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## ANNUAL SUMMER CLEARING SALE!

### SHOES.

We have placed on sale a large lot of women's, men's and children's shoes in odd sizes and broken lots, and priced them very low. We have made prices on them that will sell them quick.

We offer all Johnson shoes, women's, sizes 2 1/2 to 6 only; mostly soft turn soles and buttons; were \$3.00 and \$3.50, now for \$1.50. This line we must close out as the manufacturer has gone out of business. We have always recommended this make of shoes as very comfortable and easy.

Big lot of odd pairs of Pingree shoes, buttons, women's, sizes 2 1/2 to 5 only, were \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$3.75, now \$1.75 and \$1.95.

Big lot of children's and misses shoes, odd pairs, mostly buttons, but all sizes, were \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50. Now put out in 3 lots and priced at 50c, 75c and 98c.

Men's shoes, nearly all sizes, odd pairs, just right for summer wear reduced to \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

### MACINTOSHES.

We have too many men's and women's Macintoshes on hand, and until our stock is sold down to its usual size, we are offering these garments at 1/2 usual prices, and some at even less.

Women's navy blue or black, single or double cape, double texture garments, were \$4.50 and \$5.00, now \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

### WASH GOODS.

Big Reductions on Wash Goods, to close out.

30 pieces dress ginghams checks and plaids, were 10, 12 1/2 and 15c, now only 7 1-2 cents.

60 pieces Dress Goods, black or colors, greatly reduced in price to close them out quick.

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Try our 15c Coffee. It can't be matched

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4 cans Good Corn for 25c

Large Colored Water Sets for 95c

Strongest Ammonia 5c pint

Try our 35c Japan Tea

## Stimson's Drug Store

CHELSEA TELEPHONE NUMBER 8

### CHELSEA IS AGAIN FLOODED

Last Night's Storm the Most Severe One of the Season—Large Damages.

During the day yesterday and nearly all of last night rain fell in torrents and at times during the night it seemed as if the clouds had simply let go of rain by barrels. The village and surrounding country in many places resembled miniature lakes. Twenty acres of Snyder's onion marsh is under water, and Dr. Palmer's and Davis & Gates marsh are in the same condition. Hundreds of acres of hay and gardens were under water from one inch to two feet and the damage will run well into thousands of dollars.

The storm was accompanied last night with considerable lightning and thunder. The home of Mrs. Matthew Schwickerath on Congdon street was struck, knocking down the chimney, badly damaging the roof and breaking a large hole in the ceiling of the room where the lightning entered the house. A few minutes later the barn in the rear of the dwelling was struck but not damaged materially. While the inmates of the house were considerably shaken up and shocked by the electric elements none of them were injured.

Reports from the rural districts this morning are that many bridges are gone, or in unsafe condition, and the highways in many places flooded and washed out, and it will in all probability require some time to repair the damage.

About the village the streets in many places being badly washed out, the board sidewalks are floating pontoons. The lawns covered in many places with water from six inches to two feet in depth. One dwelling on North street had considerable water on the first floor. Half of cellars about town have from one to three feet of water in them, and the boys of the family can be seen at home today working the pump handle.

The Hawks-Angus road has a 50-foot washout near the Gutherie crossing and report says the track east of town is more or less washed out, while between Grass Lake and Jackson there is considerable water at places covering the track.

Traffic on the Michigan Central has been tied up since early this morning by washouts between Chelsea and Dexter, and Dexter and Ann Arbor. The company had every available man and two work trains working all night repairing the roadbed and by night expect to have everything repaired.

There has been between two and three inches of rainfall during the past twenty-four hours at this place. The storm seems to have covered the entire state. The weather reports for today indicate showers.

#### Kellogg Fletcher.

Two more of Chelsea's well-known young people have set sail on the matrimonial sea. Dr. E. Burton Kellogg of Belleville, a former Chelsea boy and student of our high school, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kellogg of Sylvan, and Miss Cora A. Fletcher, one of Sharon's most highly esteemed young ladies, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Wednesday, June 26th. The wedding, which was a quiet one, took place at 8 a. m. at the home of the bride's mother, Rev. Carl G. Zelder of Detroit performing the ceremony. A wedding breakfast was served, after which the doctor and his bride left for a trip up the lakes. Dr. and Mrs. Kellogg will be at home after August 1st in Belleville, where the groom is very popular and one of the leading physicians. Our best wishes and congratulations are extended to the happy couple.

#### Appeared in Female Attire.

Argus: Representative Byron C. Whittaker of Dexter is accused by some of his friends of having appeared in woman's garb at Portage lake last week Wednesday, and thereby lunge a tale.

The jolly representative in the state legislature was out on a dock at Portage lake that day with some ladies. He is no featherweight and the dock broke, precipitating Mr. Whittaker head first into the lake. He had but one suit of clothes at the lake and that of course he had on. Hence he togged himself out in this apparel while his clothing was drying, not forgetting, however to console himself with a pipe while he endeavored to look serene, notwithstanding the limitations of his apparel.

#### Dispute About Land Boundaries.

Argus: A dispute over boundaries has brought Walter Waters, Jr., a farmer of the vicinity, into court to stand examination on the charge of assault with intent to murder, and has landed Ike Bumpus and his hired man, Straub, in justice's sanctum to be tried for assault and battery.

Waters recently bought a farm of the Eaton brothers, and found that with the title he had acquired an interest in an active dispute with his neighbor, Ike Bumpus, over one of the boundaries.

The trouble progressed until finally Bumpus carried the war into the enemy's country by pulling up the fence and placing it two feet over the line.

Waters went to work Friday to put the fence back in its old position, when Bumpus and his hired man appeared upon the scene, and commanded him to desist.

Words followed and the result was that Waters received an artistic polishing off from Bumpus and Staub, the "help," and that the two last mentioned were subjected to a vigorous fusillade from Waters' revolver.

The mutual swearing out of warrants occurred Saturday, so Waters is to be examined by Justice Joslyn on Monday for alleged assault with intent to murder, and Bumpus and Straub will be tried on the same in Justice Childs' court for assault and battery.

### MAY HAVE CEMENT WORKS

Company Incorporated with \$1,000,000 Capital to Operate Cement Plant at Four-Mile Lake.

Last Saturday L. S. Lerch and other Detroit men, incorporators of the West German Portland Cement Co., of Chelsea, capitalized at \$1,000,000, and filed articles of association at Lansing. It is reported that the new company will build a large plant at Four-Mile Lake, and will employ a large number of men.

The incorporators of the company have of late spent a considerable time looking over the ground and securing options on the property, and they claim that they have the best prospect in the state for successful cement works.

Tuesday, representatives of the company were in Chelsea looking for houses for several families. They say that operations will be begun at once on the works which will be first class in every respect. The Standard hopes that the men who are back of this venture will meet with no obstacles and that the works will soon be in operation.

#### Real Estate Transfers.

Walter J. Webb to Anna C. Stevenson, Webster, \$1.

Frederick E. Richards and wife to Myron Lighthall, Sylvan, 200.

Morris Richmond by heirs to George Richmond, Scio, 2,300.

Rebecca Tomlinson to Geo. P. Staffan, Sylvan, 900.

Edward G. Grau et al to John Grau, Lima, 4,000.

Albert J. Robinson by heirs to Mary Ackerson, Manchester, 700.

John Schenk by heirs to Gustav Schenk, Pittsfield and Ann Arbor town, 7,243.

Anton Schoen by heirs to George Reimold and wife, Freedom, \$3,000.

Frank Greening and wife to John Rowe Sylvan, 600.

John Schenk by heirs to John D. Schenk, Pittsfield and Ann Arbor town, 3,853.

John Schenk by heirs to Emanuel Schenk et al, Freedom, 6,886.

Wilber A. Quinn and wife to Matthew Hauser, Sylvan, 100.

#### Attendance at Summer School.

The attendance at the U. of M. summer school this year beats all previous records and the faculty are greatly elated over the fact. The registration to date in the literary department is 262. This is forty ahead of the registration on the corresponding day last year.

The attendance in the law department is 46, about five less than the corresponding day last year.

It is a noticeable fact that there are more of the students of the regular winter school remaining for work this year than usual. A number of older men are in attendance brushing up on some subjects or branching out into something new. Everyone appears to be in earnest in their work and a good deal will undoubtedly be accomplished.

The campus has quite a busy appearance between class hours, when students are passing to and from classes.

#### Another Indian Trophy

Times: Dr. Leonard, the mysterious benefactor of the University, has added another trophy to the long list of valuable articles with which he has presented the institution.

A valuable medicine wand of an Indian tribe was received at the University a few days ago. The wand, which is valued at \$1,000, is fearfully and wonderfully made and is an awful combination of everything ever heard of. The wand has a handle or bar in the center with long, brush-like ends. In the make-up of the potent weapon are found, among other things, five kinds of sweet grass, the dewclaws of a deer, eagle feathers, bells, beads, the scalp of an hostile Indian, an osprey's feather and a porcupine's tail. The article is unique and valuable and is another evidence of Dr. Leonard's untiring work in behalf of the University.

### LOGS AND DESKS SENT BY MAIL

Light thrown on a Peculiar Condition in the Postoffice Department.

One of the results of Third Assistant Postmaster General Madden's efforts to place the department on a paying basis was an order issued from the department Tuesday prohibiting the sending through the mails of logs and bags of earth and similar articles when they weigh 200 pounds or more.

It appears according to the complaint of the agricultural department that some of its agents have been in the habit of sending through the mails packages containing sections of logs weighing from 100 to 200 pounds, and that some postmasters accept such packages while others refuse. Investigation shows that not only were logs shipped as mail, under frank, but also that bags filled with specimens of earth were sent in the same way.

The order to the postmasters is that they will be held responsible if they permit the law to be violated in that way.

Some time ago it was discovered that roll-top desks and other articles of furniture were being sent through the mails under franks and it was particularly true when the mails were being weighed to determine what was to be paid to certain railroads for carrying mails.

#### She Wedded a Comedian.

Argus: A wedding of interest occurred one night last week, when Mrs. Goosley, colored, became the wife of Sam Lucas, a colored comedian.

