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EVANS' MADE ANOTHER MOVE.

HE CAUSED THE ARREST OF HIS ALLEGED ASSAULTERS

On a Warrant Last Week Issued by an Ecorse Justice.

The scare lynching given Tom Evans by some of his Meads Mills neighbors on May 18 last and subsequent events has been almost one continuous round of tragedy and comedy. After his scare beneath the now historic town line elm tree during the noon hour of the eventful May day Tom hastened Detroitward and through the aid of his former lawyer, Attorney Weddes, soon after came back at his alleged lynchers with a damage suit for \$25,000.

The next we hear of Evans is when he was enticed over the state line from Toledo and brought here on the charge of threatening to burn barns and do bodily harm to G. P. Beaman. For this he was found guilty and sentenced to 90 days in the house of correction in lieu of \$500 bonds.

The next move in the game was when a warrant for assault to do great bodily harm was issued by Justice Somers of Ecorse at the investigation of Evans' attorney last week. Officers from there came here with papers that took all of his alleged assaulters to that banqueting Friday morning for trial. The comedy part this time was in that the warrant called for two additional "desperadoes," George Stark and Patrick Conley, who were not within miles of the "lynchers" that eventful day, but that made no difference. There was no way of evading the demands of an Ecorse Justice, and those two gentlemen, like sheep for the slaughter, wended their way thitherward with the others. Justice Somers evidently thought the ten or dozen Northville farmers were a bad looking lot of men for he held them and set the examination two weeks later, but he released them all on their own recognizance. Messrs. Conley and Stark will take along with them to the examination several alibis to show that Evans was just a trifle rattled that day as to who participated in the neck-tie social.

The move now is up to the Meads Mills-Northvillites, and it is said to be one which will land Evans in another part of the state.

NORTHVILLE LOSES PROFESSOR GILBERT.

RESIGNS TO ACCEPT SUPERINTENDENCY OF ST. JOHNS SCHOOLS.

The Board Here Releases Him With Regret.

The resignation of Prof. Gilbert last week to accept the superintendency of the St. Johns' schools came to Northville people like a bolt from a clear sky. Mr. Gilbert had been re-engaged here for another year at an increase of salary but the school board, while regretting the change, are not inclined to hold him to his contract when he is able to do so much better. Northville people in general will not only be sorry to lose Prof. Gilbert as superintendent of the school here but with his accomplished wife he will be greatly missed in social circles.

The board has several applications already in to fill the vacancy but no definite action has yet been taken.

Charles, aged 66, 5 feet 11 inches. George, aged 61, 6 feet 3 inches. Harrison, aged 58, 6 feet 1 inch.



S. A., aged 72, 5 feet 11 inches. Wm. Purdy, aged 78, 6 feet. Joseph (who died recently), aged 89, 6 feet. THE YERKES BROTHERS OF NORTHVILLE, NOVI AND BENNINGTON.

REMARKABLE FAMILY OF GOOD BIG MEN.

SEVEN OF MICHIGAN'S WELL KNOWN PIONEERS.

All but One of the Yerkes Brothers Are Still Alive.

Few men came to Michigan previous to 1826 who have left their imprint both in character and descendants upon the commonwealth as has Joseph Yerkes, grandfather of the subjects of our sketch.

Harmon Yerkes the founder of the name in this country came to America from Germany early in the sixteenth century and settled in what is now eastern Pennsylvania. One son emigrated south and was never afterward heard of; the other remained and reared eight sons, one of whom was Stephen the father of Joseph. Joseph came from New York state to Michigan with the family of his son William in May 1826 and settled on section two of this township. William Yerkes, Sr., father of Joseph, Robert, Purdy, Silas, Harrison, George and Charles, was a member of the last territorial legislature, and also of the first state legislature of which body he was a member again in 1856-57. This brings us down to seven brothers whose pictures are presented herewith:

The eldest of the seven Joseph, D. died May 23rd last at the age of 89 years and was without doubt the oldest pioneer of Oakland county.

Robert who lives just in the north border of the village comes next in age, and was county treasurer of Oakland for two years.

Wm. Purdy is still a resident of our village, though in somewhat feeble health. He was judge of probate of Wayne county from 1860 to 1864.

Harrison is also a resident of the village and he too is not enjoying the best of health though able to be about the village.

Charles, like Robert, lives just on the north edge of the village and may be called one of its residents. Silas, father of Mrs. T. J. Perkins of this place, is a resident of Bennington, Shiawassee county, and is a prosperous farmer.

George is a resident of Novi. He was supervisor of that town for seven years and served one term in the house of representatives.

Another brother, Stephen, died in 1881. Of the eight boys, all were over six feet in height. The grandfather was over six feet tall, and from his eight grandsons have sprung every Yerkes in the United States, and down to the present generation the average height of the male descendants has been six feet. The various families are well-to-do, owning very fine farms and having interests in business enterprises that have been successfully managed by them.

GERTRUDE YERKES-FITZGERALD

Former Northville Girl who Died in St. Johns Last Week.

The following from the St. Johns News of June 29 refers to the illness and death of a former well-known Northville girl, Mrs. Gertrude Yerkes-Fitzgerald, daughter of Mrs. J. D. Yerkes and sister of Attorney C. C. Yerkes of this place:

"Mrs. J. W. Fitzgerald passed away at her home in St. Johns, yesterday morning.

There are times when the pen utterly fails to respond to the usual touch and when the mind falters in its attempt to frame sentences and thoughts for the reader's perusal.

"The words which are to record the final earthly separation of the writer's own mother, call to mind such a flood of thought, such a world of happy memories and pleasant recollections of the past, in which she whose voice is forever stilled, was the central figure, that the task seems well nigh impossible.

"With the passing of this gentle spirit, came the end of a life so noble, so self-sacrificing and so intent on the welfare and happiness of her family and those about her, that the loss falls with awful significance on the members of that circle who have been suddenly deprived of this wife and mother.

"She had been able to be out, up to a week ago Monday, when she was obliged to take to her bed, and steadily faded each day to the time of her dissolution. The nervous system seemed completely shattered and paralysis made its appearance almost at the outset of the sickness.

"Gertrude Yerkes was born at Northville, Michigan, April 17, 1846, having just passed her fifty-third birthday. She received her education in the Northville public schools and afterward at the state normal at Ypsilanti. In 1868 she was united in marriage at her parent's home to J. W. Fitzgerald. They soon afterwards moved to Clinton county and with the exception of a few years in Jackson, have been residents here since that date.

"Mrs. Fitzgerald cared but little for society and her home was always the one place around which centered her greatest interest, her greatest anxiety and her greatest love. Her life was a most perfect example of the wife and mother to whom the welfare of those near and dear to her was paramount to all else on earth. Never did she bestow a thought upon herself in connection with anything which was to affect the family collectively. It was always the effect on others which would occur to her first and last, and about which she would always carefully inquire and her sweet womanly way and strong, earnest, cheerful response to all the duties of maternity will be forever held in sacred memory by those who called her wife and mother.

"Although she never formally united with any church, the whole intent of her life was so much in harmony with the spirit of Him to whom she taught each child at her knee to nightly petition, that a purer christian life could not be sought.

"The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Herbener of Northville and an old friend of the family, and the remains laid to rest in the St. Johns cemetery.

"Mrs. Fitzgerald leaves her meth-

er, a brother, C. C. Yerkes of Northville, and a sister, Mrs. L. C. Mead, besides her husband and four children, Mrs. C. P. Baker and Howard, Harry and Roy Fitzgerald all of St. Johns.

"We folded tenderly those quiet hands. When mother died. And softly smoothed the silken, wavy bands. On either side. And, as, so often she her vigils kept. We now sat watching while our mother slept. At eventide.

"We rained carresses on that placid brow. When mother died. And kissed the lips that never until now. Our own denied. That love and tenderness had been to us. A holy gift, compared to which, the earth shrunk down beside.

Suburban News.

