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## A GREAT BALL GAME.

The Business Men of the Two Towns Have an Exciting Contest.

### NORTHVILLE VS. PLYMOUTH.

The Players and the Big Crowd Es-corted to the Grounds by a Brass Band.

Never did a Northville ball game create more good natured excitement and general amusement than that of Monday afternoon between the Plymouth and Northville business men. The procession was to form at 2:00 and long before that hour the streets were thronged with people eager and anxious for the march to the grounds. The business houses all closed in honor of the occasion and the village took on the air of a 4th of July celebration, all to be done in the half holiday. The line formed at a little past three and headed by the City band marched to the grounds, each Northville player escorted a Plymouthite, the mayors of the two towns occupying the place of honor next to the band. When the band reached the grounds, the last of the procession had not yet left the square.

L. A. Beal, manager of the Columbia Refrigerator works acted as captain for the Northville's and W. T. Conner of Conner & Son, hardware merchants, did the same act for Plymouth's. The secreters were Mayor Hunter of Plymouth and Mayor Hutton of this place. The umpire act was most satisfactorily done, perfectly we might say, by Editors Gray and Neal. (Both the Mail and Record will vouch for the assertion of the perfectness of the umpiring.)

The best of order and general good feeling prevailed throughout the entire game and nothing occurred to mar the pleasure of the participants or the spectators. The biggest crowd seen on the grounds for years was present, the fairer sex largely predominating, and the bursts of enthusiasm was quite evenly distributed between the contestants.

On account of the approaching darkness it was agreed the game should be called at the end of the 4th inning and the score rested 35 to 38 in favor of Northville. Had the other five innings been played the game would doubtless have consumed two more days. The crowd only went crazy once and they may be forgiven for that. It was in the last inning. Plymouth had just left the score 33 to 35 in her favor and Northville went to bat for the last time. Two men were quickly put out; but the next two cracked out singles and reached second and third. Then Big Sam Knapp stepped to the plate "Strike one" called the umpire. "Strike two" again was heard as Sam fanned the air. But the next one Sam lined out for a two bagger and the two runners crossed the plate tying the score, and then a wild throw to second let Sam in and the great game was captured. Then it was that the people went wild. They yelled and screamed, tossing hats, coats and seats in the air like mad men until the band struck up and drowned the clamor.

Following is the official score and players names:

Plymouth.	Northville.
E. F. Riggs ss.	W. H. Yerkes 1b.
Joe Tassman c.	R. C. Yerkes p.
D. M. Adams cf.	Ed Merritt 2b.
Ed Bennett p.	S. J. Knapp 3b.
Ed Patton 2b.	C. A. Dowse 1b.
W. T. Conner 2b.	C. A. Dowse 1b.
Dr. Kimble rf.	C. L. Dabous ss.
B. Baker lb.	S. A. Wheeler lf.
E. C. Hall lf.	W. H. Hutton cf.
Total.....35	Total.....38

At 6:30 the visitors were banqueted at the Park House. It was a regular frog leg supper and the proprietors of the hotel fairly outdid themselves in the quality, variety and style of the service. There were some thirty in the party, including all the participants of the game.

Altogether it was a day and game long to be remembered and our people were delighted to have such a representative and genteel lot of Plymouth people as their guests.

### SHE IS 107 YEARS OLD.

A Novi Lady Has Reached that Remarkable Age.

Novi has probably the oldest person in Michigan as a resident. Mrs. Mary Ann Bush, who has been several times mentioned by the newspapers of the state, is still living in this village, and as the date of her birth was June 13, 1787, is consequently 107 years old.

Mrs. Bush, whose maiden name was Mary Ann Ecus, was born of French parents in Montreal, Canada. She

was married at fifteen years of age to Francis Bush in Albany, N. Y. She became a widow about forty-five years ago, her husband being one of the first victims of cholera in Sandusky when that terrible scourge visited this country about 1849.

Mrs. Bush has lived in Novi thirty-nine years. She was the mother of five children, Mrs. Sage, the daughter with whom she lives, being the youngest and only surviving one, at three score and ten years.

Mrs. Bush's appearance, memory and activity are simply wonderful, when her remarkable age is considered. She still makes her own bed and walks without the aid of a cane, sometimes visiting neighbors across the street. She remembers the incidents of her youth, and when in her ordinary state of health relates them in an entertaining manner. In appearance she is no older than many persons of seventy-five or eighty, her hair being still dark and soft, and her form erect.

In the same family live four generations, mother, daughter, grandson and great-grandson, and she has several great-great-grandchildren living in this state. An article concerning this venerable and respected woman, published in a Detroit paper a couple of years ago, led to her receiving a visit from a nephew whom she had not seen for fifty years. Mrs. Bush is a Baptist by profession but has now given up attending the services of her church.

## THE NORTHVILLE BAND

Will Furnish the Music at the State Fair.

IT IS A GREAT COMPLIMENT

To the Popularity and Ability of the "Ride of Northville."

The manager of the Northville band has just completed a contract whereby they are to furnish the music during the state fair at the Detroit exposition grounds Sept. 19 to 21. Besides the good pay they will get it is a high honor conferred and a fitting compliment to their popularity and ability as musicians. That the boys will do honor to themselves and Northville goes without the saying.

### Around the Country.

Seich Winfield of Wayne, aged nearly 103 years, died Monday.

The Plymouth ladies say it is a mistake about their organizing a ball club. We are again disappointed.

The funeral of Mrs. J. D. Wilsey a well known Plymouth lady was held in that village Friday afternoon of last week.

A little bird whispered to our reporter that when a girl wants to enjoy her hammock she hangs it in the back yard. —Pontiac Times.

There's something still back of this. Mrs. Louis Wise of Belleville has done a wise thing in presenting Louis with a pair of young Wise's—a boy and girl.

Probate Judge Durfee reports that insanity is on the increase in Wayne county, averaging now about one patient per day.

An Adrian census-taker asked a dapper lady if she was colored. "No, sir," was the indignant reply. "I was born this way." —Morenci Observer.

We understand that but once in thirteen years has it been necessary to levy a village tax in Wayne. Must be lots of saloons down there.

We notice in several of our exchanges the arrival of "bran new babies," chronicled. The brand cuts no figure. —Ann Arbor Courier.

On the half we think not.

The Milford common council have ordered that the services of a detective be procured occasionally, or oftener, to see whether or not the saloons and drug stores are violating the village law.

One of our saloon-keepers would like to have card playing in the saloons of Milan prohibited. —Milan Leader.

Next thing we hear of will be that another Milan saloon-keeper will want beer selling prohibited.

A Wyandotte physician, Dr. Drouillard is reported to have made one vaccine point do for a whole family during the recent sore-arm epidemic. The council proposed to cut down his bill accordingly.

Ah! ha! just as we thought. The Orion sea serpent has now consumed a flock of sheep for Romain Clark who lives on the border of the lake. The animal refused to eat the wool, doubtless observing it was too cheap.

An importation from Belgium has

## HELLO!

We are Headquarters for

Peaches, Pears,  
Plums, Apples,  
Oranges, Lemons,  
Vegetables, Mason Fruit Jars  
Sporting Goods,  
School Supplies,  
Groceries,  
Crockery and  
Glassware.

just prevented a bean famine at New-  
argo. The Democrat says, "they are  
not as good as our home grown beans,"  
but Newargo people would as soon  
think of going without bread as beans.

"Backward, turn backward—O, time  
in, foot flight, give us a rustling  
rain storm tonight. Open the heav-  
enly floodgates, E pray; let the rain pour  
for a night and a day. I am so weary  
of skies that are fair, weary of breathing  
the dirt in the air; weary of sowing to  
harvest no grain; give us a rain, mister  
give us a rain." —Unknown Origin.

A Wayne lady named Snake got  
caught in one of those double-action  
folding beds last week and only for the  
timely action of a room chair, which  
hepped upon the cover lids as the  
catastrophe came together, she must  
have been squeezed to death.

"Medicura Soap" makers found  
enough success in Fowlerville and  
Milford last week to rope in about \$30.  
They made Northville Saturday but  
no one seemed to have any surplus  
money. Those who did bite are yet to  
get a "beautiful clock," an "easy chair"  
or a "set of dishes"—in their mind.

We never drank a drop of intoxi-  
cants. —Adrian Press.

Never heard of anyone else who did.  
A drop is almost too small a quantity  
to make much of a drink. Does the  
Press man dare say he never had a  
snake bite or the grip where a pint  
meant the saving of a coming congress-  
man's life?

There are certain men who attend  
every ball game played here by the  
amateurs, but make no pretensions of  
paying their way in. The amateurs  
wish these individuals to take notice  
that if they do so again their names  
will be published. Better pay and  
keep your names out of the papers. —  
Wayne Tidings.

And did you ever notice that those  
who make the greatest effort to avoid  
collections of this and all kinds are as  
a rule most able to pay?

Fred Wieland, one of the Orion  
Review editors, is candidate for nomi-  
nation for prosecuting attorney in  
Oakland county. Fred is a bustling  
young lawyer and would make a very  
efficient prosecutor. We only lack  
about 2,000 feet of being a resident of  
Oakland county, and a voter for Fred.  
The Record has several hundred  
readers over in that county however  
and we don't mind telling them about it.