Mrs. Goosley secured a divorce from her husband, Sam Goosley, two years ago and began suit against Mrs. Ross, also colored, for alleged alienation of affections, with the result that she was given judgment for \$3,000 last October and was paid the money in April. The Goosley family roomed at the home of Mrs. Ross for some time, and thus Cupid had ample opportunity to get in some of his deadly work.

The \$3,000 will come in handy in the Lucas establishment, and was doubtless looked upon by the happy couple as a wedding present.

#### A Writ For Board.

James L. Board, Port Huron's millionaire, will be arrested if Sheriff Maines can find him, as the officer has a warrant in his pocket, issued for Board by Judge Wagner for contempt of court.

Board was to have appeared in court Tuesday morning to answer for examination on a charge of not appearing before the state tax commission some time ago in response to a subpoena to make disclosures regarding his property holdings. Mr. Board's examination was partially finished and he should have appeared Tuesday morning, but failed to do so. The state tax commission, which is represented by Mr. Freeman, has raised the assessment of Port Huron from over \$7,000,000 to over \$11,000,000, and Mr. Board's personal assessment from \$3,000 to \$182,000.

The first civil war soldiers' monument ever erected in the United States stands in the little, obscure cemetery of Tipton. It was dedicated July 4, 1886, the date of the unveiling of the soldiers' monument near the Detroit city hall. Other shafts to the honor of the Union dead rapidly reared their spires upward, but the modest, yet neat shaft at Tipton is, we believe, the undisputed original pioneer to the memory of the men who fell in defense of the Union flag.—Detroit Tribune.

The Chelsea Bottling Works are prepared to furnish on short notice all kinds of soft drinks for picnics, fishing parties and all kinds of social gatherings. We make a specialty of Vernor's Ginger Ale. Our prices are the lowest. Give us a call. Chris. Bagge. 21

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#### NOTICE.

Village Taxes are now due and can be paid at any time at W. P. Schenk & Co.'s store before August 1, 1902.

F. RORDEL,  
Village Treasurer.

Dated, July 1, 1902.

WASHTENAW FAIR, SEPT. 9-12.

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IN

### QUALITY

### MODERATION

### IN PRICE

Look this List over and see Where you can Save a Dollar or Two.

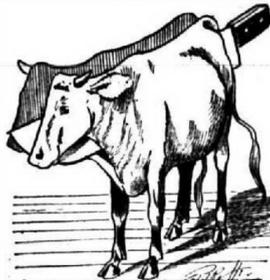
Best Lyndon cheese 14c pound  
8 pounds Schumacher's rolled oats 25c  
3 cans Alaska salmon 25c  
2 cans Alaska red salmon 25c  
Have you tried our 25c Coffee?  
Finest shredded pineapple, large cans 22c  
Sweet Cuba tobacco 35c pound  
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We have on hand a large quantity of strictly pure kettle rendered lard of own rendering and can supply you with all you want at the right price.

## ADAM EPLER.

New Story by Conan Doyle.

"The Hound of The Baskervilles," another adventure of Sherlock Holmes, the first installment of which will appear in the Sunday Detroit Free Press of July 6, and continue for twelve consecutive weeks, is the greatest story ever written by this famous author. The sale of the book at \$1.50 per copy has been phenomenal. If you are not at present a reader of the Sunday Free Press send in your order for a three months' trial subscription at once. It will only cost you 65c for three months, either by carrier or mail. Remember the story starts July 6.

#### SAVES A WOMAN'S LIFE.

To have given up would have meant death to Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass. For years she had endured untold misery from a severe lung trouble and obstinate cough. "Often," she writes, "I could scarcely breathe and sometimes could not speak. All doctors and remedies failed till I used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was completely cured." Sufferers from Coughs, Colds, Throat and Lung Trouble need this grand remedy, for it never disappoints. Cure is guaranteed by Glazier & Stimson. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

It isn't safe to judge a man by his Panama. Some sensible people are wearing them.

A good north pole story is due as a means of counteracting the first breath of summer.

A safe flying machine which will fly and a smoking volcano which will not erupt are to be invented.

Automobile carache is the newest ailment, but automobile lunacy continues to be the worst one.

It is hard to explain the vast difference between the salaries of horse jockeys and college presidents.

Richard Mansfield is going to play "Julius Caesar." The Roman army will do well to wear plenty of pads.

Borax, besides being a wholesome and delicious article of food, can be used to advantage in washing the hair.

A Kansas spiritualist claims to be able to materialize the Angel Gabriel. But who cares as long as the horn is omitted?

The bakers of Denver are striking for thirty minutes for lunch time. Naturally they do not need to strike for more "dough."

Of course, Mr. Carnegie's work on the "Empire of Business" will be one of the text books in use at the Carnegie university.

In the French chamber of deputies on Tuesday M. Coustant threatened to break Count de Dion's jaw. Unfortunately, he did not.

Perhaps the Pennsylvania road might be induced to sell tickets with a kiss-coupon attached, at a slight advance over the regular tariff.

John D. Rockefeller told a Cleveland audience that friendship can't be bought for money. He might have added that it can't be had for nothing, either.

James J. Hill has gone to Labrador. Some of the people who have done business with him are undoubtedly of the opinion that he was cool enough before.

A Chicago market report states that corn is acting as a jackscrew on the board of trade. More than likely the members can provide their own corkscrews.

They have had another fight in the Austrian reichrath, but there is no extraordinary excitement over it. Such affairs have ceased to draw crowds there.

An Indiana man was shot for singing "Good Morning, Carrie." Whether they do things better in Indiana or not, they certainly do things more expeditiously.

The Chicago prisoner who has received a year's sentence for stealing a \$2 pair of shoes will know enough to loot a whole store the next time he goes a-burgling.

It is announced that Boston letter carriers will wear shirt waists this summer. Boston, evidently has ambitions to be a leader in fashion, as well as in culture.

Mr. Carnegie must be in a very peaceful frame of mind. He does not know how much he has earned, how much he is worth, or how much he has given away.

Dust from Mont Pelee is said to have blown all the way to Chicago. It would have been more to the purpose if dust from Chicago had been carried all the way to St. Pierre.

The dean of women at the University of Chicago wants the college yell set to music, but she can save work for a composer by making a selection from one of the grand operas.

The only tractable Yaqui Indian, in the opinion of the Mexican authorities, is a dead one. And judging by the trouble the Yaquis have given the Mexican government the opinion is not wide of the mark.

John D. Rockefeller has made \$12,000,000 in the last six months without working Sundays. If he continues frugal he will be able to enjoy that popular weekly half-holiday within a few years.

Who will now say that a college education does not fit a man for the strenuous things of life? College football rushers have been employed by the district attorney of New York to break in the doors of pool-rooms.

London brokers are wearing a badge bearing the words: "Permit bearer to walk about the earth.—Pierpont." They think it's a joke, but are likely to wake up some morning and find that it is only another truth in the form of a jest.

A new novel on American life criticizes people of the United States for "sitting on their stoops" on summer evenings. We don't mind the stings of an author's sarcasm; it is the bites of the busy mosquito that make the custom one to be discouraged.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Governor A. T. Bliss Renominated on the First Ballot.

In the shortest time on record for a state convention, Michigan Republicans Thursday did what shouting and counting was to be done. At 5:30 p. m. the speeches had all been made and the following ticket had been nominated:

For Governor—Aaron T. Bliss, of Saginaw; Delos Fall, of Abdon, renominated. For Lieutenant-Governor—Alexander Maitland, of Negaunee. For Auditor-General—Perry F. Powers, Cadillac, renominated. For Commissioner of the Land Office—Charles A. Blair, of Jackson. For State Treasurer—Daniel McCoy, Grand Rapids, renominated. For Secretary of State—Fred M. Warner, of Farmington, renominated. For Commissioner of the Land Office—Edwin A. Wilkey, of Van Buren, renominated.

The convention was called to order at 10:30 o'clock by Gerrit J. Diekmann, of Holland, chairman of the state central committee, who introduced Rev. James M. Barkley, pastor of the Forest Avenue Presbyterian church. After prayer the temporary chairman of the convention, William Alden Smith, congressman from the fifth district, delivered an address that called for frequent applause.

Gov. A. T. Bliss, candidate for a renomination, was an interested spectator in the gallery. Candidate Stearns was not present during the morning or afternoon, but his Wayne county manager, Homer Warren, sat in the gallery a few yards to the left of the governor.

The Bliss men were very nearly accurate in their estimate of 800 votes for their candidate, the Saginaw colonel rolling up 811 on the first ballot, against 214 for Stearns, 40 for Horton, and 22 for Patton.

The hardest worked lot of men in the convention were those on the committee on resolutions. The cause of their troubles was the disagreement over the question of primary elections. The State League of Republican Clubs had declared for primary reform, and Charles E. Townsend, representing the league, appeared before the committee to urge the adoption of the plank prepared by the league committee. He was backed by Charles D. Joslyn, of Detroit.

The members from the interior, however, objected to any plank which would positively demand the passage of a primary bill next winter, holding that the voters in the less populous counties do not want to drop the convention system.

Accordingly there was a long debate running all through the noon recess, the result of which was a compromise, which commended the primary election plan, but which merely recommends that the subject be carefully considered by the legislature, instead of instructing the lawmakers to legislate the convention system out of existence.

Homer Warren, chairman of the primary election committee of the state league of Republican clubs, after reading the plank of the platform on election reform, said: "The convention declaration is not as strong as we would have made it, but I feel satisfied with what has been done, and we shall keep on with our campaign to bring about the passage of a general primary election bill in the next legislature."

Fred R. Fenton, president of the league, also expressed his satisfaction with the platform and his belief that a primary bill will be passed next winter.

A Tragedy at Unionville. The 17-year-old son of Jim Henry, an Indian residing three miles west of Unionville, was shot and killed Saturday afternoon by Al Adams, a farmer.

The story as told by the excited father of the boy is that Adams came to the Henry home and while there attempted to assault Mrs. Henry. The boy rushed to his mother's assistance and in the light which ensued Adams drew a revolver and fired three shots at the boy, all three taking effect in the head.

The story told by Adams varies somewhat from the one told by Henry. He states that the boy and his father assailed him and that in self-defense he fired the fatal shot at young Henry.