Pontiac and Eliot are both anxious to secure an axle factory that is looking for a location and a bonus of \$2,000. The factory is to employ from 50 to 100 men.

The Plymouth Mill is looking very fine under its new proprietorship. Suburban correspondence from various points is a prominent feature and the local columns are extremely well filled.

"Wisdom's Oracles" is the way one of the Record's exchanges heads an article appertaining to educational matters. Even oracles have an occasional bad "spell" it seems, though side by side with wisdom.

"Grasshoppers are too numerously hopping around in the grass in some parts of Oakland county again this year. They have already caused a good deal of damage, and incidentally, without the aid.

"Haying has begun."—Deerfield Journal. Begun what?—Adrian Press.

"Oh go to grass with such jokes. What kind of a syath are you trying to cut anyway?" Begun to hay of course!

An effort is to be made to make the highway of uniform width—four rods—between Northville and Plymouth. We understand at some points it is only forty feet between fences.—Plymouth Mail.

Pontiac Presbyterians are engaged in a lively scrap over the retention or non-retention of their present pastor, Rev. S. H. Thompson. Probably under the circumstances that gentleman will decide the matter for himself.

The latest bug to appear on the scene of the trials of the agricultural community is the "beet bug," which preys on the incipient sugar in an exasperating manner. It is unnecessary to remark that it beats everything in the pest line yet invented.

John Howden of White Lake, Oakland county, is \$175 short as the result of hiring a stranger to work for him. The fellow plead illness and poverty, was taken in out of pity, and at the first opportunity stole the money and decamped.

Milford Presbyterians have commenced preparations for the building of their new house of worship and the Times suggests that somebody kindly present a town clock to finish off the church tower. That strikes one as being a very timely suggestion.

Some Farmington folks had a big banquet a short time ago, and after accepting without a protest a lot of free advertising by the local paper, they forgot to invite the editor to the spread. The editor was wrathful and gave the banquet people a red-hot roast.

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Ypsilanti Congregationalists dedicated a \$11,000 church Sunday.

Fenton is pleasurably excited over good prospects of a big cement factory. An unlimited supply of marl is waiting to be used, and is conveniently near the town.

A couple named Newton Lord and Jennie Helper were married in an eastern Kentucky town a few days ago and the editor of the local paper was almost clubbed to death by the indignant groom because he made use of the heading, "Lord-Helper."—Ex.

Miss Walker, a young lady of Plymouth township had a very peculiar as well as dangerous accident last week. She dropped a hot curling iron which she was using and it struck her across the eyes, burning them so that for a time loss of sight was feared.

Quite a number of the tax-payers of Plymouth expressed themselves at a recent meeting as being in favor of bonding the village for \$25,000 or so

to raise the amount required for buildings for the Detroit Furniture factory should it be secured for Plymouth.

The oil tank which was said to have been struck by lightning on the F&M railway causing an expensive wreck a few weeks ago near Rose Center, has just been fished out of the water, and it is stated that not the least mark can be found on it. Ninety of the road scrapers which were a part of the freight on the wrecked train have also been recovered. The cause of the wreck remains a mystery.

Pure Manila binder twine, 10 cents at M. S. Ambler's.

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Friends and readers of the Record will confer a favor on the paper, and themselves as well, by asking Judge of Probate Durfee to publish all notices of estates in which they may be interested, in the Record. The judge is perfectly willing and a request is all that is necessary.

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NEWSY GENERALITIES

ITEMS GATHERED FROM ALL DIRECTIONS.

Great Britain, Germany and Russia Have Agreed Upon a Plan to Divide China and Will Doubtless Carry it Into Effect—Nine Lives Lost in Lake Erie.

Powers Agree to Divide China.

There is little doubt that a secret treaty has been made by Great Britain, Germany and Russia concerning their several spheres of influence in China, and that the partition of the crumbling old empire among the European nations will now go on without friction. It is suspected that France is also a party to the convention, although it is not positively known. At any rate, the Frenchmen are to take their share of the spoils, and Italy and Belgium are to come in for smaller slices. Russia has already occupied the province of Manchuria, and has 7,000 soldiers there. Germany has 3,000 soldiers in the province of Shantung, and has recently demanded the appointment of a German as adviser to the native governor general of that province. That is a long step in the direction of permanent occupation, and means that Emperor William intends to assume executive control over that portion of China without further ceremony.

Italian Deputies Fought a Fight.

In the Italian chamber of deputies on June 30th the socialists and extreme leftists recommenced their obstructive tactics and created an immense uproar. The president of the house combated the efforts of the obstructionists and finally the deputies left their seats, crowded on the floor and there was such an uproar that the sitting was suspended. When it was resumed similar tactics were carried on by extreme leftists, who crowded the floor. The tumult was deafening and eventually a free fight ensued and the sitting was again suspended. At a later session of the chamber, despite the efforts of the president, who begged the deputies to be calm and proceed to a vote the uproar was redoubled, members flocking to the floor in front of the president's chair and finally upsetting the ballot boxes.

Two Killed in a Street Car Collision.

As a result of a street car collision on the road of the Monongahela Traction Co., at Pittsburg, Pa., on the 2d, two people are dead, six seriously injured and 10 others more or less hurt. The accident happened on a steep grade near Highbridge. The two cars in collision were heavily loaded with passengers returning home from Kenwood park. Motorman Griffith stopped his car near the bottom of the hill to get a drink of water at a spring nearby. He had hardly left his car when the electric current, for some reason as yet unexplained, was shut off, leaving the car in darkness. The car following soon overtook the car that was standing still, and owing to the first car being in darkness, the rear car crashed into it with terrific force, almost telescoping it.

That Alaska Boundary Trouble.

The negotiations in London looking to the arrangement of a modus vivendi fixing the Alaskan boundary have again nearly reached a crisis. The several conferences that have taken place recently between Lord Salisbury and Ambassador Choate have been signally disappointing in results. At moments it appeared that a basis of understanding having been found, but when reached, the details could be easily arranged, but it now turns out that these very details cannot be agreed upon without the sacrifice of the interests of many American miners, mainly those who were driven out of the Atlin district by the severe and discriminating laws enacted by the legislature of British Columbia, and this the state department is determined not to sanction.

Hail Storm in Nebraska.

A furious hail and wind storm passed over Ajinworth, Neb., on the 4th. Hailstones measuring 10 inches around fell, breaking every window glass and sash on the north and east sides of the buildings. Limbs two inches thick were stripped from the trees. Hogs, cattle and horses were killed and many of those not killed had their eyes knocked out. All kinds of crops where the hail fell are completely destroyed. Many people celebrating the Fourth were out in different parts of the country, and it is feared some lives were lost.

\$100,000 Fire at Chicago.

One hundred frenzied women and 20 men rushed panic stricken from the three story factory of the Western Paper Stock Co., at Chicago, to escape being burned to death on the 3d. Eight women were injured by leaping from the windows and many more jumped in safety. It is possible some may have been killed, and in the excitement it was impossible to keep track of the occupants after they left the blazing structure. The building was damaged \$100,000.

Spanish Prisoners to Receive Pay.

Gen. Jaramillos, who is settling Spain's military affairs in Havana, received a message from the minister of war at Madrid, announcing that the pay of all soldiers who are in the hands of the insurgents will be continued during their captivity. The families of many of these officers and soldiers are in Manila without means of support and this will alleviate their sufferings somewhat.

Word received from Andree, the arctic explorer, on June 24th, has led his friends to believe he is dead.

WAR NOTES.