While peacefully engaged in borrow-  
ing some apples from an orchard near  
Wayne, recently, the owner not being  
present, an M. C. man and a master  
builder had an experience. One of  
them was in the tree and the other as  
he stooped for the grounded fruit sang  
merrily, "I gather them in," when he  
felt something come against him from  
behind. His own impression was that  
a meteor had struck him, but "to the  
man up the tree" it had the shape of a  
ram. The royal bumper was opposed to  
free trade in harvest apples. A  
neighbor with a shovel beat off the  
protectionist. —Adrian Press.



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## EVERLASTING LIFE

SUBJECT OF DR. TALMAGE'S LATEST SERMON.

There is No Rest for the Weary in This World.—Arise, ye, and Depart, for This is Not Your Rest.—Text from Micah 2:10.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 26.—Rev. Dr. Talmage, who is now in Australia on his globe-trotting tour, has selected as the subject of his sermon for to-day, through the press, the words, "Everlasting Life," the text being from Micah 2:10: "Arise, ye, and depart, for this is not your rest."

This was the drum-beat of a prophet who wanted to arouse his people from their oppressed and sinful condition; but it may just as properly be uttered now as then. Bells by long exposure and much ringing, lose their clearness of tone; but this rousing bell of the gospel strikes its clear, clear tone as when it first rang on the air.

As far as I can see, your great want and mine is rest. From the time we enter life a great many vexations and annoyances take after us. We may have our holidays, and our seasons of recreation and quiet, but where is the man who to mid-life who has found entire rest? The fact is that God did not make this world to rest in. A ship might as well go down off Cape Hatteras as find smooth water as a map in this world to rest in. From the way that God has strewn the thorns and thistles, and the clouds, and the darkness, and the heat, that smite us, and the pleasures that stab us, and the fears that consume us, I know that he did not make this world as a place to rest in. God does everything successfully; and this world would be a very different world if it were intended for us to lounge in. It does right well for a few hours. Indeed, it is magnificent. Nothing but finite wisdom and goodness could have mixed this beverage of water, or hung up these brackets of stars, or trailed these voices of rill, and bird, and ocean—so that God has but to lift his hand, and the whole world breaks forth into orchestra. But after all, it is only the splendors of a king's highway, over which we are to march on to eternal conquests.

You and I have seen men who tried to rest here. They builded themselves great stores. They gathered around them the patronage of merchant princes. The voice of their bid shook the money markets. They had stock in the most successful railroads, and in "safety deposits" great rolls of government securities. They had emblazoned carriages, high-mettled steeds, footmen, plate that confounded lords and senators who sat at their table, tapestry on which floated the richest designs of foreign looms, splendor of carous on the wall, exquisiteness of music rising among pedestals of bronze, and dropping soft as light, on snow of sculpture. Here let them rest. Put back the embroidered curtain, and shake up the pillow of down. Turn out the lights. It is 11 o'clock at night. Let slumber drop upon the eyelids, and the air float through the half-opened lattice drowsy with midsummer perfume. Stand back all care, anxiety, and trouble. But no! they will not stand back. They rattle the lattice. They look under the canopy. With rough touch they startle his pulses. They cry out at 12 o'clock at night, "Awake, man! How can you sleep when things are so uncertain? What about those stocks? Hark to the tap of that fire bell; it is your district! How if you should die soon? Awake, man! Think of it: Who will get your property when you are gone? What will they do with it? Wake up! Riches sometimes take wings. How if you should get poor? Wake up! Rising on one elbow, the man of fortune looks out into the darkness of the room, and wipes the dampness from his forehead, and says, "Alas! For all this scene of wealth and magnificence—no rest."

I passed down a street of a city with a merchant. He knew all the finest houses on the street. He said, "There is something the matter in all these houses. In that one it is conjugal infidelity. In that one, a disgraced son. In that, a dissolute father. In that, an idiot child. In that, the prospect of bankruptcy." This world's wealth can give no permanent satisfaction. This is not your rest.

You and I have seen men try in another direction. A man says, "I could only rise to such and such a place of renown; if I could gain that office; if I could only get the stand and have my sentiments met with one good round of hand-clapping applause; if I could only write a book that would live, or make a speech that would thrill, or do an action that would be renowned." The tide turns in his favor. His name is on ten thousand lips. He is bowed to and sought after, and advanced. Men drink his health at great dinners. At his fiery words the multitudes huzza! From galleries of beauty they throw garlands. From home tops, as he passes in long procession, they shake out the national standards. Here let him rest. It is 11 o'clock at night. On pillow stuffed with a nation's praise let him lie down. Hush! all distant voices. In his dream let there be hoisted a throne, and across it march a corporation. Hush! Hush! "Wake up!" says a rough voice. "Political sentiment is changing. How if you should lose this place of honor? Wake up! The morning papers are to be full of denunciation. Harken to the execrations of those who once adored you. By to-morrow night there will be multitudes sneering at the words which last night you expected would be universally admired. How can you sleep when everything depends upon the next turn of the great

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His one good eye sees more points in a cavalryman's performance than most men discern with two, and he is famous not only in this country, but abroad, as the most thorough cavalry disciplinarian and drill master in America. Gen. Henry was graduated from West Point on May 8, 1851, and was assigned to the First Artillery as a second lieutenant. All through the war of the rebellion he remained in that branch of the service, winning distinction by his gallantry and marked ability in continuously arduous duty. In 1871 he was hunting Apaches in Arizona. In 1873 he was on duty in Wyoming, and through 1874 and 1875 was having lots of interesting times scouting in the Black Hills, fighting Indians, getting frozen in blizzards, and otherwise enjoying himself. He commanded a battalion in Gen. George Crook's Big Horn and Yellowstone expedition against Sitting Bull and the Sioux, fighting in the battle of Tongue River, or Rose Bud Creek, where he received that severe wound by which his left eye was destroyed. He was carried off the field on an Indian travois—poles dragged behind a pony—and, as he did not realize the general expectation by dying promptly of his wound, but seemed likely to get better, he was sent down to California on a three-months' leave of absence to get well if he could. In seventy days he was back with his command, too eager to get at the Indians again to waste any more time on a mere wound.

In 1890-91, when the Wounded Knee campaign occurred, Gen. Henry and his command were stationed at Fort Robinson. Gen. Miles sent him by No-neck, sergeant of the Indian scouts, a despatch advising him of the perilous situation at Pine Ridge agency. Immediately on receipt of the despatch "Fighting Guy" mounted three companies of the Ninth United States Cavalry (colored) and rode, without unsaddling, and in twenty-one hours, the distance of 104 miles to Gen. Miles's relief. And it is still talked of among the cavalrymen that he did not bring in from that long and hard ride one sore-backed horse. His men were well taught how to ride and to care for their animals. As soon as he arrived he held a hurried consultation with Gen. Miles and his staff. The dangerous position of the Seventh cavalry at Wounded Knee being made known to him, he ordered his men to mount at once and ride to the succor of their comrades. They had unsaddled, but when he said, "mount," they knew that was what he meant, and obeyed. Gen. Miles ordered him to saddle up, but he replied that he had no time for that; he was looking for Indians, not saddles. Miles threatened to court-martial him for disobedience, but he replied indifferently: "All right—when we get back," and galloped off. His command, riding bareback, hardly drew rein until they had ridden the fourteen miles, which brought them to Wounded Knee in time for battle. But for their opportune arrival the Seventh cavalry might have been annihilated, as were Custer and his men. For this achievement "Fighting Guy" was again commended in special orders issued by the War Department. Nothing more was heard of the threatened court-martial.

Deeming that he had fairly earned a rest, for a time at least, Gen. Henry chose as his place of duty Fort Miles, at Washington, near to his family. It is the only cavalry post in the service, and the men under his command are as perfect riders as any army in the world can produce. They do not deem it any feat at all to go through a drill on barebacked horses. That which they do, which is infinitely harder, is to go through all the evolutions, and

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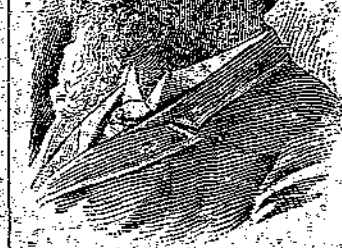
even to jump hurdles and ditches seated upon saddles which are entirely ungirthed and lying loose upon the horses' backs, with the stirrups crossed upon them and unused. Yet, in that fashion, successive lines of twenty-four men in each will sail over the hurdles, all moving as one man, and nobody trembling or even showing uneasiness. These drills take place every Friday morning, and are always witnessed by senators, representatives, cabinet officers, foreign diplomats, and indeed, all the official and fashionable life of the capital.

Within a few days Gen. Henry received the bronze bravery medal awarded to him for his gallantry at the battle of Cold Harbor in October, 1863. He had two horses shot under him in that engagement and received two body wounds, but never left the field until the fight was over and won.

Hazen S. Pingree.

A Michigan Man Who Has Late Become a National Figure.

Mayor Hazen S. Pingree of Detroit, Mich., is a new man who has sprung into more or less prominence during the past two years. A few months ago the New York Tribune had its at-



Hazen S. Pingree.

ention attracted toward Mr. Pingree by the noise he was creating in the political world of Michigan, and devoted a page to him, his past life and his work in Detroit, where he is known as the reform mayor. The Tribune pointed him out to the republicans of the United States as a coming Presidential possibility.