The fact that Adams is considerably battered would seem to substantiate his story to a certain extent. He has always borne a good reputation.

New Rural Routes. Additional rural free delivery to commence August 1: Harbor Springs, Emmet county, one carrier; population served, 585; number of houses on route, 130. Routes 1, 2, 3, Imlay City, Lapeer county; population served, 2,133; number of houses on routes, 474. Lapeer, Lapeer county, routes 1 and 2; population served, 1,147; number of houses on routes, 255; postoffice at Five Lakes to be supplied with closed pouch by rural carrier. Romeo, Macomb county, additional service, route 3; population served, 459; number of houses on route, 102. St. Joseph, Berrien county, routes 1 and 2; population served, 1,642; number of houses on routes, 365; postoffice at Hollywood to be discontinued.

A fair will be held at West Branch this year, September 23, 24, and 25 being the dates selected.

Caustic potash was used to brand the letters of the Alpha Omega High School society of Marquette upon two boys. Physicians had to be called in.

Lansing meat dealers, it is said, will make an agreement not to use trading stamps any more. It is claimed they cost more than newspaper advertising, with less beneficial results.

As a result of the strike of the miners in the Michigan coal fields since April 1, the coal supply has been shortened by 350,000 tons with a market price of about \$750,000. The miners have lost \$300,000 in wages. The strike still continues.

The men who framed the resolutions adopted unanimously by the Republican state convention, were as follows: First district, C. D. Joslyn; second district, E. P. Allen; third district, H. B. Coleman; fourth district, E. W. Keightley; fifth district, Sybrant Wesellus; sixth district, B. T. O. Clark; seventh district, H. L. Chipman; eighth district, Watts S. Humphrey; ninth district, J. C. McLaughlin; tenth district, H. B. Bradley; eleventh district, Dennis E. Alward; twelfth district, J. H. McLean.

The resolutions in full are as follows: "We unreservedly pledge to President Theodore Roosevelt our sympathy and support in his administration of the great trust which came to him through the death of President McKinley. We realize the great problems and serious questions of state, foreign and domestic, with which he has to do and hereby express our sincere admiration and approval of the ability, integrity and desire for justice which he has brought to bear on all public affairs.

"We cordially approve of the record of Michigan's senators and representatives in congress on matters pertaining to the advancement of our country's welfare and in the fulfillment of our party's pledges and we especially desire to note our appreciation of their zealous and able work in behalf of Michigan's important industries and to thank them for the services rendered.

"We congratulate both the president and congress upon the successful establishment of the new republic of Cuba, thus fulfilling to the letter the second pledge of the nation.

"We gladly express again our loyalty to the basic principles and national policy of the party as last affirmed in the platform adopted by the national Republican convention in Philadelphia in 1900.

"We continue our abiding faith in the protective tariff and are opposed to all efforts to destroy it or emasculate it or weaken its beneficent operation. We favor no plan that would interfere with the industries of the United States and would lessen the legitimate fruits of American labor.

"We denounce all unwarranted and disregardful attacks upon the defenders and upholders of our flag in the Philippines, and we pledge faithful support to the government in the efforts to establish good government and personal liberty in those islands.

"The honest and commercial administration of state affairs under Gov. Aaron T. Bliss and the zealous and business-like conduct of the several state departments meet with our cordial approval and endorsement.

"We favor such amendments to the tax laws of our state as will justly and efficiently relieve the owner of real estate from double taxation by reason of taxes on outstanding mortgage thereon.

"We favor a safe, equitable and effective primary election law by which the nomination of all candidates for office will be so directly controlled by the people as to secure absolute purity in politics, and we commend this subject to the legislature to create a commission to consider the question of the next legislature.

"We are glad to note the advancement of American industries in foreign markets, and realize that large combinations of capital may be necessary to successfully compete with aggregated capital in disinterested industrial fields as well as for the purpose of advancing operations of great cost in our own country, but we do desire to express our condemnation of all conspiracies and combinations to restrict business to create monopolies, to limit production or control prices, and we favor such legislation as will effectively restrain and prevent all such abuses.

"We cordially approve and commend the efforts of President Roosevelt to enforce the laws against illegal combinations in restraint of trade.

"In common with the citizens of all the states of our union and the members of all parties, we mourn the great loss which came to our country through the tragic death of President William McKinley. His public life was dominated by the highest patriotism and honesty and his private life was pure and gentle. The addition of his name to the list of departed heroes who gave up to our country and our party high and noble service, adds incentive for continued efforts in behalf of the principles and the policies he so wisely recommended.

"We mourn in common with all the people of the state the untimely death of the Hon. Hazen S. Pingree, whose public career will long live in the history of our state. We extend to his bereaved widow and family our sincere expression of sympathy and sorrow."

Seventh District Convention. The Seventh Congressional District convention completed its work Saturday, and on the 15th ballot Henry McMoran, of Port Huron, was chosen as the candidate to succeed Hon. Edgar Weeks, who threw his strength to McMoran on finding that his own nomination was practically hopeless.

In the convention there was none greater surprised than the nominee himself. In addressing the convention he said: "The nomination came to me like a stroke of lightning. If I had been told yesterday by any of my friends that I would be the candidate I would have told them they were crazy."

Judge Long's Successor. Gov. Bliss says that at present he will take no action regarding a successor to Justice Long, of the Supreme Court, preferring to leave the selection to a state convention, which lawyers generally agree must be called in order to legalize the nomination. A nomination by the state central committee would be of doubtful validity. However, the attorney general will give an opinion in the matter.

The Supreme Court will hear no more cases until the October term, and a new man could not participate in the determination of cases already heard and now pending.

Doz prisoners are doing a wholesale business in Union City, more than twenty-five canines having already been killed, including some very valuable ones.

The 15 men employed by the street railway company at Owosso are on strike. They are receiving 12 1/2 cents an hour and want 15 cents.

Marshall citizens will vote Tuesday, July 29, on a proposition to bond the city for \$20,000 to pave State street with brick.

The Rev. Othos Barrell, formerly of Saginaw, hanged himself at a tree near Columbus, O. He was 65 years of age and demented.

Fred Lang, employed at Booth & Boyd's mill, Saginaw, was caught between two box cars at noon Wednesday and badly crushed.

Alger, Smith & Co. have given an option on their used-up pine lands in Alcona county. It includes an old mill, which may be used in cutting hardwood.

Hugh Cannon, the composer of the popular songs, "Goo-Goo Eyes" and "Ain't It a Shame?" has been sent to the Jackson county jail as a common drunk.

A colored man who answers the description of the man who murdered Charles Parks in a box car at Bridgeman, last Tuesday night, was arrested here. The fellow claims he has been traveling with a circus.

Edward O'Donnell and John W. Turk, two old soldiers and inmates of the Soldiers' Home, quarreled over a woman, and O'Donnell stabbed Turk over the eye. Turk is not seriously hurt. O'Donnell escaped.

The infant daughter of John Dempster, of Port Huron, got hold of a match and succeeded in lighting it. The little one's clothing caught fire, and she was so terribly burned that it is believed she cannot live.

The registration in the summer school of the University is as follows: Literary and engineers, 268; law, 35; medical, 52; music, 17; total, 372. This is slightly in excess of a corresponding time last year.

William C. Simmons, of Grand Rapids, former Newway county postmaster, who has served four years in the Detroit house of correction for misappropriation of funds, has been discharged from paying a fine of \$2,381.31, on poor debtors' act.

Halfstones an inch in diameter fell in Benton Harbor, destroying fruits and vines and in some instances trees. The streets were flooded. The wind, rain and hail storm also did serious damage to fruits in Quincy, Coldwater, Mendon and Kalamazoo.

Michigan gave the Detroit & Mackinac railroad 1,327,947 acres, which were put up as security for bonds to construct the road. The annual report of Commissioner Cottrell shows that last year 3,140 acres were sold at an average of \$3.05 per acre.

The Supreme Court has granted a stay of sentence in the case of ex-representative Arthur L. Rich, of Newway, found guilty of assault and sentenced to two and one-half years' imprisonment. The case will be appealed, and Rich admitted to bail.

Local Hawkshaws of Kalamazoo, have captured a man who gave his name as Charles Ritchie, by first knocking him insensible with a stick of wood. He had a revolver, skeleton keys and a flash lantern on his person. They think he's a bank robber.

The railway companies of the state are beginning to pay their specific taxes to the state, which are due during the month of July. Saturday the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad paid \$91,885.21; the Wabash, \$48,865.22; Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie, \$24,518.

The local attorney of the Detroit United Railway in Flint has asked an injunction to prevent the Common Council from interfering with the road, threats having been made to tear up the tracks on South Saginaw street, where the Street Railway Company refuses to pave.

Pearl Peliskey, the 12-year-old granddaughter of old Chief Peliskey, was run down and killed in Petoskey by Fred Johnson, colored, Saturday night. He was coasting down a steep grade when the accident occurred. The child's skull was crushed. Johnson was placed under arrest.

The President has nominated the following Michigan postmasters: Winthrop A. Hayes, Rochester; Oliver H. P. Green, Orion; Kenneth E. Struble, Shepherd. The following Michigan postmasters have been confirmed by the Senate: W. E. Osmon, Montague; G. H. Pond, Ann Arbor.

The heirs of Andrew Jackson, an aged colored resident of Niles, are wondering where the old man hid his money. He died yesterday, and just before the end he was stricken dumb while trying to tell them where he had secreted several thousand dollars in gold. A systematic search is being made.

The semi-annual meeting of the Joint state prison boards will take place at Mackinac Island, July 26-28, which will comprise the board of control of Jackson and Marquette prisons and Michigan reformatory at Ionia. The state board of pardons, and board of charities and correction will also be in attendance.

Galesburg has lately been treated to a rigid enforcement of the "blue laws." A communication signed by every business and professional man or woman in the village, save one, and also those of all who conduct manufacturing or mechanical industries, 40 in all, has been sent to the prosecutor asking him to desist.

What was at one time the greatest preserve for wild ducks and geese to be found in the state—the old F. B. Brewer marsh near the center of Ottawa county—is to be converted into a big cattle ranch. Two Chicago men have purchased 3,000 acres of the marsh for something like \$75,000, and will raise stock and grain upon the land.

