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## THE BACCALAUREATE SERMON.

Gleanings from the Address Delivered at the Presbyterian Church Sunday Evening.

The sermon to the graduating class by Rev. J. M. Belding Sunday evening was a grand good one. The church was well filled, though not uncomfortably crowded, and the speaker held his audience from the start to the close, notwithstanding the exceedingly warm evening.

In substance, Mr. Belding spoke about as follows:

The text was taken from Isaiah 17:3: "Two or Three Barren in the Top of the Uppermost Rough." The sermon sought to set forth the chief duties that devolve today upon those just entering an active life. The speaker drew a graphic picture of the past with its lessons, its uses, successes and inspirations and showed its relation to the present and future. He spoke of the ages of stone, bronze and of iron, as periods whose distinguishing stamps were material, while the character of the present day is intellectual and moral. Poetry, art, war, philosophy, science and literature have now their appointed time—the troubadours, the epics, the schoolmen, the reformers and the essayists have appeared in their appropriate times—but this is an age composite in character—chiefly invention of useful arts. He spoke of the wonderful progress in electricity, chemistry and branches of electrical industry, thus difficulties that hitherto had baffled mechanical and chemical effort, being rapidly solved by this new agency. He showed how labor was king, and knowledge, power only as it is used. To know all that Zeroster, Laplace, Shakespear or Bacon knew could not insure success. Without strict integrity, practice, honor, industry and steadfastness no one can enjoy continued success in anything or lasting respect from anybody. Our country was first among nations, her wealth increased \$6,000,000 daily and her prosperity was incomparable. After four years of war 1,200,000 soldiers were disbanded in a day, returning to their peaceful industries and civil life without a murmur, a crime or disorder—something impossible in any other country in the world. He urged loyalty to the country, stability in purpose, care in selecting companions, the need of wise and thoughtful decision in matters of life and the need of moral courage were enlarged upon. He addressed the young ladies, congratulating them upon the wonderful future opening to women. Our college and universities and all the professions inviting them to enter. He paid a high tribute to marriage, motherhood and the home, but dropped a caution upon hasty, heedless and thoughtless marriage. The head should share with the heart in selecting the man upon whom they should bestow their priceless selves. The portion of his sermon touching personal character and duty was epigrammatic, but the aphorisms not only being timely, but striking such as, luck is a fool, pluck is a hero; be gentlemen, feel like gentlemen and you will look and act like gentlemen. Assume your own positions, aim above the mark you intend to hit; don't take too much advice; study to be what you wish to seem; make money to do good with it, the easy place is for the easy man and the easy man is of little use or consideration. Life's true question is not what can I get? but, what can I give? In the divine economy of life he gets most who gives most, for he gets the large and bountiful spirit which attests and constitutes christian nobility. Be self-reliant; don't chew, don't smoke, don't drink; don't read trashy novels, don't marry before you can support a wife; be first in your profession, in striving for noble ends, and your name will be as illustrious as the stars that deck the world of ceremony for:

How e'er it be, it seems to me  
'Tis only noble to be good;  
Kind hearts are more than coronets  
And simple faith, than Norman blood.

## BALL GAME AT PLYMOUTH.

It Was a Good Game Even if We Did Get Beat.

The ball game between the Northville and Detroit clubs at Plymouth Saturday was one of the best ever played in that village. The score was 2 to 1 in Detroit's favor to be sure, but the Northville boys need not be ashamed of the showing they made. The Detroit club was enforced by members of the M. A. A's and D. A. C's. The Free Press gave the Detroit's an errorless game, and six base hits. They made but two base hits and several errors and both their runs were the result of errors by the Northville players.

## TONIGHT'S PROGRAM.

What the Six Graduates Will Talk About.

The following is the program for the commencement exercises to be given at the opera house tonight:

Invocation. Music.  
Salutatory..... Miss Clark.  
Essay..... Ucutt Leaves.  
Miss Thompson.  
Oration..... "But."  
Mr. Smith.  
Recitation..... Selected.  
Miss Clark.  
Music.  
DISCUSSION:—"Is an annexation policy conducive to the best interests of the country?"  
Affirmative:..... Negative:  
Mr. Woodman..... Mr. Horton.  
Recitation..... Selected.  
Miss Thompson.  
Music.  
a. Oration..... "The Mission of the XIX Century."  
b. Valedictory.  
Mr. Keapp.  
Presenting of Diplomas.  
Music.  
Benediction.

The small admission, ten cents, that is to be charged is in keeping with the custom now being generally adopted by graded schools throughout the country and will be used towards defraying expenses. Everyone is most cordially invited to be present.

## THE SPEAKING CONTEST.

The Prizes Satisfactory Awarded Last Evening.

The prize speaking contest at the opera house last night was a very satisfactory affair, and the award by the judges seemed to be pleasing to everyone. Harry German was given first prize, \$7; Rosa Barley second, \$5; Ina Blackburn third, \$3.

The two later were drilled by Mrs. Lucy Filkins, and the award reflects credit upon her efforts.

## A "MORE BLESSED" DAY.

The Methodist People Will Particularly Emphasize It Sunday.

Next Sabbath will be a rare day with the Methodist's. It is the longest Sunday in the year and they propose to make it the busiest and best.

Rev. J. H. Potts D. D., editor of the Michigan Advocate, is recovered from his illness and will preach at 10:30 a.m. The Sunday school children are all invited. The annual benevolent offering will be made by means of the famous cross chart at 7:30 p. m. One of the most unique and attractive song services ever enjoyed in Northville will be conducted, being an autophonal service. Dr. Potts and State Y. M. C. A. Secretary Clark will give short talks during the service. Come and bring your friends.

## SOME GOOD SHOOTING.

The Northville Gun Club Wins The Milford Contest.

The Northville gun club, seventeen strong, went up to Milford Friday to shoot a match with the club of that village, and of course the Northville club came out victorious. The official score was Northville, 300; Milford, 273. Elza Simmons of the Northville club did the best shooting, breaking 24 birds out of 25. C. Harmon, George Hueston and C. Thornton, also of the Northville's, were a good second, breaking 23. The Milford club paid for the birds, bought the suppers and treated the Northville club in elegant style.

## ATTENTION WHEELMEN.

The Northville Cyclers Will Re-organize.

Every Northville owner or rider of a bicycle is requested to meet at Sands & Porters at 7:00 o'clock, Friday evening, June 23, for the purpose of reorganizing the club and electing new officers.

The meeting will be a short one after which all will form into line for a run about the village. All bring your wheels. By order of the President,

## Excursions.

The F. & P. M. railroad company will sell excursion tickets to Detroit and return June 26 for \$1.25. This includes admission to the Forepaugh circus.

On June 28 and 29 to Cleveland and return for one fare for round trip, account National Epworth League convention.

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## Around the Country

Holly, a little four-corners town, up near Rose Center, will celebrate the ever glorious Fourth.

The Milford Times says that ragged edge halstones as large as hen's eggs fell in that village, week ago Saturday. We wish it were not so ungentlemanly to dispute a lady.

Some of Supt. Palmer's pupils of the Wyandotte schools who have caught a whaling from him, have in turn made the professor catch the measles from them.

I wish some one would tell me where to celebrate the 4th—at Oxford or Orion.—Town Corners, Cor. Orion Review.

Orion, by all means, there is a calaboose at Oxford.

A good thing to put in just now at the corner of Main and Center streets is a public drinking fountain for man and beast. We believe this is something badly needed which could be put in at a small expense and it would be highly appreciated.

It's not in good form now to assert that anything is "as good as the wheat," which was once quite common. Now it must be "as good as gold" to be right up to the highest standard.—Ann Arbor Courier.

Good as the wheat, sounds great deal more flimsy anyhow.

The great Forepaugh circus will exhibit at Detroit next Monday afternoon and evening, June 26. One of the magnificent features of the regular standard attraction, is the representative scenes and battles of 1776. Nearly 1,000 men and women are used to portray the characters in this scene. The F. & P. M. railroad sells excursion tickets at a reduced rates for this occasion.

The Ypsilanti Sentinel thinks the Normal girls, more winning than those of the University, as "the former got their appropriation for their gym," while the latter got the cold shoulder." Not to be wondered at. The university girls went up to Lansing, scented with scholasticism, rhabarbar, jalap and laboratory compounds, while their Normal sisters, with liquid eyes and lilac blooms, wilted on the bosoms of the legislature and murmured, "Oh, do please, your dear old Saw-bucks!" and they did.—Adrian Press.

## BUSINESS FLASHES.

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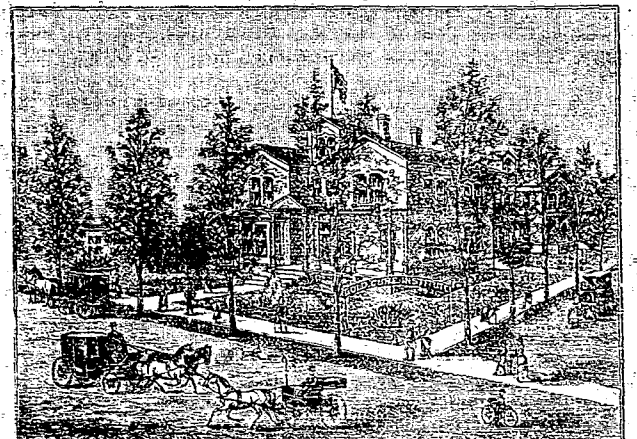
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# THE RECORD.

F. S. NEAL, Publisher.

WORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN

Proper sojourning within the cyclone belt should never write that they expect to leave a town on a certain day without inserting the proviso: "Unless the town should mean while leave me."

The New Jersey aeronaut who fell 1,000 feet and lost his life because the wings he depended on to supplement his parachute wouldn't work ought to have read the story of Darius Green before he made the leap.

Booth has long been recognized as the greatest of tragedians. But it has not been known as well as it is now, that much of his own life has been a tragedy. He has been afflicted with much of the moody melancholy that sometimes dominates men of great genius.

UNCLE SAM has given a pension to Mrs. O'Leary, who owned the famous cow that kicked the historic lamp that started the well-remembered conflagration that burned the city of Chicago. The pension was granted on account of the military services of Mr. Leary, and not on account of the cow.

Two hundred words of the monkey dialect have been obtained by Professor Garner and he thinks that about thirty only remain uncaught. The words for cane and cigarette should be given out at once, for one is liable to meet a dude at any moment, and it is well to be civil to the poor creatures.

The bull in the china shop is antique as it were. A New York horse rushed into an ice cream saloon the other day, kicked over the counter and acted as the starter in a sprint race in which several young men and their best girls took part. It was a handicap race and the ice cream man got the worst of it.

THE hat pin has taken its place among the novel weapons of offense. A New York man who was known as "Italian Mike" aroused the pangs of jealousy in the bosoms of two foolish young women of Houston street. The green-eyed monster laughed when he saw one of the love-sick maudlin jab her hat pin through the other girl's nose.

The police of Birmingham have arrested a peevish knave whose special delight was to jab a darning needle into the person of any unsuspecting female that came his way. The women of the city are much relieved. They had long been afraid to venture out. "I'll be darned if I do," could properly have been an excuse in Birmingham.

POSTMASTERS have been instructed from Washington to look out for disease germs and prevent their passage through the mails. What the postmaster who doesn't know a disease germ when he sees one is to do is not stated. It seems that careless people had a habit of boxing up suspicious small fry and sending them to experts to find out what they were.

SOME inquisitive person asks: "Where does all the small change go?" There are 119,000,000 old copper pennies somewhere. Nobody knows where. Occasionally one turns up in change. Where are they? Well, there are a few less than 119,000,000 numismatists in this world. They've got enough pieces of money locked up as curiosities to start national banks in every state in the Union.

THE inalienable right of a British subject to be drunk on the streets of his own town is evaded by the report of a commission which investigated drunkenness by order of parliament. If this report is adopted it will be possible to run in a boozery and send him to a reformatory for a year, where he will have time to reform, and if he doesn't he will get back again in a short time for two years.

TRIM people should not get frightened because there are several fugitive murderers at large. Probably the most harmless man possible is a fleeing murderer. There is nothing so fearful to him as the sight of a human face. Let us fear men with murder in their hearts, but which they have not yet committed; and have no fear of men whose murders are accomplished and who are fleeing from justice.

SOMEbody has had the kindness to estimate the bulk of the mass of ice that could be melted by the heat certain to be generated if this world were to crash into another world of its own size. It is useful to know such things, of course, and people who have to work for a living should be grateful that there are large minds not afraid to soar above sordid things and grapple the grave problems of existence. But where is the ice coming from?