Believing that the Kansas soldiers in the Philippines have done their full duty, Brig.-Gen. Funston has written to the governor and other state officers and friends in Topeka, suggesting that intervention with the President to have the Kansas regiment sent home at once will be appreciated. Gen. Funston is very careful in his communication to convey the idea that the Kansans are not making themselves liable to the charge of insubordination in this matter by making this request, yet he says: "They have stuck to their posts, every man of them, and are entitled to relief. Now that so many regular troops are here, I believe the Kansas boys would like to get home. Not a man of them has asked me to take this liberty. I simply do it because I am sure the men would appreciate it. They have been at the front constantly and bear the marks of the rough campaign." Felipe-Buenacaminio, one of the priests who recently escaped from the insurgent camps, in an interview, said: "Aguinaldo is remorseful. His influence is gone and he often sits all alone and cries over the miserable condition into which he has plunged his people. There is dissent in his army and the bands out for plunder are willing to murder. They are as dangerous to the leader as to the Americans. Aguinaldo cannot trust his own men, and as truth of this, when his headquarters were removed from San Isidoro to Cabanaran, his luggage was robbed of a lot of valuable jewelry and clothing. The bandits are the men with whom the Americans will have to deal, and in order to down them it will be necessary to keep a large army in the field until the thieves are captured or killed."

Do Not Wish to be Disturbed.

Prof. J. G. Schurman of the United States advisory commission for the Philippines, returned to Manila on the 2d from a three weeks tour of the southern islands. He takes an entirely hopeful view of the general conditions there. The intelligent and substantial citizens desire an American protectorate. The masses are awaiting the settlement of the war in the island of Luzon before declaring themselves. They are chiefly anxious to be undisturbed. The president of the town of Santo Nicolas, in the island of Cebu, said to Mr. Schurman: "We want peace, food and prosperity. We do not wish to fight. We would be neutral."

Automobiles for Collecting Mails.

The first attempt ever made in the United States to collect mail with an automobile was made in Buffalo on July 2d and was a great success. Mail from 40 boxes in a territory six miles in length was collected in less than one-half the time that it takes to cover the same route with a horse and wagon. The experiment will be continued and if it proves as great a success as anticipated a number of automobiles will be placed in regular commission in connection with the postal service in that and other cities.

Two Bodies From Plague Ship Found.

The bodies of two Japanese sailor of the plague ship Nippon Maru were found in the bay near San Francisco and towed to a point off shore by fishermen, who were afraid to touch the bodies more than was necessary to attach a rope to them for towing purposes. The coroner was notified and the bodies taken to the morgue, where every precaution is being taken to prevent any spread of the disease, should the men have carried any germs with them into the bay.

BASE BALL.

Below we publish the number of games of ball played by the Western and National Leagues, giving the number of games won and lost, together with the percentage of each club to date. Tuesday, July 4th:

Table with columns: Clubs, Games Played, Won, Lost, Percent. Includes teams like Minneapolis, Indianapolis, Columbus, Detroit, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Buffalo, etc.

THE MARKETS.

Table with columns: Location, Commodity, Price. Includes New York, Chicago, Detroit, Buffalo, Cleveland, etc.

GRAIN, ETC.

Table with columns: Location, Commodity, Price. Includes New York, Chicago, Detroit, Toledo, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, etc.

Lavigne Lost the Featherball Honor.

Frank Erne, of Buffalo, defeated "Kid" Lavigne, of Saginaw, in a fight to the limit, 20 rounds, at the Hawthorne Athletic club, situated in the outskirts of Buffalo, on the evening of July 3d. The event was as clear and fairly fought battle as was ever seen in the history of modern glovedom.

After an unsuccessful strike for 17 days' duration, the freight handlers of Buffalo returned to work on the 28th. About 2,400 men were involved in the strike and their loss of wages amounts to fully \$50,000.

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Secretary Alger, Adjutant-General.

Secretary Alger, Adjutant-General Corbin and Col. Bird, assistant quartermaster general in charge of transportation, had a consultation with the President on the 28th, relative to the question of reinforcements for Gen. Otis. A definite decision was reached to continue recruiting men at each of the 70 recruiting stations in the U. S. The enlistments are to be for the regular army, and recruits are to be organized into regiments or assigned to regiments already formed after enlistment. The term of enlistment is for three years, and present indication are that 10,000 men will be wanted.

For the first time since the Philippine

nut has been found so hard to crack, this government's program has been announced under something like official authority. The plan is to have 35,000 men in Manila by the middle of August, and from that date onward to send 1,000 soldiers a week until the Philippines are pacified. This will give upwards of 40,000 men by Oct. 1, and leaves the total to be sent entirely in the hands of circumstances. That is, every week the Filipinos hold out will see another 1,000 American soldiers in line against them.

Reports have been received of an

outbreak in the island of Negros incident upon the departure of the California regiment for home. Some hostile natives, seeing a company of soldiers at one of the small posts, preparing to depart, thought the Americans were evacuating the island, and a party of 250 rebels, mostly bolomen, attacked the troops and killed one man and wounded another belonging to E company. The Filipinos were easily driven off.

Gen. Otis has ordered the opening

of trade of many important ports that have been closed since the outbreak. These include San Fernando, coast of Luzon, Apari, Curimao and all ports in the islands of Samar and Leyte. Gunboats will protect the shipping in some ports, but elsewhere shippers must risk confiscation by the insurgents, who exact heavy tribute of all ships they permit to sail.

Peace Reigns in the Samoan Islands.

Peace and quiet now reign in Samoa, in marked contrast to the warlike scenes of two months ago. The arrival of the auxiliary cruiser Badger on May 13, with the international commission on board, caused a distinct change in affairs. The office of president of Apia, which cost \$3,000 a year to maintain and caused much friction, is to be done away with, and the municipality governed by a council and mayor. Other changes in the government of the islands has been made.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. T. H. TURNER, HOMEOPATHIC Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence, corner Wing and Main street. Office hours, 7:30 to 9:00 a.m.; 12:00 to 2:00 p.m. Telephone 392.

DR. T. B. HENRY, PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office and residence, 31 Main Street. Office hours 8:00 to 10:00 a.m.; 1:00 to 3:00 and 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Night calls promptly attended. Telephone, 401.

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DR. T. S. MURDOCK, RESIDENCE 145 Main street. Office hours at home, from 12:00 m. to 2:00 p.m. Forenoon and evening at Murdock Bros. Drug store, Northville. Calls in town or country, answered promptly. Phone 83. 2271.

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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of AGATHA GERHARD, deceased, we the undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the office of Julius Bonninghausen, No. 60 Monroe Ave., in the City of Detroit in said County, on Tuesday the 15th day of September A. D. 1899, and on Monday the fourth day of December A. D. 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the third day of June A. D. 1899 were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance. Dated, June 21st 1899. JULIUS BONNINGHAUSEN, GEORGE J. LAUTH, Commissioners.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne ss. In Probate. In the matter of the estate of IDA A. BALLEE deceased, notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of an order of the court made in said matter by the Hon. Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate for said County on the 20th day of June A. D. 1899, the undersigned administrator with the will annexed will on the tenth day of August A. D. 1899 at ten o'clock a.m. at the premises on Rogers street in the village of Northville Wayne County Michigan offer for sale at public auction the following described land viz: Beginning at a point in the south-east and sixteen (16) rods five and one-half (5 1/2) feet south of the north-west corner of the south-west quarter of section number three (3) in the Township of Northville County of Wayne State of Michigan and running thence west twenty (20) rods thence north four (4) rods thence east twenty (20) rods thence south four (4) rods to the place of beginning. Dated June 21st A. D. 1899. JACOB BOGART, Administrator with the will annexed.

H. H. Radcliff, Detroit Attorney.

MORTGAGE SALE. Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Rufus S. Crosman and his wife, May L. Crosman to Richard Bird, dated January 9th 1896 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Michigan on the 15th day of January A. D. 1896 in Lib 864 of Mortgages on page 602 and on which there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of twelve hundred and twenty-three dollars and ninety cents (\$1223.90) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage and no part thereof, now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage the same having become operative according to the statutes in such case made and made public notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 19th day of September A. D. 1899 at twelve o'clock noon—city time—I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the western front door of the City Hall in the City of Detroit in said County—Michigan the building in which, to-wit: the premises described in said mortgage to pay the amount due thereon and all legal costs, charges and expenses of sale, including an attorney fee of twenty-five (\$25.00) as stipulated in said mortgage, and allowed by law, to wit: Rufus S. Crosman and his wife, of Romulus County of Wayne and State of Michigan, and described as all that portion of the north-west quarter of the north-west quarter of section twenty-one (21) Town three south, range nine east, lying north of Washington Avenue and containing twenty-six acres more or less. Dated June 21st 1899. RICHARD BIRD, Mortgagee.

