,000 for New Mexico and California.
Feb. 23—President John Quincy Adams died at Washington, aged 81.
May 29—Wisconsin admitted to the union.
Nov. 7—Sixteenth presidential election. Zachary Taylor received 163 electoral votes, and Lewis Cass, of Kentucky, 127 electoral votes.
1849.
June 15—Ex-President James K. Polk died at Nashville, Tenn., aged 54.
1850.
April 12—Bulwer-Clayton treaty for joint occupancy of canal across Central America signed.
June 1—Seventh census taken; population, 23,191,876.
July 9—President Taylor died at Washington, aged 66.
Sept. 20—California admitted to the union.
Sept. 20—"Omnibus" bill passed by congress.
1851.
April 23—Trial of electric locomotive built by Alfred Vail with congressional appropriation of \$10 miles per hour.
Oct. 8—Hudson river railroad opened from New York to Albany.
1852.
Nov. 2—Seventeenth presidential election held. Franklin Pierce received 354 electoral votes, and Gen. Winfield Scott 42 electoral votes.
1853.
March 24—Oath of office as vice president administered to William R. King by Congress at Cumbre, Cuba. Allowed by special act of congress.
Dec. 30—Treaty providing for purchase of territory south of the Gila river from Mexico approved. Extent of purchase, 65,535 square miles; consideration to Mexico, \$10,000,000.
1854.
May 30—Kansas-Nebraska bill passed by congress. It repealed Missouri compromise act of 1820.
1856.
Jan. 24—Pro-slavery legislature in Kansas recognized by President Pierce. Proclamation classes attempt to establish free state government an act of rebellion.
Nov. 6—Eighteenth presidential election held. James Buchanan received 174 electoral votes, John C. Fremont 114 and Millard Fillmore 8.
H. Bessemer invented process of making steel by passing "cold air" through liquid iron. Known as the "Bessemer process."
1857.
Jan. 6—Free state legislature in Kansas dispersed by federal troops.
March 6—Dred Scott case decided against plaintiff by United States supreme court.
1858.
May 11—Minnesota admitted to the union.
Aug. 5—First Atlantic cable completed.
Oct. 9—First overland mail from San Francisco reached St. Louis. Time, 24 days, 18 hours.
1859.
Feb. 14—Oregon admitted to the union.
Oct. 16—Government arsenal at Harper's Ferry seized by John Brown.
Oct. 18—John Brown captured by government troops under Col. R. E. Lee.
Dec. 2—John Brown hanged at Charlestown, W. Va.
1860.
May 13—Abraham Lincoln nominated for president on fourth ballot at Chicago.
June—Eighteenth census taken. Population, 23,443,321.
Nov. 6—Nineteenth presidential election held. Abraham Lincoln received 1,866,262 popular votes; John C. Breckinridge, 72 electoral and 847,514 popular votes; John C. Bell, 39 electoral and 587,830 popular votes, and Stephen A. Douglas, 13 electoral and 1,375,157 popular votes.
1861.
Jan. 9—Steamer Star of the West with reinforcements for Fort Sumter fired on Morris Island and forced to retire.
Feb. 4—Confederate congress met at Montgomery, Ala. Six states represented.
Feb. 9—Jefferson Davis chosen president and Alexander H. Stephens vice president of Southern Confederacy.
April 14—Fort Sumter surrendered.
April 15—President called for 75,000 troops.
April 19—President proclaimed blockade of southern ports.
July 21—Federal troops defeated at battle of Bull Run.
1862.
Jan. 1—Government suspended specie payment.
March 9—Battle between Monitor and Merrimack at Hampton Roads.
April 25—Admiral Farragut occupied New Orleans.
May 20—Homestead act approved by the president.
June 19—Slavery forever prohibited in the territories.
June 26—July 2—Seven days' fighting. Army of the Potomac retreated from before Richmond.
July 26—Ex-President Martin Van Buren died at Lindenwood, N. Y., aged 80.
Aug. 19—Sioux Indians attack frontier settlements of Minnesota.
Sept. 6—Confederate forces crossed the Potomac into Maryland.
Sept. 16—Confederates defeated at Antietam. They retreated into Virginia the following day.
Dec. 31—West Virginia admitted to the union to date from June 20, 1863.

1863.
Jan. 1—President Lincoln issued proclamation freeing slaves in confederate states. They numbered about 3,120,000.
May 10—Stonewall Jackson died. Wounded May 2 at Chancellorsville.
July 1-2-3—Confederate army, numbering 65,000 men, defeated at Gettysburg by federal army, numbering 73,500 men.
July 4—Vicksburg surrendered to Gen. Grant.
Sept. 15—President Lincoln suspended writ of habeas corpus.
Sept. 19-20—Federal army defeated by confederates at Chickamauga.
Nov. 23-24-25—Federal army under Gen. Grant defeated confederates at Orchard Knob, Missionary Ridge and Lookout mountain.
1864.
March 10—Gen. Grant placed in command of the federal armies.
May 4—Federal army, numbering 130,000 men, crossed the Rapidan to attack Lee.
May 5—Struggle between federal and confederate armies in the Wilderness and at Spotsylvania began. In these battles the federal army lost 40,000 men.
May 17—Postal money order system established.
May 19—Nathaniel Hawthorne died at Plymouth, N. H., aged 60.
June 19—Federal cruiser Kearsarge captured confederate cruiser Alabama off Cherbourg, France.
July 16—Sold reached the maximum, 285 per cent.
Sept. 2—Atlanta captured by Gen. Sherman.
Oct. 31—Nevada admitted to the union by proclamation of president.
Nov. 2—Twentieth presidential election. Lincoln and Johnson carried 22 states; McClellan and Pendleton, 8; 11 not voting.

1865.
Dec. 21—Savannah captured by Gen. Sherman.
Feb. 13—Gen. Lee placed in command of all confederate forces.
March 3—Confederate debt disowned by act of congress.
March 18—Confederate congress adjourned sine die.
April 9—Lee surrendered to Grant at Appomattox.
April 14—President Lincoln shot by J. Wilkes Booth in Ford's theater, Washington.
April 15—President Lincoln died at 7:30 a. m. Vice President Johnson took oath of office as president same day.
April 23—J. Wilkes Booth shot in barn near Arlington Green, Va.
May 13—Last battle of the war fought. Federals defeated by confederates near Palo Pinto, Tex. The total number of enlistments in the federal service were 2,559,132; total number of engagements fought between the two armies 2,261; in the federal army the total loss by death was 278,735; the confederate government existed 4 years 1 month and 14 days.
May 22—Southern ports opened by proclamation of president.
Dec. 1—Habeas corpus restored in northern states by proclamation.
Dec. 18—Thirteenth amendment to constitution declared adopted by the several states.
1867.
Feb. 9—Nebraska admitted to the union.
March 2—Military reconstruction act passed over president's veto.
May 13—Jefferson Davis admitted to bail.
June 20-25—U. S. acquired Alaska from Russia. Consideration \$7,200,000. Extent, 577,330 square miles.
1868.
Feb. 24—House of representatives voted to impeach President Johnson.
May 25—President Johnson acquitted of impeachment charges.
June 1—Ex-President James Buchanan died at Wheatland, Pa.
July 23—Fourteenth amendment to constitution declared adopted.
Nov. 2—Twenty-first presidential election. Ulysses S. Grant, 214 electoral and 3,015,071 popular votes, and Horatio Seymour 80 electoral and 2,709,613 popular votes.
Dec. 25—Amnesty proclamation granting unconditional pardon to all concerned in confederate rebellion issued.
1869.
May 10—Union Pacific railroad opened for traffic.
Sept. 24—"Black Friday." Culmination of financial panic in New York. Gold quoted at 162 1/2.
Oct. 8—Ex-President Franklin Pierce died at Concord, N. H., aged 65.
1870.
April 9—American Anti-Slavery society, after existence of 37 years, dissolved.
March 30—Fifteenth amendment to constitution declared adopted.
June—Ninth census taken. Population, 38,588,371.
July 24—First through car from the Pacific reached New York.
1871.
Oct. 8-9—Fire destroyed 20,000 buildings in Chicago; 95,500 people made homeless; loss, \$122,000,000.
1872.
March 1—Yellowstone national park established.
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The posts for the fences along the line of the Ann Arbor & Jackson electric road arrived here the other day and have been hauled through the village to the right of way.