Mr. Pingree's latest move was his attempt to settle the great Pullman strike by calling to his aid fifty of the mayors of the leading cities of the United States in hopes that so powerful an influence brought to bear upon Mr. Pullman might induce him to submit to arbitration. That the movement failed, owing to the refusal of the Pullman company to be influenced, was no fault of the man who conceived and carried out a movement designed to bring about good.

Mr. Pingree is and always was a republican. He is a veteran of the late war with an unblemished military record. He was forced into politics when Detroit was a democratic city by majorities ranging from 4,000 to 5,000. He was elected mayor of Detroit on the republican ticket in 1892 by a majority of only 100. The democrats captured all the other offices. In 1894 he was re-elected by a majority of 5,000, carrying into office with him the entire republican ticket.

Mr. Pingree's career in the mayor's chair has been one long battle against the monopolistic trusts which have so long held Detroit as in a vice. He believes in municipal control of street railways, public lighting, water supplies, etc. His labors to bring about such a state of affairs in Detroit have met with the approval of the people. The city is at present engaged in building a magnificent electric light plant. The street car question is still in court.

Lemon Juice.  
Lemon juice, squeezed in California, treated with a preservative process, and sent east by the barrel, is now sold in earthen jugs containing from half a gallon to ten gallons. It is used for all sorts of domestic purposes, for lemonade and for making mixed drinks at the bar and in clubs.

A Four-Legged Chicken.  
A four-legged chicken came into the family of Dave Myler, of Johnson City, Mo. As two of the legs were for forward locomotion and the other two always insisted on walking backward, that unfortunate chicken found it difficult to advance in the world and gave up the effort in despair.

Electric Delirium.  
A new form of delirium tremens has attacked a New York toper. While under the influence of a lively jag he was shocked by an electric wire. Now, when he has taken, too much whisky, he fancies he sees sputtering electric wires and writhing snakes, which shower him with sparks.

Prevent Lies and Stander.  
The Vienna police have general charge of all newspapers and keep records of all presses and publications, maintain a censorship over all the theaters and plays and issue licenses for the publication and sale of all books, magazines and periodicals.

Novel Use for a Phonograph.  
In recent legal proceedings in London regarding the noise and vibration caused by a neighboring factory, a phonograph was used to record these noises and reproduce them in court, at the suggestion of Prof. S. P. Thompson.

Thieves as Jokers.  
To frighten burglars Edward Jenkins of Louisville kept a savage canine and displayed this sign: "Look out for the dog." Some thieves poisoned the dog, stole fourteen chickens and made the sign read: "Look out for the chickens."

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### PURELY PERSONAL.

Dr. Will Hart spent Sunday at Orchard Lake.

W. T. Ely was in town a few days this week.

Mrs. R. Force of Detroit is visiting at T. G. Richardson's.

F. N. Clark and son, Clarence, were in Pontiac Monday.

Mrs. Barrett of Milford is at her father's, F. S. Woodman.

L. D. Evans and wife are off for a few days camp at White Lake.

Mrs. F. W. Main of Jackson is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. N. Root.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Ball spent Sunday with C. W. Hinman and family.

Mrs. John Gardner has returned from her summer visit at Albion.

Miss Lottie Elliott entertained a few of her young friends Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Mary Evans of Grand Blanc is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Chas. Evans.

Miss Edna Dean of Detroit was the guest of Miss Anna Clarkson over Sunday.

Chas. Rogers a former resident was among old Northville friends last week and this.

Jack Laney spent part of last week with his friend, Charlie Hinman, east of town.

Mrs. C. J. Ball leaves tomorrow for a visit among Monroe county friends and relatives.

Mrs. Hutchings of Ypsilanti spent a few days with Northville friends this week.

Clarence Clark leaves for Pontiac next week to enter the law office of Sam Smith.

James Dubois entertained Hugh McDougall Sunday. He spoke at the men's meeting.

Mrs. Chas. Neilson of Scott is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rasch, this week.

E. E. Starkweather moves to Ann Arbor while Royal is in attendance at school in that city.

Miss Lutz Hart of Detroit was the guest of her cousin, Miss Anna Blair, a few days this week.

H. C. English and Dr. M. G. Millman of South Lyon were Northville visitors Saturday last.

Miss Retta Buzzell of Belford has been spending a few days with her cousin, Mae Buzzell.

Will Long has returned from Walkerville, Ont., where he has been for the past few weeks.

Misses Margie Thompson, Carolyn Babbitt, Mabel Clark and Lou Babbitt visited Ann Arbor this week.

We are pleased to note that Orange Butler who has been so seriously ill, the past two weeks is much better.

W. H. Safford proprietor of the Caro laundry works was shaking hands with Northville friends this week.

U. S. Fish Commissioner Clark was about the state this week on business connected with his department.

Mrs. U. Totten who was visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Miller, last week, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Mrs. E. S. Woodman has been spending the week with her aged sister who is an invalid residing in Hillsdale.

John Pinkerton of the U. S. Fish Hatchery is taking his annual fifteen day lay off granted by Uncle Sam.

Misses Nellie Thompson of this place and Virginia Putnam of Kalamazoo left for Salt Lake City, Utah, Monday.

Mrs. L. A. Babbitt has been spending a week or two among Salem relatives. Lou also resided there Sunday.

The families of Hon. J. M. Swift, Charles L. Dubois and B. A. Wheeler have returned to the shades of civilization.

Mrs. Thomas Bogart of Holly who has been spending a week among Northville relatives returned home Monday.

Frank Woodman of Detroit dropped in among Northville friends Saturday and Sunday on his way home from Ann Arbor by bike route.

Miss Hattie Lowden has surrendered her house keeping duties to her sister, Mrs. Nash, and gone for a two weeks outing among friends in Genesee county.

Miss Florence Young and Miss Nellie Beatty of Welland, Ont., who have been visiting their cousins, the Misses Greer, will return to their home the last of this week.

Miss Josie Mack of Saginaw returned home Tuesday evening after a pleasant visit with Miss Nina Ambler of this place. Miss Mack also spent a few days at Clover Leaf camp.

John Buchner slipped from off a hay stack and severely sprained his left wrist. John is most as tall as an ordinary stack of hay, otherwise his arm would have been broken.

Prof. J. H. Simonds has left for the scenes of his new labor as dean of music in one of the leading universities at Denver, Col. Mrs. Simonds will follow him some time next month.

Rev. W. T. Jaquess of Detroit was among old Northville friends Monday and with Rev. J. M. Belding enjoyed

### BUSINESS FLASHES.

FOR RENT—Front office in Beal Block with or without an additional room. C. C. Chadwick. 441

FOR SALE—House and lot on West Randolph street, \$750. A bargain. Inquire at Photograph gallery. 131

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FOR SALE—One coal stove (a dandy) one single one center, one horse, bed springs, one single spring bed, gasoline stove, sewing machine. Apply to Dr. M. A. Patterson. 301

FOR SALE—House and lot on Becher addition. Inquire G. B. Sinclair. 1-4

the business men's ball game in the afternoon—also the frog-leg supper which followed in the evening.

The whole corps of teachers are on hand to begin school Monday. Prof. Bliss and wife arrived yesterday.

A party of young people composed of Rev. Mr. Belding, H. P. Brown, Charles Northrop, Mrs. Smith and Minnie, Belle Covert, Jennie Babbitt, Maggie Blackburn and Harvie Root spent part of the week at Walled Lake.

J. M. Showers of Fenton is about to take up his abode in Northville and will occupy a part of "Uncle" Joe Northrop's house. Mr. Showers is a tip-top good fellow and we shall be glad to welcome him to our village. He has for some time been in charge of the Baptist's Home farm at Fenton.

### SALE.

Still the drought continues.

Mrs. N. E. Ryder is spending the week with Mrs. H. Hurd at Plymouth.

Henry Stofet is a good man for Wayne county people to vote for county auditor.

The reunion of Co. D., 5th Mich. cavalry, held in Salem last week was one of the most successful meetings held for years.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rider are receiving the congratulations of their friends upon the arrival of a little son at their home. Mother and child doing nicely.

The many friends of W. D. VanSickle will be sorry to learn of his poor health, which he has been having since the fall he had two or three weeks since.

Supervisor Wheeler left on Saturday last for Washington, taking advantage of the K. P. excursion. During his stay there he will be the guest of his uncle, R. H. Meyer.

An instance of the meanest kind of vandalism was the destruction of the melon patch of Henry VanAlkin on Saturday night. A large number of fine melons were destroyed and the vines uprooted. All good citizens would be glad to see such lawlessness thoroughly punished.

The farmers' picnic at Whitmore lake last Saturday was an eminent success. The crowd was immense, the music was fine and the speeches by the different candidates for governor were quite entertaining. Gov. Rich and would-be-governors Nichols and Todd were on hand, and Mr. Candidate Fisher sent a good substitute in the person of Hon. C. P. Black. The only damper on the festivities of the occasion was the intolerable clouds of dust. Hon. H. C. Waldron was re-elected president of the picnic association and Hon. Wm. Ball, secretary. The entire executive committee was re-elected.

### Notice.

Any persons wanting fresh fish can get them at my place any evening, except Saturday and Sunday. 521 W. J. LAUBAUGH.