H. H. Radcliff, Attorney for Mortgagee.

C. C. Yerkes Attorney, Northville, Mich. MORTGAGE SALE. Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by John Baskillon to Lawrence W. Simmons on the 26th day of November 1889 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wayne County Michigan on the 29th day of November A. D. 1889 in Lib 107 of Mortgages on page 122 whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative and whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable on said mortgage for principal and interest the sum of seven hundred and thirty and 00/100 dollars (\$746 00/100) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof, now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute of the State of Michigan the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder on Tuesday the 29th day of August A. D. 1899 at twelve o'clock noon (City time) at the western front door of the City Hall in the City of Detroit, Michigan (that being the building wherein the mortgage is recorded) the premises described in said mortgage or sufficient thereof to satisfy said indebtedness, an attorney fee as provided for in said mortgage and allowed by law and all other costs and expenses of sale. Said premises are situated in the County of Northville in the County of Wayne and State of Michigan and described as follows: to-wit, Commencing at a point one (1) chain and fifty (50) links easterly from the south west corner of a certain five and 48-100 acres and on the south line thereof heretofore fully assigned by proper authority to Julia A. Robinson, widow of Hiram Robinson deceased as a portion of her dower in the estate of said deceased on the south-west quarter of section three (3); thence south eighty-three and three-fourths (83 3/4) degrees west fourteen (14) chains; thence east six and one-fourth (6 1/4) degrees east ten (10) chains and sixty-eight (68) links; thence north fifty-eight (58) links and one-fourth (1/4) degree east fifteen (15) chains and fifty-one (51) links; thence north six and one-fourth (6 1/4) degrees west forty (40) chains to the place beginning together with all the land in said quarter section which may be flowed by water when the surface of the pond on said tract shall be raised four (4) feet and three (3) inches above the highest point of a certain rock situated south sixty-nine (69) degrees east eight (8) chains and fifty-four (54) links from the south-east corner of said described tract; also the privileges of a tail race across land formerly owned by Charles A. Robinson from the mill site to the main stream below; also that tract lying between said tract and the creek known as the center of Waterman to Miller bridge and also the north-west corner of said tract and conveyed to Adin Cummings; also expanding all land east of a line corresponding to the center of Wing street extended.

Dated, May 13th 1899. LAWRENCE W. SIMMONS, Mortgagee.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne ss.—At a session of the Probate court for said County of Wayne, held at the Probate office in the City of Detroit on the twentieth day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine (1899), in the matter of the estate of HARVEY D. BALLEE, deceased. An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, having been delivered into this court for probate, and on reading and filing the petition of Grace Bailey praying that administration with the will annexed of said estate may be granted to William H. Ambler or some other suitable person. It is ordered that the twenty-fifth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for proving said instrument and hearing said petition. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing in the Northville Record a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. EDGAR O. DUREE, Judge of Probate.

JOHN F. PETERS, Deputy Register.



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An Innocent Man is Serving Time at the Ionia Prison by Assuming the Name of a Rogue - A Brighton Farmer Destroyed His Barns While Insane.

Assumed Name of a Rogue to His Sorrow.
If the story of Anson Castor, of Flint, is true, his son, Fred Castor, an innocent man, is serving a sentence of four years in Ionia prison, and the guilty party is free. Frank Logan was sent from Kalamazoo last November to Ionia prison on a sentence of four years for burglary. A few days ago Anson Castor was told by a man who had just completed a sentence at Ionia that his son Fred was serving time at that prison. The story told his broken-hearted father his story as follows: He had been tramping in some and had assumed the name of Frank Logan to hide his identity. While at Kalamazoo he was arrested and charged with burglary. It seems that some time ago there was a fellow about Kalamazoo by the name assumed by this young man who bore a very bad record, and this fellow being about the same age and build was mistaken for the other party. He was convicted on the evidence of one Wm. Caranagh, who was a partner in the crime, and who said that Frank Logan was the other party.

Robbed and Murdered.
A brutal murder took place at Flint shortly before midnight on July 1st. John Casler, a well-known and respected resident of the city, was assaulted and robbed while returning to his home. He lived until about 6 o'clock the following morning, but did not recover consciousness. Casler was down in the city during the evening. He was alone when last seen. People heard shots but paid no attention to them thinking the reports were made by firecrackers. Shortly after a passer-by found Casler lying on his face near the walk breathing heavily. An alarm was at once given. Casler had a bullet hole in the top and back of his head, the ball having passed in and downward toward the nose. Nearby was Casler's revolver, with one of the cartridges exploded. There were evidences of rough usage on the murdered man, one being a jagged wound on the scalp. Evidences of a struggle were plain. Casler's hat, crushed in, was lying some distance away, and in a yard was his coat. His pockets had been rifled and considerable money taken.

Break of an Insane Man.
Martin Schultz, a farmer living about four miles northwest of Brighton, became violently insane recently and set fire to his large hay and grain barns which together with his horse barn and a shed, were burned to the ground. Mr. Schultz has had spells during which his mind seemed to be deranged, but had never displayed any violence. He made two attempts to burn his house before he set fire to the barns. After the barns had been destroyed he went and laid on the railroad tracks. An officer and a large number of citizens from Brighton had a desperate struggle with Schultz. He was armed with a knife and declared he would take his own life before he would surrender. He was finally overpowered and taken to the county jail.

Rounded Up After Six Years.
Nearly six years ago N. L. Sordam, an aged man, and his son, about 60 years of age, residing alone on their farm about four miles from Paw Paw were robbed of about \$300 in money that they, being suspicious of banks, had deposited for safe keeping in an old trunk kept in their residence. Suspicion was directed to one Mary Neal, a domestic in their employ, but sufficient evidence to warrant her arrest was not found until recently, when the crime was almost barred by the statute of limitation. It was learned that she was living at Kalamazoo. Officers at once arrested her, and one Daniel Cobblestick as an accomplice. At their trial, realizing that both would be convicted, each plead guilty.

All Because a Daughter Swore Falsely.
Gov. Pingree has pardoned John Kaspar, sent from Newaygo, Mar. 12, 1888, to Jackson for 20 years, for criminal assault. Kaspar's alleged victim was his daughter, whose testimony was corroborated by a neighbor, with whom Kaspar had trouble about a line fence. Subsequently the daughter admitted that she swore falsely, and that the neighbor threatened to harm her if she did not do so. Kaspar is now an invalid, having been attacked by locomotor ataxia and has but a short time to live.

Cheaper Lights for Cadillac.
The Pine River Light and Power Co., with a capital of \$60,000, owned partially in Reed City and Cadillac, but principally in Philadelphia, was recently organized and will erect a plant on the Pine river, five miles southwest of Tustin, for the purpose of transmitting cheap electricity to Cadillac, about 16 miles away, for light, heat, power or other purposes.

Married Because She Loved Him.
John W. Jones, aged 76, and Miss Jessie Cressor, aged 18, both of Kalamazoo, were quietly married at Constantine on the 26th. The groom is well-to-do and the bride is pretty and piquant. While the groom's estate is estimated to be worth fully \$500,000 and was willed to the young bride before marriage, she asserts that it was not her lover's money that induced her to marry him, but simply because she loved him. The young lady was never known to tell a falsehood.

Lansing Masons will build a new temple to cost \$20,000.

An Odd Suicide in Huron County.

An odd suicide occurred in Grant township, Huron county, recently. Mrs. David Quant, because of ill health, took a dose of laudanum; but the timely arrival of a physician saved her life. She told her husband it was of no use, she would repeat the operation until she had shaken off this mortal coil. He begged her to postpone the operation until he got through with his corn planting, but she insisted that she could not put the event off later than the following Friday, then the funeral could be held Sunday, thus saving one day. Quant agreed to this, but for some reason the poison did not work rapidly, so the funeral had to be held Monday.