MASSACHUSETTS may be overstocked with women but such is not the case in the country at large. A census bulletin shows that in the United States there are 1,500,000 more male than female persons.

Now that so many housekeepers are beginning to stain their fingers picking over berries, some of them may like to know that if they will dampen their hands and burn a couple of matches underneath the brimstone fumes will take the stain all off.

## TABERNACLE PULPIT.

DR. TALMAGE PREACHES ON A FRUITFUL SUBJECT.

And They Came Unto the Brook of Eschol and Cut Down From Thence a Branch With One Cluster of Grapes.

BROOKLYN, June 18, 1903.—Rev. Dr. Talmage, in selecting a theme for to-day's sermon in the Brooklyn Tabernacle, chose one peculiarly suitable to the season of fruits, the title being "Grapes from Canaan," and the text, Numbers 13:23, "And they came unto the brook of Eschol, and cut down from thence a branch with one cluster of grapes, and they bare it between two upon a staff."

The long trudge of the Israelites across the wilderness was almost ended. They had come to the borders of the promised land. Of the six hundred thousand adults who started from Egypt, for Canaan, how many do you suppose got there? Five hundred thousand? Oh, no. Not two hundred thousand, not one hundred thousand, not fifty, not twenty, not ten, but only two men. Oh, it was a ruinous march that God's people made; but their children were living and they were on the march, and now that they had come up to the borders of the promised land, they were very curious to know what kind of a place it was, and whether it would be safe to go over. So a scouting party is sent out to reconnoitre, and they examine the land, and they come back bringing specimens of its growths. Just as you came back from California, bringing to your family a basket of pears, or plums, or apples, to show what monstrous fruit they have there, so this scouting party cut off the biggest bunch of grapes they could find. It was so large that one man could not carry it, and they thrust a pole through the cluster, and there was one man at either end of the pole, and so the bunch of grapes was transported.

Some time ago, in a luxurious ward, a man in a doctor's coat had done his work. The vine had clambered up and spread its wealth all over the arbor. The sun and shower had mixed a cup which the vine drank until with flushed cheeks it lay slumbering in the light, cluster against the cheek of cluster. The rinds of the grapes seemed almost bursting with the juice in the warm lips of the autumnal day, and it seemed as if all you had to do was to lift a nail to the cluster and the lifeblood would begin to drip away. But my friends, in these large oases, we know nothing about large grapes. Strabo states that in Bible times, and in Bible lands there were grape vines so large that it took two men with outstretched arms to reach round them, and he says there were clusters two cubits in length, or twice the length from the elbow to the tip of the long finger. And Achaicus, dwelling in those lands, tells us that during the time he was soldier, he saw a grape vine would smother his thirst for the whole day. No wonder then, in these Bible times two men thought it worth their while to put their strength together to carry down one cluster of grapes from the promised land.

But this morning I bring you a larger cluster from the heavenly Eschol—a cluster of hopes, a cluster of prospects, a cluster of Christian consolation, and I am expecting that one of them will cause you to open your eyes to the heavenly Canaan. During the past winter some of this congregation have gone away never to return. The aged have put down their staff and taken up the sceptre. Men in mid-life came home from office or shop, and did not go back again. And the dear children, some of them, have been gathered in Christ's arms. He found this world too rough a place for them, and so he has gathered them in. And oh, how many wounded souls there are—wounds for which this world offers no medicine, and unless the good gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ there shall come a consolation there will be no consolation at all. Oh, that the God of all comfort would help me while I preach; and that the God of all comfort would help you while you hear.

First, I console you with the divinely sanctioned idea that your departed friends are as much yours now as they ever were. I know you sometimes get the idea in your mind, when you have this kind of trouble, that your friends are cut off from you, and they are no longer yours; but the desire to have all our loved ones in the same lot in the cemetery is a natural desire, a universal desire, and therefore, a God-implemented desire; and is mightily suggestive of the fact that death has no power to break up the family relations. If our loved ones go away from our possession, why put a fence around our lot in the cemetery? Why the gathering of four or five names on one family monument? Why the planting of oneypress-vine so that it covers all the cluster of graves? Why put the husband beside the wife, and the children at their feet? Why the bolt on the gate of our lot, and the charge to the keepers of the ground to see that the grass is cut, and the vine attended to, and the flowers planted? Why not put our departed friends in one common field of graves? Oh, it is because they are ours. That child, O stricken mother, is as much yours this morning as in the solemn hour when God put it against your heart, and said as of old: "Take this child and nurse it for me, and I will give thee three wages." It is no mere whim; it is a divinely-planted principle in the soul, and God certainly would not plant a lie! Abraham would not allow Sarah to be buried in a stranger's grounds, although some very beautiful ground was offered him a free gift; but he pays four hundred shekels for Machpelah, the cave, and the trees overshadowing it. The grave has been well kept, and to-day the Christian traveler stands in thoughtful and admiring mood, gazing upon Machpelah, where Abraham and Sarah are taking their long sleep of 4,000 years. Your father may be slumbering under the tinkling of the bell of the Scotch kirk. Your brother may have gone down in the ship that foundered off Cape Hatteras. Your little child may be sleeping on the verge of the flowering Western prairie; yet God will gather them all up, however widely the dust may be scattered. Nevertheless, it is pleasant to think that we will be buried together. When my father died and we took him out and put him down in the graveyard of Somerville, it did not seem so sad to leave him there, because right beside

him was my dear, good, old, beautiful, Christian mother, and it seemed as if she said: "I was tired, and I came to bed a little early. I am glad you have come; it seems as if of old." O, it is a consolation to feel that when men come, and with solemn tread carry you out to your resting-place, they will open the gate through which some of your friends have already gone, and through which many of your friends will follow. Sleeping under the same roof, at last sleeping under the same soil. The autumnal leaves that drift across your grave will drift across theirs; the bird-songs that drop on their mound will drop on yours; and then, in starless winter nights, when the wind comes howling through the gorge, you will be company for each other. The child close up to the bosom of its mother. The husband and wife re-married; on their lips the sacrament of the dust. Brothers and sisters, whose names are on the tablets of the grass, now again resting side by side in the grave, in fields of sunlight sitting through the long, lithe willows. Then at the trumpet of the archangel to rise side by side, slaking themselves from the dust of ages. The faces that were ghostly and fixed when you saw them last all afire with the light of incorruption. The father looking around on his children, and saying: "Come, come, my darlings, this is the morning of the resurrection." Mrs. Sturges wrote beautifully with the tears and blood of her own broken heart:

There was a shaded chamber,  
A silent, watching hand,  
On a low couch a suffering child  
Grasping her mother's hand.  
But the mother's eyes were closed,  
With shuddering lips she cried  
"Mother, oh, dearest mother,  
Bury me by your side."  
Only one wish she uttered,  
"Sleep by my side, dear mother."  
And rise with me at last.

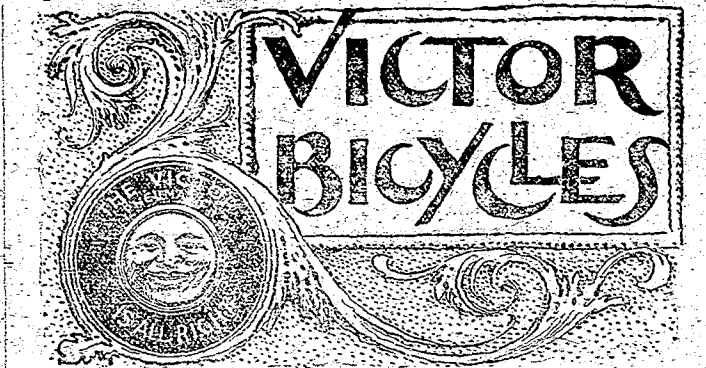
Oh, yes, we want to be buried together. Sweet antetype of everlasting residence in each other's companionship. When the wrecker went down into the cabin of the lost steamship, the husband and mother and child and other's arms were sad, but it was beautiful, and it was appropriate. Together they went down. Together they will rise. One on earth, one in heaven. Is there not something cheering in all this? Ought, and something to impress upon us the idea that the departed are ours yet—ours forever?

But I console you again with the fact of your present acquaintance and communication with your departed friends. I have no sympathy, need not say, with the theory of modern spiritualism; but what I mean is the theory set forth by the apostle, when he says: "We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses." Just as in the ancient amphitheater there were eighty, or one hundred thousand people looking down from the galleries upon the combatants in the center, so, as Paul, there is a great host of departed friends in all the galleries of the sky, looking down upon our earthly struggles. It is a sweet and a consoling, a heartening and a cheering sight, and a heaven is ever in constant communication. They do not see the Bible say: "Are they not sent forth as ministering spirits to those who shall be heirs of salvation?" And when ministering spirits come down and see us, do they not take some message back? It is impossible to realize, I know, the idea that there is such rapid and perpetual intercommunication of earth and heaven; but it is a glorious reality. You take a rail train and the train is in full motion, and another train from the opposite direction dashes past you so swiftly that you are startled; all the way between here and heaven is filled with the up trains and the down trains—spirits coming—spirits going—coming—going—coming—going. That friend of yours who died last month—do you not suppose he told all the family news about you in the good land to the friends who are gone? Do you not suppose that when there are hundreds of opportunities every day for those in heaven to hear from you that they ask about you? That they know your tears, your temptations, your struggles, your victories? Aye, they do. Perhaps during the last war you had a boy in the army, and you got a pass and you went through the lines and you found him, and the regiment coming from your neighbor hood, you knew most of the boys there. One day you started for home. You said: "Well, now, have you any letters to send? any messages to send?" And they filled your pockets with letters and papers and started home. Arriving home, the neighbors came in, and one said: "Did you see my John?" and others: "Did you see George?" "Do you know anything about my Frank?" And in you brought out the letters and gave them the messages of which you had been the bearer. Do you suppose that angels of God, coming down to this awful battle field of sin, and sorrow, and death, and meeting us and seeing us, and finding out all about us, carry back no message to the sky?

You ask me a great many questions I cannot answer about this resurrection. You say, for instance: "If a man's body is constantly changing, and every seventh year he has an entirely new body, and he lives on to seventy years of age, and so has had ten different bodies, and at the hour of his death there is not a particle of flesh on him that was there in the days of his childhood—when the resurrection, which the new bodies will come up, or will they all rise?" You say: "You suppose man dies and his body is scattered in the dust, and out of that dust vegetables grow, and men and the vegetables, and cannibals eat these men and eat them, and cannibals fight with cannibals until at last there shall be a hundred men who shall have within them some particles that started from the dead body first named, coming up through the vegetable, through the first man who ate it, and through the cannibals who afterward ate him, and there be more than a hundred men who have rights in the particles of that body—in the resurrection how can they be assorted when these particles belong to them all?" You say: "There is a missionary buried in Greenland, and when he was in China he had his arm amputated—in the resurrection, will that fragment of the body fly 16,000 miles to join the rest of the body?" You say: "Will it not be a very difficult thing for a spirit coming back in that day to find the myriad particles of its own body, when they may have been scattered by the winds of heaven, or by whole generations of the dead—looking for the