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### NORTHVILLE LOCALS.

Council meeting Monday night.

Note change of prices in Yerkes Bros' ad this week.

The Shakespeares circle will soon bid and blossom.

The new sewer on South Wing street is nearly completed.

Death overcame two of J. S. Teeple's horses during the past week.

The prohibition club will meet at the WCTU hall next Tuesday evening.

Prayer meeting will be held at the Methodist church this Friday night.

The Bee Hive grocery has a new delivery wagon, the best looking in town.

Extra copies of the village directory at 5 cents each. Send one to some friend.

The refrigerator factory will probably start up with a full force about September 15.

Talk about tomatoes, L. N. Blackwood hands us in one that will fill a two quart measure.

A good friend of yours will speak at the men's meeting next Sunday. We invite you to attend.

Robinson's furniture store has closed out its business here and moved, we understand, to Detroit.

Mrs. Jasper Elliott slipped from a step ladder Saturday and received some quite bad injuries.

John Blackwood has just completed the school census and could only scare up 473 school aged children.

Our readers get five Records this month and our advertisers get five weeks advertising for the cost of four.

School meeting next Monday night. Let every one interested in the welfare of our schools show it by their attendance.

The editor's table is graced with a basket of delicious pears with the compliments of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed.

FOUND—Nice lap robe. Owner can have same by calling at Yarnall Gold Cure proving property and paying for this notice.

William, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Shafer, died Monday of cholera infantum. The funeral service was Tuesday.

Woodcock can be shot legally now. Duck, geese, snipe and plover after September 1st, and quail and quail after November 1st.

Rev. Mr. Lewis a former preacher in Boston occupied the Presbyterian pulpit here last Sunday and delivered two exceptionally fine addresses.

The Holly driving club held their fall meet September 4, 5 and 6 and have hung up purses amounting to \$1,325 as an inducement for fast driving, and a big crowd.

It is said that the carpet bug exterminator is now going the rounds of the papers will not injure the carpets in the least, nor will it in the least injure the bugs.

Landlords Shafer and Parks of the Park house are receiving many deserved compliments for the elaborate spread served at the business men's banquet Monday evening.

Lost—Wednesday, pocket book containing money, receipts, certificate of deposit; Lapham & Co's bank. Finder please return to Record office for DAVID GAGE and get reward.

Next Sabbath will be the last of this Methodist conference year. Rev. Mr. Parrian will be in the pulpit morning and evening and some new members will be received during the day.

A number of the lawns on the Buchner suburban took fire on Sunday afternoon necessitating the calling out of the fire companies. Several wire fences and stone piles were damaged.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Club will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 4, at three o'clock p. m. in the ladies library. Important business will be transacted and a full attendance is desirable.

Rev. J. M. Belding preached last Sunday morning in the Presbyterian pulpit at Ypsilanti. In the evening he addressed the union service at the Methodist church when 1,500 people were present.

Saturday night's collection for the band amounted to \$20.35. Notwithstanding the free concerts of all summer, there were three business houses who refused point blank to give even as much as one cent.

Messrs. Root and Hart have just added one of the latest model Columbia dental chairs to their office. The chair has so many conveniences and comfort that it is really a pleasure for the occupant to have a tooth pulled or filled.

As a compliment to the company, the Northville City band will hereafter assume the name of "Globe Furniture Company" band. Their new drum was so lettered Wednesday and a church pew end neatly painted in the centre.

A well known Plymouth business man says of the ball game Monday: "You Northvillers not only won the game, but our hearts as well and then to cap the climax completely conquered our appetites—three victories in one day."

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A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.  
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Start Bros have added a line of gentle furnishings to their stock.

375 people from here took in the big Sunday school rally at Belle Isle yesterday.

There will be a mother's meeting at the WCTU hall next Wednesday at 8:00 o'clock.

The advertised letters at the post office this week are for:

Evatt, Mrs. E. A.  
Westfall, Robert.  
Fairfield, Moses.  
Messert, John.  
Frantz, Alex.

C. A. DOWNER, P. M.

The ball game played at Orchard lake last week Wednesday between Northville and Birmingham was credited to the latter. This was an error and the home and visitors now acknowledge that the score was 12 to 13 in favor of Northville.

The Playmate ball club of Plymouth defeated the Northville nine here Tuesday to the tune of 15 to 27. The attendance was small, and coupled with the fact of so many speaking their way in, and refusing to pay as usual, the receipts did not pay expenses within \$1.50.

The sketching club will exhibit their paintings at the home of Mrs. John Highland September 5th, from 2 to 5 p. m. The prize picture will have a card attached with the artist's name on. Everyone is invited to this reception. Those expecting to enter the fall class should be sure and see this collection of pictures.

When one of the Yarnall Gold cures left town last week he was escorted through the city, and down to the depot by about twenty of his fellow patients, not yet cured, in single file fashion, each carrying a cane with a piece of crepe attached, and with an additional piece of the same mourning emblem tied around their hats and either arm.

Some thirty or more of the young people of the Presbyterian church attended the rally at Millford last Friday evening. The meeting was one of solid helpfulness, each member of the program being a gem in its way. The delegates reception at the parsonage and the undivided attention of the hosts to their guests, stamped the evening as one of special pleasure.

It would be a good idea if some one would get the links out of the rope when they give the fire alarm, and ring the ward instead of a general noise. It would have been just as easy to have rung three bells for Sunday's fire and thus informed people where the conflagration was as to bang away at a general alarm which ordinarily signifies a blaze in the business portion of the village.

Presbyterian church notes: Communion Sunday morning. Topic for sermon, "Standing for Christ." Evening topic, "The Beggars at the gate of the beleaguered City." Junior Endeavor or will meet as usual Sunday. Mr. Belding will lead the meeting. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 led by Flora Clarkson. Missionary topic, Corea.—Preparatory service Saturday at 2:30.—There will be no prayer meeting this week.—The ladies are getting ready for a large time next week. An old fashion church picnic will be held on the beautiful grounds of E. Ross on the base-line east.

Stage realism continues to play an important part in the prevailing drama and this fact induced the author of "Our Country Cousin" to introduce a railroad scene of wonderful effectiveness in the third act. The scenery, however, is not the only element depended upon, inasmuch as Frank Jones (better known as "St. Perkins") is surrounded by other scenes of a rural nature and by characters utilized in the presentation of a story fraught with intense dramatic interest, and containing just the sort of comedy that keeps an audience in convulsions of delight from the rise until the fall of the curtain. Charles H. Flemming, Esq., who wrote Frank Jones' new venture, fully understood the demands of the times when he constructed "Our Country Cousin." At the opera house Sept. 6.

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As we go to press the Northville Gun Club's first shooting tournament is in progress. A large and enthusiastic crowd is present together with many well known shooters. An extended account will appear next week.

A few weeks ago the French government ordered its consular agents in Detroit and Chicago to investigate the merits of the Yarnall Gold Cure in this village. Mr. Belanger, the French consular at Detroit, paid a visit to Northville about 10 days ago and his report has been forwarded to his government. Mr. Belanger was not at liberty to make the contents of his report public until it was returned by the French government in printed pamphlet form, but it is understood however to have been very flattering to the Northville Institute and in all probability Dr. Yarnall will be called to France within a short time to personally exemplify his cure. This is the second case on record where the French government have ordered an investigation of this kind in this country for scientific purposes—the other being the whale back vessels—and it is a very high compliment to Dr. Yarnall and the Northville Gold Cure.

Stevens—Greer.

One of the most enjoyable wedding parties that our village has seen in many a day met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Greer, 16 Dubuay street, to celebrate the marriage of Miss Cora B. Greer of this village to Mr. Geo. T. Stevens of Co. Wash.

The ceremony was at six o'clock. Rev. Mr. Arnold officiating. Mr. Leslie Stevens of Cadillac was the groom's best man and the bride's sister, Miss E. May Greer, the bridesmaid. A dainty supper beautifully served immediately followed, then a brief social time, and the bride and groom left for their future home in Moscow, Idaho, taking the steamer Northwest at Detroit on Wednesday for Duluth.

Among the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Haynes with Mrs. A. H. Stevens of Cadillac, and the Misses Florence Young and Nellie Beatty of Welland, Ont.

Excursion.

The P&MRRCo. will sell excursion tickets to Traverse City and Petoskey and return September 4 for train No 1 leaving Northville at 3:45 a. m. Fare \$5 for the round trip. Limited for return to September 14, 1894.

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Personal.

Information is sought as to a female child which was born in the city of Milwaukee on or about January, A. D. 1873. Its mother's name was Villiers, and the child was adopted by a lady and gentleman who it is believed, took the child to their home somewhere in Michigan.

This child is living, or is dead. Its legal representatives are entitled to a share in some money now in our hands for distribution, being a portion of the estate of the late William Rowland, who died at the city of Winnipeg, in the province of Manitoba, in the year A. D. 1871.

We desire to obtain evidence as to the death or existence of said child, and will pay to it its share in said estate upon satisfactory proof of its identity being furnished.