Wore Diamonds Around His Ankles.

Special Treasury Agent Charles E. Lewis of Niagara Falls, N. Y., made a rich haul in Detroit on the 23th, when he landed Louis Busch, who is charged with being a past master in the art of diamond smuggling. When arrested by Lewis at the Brush street depot, Busch had on his person, wrapped around his ankles, diamonds amounting in value to over \$20,000. The capture of Busch is the culmination of years of work on the part of the special treasury agents of the Niagara Falls district, who have been trying to stop the diamond smuggling business between Canada and the United States.

600 Men Walked Out.

Pingree & Smith's big shoe factory on Jefferson avenue, Detroit, was shut down on the 29th and 600 persons were thrown out of employment. The firm, which is composed of Gov. Hazen S. Pingree, Frank C. Pingree and J. B. Howarth, has terminated its agreement made with the Boot and Shoe Makers' union, June 12, 1896, and has decided that hereafter the factory will not be union in so far that union men only be employed. The firm will hereafter conduct its business in a business way and will not be dictated to by any man or set of men. Those are the words used by Frank Pingree to express the firm's position in the matter.

Murder and Suicide at Muskegon.

Mayor James Balbirnie, of Muskegon, was shot to death by a disappointed office-seeker named J. W. Taylor at noon on the 29th. Immediately after firing the fatal shot the assassin turned his revolver upon himself, and also took a dose of carbolic acid, dying in about an hour. Taylor had held the position of city director of the poor for a number of years, and displayed a great deal of bitterness when Mayor Balbirnie refused to appoint him last spring. He had evidently brooded over the matter, and had determined to kill the mayor and then commit suicide.

STATE GOSSIP.

Helding's streets are now lighted by electricity.

A new gristmill is being erected at Edenville, Gladwin county.

Grant Rapids, M. C. A. has succeeded in raising its debt of \$52,000.

The 10th annual Spiritualist camp meeting will occur at Vicksburg August 5-28.

The St. Clair County Pioneer society lost 350 members by death during the past year.

A large hay crop has been harvested in Van Buren county. Cuts and corn need rain.

Saginaw county's hay crop will not average more than two-thirds of last year's crop.

Bay, Saginaw and Midland county threshing machine owners have formed a combine.

Houghton will spend \$60,000 this summer in improving her streets and water system.

A rural free mail delivery will be started for the territory about Ypsilanti shortly.

During a charivari at Oak Hill recently a small cannon burst, injuring three bystanders.

Athens people expect the streets of their village will be lighted by electricity in a short time.

The hay crop in Arenac county is a large one this year. It has been secured in good condition.

The big furniture factory to locate at Standish September 1 will employ 125 to 150 men and boys.

Within a radius of six miles from Vicksburg there are 14 fine lakes and all are good fishing grounds.

Montmorency county's poor farm will be in operation by August 1. It is located three miles west of Atlanta.

Gladstone is to have banking facilities soon, as arrangements have been made to establish a bank there about the middle of this month.

At the special election in Ann Arbor recently it was decided by a vote of 650 to 16 to appropriate \$17,000 for a homeopathic hospital site.

All of the masser tenders at Bay City are on strike for an increase of wages to \$1.75 per day. Work on all the new factories is at a standstill.

Albion's new bicycle ordinance has gone into effect. It compels bicyclists to equip their wheels with lamps and bells. It is unpopular.

Bears are so numerous in the immediate vicinity of Marquette that women and children are afraid to go into the outskirts of the city alone.

George Campbell, proprietor of a sawmill at Rose City, Ogemaw county, shipped and fell on a circular saw. His body was cut completely in two.

Geo. Cooper, an old resident of White Pigeon, committed suicide on the 27th by taking a dose of poison. Domestic troubles are said to have caused him to end his life. This was his third attempt at self-destruction within the past 12 years, and it proved a winner.

James Meyers, a Thetford township brute, Genesee county, pleaded guilty in the circuit court to debauching his 12-year-old daughter. He broke down in court.

At the close of the fiscal year, June 30th, there was a balance of \$1,402,055.88 in the state treasury. This is \$185,542.27 more than the balance one year ago.

Haying is over in the vicinity of Brighton, and the crop is a small one. Wheat harvest has begun, and the prospects for that are even poorer than the hay crop.

Despite the reports last winter that the extreme cold was killing off all the quail, there are more of those birds in Berrien county, this season than for 20 years past.

Diphtheria has become epidemic at Cassidy's Corners, a little hamlet near Niles. A half dozen cases now exist and one death from the disease has thus far been reported.

Saline people think that all that is necessary now for their happiness and the prosperity of the village is a local band, and accordingly such an organization will be formed.

The survivors of the 10th Mich. infantry will hold their annual reunion at Vicksburg in September, and it is expected that their old colonel, Gen. W. R. Shafter, will be present.

The receipts of the state land office for the fiscal year just closed were \$226,565.84, an increase of \$88,440.26 over 1898. Much of the increase was due to the craze for copper lands.

The nation's birthday was appropriately observed throughout the state, and at some places the celebration surpassed any previous attempt. A great many casualties are reported.

Bay City wheelmen have been given the right to ride on the sidewalks of every street in the city, that is not paved or planked. The mayor and nearly every alderman rides wheels.

A Biograph machine, owned by the New York Biograph Co., will be used in talking moving pictures of the Christian Endeavor parade and other events in Detroit for the next week or two.

John R. Ellefvein, residing near Three Oaks, was thrown from his reaper by his team running away on the 1st. The sharp knives of the reaper literally cut his body to pieces.

The wheat crop of Newaygo county this year is almost a total failure. Hundreds of acres were plowed under last spring, and what was left to grow will not yield one-quarter of an average crop.

Dairy and Food Commissioner Grosvenor is collecting statistics concerning the cheese and butter factories of Michigan, in order that he may be able to respond to the frequent requests for this information.

A great deal of complaint is heard among the farmers of Clinton county because of the poor wheat crop, yet the cereal is said to be in better condition there than in almost any other county in the state.

The building of the new power house at New Baltimore for the electric railroad which is to run through from Detroit to Port Huron has been begun. The plant will be one of the finest of the kind in the country.

Fourteen couples from Chicago were married in St. Joseph on July 2d. Fully 5,000 excursionists arrived in that city on that day to remain until after the fourth, when it is expected that another large party will be invited for life.

Doanville is experiencing a hot time over Sunday closing. The clerks' union want stores kept closed and the church people insist that ball games be prohibited. A large number of stores were open on the 2d and arrests will follow.

Senator Burrows is negotiating for the purchase of a residence in the swellest part of Washington in which to live and entertain while congress is in session during the next six years. It is said he has offered \$20,000 for a house which suits him.

On one acre of ground Frank Clark, a well-known farmer of Vernia, raised this season four tons of good timothy hay, and is willing to make an affidavit to that effect; and on one of his five-acre lots cut on an average of three tons of good hay to the acre.

A horse attached to a buggy containing a lady and driver jumped from the highway bridge at Benton Harbor. The motorman of a street car jumped into the river and saved the woman's life. The driver jumped and saved his own life and the horse was rescued.

Fruit growers at Lawton who have been swindled year after year out of the profits of their shipments to Chicago commission men have turned, like the worm in the adage, and will attend to the sale of their fruit themselves. They have formed an association, with \$10,000 capital, for the purpose, and will give commission men the go-by hereafter.

The official returns from the counties shows that there were 1,503 divorces granted in Michigan in 1898, the wife being complainant in 1,336 cases and the husband in 472. Four hundred and ninety-eight couples had been married less than five years, 532 from five to ten years; 313 from 10 to 15 years; 195 from 15 to 20 years and one upwards of 45 years.

Rockland is experiencing a genuine "boom." The houses are full and many people are living and doing business in tents. There are three times as many professional people and tradesmen there as the place can support. The mines are rich, but the town itself is being overdone, and a reaction is sure to follow.