myriad particles of its own body, while there are a thousand million other spirits doing the same thing, and all the assortment to be made within one day?" You say: "If a hundred and fifty men go into a place of evening entertainment, and leave their hats and overcoats in the hall, when they come back it is almost impossible for them to get the right ones, or to get them without a great deal of perplexity, and yet you tell me that myriads of spirits in the last day will come and find 'myriads of bodies.' Have you any more questions to ask? any more difficulties to suggest? any more mysteries? Bring them on! Against a whole regiment of scepticism, I will march these two champions. 'Marvel not at this, for the hour is coming when all who are in their graves shall come forth.' The Lord shall descend from heaven, with a shout, and the voice of the archangel, and the trump of God, and the dead in Christ shall rise first." You see I stick to these two passages. Who art thou, oh, fool, that thou resistest against God? Hath he promised, and shall he not do it? Hath he commanded, and shall he not bring it to pass? Have you not confidence in his omnipotence? If he could, in the first place, build my body, after it is torn down, can he not build it again?" "Oh, you say, 'It would be like that if you would explain it. I am not disposed to be sceptical, but explain how it can be done.' My brother, you believe a great many things you cannot explain. You believe your mind acts on your body. Explain the process. This seed planted comes up a blue flower. Another seed planted comes up a yellow flower. Another seed planted comes up a white flower. Why? Why that wart on your finger? Tell me why some cows have horns, and other cows have no horns. When two obstacles strike each other in the air, do you hear the percussion? What is the subtle energy that dissolves a solid in a crucible? What makes the notches on an oak leaf different from any other kind of leaf? What makes the orange blossom different from that of the rose? How can the almightiness which rides on the circle of the hearth, and room to turn its chariot on a heliotope? Explain these. Can you not do it? Then I will not explain the resurrection. You will explain one-half of the common mysteries of every-day life, and I will explain all the mysteries of the resurrection. You cannot answer the very plain questions in regard to ordinary affairs. I am not ashamed to say that I cannot explain God and the judgment, and the resurrection. I simply accept them as facts, tremendous and infinite. Before the resurrection takes place, everything will be silent. The universe and the labyrinth silent. The graveyards silent, the cemetery silent, save for the clashing of hoofs and the grinding of wheels as the last funeral procession comes in. No breath of air disturbing the dust where Persopolis stood, and Thebes, and Babylon. No winking of the eyelids long closed in darkness. No stirring of the feet that once bounded the hillside. No opening of the hand that once plucked the flower out of the edge of the wild-wood. No clashing of swords by the men who went down when Persia battled and Rome fell. No shouting from the beach to mountain cliff, and from river to river. The seasinging the same old tune. The lakes hushed to sleep in the bosom of the same great hills. No hand disturbing the gate of the long-barred sepulcher. All the nations of the dead motionless in their winding-sheets. Up the side of the hills, down through the trough of the valleys, far out in the caverns, across the fields, deep down into the coral palaces of the ocean depths, where leviathan sports with the dolphins—everywhere, layer above layer, height above height, depth below depth—dead, dead, dead! But in the twinkling of an eye, as quick as that, as the archangel's trumpet comes pealing, rolling, reverberating, crashing across continents and seas, the earth will give one fearful shudder and the door of the family vault, without being unlocked, will burst open; and all the graves of the dead will begin to throw and heave like the waves of the sea; and the countless millions of princes will fall into the dust; and extend and Sebastopol, and Austriitz and Gettysburg, still, north in the lurid air and the shipwrecked rise from the deep, their wet locks looming up above the billow; and all the land and all these become one moving mass of life—all generations, all ages with upturned countenances—some kindled with rapture and others blanched with despair, but gazing in one direction, upon one object, and that the throne of resurrection.

On that day you will get back your Christian dead. There is where the comfort comes in. They will come up with the same hand, the same foot, and the same entire body, but with a perfect hand, and a perfect foot, and a perfect body; corruption having become incorruption, mortality having become immortality. And oh, the reunion; oh, the embrace after so long an absence. Comfort one another with these words. While I present these thoughts this morning, does it not seem that heaven comes very near us, as though our friends, whom we thought a great way off, are not in the distance, but close by? You have sometimes come down to a river at night fall, and you have been surprised how easily you could hear voices across that river. You shouted out to the other shore of the river, and they shouted back. It is said that, when George Whitefield preached in Third Street, Philadelphia, one evening, his voice was heard clear across to the New Jersey shore. When I was a little while chaplain in the army, I remember how at even tide we could easily hear the voices of the pickets across the Potomac just when they were using ordinary tones. And as we come to-day and stand by the river of Jordan that divides us from our friends who are gone, it seems to me we stand on one bank and they stand on the other, and it is only a narrow stream, and our voices go and their voices come. Mark! I hear distinctly what they say: "These are they who came out of great tribulation, and had their robes washed and made white in the blood of the Lamb." Still the voices come across the water, and I hear: "We hunger no more, we thirst no more; neither shall the sun light on us, nor any heat; for the Lamb leads us to living fountains of water, and God wipe away all tears from our eyes."



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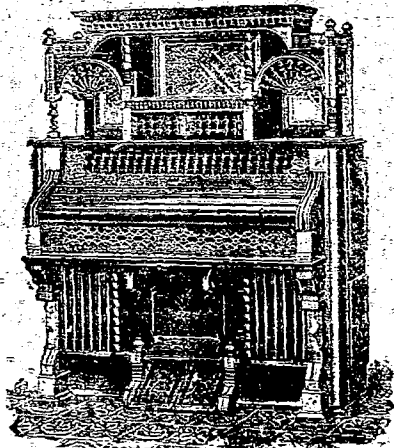


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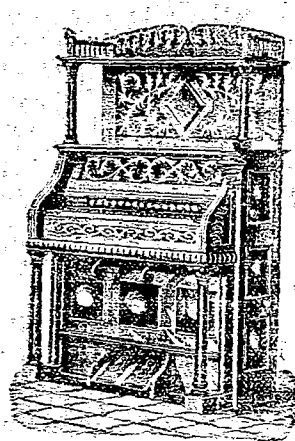
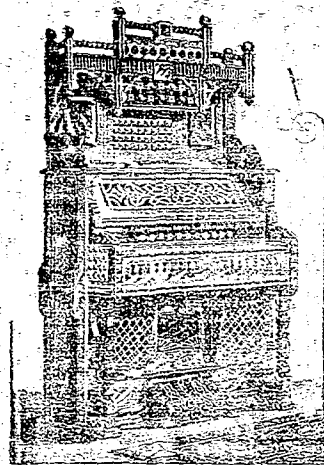
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#### PURELY PERSONAL.

A List of Those Who Come and Those Who Go.

Geo. Thurlie is home again.

M. A. Porter returned from Chicago Saturday.

Ed Lapham is taking in the World's fair these days.

Lee Wager of Battle Creek was at home Sunday.

Gene Riggs left for Canada yesterday via Erie.

Miss Mamie Stevens is visiting friends at Flint.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lute Elliot Sunday June 18, a boy.

The Misses Nina Ambler and Jessie Ely Sundayed in Detroit.

A. W. Carpenter and H. F. Jackson left yesterday for the west.

Frank Harmon and wife are home from Baltimore for a visit.

Dr. E. N. Root is back at his dental office again ready for business.

Harry Sackett visited Plymouth friends Saturday and Sunday.

James Swift of the U. of M. visited Northville relatives over Sunday.

W. E. Palmer, supt. of the Clover Condensery, bled it over to Lansing Sunday.

H. H. Passage and wife of Plymouth spent Sunday with Wm. H. Nichols and wife.

Mrs. A. K. Carpenter is home from her Wisconsin visit and is entertaining her cousin.

M. S. Root with the U. S. fish commission, Green Lake, Me. was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Hatten of Farmington was the guest at her father's, W. V. Ely, and family Sunday.

J. M. Ambler left Friday p. m. for Philadelphia where he will do work for the Globe Co.

Prof. Bliss leaves Friday for Chicago to see the big fair. He stops at Rev. H. S. Jenkinson's.

Geo. Sage and family of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Sage's parents A. W. Gage and family.

Geo. Waferman, Peter Connell and Frank Macomber with their wives spent Sunday in Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Ami Murphy of Redford visited her brother, Charles Cross, and family last week.

Miss Flossie Palmer of Gainsville, Fla. is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. H. Yerkes, Wing street.

Mrs. William Pinkerton, Mrs. John Pinkerton and son Tommy are visiting friends in Bay City this week.

M. Rounds and family of Novi have just moved here from Novi. Mr. Rounds works on the railroad section here.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton, Quick and Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Nicholson of Milford passed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Seaton.

F. M. Harger and wife have moved here from Novi. Mr. Harger is the new section foreman for the F. & P. M. at this place.

W. C. Nichols was surprised by a visit from his brothers, Carl and

Emerick, this week. They stayed but a couple of days, leaving for Chicago yesterday.

Three sons and four daughters of M. Mauk were called to his bedside on account of his severe illness last week. He has rallied again and a part of them have returned to their home, Delphos, Ohio.

#### FOR MEN

[Edited weekly by one of them.]

You will be surprised to see the report we shall be able to make at the end of a six months series of meeting. It will be glowing.

A live talk for wide awake men is what we propose to furnish you next Sunday afternoon. State Secretary Clark of the Y. M. C. A. is the speaker. Splendid talker, he is and you cannot afford to miss it.

The absence of Prof. Bliss during the summer has necessitated his resignation and Mr. Lee Lommoreaux was elected in his stead and we be speak for him the hearty support of all who are interested in our work. We know the Professor will not forget us while away and will be welcomed on his return.

In view of the extremely warm weather of Sunday the interest shown in our meeting by an attendance of 70 is exceedingly gratifying and encouraging. Mr. Walker of Ann Arbor spoke on the subject "The Temptations." The talk was uplifting and to the point. E. Wright and James Harper sang solos and the audience joined in chorus. The hour was thoroughly enjoyed.

The warm Sundays will require much more energy to stir about but you will agree that you feel better to come and spend an hour at the meeting with its exchange of experiences and helpful influence and besides you will be encouraging some one else to come; you know this movement is doing good. Rally to the support of it. Talk up the meeting during the week. Do lots of inviting. Don't criticize.

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Going South: Train No. 2, 8:06 a. m.; No. 4, 10:14 a. m.; No. 6, 2:37 p. m.; No. 8, 4:41 p. m.; No. 10, 6:58 p. m.  
Going North: Train No. 1, 8:40 a. m.; No. 3, 9:38 a. m.; No. 5, 2:24 p. m.; No. 7, 4:45 p. m.; No. 9, 7:19 p. m.  
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# THE MICHIGAN NEWS.

## THE NEWS OF THE STATE TOLD VERY BRIEFLY.

**Attorney-General Ellis Gives an Opinion on the New Tax Law.—Insurance Commissioner's Report.**

**Those Tax Certificates.**  
Attorney-General Ellis, in response to a request from Auditor-General Turner has given the following opinion relative to section 135 of the new tax law:

I do not think that the law contemplates giving a tax history of the lands as indicated by your form of certificate; neither is it my opinion that the law contemplates that the auditor-general or county treasurer shall examine anything except the record and files in his office. If he finds on examination that the taxes have been paid, he would so certify. If, on the other hand, he finds that the taxes have not been paid and that there were tax liens held by the state, no certificate whatever would be necessary as the certificate would be of no use to the party. It is only when the taxes have been paid for the preceding five years under the statute that the register of deeds would be authorized to record the conveyance. It appears that the legislature contemplated a certificate something like this:

I hereby certify that I have examined the records and files in my office relating to the following description of land and from such examination it appears that the taxes have all been paid for years preceding the day of giving the date of the conveyance or, I hereby certify that I have examined the records and files in my office relating to the following description of land and from such examination it appears that the taxes have not been paid for years preceding the day of giving the date of the conveyance or, I hereby certify that the said land has been sold for taxes and that for the years here named the taxes are held by the state and that for the years here named the taxes are held by the state and that for the years here named the taxes are held by the state.

The question as to whether taxes have been paid or not only goes back five years, and it could not have been the intention of the legislature to require a certificate relative to outstanding tax titles, going back to a further period. In reply to your question as to the meaning of the words "five years preceding" in section 135, it is my opinion that it relates to the five years preceding the making of the conveyance. Respectfully,  
A. A. Ellis, Attorney-General.

### Insurance Commissioner's Report.

Ex-Commissioner of Insurance McGill in his annual report tries to discourage the idea prevalent among a certain class of people that insurance companies are robbers of the worst kind. He does not think the state should attempt to regulate their business any more than is absolutely necessary for the protection of policy holders. The "valued policy law" of some states he describes as an encouragement of incendiarism. On the whole, he thinks the business of fire underwriting has not been such as to invite increased investments.

The capital of 33 insurance companies represented at the beginning of the year was \$37,264,444. The net decrease of capital during the year was \$1,800,600. The Michigan business done by the various companies was: Risks written, \$307,329,486; premiums, \$4,515,957; losses incurred, \$2,303,286 33. The aggregate assets of all companies were \$235,809,435 17; increase for 1929, \$6,127,019 51. The aggregate liabilities were \$123,553,307 16; increase, \$8,300,628 75. The aggregate receipts were \$139,126,029 63; disbursements, \$131,869,631 66; increase, \$12,208,581 68 and \$12,218,786 52 respectively over 1929.

The Ohio Farmers' Insurance Co.'s authority to transact business in this state was revoked, as it has not the amount of assets required by law.

**High School's Poor Ventilation the Cause.**  
Dr. Baker, secretary of the state board of health, has returned to Lansing from Ironwood where he investigated the prevalent typhoid fever epidemic. He thinks he has found the cause for the whole difficulty. It has been noted that many of the sick persons were high-school pupils. Dr. Baker started to investigate the Smead dry-closets in use in the high school. But when he entered the building the air was foul and the situation so alarming that he did not think further investigation necessary and hastily beat a retreat. Dr. Baker fears an other epidemic in the fall. The discharges from most of the patients were placed in our door yards. In a few months he believes the foul matter will find its way into well water.