Address any communications to G. A. Sessions, Attorney-at-Law, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

The most noted dwarf was Sclery Hudson, born in 1819. At the age of 8 she was eighteen inches high and was served upon the table in a coffee cup as a present to Charles I. At the age of 30 he began to grow, and reached the height of three feet nine inches. He lived to be 63 and died in prison, having been arrested on suspicion of being concerned in the Polish plot.

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## MICHIGAN MATTERS.

### IN CONDENSED FORM FOR BUSY READERS.

**A Young Balloonist Dashed 300 Feet to the Earth and Instantly Killed—An Attempt to Kill a State Insurance Law—In Health Causes a Suicide.**

**An Aeronaut's Fate.**

Alonso Kendall, a daring young balloonist, suffered a horrible death in making an ascent, and parachute drop at a harvest jubilee at Schoolcraft. A great crowd of people gathered to witness the ascent. When Kendall reached a height of about 1,000 feet his brother, who directed affairs on the ground, fired a shotgun as a signal for the ascent to make the drop. Kendall let go with his parachute and had dropped in excellent style for about 300 feet when the partially collapsed balloon struck the ground and partly closed it. Kendall managed to jerk the parachute from the balloon and was dropped in safety again when the balloon wrapped itself almost completely around the parachute and Kendall was hurled down fully 300 feet and struck the ground not more than 200 yards from the spot where the ascent was made. He was dead when picked up. Every bone in his body was broken and many of them protruded through. Kendall was 22 years of age. He has made many successful ascensions in the surrounding country. He leaves a widow and one child at Kalamazoo.

**Furious Forest Fire.**

Heavy forest fires throughout Alcona county are doing great damage. At Campbell's mill, two miles below West Harrisville, 100 cords of hemlock bark, 100,000 feet of lumber, 2,000 cedar ties and some flat cars were destroyed and the mill placed in great danger. The trains on the D. & C. & A. railroad were delayed two hours. It has not rained in six weeks and all the meadows are tinder and all that is needed is a stiff wind to set the entire country afire.

From Kilmaster, in the interior of the county, the report came that seven farmers lost their homes and stocks, of grain, and Edward Kingston and his son James were seriously burned while fighting the flames.

Ludington: The surrounding country tends to extensive reports of heavy damage by forest fires. Four farms have been destroyed, the occupants barely escaping with their lives. A heavy smoke that nearly buried the town at night has hangs over the city.

**They Put Gasoline in Wash Water.**

Mrs. George Kitch and Mrs. Effie Walters, of Ludington, went down to a barn to wash. They took a gasoline stove and while it was lighted Mrs. Kitch went to put some gasoline in the wash water, when an explosion occurred, setting fire to the barn, which was filled with grain and hay. It was destroyed and both women's hair and faces were badly burned. Mrs. Walters would have been burned to death. The fire spread across the river to two other houses, but was controlled before any serious damage was done.

**A Blow at a Good Law.**

Edward C. Gay, who was arrested at Kalamazoo, at the instance of Insurance Commissioner Giddings, for soliciting business for the Manufacturers' Lloyds, a company not authorized to do business in the state, had his examination before Recorder Peck, and his case was adjourned to September 1. The case will be a hotly contested one and the defense will not only be assisted by the Lloyds, but also by well known business men who believe the statute forbidding this company from doing business is unconstitutional.

**Samuel Henderson Located.**

Samuel Henderson, the wool grower at Millbrook, who disappeared from Detroit on August 2, with about \$800 in his possession, has been located on board the ocean steamer Bismarck bound for Germany. It was feared that he had been foully dealt with. He was a close man in many respects, having made his own money and keeping his own counsel. He never told anyone of what he intended to do. His family feel much relieved over the developments in the case.

**Fatal Quarrel Between Friends.**

Samuel Garman and his partner, Charles Grossman, were having a discussion at Muskegon about dissolving partnership when W. E. Matthews, an ex-policeman, a little under liquor's influence, also took part. Garman became angry at Matthews, and when Matthews attempted to get behind the bar Garman shot at him three times, one ball taking effect, entering his body to the right of his heart, causing fatal injuries. All three were fast friends.

**Capt. Miles, of Owasco, Missing.**

Alvin S. Bliss, captain of Co. G, Third regiment, of Owasco, has not been heard of since the state encampment. He hid the boys good-by when camp broke up and said he was going to Detroit. His wife, who has just returned from an extended visit, found a note in the sugar bowl which was signed by Bliss, saying that she would never see him again. His wife and three children are nearly frantic over the affair.

**Burglars stole about \$34 from H. L. Boice at Eaton Rapids.**

The town of Frederic, Crawford county, is going to have some fire protection.

Geo. B. Rathbun, of Kent county, was drowned at Channel lake, near Chicago.

Charles King and O. B. F. Thomas, of Muskegon, are locked up because Geo. Price's horses were stolen at Ravenna.

Jimmie Cran, a Cadillac boy, fell into a 40-foot well. The windlass fell upon him and fractured his skull, but he may get recovered.

Solih Winfield, of Wayne, is dead. Last January he had his 103rd birthday and at that time he claimed to be the oldest man in Michigan. He was a veteran of the war of 1812.

## MINOR MICHIGAN NEWS.

The First Christian church was dedicated at Saginaw.

Kalamazoo Salvationists claim to have made 250 conversions.

George G. Corvill was nominated for member of the legislature at Traverso City.

August Breitch, of near Port Huron, murdered his wife and is now in jail.

Hillsdale Republicans instructed their delegates to push O. A. Jones for state senator.

The Ithaca Journal office boiler exploded, tearing off the ceiling, but injuring no one.

William Crawford, accused of setting fire to property at Chippewa Lake, has been acquitted.

Alpena and Black River both expect to get a big Tennessee quarry employing 300 men.

Cadillac jail-birds were taken out of their cells and forced to fight running fires near the city.

The new depot at White Pigeon, now being built, is of light-colored brick and Ohio sandstone.

The American playing card company of Kalamazoo will require \$3,000 worth of the new revenue stamps.

David Kromenaker, brakeman on the Manistique railroad, was killed at Antrim while coupling cars.

Crystal Falls is going to have a saw mill with a daily capacity of 50,000 shingles and 48,000 feet of lumber.

The wheat bin in the Lake mills at Mosherville burst open and allowed 700 bushels of wheat to slip into the mill race.

Wm. Renner hurt his arm and hand badly in a belt at Albion and took morphine to deaden the pain, and died from poisoning.

Charles Pontine's little child at Port Huron, aged 2, drank some oil of smoke acid and was terribly burned in the mouth, but may recover.

The people at Presque Isle county, especially the Germans and Poles, are very mad because the name of the town was changed to Vincent.

Grand Rapids people are complaining of dishonest scales. Things are so arranged that the weighmaster stays inside and easily manipulates his end of the bar.

Orion Lake's sea serpent has company. Farmers near Wood Lake, Cass county, claim to have seen a lion running loose with a broken chain hanging from its neck.

Ira LeVallier, near Ionia, lost \$300 and suspected the hired girl. He gave her a day to return the property. When he arrived home he found money mysteriously restored.

The Trip Around the World company, at South Haven, has reorganized on the basis of \$1,000 a share, paid in, instead of \$500, and the Wren will start June 1 next.

The Wayne county teachers closed one of the most successful teachers' institutes at Dearborn that has been held in the county for years. The total enrollment was 97.

The Michigan annual conference of the Methodist Protestant church has been held in Canada. President J. B. Hubbell was re-elected, president and Rev. M. R. Saegon supplies.

Grand Rapids supplies its school children with free pens, slate pencils and other incidentals. For next year 20,000 slate pencils, 10,000 erasers, 25,000 tablets, etc., have been provided.

Farmer J. E. Wilson, near Marquette, has some bitter enemies. They ruined the little of his crop the grasshoppers hadn't destroyed, shot his horse dead and wrecked his fences.

Mrs. E. Hitchcock was curling her hair by a lamp at Albion. She turned the lamp over on the bed which took fire. Her clothes also caught and she was burned off and she died from her injuries.

By the giving way of a granary floor on the farm of C. P. Linquist, near Deming's siding, Saginaw county, Mr. Linquist and his two little children fell to the first floor. The babies were instantly killed, and Linquist was painfully injured.

Forest fires have filled Saginaw, Bay City, East Tawas, Tawas City and many other cities in the lumbering country with suffocating smoke as thick as a heavy fog. It is estimated that the fires thus far this year have done over \$1,000,000 damages.

Judgments aggregating \$141,000 have been confessed by the Pottsville, Pa., Iron & Steel Co., one of the largest industrial establishments in that region. The officers of the company refuse to give out any statement of the assets and liabilities of the concern.

Twelve years ago the communion and baptismal silver set was stolen from the First Reform church in Grand Rapids. It was impossible to discover either thief or property. Recently the lost plate, much battered and black, was left on the church steps.

Chaplain Church was thrown from his father's horse Pokem while training at the Driving park at Albion and died a few hours later. While making a trial mile the horse bolted, ran off the track and stopped short, throwing Church over his head on to a stump. His skull was fractured and he did not regain consciousness.

Mrs. Fuller, a widow living near Bayport, was roughly handled and robbed of \$10 by three men. Her loud screams aroused the neighborhood and as the robbers fled a boy named Harder knocked one of them down with a stone. Three shots were fired at Harder, one striking him in the shoulder. The men escaped.