The following are the new trustees of Olivet college: Dr. Robert W. McLaughlin, Kalamazoo; Dr. Heman P. DeForest, Detroit; Howard Benent, Lansing; Rev. James A. Blaisdell, Olivet; Frank J. Cobbs, Cadillac. New members of the executive committee are: George W. Radford, Detroit; Dr. Robert W. McLaughlin, Kalamazoo, and Rev. Wm. Ewing, Lansing.

The Fischer-Cockertine feud has taken a new tack at Birmingham. Fischer came out to visit his farm in an auto and legal papers in a \$10,000 damage suit for eviction were promptly served upon him. Cockertine was fired from the farm and his goods were set on the road. Fischer has heretofore paid visits on holidays and Sundays, when papers couldn't be served.

Albert Bleyer, hotel keeper of Metamora, went to Toledo with his wife where he cashed some checks. The \$1,000 in currency and certificates was placed in a small grip, which was either lost or stolen.

The new mill which has just been erected at Grass Lake by E. W. Parker, formerly of Napoleon, is opened for custom work. It is a fine building, three stories high, with a basement, and is equipped with all the modern machinery for grinding flour, meal and feed. It has a capacity for 50 barrels of flour a day, and is prepared to pack for export trade equal to any mill in the state.

KING EDWARD IMPROVING



The following bulletin was issued from Buckingham palace at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon: "The king's condition still remains satisfactory."

King Edward saw several members of his family during the morning. The queen remained at the palace, but the Princess Victoria drove out. The duke of Connaught called at Buckingham palace Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Later he said: "The news concerning the king this morning is most encouraging. The king's pulse and temperature are normal, and his condition, on the whole, is most satisfactory."

The official bulletin on the condition of King Edward, issued at 10:15 o'clock this morning, is as follows: "His majesty has had a better night and has had some refreshing sleep. He has improved in all respects. His constitutional condition is quite favorable, and the state of his wound also is satisfactory." His majesty looks well and has a cheerful appearance, quite bearing out the good tenor of the medical bulletin.

King Edward's progress in convalescence occasions the greatest satisfaction in all official circles. His majesty already is displaying the greatest interest in all public questions, and is expressing his gratitude over the evidences of the world's solicitude by opening a number of telegrams with his own hands.

This action caused some restlessness during the night and aroused some trifling solicitude on the part of the attendant doctors.

All this really was unimportant, as his majesty soon quieted down, and on the whole rested satisfactorily.

Everybody in Buckingham palace is delighted and high hopes are entertained that his convalescence will be much more speedy even than was expected last night.

On the eve of the proudest day of his life, King Edward was forced to undergo an operation, which was performed by Dr. Treves, who is a specialist in this line. The operation was in the king's own room and was attended by the other physicians. After the operation his majesty was removed to his bedroom, where consciousness returned immediately.

His majesty is suffering from perityphilitis, an old name for a form of appendicitis.

The first intimation that his majesty was ill came from Ascot about a week ago, when it was announced that the king was indisposed as a result of the exposure he had undergone incident to the many social duties which had devolved upon him.

As a result of the operation the coronation ceremony has been indefinitely postponed.

King Edward has not been a well man for many months past. As far back as last summer his majesty's condition was such as to invite a prophecy that he would never be crowned, and it now looks as though this prophecy might prove true. While he has periods of fairly good health, there has always been the fear that he would have a serious turn.

At Buckingham palace your correspondent learned that the king has for months been fearful that he would never get through the coronation. This fear resulted in a state of nervous depression which gave to the cold he caught at Aldershot its chance to become serious. At first it was only bowel trouble, but later more serious developments set in.

It is also learned that the stories of the king's drive last week were fabrications by court officials with a view to allaying public anxiety. His majesty was abed all the time and his automobile drive to Windsor and his subsequent drive to Buckingham were but efforts with the same end in view.

His majesty's anxiety not to disappoint the public was pathetic in the extreme. Until the last he insisted he would rally enough to struggle through the ceremonies and urged the doctors to wait until after these ceremonies had been completed. Only when he was told that death was inevitable unless an operation was performed did he submit to the knife.

The reticence of the physicians regarding the king's pulse and temperature are not considered favorable. During Wednesday the bulletins stated that there was no particular change, but the king was maintaining the improvement in his condition. There is a strong unconfirmed report that a second operation will be necessary on the king to remove the tube which the physicians say was inserted to form the continuity of the bowel. The tube must be removed and the bowel sewed together. It is said the chance of success in such an operation is infinitesimal. The operating surgeon says the chances of death are one in three.

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Mr. Elkins (W. Va.) addressed the senate in support of his resolution providing for the annexation by the United States of the island of Cuba. He said his resolution had been misunderstood. It had no bearing on Cuban reciprocity and was not intended to have any. It simply voiced in concrete form his judgment that Cuba ought to be annexed to the United States, and the sooner the better for both countries. The resolution did not suggest annexation of Cuba in an offensive way. It provided that the Cubans must take the initiative and only after they had asked for annexation could the United States act. For nearly a century, he said, the annexation of Cuba to the United States had been the ambition of American statesmanship. He pointed out that many distinguished and patriotic American statesmen, from Jefferson to McKinley, had favored annexation, and he thought the present an opportune time to carry into effect the well-defined wishes of a majority of the people of Cuba and the United States. It is in the interest of both countries.

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# An Early Morning Hunt For Black-Tail Deer.

BY CLARENCE A. LYMAN.

Woke that night as we ever do in the hills, with the front of the tent wide open, so that from my pillow, the side of a saddle, I could watch the Great Dipper do its slow somersault around the North Star. When the camp-fire died the night before, and we went to bed, the Dipper was lying along the tops of the mountains, brimming full. It is easier to watch this great hand in the astronomical clock than to light unwilling matches from time to time in the night and examine a watch; and I knew that when the constellation had nearly reversed itself, it would be time to start moving.

A man in camp sleeps sweetly, yet lightly. A dozen times through the dark hours the distant sharp bark of a fox, the rustle of a leaf, the deep sigh of a satiated and sleepy horse on a picket rope, the cracking of a coal in the embers of the camp-fire, the call of a night bird, or the snap of a twig under the tread of some of the animals of our cavalcade, called me with a gentle thoroughness from slumber. Each time it seemed as though the position of the encircling attendants of the North Star had changed by only a slight angle; and each time I sank instantly again into the perfumed rest that comes from a bed of balsam boughs after a hard day's work.

The bush that comes over all nature just before the dawn was near being my undoing, after all. The Dipper seemed to have made a great sudden sweep and was dangerously far over when my eyes opened again. The canvas was throbbing with the pulse of the morning breeze, but the eastern was darker than the western sky, where hovered a faint glow. It took an effort of will to get out into the cold air, but necessity compelled haste and I scrambled as gently as I could over the dewy covert, hurriedly put on the few clothes I had taken off the night before—dressing and undressing are mutually short operations in a hastily made camp—found my damp and clammy shoes, raked together the coals in the ashes, fanned a flame, belted coffee and munched a hasty breakfast of bread and some cold trout. My partner, chum, helpmate never stirred. It is wonderful how a trustful woman will sleep in the wilderness, safe in the superstition that he who sleeps beside her is competent to meet danger which may arise.

I dropped half a dozen cartridges into my pocket, together with a couple of biscuits in case the chase should be unduly long, shouldered the heavy rifle and strode out through the high grass, which was so beaded with dew that walking was like wading an ice-cold stream. The horses were standing on widespread legs, heads near the ground, asleep, while the burros, weary with the long pull with the heavy packs of the day before, were huddled together, lying on the ground.

The morning star was at its brightest as I started across the valley, but by the time I had picked a splashing path across the current of the little river and got fairly started up the trail, it was palling. Little flecks of purple cloud began to appear above the sun's approaching glow, as though they had been newly created. The range to the west began to lift its purple ascents into view in a purple radiance. The eastern hills grew from shapeless masses of gloom into rounded eminences with dainty fringes of aspens and slender minarets of spruces against the faintly glowing sky. I wished I had started half an hour earlier, and quickened my pace a little.

In the growing twilight I could see a furry skunk in his sleek coat of jet black and snowy white, peeking the clumps of bunch-grass, tracking up the benumbed insects before the sun's heat might give them the vitality to escape. In the trail ahead of me a fox trotted. I was conscious of the faint presence of his scent, but did not place it until I saw the flash of his fur above the grass. He knew I was following, but knew too that he was safest down in that sinuous passage between high walls of grass and flowers, on whose smooth surface he could make a far safer, swifter flight than over the rough ground to either side.

A mile or so above camp I left the trail and crossed the stream again, getting my feet no wetter in wading, but feeling the icy chill pervade the water in my shoes which my feet had warmed in the comparative dryness of the beaten track. Close to the rippling surface a colder breath moved and the scrubby willows had a coating of white frost. I brushed a furry moth from a twig in passing, but it was too cold for more than one very feeble flutter. It fell wide-stretched on the water and as the current swept it into a quiet eddy it disappeared so quietly that one might suppose it had sunk of its own weight. I marked the spot where lay a trout, so big that its mouth could take in an insect of that size without a splash, as a good place to drop a feathered imitation when I carried my rod that way.

There was no mistake that it was very light. My eyes had been growing accustomed to the dimness, meeting the dawn half way, but the first glow of the rising sun was just striking the tops of the higher hills. The sky was a turquoise blue all across the dome. The clouds, which had been purple, had faded to lavender, flamed with a tint of orange, and were now melting away in yellow fleeces. It would soon

be time when all sensible deer would be deep in the thickets of the green timber, where it would be all but impossible to come upon one of them unawares. Already the burros, far down the valley where camp lay, were up and moving stidly down to get a drink at the river.

The southern hill before me was one I had marked the year before as a likely place for deer. It rose in smooth slopes and narrow benches a thousand feet or so, fringed on the top with the edge of the deep thick forest of spruces which ran back on the plateau beyond. The ascending surface had spruce and aspen groves lying on it in long streamers, divided by half a dozen open grassy glades, each with a tiny rill gurgling down the centre, coming from the banks of snow which still lay protected by the dense shade of the crown of spruces. The streams were fringed with the succulent marsh herbs which deer and elk most fancy as dessert after filling up on vines and tender boughs.