### Early College Trustees.

The board of trustees of Hillsdale college departed from precedent and in recognition of the helpfulness of the "co-eds" to the institution, elected two women as members of the board. The following trustees were chosen, all except the three first named being their own successors: Miss Laura De Meritte, Dover, N. H.; Helen M. Gougar, Lafayette, Ind.; Dr. W. R. Sawyer, Hillsdale; Hon. W. E. Ambler, Cleveland; Col. A. A. Jazay, Hillsdale; President George F. Mosher, Hillsdale; Rev. Charles H. Mills, Mayville; Aaron Worthing, Hillsdale. Elton G. Reynolds was re-elected secretary and treasurer for the ensuing year.

### Two Escaped From Jackson Prison.

James Morrison and Wm. Henson, short term convicts, escaped from the prison at Jackson by scaling the walls. Morrison and Henson were employed about the engine room of the electric light plant. At the time of their escape no guards were on the wall, and the only difficulty was to get to the top of the wall, which they did by means of a rope ladder.

### Drowning at Bay City.

Henry Raymond, aged 19, a clerk in C. R. Hawley & Company's store, at Bay City was drowned while bathing in the river. Several companions were with him, but he was lost so quickly that they could not help him. His home is at Tilsonburg, Ont.

### Killed by a Train.

Allie, daughter of Lemuel E. Bissell, attempted to cross the track in front of a westbound Michigan Central passenger at Ypsilanti. She was thrown 40 feet and instantly killed. She was 44 years of age.

## MICHIGAN STATE ITEMS.

Jonesville business men have subscribed \$200 for open air concerts.

Charles Thorsen died at Ishpeming as a result of exposure to the sun.

Hail seriously injured the prospective peach crop in Washtenaw county.

A woman's relief corps of 20 members has been organized at Petersburg.

The new city directory at Saginaw gives the city a population of about 61,000.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnson, of Hillsdale, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

Stephen Griswold, of Ohio, aged 68, was kicked by a horse and sustained fatal injuries.

Grand Rapids, according to the new city directory claims to have a population of over 100,000.

A \$500 celebration fund has been raised at Reading, to do things up brown on the Fourth.

The Hughes Steam Pump Co., of Cleveland, O., is negotiating for a site with St. Joseph people.

Eddie O'Brien, of Mackinac Island, was drowned off the Cheneaux islands while out fishing. His boat capsized.

Capt. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, stands a good show of being made secretary of the National League of Republican clubs.

Miss Nora White, a 19-year-old Penn girl, may die from wounds received in the face by being kicked by a vicious horse.

Earl Pratt, a 12-year-old Battle Creek boy, was struck by lightning while walking along a road. He may recover.

William Foster was convicted of criminal assault at Saginaw. He lives at Chesaning and his victim was a 5-year-old girl.

The body of Herman Schaffner, the Chicago banker who committed suicide by jumping into Lake Michigan, has been recovered.

Ironwood wants to own and operate her own water works, and has about decided to bid \$110,000 for the system now being operated there.

Dowagiac voters decided to pay \$10,000 for the electric light plant operated there by individuals. It carried by 71 majority on a 25 per cent vote.

Martin Johnson, a miner at the Mansfield mines near Crystal Falls, was fatally injured by being thrown under the wheels of an ore car.

The Dowagiac Manufacturing company, which closed down several weeks ago, throwing 200 men out of employment, will again resume operations.

The stonecutters on the Canadian " Soo" canal went on a strike demanding the same wages paid on the American side, or an advance from 40 to 45 cents.

Joseph Matveia, of Boon, proprietor of the shingle mill and general store there, is missing. Domestic and business troubles are said to have caused his disappearance.

The Allington Curtis Manufacturing company, the Cross Lumber company and Edward Germain, all three burned out by the recent Saginaw fire, have decided to rebuild.

The young ladies of Hudson have organized a walking club. They take a morning stroll at 5 a. m., and are quite sure not to be disturbed by any young men at that hour.

A young widow at Ironwood named Mamie Orchard committed suicide by taking a dose of laudanum. Her husband died several months ago and now a young orphan is left.

The W. C. T. U. at Adrian distributed flowers on flower mission day to 231 girls at the Industrial home, 50 inmates of the poor house, 16 at the hospital, and one at the jail.

Prince Bismarck has come out in favor of increasing the strength of the German army, but not in the manner proposed by the army bill. His idea is to strengthen the cavalry alone.

The board of control for the School for the Blind have elected the following officers: President, T. W. Crissey, Midland; secretary, Charles Montague, Caro; treasurer, G. W. Bement, Lansing.

Elmer Bartlett, aged 12 years, was drowned while bathing at Lapeer. He ventured too far into deep water, and being unable to swim was drowned before his small companions could give assistance.

A freight train was stalled on a grade between Pontiac and Bloomfield Center. The brakeman and the foreman of the train got into a dispute as to whose fault it was. The brakeman finally shot at the foreman and was jailed at Pontiac.

Many apple orchards in Van Buren county have been stripped of their foliage by a small black worm that rapidly destroys the leaves. The trees look as if they had been swept by fire. There are frequent complaints of curculio on the plum trees.

Haive James and Al Hilderbride, of Penn, have been arrested charged with criminal intimacy with the 14-year-old daughter of John Wagner. A Niles man is also charged with the same crime. Hilderbride and James are both married and the girl is a niece of the former. The girl will be sent to the Reform school.

Gov. Rich attended the 22d meeting of the Eaton county pioneer association at Charlotte, and addressed the veterans. The following officers were elected: President, George W. Nichols, of Oneida; vice-president, Henry J. Martin, of Vermontville; historian, Isaac Prey, of Windsor; secretary, Geo. A. Perry, of Charlotte; treasurer, L. O. Smith, of Charlotte.

F. M. Twiss, recently elected commander of the Michigan division S. O. V., has appointed the following staff: Chaplain, Rev. Daniel Robinson, Benton Harbor; adjutant, Will H. Green, Hillsdale; inspector, W. S. Lamb, Flint; judge advocate, H. C. Vowles, Detroit; mustering officer, E. H. Hoague, Marquette; sergeant-major, George Hicks, Marquette; quartermaster-chargeant, J. N. Herbst, Charlotte.

Advices from Rome state that Dr. McGlynn has been given an audience by the pope and that the reconciliation was complete. The doctor is extremely happy over the cordial manner in which he was received.

# THE TELEGRAPH TALKS.

## JURY'S VERDICT IN THE FORD'S THEATER HORROR.

Places the Responsibility Upon Col. Ainsworth, Messrs. Dant, Covert and Sasne—Arrests Follow—Other News.

The coroner's jury investigating the disaster of the old Ford's Theater, Washington, D. C., where 23 pension clerks were killed and scores seriously wounded, have rendered a verdict after almost two weeks' session. After hearing all the evidence the jury was out about two hours and returned a verdict setting forth that Frederick B. Loftus, one of the dead clerks, came to his death by the disaster at Ford's Theater building on June 9, 1893. They resited the fact that Geo. W. Dant was the contractor under the government for the work in progress which caused the disaster and all the circumstances connected with the accident, and find that Frederick C. Ainsworth, in charge of the building; Francis Sasne, the engineer, and George W. Dant, the contractor, are responsible for the killing of Loftus. The jurors further find that the failure of the government of the United States to provide for skilled superintendence of the work of repair and alteration of its buildings in charge of the war department is most unbusinesslike and reprehensible; and are of the opinion that if such superintendence had been provided in the case of the work at the Ford's Theater building, the awful tragedy might have been averted.

The following day Coroner Patterson issued warrants for the commitment of Colonel Ainsworth, Dant, Covert and Sasne. Contractor Dant is very ill at his residence.

### TO SELL HER COUNTRY.

The Deposed Hawaiian Queen Tried Such a Step and It May Prove to Her Sorrow.

The Hawaiian government has given out for publication the text of the queen's power of attorney to Paul Newman, given January 21, to sell out her claims to the sovereignty of the islands to the United States, copies of which were held by President Dole and Minister Stevens. When Mr. Newman returned to Honolulu and severed his professional relations with the queen, he made certain disclosures to the government which relieved them from any further secrecy regarding the matter, and the cabinet determined to make it public whenever they deemed the circumstances and the welfare of the country demanded. President Dole lately decided that such a time has arrived, and the document is now published in full.

The annexationists claim that the execution of the power of attorney destroys the chief argument of the queen that she yielded to the superior force of the United States, as in its acknowledgment that she made an unconditional surrender to the provisional government. They further call attention to the fact that she had no thought of her people, but thought only of her financial welfare, and it was a plain offer of sale on her part.

### THE FAIR TO OPEN SUNDAYS.

Chief Justice Fuller Reverses the Decision of the Federal Circuit Court.

Chief Justice Fuller overruled the decision of the federal circuit court, which issued an injunction restraining the World's Fair directors from opening the fair on Sunday. He decides for the United States court of appeals and remands the suit, to the circuit court. Justices Bunn and Allen concurred in the opinion. The decision means to a certainty that the World's Fair will be kept open on Sundays and settle the case for all time, as an appeal would have to go to the supreme court of the United States, which does not meet until October, when the fair will be ended. The opinion as read was a very complete instrument, covering every point and is endorsed by many of the most noted and learned professional men of the country.

### Charge Canada With Bad Faith.

The charge is openly made at Cleveland, O., by vesselmen who say they can substantiate their statements that the agreement between the United States and the Canadian government in regard to Welland canal tolls is being broken by the Canadians. The agreement was that Kingston and Ogdensburg should be on exactly the same basis in using the Canadian canal and uniform tolls of 10 cents per ton was agreed to. It is now charged that the payment of rebates on grain transhipped at Kingston has been resumed and that tolls are regularly refunded on grain transhipped to St. Lawrence river barges at that point. It was for this discrimination that the United States levied the retaliatory tolls last year on Canadian tonnage passing through United States locks at Sault Ste. Marie.

### An American Honored by Great Britain.

Richard M. Hunt, of New York, received at the royal institute of British architects at London the queen's gold medal. This distinction was conferred upon him in view of his work at the World's Fair in Chicago. In presenting the medal President Anderson of the institute said that Mr. Hunt was the first American whose name had been inscribed on the institute's illustrious roll of honor. After alluding to the pleasure he felt in honoring the designer of the buildings at the World's Fair, President Anderson paid Mr. Hunt several compliments upon his grand work.

Hudson Congregationalists will spend \$1,500 for a new belfry.

Dowagiac will not permit bicycles on several of its business streets.

Fred Notter, aged 15, an Essexville boy, was walking on a high stick in the Saginaw river when he slipped into the water and was drowned.

A few hours after C. M. Eby, a Cass county farmer, had taken out \$1,000 tornado insurance on his barn it was toppled over and destroyed by a high wind.

Jacob S. Dodder, a prominent farmer living 2½ miles from Linden attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat. No cause is assigned for the act. He may recover.

# THEY OF THE ANTLERS.

## The Grand Lodge of the Order of Elks Take Possession of Detroit.

They came, they saw (and were seen) and they conquered. The Brotherhood Protective Order of Elks, grand lodge, marched into Detroit and the city and citizens capitulated with grace. Fully 10,000 members of the order took possession of the city of the Straits and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The opening session was held in the Lyceum theater. Rev. Henry G. Perry, D. D., of Chicago, chaplain of the grand lodge, made the opening address after Exalted Ruler Stirling had welcomed the assembly on the part of Detroit Lodge No. 34. Alderman J. T. Lowry welcomed the guests on behalf of the city and Gov. Rich on the part of the state. The Grand Exalted Ruler Edwin B. Hay, of Washington, D. C., returned the thanks of the order for their reception at the same time making a brief allusion to the grand and benevolent work of the order of Elks.

### DEAD CRABS, FISH, ETC.

In the Waterworks Pipe at Ironwood the Cause of the Typhoid Epidemic.

The state board of health has received a letter from the authorities at Ironwood, relative to the condition of the stand pipe at the water works there. When Dr. Baker was at Ironwood, he advised that the pipe be emptied. For some reason it could not be emptied then, but it has since and several tons of filthy matter, including dead fish, crabs, etc., were taken out of the pipe.

There are now fully 400 cases of typhoid fever at Ironwood. Deaths continue at the rate of six to eight per day. Chas. L. Hyde, of New York City, president of the water works, has arrived with his attorney. In a number of cases papers have been served upon him by persons who have lost relatives or friends from the malady on account of the alleged neglect of the superintendent to use filters.