At the meeting of the Ann Arbor common council next Monday evening Dr. W. W. Nicholas, of that city, will ask for a franchise along certain streets for an electric line into the city from Detroit by way of Plymouth and Geddes and passing out of the city to Whitmore Lake and other points north.

At an informal meeting of the Ann Arbor common council last evening the aldermen decided to grant both Wm. A. Boland and Hawks & Angus franchises. The former will be given the route first picked out by him into Ann Arbor, from the west by way of Miller avenue and out by way of Fourth avenue, Beakes street and Broadway. The latter will be given a franchise up West Huron street to their right of way along the territorial road.

There is no truth in the report that a franchise will be given to the Ann Arbor & Jackson electric line to come through Chelsea by way of Park and South streets. Such a thing has not again been asked for by Hawks & Angus. Mr. Jennings says such a franchise would be of no use to them now, as it would only give them a franchise over about three blocks and they would then have to buy a right of way, so they prefer to own all the right of way through the village entirely.

A Grass Lake dispatch says: A. E. Jennings, representing the Hawks Angus electric railway, is in town in the interest of the road. W. A. Boland has a franchise to run his road through Main street in the village and has the right of way from Jackson to this place. He has the grading finished, except about two miles. The Ann Arbor road has all the right of way from the east to this place and has the grading done to within twelve or thirteen miles. They also have options on all the land through the village on South street, and expect to complete the line through to Jackson in this deal. It begins to look as though the inhabitants of this town would have to declare war to prevent being intersected and bisected with competing roads.

Pay Your Taxes.

The treasurer of Sylvan township will collect taxes at Hirth & Lehman's blacksmith shop every day in the week except Sunday from Dec. 7, 1900, until Jan. 25, 1901. On Wednesday evenings from 6 to 7 o'clock and on Saturday evenings from 6 to 8 o'clock he will be found at the Chelsea Savings Bank.

W. R. LERMAN, Township Treasurer.

Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind., says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he don't care whether he lives or dies. It gave me new strength and good appetite. I can now eat anything, and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents, at Stimson's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

The C. E. Fair.

The third annual C. E. fair at the opera house Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings was largely attended and a success both enjoyably and financially. The supper given each evening was good enough for an epicure. There was an abundance for all, and more than all who attended them. The booths erected for the sale of the different articles were very tasteful in their arrangement and did a good business. The articles left unsold Friday evening were auctioned off. As a result of the fair the C. E. society is \$126 richer, the Junior C. E. \$6, and the Sisterhood \$21.

Art thou one of the many that has drained the golden nectar that maketh thy heart full of strength and gladness? If not, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

The late Prof. B. A. Hinsdale, of the U. of M., left an estate valued at \$40,000.

The Michigan Telephone company reports a net gain of 960 subscribers in November, making a total number of 43,109 subscribers on Nov. 30.

Several of our subscribers have promised to settle their indebtedness by bringing us wood. Bring it along, we need it now, and shall not need it next summer.

Dr. Dean M. Tyler, for many years a well known homeopathic physician of Ann Arbor, died there Tuesday morning. He had been in poor health for some years.

Lieut. Winston Churchill, the London, Eng., correspondent in the Boer war, will lecture in the Students' Lecture Association course at University hall, Ann Arbor; Jan. 9, 1901.

John W. Schultz, treasurer of Dexter township, will be at the Dexter Savings Bank Dec. 15 and 22, and at the Chelsea Savings Bank Dec. 29, to receive taxes for the year 1900.

The next entertainment in the People's Popular Course will be Spillman Riggs, the humorous lecturer, solo whistler and musical impersonator. The date is Saturday of next week, Dec. 22.

Congressman H. C. Smith is still working to get a position as White House messenger for Don A. Stark, the Ann Arbor boy, who lost an arm at Aguadores, Cuba, during the Spanish-American war.

The work on the Baptist church is progressing finely. Though missing their church home the members of the church and congregation are very grateful to Mr. Staffan for so comfortable a place in which to worship.

The Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will elect three directors to take the place of Russell C. Reeve, of Dexter, John S. Spaford, of Manchester, and A. R. Graves, of Ypsilanti, at the annual meeting to be held Jan. 9, 1901.

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The report of County Treasurer Mann shows that there are 77 saloons in Washtenaw county and 5 breweries. Of these there are 36 saloons and 2 breweries in Ann Arbor; 13 saloons and 2 breweries in Ypsilanti; 8 saloons and 1 brewery in Manchester; 5 saloons each in Chelsea and Dexter; 2 saloons each in Milan and Whitmore Lake; 3 saloons in Saline; and 1 saloon each in the townships of Lotli, Bridgewater and Lima.

The Manchester Enterprise thinks that two things much needed at the county seat are fire proof vaults in the court house and a burglar proof jail. Both of these things could be had were it not for the shortsightedness of a majority of the township supervisors, who do not seem to realize what their best interests are. The question of fire proof vaults has been before the board of supervisors on two or three different occasions and each time it has been voted down.

The trust fund balances now in the hands of the Regents of the University of Michigan amount, in the aggregate, to \$281,808.93. The largest sum is that of the Bates Professorship fund, which in cash, loans, and real estate, is reported by the treasurer to be \$182,509.87. Of the remainder, the following nine, amounting each to more than \$1,000, are named in the order of their size: Seth Harrison scholarship fund, \$27,175.16; the Ford-Messer library fund, \$24,807.90; the Williams Professorship fund, \$15,749.57; the Coyl Collection fund, \$11,849.45; the Woman Professorship fund, \$10,000; the Morris Alumni fund, \$2,472.83; the '94 scholarship fund, \$1,378.54; the Buhl law library fund, \$1,253.79; the Music Hall fund, \$1,253.03.

C. Steinbach has an ad. in today's Herald that should appeal to all lovers of music. Have you seen his beautiful little trunks for boys at 75c each! What a nice Christmas present they would make.

You may get your Christmas turkey for 10 cents at Louis Emmer's, Saturday evening, Dec. 23.

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DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by James W. Fulton and Sarah M. Fulton, date June 6th, A. D. 1878, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw county, Michigan, June 10th, A. D. 1878, in liber 86 of mortgages on page 390, which said mortgage was assigned by said Noah W. Cheever to Dwight B. Cheever by deed of assignment dated April 4th, A. D. 1882, and duly recorded in said register's office, by which said mortgage became operative, and no suit or proceeding in law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and the sum of two hundred ninety dollars (\$290.00) 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: viz: All of the following described land situated in the township of Northfield, in the county of Washtenaw, and state of Michigan, viz: Commencing on section line between sections five (5) and six (6) in said township, four (4) rods and eleven (11) feet north of the quarter stake and in the center of the highway, the line north of said section line fifteen (15) rods and one (1) foot, thence south-east eleven (11) rods and one (1) foot to a point in the center of the highway which is nine (9) rods north-east from the place of beginning; thence south-west along the center of the highway nine (9) rods to the place of beginning, at 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, in 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. Burnham, Florence E. Lomas and George E. 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 of Washtenaw county in the state of Michigan, on the 17th day of July, 1895, at 10 o'clock and 40 minutes p. m., in liber 86 of mortgages, on page 126, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice \$694.36, no suit at law 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 10 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, including the attorney fee allowed by law. The premises so to be sold are described as follows: The northeast quarter of section one, in the township of Scrio, in said county; also the east half of the southeast quarter of section 38, in the township of Webster, in said county; also the northwest quarter of the southwest 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.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Zenas Sweet and Mary A. Sweet, his wife, and Edward Bycraft and Mary E. Bycraft, his wife, to Jennie E. Cheever, trustee, bearing date February 4, A. D. 1890, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw county, Michigan, June 22, 1895, in liber 86 of mortgages, on page 110, which said mortgage was assigned by said Jennie E. Cheever, trustee, to Marinda L. White, by deed of assignment dated June 22, 1895, and duly recorded in said register's office in liber 12 of mortgages on page 201, by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage became operative, and no suit or proceeding in law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and the sum of two hundred twenty-eight dollars and 41-100 (\$228.41) being now claimed to be due on 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 city of Ann Arbor, in the state of Michigan, viz: The west one-half (W. 1/2) of lot No. seven (7) according to Hancock's improved plat, recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Washtenaw county, in liber 46 of deeds, on page 68, at county, in liber 46 of deeds, on page 68, at public vendue, on Friday, the 1st day of February, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east front door of the court house, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county of Washtenaw, that being the place of holding circuit court in said county.