It does not pay to hasten or to get out of breath when hunting deer, so I climbed very, very slowly upward, keeping in the shelter of the bushy young aspen that fringed the bigger trees at the edge of one of the ascending glades. At each step, as I placed my foot to avoid any crackling twig, I looked all around and listened for any sound of game. The simulation of the color of the early coat of the deer to the dry bunches of grass is so close that in the imperfect light it was well to study closely each outline, else some proud stag might bear his coveted burden of venison out of range at a bound, before my eyes had seen the slender legs and gracefully borne head.

There were plenty of tracks in the mellow earth, some almost obliterated by two or three successive dews, and some apparently as fresh as though the cushioned hoof had just been lifted from them. In spite of all my caution, a crack of twigs and stamp of hoofs off to the right indicated that an alarm had reached eyes or ears or nostrils of some deer, but I sat still and listened to the beating of my heart until apparently it decided that its suspicions did not justify precipitate flight, for thought it went on, it was in a noiseless walk. From tree to tree I edged in that direction. I found the fresh tracks, evidently a buck of good size, and I followed carefully on a slant up the hill. I saw something moving ahead of me, and was ready to shoot, but it came fearlessly down toward me, evidently not seeing its danger. A doe with her two fawns was working down to a safe shelter in the willow tangle along the river. I did not want to turn them back in the direction in which the buck had gone, so I crouched behind a bush to let them pass. Only a pot-hunter fails to respect femininity and infancy in hunting deer. The mother was pushing along with all the ungracefulness of her kind, neck out, ears back. One fawn wanted to stop for refreshments and was pushing in front of her like a calf at milking time. The other spotted pet was intent on play, bounding about in extravagant semicircles. His erratic course brought him directly upon me, and he stopped suddenly with legs braced at wide angles, so close that I felt the breath of his startled snort. His ears were opened wide, and his dewy nostrils quivered as he drew in a scent of whose danger he had yet to learn. His great soft eyes looked full into mine for a moment, and I could almost have reached out and touched him. Then he remembered his mother, who had passed on out of sight, gave a mew-like expostulating bleat, bounded a couple of yards to one side, and gambled on in pursuit.

The shadow of my hill had by this time crawled down to the opposite slope in the valley, and the sun was shining full through the tops of the trees. A raven cawed and flapped lazily across the valley, high overhead on a tour of investigation. His keen eye had marked the murderous weapon I carried, and he circled above the mountain and lighted in a tall dead spruce to await the outcome of the hunt. The buck on whose track I was following was evidently intent on reaching shelter. He had been in no haste, cropping the herbage as he went along, but the determination with which the tracks forced themselves up the hill meant that he had a mind for the safe protection of the growing green timber forest. I must make haste to head him off, and as it would be fatal to hurry directly behind him, I crossed over into the next glade and then pushed steadily up the mountain toward the summit. Just at the very brow was a continuous grassy bluff over which any animal seeking the upper shelter must pass; and on this I threw myself down. I had no breath and could not have aimed my rifle to save my life, so I devoted my few strength and attention for a few moments to regaining some steadiness of respiration. In the valley way below three tiny spots of buff, the deer family I had intercepted, were crossing through the grass to a wide bed of willows that marked the filled-in site of an old beaver dam. Down at camp everything was still, and the absence of smoke told that the sleeper was still dormant. The raven cawed impatiently.

I became suddenly conscious that there was a deer in the trees off to the right and a little below me. How long he had been there I do not know, but I am certain that my eye had rested

on the spot and its surroundings a moment before and saw nothing. I slipped down off the grass and into the trees and worked very cautiously in that direction. A shot downhill is so deceptive that hitting is pure luck, and I sought a place on the same level.

A stately buck he was, stopping for a final lunch on the tender shoots of a clump of vetch vines on the edge of the stream. His black nostrils were wet and shone with the high polish of new patent leather. His form was well rounded, his coat was smooth and glossy, and his spreading antlers full grown. In the motions of his eating, every muscle moved and quivered. The sight was so superb that it almost precluded murder, and I sat with rifle half raised and watched for fully a minute. His nostrils caught a breath of hostile odor, and he flung his head high, poised for flight, but not quite sure which way the danger lay. He remembered the alarm downhill and turned to look that way. The white head of the front sight rested against his curving neck, just back of the head, and the white bead rested in turn on the lower rim of the circle of the hind peep-sight. The sight was perfect and the finger croaked against the trigger almost without conscious volition.

A 45-70 bullet in the cervical vertebrae snuffs out all power of motion as though it were the flame of a candle. There was never a struggle, just a sudden collapse, and the beautiful animal lay in limp confusion sprinkling blood upon the verdure where he had just been feeding. The hunter's work was done and what remained was mere butchery. The rough surgery of the hunting knife must let out the blood in a foaming torrent before the heart ceases beating, and with the same flow release the remnant of life which still showed dimly in staring eyes. Then must follow the sneaky task of dressing the carcass, which had been a deer and was now venison. The raven flew from his perch and brushed through the trees above. It seemed as though the sound of the shot had summoned all the smaller predatory birds, the magpies and gray-jays, and I could hear their harsh cries approaching through the trees, as they fluttered closer and closer in short flights. Before my gory task was done they were busy, without fear for me, picking the dainty flecks of meat from the entrails, while two or three other ravens had joined the pioneer and were scolding from the tops of the trees because I was so slow in completing my work and leaving them a clear field. I hung the venison in a tree, protecting the exposed meat with boughs, and washed hands and arms in the waters of the rill. Then I struck out for camp. Under the tall grass red-leaved plants hugged the ground. Drops of dew had fallen on some of them, making the homeward path seem through a trail of fresh blood. The sun shone down on the valley hot and ungentle. It seemed as though the warring grasshoppers unduly extended their flights to escape my presence. A startled grouse, breakfasting in a bear-berry bush, instead of rising to the nearest tree, whirred away clear across to the foot of the mountain, where it flapped deep into a tree as though murder was behind it. As I came up into camp the horses scented the blood and snorted as if I were some strange wild animal and moved uneasily on their jacked-topes.

She had just awakened and was looking with sleepy eyes out into the sunny world.

"Fresh meat," I cried.

"Oh, did you get a deer? I don't know you were gone until just before I heard you shoot." Her eager interest flamed up in question about the events of the chase, and then, in a reverie—"One of those pretty, pretty things! How could you do it?"—Outing.

**Trades For the Blind.**

At a recent conference on matters relating to the blind, held at London, a member announced that he had sent out papers to 100 institutions at home and abroad asking what trades and occupations they recommended for the blind. The following was the list he obtained, in order of merit: Basket, brush and broom making, piano tuning, mat weaving, chair caning, music (in all branches), mattress making, knitting, typewriting, legal and clerical work. As new employments he suggested telephone exchange work. In type setting, reporting, gardening (for the partially blind), massage, lecturing, commercial agencies, organ blowing, bell ringing. In the discussion which followed much time was given to the question of massage, several doctors speaking in favor of it. In regard to typewriting, it was mentioned that such an office had been started in Birmingham. Four blind girls are now employed.

**Avalanche Breakers.**

In Switzerland the people have entered upon effective plans to defeat the avalanche in its devastating work. No more need the traveler be told, "Be aware the awful avalanche." For these rolling, sliding bodies of snow, that accumulate into masses of destruction, are now broken up before they gain a dangerous amount of material or velocity sufficient to make them dangerous.

Along the mountain sides, where avalanches form, earthworks in the form of a V are constructed, with their points upward, and when the moving masses of snow come in contact with them they are broken apart and so deflected as to be rendered harmless.

**Russian Railway Stations.**

Most of the railway stations in Russia are about two miles from the towns which they respectively serve. This is a precaution against fire, as many of the Russian dwellings are thatched with straw.

## Persons, Places and Things

SIGNS USED ON RAILROADS.

Their Signals are Understood Every-where on the Continent.

It is not deaf mutes alone who employ the sign language. Railroaders have a tongue of this sort that, since railroading began, has been growing until now anything that needs to be said in it can be expressed as perfectly as in words, says the Philadelphia Record. The signals of railroaders are made with the hands and arms in the daytime, and with a lantern in the dark, the lantern signals, by the way, being comprehensible at a far greater distance than the daytime ones. The latter are made with one arm or with both, at the brakeman's option. To go ahead, to stop and to back are the leading ones. The arms moved horizontally and vertically make the two first signals; the back turned and the arms pushed out makes the last one. The main lantern signals are an up-and-down, a crosswise and a circular movement. There are, of course, a hundred other minor signals, and these vary slightly in different parts of the country. But the main ones are as common and as intelligible everywhere among American railroaders as the English language itself.

MAKES GIFT TO UNIVERSITY.

John Dwight Donates \$60,000 to Mount Holyoke College. June 18 was a most notable day in the history of Mount Holyoke College. The day was celebrated by the dedication of the new Dwight Memorial Art building and the presentation by Miss Helen Miller Gould of \$40,000



to endow a chair in Bible literature. At commencement, 1900, the announcement was made that John Dwight of New York had given \$60,000 for the purpose of erecting an art building as a memorial to Mrs. Nancy S. Dwight, his mother, and Mrs. Clara Leigh Dwight, his wife.

**The Manufacture of Ice.**

Thirty years ago the census found only four plants in the whole country for the manufacture of ice and they were all located in the southern states. In 1900 the number had increased to 787 (not counting concerns which manufacture ice for their own use exclusively, and only about one-half of them are located in the south. Since 1890 the amount of capital invested in this industry has increased from \$9,846,468 to \$38,204,054, or by 288 per cent, while the value of the product has increased from \$4,900,983 to \$18,874,513, or by 183 per cent.

FAVORITE OF THE KING.

Gen. Sir Dighton Probyn Carries His Majesty's Pocketbook.

Gen. Sir Dighton Probyn's title is "Keeper of the Privy Purse"—a title that can be taken pretty literally, for he really does carry King Edward's pocketbook and acts as his personal business manager. Sir Dighton will be 70 in another year, and has been a member of the King's household ever since his majesty took a liking to this veteran of the Indian Mutiny, some twenty-five years



ago. At present Sir Dighton comes nearer to being assistant king than the prince of Wales.