### Ground to Pieces by the Great Wheels.

The horribly mutilated remains of a human body were found at Gregg's Crossing, two miles west of Nashville. The remains were scattered several rods along the track. The head had been severed and was jammed down in the cattle guard, half rolled up in clothes. The man was evidently about 60, rather under medium size, with gray whiskers, gray hair, blue eyes, small feet, striped pants, dark coat, derby hat and good underclothes. The clothes were all marked J. Beach. The man was a stranger. Several trains evidently ran over the body.

### A Legislative Oversight.

For a number of years the legislature has passed a concurrent resolution authorizing the secretary of state to publish all acts which were giving immediate effect in pamphlet form for distribution before the regular volume of public acts came out. The late legislature failed to adopt such a resolution and none of the 119 acts given immediate effect will be published till next year. There have been many inquiries about these acts, and much inconvenience is being caused to some people by the legislature's negligence.

### A Perrinville Man's Romance.

Joseph Gramer, a brewer of Perrinville, was engaged to marry a girl in Germany before he struck this country. When he got to this side of the ocean he forgot all about his Germany love and married somebody else. The girl, too, married. Her husband died and so did Joe's wife. The latter wrote to his former sweetheart and finally proposed for a second time. She had no objections to the offer and is now in Marshall where they will be married.

### An Unknown Man's Suicide.

An unknown man about 25 years of age threw himself in front of a G. K. & L. passenger train near Martin. He was instantly killed. The man had a smooth face, grey eyes and wore a dark coat and vest, black shirt and tight pants. On his arm a cross was tattooed, and the letters "E. C." were worked in his coat lining.

### Drowned by His Own Foolhardiness.

Peter French, 28 years old, went boating above the Resort dam at Grand Lodge with a girl. He experimented with the strong current, to see how near he dared approach the dam, and the boat was drawn over. The girl was floated toward shore and helped out, but French was drowned.

### Gov. Rich will deliver the Fourth of July oration at Howard City.

The Monroe county teachers' institute will open at Monroe on July 24, lasting four days.

John Littleton was arrested at Port Huron for stealing a horse at Marine City last winter. He hired the horse at a livery stable, drove to Niagara Falls and sold the animal.

Edison Murray, a young man 20 years of age, was drowned in the mill pond at Tekonsha while bathing. The body was recovered. He had been partially insane for several years.

Julius Cherrick was overcome by the heat while hunting near Menominee and fell. In the fall the gun was discharged, the bullets carrying away the side of his head. Making fatal wounds.

The body of Harry Prentice, aged 5 years, was found in the Manistee river by the life-saving crew. The boy went to the river with a little companion, who saw him fall in and tried to help him out.

The dead body of Henry Matson was found near Houghton. The head was in a spring of water but bruises on the body would indicate that he had been the victim of foul play. He leaves a widow and five children.

A 6-year-old daughter of Michael Dubrosky, of Bay City, while playing with matches in a barn loft set fire to the building and was burned to death. Scarcely enough of the remains could be found over which to hold and inquest.

A fractious ram while on the shearing table, kicked the shears out of the hand of the operator on a farm near Watson, Allegan county. The shears struck the leg of a boy named Davis, who was standing near, cutting an artery, and a physician had a difficult time keeping the boy from bleeding to death.

# GENERAL AND FOREIGN.

## MISCELLANEOUS COLLECTION OF NEWS MATTERS.

Ex-King Mataafa Making Trouble in the Samoa Islands.—French Panama Boilers go Free.—Other News.

Secretary Cresham has got another diplomatic tangle on his hands. This time it is the Samoa islands. He has received advices that war is imminent there and that a rebellion has broken out against the existing government of which King Maelietoa is the head. Comparative quiet reigns on the islands as long as the deposed monarch, Mataafa, was kept out of the kingdom. It appears now, however, that he has returned to Samoa for the purpose of regaining his throne. That his following is strong and menacing is evidenced by the fact that the reigning king, Maelietoa, has appealed to the representatives of the tripartite alliance to protect him in accordance with the treaty concluded between the United States, Great Britain and Germany, and assist him in driving the usurper, Mataafa, from his territory. The situation has reached a critical stage. The United States is pledged to assist in preserving the autonomy of the islands, but at present is hardly in a position to do very much in that direction. The only naval vessels anywhere near Samoa are the Boston and Adams, and there is no means of communication with them except by steamer from San Francisco, and even if that could be accomplished it would take at least five days to make the trip from Honolulu to Samoa. Germany is the only member of the alliance represented at the islands by a warship, but with the co-operation of the representatives and citizens of the other governments that vessel will be sufficient to afford ample protection to foreign interests on the island, even if it is not capable of entirely suppressing the rebellion.

### The City Tests It.

The New York Recorder details the cure of several consumptive patients at Ward's island under the direction of the city authorities. As only charity patients in the last stage of consumption are admitted there, the Recorder claims the cure, for which it awarded Dr. W. R. Amick of Cincinnati \$1,000, has accomplished something almost miraculous. It says also that the Cincinnati doctor has agreed to keep the hospital supplied with medicines sufficient for all its consumptive cases at his own expense as only third stage cases are taken there no more severe test could be invited. While it is now generally admitted that the Amick discovery is a certain specific in the earlier stages of consumption, Amick has never heretofore claimed it would cure more than 30 per cent of third stage consumptives. In the test just made by the city three out of four were either cured or astonishingly benefited. It is easy enough for any sufferer from the disease to test the new discovery through their family physician, for Amick sends medicines for the purpose free of cost, and invites impartial test of it by the medical profession everywhere.

### The Columbian Souvenir Quarters.

The coinage of the Columbian souvenir quarter dollars is progressing at the United States mint in Philadelphia. The first piece came from the press an excellent specimen and fully up to the superior class of the work done at the mint. The first 400th, 1492d and 1892d pieces will be forwarded to the board of lady managers of the World's Fair with certificates stating that they are such. The remainder of the 40,000 pieces coined, all of which will be "proof," will be kept at the mint until an order shall be received from Washington ordering their transfer to the woman's department of the Columbian Exposition.

### Took Poison Because of His Wives.

Edward Pennock, a young farmer, 25 years of age, residing five miles east of Battle Creek committed suicide by taking a dose of rat poison. He was married to Sarah Rignow in 1888. Leaving her he was married again last October to Luella Freyland without a divorce from wife No. 1. She then went to his and wanted \$25 to get a divorce. He could not respond. He left the following note for wife No. 2: "My dear Luella—I will be in heaven, and there will be no trouble there. I have taken a sure poison."

### A Brute Who Deserves a Rope.

While Hattie and Lizzie Lachine, aged 7 and 11 respectively, were fishing in the mill pond at Luther, an unknown man approached them. He seized the elder and attempted to assault her. Hattie, however, belabored the fiend's head so terribly that he ran away and took to the woods.

### THE NEWS RESUME.

Cornelius Vanderbilt, of New York accompanied by his family is traveling in Europe.

The coinage of the Columbian silver quarter dollars has begun at the Philadelphia mint.

Two trains collided at Butler, I. T., and Amos Fraine, engineer, and his fireman were killed.

The ocean steamer Winthrop burned to the water's edge at Fairport, Me. She was valued at \$125,000.

Custom officers at Buffalo seized 200 packages of opium which had been smuggled into the country from Canada.

Duke Maximilian Emmanuel, a member of the imperial family of Austria, died suddenly from the rupture of an artery.

The dining car of a special train, bearing the Massachusetts delegation to the World's Fair, caught fire at Rotterdam Junction, N. Y., and was nearly destroyed.

Isaac White, a farmer, whose home is a few miles above Knoxville, Tenn., was killed, with his wife and 16-year-old daughter, just east of that city by an East Tennessee passenger train.

The World's Fair managers have discovered that Midway Plaisance is the leading attraction to visitors and the place will be kept open Sundays, whether the rest of the fair is kept open or not. Numerous improvements will be made to the Plaisance also.

## ON TO CHICAGO.

Michigan National Guard will go Despite Attorney-General Ellis' Technicalities.

Notwithstanding the fact that the state military board is now making arrangements for an encampment of the Michigan National Guard at Chicago, August 8 to 18, and that the concurrent resolution passed both branches of the legislature authorizing such encampment, provided the expense did not exceed the amount appropriated for the annual encampment, there is likely to be no Michigan tents pitched inside the gates of the white city this year. Attorney-General Ellis holds that any such arrangement as is contemplated by the state military board is preposterous, as not a dollar of state funds can be appropriated for an encampment outside the state. He cites several sections of Howell's statutes, volume 1, to prove his statements. He also says that once outside the state Michigan troops cease to be state troops, and that a camp of instruction at Chicago would be the biggest kind of a farce, as not even the governor, who is commander-in-chief, could maintain discipline.

Notwithstanding this decision by the attorney-general the state military board and governor will complete arrangements as intended, and the boys will camp at the "white city."

### The President Growing Too Fat.

President Cleveland is to again, take the Schweninger cure for obesity. This is asserted on the authority of Dr. John Wesley Gibbs, who treated Mr. Cleveland two years ago for the same disease. "Professor Gibbs," says the doctor from saying he would administer the treatment. "He will, however, for he is said to be the only practitioner using the system which gave Bismarck a new lease of life seven years ago."

### A Boy Caught on a Shaft.

Charley Berry, aged 14, son of Jacob Berry, of St. Johns, while at work in the shop of the St. Johns Manufacturing company, was caught in the main shaft, which was making 300 revolutions a minute. His right arm was torn from the shoulder, leaving the bones protruding; both jaws were broken; his face was badly torn and bruised and his side was injured. He lived about an hour.

### Fire at Commencement Exercises.

During the high school commencement exercises in the opera house at Coopersville the curtain was discovered on fire in the midst of a tableau. A panic followed. Mrs. Mead was trampled upon and three of her ribs were broken. Miss Tisch, of Grand Rapids, jumped from a window to the ground, a distance of 30 feet, and was dangerously injured. A number of others were more or less hurt.

Lightning killed Lewis Venable and family and fatally injured James Bell and Martin O'Neal at Aurora, Mo.

John Sheely was shot and killed and Jake Sheely mortally wounded by Jack Nagles at a dance near Louisville, Ky., in a quarrel over a girl.

Adam Shaller, a farmer living nine miles northwest from Howell was drowned while fishing. He leaves a family in comfortable circumstances.

A freight train wreck near Duffield on the Chicago & Grand Trunk Saturday resulted in severe injuries to Engineer Fogarty and the destruction of about 20 cars.

### THE MARKETS.

Detroit.		
Cattle—Good to choice	\$4.00 to	\$5.00
Hogs	6.30	7.00
Sheep	4.00	4.25
Lamb	5.00	6.25
Wheat—Red spot No 2.	64 1/2	65
White spot No 1	67	68
Corn No 2 spot.	40	41
No 2 white	39 1/2	40
Cats No 3 white spot.	34 1/2	35
Wheat	55	55
Wheat No 1 Timothy.	13.50	14.00
Wheat No 1 per bushel.	69	70
New, per bu.	8.50	8.75
Butter—dairy per lb.	.12	.14
Creamery per lb.	.17	.19
Eggs per dozen.	14	14
Spring chickens per lb.	11	12
Spring Chickens per lb.	18	20



# "German Syrup"

My niece, Emeline Hawley, was taken with spitting blood, and she became very much alarmed, fearing that dreaded disease, Consumption. She tried nearly all kinds of medicine but nothing did her any good. Finally she took German Syrup and she told me it did her more good than anything she ever tried. It stopped the blood, gave her strength and ease, and a good appetite. I had it from her own lips. Mrs. Mary A. Stacey, Trumbull, Conn. Honor to German Syrup.

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Consumption and people who have weak lungs or Asthma, should use this. It is a cure for Consumption, it has cured thousands. It is not injurious to the system, it is the best cough syrup. Sold everywhere. 25c.

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The strongest and purest Lye made. Unlike other Lye, it is a fine powder and packed in a can with a removable lid. The contents are always ready for use. Will make the best performed hard soap in 20 minutes without boiling. It is the best for cleaning waste pipes, disintegrating clogs, washing bottles, pans, etc. Sold everywhere. 25c.

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# DR. KILMER'S SWAMP-ROOT CURED ME.

La Grippe! Grippe! Grippe! After Effects Cured.