The will of Mrs. Julia Butler, Hamburg's pioneer, who ended her career by poisoning herself, has been set aside on the ground that she was insane. She bequeathed a good deal of her property to a former hired man, Harry Whitlock, who, strangely enough, was one of her victims. Whitlock is paralyzed from the poison she gave him.

A method of propelling street cars by the application of electricity without the aid of trolley or storage battery has been invented by V. E. Randall, of Burlington. Mr. Randall's father invented and built the first trolley binder ever constructed in America.

Chinich bugs are eating corn in Lake township; Berrien county.

Arthur Berrie's home at Greenville was burglarized and the robbers secured \$200.

Bicycleists at the Agricultural college will build a track to Lansing, three miles away.

Thieves stole a pair of colts valued at \$300 of Wm. Watts, a farmer three miles north of Jonesville.

Long Lake, near Ponton, is to have a steamer 100 feet long, capable of carrying 700 or 800 passengers.

The tenth annual reunion of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry association will be held at Jackson, September 25.

The Huron Baptists association has been in session at Unionville. H. H. Andrews, of Deckerville, was elected moderator.

Jacob Kuite, Jr., and William Van der Kruit, prominent butchers of Holland, were arrested for selling butterfat without a license.

John Reid, accused at Bay City of selling adulterated milk was acquitted, for although the milk was watered it could not be proved who watered it.

Walter Snowden, a student at Albion, was buried up to his head by a caving bank. His head was cut, two ribs were broken, but he will probably recover.

John Mooney, a freight brakeman on the Grand Rapids & Indiana railway, fell under the wheels while getting off his engine at Sead Lake and died from his injuries.

Jackson has many idle men and needs many improvements, and is thinking seriously of issuing bonds in the sum of \$70,000 to get rid of the former and secure the latter.

The R. G. Peters logging road will be extended 50 miles to Grayling, tapping 35,000,000 feet of standing timber. It will be 100 miles long and the longest logging road in the country.

Farmers around Bangor tired of raising fifty cent wheat and grew cucumbers instead of cereals this season. They are now shipping great quantities to a Benton Harbor pickle factory.

The preliminary survey for an electric railway from Buchanan to St. Joseph has been completed, and the projectors of the road claim that the work of construction will commence at once.

Max Dryfelle, was shot during a row by Julius Fischer at a dance near Tawas City and died from his injuries. Fischer is a Bay City policeman who was spending his vacation there. He is in jail.

The Grand Rapids bonded warehouse is filled with crockery and glassware, which will be taken out after the new tariff bill goes into effect. The reduction is from 65 and 60 per cent to 30 and 25 per cent.

A 5-year-old son of Dr. Fred Bakup, of Niles, fell from a second-story office window, falling backwards 15 feet, his head and shoulders striking on the cement walk below. He is alive but his recovery is doubtful.

Port Huron citizens at a mass meeting asked that a canal be dug from Lake Huron to the Black river, which is sadly in need of cleaning. The average cut would be 24 feet and the improvement would cost \$60,000.

The Port Huron & Lexington electric railroad has obtained a franchise through the north part of Port Huron. All the required bonds, except \$3,000, have been raised, and nearly all the right of way has been obtained.

While playing ball at Marcellus John F. Swain, night telegraph operator, in making a home run, collided with the third baseman with such force as to fracture the large bone in his right leg between the knee and ankle.

William Hauke, a 90-year-old man from Midland county, and Lewis Crew, sentenced from Montcalm county, both escaped from the state house of correction. A reward of \$25 each is offered for their capture.

Chris Miller, near St. Joseph, unearthed a pair of horns, the branches of which averaged nine feet long. Large teeth and pieces of bones were also dug up. The relics are supposed to be 500 years old, as huge trees had grown over the spot.

Elena Fuller, a plucky school ma'am near Ashley, found the school house which was surrounded by forest fires, badly burned conducting the children to a place of safety and then came back and fought the fire with her own hands all the afternoon.

The entire manufacturing plant of the Western Lumber works, at Manistota, was destroyed by fire without loss of human life, but with a loss of 200,000 board feet and a large quantity of their stock. This was one of the largest and best known lumber factories in the country. Loss \$15,000.

Receiver Flanagan, of the Chapin mine at Ishpeming, has begun foreclosure proceedings, and the mine will be sold in October if the bond holders do not pay up money to pay royalties. In case it is placed at auction, it is stated John D. Rockefeller will buy it.

The East Michigan Free Methodist annual conference, was held at the Free Methodist church, three miles north of Fowlerville, attended by about 300 ministers and visitors. A large tabernacle tent was erected beside the church and all services were largely attended.

Count Meshina, cousin of the present mikado of Japan, with his chamberlain, Navasidi, and a large suite, made a flying visit to Ann Arbor. Japanese students drove them around town in hacks bedecked with flowers, and then gave them a reception at the home of Mrs. Cheever. They left for Japan, called by the exigencies of war.

"Deacon" James W. Converse, principal owner of the Converse Manufacturing company, and the Phoenix Furniture company, of Grand Rapids, and president of the Mechanics' National bank, Boston, Mass., died at Swampscott, Mass., aged 35 years. He left an estate of \$7,000,000, of which \$2,000,000 is invested in the furniture plants and real estate in Grand Rapids. He was one of the pioneers of furniture making in the west.

The black knot, as well as the yellows, is very prevalent in Kent county, and the authorities are going to take action against fruit growers who don't destroy diseased trees.

## NEWS IN GENERAL.

### PULLMAN WORKMEN TO BUILD BIG CAR SHOPS.

The McKinley Law and Reciprocity are Dead and the New Tariff Bill is in Force—Japan Makes an Advantageous Treaty with Great Britain.

**Great Britain Pleases Japan.**

Japan at last has succeeded in an object very dear to her people and for which the government has striven with all the arts of diplomacy for many years. News has been received that a new treaty has just been negotiated between Japan and Great Britain by the terms of which the claim on extra-territorial jurisdiction by the latter is abandoned. Negotiations looking to the ratification of similar treaties are going on between Japan and the United States and other European nations than Great Britain, and it is assumed that they will now speedily follow the example set by the latter and fully recognize the right of Japan to administer justice in her territory. The importance of Great Britain's action lies in the fact that it is really the recognition of Japan as a fully civilized power. The assertion of extra-territorial jurisdiction has always been confined to barbarous and semi-civilized countries.

**The McKinley Law is Dead.**

The McKinley tariff law which had been in operation since October 3, 1890, practically four years, is dead. The statute books and the new Democratic tariff bill, passed by the Fifty-third congress, became a law without the signature of President Cleveland. The constitutional period of 10 days allowed the President to consider the bill expired, and according to the terms of the constitution the President having failed to return the bill to congress with or without his approval it became a law. The placing of the bill on the statute books ended the long and most remarkable struggle of the parliamentary history of the government. It was practically a year ago that the preparation of the new tariff law was commenced.

Section 71 of the new tariff law repeals section 3 of the McKinley act under which the reciprocity treaties were drawn.

**To Compete With Pullman.**

A company of ex-employees of Pullman, Ill., backed by Chicago capitalists, has been organized to build car and general manufacturing shops at Elmhurst, Ill. Local men have taken \$300,000 in stock and Chicago capitalists \$200,000. Work on the plant will begin at once. The company will be managed on the co-operative plan, though the capitalists interested are guaranteed 6 per cent on the investment before the laborers come in for their share. The company has control of five patents and manufacture all kinds of railway equipment. Eight hundred ex-employees of the Pullman shops will begin the building of the works as soon as the preliminary arrangements are made.

**China Enters a Protest.**

A special dispatch from Berlin says that China is about to address a note to the powers, protesting against the king of Corea declaring his independence. The dispatch adds that several of the powers are likely to recognize the justice of the protest because they are certain that the declaration was made under Japanese compulsion after the king was captured and that it was anti-dated to make it appear voluntary.

**Fatal Lightning Flash from a Clear Sky.**

A single flash of lightning, coming from a cloudless sky, killed William Carr, aged 26, of Atlantic City, who was bathing near the foot of Georgia avenue, and so shocked Mrs. Rachel Faenmer, who was bathing with him, that her condition is extremely critical. The same flash rang the fire alarm, split a telegraph pole and tied up traffic on the electric railroad.

## NEWS IN BRIEF.

The President sent to the senate a message announcing the ratification of the treaty extending the time for the completion of the boundary survey between the United States and Mexico.

Citizens of Sacramento, Cal., have subscribed a fund of \$100,000 for the erection of a monument over the graves of the three soldiers who lost their lives by the bridge disaster during the recent strike.

Adam A. Parrett, ex-county commissioner at Portsmouth, N. H., and his wife and three children, riding in a spring wagon, attempted to ford the Snake river, but the team struck a sink-hole and all were drowned except one boy.

The increase of the lemon crop of Florida is exerting a marked influence upon the imports of that fruit. This year it is expected Florida crop of lemons will aggregate 200,000 boxes, which is nearly four-fold the product of last year.

Carl Lower, a Pole, walked into the laundry shop of Mohltretter Bros., at Buffalo, and pulling a revolver fired three times at Alois Mohltretter. The chances for the wounded man's recovery are slight. The assailant had been discharged by the firm.