**Too Much Even for Him.**

Senator Daniel of Virginia tells of a man down in his state who never could be induced to acknowledge that any brand of whisky was bad, though he was willing to admit the truth of the ancient saying that some makes were better than others. Some jokers induced him to try some of a most villainous compound which they had labeled as a popular brand. The man took a generous drink, made a wry face and said: "Well, all whisky is good, but that's a little the poorest good whisky I ever tasted."

## Dewey Knew Aguinaldo.

Admiral Dewey, in his testimony before the Philippine commission, told his opinion of Aguinaldo very concisely.

"Since you have asked my opinion," said Dewey, in answer to a question, "I will say I believe Aguinaldo was there for gain, for loot, for money and that independence never entered his head."

Senator Carmack asked him why he furnished such a man arms and helped to organize his army, to which the admiral replied that "all was fair in war" and that there were no American troops in the islands to oppose the Spaniards. When he assisted Aguinaldo he did not call him a robber and plunderer, but the "insurgent leader."

"I say I think he was there for loot and money," he continued. "Do you think he was there for anything else?" he asked, turning to Senator Carmack. "I do," responded the senator. "Well, I swear I don't," said the admiral emphatically.

Answering several questions the admiral said he thought he knew Aguinaldo better than Gen. Otis, Gen. Bell or any other officer, as he saw more of him. He had not been "in Manila 48 hours before I saw he was there for loot, for he was then taking everything he could lay his hands on from everybody and I expect he got the lion's share."

The inquiry ended rather abruptly at 10 o'clock. Senator Carmack asked: "You don't know of a single dishonest act on the part of Aguinaldo, yet you regard him as a thief?"

Admiral Dewey said: "I think I shan't answer that question," and taking his hat and bowing left the room.

**Rathbone Again.**

In the Senate Saturday Mr. Teller (Col.) presented a petition from Estes G. Rathbone praying for a full investigation into his performance of duties as director of posts of Cuba during United States occupation. He maintained that he was unjustly tried and unfairly convicted, and that he is entitled to a full, fair and impartial investigation by Congress.

Mr. Teller said the petition was unusual and the conditions were unusual, and at his request the petition was read in full.

**BASE BALL.**

Below we publish the standing of the American and National league clubs up to and including the games played on Monday, June 30, 1902.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Chicago	28	19	.595
Boston	25	25	.500
St. Louis	27	25	.519
Philadelphia	27	25	.519
Washington	27	31	.466
Detroit	25	29	.463
Baltimore	25	31	.448
Cleveland	24	34	.414

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Pittsburg	41	13	.757
Chicago	31	24	.564
Brooklyn	28	27	.509
Boston	28	27	.509
Philadelphia	28	31	.475
Cincinnati	22	32	.407
St. Louis	21	35	.375
New York	20	36	.357

**AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT.**

WONDERLAND—Afternoons at 2 and 4, 10c, 15c and 20c. Eve. at 7:30 and 9:15, 10c, 20c and 25c.

**THE MARKETS.**

Detroit, Cattle: Milch Cows—Dull at last week's prices. Veal Calves—Strong, \$1.50; Choice steers, \$6.00; good to choice butchers' steers, 1.00 to 1.10; average, \$5.00; light to good butchers' steers and heifers, \$4.50; mixed butchers' and fat cows, \$3.00; common butchers' steers, \$2.00; good shippers' bulls, \$1.50; light feeders and stockers, \$1.25.

Sheep—Best spring lambs, \$6.25; common spring lambs, \$4.50; light to good mixed lots, \$3.25; yearlings, \$5.00; fair to good butchers' sheep, \$3.50; culls and common, \$2.50.

Pigs—Market strong, 15 to 25 cents higher than last week. Light to good butchers, \$7.25; bulk at \$7.25; pigs and light Yorkers, \$2.50; stags, one-third off; roughs, \$6.00.

Buttle, Cattle—100-pound grass steers, \$5.00; culls, \$3.50; fair to good butchers' steers, \$6.00; culls to light, \$5.00.

Sheep—Shipping lambs, \$6.25; fair to good, \$5.25; culls to common, \$4.00; 5-25 yearlings, \$5.00; fair to good, \$4.50; culls to common, \$3.50.

Cattle—Heavy, \$7.50; mixed, \$7.00; 7-900 lbs., \$7.00; roughs, \$7.00; stags, \$5.50.

Grain.

Detroit, Wheat—No. 1 white, 80c; No. 2 red, 5.00 bu at 81c; July, 5.00 bu at 79c; 5.00 bu at 78c; 10.00 bu at 79c; closing nominal at 79c; September, 5.00 bu at 78c; 5.00 bu at 78c; 10.00 bu at 78c; closing nominal at 78c; No. 3 red, 78c; mixed winter, 80c per bu.

Corn—No. 3 mixed, 68c; No. 3 yellow, 68c per bu, nominal.

Oats—No. 2 white, 54c; No. 3 do 3 cars at 51c; do August, 38c; do September, 34c per bu.

Chicago, Wheat—No. 2 spring, 74c; No. 3, 73c; 73c; No. 2 red, 74c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 67c; No. 2 white, 67c; No. 3 white, 67c.

Butter—Creameries, extra, 21c; 21c; 21c; fancy selected dairy, 18c; 18c; good to choice, 16c; bakers grades, 14c.

Cheese—Choice state, 10c; full cream, 9c; fancy selected dairy, 11c; 11c; good to choice, 10c; bakers grades, 14c.

Apples—Choice new, \$1.00; 75c per bu; \$1.00 per bu.

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PERSONAL.

Fred G. Fuller spent Saturday in Detroit.

D. C. McLaren was a Plymouth visitor Friday.

Miss Nora Mullen of Hastings is visiting Chelsea relatives.

Henry Speer of Dexter called on Chelsea friends Wednesday.

Verne Riemenschneider has returned from his trip to California.

Miss Kate Winters of Detroit spent Sunday with relatives here.

Wm. H. Freer played with Boos' band at Baw Beese park Sunday.

Judge Newkirk of Ann Arbor called on Chelsea friends Tuesday.

Misses Tillie Gierbach and Minnie Vogel were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Miss Ella Noon of Michigan Centre spent Sunday with Miss Myrta Weber.

Dr. C. W. Miller left Monday for Augusta where he will practice dentistry.

Miss Anna Doane of Dexter was the guest of Miss Lottie Steinhach Saturday.

Herbert Foster of Mt. Pleasant called on relatives and friends here last week.

Mrs. J. W. Schenk and daughter, Elma, are the guests of Pinckney relatives.

Mrs. L. K. Taylor and children of Detroit are visiting Mrs. J. C. Taylor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eisele are visiting Mrs. Eisele's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wade.

Mrs. V. G. Stover of Chicago is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Irwin.

Julius Kline is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Kline.

The Misses Bess Wade and Rose Conway spent Sunday with Stockbridge friends.

Geo. Taylor of St. Louis spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilkenson.

Rev. W. P. Conditine left Sunday for his trip to Rome. He will spend some time abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Walker and daughter, Jennie, were the guests of Ypsilanti friends Sunday.

John Wade and daughter of Battle Creek are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Wade of Lima.

Mrs. W. L. Calkins and son of Oakland, Cal., are the guests of her brother, Geo. T. English.

Mrs. R. D. Walker and daughter, Jennie, are spending this week with Dexter and Selo friends.

Dr. Wm. Stapish of Anderson, Ind., was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Clara Stapish, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coy and son, Athol, of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Yocum of Manchester were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Conk Wednesday.

Miss Helene Steinbach spent several days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. Steinbach in Dexter.

Mrs. V. G. Stover and Hazel Nelson spent Tuesday at Detroit, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Irwin.

Miss Zoe BeGole left today for Colorado Springs, Col., where she will spend some time with relatives.

Miss Tillie Hummel left Saturday morning to attend summer school at Ferris Institute, Big Rapids.

Miss Linna Runciman of Jackson is spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Runciman.

Mrs. M. G. Hill and son C. LeRoy left Tuesday for Seattle, Wash., where they expect to spend the next three months.

Mesdames Thos. Wortley and K. O. Steinbach were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steinbach of Dexter Tuesday.

Mrs. Jasper Graham and daughter Vera, left Thursday evening for Minneapolis where they will spend some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoover spent part of last week with their daughter, Mrs. E. W. Crawford, of Mt. Pleasant and Sunday in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Welch and daughter, Vesta, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman at their summer cottage at Cavanaugh Lake.

Erl Foster left Saturday for Adrian where he will fill a position in the mail service on the postal route between Adrian and Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. English and daughter of Niagara, N. D., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. English the first of the week.

Miss Mary Howe of Chicago, and niece, Helen Wade of Battle Creek spent one

day last week at the home of John H. Wade of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rheinrath and little niece, Ella Ruth Hunter, attended the Gauss-Brighton wedding at Manchester last Thursday.

Frank Howlett of Pontiac has been spending the last part of last week with his aunt, Mrs. Grace Congdon, and other relatives in Sharon and Lima.

Rudolph Kuntlehner, who has been clerking at Fenn & Vogel's drug store for the past year and a half, is now working in his father's jewelry store.

Miss Edith Foster of East Grand Forks, Minn., and her little niece, Carmella Mc Nananey, of Cass Lake, Minn., are spending some time with relatives here.

Mrs. Agnes Raftery and children of Toledo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wade of Lima. The children will spend their vacation there.

Frank G. Nelson and daughter, Hazel, of Lansing were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Irwin Sunday. Frank returned to Lansing Sunday evening, but Hazel will remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Watson are entertaining at their summer cottage at Cavanaugh Lake this week, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hoover and son, Claire.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Klein, on Friday last, entertained Mrs. Robert Mahrie and children, Mrs. John Hoag, and Mrs. Fred Widmayer of Manchester. Two of Mrs. Mahrie's children will remain here for the next two weeks.

It is the way of the world that the protection which vaccination has insured to millions of people should cause less comment than the single death from inoculation which recently occurred at Kenosha, Wis.