Mr. Diller writes: "I had a bad attack of the Grippe; after a time caught cold and had a second attack, it settled in my kidneys and liver, and Oh! such pain and misery in my back and legs. The physicians' medicine and other things that I used made no impression, and I continually grew worse until I was a physical wreck, and given up to die. Father bought me a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's SWAMP-ROOT, and before I had used all of the second bottle I felt better, and today I am just as well as ever. A year has passed and not a trace of the Grippe is left. SWAMP-ROOT saved my life." D. H. BILGER, Hulmeville, Pa., Jan. 10th, 1893.

# DROPSY! DROPSY! DROPSY!

Suffered Three Years. Respected Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. My wife had suffered for three years with Dropsy, during that time she was attended by five different physicians, none of whom helped her for longer than a few days. We also used besides, more than twenty different remedies, but nothing would help.

Then we used your SWAMP-ROOT, and after she had used three bottles relief was apparent, hence she continued to take it until she had used twenty-five One Dollar bottles. Now she is healthy and strong, as she never was before. She will be forty-one years old on the 9th of next March and next to God she owes her life to SWAMP-ROOT. I send you this testimonial and enclose herewith a Photograph of my wife. Your friend, HERMAN BROOKING, Feb. 2nd, 1893. Loras, Shelby Co., Ohio.

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# THE OLD FIRE

Some years ago he used to write, in stanzas of this fashion. The editorial diet was quite devoid—and full of passion. His models were the usual four—Prud, Locker, Dobson, Bunker. His muse selected from a score—Was modern and a stunner!

The dear muse—ah! she didn't know A saga from a sonnet; Such knowledge found no room below Her staid, dewy-browed brow. She only knew she loved the man Whose songs of love she carried Safe in her heart—and so it ran—A year—until they married.

He settled down, and soon the rhymes Became distinctly fewer; He still put up the muse at times, A less impetuous wooer. He hated more wisely, not less well, Without a song to show it. And yesterday I heard him tell The truth: I'm not a poet.

Black Hawk's Magnanimity. After the repulse of the British and Indians at Fort Stephenson in August, 1813, Black Hawk became a guest with the ill-fortune, just then attending the British arms, and left hastily for Rock River. A party was sent by the Americans to follow him. The pursuit was continued until the party, confused by many trails, was forced to break up, and each man had to look out for his own safety.

On emerging from a thicket one day, a scout named Kilbourn saw at a distance an Indian on his hands and knees slaking his thirst at a spring. Instinctively the scout leveled his rifle and pulled the trigger. The shot was fired against the pan, but the plug failed to ignite.

The Indian sprang to his feet, and leveled his rifle at the scout. He did not fire, however, but advanced upon Kilbourn and made him prisoner. Kilbourn then recognized his captor as none other than Black Hawk himself.

"The white mole digs deep," but Makataemish kiakie dies high and can see far off," said Black Hawk to the scout. After some words to his band Black Hawk informed Kilbourn that he had decided to adopt him into the tribe.

After three years watching for a chance to escape, the scout found it and regained civilization. During the Black Hawk war of 1832, Kilbourn was again employed in the service of the government, and was captured by Black Hawk at the battle of Stillman's Run. He nursed himself for the torture which he felt sure must now await him.

Not was he comforted in the least when Black Hawk, passing close to him, said in a low tone, "Does the mole think that Black Hawk forgot?" Just before sunset of the day of his capture, Black Hawk again came to him, loosed the cords that bound him to a tree, and conducted him far into the forest. Pausing, the Indian said: "I am going to send you back to your chief, though I ought to kill you for running away a long time ago, after I had adopted you as a son; but Black Hawk can forgive as well as fight."

Doctor Keely in his narrative of the voyage of the *Kila* with the *Leary* and *Reddy*, on a mission to the Arctic, which is calculated to give the reader a lively idea of the perils of Arctic voyaging. The ship was working its way through a pack of ice, and in eleven days of constant struggle had progressed only fifty miles. One morning a lake was seen to be opening just ahead, and Captain Pike determined to force a passage through the narrow strip of water leading into it.

The work was almost done, when all at once the ship stopped, and would move neither forward nor backward. It was stuck in the ice.

Captain Pike and his crew realized, of course, the peril in which they were. The sailors, followed by many of the party, at once jumped on the ice and attempted to open a passage with crowbars and wooden beams. The ice was too thick, however, and we were initiated into another Arctic device.

Holes were drilled in the ice, and a bottle filled with gunpowder, attached to which was a fuse that would burn under water, was tied to the end of an oar, with the bottle attached, was shoved through the opening and down under the edge of the ice, where it exploded. Thus, after several attempts, a great cake was blown from the edge.

The ship was at once put astern, and in a few minutes was in comparative safety in a corner of what had been the large lake we had left.

So little did we realize our danger that those of us who were not assisting the crew spent the time in gambling on the ice with the dogs, or in photographing the ship and the men endeavoring to release her.

The next day the Captain pointed out the spot in which the ship had been stuck. It was piled up with irregular blocks of ice from thirteen to twenty feet above the surface of the sea, showing the terrific force with which they had come together.

# Chickamauga Park.

General H. V. Boynton told me today that Chickamauga Park would be made in time the finest historical place in the world, as also the most lovely. The park now is nine square miles, and an addition will likely be made to it. This year the sum of \$1,000,000 is to be expended on internal improvements, and year by year other sums of money will be used upon it until it is in a satisfactory condition. A great deal of work is to be done at the Chattanooga end and along the road to Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge.

An idea of a drive through this pretty park can be formed from the fact that from the north end of Missionary Ridge to the place where the Confederates left was at Chattanooga is about twenty miles, and the country about it was the scene of five days' hard struggle between the contending forces. In these battles all the big armies on both sides were engaged, the North under Hooker and the South under Longstreet. So far thirteen States have appointed commissions to select the location of troops on the field, which includes eight Northern and five Southern States, and it is expected that four additional Northern States will soon appoint their commissions.

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Commanded the Infantry. "Attention, Company F! Halt! Right, left, right, left! Halt!"

The stentorian voice and loud clash of arms at midnight awakened everybody on the third floor of the big hotel. Visitors, porters, boys and chambermaids ran shrieking into the corridors.

"What's up? Where are the soldiers?" "Are the troops ordered out?" "What's the row?"

"Forward! Present arms! Charge bayonets! Fire!" Heads ducked, and a foreign voice called out over a banister: "Nat, ez? Zee enemy has come? Ha!"

"Boom-ta-ra-boom-de-ay! Company M! Halt! Left, right! Advance on the left wing! Shoulder arms! A-tention!"

Everybody gazed at the closed door on the other side of which the military commands were thundered. As the noise increased so did the excitement, and soon the landlord, accompanied by his force of assistants, appeared on the scene.

"Rub-a-dub, rub-a-dub," went a drum that sounded like a clarion of war, and as the landlord reached the door from which the sound proceeded he was greeted by the din of an advancing army.

"Charge! Right wheel! Slute your commanding officer, Company F!" "Hullo, there, Company F! Who are you? How did you get in?" called the landlord angrily. "Let me in there!"

"Right, left, right, left—march!" commanded the voice as the door was flung open, disclosing a small army wrapped in a quilt, carrying a very wide-awake infant and a toy drum.

The crowd gave just one look and then fell over each other in their hurry to disperse, while the little man was explaining mildly: "I've been trying to amuse the baby."

A Clever Escape. A corporal and two privates, having in their custody a deserter, were enjoying themselves at a country tavern near St. Louis one day during the Civil war. The deserter, amused by his military guards with several entertaining sleight-of-hand tricks, but being unimpressed with the steel rattles, complained he could not display his skill to advantage, and requested to have his hands at liberty whilst he exhibited a "favorite" trick which he described: "This being agreed to," he proceeded to tie the hands of the three soldiers and his own together with a handkerchief, which he was wholly to loose with a gentle stroke. The magic knots were tied, but, on being shaken the knots all remained firm except the one which held the deserter. This fell under a touch, and, quiet as an arrow, he lifted up the sash and darted headforemost through the window, leaving his keepers raging at each other, and tugging like ill-coupled hounds, before they thought of cutting asunder their bonds, which having effected, they commenced a vain chase; but the deserter having got the start rendered their efforts ineffectual.

It Reached the Ground. Years ago a Naval Academy cadet, with very short legs used to answer the gibes of his fellow students by saying he didn't care.—His legs were long enough to reach the ground. If any one's legs failed of such an achievement, this story might not have been found in the New York Ledger:

Host (a trifle nervous about the effect of his guest's wooden leg upon the polished floor)—Hain't you better come on the rug, major? You might slip out there, my boy.

The Major—Oh, don't be afraid, my boy. There's no danger. I have a nail in the end of it.

Studying American Schools. Miss Sara A. Burdall, a graduate of Girton College, Eng. and is now in this country inspecting the public school systems of different cities. She is one of the five "traveling scholars" appointed by the Gilchrist trustees to England to inspect American schools. The Gilchrist Education Trust is composed of many prominent Englishmen, who are endeavoring to promote the cause of secondary education for women by a comparison of the methods of other countries. The State lends its support only to elementary education. Miss Burdall says the high schools in England are not numerous enough to supply the needs and they do not receive support from the State, nor are pupils admitted free of charge. The Gilchrist trustees think that the State should lend a partial support to the public schools.

Charging the Jury. It sometimes happened during the era of Reconstruction in South Carolina that the grand jury was promoted by the grand juror. It so happened that Pompey Stensel, a black negro, became a "Trial Justice." It was not long before Pompey had a case before him. When the jury rose and began moving toward the adjoining room for consultation one of the lawyers interposed and said, "May it please your honor, you have no charge the jury."

Where upon Judge Pompey gathered up himself, and with all possible dignity said: "Gentlemen of the jury, as dis is a first time I have had you before me, charge each one of you one dollar and a half."

A skirt that is much the mode for light summer fabrics is from a very light straight bias and is not got in the least and finished simply with a wide hem. This skirt is hanging from the belt on a foundation skirt of tulle.

# Brightest Part of My Trip.

A New York fashion correspondent of a Southern paper gives out the following:

A lady writes: "I have read your letters for a long time, and have often envied you the opportunity you enjoy of seeing the beautiful things you describe. I used to think when I read of those charming dresses and parasols and hats at Lord & Taylor's, that there must be one of those stores where a timid, nervous woman like myself, having but a few dollars to spare for a season's outfit, would be of so little account that she would receive little attention; but when you said, in one of your letters a few months ago, that goods of the same quality were sold cheaper there than elsewhere, because they sold more goods in their two stores than any other firm in New York, and that because they sold more they bought more, and consequently bought cheaper, I determined, if I ever went to New York, I would go to Lord & Taylor's."

"That long-waited-for time came in the early autumn, and I found myself standing before that great entrance, with those wonderful windows at either side. I summoned my courage and entered, and I suppose tens of thousands of just such timid women as I have done before. My fears were gone in an instant. The agreeable attention put me at my ease at once, and I felt as much at home as though I were in the little country store where my people have 'traded' for nearly a quarter of a century."

"And now, as I wear the pretty things I purchased, or see them every day and find them all so satisfactory, I think of my visit to this great store as the brightest part of my trip to New York."

# WOMAN'S WAY.

An ostrich feather rug is the latest luxury. Experience is the cream of life—but it's ours with age.

It is a Boston idea to write the weight of the baby on the cards and nouncing its birth.

Young Man—I wish opinion, your as to whether your daughter would make a good wife? Lawyer—No, sir; she would not. Five dollars, please.

Queen Natalie of Serbia has a finer head of hair than any other feminine royal personage in Europe. She generally wears it hanging in two long plaits down her back.

Japanese women put up their hair with wooden, ivory or tortoise shell pins, seven or eight inches in length and full half an inch wide. The pins are usually carved, and are often capped with ivory figures, that danced with every motion of the wearer.

A band of women robbers has been discovered in Payago, Spain. They met once a month in a cave on the outskirts of the town to plan burglaries, and here they had a full stock of burglars' tools and about \$3,000 worth of plunder. They usually worked in men's attire.

Gilded frames can be cleaned by gently wiping them with a fine cotton cloth dipped in sweet oil. In the summer, when flies are troublesome, wash the frame in water in which two or three onions have been boiled. This method will not weaken the gilding but will insure for them a good master.

During the recent visit of the emperor and empress of Austria to Switzerland they were taking some refreshments in a confectioner's in Montreux, where the empress took such a fancy to the Scotch "shortbread" that she asked for the recipe. At first the confectioner hesitated to supply the information, but when he learned that her majesty was not likely to establish a rival shop he consented.