Dated November 1, A. D. 1900. MARINDA L. WHITE, Assignee of Mortgage. NOAH W. CHEEVER, Attorney for Assignee.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL)

Chelsea, Mich., Oct. 17, 1900.

R. A. Snyder, O. C. Burkhardt, H. H. Avery, Jas. Bachman, H. W. Twamley and Jabez Bacon, trustees of the Village of Chelsea:

You are hereby notified that there will be a Special meeting of the Village Council at the council rooms in said Village of Chelsea, at 8:00 o'clock Wednesday, Oct. 17, 1900, for the purpose of receiving propositions relative to and granting franchise for an electric railroad through the Village of Chelsea.

WILLIAM BACON, President of Village Board.

Chelsea, Mich., Oct. 17, 1900. State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, Village of Chelsea, ss. I, Edward Moore, marshal of said village, being duly sworn deposes and says that on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1900, before the hour of 8 o'clock of said day he served a true copy of the within appointment of a Special meeting of the Council of said Village upon all the persons therein named by delivering personally a true copy of the same upon the following named persons in the Village of Chelsea, viz: H. H. Avery, H. M. Twamley, J. A. Bachman, O. C. Burkhardt, J. Bacon, and by leaving at the dwelling house of R. A. Snyder, a true copy of the same with Mrs. Snyder, wife of R. A. Snyder, at the same time informing her the nature of the notice, serving all the above notices at least six hours prior to said 8 o'clock of said day.

EDWARD MOORE, Marshal of said Village.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 17th day of Oct., A. D. 1900.

W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Clerk.

Chelsea, Mich., Oct. 17, 1900. Pursuant to the call of the President, a meeting called to order by the president.

Present, Wm. Bacon, President, and trustees Avery, Bachman, Burkhardt, Twamley and J. Bacon.

Moved by Snyder, seconded by Burkhardt, that we adjourn to the main room of the building. Carried.

Franchise of Wm. A. Boland, of Grass Lake, was then read.

After getting an expression of the wishes in regard to granting Wm. A. Boland, of Grass Lake, a franchise to build an electric railroad in and through the Village of Chelsea.

Moved by R. A. Snyder, seconded by M. Twamley, that we adjourn to the council room to see if we can come to some agreement. Carried.

Wm. A. Boland, of Grass Lake, presented to the council an ordinance asking a franchise in and through the Village of Chelsea, which said ordinance was read section by section, being in the words and to-wit:

AN ORDINANCE.

An ordinance granting to William A. Boland, of Grass Lake, Michigan, his associates, successors and assigns, permission to construct, use, own, maintain and operate an electric street railway in the Village of Chelsea, Michigan.

Section I. The Village of Chelsea claims that permission and authority is hereby granted to William A. Boland, of Grass Lake, Michigan, his associates, successors and assigns, to construct, use, own, maintain and operate an electric street railway, with first class equipments for the transportation of passengers, baggage, light freight, with the right to lay and construct all necessary single track of standard gauge, four feet and one-half inches wide, with necessary turn-outs and switches, at such places along the route within the Village, the location of which shall be subject to the approval of the Village Council of the Village of Chelsea, in, upon, along, over and over the following streets of the Village of Chelsea, to-wit:

With the option to said grantee to use either of the following routes or portions thereof in forming a continuous route through said Village:

1. Commencing at the west corporation limit of said Village of Chelsea 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 street of way.

2. Commencing at the south line of the corporation limit on Wilkinson street; thence north along the center of Wilkinson street to Middle street, thence east along the center of Middle street to Madison street, thence north along the center of Madison street to the Michigan Central street of way.

Said grantees shall keep, maintain, use and operate thereon at intervals of not more than one hour each way, from six o'clock a. m. until ten o'clock p. m., street railway passenger cars propelled by electricity or other approved power except steam, with authority to erect poles, wires and all appurtenances thereto belonging.

Section II. The tracks of said grantee shall be laid to conform to the grade of the streets and alleys, so far as they are fixed by resolution or ordinance of the Village, and should the Village Council of said Village change the grade of any street in or upon which the tracks of said railway have been laid, said Village Council shall have the right to cause the grade to be changed without paying

damages to the said grantee, and it shall be the duty of the said grantee, at his own expense, to fill in with grading material, if the grade shall be raised, or excavate and remove, if the grade shall be lowered to the width occupied by them, and shall replace his tracks to correspond with such change of grade. And should such grantee neglect to perform his part of the said work the Village Council of said Village may cause the same to be done at assumpsit in any court of competent jurisdiction. And it is further provided that the poles used for the suspension of wires of the overhead electrical system, shall be at the option of said grantee, either of metal, or straight, smooth pine or cedar, painted as the Village Council shall direct. All poles to be used shall be placed inside the curb line of said streets, under the direction of the Village authorities. Metal poles to be used as far as Madison street east, and west to street at Shaver's crossing.

Section III. All lines of said track laid by said grantee within the corporate limits of the said Village of Chelsea shall be laid in the center of the streets, and in such manner as not to interfere or hinder the ordinary use of the streets by wagons, carriages, or other vehicles upon, along or across said streets at any point. The rails used by said grantee on said streets shall be standard tee rails and shall weigh not less than sixty pounds per yard, and shall be spiked securely to the ties, and the said grantee shall gravel from the top of said rails to the graveled portion of said street so as to make it safe for travel. Said grantee shall also gravel all that remaining space used by his tracks and shall keep the same free from rubbish, and maintain a free, smooth, even and firm surface, fit for the use of vehicles on the portion of the streets used by him, and shall permit no depression below the top of the rails, other than to admit the flanges of the car wheels. Should the Village decide to pave any of the street occupied by said street railway, said grantee, his successors or assigns shall pay the cost of paving that portion of the street between the rails, and one and one-half feet in width on either side. The rails used in such pavement shall be high tee rails at least six inches in depth.

Section IV. Said grantee shall at all times keep the surface of the streets between the rails clear of all snow, ice or drift. Such snow or ice shall be spread evenly over the streets through which said railway shall pass, in a manner that shall not obstruct public travel thereon, and keep the surface of said tracks in proper condition and safe for public travel at all times.

Section V. No cars shall be left or remain standing idle on any street at any time except for a reasonable time in case of accident or collision or injury to persons, or to let on or off passengers, express or freight, and then only without obstructing crosswalks.

Section VI. The driver and conductor employed by said grantee shall use due care to prevent injury to persons, and it shall be the duty of the conductor as the car approaches any street crossing on the line of the said street railway, to inform the passengers on said car of the name of the said street to be crossed, and said driver or conductor shall use due care to prevent injury to persons, teams, carriages and vehicles.

Section VII. All cars of the said grantee in use after sunset shall be provided with suitable head-lights which shall be kept burning from sunset to sunrise next morning, or so long as the car shall be in use. Said cars shall be of a modern type and shall be properly lighted and comfortably heated, and said cars to be provided with a urinal on through cars.

Section VIII. Cars of said grantee shall be entitled to the free and uninterrupted right of the tracks of said grantee and whenever teams or vehicles shall meet or overtake them, said team or vehicle shall give way upon notice to do so from the conductor or driver of the car of said grantee by ringing a gong on the car, nor shall any person unlawfully or maliciously obstruct, hinder, or in any way interfere with any of the cars of said grantee, by placing, driving, stopping or causing to be driven at a slow pace, or stopping of a team or vehicle or other obstruction, in, upon, across, along or on such track of said grantee, and any person violating any of the provisions of this section of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined not more than five dollars, and in a sum not less than twenty-five dollars, for each and every offence, and in default of the payment thereof, such convicted offender shall be imprisoned in the county jail of the county of Washtenaw, Michigan, for a period of time not exceeding ten days. Provided, however, that the Village Fire Department shall have the right of way at all times, and funerals; also to allow buildings which will have to be moved to cross their tracks, cut wires, and repair same at grantee's expense.

Section IX. Said Village of Chelsea, or any citizen thereof, under the direction and authority of said Village, shall have the right at any time to construct and repair sewers, and make and repair other improvements, including water pipe, in and along and across any street and alley of said Village occupied by the lines of said grantee, and shall not be liable for any damage said grantee may suffer because of the said construction or repair of sewers or other improvements, and the Village Council may at any time stop the passage of cars over the line of said grantee, if, in its opinion, the passage of cars is rendered dangerous because of the construction or repairs of such sewers or other improvements.