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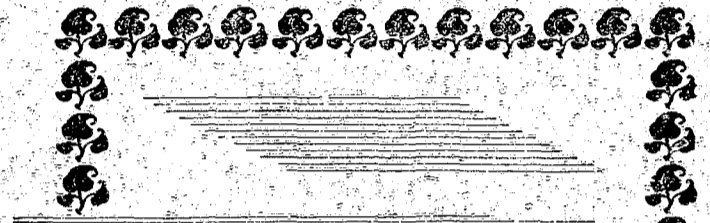
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NORTHVILLE.

Purely Personal.

W. G. Lapham has gone east for a vacation.

Miss Olive Dixon is visiting Pontiac friends.

Miss Gorman spent her 4th at her home in Milford.

Mrs. I. B. Gilbert returned from Saginaw last night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harmon spent Sunday with Nov friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dickerson are visiting relatives at Manchester.

R. F. Diserens of Chicago has been among Northville friends this week.

Miss Mabel Wells of Milford has been visiting friends here this week.

Miss Grace Lapham of Detroit visited Northville friends over the 4th.

Katherine Gilbert of Gaines was a Northville visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Seal was called to Elsie Wednesday by the serious illness of his father.

Misses Minnie Coon and Carrie Seovel of Detroit are visiting at John Hirsch's.

Master Garr Canon is spending a few days with his uncle, Nelt Taylor, at Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Miller, and son of Pontiac visited Northville friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Hannah Phelps of Lansing has been visiting at Wm. Phillips for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Edith Madison and Miss Mame Phillips of Wixom visited Northville friends last week Friday.

Mrs. Mossett of Milford visited her daughter, Mrs. Heptner on Saturday and Sunday of last week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Phelps left Monday for New York where they expect to remain for about a month.

On Thursday of last week Miss Lucy Barber entertained a party of friends at dinner, the occasion being her birthday.

Mr. Samsen Jr. of the Plymouth Mail, with his wife, was in town one day last week and made the Record office a fraternal call.

Mrs. Agnes Wessell and Mrs. Mary Brown of Jackson have been entertained this week at the homes of Edward and Ernest Harmon.

Thomas Lawler and sister Miss Mabel Lawler of Gaines have been visiting Northville relatives this week, coming by the bicycle route.

Superintendent McCracken of the Farmington schools and the class of '99 were visitors here Saturday. During their visit they were photographed by Brown.

Kern C. Babbitt of Colorado Springs, Colo., is here for a few weeks visit and recuperation. His wife who has been spending the summer here will return with him.

Mrs. W. J. Somerville accompanied by Miss Anna Somerville made Northville relatives a week's visit. Mrs. Bruno Freydel and son returned to Canada with them Wednesday.

Virgil McNitt of Trent, a former Northville resident, came over a wheel Saturday and left this week for Farmington where he will con-

duct the Enterprise for a few weeks while Editor Bloomer takes a vacation.

Miss Nellie Hinman who has been spending the last month in Detroit returned home Saturday where she will spend some weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinman.

Meads Mills News.

Joseph Boston spent the 4th at Wayne.

Ira Thomas took in the celebration at Ypsilanti the 4th.

Edna and Kate Hughes, with Avis Greene, went to Detroit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor visited Mrs. Taylor's father in Willow this week.

Mrs. Jennie Wheeler returned to her home in New York City last Saturday.

Lawrence Johnson and Luther Green were at Ypsilanti the 4th; also Francis Sowles.

S. S. Eddy and wife of Pontiac visited with Mrs. Mary Loud and family Sunday.

E. W. Hughes is doing some mason work on the church that is being repaired at South Lyon.

Charles and Don Rogers visited the Stevens children one day last week. They came alone from Scranton, Pa.

Matt Greene started the 4th for Rochester, N. Y., where he has employment promised him, and expects to take a course in the business college of that city.

EXCURSION NOTICE

DET. GD. RAPIDS & WEST N

Island Lake and Grand Ledge Sunday July 16.

Spiritualist Camp Meeting at Island Lake. Usual attractions at Grand Ledge. Train will leave Plymouth at 8:45 a. m. Leave Grand Ledge at 6:30 p. m. Island Lake about 8:30. Rates 32c and 75c.

Council Proceedings.

An adjourned meeting of the Council was held Friday evening, June 30, 1899.

Present: F. M. Burgess, President; Trustees Miller, Bovee, Rasch, Barley.

The following resolution was offered by Trustee Bovee and supported by Trustee Miller:

Whereas, Detroit, Plymouth & Northville railroads are required under the terms of its franchise from the Village of Northville to construct its tracks in said village of Grand Ledge, and

Whereas, it is desirable that the said tracks shall be constructed of the type known as "T" rail of the weight of 74 lbs. to the lineal yard, the same to be laid subject to all the conditions of the franchise granted said company.

Motion made and supported resolution be adopted. Yeas, Barley, Bovee, Miller, Rasch, Barley.

By resolution offered by Bovee, supported by Miller Ordinance No. 42 Sec. 2, be changed from Girder Grooved rail to read "T" rail, weight 74 lbs. Council adjourned.

M. S. NICHOLS, clerk.

A special meeting of the council was held June 21, 1899.

Present: President J. M. Burgess; Trustees Barley, Rasch, Miller, Dolph.

Order of the Detroit & Northwestern Railway Co. in the sum of \$10,000 with Seth W. Brown and Edward W. Voigt as sureties on motion, was accepted. Council adjourned.

M. S. NICHOLS, Clerk.

A special meeting of the Common Council was held in Village Hall June 30, 1899 with F. A. Miller President pro tem, in the chair.

Present: Trustees Miller, Dolph, Rasch and Barley.

The following bills were audited and referred:

Henry Pickle and others, st work, \$151.55
Water Board bills, 23.35
Wm. F. Macomber, 3 mos marshal, 18.75
D. B. Northrop, assessor, 60.00
Freight on Roller, 23.69
J. K. Love, jan, justices, Wick's case, 4.25
Wm. F. Macomber, expense for D. B. Northrop, with Wick's, 5.90
Council adjourned. M. S. NICHOLS, Clerk.

A regular council meeting was held Monday July 2. Present: President Burgess; Councilmen Miller, Bovee, Van Valkenburg, Rasch and Barley. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

Geo. Hartenbury, drawing base cart, \$ 1 00
C. Elliott going for, 70
Jarvis Palmer, work, 2 40
Carpenter, F. & B. w. w. supplies, 78
pipe, 10 62
Record Printery, pig and pub, 3 65
J. W. Davis, park work, 4 87
In cemetery, 4 94
G. H. Waldorf repair rd scraper, 1 30
Bill of Globe Co. for June lights \$95.36 was on motion referred to Light Com., for rebate for nights no lights burning.

On motion water board was authorized to fix ditch through Clark land.

On motion proffer relative to drain along front S. W. Knapp's residence on Main street was referred to St. Com., with power to act.

On motion resolution offered that it was expedient for the village to purchase an electric plant was adopted and a committee of three, Miller, Dolph and Rasch was appointed to enquire as to the probable cost and report not later than Wednesday night.

On motion ordinance relative to fire arms, etc., was suspended during the 4th of July.

On motion Harold Tubbs was employed as village night watch at a salary of \$3.00 per year. Council adjourned.

M. S. NICHOLS, Clerk.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials. Address, P. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 77c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The reason a blow on the ear may do irreparable injury is that the air, being driven suddenly and violently against the drum of the ear, might rupture the membrane and cause incurable deafness. The ears should never be pulled nor maddled with in any way except to wash them in the gentlest manner, the orifice being cleansed with a fold of the washcloth rolled into a little cone.

The original thirteen states contained 325,785 square miles, or 208,502,400 acres. In 1888 the United States contained 2,730,160 square miles, or 1,688,373,360 acres, in organized states. It also contained 856,270 square miles, or 577,212,800 acres, of territory not organized as states.