The deeper the Memphis grand jury probes the worst, the delinquent tax scandal grows. Indictments were returned against 24 of the most prominent cotton firms in the city, charging them with failure to pay taxes and doing business without a license.

Hugh Lynn, the Savory Island murderer, has been successfully executed at New Westminster, B. C. Lynn was cool and died without a struggle. Before the execution the condemned man said that he deserved his fate. Lynn murdered an old cripple named Green and his hired man, named Taylor.

The propaganda at Rome received letters from a number of influential persons in America asking that certain labor societies receive the condemnation of the church. The pope opposes the request. He proposes shortly to deal with the subject of strikes and other matters affecting labor, and with anarchism in a general manner.

## NEW CANADIAN CANAL.

Lake Route from the West to Seaboard to be Shortened by 175 Miles.

It is now an assumed fact that Lake St. Clair and Lake Erie will be connected by a canal across Canada, thus shortening the route from the upper lakes to the lower lakes by about 175 miles. Col. Tisdale, M. P. for Simcoe, Ont., fathered a bill at the last session of the Dominion parliament which was passed, granting a charter to the company. Surveys are now being made and work will begin in excavating the canal early next spring. It is expected the work will be completed in two years.

The motive power in the canal will be furnished by the company's tugboats. All other power for running trains, moving drawbridges, lighting the canal, etc., will be furnished by electricity from a power house located about midway between the two lakes. The company will furnish heat, light and water to Wheatley, Tilbury and other towns that in all probability will spring up along the route. The entire cost of the enterprise is estimated at \$3,500,000.

**Parliament Foretold.**

London: Parliament has been prorogued. The queen's speech, was read from the throne in the house of lords by the lord-high chancellor, Lord Herschell. Her majesty speaks of the birth of an heir in the third generation to the throne as unprecedented in the history of the country. England's relations with foreign powers are friendly, but a variety of African questions with France are not settled. Definite action has been taken in connection with the president of the United States, to give effect to the "Sino-American" War, between China and Japan is regretted and England's course will be neutral.

While the general tranquility of Ireland is maintained to a remarkable degree, certain social and administrative difficulties still persist which continue to engage the earnest attention of government.

**Made Murderers and Robbers by Hunger.**

Two men, forced to desperation by hunger, were driven from a freight train on which they were stealing a ride at Deerfield, a suburb of Chicago. They pulled revolvers and killed Patrick O'Leary, of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. They then plundered his body of all of its valuables and escaped to Mayfield, another suburb, and when called upon to surrender by Officer McGrath they mortally wounded him, and made their escape by stealing a farmer's wagon and driving to Desplains, pursued by a patrol wagon full of officers and hundreds of citizens armed with guns, pistols and clubs. They were finally captured but only after a six hours' chase, the exchange of over 100 shots and the serious wounding of both robbers. They were residents of Chicago, had been out of work for months and were very desperate.

**Big N. of P. Encampment.**

The Knights of Pythias encampment at Washington, was one of the largest in the history of that order. The feature of the Pythian encampment was the grand parade of the uniform rank. Fifteen thousand Knights were in line, marching by state brigades, and the procession was more than two hours passing the presidential reviewing stand. Pennsylvania avenue was crowded with more than 100,000 people, a large proportion of them visitors from out of the city. The President reviewed the procession from a small stand erected on the curbing just in front of the White House.

**Over 1,000 Killed by a Cyclone.**

A special cablegram from St. Petersburg says: A wind of death, no other name can describe the cyclone that swept across the Sea of Azov. It will be impossible for days yet to compute the damage done, but it is almost certain at least 1,000 persons have perished, some by drowning, others by being crushed under falling houses and trees. The excitement is great among the American colony in St. Petersburg, for it is feared that at least two parties of American tourists were on the Sea of Azov, at the time the wind did its deadly work.

**Massachusetts Menaces to Work.**

The Massillon, O., coal field is still idle the miners having refused to accept the ultimatum of the operators, which provided that they should resume work upon a schedule of wages based on the Columbus scale. It is said that many of the miners have removed their tools from the mines, and it is believed that the operators will carry out their intention of resuming work with non-union men. The miners of the Massillon district, about 5,000 in number, have been on strike since February 17.

**Awful Mine Disaster.**

A terrible gas explosion occurred in breast 42 on the sixth level of the Franklin mine, at Franklin, near Seattle, Wash. Sixty-two miners were imprisoned and 37 were killed. The fire was soon extinguished and the work of taking out the bodies began. All were recovered. The mine is owned by the Oregon Improvement company, and produces the best coal in the state of Washington. The damage to the mine is great.

**Ships Wrecked by Smoke.**

The forest fires which have prevailed for the past few weeks in Michigan and Wisconsin have been the cause of dense clouds of smoke lying heavily upon Lakes Michigan and Superior. At least 12 vessels were more or less damaged as a result. At the lower end of Lake Michigan vessels felt their way between dangerous reefs and shoals as if their crews were blind. The losses will be very heavy.

**For a National Park at Gettysburg.**

Gen. Daniel Sickles is busy on a plan to turn the battlefield of Gettysburg into a grand national park, including a military post, a soldiers' home, an Indian school, and possibly a G. A. R. museum. The general's idea is that the government purchase about 2,500 acres surrounding the ground already owned and devote the entire 4,000 acres in and around Gettysburg to the purpose mentioned.

The President has signed the general deficiency appropriation bill, the last of the appropriation bills of the session.

## CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

**SENATE—210th day—Less than a score of Senators were present and all the business transacted was in executive session, much to the disappointment of a large number of spectators. Monday, August 20, the Senate adjourned. Great crowds also filled the galleries. Mr. Richardson (Dem., Tenn.) offered a resolution to amend the tariff bill with comparisons of the rates as it passed the House, and the McKinley bill. Mr. Wilson (Rep., Ill.) introduced a measure for specific duties instead of valorem rates, and said the comparison would be misleading. He claimed the Senate bill would increase the basis of taxation \$33,000,000 over the McKinley law and he wanted this to appear in the comparison. Mr. Wilson's amendment was defeated by a vote of 19 to 77. The House bill was announced. The House announced the death of Representative Geo. B. Shaw, of Wisconsin. Mr. White (Rep., Wis.) moved the adjournment of the House until the next day to attend the funeral and the House adjourned.**

**SENATE—211th day—This was the last day of the second session of the Fifty-third congress. There were just a score of Senators present at the closing. The visitors' galleries were crowded. Mr. Sherman (Rep., N. Y.) offered the customary resolution to notify the President that the two houses were ready to adjourn, and a recess was taken. Upon resumption a message was received from the House announcing the death of Representative Geo. B. Shaw, of Wisconsin. Mr. White (Rep., Wis.) moved the adjournment of the House until the next day to attend the funeral and the House adjourned.**

The President announced that he had no further communications to make to congress, and at 12 o'clock he adjourned the session. The Senate adjourned without a call. The attendance on the floor was very light. The great majority of the members having returned to their homes. The restoration of Representative Gates, recently elected governor of Alabama, to take effect December 1, was laid before the House. The speaker of the House appointed a committee to investigate the Ford's theater disaster. The resolutions to grant the congressional pension to John C. Johnson, who was appointed to fill under the McKinley law, and the Wilson bill, passed the House and was called up by Mr. Richardson (Dem., Tenn.) and Mr. Johnson (Rep., Ill.) made the point of no return. As it was very apparent that a quorum could not be mustered, Mr. Johnson withdrew his point of order, but he refused. Finally Mr. Richardson withdrew his resolutions. The committee appointed to advise upon the President's commission, composed of Messrs. Wilson, Hoar and Spooner, reported that the President's action was correct. The speaker of the House also reported that the President's action was correct. The House adjourned at 12 o'clock. The speaker with a bang of the gavel declared the House of the United States adjourned. Great cheering greeted the announcement.

**Bridge Collapsed—50 People Fall.**  
By the collapsing of a bridge over a ravine at Fairmount, Pa., 50 persons were precipitated to the ground, a distance of 15 or 20 feet, and 20 of them were more or less injured.

## THE MARKETS.

New York.	
Cattle—Native	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Hogs	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Sheep—Good to choice	2 1/2 @ 3 1/2
Lamb	3 1/2 @ 4 1/2
Wheat—No. 1	90 @ 91
Corn—No. 2	60 @ 61
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Totals.	
Wheat—No. 1	90 1/2







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

### NOVI LOCALS.

Mrs. McLellan has been entertaining her cousin, Miss Bassett.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Linton, of Flushing, former well known residents of this village, have been visiting friends here.

Rev. Mr. Brundage did not return last week as expected. By request, Rush Banks kindly read a sermon Sunday.

Jay Leavenworth and Josh Root have purchased a new bean thresher and expect to do first-class work in that line of business.

Mrs. Mary Fireman, Flo Jones, Miss Chaston, John Fireman and Frank Verno of Detroit called on friends in this vicinity Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Thornton-Lewis died at Wilcox August 27. The funeral occurred August 29, in charge of undertaker Porter of Northville.

Delos Flint and Del Whipple and families have returned to the prosaic duties of home life. They report a delightful vacation, and regret that it could not have lasted longer.

The Entrican homestead has been sold by the heirs, the purchasers being A. D. Brown and Richmond Shaw, the former having that part of the property on the south side of the gravel road and the latter that on the north side.