Section X. It shall be lawful for any driver or conductor or agent of said grantee to eject from a car any person acting in a rude, insolent, boisterous manner upon any of the cars or other property of said grantee and may call to his assistance any of the police force of the said Village to arrest any person so offending.

Section XI. No smoking shall be permitted in any of the closed cars of said grantee, except in smoking compartment, and not in any open observation car, except on the rear two seats.

Section XII. Said grantee, his successors or assigns, shall make no greater charge than five cents for one continuous ride over its line from any point within the Village limits to any other point therein, and the said grantee shall also sell six tickets for twenty-five cents, good for a like ride, such tickets to be sold at some office in the Village of Chelsea, or by the person in charge of the car. And the said grantee shall not charge a greater sum than one and one-half cents for each mile from any point in the Village limits to any point outside of the Village limits on their line of railroad, or from any point within the Village limits, provided that said grantee shall not be compelled to charge less than five cents for one such ride. Children under the age of five years when accompanied by parents or guardians shall be carried free. Policemen and firemen having the badge of authority while on duty shall be carried free of charge.

Section XIII. During the construction and laying of said tracks and railway and in the laying and repairing of said tracks or any portion thereof, said grantee, his successors or assigns, shall not unnecessarily impede public travel on any of the streets where such work is done and shall not in any one locality have said street torn up for a greater space than two blocks, and shall leave said streets and highways upon which he may enter for the purpose of repairing his tracks, in as good condition as they were at the date of said entry, and in case of failure to do same, it may be done by the Village at the expense of the grantee, his successors or assigns. The road to be so constructed that the water pipes shall not be affected by the electric current.

Section XIV. This ordinance is granted upon the express condition that the grantee, his successors or assigns, shall complete said construction and be in operation within one year after the granting of this franchise and in the failure so to do, this ordinance shall, at the option of the Village Council, be null and void, and all rights granted hereunder shall be forfeited and terminated. Provided, that if the construction of said railway be restrained by injunction or hindered by other legal proceedings without the collusion on the part of the said grantee, his successors and assigns, he shall be entitled to the same time after the dissolution of said injunction or the removal of the hindrance or such other legal proceedings as was consumed or taken up by said injunction or proceedings, in which to complete the same. Provided, also, that civil commotion, such as riots, strikes or invasions which actually stop the work of such construction shall excuse said grantee as long as they actually stop work.

Section XV. The grants, powers and privileges conferred by this ordinance shall be limited to thirty years from and after the date of its adoption and passage by the Village Council of the Village of Chelsea.

Section XVI. If the said grantee, his successors or assigns, shall at any time hereafter refuse, fail or neglect to run said railway in compliance with this ordinance or any part or section thereof, or fail to comply with, perform or fulfill any of the covenants, agreements or conditions on his part to be kept, fulfilled and performed, then after thirty days notice (to be in writing, to be given by the Village Council of the said Village of Chelsea, and to contain a clear and definite statement of the refusal, failure or neglect complained of) the rights, interests, privileges, permission and authority hereby granted shall henceforth cease and be forfeited, unless said grantee, his successors and assigns, shall within the thirty days above mentioned comply with the ordinance in the particulars mentioned in said notice, and the Village of Chelsea shall be entitled to take possession of the streets over which said railway shall run. Any notice required by this ordinance to be served upon said grantee may be served by leaving a copy thereof at any business office of said grantee with any person in charge thereof. Should said grantee, his successors and assigns, at any time during the life of this franchise, become associated or connected in any manner with any steam railway company or come under the control and influence of said railway company, then this franchise and the rights and privileges contained therein shall cease, and become null and void and of no effect.

Section XVII. Said grantee shall file his acceptance of this ordinance with the Village Clerk within sixty days after the enactment by the Village Council and shall at the same time deposit a bond in the sum of two thousand dollars with the Village Clerk for the fulfillment of the conditions imposed in section fourteen of this ordinance, said bond to be

furnished by New York Security Company, to be forfeited to said Village Corporation of Chelsea in case of non-fulfillment of said conditions imposed by said section fourteen.

Section XVIII. This ordinance shall take immediate effect.

Approved October 17th, 1900.

H. H. AVERY, RODNEY A. SNYDER, H. M. TWAMLEY, JABEZ BACON, O. C. BURKHART, J. A. BACHMAN, Board of Trustees.

WILLIAM BACON, President. W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Clerk. Accepted this 17th day of October, 1900.

W. A. BOLAND, I. W. H. Heselschwerdt, Clerk of the Village of Chelsea, Michigan, do hereby certify that this is a true copy of an ordinance as appears upon the records of the Village of Chelsea, which ordinance was duly passed and approved October 17th, 1900.

W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Village Clerk of Chelsea.

Moved by R. A. Snyder, seconded by Jabez Bacon, and resolved, that this ordinance be adopted and granted as read.

Yeas—H. H. Avery, H. M. Twamley, J. A. Bachman, O. C. Burkhardt, R. A. Snyder and J. Bacon. Nays—None. Carried.

Minutes was then read by the clerk. Moved and supported that the minutes stand approved as read. Carried. On motion board adjourned.

Wm BACON, President. W. H. HESLSCHWERDT, Village Clerk.

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MICHIGAN CENTRAL

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90th MERIDIAN TIME. Passengers Trains on the Michigan Central Railroad will leave Chelsea Station as follows:

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

GOING WEST. No 3—Mail and Express... 9:15 A. M. No 13—Grand Rapids Express... 6:20 P. M. No 7—Chicago Night Express... 10:20 P. M.

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Electric Railway Notes.

Eight more cars of steel rails from Ann Arbor & Jackson have arrived here yesterday.

The electric line being constructed between Ann Arbor & Jackson is known as the Ann Arbor & Jackson electric line.

The posts for the fences along the line of the Ann Arbor & Jackson electric line arrived here the other day and have been hauled through the village to the west.

At the meeting of the Ann Arbor men council last Monday evening W. W. Nicholas, of that city, will a franchise along certain streets electric line into the city from Detroit by way of Plymouth and Geddes and out of the city to Whitmore Lake other points north.

At an informal meeting of the Ann Arbor common council last evening the members decided to grant both W. Boland and Hawks & Angus franchises. The former will be given the route picked out by him into Ann Arbor the west by way of Miller avenue, out by way of Fourth avenue, street and Broadway. The latter given a franchise up West Huron street their right of way along the terrace road.

There is no truth in the report that a franchise will be given to the Ann Arbor & Jackson electric line to come through Chelsea by way of Park and South streets. Such a thing has not again been said by Hawks & Angus. Mr. Jennings such a franchise would be of no value to them now, as it would only give a franchise over about three blocks and would then have to buy a right of way through the village entirely.

A Grass Lake dispatch says: Jennings, representing the Hawks & Angus electric railway, is in town in the village and has the right of way from Jackson to this place. He is grading finished, except about two miles. The Ann Arbor road has all the right of way from the east to this place at the grading done to within two miles. They also have on all the land through the village South street, and expect to complete line through to Jackson in this deal. This town would have to declare prevent being intersected and with competing roads.

Pay Your Taxes.

The treasurer of Sylvan township collect taxes at Hirth & Lehman's smith shop every day in the week Sunday from Dec. 7, 1900, until Jan. 1, 1901. On Wednesday evenings from 7 o'clock and on Saturday evenings from 8 o'clock he will be found at the Chelsea Savings Bank.

W. R. LERMAN, Township Treasurer

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The C. E. Fair.

The third annual C. E. fair at the house Thursday and Friday afternoon and evenings was largely attended and success both enjoyably and financially. The supper given each evening was enough for an epicure. There was abundance for all, and more than attended them. The booths erected for the sale of the different articles were tasteful in their arrangement and good business. The articles left on Friday evening were auctioned off. The result of the fair the C. E. society is richer, the Junior C. E. \$46, and the neighborhood \$21.

Art thou one of the many that drained the golden nectar that makes the heart full of strength and gladness? If not, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

Monthly Report of Chelsea Schools.

The following is the superintendent's monthly report of the Chelsea public schools for the month ending Oct. 26, 1900:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes Total number enrolled (5), Total number enrolled by transfer (2), Total number enrolled by re-entry (16), Total number left, all causes (18), Total number belonging at date (371), Percentage of attendance (97), No. of non-resident pupils (40), No. pupils neither absent nor tardy (208).