Cupid was flying irregularly between them, so to speak, as they were strolling along. He was feeling a good deal like a man going past a cemetery and was whistling. "I wish you wouldn't whistle," she said pettishly. "It is positively rude!" He looked at her a moment and stopped. Then he began to sing softly. He sang for a few minutes. "Harry," she said, almost tenderly. His face lighted up with hope. "Please whistle!" she requested pleadingly.

Condors have been killed in Peru with wings of forty feet spread. To please the fancy of the bride, a young couple near Lewisburg, Pa., will be wedded shortly beneath a big apple tree that stands in her father's yard.

The Mountville, W. Va., Echo speaks of "a woman who appropriated some telephone wires for a clothes line, and it caused the company considerable inconvenience, besides cutting off communication with Mountville and Wheeling."

Edison is quoted as saying that in his experience whatever has been proved to be impossible by mathematical authorities has been the easiest invention to produce.

John Oliver Holbes, who has lately jumped into a literary reputation in London, is to her friends Mrs. Craigie, a young lady who began her professional career three or four years ago as an art critic.

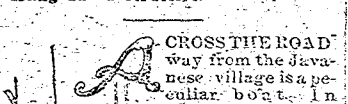
John Burroughs, the author, has ten acres of grapes on his country estate overlooking the Hudson. The preparation of the fruit for market he scrutinizes as carefully as he does a proof-sheet of one of his new books.

Henry Bloch, a wholesale butcher of Brooklyn, is the father of twelve living children—four boys and eight girls. The subject of his children makes Mr. Bloch one of the most enthusiastic of men. They are his pride and delight. Recently he had tiny photos of his interesting brood made for the dial of his watch—one child for each hour. This watch he takes with him wherever he goes, and when tired and perplexed in his business, he pulls it out and the faces of the beautiful children allay all fears and soothe all troubles.

# WORLD'S FAIR LETTER

## A GLANCE AT THE CUSTOMS OF THE SAMOANS.

Objects of Interest Seen in the Samoan Village, in Midway, Pleasance—A Ship of War—A South Sea Palace—Interesting and Instructive.



CROSS THE ROAD way from the Japanese village is a peculiar boat. In some respects it is the most singular craft ever seen here. It is the tamalua or war canoe of Samoa. The boat, which has seen active service in the South Pacific, is 22 feet long and 3 feet of beam, and not a scrap of iron enters into its construction. It is made of 1200 wood, a native timber of dark reddish hue, capable of taking a high polish. The boards are put together in a peculiar way. They are joined with fiber twine, and the work is so well done that there is no leakage. It requires twenty-two men to row the boat, and in addition to these it will hold thirty-three warriors. To help the outboard square sail, made of matting is used. It is held aloft by a mast, but things are fastened to the four corners and to the boat, and in this manner the pulling is done. The figure-head is the carving of a god in which the Samoans believed many years ago. It is the god of sea-god people and is represented as on the lookout for rocks and shoal water. The warriors are armed with bows and arrows and axes, and the sides of the boat show the marks of numerous combats. The canoes are remarkably heavy, long sweeps. Near the boat is the long, a sort of bell. It is like a trough below and of a log, about four feet long and set up on pegs. In the hollow of the trough is a small bell.

Queen Natalie of Serbia has a finer head of hair than any other feminine royal personage in Europe. She generally wears it hanging in two long plaits down her back.

Japanese women put up their hair with wooden, ivory or tortoise shell pins, seven or eight inches in length and full half an inch wide. The pins are usually carved, and are often capped with ivory figures, that danced with every motion of the wearer.

A band of women robbers has been discovered in Payago, Spain. They met once a month in a cave on the outskirts of the town to plan burglaries, and here they had a full stock of burglars' tools and about \$3,000 worth of plunder. They usually worked in men's attire.

Gilded frames can be cleaned by gently wiping them with a fine cotton cloth dipped in sweet oil. In the summer, when flies are troublesome, wash the frame in water in which two or three onions have been boiled. This method will not weaken the gilding but will insure for them a good master.

During the recent visit of the emperor and empress of Austria to Switzerland they were taking some refreshments in a confectioner's in Montreux, where the empress took such a fancy to the Scotch "shortbread" that she asked for the recipe. At first the confectioner hesitated to supply the information, but when he learned that her majesty was not likely to establish a rival shop he consented.

Cupid was flying irregularly between them, so to speak, as they were strolling along. He was feeling a good deal like a man going past a cemetery and was whistling. "I wish you wouldn't whistle," she said pettishly. "It is positively rude!" He looked at her a moment and stopped. Then he began to sing softly. He sang for a few minutes. "Harry," she said, almost tenderly. His face lighted up with hope. "Please whistle!" she requested pleadingly.

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but the printing is done with geometric accuracy, although the eye only is used.

The village is under the control of H. J. Moore of Apia, who is the confidant of Mataafa and who will in all probability be his prime minister if he returns to power at the next election. A theater is being built and performances will be given of historical pieces. The colony consists of 200 warriors and dancers of both sexes.

Cupid is beginning to make his presence known in the place. Within a week a Samoan has fallen heels over head in love with a Norwegian girl in the beauty show, the priest in Cairo Street, is languishing because an American cash-mer was sent away after he had given his heart to her, and a German had an experience he will not soon forget. His name is Carl Meinen, and in the land of his birth he is called Herr Baron. At present he is employed in serving beer and Frankfort sausages in a restaurant where he can hear the lions roar while going through their performance. A week ago he went to the Chinese theater. In the play a poor, New-Yorkish celestial, fleeing from unjust wrath, is about to end his life, when the beautiful daughter of the King saves him and weds him. It was at the first sight of this daughter that Cupid began to work. His aim was true. The server of sausages was smitten. His attention to the customers was redoubled, for tips were necessary. It costs 25 cents to see the beautiful daughter of the King. Carl saw every performance and his heart beat harder and harder. On Sunday he found out the name of his destiny. It was Wang Pang. To hang around the stage-door was useless for the Chinese lived in the building. Besides it was a waste of time, for tips had to be earned. The next best thing to do was to write a letter. He did it. It was an impassioned screed and told of the great love he had. The letter was delivered and the trembling Carl sat in front, awaiting some sign. It came. Manager Sling touched him on the shoulder and told him to follow. Once in the coveted presence, Wang Pang informed the love-struck "Tenton" of an ability to "study English like a Mormon" and to which Carl replied with a heart-crushing smile: "Das ist sehr gut."

Those were the last words he spoke in the theater. His divinity had been sitting, but rose, pulled off the wig of the beautiful daughter and let down a long cue. Wang Pang is a man, and because they don't have women on the stage in China he impersonates one. Carl served sausages the rest of the day in a very dejected manner, and gave one customer an attack of heart disease by declining a tip. His hope in life is gone.

GEORGE I. SENEY. Earned His Money by Speculation, But Gave Much to Charity.

George I. Seney, whose death was recently recorded, was at one time a leading spirit in "the street," as they say in Wall Street, New York. He was born at Astoria, L. I., on the 12th of May, 1838.

In 1858 Mr. Seney entered the Wesleyan University as a student, but left it to enter Columbian College in New York City. He was graduated in the class of 1857. He decided upon a business career for himself. His first position was as paying-teller in the Metropolitan Bank of New York City. In 1862 he became its cashier, and later its president. He also had heavy interests in the Atlantic Bank in Brooklyn, N. Y. In 1860 Mr. Seney associated himself with Oliver Hoyt and H. Stiles in founding The Methodist to advocate the anti-slavery cause. Mr. Seney was largely interested in Southern railroads. In 1881 he, together with W. T. Walters of Baltimore, Md., and R. T. Wilson and Adrian Iselin of New York City, purchased a controlling interest in the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railway. The company became financially involved and Mr. Seney retired. Mr. Seney's most successful railroad deal was the transfer of the Nickel Plate system to the Vanderbilts. He is said to have cleared \$1,300,000 by the transaction.

In the panic of 1884 the Metropolitan Bank gave to the wall. Mr. Seney's hands were full of nonnegotiable securities, and his personal fortune, owing to his unwise generosity, was insufficient to tide over the dangerous period. He sold his house and a magnificent collection of paintings.

Among his many gifts were \$550,000 to the Wesleyan University; \$500,000 each to the Methodist Orphan Asylum and the Seney Hospital, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.; \$100,000 to the Long Island Historical Society; \$80,000 to the Brooklyn Library; \$50,000 to the Drew Methodist Theological Seminary; \$25,000 each to the Brooklyn Industrial School for Homeless Children, \$15,000 to the Methodist Church in Bernardsville, N. J.; \$10,000 to Oxford College, Ga.; \$15,000 to the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, Brooklyn and about \$200,000 in miscellaneous charities throughout the South. At the time of his death Mr. Seney was wealthy, but not with the millions of ante-bellum days. He had been seriously ill for three weeks and nearly all the members of his family were at his bedside when he died.

THE TYPEWRITER GIRL. At Last She Mashes the Hair to a Throat.

A recent dispatch from Moscow would indicate that the seductive typewriter is as potent in the far East as in the Occident. The Grand Duke George of Russia, second son of the Czar, has become frantically in love with a pretty Circassian employed as a typewriter in a telegraph office in the Caucasus, where the Duke is staying for his health. The Grand Duke is determined to marry her, despite the pleadings of his mother and the threats of his father. Their objections have so worn upon the young lover that he has fallen desperately ill and swears that he will die unless allowed to marry his delectable.

WAR CANOE OF SOUTH SEA ISLANDERS. ure, such as accompany a marriage, but they are of comparatively modern origin.

The home dress of these people is very scanty. It consists of nothing more than a wide strip of tapa cloth about the loins. Tapa is made by the natives and is a product of the bark of the mulberry tree. Strips of the bark 1 1/2 inches thick, 2 feet long and 4 inches wide are stripped from the tree. These are taken to the river, where women and girls subject them to a crude process of tanning by soaking the bark in water. It is then placed in a small wooden board and the surface scraped by a rough shell, leaving the inner bark. This leaves it a pulpy substance. The small strips are then cut up and the edges pounded together until a piece is made the required size. To color the cloth in designs a die is made of a half-oval board of pau wood, over which colors made of native barks and roots have been smeared. The prepared cloth is spread over this and the print is made. All kinds of designs are used and the drawing is very crude.

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# DOLLARS AND SENSE!

Yes, good CASH DOLLARS buys goods cheap, and good COMMON SENSE tells us all to invest them where they will go the farthest. The "Busy Big Store" has been so crowded lately with satisfied buyers that it would seem as if everyone had the same opinion and appreciated the bargains we are continually offering. Our next will interest both the ladies' and gentlemen. On SATURDAY, JUNE 24, at 7 o'clock in the morning, we will place on sale in the Dry Goods Department, just

## 700 YARDS OF MATELASSE AND EMPRESS CLOTHS,

That we have considered good value all the season at 10c per yard, but to make it still more lively we will close the balance of the stock of 700 yards at just 6 1-2c per yard. This is less than the jobbers' price. They are handsome goods in both light and dark shades, 7-8 of a yard wide, and will go quick at this price. No limit to amount of purchase. Will sell any amount until all are closed.

## In The Clothing Department.

We will sell one case of Men's Merino Undershirts and Drawers, Summer weight, at 21c each. 1 lot Men's Cotton Pants, regular \$1.00 goods to go at 65c each. 1 lot Men's Wool Pants, cotton warp, worth \$1.50, will close at 99c per pair. The early buyers are the ones that secure the first choice. SATURDAY, JUNE 24th.

# T. G. Richardson, THE CASH — OUTFITTER.

### OUR NEIGHBORS.

Interesting Notes Gathered by Our Hustling Correspondents.

#### NOVI.

Gay Banks is in Chicago attending the big fair. Our school closes this week and the children will be free till fall. Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Johnson left Saturday for the Columbian exposition. The ice cream and strawberry social given by the Baptist young people netted them over \$21.

James Clark of Milford and his mother were the guests of R. M. Johnson and family over Sunday.

Dr. Johnson's and C. M. Wright's families have taken possession of their summer cottage at Walled Lake. A number of Novi people attended the children's day exercises at Wixom Sunday afternoon and report them very nice.

Several of the people of this vicinity drove to Plymouth Sunday afternoon to hear Rev. Lee S. McCollister of Detroit, who held services there.

Mrs. J. J. Moore of Walled Lake died last Saturday afternoon. The remains were taken to Commerce and buried Monday. She was the mother of Judge Moore of Lapeer.

The \$1,000 worth of notes which were stolen from Whipple Brothers' safe last week were afterwards safely found in a lumber pile where the burglars had carefully tucked them away.