The German emperor, when receiving foreign representatives or military attaches of foreign powers, always wears the uniform of the army of the country the visitor represents, and sometimes during a levee he will change his uniform five or six times.

An ostrich cannot kick backward. When the time has come for the bird to be despoiled of its feathers, its head is inserted in a bag and the plucker stands behind his victim. A blow from its foot has vigor enough to kill a man.

The Siamese have so strong a superstition against even numbers that they will have none of them. The number of the rooms in a house, of windows or doors in a room, even of rungs on a ladder, must always be odd.

In Sydney, New South Wales, the street car lines are owned by the municipality and no fares are charged. Homeless folk, it is said, use them at night instead of going to cheap lodging houses.

Russian photographers shame delinquent customers by hanging their pictures upside down in their glass cases. This method soon compels them to pay up.



You Can Lead A Horse to Water!

But not on the 4th of July when Merritt & Co.'s fireworks are used. All first-class goods guarantee to go. We have a new Cannon-Cracker at 10c bunch; also Crackers at 3c and 5c bunch. Also a new Penny Piece filled with candy, where you are sure to get your money's worth. Our stock is complete in every line.

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PLANTS:
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pr 100, 40c

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examined those combination Bookcases? They are beauties and well worth your attention. While looking at the cases why not examine the Writing Desks, a very neat and desirable piece of furniture.

Don't forget our line of Carpets. Undertaking A Specialty.

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forget that a really good printer knows more of the economics of cost of production in his line than you do, and don't

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In Printing

BRING it to us, we add that little touch that gives it value, and we think out the economics for you.

The Record Printery

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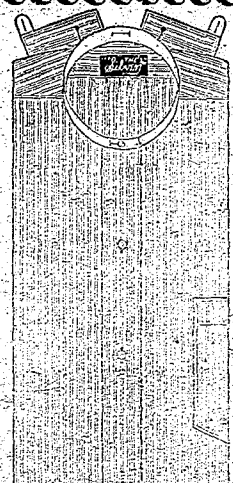
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Advertisement for shoes featuring 'SHOES DO!' and 'STARK BROTHERS, The Shoemen'. Includes text: 'To Wear Well... Must Fit Well... To Sell Well... Must Wear Well... OUR DO!' and 'LATEST STYLES! BEST FITTERS! REASONABLE PRICES!'.



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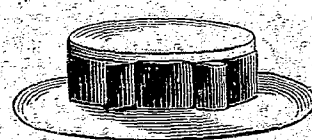
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Everybody seems to be having a grand jubilee, as they hurry to and fro. Where the street cars soon will go. Loud will sound the warning bells, as through Main street the grip-man swells. Hurriedly on every side you will see the wagons guide. Busy farmers on their route, lash their horses and wildly shout; while their faces angry grow, as they dodge and holler whoa. Cars (they pause between each cry) the brakes are turned—then away they fly; some can dodge, these cheer, reads the dusty atmosphere. Who would seek a fresher climate for a far and festive time? When at home we all may go, to a carnival of whoa.

MRS. L. B. BALL.

Take Notice.

Under the penalty of the law all persons are forbidden trespassing in any way upon my Hill farm.

MRS. LOTTIE CRYSLER.

LUMBER

NORTHVILLE STATE SAVINGS BANK.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Northville State Savings Bank at Northville, Michigan at the close of business, June 30, 1899, as made to the Commissioner of Banking.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$105,374.08
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	20,350.00
Overdrafts	11.83
Banking house	3,300.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,250.00
Revenue stamps on hand	57.00
Due from banks in reserve cities	20,741.70
Checks and cash items	652.01
Nickels and cents	61.22
Gold coin	2,500.00
Silver coin	105.00
U. S. and National Bank Notes	4,145.00
Total	\$167,782.84
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund	2,250.00
Undivided profits less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	2,090.43
Commercial deposits subject to check	22,478.84
Savings deposits	64,872.02
Savings certificates of deposit	51,091.55
Total	\$167,782.84

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne.

I, L. A. Babbitt, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. A. BABBITT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of July 1899.

E. A. CHAPMAN, L. W. SIMMONS, FRANK A. MILLER, Directors.

Notary Public, C. C. YERKES.

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NORTHVILLE.

The City in Brief.

Miss Olive Shepard has been quite ill this week but is now better.

M. F. Stanley has lately received another patent on a spring air gun.

Quite a number of Northville people helped the Wayne and Ypsilanti folks to celebrate the Fourth.

Henry Atchinson of Northville has had his pension increased from \$6 to \$8.

Chas. Wilson, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is recovering.

Frederick Bird of Novi and Miss Mary Cooper of this place, were married the 4th.

Prof. Gilbert has not rented the Slater house as stated last week. The house is rented however.

There were 125 Detroit excursion tickets sold here last week Saturday, less than the Saturday previous.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown of near this place, June 22, a girl. Both mother and child are doing well.

The F. & P. M. semi-weekly (Wednesday and Saturday) excursions will again be resumed as usual next week.

There will be a public dance in the rink tomorrow, Saturday evening. Tiplinham's orchestra will furnish the music.

There will be Episcopal services in the WCTU hall Tuesday evening, July 11, at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody made welcome.

Married at the Presbyterian parsonage July 4th by Rev. J. H. Heber, Mr. George Schaefer, Lottie Andrews both of Plymouth.

The first car over the D. P. & N. through the village was run Tuesday morning as a sort of a 4th of July celebration. Some of the passengers borrowed a taxi at the depot and thus made this first trip.

Married Saturday, July 1, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Parmenter in Detroit by Rev. J. T. Wesley Mr. Isaac Crocker to Miss Nellie Leadbeater both of this place. The young couple expect to make the city their future home.

Brooks & Starkweather have so far this year purchased 155,000 lbs of wool, probably the largest amount secured by a Michigan buyer this year. Mr. Brooks states that in his opinion there isn't another clip now remaining unbought in this part of the state.

Instead of going into the cars service Mr. Manchie will be detailed for work at the U. S. fish station here. Extra work devolving upon this station in the care of the Alpena, and the state hatchery in Detroit, has necessitated the employment of an extra man.

The F. & P. M. has begun a chancery suit against the Detroit, Plymouth & Northville railway, alleging in the bill that the defendant is about to build its track across complainant's at their depot here and asking that it be restrained from doing so. A temporary injunction was granted Saturday.

Maud—Last night Jack told me that he wouldn't marry the best girl living unless—what—unless she took Rocky Mountain Tea. Bright fellow. Ask your Druggist.

M. S. Ambler offers pure Manila binder twine at 10c.

L. L. Brooks sold his 5-year-old sorrel trotter "L. L. B." at Jackson last week for \$300. In the races there Thursday "L. L. B." won the 2-40 race in three straight heats.

The careless laying of a fire cracker on the threshold of Mesdames Neilson & Hoar's dressmaking rooms in the Filkins block the 4th caused a fire alarm about 9:00 o'clock. A goodly sized hole was burned near the door and the smoke penetrating to a room above made the occasion for an alarm. The fire was all out some time before the smoke was noticeable above.

County Treasurer Buhner took hold of the reins in the treasurer's office at Detroit July 1st and with a very few exceptions retains his old staff of clerks. Milo N. Johnson of this place gets promoted to back tax clerk with a slight raise in salary. Mr. Buhner received many warm congratulations upon his advent into the responsible position where he has for two terms been the efficient deputy.

Registration Notice.

To the electors of the village of Northville: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the village of Northville, county of Wayne and state of Michigan, will be held at the clerk's office, in S. W. Knapp's store, in said village, on Saturday, the 15th day of July A. D. 1899, for the purpose of registering the names of all persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors in said village and that said board of registration will be in session on said day and at said place from 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 3:00 o'clock in the evening for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated Northville, Mich., July 6, 1899.

MORRIS S. NICHOLS, Village Clerk.