W. W. GIFFORD, Supt.

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

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Gussie BeGole, Carl Mensing, Lillie Blach, Mammie Clark, Leila Geddes, Louise Hieber, Enid Holmes, Gladys Mapes, Inez Marshall, Cora Nickerson, B. Schwikerath, Cora Stedman, Eliza Zinke, Rose Zinke.

MAY E. CREECH, Teacher.

NINTH GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Howard Boyd, Harry Stedman, Herbert Schenk, Vera Comstock, Mary Eder, Anna Eisele, Emma Forner, Viola Lemmon, Daisy Pötter, Mamie Snyder, Blanche Stephens, Mildred Stephens, Anna Walworth, Susa Everett, Christina Kalmbach, Jennie Winslow.

FLORENCE N. BACHMAN, Teacher.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Nellie Atkinson, Rudolf Knapp, Guy McNamara, Lillie Schmidt, Bert Snyder, Harry Taylor, Kent Walworth, Elmer Winans, Edith Bennett.

OLIVE R. ROGERS, Teacher.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Flora Atkinson, Grace Bacon, Winnalee Comstock, Jennie Geddes, Myrta Hafner, Genevieve Hummel, F. Heschelwerdt, Bessie Kempf, Julia Kalmbach, Helen Miller.

MAMIE E. FLETCHER, Teacher.

SIXTH GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Mildred Atkinson, Archie Kensch, Beryl McNamara, Bessie Swartout, Ray Snyder, Bertha Turner, Edna Jones, George Hafner.

ANNA M. BEISSSEL, Teacher.

FIFTH GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Geo. Alber, Myrta Kempf, Clara Koch, Margretta Martin, Mary Spinnagle, Florence Schaufele, Cora Schmidt, Lynn Stedman.

ELIZABETH DEPEW, Teacher.

FOURTH GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Edith Bates, Rena Roedel, James Schmidt, Adeline Spinnagle, Nina B. Wurster, Myrta Young, Walter Spaulding, Cecil Hale, Max Kelly.

M. A. VAN TYNE, Teacher.

THIRD GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Cyril Barnes, Ruth Raftery, E. Riemenschneider, Ellis Schultz, Nina Schnaitman, Beulah Turner, Harry Schussler, Phebe TurnBull, Cleon Wolf, Peter Weick, Theresa Schafer, Victor Hale.

CLARA B. HEMENS, Teacher.

SECOND GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Fred Bennett, Paul Maroney, E. Riemenschneider, Larue Shaver, Norma TurnBull, Geo. Walworth, Jennie Walker, Roy Schieferstein, Esther Schenk.

MARIE BACON, Teacher.

FIRST GRADE.

Table with 2 columns: Student Name and Grade. Lists names like Charles Carpenter, W. Riemenschneider, Mary Schwikerath, Lizzie Schwikerath, Luella Schieferstein, George Sullivan, George TurnBull, Theo. Wedemeyer, Pearl Buss, Leta Lehman, Alta Williams, Howard Beckwith, Gladys Beckwith, Margaret Burg.

BEATRICE BACON, Teacher.

Scored Pingree, White and Marsh.

Speaking to his congregation Sunday on the subject "Patriotism that Pays," Rev. T. W. Young, pastor of the Baptist church, Ann Arbor, touched upon the recent pardoning of White and Marsh by Governor Pingree in the following language:

"But not all who pose as patriots are such. When little minded, pilfering fingered, unscrupulous, cowardly, thieving citizens accept positions of trust and honor, such as Marsh and White and their co-conspirators, in order to rob a bruised and bleeding nation, we cannot count them as patriots, but rather the traducers, traitors, and arch enemies of our national life. They would sell their Lord, as did Judas, if the pieces of silver were sufficiently numerous. These are they who stain the pages of our glorious history, who bring the blush of shame to every honest, self-respecting citizen. And when an obscene, profane, political demagogue occupies the executive chair, and juggles with justice, pardons, and gloats in the act, self-confessed criminals, he too is no more deserving of our respect and honor than the criminals whom he releases. It is not surprising that people are losing faith in our judiciary, and often resort to mob-law. Such violators of sacred oaths, and offices of trust and honor, as we are now treated to in our fair state become themselves educators and abettors in crime."

At the conclusion of the service a large number of the congregation crowded around the pastor and congratulated him upon the position he had taken.

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There have been placed upon the market several cheap reprints of an obsolete edition of "Webster's Dictionary." They are being offered under various names at a low price.

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ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

There will be a dance at the Lima town hall tomorrow evening.

E. L. Small, principal of the Stockbridge high school, has resigned his position.

Mrs. Mat Kusterer has bought the David G. Rose farm of 240 acres in Sharon for \$9,000.

County School Commissioner Lister has been visiting the schools in Lima and Lyndon yesterday and today.

The St. Mary's Literary Club will meet with Mrs. C. E. Whitaker next Wednesday evening, when they will carry out their Christmas program.

Dr. G. E. Hathaway has moved into his new house on Park street and L. H. Brown has moved into the Nelson Freer house on Jefferson street which he vacated.

A football game was played on the fair ground Saturday afternoon between Chelsea and Unadilla elevens. The score stood 0 to 0 at the close of the game.

The Michigan Central will sell holiday excursion tickets Dec. 22, 23, 24, 25 and 31, and Jan. 1, good to return not later than Jan. 2, for one and one-third fare for round trip.

Chelsea Telephone Co.'s phones have this week been put into the residence of John A. Palmer, C. Schafer's meat market and the Watson-Welch Grain and Coal Co.'s office.

The drawing for a silver watch belonging to Fred Seger, sr., will take place at his house on the territorial road Sylvan, Saturday evening next, Dec. 15. Holders of tickets are requested to be present.

Ann Arbor Times: W. W. Wedemeyer has gone to Kalamazoo. His physician ordered him to take perfect rest for four weeks at least and, in order to be entirely away from business cares, he has gone there on a visit.

Rev. Ebenezer Steele, who was the oldest Methodist minister in Michigan, died in Ann Arbor Thursday evening. He was 92 years of age, and during his life he had been pastor of 16 different churches in this state.

When the Ann Arbor Agricultural Co. went into a receiver's hands about a year ago, it owed 29 of its employees the sum of \$2,449.59 in wages. The receiver has just got things in shape so that he was able last Saturday to pay up this amount in full. It was a nice Christmas box.

At yesterday's session of the farmers' club meeting now being held in Lansing the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, L. H. Ives, of Mason; vice president, Mrs. Mary Marshall, of Green Oak; secretary, Miss Julia Ball, of Hamburg; treasurer, Mrs. Lucy Swift, of Flint.

At their business meeting Thursday the Aid Society of the Baptist church found that after settling all their bills they had cleared \$174.61 at their church fair. Much credit is due the committee for its success. The ladies desire to thank all who so kindly and generously aided them, and also the good people of Chelsea for their patronage.

Manchester Enterprise: Jerry Boomer, who lives in the southern part of this township, was in town last Saturday displaying a live opossum he had captured while coon hunting. He shot at the animal and picked it up for dead and was carrying it along, when it began to move and he discovered that it was feigning death and was not injured at all.

The Michigan Central has completed its double track between Ann Arbor and Geddes. The only piece now left to make the road all double track between Detroit and Chicago is the strip between Ann Arbor and Dexter and the work of widening the bridges and putting the roadbed in proper shape for the double track is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

The program of services of the Congregational, Methodist and Baptist churches for next Sunday is as follows: There will be preaching services in all the churches at 10:30 a. m. In the afternoon at 3:15 o'clock there will be a meeting for women-only, led by Mr. Hunter, at the Congregational church, and one for men only, led by Mr. Crossley, at the Methodist church. In the evening at 7 o'clock there will be a union service at the M. E. church.

Just Saved His Life.

It was a thrilling escape that Charles Davis, of Bowerston, O., lately had from a frightful death. For two years a severe lung trouble constantly grew worse until it seemed he must die of Consumption. Then he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and lately wrote: "It gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Such wonderful cures have for 25 years, proven its power to cure all throat, chest and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Special bottles free at Stimson's drug store.

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THANKSGIVING DAY GAMES A FIXTURE.

The Yellow and Blue Have Won a Majority of the Games Since 1893 with the Maroons—A Song That Was Not Sung and a Yell That Was Not Yelled.

[Special Correspondence.]

University of Michigan, Dec. 10.—On Thanksgiving day in 1893 the football teams of Michigan and the University of Chicago met in the windy city and contested for honors. Every succeeding Thanksgiving Michigan's eleven has fought for glory on the gridiron, until the Thanksgiving day game has become a fixed event in the college programme.