As Mrs. D. S. Magill was driving from Orchard lake on the day of the Sunday school rally her horse stumbled and fell, receiving some quite severe cuts and bruises. Fortunately the occupants of the carriage were not thrown out.

In a certain Oakland county post-office, with a yearly revenue of about \$23, there is a postmaster so callous that he will keep talking to the ladies rather than stop and put up the mail. He says, "If Uncle Sam can't wait, Uncle Sam is no gentleman." Once he had a fight with the aged mail carrier, who persisted in talking business.—Brighton Express.

Quite an excitement was created Monday forenoon when fire which had been started in a wheat stubble belonging to Delos Leavenworth got beyond the control of those attending it and ran toward some hay stacks and fences belonging to Mr. L. Prompt assistance was tendered by the neighbors, and after some pretty lively work the flames were subdued.

If Gov. Rich will concoct a scheme to get his lively rival, Mayor Pingree, to come out and umpire the next game of ball at Novi, he can rest assured that Pingree will never live to trouble him again. The ball players in this section are equal to the savage tribes of Africa—they eat people right up. The Novi club can't be blamed for being so ravenous—they are not winning any games now-a-days.

Quite an exciting runaway occurred Saturday afternoon one and one-half miles west of Novi on the gravel road. A young son of Mr. Stewart, the tenant of the Jas. Sanford farm, was driving a three year old colt, when the animal became frightened at a dog, throwing the boy from the cart and running away. The boy was quite severely cut and bruised but luckily escaped.

serious injury. The colt was secured after running about half a mile. It was not injured, but the cart was some what demoralized.

There are two men (?) in Novi who are in the habit when angry at their wives to "thump" them, often without provocation only, as they express it, to show the women that "they run the shanty." These same men when in the presence of other people are very clever and at the same time may not speak to their wives. Now if these gentlemen (?) aren't very careful they will probably find that the women will strike back in a manner that will not be pleasing to their liege lords.

Mr. Wells, the saloonist, has at last been pulled, and was resting comfortably behind the bars of Oakland county's jail, until last Monday, when secured bail. The people of Novi should see to it that the laws are thoroughly vindicated, and that this man shall be dealt with according to his transgression. By the way, why not take steps to prosecute another whiskey vender, whose apparent traffic in liquors is said to have been the means of debauching many of our youth, and disgracing older ones. There is seemingly plenty of evidence against this second party to "send" him up. It is said to be no uncommon thing to see men emerge from this place with jugs which doubtless contained liquor. It would be a good idea to close the whole shooting match at once.

It was a grateful act, that of the Northville alderman, when they raised the meat vendors license from 2 to 5 dollars just to accommodate Mr. Palmer. Silly? We should say yes. The voters of Northville believe in protecting the merchants of the place so as to have the blessed privilege of paying nice high prices for eatables in the meat line. Now, Novi people are so incensed that they even talk of getting together and serve up some stale eggs on the next Northville meat wagon that strikes our town.

The gentlemen, or parties, who own the picnic grounds at Orchard lake should display a respectable bit of business tact by modifying the contracts granting privileges to certain parties to maintain lotteries and "skin games" on their grounds. It seems that annual contracts are made for these privileges, and the privileged party may sub-lease his privileges to as many different persons as he wishes. The grounds may be rented to religious societies, as was done in the case of the Oakland county SS union, who held their Rally there last week. And yet the grounds will invariably be plastered with these lottery schemes. This is wrong, inconsistent and a disgrace to the owner of the grounds. The SS union, and other religious societies should never again hold doings there unless the fakers are shut off the grounds.

A certain paragraph in this department last week must—to put it mildly—have seemed to the average reader rather ambiguous. However, it was only a little matter of a few words left out that entirely destroyed its meaning and made those who noticed it wonder "what in the name of common sense the writer was driving at." Please read it: "The reputation of the

weather-prophets of this vicinity" and perhaps it will be a trifle clearer. We have beheld the products of our fertile brain thus ruthlessly mutilated on several occasions, but from a feeling of sympathy for the much-abused type or proof-reader (or somebody), have refrained from giving vent to our sentiments, but now, for the first time we hereby solemnly and emphatically kick. We hope that "this vicinity" will not suffer from the dreadful implication as to its "reputation."—[The Rogory force humbly apologizes to both our correspondent and Novi. Eh.]

The Oakland county Sunday school rally held at Orchard Lake last week was successful enough to satisfy the expectations of all concerned. From early in the morning till long in the afternoon crowds were pouring in from every direction. Each train came loaded to its utmost capacity, with its freight of humanity and the highways in every direction presented an ever-changing panorama of horses and vehicles, and an unchanging cloud of dust. Every barn, grove and roadside for long distances on all sides of the beautiful picnic grove was crowded with teams and conveyances. Every body seemed to be happy in spite of the fact that each one was obliged to make more progress toward swallowing his proverbial peck of dirt than one often makes in half a lifetime. The welcoming words by the president of the association, C. W. Horton of Pontiac, were well chosen and to the point, as was the response in behalf of the audience by Rev. Mr. Orr. The addresses by Rev. J. M. Gelston of Ann Arbor and Rev. N. G. Lyons of Flint were grand and delightful to everyone of the vast concourse who was fortunate enough to be within hearing. The contesting bands all played so beautifully that it must have been extremely difficult to name the victorious ones, but Walled Lake proudly carried off first honors, with Davisburg second and Pontiac third. Taken all in all the occasion was one never to be forgotten, and the projectors of and participants in, this first attempt to show forth the magnitude and importance of the Sunday school interests in the county may well be satisfied with their work, and proud of the fact that in this as in other important movements, "Old Oakland" has shown herself equal to the demands made upon her. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mark Walters, Pontiac; vice president, P. Dean Warner, Farmington; corresponding secretary, Dan L. Davis, Pontiac; recording secretary, Mrs. Kittie Cuthbertson, Walled Lake.

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### FARMINGTON.

When you're convinced you are a poet, And wishing all the world to know it, Call on some editor to show it. Your verses full of glow and blow. But pause my friend and slowly go; For many a one has done the same. And thought to grasp the hand of fame. And yet has never seen in print his fame. And why you ask—waste baskets know—So take advice and slowly go.

Miss Elsie Lee has returned to her home at Belle Branch.

Miss Lucie Palmer of Ypsilanti is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Wilber.

The H. H. society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. G. Francis Saturday.

Rosby Botsford of Flint is the guest of his uncle, C. W. Botsford and family. E. C. Grace, wife and daughter Lou were among Detroit's guests last week.

Mrs. Cetella Murray will go as a delegate to Lansing from the Farmington LOTM.

Miss Luza Lee of Northville has been spending a few days with Farmington friends.

Chas. Oamus died at his late residence Saturday evening after a long illness.

A young people's union was organized Sunday evening in the Universalist church.

D. A. Durfee and wife of Novi were guests of Jas. P. Allen and family over Sunday.

W. W. Hayward and wife of Toledo are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

C. F. White had one of his feet severely injured by a barrel of gasoline falling on it while unloading his wagon.

Miss Helen Duncan returned Monday to her home in Plymouth after a pleasant visit with the Misses Eisenlord.

The Misses Douglas of Pontiac and Nettie Armstrong of Detroit were the guests of Miss Carrie Murray a part of last week.

Mrs. Susan Tremper and daughter May of Straits Lake were entertained last week at the home of Mrs. E. J. Tremper.

Misses Jo Mack of Saginaw and Nina Ambler of Northville were guests of Thos. McGee and family on Friday last.

Miss Lena Eisenlord left Thursday to resume her position as teacher in the Alma school. She will teach Latin and grammar this year.

The GAR dance and ice cream festival held Friday evening, Aug. 24, at the town hall was largely attended and a good time reported.

One of the Novi correspondents is laboring under a false impression, for Farmington is neither dead nor sleeping, as a visit will readily show.

Next Monday the new corps of teachers will take their position in our school. The children's vacation will be over and hard study will begin again.

About twenty little folks were invited to spend the afternoon and take tea Saturday at the home of Chas. Moore, in honor of their little guest, Inza Lee of Northville. A most enjoyable time was had.

F. M. Warner, one of Farmington's hustling young men, is candidate for state senator. His many friends extend congratulations and hope he may receive the nomination—of course the election will follow.

The funeral services of the babe of Eunice Jackway were held Sunday from the North Farmington school house, Rev. Jas. Ball officiating. The remains were interred in the North Farmington cemetery.

The Farmington campers have returned and taken up their abode in our village again. All report a most enjoy-

able time and are looking forward with lively anticipation to next year when they can pitch their tents again on the beautiful shores of Orchard lake.

The electric railway has not quite reached Farmington, but if not completed in time for the state fair the Novi correspondent can just take a train at the Novi depot—the place of such good accommodations. It is very pleasant to have a railroad, to see the trains passing to and fro and never stop. It is evidence of such a lively, enterprising town. Don't you know?

Oh! if Farmington was only in it.

One morning last week while one little chicken was out enjoying a morning stroll, saw just over the fence in a neighbor's garden some very nice cucumbers which she thought would make a good breakfast and just as the meal was being enjoyed by chickie a rope was tied around one of her feet and then fastened to a saw-horse. No one seemed to claim her but finally she disappeared, rope and all, but the saw horse remained. Wonder where she could have gone?

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