It is never entirely safe to criticize a man for talking too much. Almost everybody talks too much at some time or another.

Last year 438,886 immigrants landed at New York. The number this year bids fair to be over 500,000.

SHARON.

Communion services were celebrated at the North Sharon school house Sunday.

Edgar Holden of Plymouth is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holden.

WATERLOO.

Mrs. D. Rowe and children of Charlotte are visiting relatives here.

Herman and Nora Hurst spent Wednesday with their grand parents here.

Alex Plewes of Zeeland spent several days with J. Eummel the first of the week.

Mrs. Lydia Shierer of Ann Arbor and Mrs. Carrie Pruden of Chelsea spent Tuesday with Mrs. L. L. Gordon.

UNADILLA.

Melvin Hartzuff and family visited his parents Sunday.

Wirt Ives spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hartzuff visited at Fred Marshall's Thursday.

Pearl Hadley spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Emmet Gallop.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Palmer visited their daughter, Mrs. Holmes Sunday.

Frank Marshall and family visited his mother, Mrs. Ellen Marshall, Sunday.

Mrs. May Thorndyke, who has been spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Johnson, returned to her home in South Lyons Thursday.

The Misses Jessie Abbott and Lenah Sawyer, Clyde Abbott, Ralph Ferguson, James and John Wilcox of Dansville spent part of last week visiting William Smith and fishing on Joslin's lake.

FRANCISCO.

James Cavanaugh of Sharon spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Mrs. Wm. Notten who has been quite ill is slowly recovering.

Miss Martha Mushbach spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

Miss Lydia Kilmer is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Clark, at Grass Lake.

Miss Emma Forner of Sylvan is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Mansford Hoppe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riemenschneider and family of Chelsea spent Sunday with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nickall of Allegan returned to their home after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. R. Kruse and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mushbach and family, and Miss Luella Croman of Munith spent Wednesday with relatives here.

The Epworth League of the Ger-

man M. E. church will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. Adam Kalmbach, July 4.

SYLVAN.

Mrs. John Knoll is spending this week at Detroit.

Mrs. Homer Boyd was a Jackson caller last Thursday.

Miss Alice Helm has been entertaining the mumps the past week.

Edward Flak and Herman Hayes are owners of new carriages.

Mesdames Jacob and Wm. Dancer were Jackson visitors Sunday.

C. T. Conklin of Chelsea called on Mrs. H. C. Boyd last Saturday.

Mrs. R. J. West is spending this week with relatives at Willlanston.

C. Phelps of Jackson spent Saturday with his brother, Henry, of this place.

James Riggs of Detroit has been the guest of Mr. and Mr. William Eisenbeiser.

Mrs. Hannah Cooney of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phelps.

Miss Mildred Boyer of Bunker Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heselshwerdt.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heselshwerdt and Miss Amanda Merker were Norville visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Page of Chelsea spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wasser, and family.

Mrs. Wm. Luke of Michigan Centre spent part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Jas. Young.

Mrs. Nancy Conklin of Hersey has been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Burleigh Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. West of Willlanston spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. West.

Rev. Carl G. Zedler of Detroit and Miss Mamie Fletcher of Sharon spent last Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Mandus Merker and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schatz and children of Chelsea visited at Mr. and Mrs. Merker's Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Bush, who has been spending several weeks at Fort Wayne, Ind., has returned to Vandercook's lake south of Jackson where she is camping with her daughter, Mrs. John Aiken.

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We do not pretend to advise any contemporary how to conduct his paper, but we can suggest to the Detroit Today, that it does not add to its influence to continually refer to the Governor and spell the name "bliss" not using a capital letter for the name. If Today does not admire Mr. Bliss, it need not belittle its own standing by descending to such a school boy folly, as to have the small "b" do duty. It's pretty small—and is no argument.—Adrian Press.

NOTICE OF SALE. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. In the matter of the estate of Robert McColegan, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned executor of the estate of said deceased by the Honorable Judge of Probate, for the county of Washtenaw on the 17th day of June A. D. 1902 there will be sold at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder at the west front door of the dwelling house on the premises hereinafter described in the village of Chelsea on Tuesday the 19th day of August A. D. 1902 at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, subject to all encumbrances, by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased or at the time of such sale. The following described real estate to wit: Situated in the village of Chelsea, county of Washtenaw, state of Michigan, known and described as follows viz: Lots number one (1) and two (2) in block number fourteen (14) Elisha Congdon's second addition to the village of Chelsea aforesaid according to the recorded plat thereof, excepting the south east (SE) 1/4 of the lot in width off from the south end of said lots one and two, all occupied as one parcel and used as residence property with two-story frame dwelling house and additions covering the center portion of both said lots with frame barn thereon and other outbuildings, well, etc. Dated Chelsea, Michigan, July 3, 1902. ISABELLA C. McCOLEGAN, Executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased.

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Home grown potatoes are now being offered on the market.

Mrs. Emma Stinson has her residence in the hands of the painters.

The Knights of Pythias of August will have a field day Tuesday, August 5th.

The elevator at the M. C. station has been closed for the annual overhauling.

There will be a lawn social at the home of Thomas Young, Wednesday, July 9th.

The North Lake ball team will play the Pinckney team tomorrow at North Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaillancourt have moved into the new house of Mrs. Lucy Stephens on Dewey avenue.

By an order of the postoffice department there will no rural deliveries made tomorrow, July 4th.

F. D. Harrison and H. Moran of Brown City have bought the foundry of Norton and Clark on North Main street.

Several of the small boys of this village played ball with a team at Grass Lake Saturday. Score 11 to 5 in favor of Grass Lake.

Mrs. Carrie Seper and her class gave a very interesting rehearsal last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maroney.

At the close of business Monday the Chelsea Savings bank declared a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent and added \$2,000 to the surplus fund.

Geo. T. English has just received a very bred Poland china bear that was the prize winner at Hillsdale last year. The animal weighs 500 pounds.

The Maccabees of this place will give one of their popular suppers at their hall on Friday evening, July 11th. Every one come and help along a good cause.

L. Tichenor, who has his boats at Michigan Center, was here Saturday and he says the resort at that place is booming notwithstanding the cold weather.

Chelsea will not celebrate the Fourth tomorrow, but most of our citizens will help to commemorate the day by visiting the lakes and out of town friends.

Miss Ella Ryan, formerly of this place, was granted a diploma and gold medal at the graduating exercises of St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, last Wednesday.

A number of Chelsea ball players hied themselves to Stockbridge Saturday and met in battle array a team from that village. Score 25 to 5 in favor of Stockbridge.

Village taxes are now due and Treasurer, Roedel, will gladly exchange a receipt for the coin of the realm with any good citizen of the village who will call on him.

Manchester has a new newspaper called the Manchester Herald. It is a twice-a-week, six column quarto, published by R. E. Ros. Here's to your success, brother Roe.

The voters of Sylvan made no mistake last spring when they decided not to pay \$500 for a voting machine. The price of the same machine has just been reduced to \$350.

The Juniors Stars went to Plymouth Friday and crossed bats with the Plymouth team. The latter proved to be the best players and defeated the Stars by a score of 10 to 4.

The Jackson Retail Grocers' Association has made arrangements with the Michigan Central railroad to hold their eleventh annual excursion and picnic at Detroit August 13th.

On the 1st day of July the stockholders of the Kempf Commercial & Savings Bank received checks for a semi-annual dividend of 4 percent. The bank also added \$500 to its surplus.

The Juniors Stars and Ypsilanti Freshmen will play two games of ball at this place July 5th. The first game will be in the forenoon at 10 o'clock and the game in the afternoon will be at 8 o'clock.

On Saturday of this week the English family will hold a reunion at the home of their mother in Detroit. Geo. T. English of this place being one of the members of the family he and Mrs. English will be present.

The farmers of this vicinity are hoping and praying for the rains to let up so that they can cut their hay and plant the bean ground that they have prepared. Many pieces of clover are reported to be in bad condition.

The brick work on the new brass foundry for the Glasier Stove Co. has been completed and when everything about the new building is in place Chelsea will have a brass foundry second to none in the state.

The supreme court has handed down its decision in the case of Fred J. Schumacher, the horse thief, denying him a new trial. He was convicted in this county last October and sentenced to ten years in the state prison at Jackson.

The Ladies' Home Missionary society of the M. E. church have adjourned their meeting until the fourth Wednesday of September.

O. P. Woodworth of Grand Rapids, will visit Chelsea Camp, No. 7338, M. W. of A. in the interest of the Majority Rule Committee. It will be to the interest of every Woodman to hear him. Do not forget the date, Monday evening, July 7.

Mrs. Robert Foster died at her home in Sylvan at 10:30 o'clock yesterday forenoon after a long illness. She was 70 years of age. The services will be held from her late home at 9 o'clock and from the M. E. church of this place at 10:30 Saturday morning.

Tomorrow, D. R. Hoppe will assume his duties as justice of the peace. Now the genial Judge says that he will perform all marriage ceremonies that come his way free of charge during the month of July. Here is a golden chance for all who contemplate assuming the marriage vows this month.

The chairman of the democratic county committee has issued a call for the democratic county convention, to be held in the court house, Ann Arbor, on the 24th day of July, to nominate 22 delegates to attend the state convention at Detroit, July 30th. Sylvan is entitled to 13, Lima 5 and Lyndon 4 delegates each.

Next Sunday morning and evening Rev. S. G. Taylor of Gernon, and Hon. H. L. Chipman of Bad Axe will conduct the services at the Methodist church. Both of the gentlemen are converted infidels of long standing and will tell the story of their conversion. The evening services will be union of all the churches.

Norbert, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Eiseman of this place left last Thursday for Stockbridge, where he will remain for some time with his grandmother, Mrs. Berry. Next Sunday it is expected that he will undergo a surgical operation and that one of his legs that has troubled him most of his life will be amputated.

The village of Dexter has a new brass band with twenty members and Ben. Becker is the leader. If any of the residents of the surrounding territory of Dexter sees any of the village residents taking to the woods they will readily understand that the new band is getting in its work and have compassion on them.