The Contests.

The first turkey day-battle with Chicago was a victory for Michigan. The score was 28 to 10. The contests in 1894 and 1895 also redounded to the credit of the yellow and blue. In 1894 the score was: Michigan, 6; Chicago, 4, and in 1895, Michigan, 12; Chicago, 0. In those early days the boys of the Chicago Midway had not become expert in football.

When Michigan Lost.

The years 1896 and 1897 were triumphs for the teams coached by Prof. Alonzo A. Stagg, of the University of Chicago. Both games were played in the Coliseum, and both were won by the wonderful kicking done by one Herschberger. At straight pouncing away football Michigan was the better, but she had no one who could kick the ball as did the strong-legged Herschberger. The score in 1896 was: Chicago, 7; Michigan, 6; in 1897, Chicago, 21; Michigan, 12.

Broke the Spell.

In 1898 Michigan broke the spell. This game was also with the eleven from the Midway and Herschberger was a factor. The scene of the contest was Marshall field. The Michigan team scored 12 points to Chicago's 11.

Played with Wisconsin.

The Thanksgiving day game in 1899, although played in Chicago, was with



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the eleven from the University of Wisconsin. There were some differences between the managers of Michigan and the University of Chicago over the division of gate receipts, return games, etc. In the contest with the students from Wisconsin, Michigan got worsted. The Badgers had a man by the name of O'Dea, who was a wonderful kicker and who, as captain, led them in 1899. He inspired his men to such a degree that they were able to score 17 points, while the Michigan team could get but 5. It was a sad day in Ann Arbor when the telegraphic returns of this game were received.

The Game This Year.

Michigan lost her fourth Thanksgiving day game this year. The eleven from the University of Chicago triumphed over her on Marshall field. The score was 15 to 6. On this occasion Michigan, in Sweeley, had the best kicker, but even he could not overcome the better playing of the Chicago men. It was a long, slow fight, in which Michigan tried her best to win. Up to the end of the first half the hopes were that the Ann Arbor boys would capture the honors. A large excursion had gone to Chicago from Michigan and hundreds of the supporters of the yellow and blue were on hand to yell for the team.

Learned a Song.

The Michigan men felt so sure that their eleven would win that they had learned the following song, to be sung to the air. "Tramp, tramp, tramp," while the game was being played: Off, they thought they were the best All throughout the mighty west, But they'll find they're up against it hard to-day; And although they may play fine, When they hit old Michigan's line They will find it is a cinch we're here to play.

Chorus:

Back! Back! Back! the boys are marching Down toward old Chicago's goal; And beneath the maize and blue, We will rub it into you, When we put Alonzo's "has-beens" in the hole.

Though they try to lay us low, They've no man like Capt. Snow, And there never was a coach like "Biffy" Lea; And when this day is o'er We will whoop it up once more, For the victors of this game we're sure to be.

Song Was Not Sung.

It is needless to say that the song was not sung. With the exception of the first 13 minutes there was no occasion on which the Michigan rooters could muster up enough courage to even try to sing. A special yell had been prepared for the event, and when-



NEIL SNOW.

ever for a few seconds the onward march of the Chicago eleven toward the Michigan goal was stopped it was given. The yell was:

Rah! Rah! Mich-i-gan.
Rah! Rah! Mich-i-gan.
Rah! Rah! Mich-i-gan.
R-A-H!!!

Michigan's Record for 1900.

Of the ten games that the Michigan eleven played this fall seven were won, two lost and one was a tie score. The dates of games, opponents and scores are as follows:

September 29, Michigan, 29; Hillsdale college, 0. October 6, Michigan, 11; Kalamazoo, 0. October 13, Michigan, 24; Case School of Applied Science, 6. October 20, Michigan, 11; Purdue, 6. October 27, Michigan, 12; University of Illinois, 0. November 3, Michigan, 12; University of Indiana, 0. November 10, Michigan, 5; State University of Iowa, 28. November 17, Michigan, 7; Notre Dame university, 6. November 24, Michigan, 0; Ohio state university, 0. November 29, Michigan, 6; University of Chicago, 15. The total number of points scored by Michigan during the season was 117 and by the ten opponents 55.

The Star Players.

There are three men who fought for Michigan this fall who are deserving of more than ordinary praise. They are Langdon Lea, the coach; Neil W. Snow, of Detroit, captain of the team, and Everett M. Sweeley, of Iowa, full back. "Biff" Lea has proved himself a general. He took raw material in September and rounded it into a football eleven by the last of November. He is a former Princeton player and has shown the Michigan boys how football is played in the east. Capt. Snow has been the star player on this year's eleven. He has been in almost every scrimmage and has been a hard fellow for the opposing team to watch. The probabilities are that he will be re-elected captain for another season. Sweeley the full back, has done the punting and kicked the goals. He succeeded in outpunting the full back of every team that Michigan met on the gridiron this season. He will be in college next year and will once again battle for Michigan.

In Ann Arbor Next Year.

The Thanksgiving day game next year will again be with the University of Chicago, but will be fought out in Ann Arbor. This will be the first of the turkey day games to be played on the home grounds.

R. H. E.

Crawled for Miles.

Joseph Wise, who went hunting from Menominee seven weeks ago and was thought to have perished in the woods, has been found. He was located at the home of a farmer near Ingalls, where he had been taken in. Wise suffered an attack of rheumatism and crawled for miles in a half-crazed condition until he struck the home of the farmer. It seems that he was unable to tell where his home was, and the farmer learned of his residence through the newspapers. Wise is in a critical condition.

Shot in a Crap Game.

Howard Morton was shot and instantly killed by Abe Sheffil in a crap game at Carbondale. Morton is said to have drawn a knife, at which Sheffil drew a revolver and fired three times. Two balls passed through Morton's heart and one lodged in his shoulder. A coroner's inquest was held and Sheffil was held to answer the action of the grand jury. Sheriff Fox took Sheffil to Murphysboro.

Six Special Courses.

Six special short courses have been arranged for the winter at the Agricultural college. A creamery course, live stock course, dairy husbandry course and course in fruit culture, each to begin January 8 and continue six weeks. A cheese making course will begin February 18, to continue four weeks, and a special course in beet sugar production to cover the winter and spring terms.

Badly Damaged.

The stone road system of Bay county has been badly damaged by unusually heavy rains of late. This injury was aggravated by the immense traffic of sugar beet wagons, and the roads have been so badly cut up as to be almost impassable.

GIVES HIS REASONS.

Gov. Pingree Tells Why He Granted Pardon to Gen. White and Gen. Marsh.

Gov. Pingree, in announcing the pardon of Gen. W. L. White, ex-quartermaster general, and Gen. A. F. Marsh, ex-inspector general of the Michigan national guard, who were convicted of complicity in the state military clothing frauds, upon the payment of \$5,000 fine by each, gives the following reasons for the act:

"These men entered into a conspiracy with the Henderson-Ames company, a corporation composed of prominent and influential citizens of Kalamazoo, to defraud the state of a large amount of money in connection with the sale and repurchase of military clothing. One Bickerstaff, who was the agent for the Henderson-Ames company, was, according to his testimony, active in engineering the fraud. The circuit judge and the prosecuting attorney of Ingham county, who had control of the proceedings before the grand jury, made no effort to have the grand jury bring all the guilty parties to justice, but permitted the seven members of the Henderson-Ames company and their agent, Bickerstaff, to go free. This ineffectual and one-sided kind of justice is not consistent with my ideas of right and wrong, and has had great weight in determining my action in these cases. Restitution has been made to the state by the Henderson-Ames company and Marsh and White, and the amount which the state lost by the original transaction has been returned with interest. Restitution having been made, my impulse is to place all the guilty ones again on the same footing, and I therefore grant William L. White and Arthur F. Marsh a pardon upon their paying into the treasury of Ingham county \$5,000 each."

MANY DEER KILLED.

Report of Michigan's Game Warden Advocates Reducing Number of Animals Hunters May Kill.

State Game Warden Morse has submitted his report for November, which covers the 22 days of the open season for deer. He says that it was necessary to keep every deputy warden in the state in the field during the entire period looking after reported violations of the deer law. Inasmuch as there was plenty of snow from the first days of the open season to the last, and thousands of hunters in the woods, the slaughter of deer far exceeded that of former years.