There is one more act that can be added to the long list of misdeeds with which Novi has been credited and that is the blowing open of the Whipple Bros' safe. We don't know what to look for next for a change.

Fred Parker left Wednesday morning for Fargo, North Dakota. He has been engineer for Roblin & Parker the past year. Fred is a fine young man and will be missed in the community and we wish him success, wherever he goes.

John Morse has a pair of colts, a yearling and a two-year-old, that weigh respectively 1,100 and 1,600 pounds. They would form quite a striking contrast to A. N. Kimmis' baby equine which he can carry under his arm with perfect ease.

Mr. Chase, our former operator has had a position given him at Harvey, Ill. in the employ of the Grand Trunk railway company. His family will join him later. They will be greatly missed here in the church and Sunday school especially, as he and his wife were always willing to help do what was right.

On Saturday last Wm. Lockwood, the hotel proprietor at Novi, went to Milford to the pigeon shoot, driving a valuable pair of colts which he was training for Geo. Hills of this township. While the horses were being harnessed for the return trip, at Taggett's livery barn, a bullock which was kept in the barn, and which had hitherto been perfectly quiet and peaceably, suddenly attacked the colts ferociously, and before he could be dragged off and killed, which was pluckily done as soon as possible by Lee Wooster, had lacerated them in a terrible manner. Mr. Hills had been offered \$300 for the colts, but said that he had no further use for them. The matter was settled by the owner of the log paying Mr. Hills \$200 and taking the horses. It is not known whether the dog was rabid or not.

Yerkes Bros. want the wheat they can get hold of for which they offer the highest cash price.

### MEAD'S MILLS.

Miss Clara Benton has gone to Detroit for a few days.

Farmers have commenced cutting grass in these parts.

C. H. Rogers of Ypsilanti spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Loud. Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Patterson of Plymouth visited friends here a few days ago.

We were treated to a shower on Tuesday afternoon, which drenched everything thoroughly.

Arthur Eckles, who has been a cripple for several months, has gone to Ann Arbor for treatment.

The citizens of this place, and the farmer particularly, have been annoyed for years with horses and cows running on the highway, but this year so many have been taking the same liberty as to cause a complaint to be entered to the pathmaster, asking that the nuisance be abated.

### THAYER'S CORNERS.

Mrs. H. B. Thayer is visiting her daughter Mrs. H. L. Haskell.

W. H. Tousey has been appointed administrator of the estate of his father the late Wm. Tousey of this place.

Frank Terrell went to Friesland, Ill. last week on business for Mrs. Sanderson of Northville. Before returning, he will visit the Columbian exposition.

Miss Edith Perkins, type-writer, stenographer and book-keeper for the Belding basket works, is in town visiting her mother and brother, our genial station agent. She is to remain several weeks.

Rev. Mr. Shannon has been granted a leave of absence by his church and with his wife and Miss Ada Roe, will attend the Christian Endeavor convention at Toronto, Can., early in July.

Miss Jennie Westfall closed her school year at the brick school-house, Thayer's Corners, on Tuesday last with music and rhetorical exercises and a picnic in Terrell's woods. Miss Westfall's services have given entire satisfaction and the school board have engaged her for another year.

### SALEM.

Some farmers have begun haying. Mrs. Oliver of Detroit is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dr. Walker.

Mrs. Conrad and children spent Monday and Tuesday at Belle Branch.

Mrs. Martin, daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, left on Monday for Chicago.

Rev. Mr. Conrai was in attendance at the Baptist minister's association, Detroit on Monday.

The Congregationalists hold an ice cream and strawberry social at Stanbro's hall this evening.

Children's day exercises will be fittingly observed in the Baptist church next Sunday evening. Through a mistake it was stated to be last Sabbath.

Last Thursday evening's entertainment in Haywood's hall drew a large crowd. Proceeds will be devoted to paying for painting the Baptist parsonage.

Mrs. Geo. Wheeler and Mrs. H. P. Thayer were invited guests in attendance at the wedding of the eldest daughter of Mr. Utley, librarian of Detroit city library, which took place in that city Tuesday evening.

The lecture by Rev. Dr. Roberts of Detroit last Thursday was a real treat, although marred by a severe cold that the lecturer was suffering from. He had so much to tell that he only half completed the trip around the world, but has promised to return to Salem again.

### FARMINGTON.

Frank Lee reports a pleasant visit at the world's fair.

Mark Hance of Detroit was in town a part of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Moore were in Detroit part of last week.

Henry Bachant has gone home to remain during the summer.

Geo. Lee and wife have returned home after a short visit at Holly.

Misses Carrie M. Murray and Eva Lee attended the ball play at Southfield last Saturday.

J. H. White of Owosso has been visiting his parents, M. A. White, and wife and other relatives and friends.

Jas. Barry of Detroit, formerly of this place spent part of last week visiting old friends and relatives in this vicinity.

The K. O. T. M.'s and L. O. T. M.'s will hold a social dance in the town hall Wednesday evening and serve ice cream on the lawn belonging to A. F. Neuenendorf. A pleasant time is anticipated.

Children's day services were held in the Baptist church last Sunday evening and an excellent program was well rendered. The church was profusely decorated with cut flowers and plants. Quite a large attendance.

The same corps of teachers have been hired to teach in our high school for the next school year. Prof. Frank Lamb, principal; Miss Jennie Armstrong in the intermediate and Miss Millie Chapman in the primary departments.

Messrs. John Harger of Detroit, and A. F. Neuenendorf and Misses Jennie Armstrong and Lucie Allen and one other young lady (who objects to her name being published) attended the social at Geo. Whipple's, Novi, last week Friday evening. All reported a good time (even the bashful maiden).

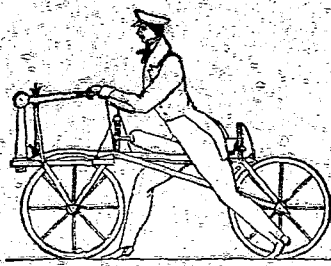
Last Sunday morning at the Methodist church the baccalaureate address was given by Rev. A. S. Tedman of Belle Branch. Subject, "The Hopes that May Inspire Human Life," which was excellent and highly appreciated by a large audience. Thursday evening at the town hall the graduating exercises will take place. On Friday evening the intermediate and primary departments will render an excellent program. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

### The Bicycle Industry.

By BEN BOLDER.

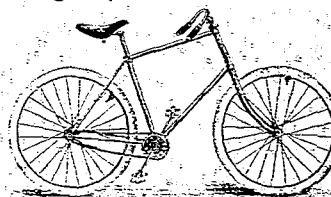
The history of the bicycle is rich in all that pertains to crudeness, novelty, and the subsequent rapid development of lines which were the foundation of the modern bicycle of to-day. Since 1816 the inventive genius of man have been at work upon the constructions or cycles; but not until 1869, when the American velocipede appeared, can it be said that cycle manufacturing took even the slightest form as an industry. The bicycle of to-day is a radically different affair from that of five of six years ago. Within this period the safety bicycle has superseded the dangerous high wheel; cushion tires have succeeded solid ones, and these in turn have been placed among other back numbers by the more modern pneumatic tire. The highest grade bicycles of 1893, such as the world-famed Victor bicycles, have probably reached that stage of development where many more improvements are improbable, if not impossible. The maximum and minimum in weight have been reached, and it is now assured that from 28 to 35 pounds is the proper standard, varying from the

former for a racing wheel to the latter for rough usage and very heavy riders. Above or below these weights is undesirable.



THE "DRAISINE" OF 1816.

Again, art in the manufacture of the bicycle has lightened and beautified the material and lines of design compensating for weight by a better understanding and application of mechanics, until today pleasure, touring, or business trips are equally indulged in by all. The bicycle is coming to be as indispensable as the carriage, simply because the art of bicycle manufacture has made it possible to obtain from the bicycle for business or pleasure that which is impossible from the carriage. Of course there is still much crudeness, imperfection in many bicycles. By far too great a majority are cheap, built in quality and price, and it is even stated that there is but one factory in the world where every part of the bicycle is made complete from A to Z; that is the factory, or rather factories, for there are three of them, being those of Overman Wheel Company, located at Chicopee Falls, Mass., where the Victor bicycles are built complete, without outside assistance. The three are Victor tires; not those of some part maker; the saddles are Victor saddles; rims Victor rims; and so on. The vast structures devoted to the manufacture of Victor bicycles were all built expressly for the purpose, with the intention of turning out the best and highest grade bicycles in the world at the highest prices.



THE VICTOR "FLYER" OF 1893.

That the Overman Wheel Company has succeeded in going without saying, and its magnificent plant, complete in every detail, is an object lesson to other makers who desire to reach the summit of fame. The Victor being the first safety bicycle built in America, its makers have always been a little in advance in improved constructions. The Victor "Flyer" here illustrated is considered the highest development ever attained. Its contrast to the crude wheel of 1816 is most marked and startling. The Overman Wheel Company has issued an elegantly embossed and printed catalogue for 1893, covering every feature of the Victor product. It is a triumph of the printer's art, and probably the finest catalogue ever devoted to the subject.—Scientific Am.

### GOLDEN SECRET O' LONG LIFE.

Keep the head cool, the feet warm and the bowels open. Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves is a Vegetable preparation and acts as a natural laxative, and is the greatest remedy ever discovered for the Cure of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, and all Blood Liver and Kidney Diseases. Call on C. R. Stevens, sole agent, and get a trial package free. Large size 50c. No 4

### THEY ALL SAY SO.

Isiah told Jeremiah that Benjamin said he heard Frank say that John often asserted without any fear of contradiction that the R. & F. Wayne's Perfectos and Record Taker 5c cigars are the finest and most aromatic cigars ever sold in Northville and many more smokers most emphatically pronounce them so. Try one and be convinced. Manufactured by G. A. & T. M. Fletcher.

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With three chairs and three skilled workmen you are sure to be in the chair, or "next" for a first-class shave or hair cut at PETER DONNELL'S barber shop.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Colicous Lumps and Blisters from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Stiffes, Sprains, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Saves \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish-Cure ever known. Sold by C. R. Stevens, Druggist, Northville, Mich.

## Signs of Spring, New Market.

Will be doubly welcome after this long hard winter.

Here is one that is infallible: A little girl in red dress runs down the lane—Big ugly ox in adjoining lot charges down the hill. If he strikes



### The Fence

and takes a double-back somersault, be sure that "Spring" is high—coiled in the Fence made by the PAGE WOVEN WIRE CO., and sold by the rod or mile, by

E. B. Thompson & E. K. Starkweather, NORTHVILLE, MICH.

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If you are not feeling strong and healthy try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with Sick Headache, you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c. at A. M. Randolph's Drug Store.

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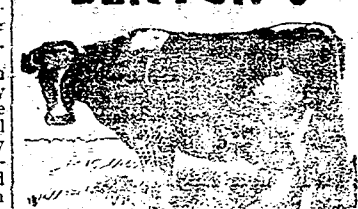
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## MILK X ROUTE

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We are now prepared to furnish Ice Cream in any quantity.

Milk for Infants furnished from one cow in Special cans.

We Guarantee Satisfaction and Solicit your orders.

VERY MUCH SURPRISED. I have been afflicted with neuralgia for nearly two years, have tried physicians and all known remedies, but found no permanent relief until I tried a bottle of Dullam's Great German Liniment and it gave me instant and permanent relief. 25 cents per bottle. A. B. Snell, Hamilton, Mich. April 11, 1890. For sale by C. R. Stevens

## New Market.

The New Meat Market in the Opera House Block is now thoroughly equipped for business. Market newly overhauled, everything new and first-class.

All kinds of best qualities of

Fresh and Salt Meats, BUTTER and EGGS, Etc. At Lowest Market Prices.

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(Successors to Stark & Harding.)

Northville, Mich.

Cash paid for Butter and Eggs.

## ABOUT FEED.

We are now making a specialty of Feed Grinding and Retail and Wholesale. We have put the price way, way down, and farmers and others are appreciating it by coming from miles away. We have tons to spare and can supply all. And at the same time.

USE GOLD LACE FLOUR.

And you will make no mistake.

YERKES BROS., Northville, Mich.

## A GREAT OFFER!

B. A. WHEELER Is offering to sell Lots on weekly payments of 50c or more. These Lots are situated in Northside and are very desirable.

How can you better invest a little money each week. Also 1 Lot on Center St. \$ 250 1 house & lot Main St. 1200 1 lot Buchner's add. 90 1 " " " 80 I also have the selling of the Huff house Center St. 870 PAYMENTS EASY. Call and get plat of Northside