The Congregational Society of this place has made Rev. C. S. Jones a very tempting offer to remain as their pastor, which he has accepted. Mr. Jones will by the present arrangement be enabled to fill the pulpit here on Sundays and the remainder of the time he will devote to his studies at Oberlin college, Oberlin, Ohio.

It is said to have been the wettest June in the history of the weather station in Lansing, over seven inches of rain having fallen during the month equaling that of June, 1893. Crops, with the exception of corn, are in good condition, however, and if good weather follows for the ripening of wheat and securing of hay there will be a large crop.

On account of the reconstruction of the base ball field on Wilkinson street, the ball games on Saturday will be played in the field adjoining the property of W. G. Kempf on Middle street, west and north of the electric road. The new field when completed will have a splendid diamond and the boys expect to build a high fence and place in the enclosure a sufficient number of benches to accommodate all who attend the games.

The Maccabees of this place at their last meeting voted to join the county association of Maccabees and expect to attend Maccabee Day at Saline in body, and if possible they will capture the next meeting of the association for Chelsea. Why not? Chelsea knows how to entertain bodies of this kind to perfection, and if it should be decided to hold the meeting here next year all may rest assured that they will meet a royal good time.

Harry Adonis, the young man of Dowagiac who pushed a wheelbarrow through Chelsea last winter on a bet that he could wheel across the continent, earn \$500 en route and find a woman who would propose marriage, was married recently at Topeka, Kan. Miss Jewel Smith of Argentine, Kan., is the young woman who linked her fortunes with those of the man with the barrow, and hand in hand on foot, with the wheelbarrow in front of them, Harry and Jewel will continue the journey to the Golden Gate.

Wirt McLaren met with a very painful accident yesterday afternoon at the new baseball grounds on Wilkinson street. The boys were at work removing the sod from the diamond, and loading it on the wagon, some of them using pitchforks. Wirt was so unfortunate as to have none, and as he heaved up an armful with all his might, he came in contact with the fork of the boy next to him. The line of the fork passed through his wrist striking the last bone, missing the large artery by a hair's breadth. The captain of the Juniors Stars will be out of the game for some time.

Notice of Annual School Meeting. The annual meeting of school district No. 3, fractional of the townships of Sylvan and Lima, for the election of two Trustees and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at the town hall, Chelsea, Mich., on Monday the 14th day of July, 1902, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Dated this 3d day of July, 1902.

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## CHAPTER XI. Hot Shot.

One look told Charlie that his friend had good news. Artemus was fairly bubbling over with the intelligence he had picked up.

Such a smile upon the face of Barnaby looked bad for Capt. Brand and his great game; the foundations of his Spanish castle were getting shaky, and possibly the whole tremendous structure must come crashing down, engulfing him in the ruins.

"What's the word?" asked Artemus. "All goes on serenely, so far as I know."

Artemus shut one eye. "There's some high old fun in prospect."

"Well, yes, I suppose so; St. Patrick's day is always booming with good cheer in New York."

"Ah! I mean for us; for our friend the captain."

"That strikes closer home. Now, I knew you were the bearer of good news when I saw you enter."

"I always said I was born under a lucky star, and this settles it beyond peradventure."

"Well, tell me your adventures, and how good fortune attended you. All of which shall be to the glory of our cause, the vindication of truth and right, and the utter demoralization of Capt. Brand."

"Come over here, where comfort and velvet chairs await us, and prepare yourself for a surprise that will, I guess, surpass anything you ever heard."

So they settled down. Charlie endeavored to retain his composure and possess his soul in patience.

He knew Artemus of old and that a ceremony had to be gone through with ere he would disgorge the secrets he possessed, such as would not disgrace the cross-questioning in one of the higher courts.

"Well, now, you know what hopes I had with regard to the fellows on the Rialto; how I built up air-castles concerning the finding of one or more among them who knew Macauley by heart, and would, for a proper consideration, take pleasure in denouncing him to his face."

"I only ran across one man who had played upon the boards with the great Macauley; he declared he would know him under any disguise; that his mannerisms must always betray his individuality even though he represented an Arab or a heathen Chinee."

"Ah; that's the man we want," said Charlie.

"And that's the man we won't get. You see, he had one experience with Macauley, and to this day he declares the mention of the man always sends a chill up and down his spinal column. In a word, he fears him worse than the devil fears holy water, and neither bribes nor pleading could induce him to say he would open his batteries on Brand. The most I could get him to promise was to see the other from a safe hiding-place, and then secretly give us his opinion, with the iron-bound proviso that his name would never appear in the matter."

Charlie elevated his eyebrows. "I should say that man was a little bashful."

"He admitted the soft impeachment, and confessed to a ghastly fear. No Macauley for him, thank you. A burnt child dreads the fire, you know."

"It might be some satisfaction to us if he added the weight of his secret testimony to our own strong convictions in the matter; that is, it would perhaps influence Lady Arline."

"No doubt, no doubt."

"Will it pay to summon him, then?" This direct method of questioning was the best way of assisting Artemus along.

It compelled an answer, and thus necessitated the unmasking of his strong batteries.

"I hardly think so."

"You know best, but I should like to hear your reasons for refusing what small favors the gods throw in our way."

"And you shall, Charlie, my boy. In the first place, it would hardly pay us to depend at all upon such secret testimony. If we could inject some alcoholic fluid into this low comedian, to give him backbone, so that he would face Brand and finish the game in a blaze of glory, it would do very well; but I fear the only thing that would give the poor devil artificial courage, would at the same time steal away his senses, so that our cause would hardly make much progress. Don't you agree with me?"

Charlie nodded in the affirmative. "That is one reason, you see. It wouldn't pay to bother with such a witness; time and labor and good point I wish to make. His evidence isn't needed."

"Ah!"

"Since I have found another way of ensuring the wonderful Capt. Brand in a net which must render him utterly helpless. When the Rialto prospects grow dim, I had in my mind another alternative, by which I meant to make one last, desperate move, you know. It was suggested by something you said a long time back, in case business took us to London."

"First of all, I began to make diligent inquiries among the various shipping houses down in the region about Fulton market, and soon struck off

the coast of Africa—he having at last escaped from the Arabs, who held him prisoner so many years. This steamer was bound from Cape Town to New York, and had been thrown out of her regular course by a series of terrible southern storms.

"They wanted to put him aboard some vessel bound for London; but, strange to say, spoke none during their subsequent voyage, so that he has been landed here."

"Most remarkable. What a surprise for Arline! I truly hope this papa will prove more acceptable than the ogre has been," said Stuart, reflectively.

"I think he will," remarked Artemus, calmly.

"What grounds have you for believing so?"

"The evidence of my judgment as brought to bear upon the matter by eyes and ears that are at least equal to the average."

"Then you have seen him?"

"Oh, ay."

"And talked with him?"

"Spent three hours in his company and he was very loth to have me break away, then."

Really, that should settle it. In three hours Artemus could learn scores of things that would go to prove matters were as the new claimant declared.

"And the captain—what of him? Is he anything like—well, our ogre?"

"Not a whit in manner, and very little in appearance. These long years on the desert have darkened his skin and whitened his hair, but they could not destroy his noble nature. It shows in the determined and kindly glow of his eyes, in the almost heavenly smile, and warm clasp of the hand."

"H'm! Well, I hope he'll be friendly," said Charlie.

"Oh, he's wild to see you—to thank you for all that has been done. Don't worry a bit about that part of it—I've fixed matters," significantly.

Charlie blushed a little. "Hope you haven't overdone it and made me out a heroic sort of figure. By the way, what did he think of the other?"

"You mean—the ogre?"

"Yes, Capt. Brand Number One we may say."

"Well, I wouldn't care to stand in his boots when those two meet. There's going to be war to the knife, I can tell you."

"Just as I thought."

"All these years he has lived on the hope of seeing his dear ones again, and to find an usurper in his place makes him furious."

"Could he cope with the rascal?"

"His wild life among the Arabs has hardened his constitution like iron. Besides, he isn't an old man, although his hair is white. God help the ogre if once he falls into the avenger's hands."

"Then we must see that this happens as soon as possible. There is need of haste. Such a romantic story as the captivity and escape of Capt. Brand can't long be hidden under a bushel. Some enterprising reporter will get hold of it, and the affair can be spread out over a whole page of a yellow journal."

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Dowie Tells His Followers of His Object in Life.

For the first time in his career John Alexander Dowie has announced to his followers what his real aim in life is. Before a gathering of 4,000 persons in Shiloh Tabernacle, Zion City, he said that his only purpose in building Zion was to make enough millions of dollars to buy outright the city of Jerusalem and lead his people there to await the coming of Christ.

"From the present outlook it will not be many years before we will have several Zion cities," said Dowie, "and we will make enough to accomplish our great purpose."

The theme of Dowie's talk and every remark were to show that Zion City is the fulfillment of the prophecy of Isaiah. He spoke upon "The City of God," and told of the great things Zion was to do in the world.

Dowie averred the millennium is closer at hand than people imagined. The recent volcanic eruptions, he believed, are warnings to prepare for the end of the world. He cited the Lake Shore as particularly susceptible to seismic disturbances and declared that when the world is burned up in the awful fire that is kindling for Zion City will stand alone, unharmed.

"The theocratic party," declared Dowie, "will before long rule the world. Zion City will be the leading city of America in education, religion, commerce and finance. It will have a fleet of vessels plying between the continents."

Cities like Zion are to be established in other places. Already offers of land have been received.

Crowning a Queen Consort.

There is quite a little difference between the coronations attending the coronation of queen consorts and those in connection with the crowning of reigning sovereigns. Thus while both are anointed with the holy chrism and invested with the crown the words accompanying these acts differ. When the crown is placed on the head of the queen consort, it is called "the crown of glory, honor and joy," and in the same way the sacred oil is described as "destined to increase her honors," but not to "set her apart for dominion."

Disposal of Diseased Carcasses

The Missouri State Board of Agriculture calls attention to the following state laws relative to the handling and disposal of carcasses of animals that have died of contagious diseases:

Section 2325.—Carcasses of Stock Dying of Contagious Disease.—That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to engage in hauling the carcasses of swine, sheep, cattle and horses that may die of any contagious or infectious disease, or to sell, buy or give the same away.

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