Special deputies were stationed at various places where much of the deer pass in their shipment to the southern part of the state, and these shipments were so numerous that Warden Morse is confident that not less than 5,000 deer were killed during the season. He advocates reducing the number of deer each hunter may legally kill from five to at most three.

Buy a Deer Park.

James Jacobs and Chicago capitalists have closed a deal for the purchase of Chamber's island from the Wisconsin Chair company. The island is in Green bay, about 18 miles east of Menominee. The Chicagoans intend to convert the island into a game preserve and to expend \$35,000 or more in the construction of a clubhouse and otherwise improving the property. The island comprises several thousand acres of land, mostly timbered, and deer are very numerous.

Wants Battle Flags.

Gen. Granville L. Dodge, of New York, vice president of the Grant York association, has written a letter to Maj. Frank P. Muhlenberg, of Galesburg, requesting him to get a joint resolution through the legislature permitting the removal of the flags of two Michigan regiments which fought under Grant, to be placed in the Grant tomb. Gen. Dodge explains that it is the purpose to obtain two such flags from each state.

Company to Dissolve.

The A. P. Cook company, owning 11,000 acres of farm land comprising 80 farms in 25 counties in Michigan, valued at \$250,000, will be dissolved after December 28. The Cook Farm company was incorporated 12 years ago by A. P. Cook and his three sons just before A. P. Cook's death to avoid probating the estate. The incorporation was for 12 years, and the dissolution is by mutual consent.

Dr. Baker on Smallpox.

Secretary Baker, of the state board of health, has issued an important circular on the prevalence of smallpox not only in Michigan, but in other states, and advocating strict measures for the control of the epidemic. He emphasized the necessity for general vaccination, and says that the mild form of disease makes it doubly difficult to cope with it, as it is often diagnosed as chickenpox.

Masked Robbers.

Three masked burglars entered the house of James Graham, two miles east of Stanton, bound Mr. and Mrs. Graham fast to their bed with ropes and ransacked the house, securing \$28 in cash and a gold watch and other articles. The burglars then hitched up one of Graham's horses and left.

Watch Meetings.

A circular has been issued by Adj. Gen. Case asking the national guard to aid the American National Red Cross in its plans to hold in every village and city in the United States, on the last night of this year, watch meetings to see the old century out and the new century in.

PRISON FOR WOMEN.

Industrial Home Officials Say That Such an Institution Is Very Greatly Needed.

In their annual report the superintendent and board of guardians of the industrial home for girls at Adrian. Mrs. Allaseba M. Bliss, of Saginaw, wife of the governor-elect and president of the board, says that another cottage is needed at the home.

Mrs. Bliss makes a strong plea for a prison for women to which girls can be sent to serve out their terms of commitment when they have proved incorrigible and a detriment to the home as well as terrors to the communities in which they lived. The report says further:

A cooking school, greenhouse and dressmaking departments have recently been established at the home. A military drill for the girls has been instituted. A gymnasium is wanted.

The board expects to send out from the dressmaking department girls capable of earning good wages. The girls are taught plain cooking and laundry work in the cottage kitchens. Many of the girls will leave the home capable of managing a garden as well as homes of their own.

Records show that a large percentage of the girls who have left the home are living honest, virtuous lives. The work of Superintendent Nichols is commended.

The inventory shows that the building and grounds are valued at \$202,835.71, and the personal property at \$52,917.21. For current expenses for 1901 the board asks \$59,260, and for 1902, \$62,424. The amount asked for special purposes for the two years is \$33,050, the largest item being \$20,000 for a new cottage, the balance being for new boilers, new floors, cement walks and other improvements and repairs. All of these items have been approved by the state board of corrections and charities.

Mrs. Lucy M. Sickles, superintendent of the home, in her portion of the report, also urges the establishment of a prison for women, saying that incorrigible girls are brought into the home and kept there who are detrimental to the institution and to all with whom they come in contact. The home is not a place for them. She says further:

During the period under report 199 girls were committed to the home for the following offenses: Disorderly conduct, 69; prostitution, 38; wilfully wayward and unmanageable, 10; truancy, 32; frequenting saloons, 4; lounging on streets, 7; vagrancy, 1; arson, 2; assault and battery, 2; incorrigibility, 2; forgery, 1; perjury, 1. Thirty-five were arrested in houses of ill fame, 21 had been inmates of the state public school, 23 had been inmates of orphan asylums and other similar institutions, 15 were born in county houses, 12 had been mothers, 61 were in the habit of drinking to intoxication, 26 were born out of wedlock, one was born in a house of ill fame, and the mother of one died in Joliet prison, the girl also being illegitimate.

During the two years 150 girls were contracted in homes, 185 were discharged, seven returned to court and five returned to the counties. At the close of the period there were 410 girls in the home.

IS A FAILURE.

People's University Located at Berrien Springs Has Not Proved a Successful Undertaking.

The People's university, located at Berrien Springs, will soon be a thing of the past. The moving spirit in the enterprise was Walter Thomas Mills, the well-known social economist of Chicago. When the establishing of the university was canvassed in Berrien Springs the people were asked to donate land for a site. Only one man responded, D. Benson, a resident of St. Joseph, but the owner of real estate in Berrien Springs. He gave the university a number of acres of land without even a nominal consideration. The university has been on the downward trend for months past, so Benson has filed a bill in chancery in the circuit court praying that his deed may be set aside and the title to the land restored to him, for the principal reason that the institution is a failure, and that false representations were made to him to get the deed from him.

Lived Over a Century.

Anna, relict of the late Daniel Allen, died at her home in Frahhlin, where she had lived since 1835. She was born in New York February 10, 1800. Mr. Allen was a soldier in the war of 1812, and Aunt Anna, as his widow since 1889, has been borne on the pension rolls. She observed her one hundredth anniversary in February last, when she was in remarkably good health.

Hospital Opened.

The homeopathic hospital, erected in Ann Arbor at a cost of \$100,000 on a site donated by the city, has been formally opened. Coming as it does during the year of the silver anniversary of the establishment of the department, it attracted numerous old alumni. The dedication will take place December 6, 7, and 8.

Was a Money Maker.

The fifty-third annual meeting of the Calhoun County Agricultural society was held in Marshall with a fair attendance. The report of Treasurer Shipp showed that this year's fair leaves the association in good financial condition. Total receipts amounted to \$3,800 and expenditures \$3,082. There is a balance of \$723 in the treasury.

Campaign Expenses.

Chairman Diekema, of the republican state central committee, in a sworn statement says that he expended \$32,715.14 during the late campaign for legitimate purposes. Chairman Britten, of the prohibition state committee, expended \$2,213.

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Mrs. G. H. CHAPPELL.

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FLINGS AT THE FAIR SEX.

When a woman can't find any other excuse for being sick she says she is "nervous."—Acheson Globe.

She—"For my part, I would never forgive a young man who would kiss a girl against her will." He—"Nor I; but do you suppose a young man really ever did?"—Somerville Journal.

Lucille—"Why do you treat that poor Mr. Wintergreen with so little consideration? I declare, I'm surprised that he puts up with you." Genevieve—"Oh, but we're engaged." Lucille—"Oh!"—Cleveland Leader.

A LIFE SAVED.

A Druggist's Timely and Straight Forward Advice Saves the Life of a Prominent Citizen.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 10, 1900 (Special).—Among the Catholic Foresters in this city, none is better known or more universally esteemed than Mr. S. P. Rush, Conductor (President) of Holy Name Court, Number 26.

His many friends, inside the Order and outside of its ranks, were, therefore, much startled to learn that his life was in danger, he having Bright's Disease, that most terrible and fatal disease.

Mr. Rush, however, made a grand struggle for his life, taking prescriptions, and pills, and powders, until his stomach refused food. At last, his local druggist, guided by the numerous inquiries being made at his store for Dodd's Kidney Pills, advised Mr. Rush to buy and try some. This he did, and to his delight he was restored to health and strength.

Mr. Rush says that after commencing the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, he felt much better, but it took two months to effect a cure.

"I took nothing else but Dodd's Kidney Pills during that time, so I know that I owe life and health to them."

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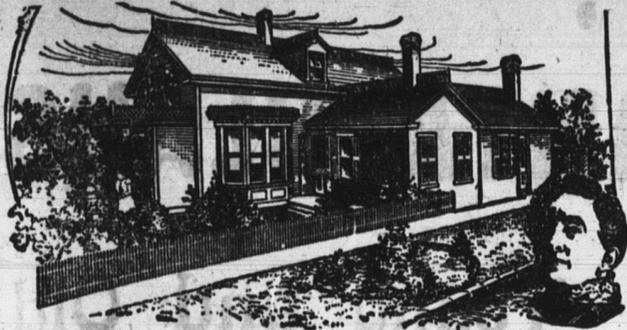
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He who makes no mistakes, makes nothing else.—Aitchison Globe.

Extenuating Circumstances.

Tenderfoot—Did you folks lynch the man who stole the automobile here last week? Cactus Charley—Nope. We intended to, but an investigatin' committee made some experiments an' concluded that the ottomobul stole the thief, instead of the thief gittin' away with it.—Baltimore American.

Information for Homeseekers.

Valuable information concerning Lands, Locations and Climate of Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia may be found in "Information for Homeseekers" recently issued by the Passenger Department of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway. It gives detailed information regarding prices paid for farm products, varieties of soil, climate, elevation, rainfall, etc. Homeseeker's Excursion tickets to this territory at very low rates. For maps, printed matter and other information call on nearest ticket agent or address Briard F. Hill, N. P. A., 328 Marquette Bldg., Chicago, Ill., J. B. Killbrew, Immigration Agent, or W. L. Danley, G. P. A., Nashville, Tenn.

In Society.

News Note—The earl of Makearaise has arrived in New York.
Many Rich Fathers—What's his price?—Detroit Free Press.

THE TAX REDUCTION.

Minority Favors Making the Cut at Least \$70,000,000.

Gives Its Reasons in a Report to the House—Says, However, It Won't Oppose Passage of Majority Measure.

Washington, Dec. 11.—The minority members of the ways and means committee have completed their report on the revenue reduction bill and it was presented late Monday. It urges a reduction of the revenues of about \$70,000,000, or about \$30,000,000 more than that proposed by the majority of the committee. It also proposes an income tax, with a view of again bringing the subject in modified form before the United States supreme court for final adjudication.

The report is signed by the entire democratic membership of the committee—Messrs. Richardson (Tenn.), Swanson (Va.), McClellan (N. Y.), Newlands (Nev.), Cooper (Tex.), and Underwood (Ala.).

The report says that the minority are of opinion that the proposed reduction of revenues is too small, and that the bill does not go far enough in relieving the people of the burdens imposed upon them for war purposes. The remaining taxes, says the report, are unnecessary and should be removed. As stated, it favors a reduction of \$70,000,000, and continues: "We would make these reductions on those articles which are most nearly the necessities of life, and would take off the taxes that are most annoying and vexatious to the people. This would in no way cripple or impair the public service. We believe that by a return to proper economy in appropriations, a reduction greater than we advocate could be made, and we should at once enforce this economy. The war being over, the war taxes should cease, and the 'train of extraordinary expenditures' following the war should also terminate."

"We shall not, however, oppose the passage of the bill, for it gives some relief, but will endeavor to properly amend it. If we were by our efforts to defeat its passage, we would leave the heavy burden of unjust taxation on the country. The serious objection to the taxes levied by this bill, and as they will be left under the law, is that the burdens of taxation throughout the country are unjustly distributed. This being true, of necessity the revenues collected are inequitable."

The report says that a reduction of \$70,000,000 in taxation would permit the relief of the beer and tobacco producing interests, which have suffered from the heavy war taxes, and would enable the abolition of many vexatious and annoying taxes that will be continued under the proposed legislation.

"We contend," concludes the minority, "the vice of our existing legislation is that almost all the burdens of the federal government are imposed upon consumption rather than upon production. For federal purposes the people are taxed for what they want and not for what they have, and a false system of taxation has thus been inaugurated which had practically made a per capita distribution of the burdens instead of a distribution in some degree proportionate to the wealth which is produced."

Will Support Majority Report.

The republican house caucus on the war revenue reduction bill decided Monday night by a large majority to stand by the bill as now drawn and reported by the ways and means committee. There were about a hundred members present, and the vote to support the bill as now framed stood 68 ayes to 29 noes. The resolution finally adopted was offered by Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, and was as follows:

"Resolved, That the recommendations made by the committee on ways and means in house bill No. 12,394 are judicious and merit the approval of this conference, and we recommend that all republican members of the house be urged to vote against all amendments and for the passage of the bill."

ADOPT RESOLUTIONS.

American Federation of Labor Hears the Report of the Resolutions Committee.

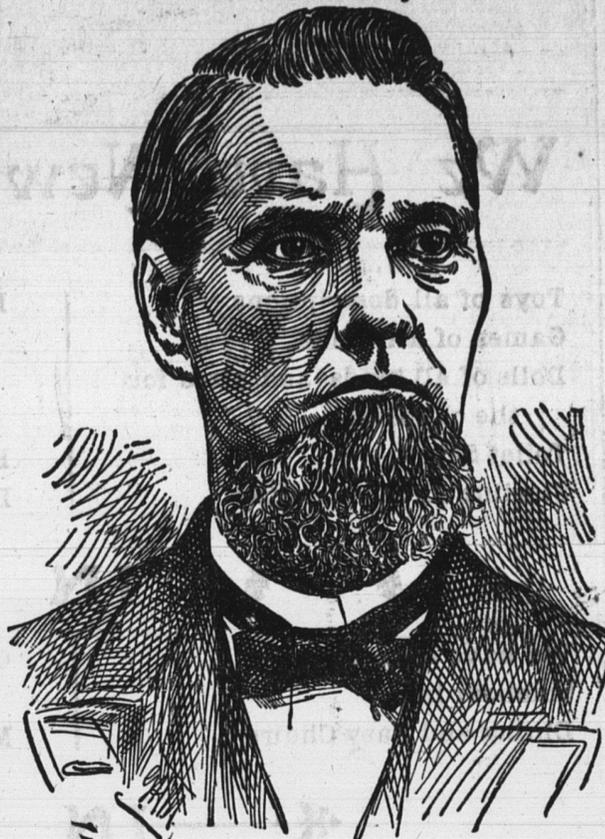
Louisville, Ky., Dec. 11.—Immediately following the call to order Monday morning, the resolutions committee of the American Federation of Labor submitted its report. The first resolution recommended by the committee was one reaffirming its favorable position on the initiative and referendum, which was adopted by the convention by a vote of 82 to 56 after considerable debate.

Following in rapid succession were recommended and adopted resolutions requesting support by congress of a bill for the higher education of the blind; in favor of an eight-hour bill for all post office employees, to be introduced at the coming session of congress, and in favor of municipal ownership of public utilities.

In its report the committee on labels recommended that all schoolbooks used in public schools of the various states should bear the label of the Allied Printing Trades council. The recommendation was adopted. A resolution extending sympathy to the striking telegraphers on the Santa Fe railroad system was adopted. A resolution was presented and referred just prior to adjournment that the federation support the action of the national irrigation committee in urging congress to make an appropriation for a system of irrigation in the arid region of the west and southwest.

MINISTER SAVED

Rev. Henry Langford entirely cured of Nervous Prostration by Dr. Greene's Nervura Blood and Nerve Remedy.



REV. HENRY LANGFORD.

Rev. Henry Langford, the eminent Baptist divine, of Weston, W. Va., has just escaped after nervous and physical prostration. He is pastor of four churches. "For ten years," he said, "I have been nervous and growing worse all these years. During the last four or five years I became so nervous I could scarcely sign my name so it could be read. I was so nervous that I could not read my own sermon notes after they had been laid aside awhile."

"I was unable to hold my head steady in the pulpit, nor could I hold or handle my books and papers without embarrassment, owing to the trembling and weakness of my hands and arms. I was so nervous that I could scarcely feed myself. In fact, my nervous system was wrecked."

"I tried many remedies recommended by physicians, but found no permanent relief. One day I was in the store of R. S. Ogden, at Sarvia, W. Va., and he said to me: 'You take two bottles of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and if you say it don't help you, you need not pay for it.'"

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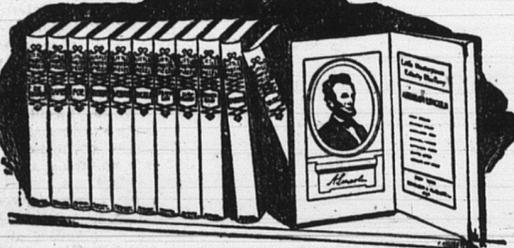
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