Special Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a special election of the electors of the village of Northville will be held in the council room in said village, on the 17th day of July, A. D. 1899, from the hour of seven o'clock in the forenoon to the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of that day for the purpose of determining the propriety of borrowing the sum of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500) upon the bonds of said village, said bonds to run not to exceed thirty years at a rate of interest not to exceed five percent per annum, the money to be expended for the purchase of an electric lighting plant according to an estimate now on file with the clerk of said village. At said election votes that are cast in favor of borrowing such money and issuing such bonds shall read, "Loan for Electric Lighting Plant—Yes," and votes that are cast against such proposition shall read, "Loan for Electric Lighting Plant—No."

Dated July 6, 1899.

MORRIS S. NICHOLS, Village Clerk.

Epworth League Convention, Indianapolis, Ind., July 20 to 23, 1899.

The C. H. & D. Ry. will make a rate of one fare for the Round Trip, good going July 19, 20, 21, good returning to and including July 21. By depositing 50 cents with Joint Agent, tickets may be extended to and including August 20. See C. H. & D. Agents for information.

10 cents buys pure Manila binder twine at M. S. Ambler's.

August Flower.

"It is a surprising fact," says Prof. Houghton, "that in my travel in all parts of the world, for the last ten years, I have met more people having used Green's Flower than any other remedy, for dyspepsia, deranged liver and stomach, and for constipation. I find for tourists and salesmen, or for persons filling office positions, where headaches and general bad feeling from irregular habits exist, that Green's August Flower is a grand remedy. It does not injure the system by frequent use, and is excellent for sour stomachs and indigestion." Sample bottles free at Murdock Bros. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

"As Clean as a Whistle."

The origin of saying "as clean as a whistle" is ascribed to the "whistle tankard" of olden times, in which the whistle came into play when the tankard was emptied or "cleared out" to announce to the waiter that more liquor was required.

There are 672 known volcanoes in the world, of which 270 are active; 80 in America, 24 in Asia, 26 in Africa, Java has 109, of which 28 are active. In New Zealand, within an area of 127 miles, there are 63, ranging from 136 feet to 990 feet in height.

An Embroidered Secret.

In Nagasaki, Japan, there is a fireworks maker who manufactures pyrotechnic birds of great size that when exploded, sail in a birdlike manner through the air, and perform many movements exactly like those of living birds. The secret of making these wonderful things has been in the possession of the eldest child of the family of each generation for more than four hundred years.

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Nine out of thirteen applicants failed to pass the physical examination for West Point U. S. military academy last week at Pontiac. The four who were all right corporeally will be the contestants in the mental inquisition.

The "life-line" is out, extending the "glad hand" of life, hope and happiness. Reaches around the globe. 'Tis Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Ask your Druggist.

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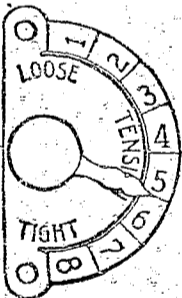
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BENTON'S DAIRY.

A FAMOUS POISON CASE.

Anna Maria Zwanziger is a Name of Unpleasant Prominence in Crime.

SHE LIVED IN GERMANY.

Had a Reputation for Honesty and Probity Which Enabled Her to Secure Victims Very Easily.

Mental Constitution Peculiar—Had Passion for Poisoning—Her Crimes Only "Slight Errors"—Never Expressed Remorse or Repentance—Fortunate She was Discovered as She Could Not Control Passion.

In the so-called renaissance period of European civilization poison served many a purpose of political intrigue and personal vengeance. The demise of a victim was rarely followed by a judicial investigation save in instances where the ecclesiastical authorities found an opportunity to intervene.

In the early part of the nineteenth century there was a series of murders committed in Germany which have given to the name of Anna Maria Zwanziger an unpleasant prominence in the annals of crime.

Anna Maria Zwanziger, or Anna Schötleben, as she called herself, was living in 1807 in Baireuth supporting herself by knitting. Her reputation for probity and her exemplary mode of life induced Justice Glaser, who was at that time separated from his wife, to take her as his housekeeper in 1808.

In July of that year Glaser was reconciled to his wife, through the efforts, it seems, of Anna Schötleben, but within a month after the wife's return she was suddenly taken sick through a strong and healthy woman, and died in a few days.

Anna now left Glaser's service and went to live as housekeeper with Justice Grohmann. He was a sufferer from gout and was confined to his bed in May, 1809 after an illness of eleven days, accompanied by strange symptoms he died, and his housekeeper appeared inconsolable.

Her good name and her skill as a nurse soon procured her another place, this time at Magistrate Schönbach's house, as nurse for his wife. Soon after her return to Schönbach's she was seized with a violent illness and died in great agony. At different times within the next few months curious and suspicious symptoms—vomiting, spasms, etc.—visited several persons in the house, guests as well as members of the household.

Then a superstitious fear of the woman's unlucky presence, gradually deepening into distrust and suspicion, spread in the neighborhood, and Glaser was induced to dismiss Anna from his service. He gave her, however, a written character for honesty and fidelity. But it was at her departure the strangest occurrences were noted.

On the morning of that day, it was afterward remembered, she had exceeded the usual limits of her duties, she had filled the kitchen salt box from the barrel and had taken pains to make for the two male servants beer which they drank. Leaving the house with every sign of cheerfulness and affection, she took Glaser's child in her arms and the child carried off with it a biscuit soaked in arsenic.

Early in the afternoon had elapsed since her departure when the child became alarmingly ill, in a few hours the malady was attended in a similar way, and the kitchen salt box, which she had filled, upon examination, to contain a quantity of arsenic. When she was apprehended shortly afterward a packet of arsenic was found in her pocket, and upon examining the bodies of Glaser, Grohmann and Schönbach dead traces of arsenic were discovered in two of the three corpses.

She was taken before a magistrate, and here the peculiar features of conventional criminal procedure were strikingly brought out.

The circumstantial evidence of murder against her was in reality not strong. Now, the favorite German mode of obtaining results in criminal cases is by some means or other to extract a confession, and here, evidently, the necessary evidence could furnish the appropriate methods. Therefore, she was subjected to a long series of rigid interrogations alone in the presence of a judge and a notary. All the cunning and adroitness of the judge were brought to bear in order to entrap her into a confession, but for nearly six months, from October 19, 1809, until April 16, 1810, she absolutely denied every form of the charge against her.

The fact that poison had been found in the two corpses was not announced to Anna Zwanziger until April 16, this being the desired effect, for after several hours of stubborn composure, she broke down, went wringing her hands, and at length confessed to all the charges against her, and to several other murders that had passed for natural deaths. On September 11, 1811, she suffered death at the block, and her name is celebrated throughout Germany as the most infamous poisoner ever known.

There can be no doubt that her mental constitution was peculiar. She had a passion for poisoning and spoke of her deeds as only "slight errors" and "slight offenses," never expressing remorse or repentance. It was indeed fortunate for mankind, as she said that she was to die, for she never would have ceased to poison.

Deep Scheme Together by our fire we sat. Her hands were clasped in mine, And in her musing face was that which spoke a thought divine.

She turned a fearless glance to me Which proved her trusting soul, And then she breathed this subtly, "My dear, we're out of coal."

Who is your tailor now? "I haven't quite decided which it will be. You see there are only two left who haven't trusted me."

Focal Distance. A sure sign of old age—write it down as the truth—is to write like a sage on the follies of youth.

Sewing and Reaping. An attention man whose wife received 128 wedding presents because she was a lovely character, is now compelled to attach his suspenders to his pantaloons with a nail.

Many Big Cities in Japan. Japan, with a population of 45,000,000, has 226 towns that have more than 100,000 inhabitants. In 1886 the number of such towns was 117. Osaka has increased from 80,000 to 510,000 inhabitants, in ten years. Yokohama from 80,000 to 180,000. Kobe from 80,000 to 185,000. Tokio has now a population of 1,500,000.

Public Eating Houses. Public eating houses are established in a number of German cities to provide meals for workmen at cheap prices so as to do away with the evil effects of the dinner pail. Those in Chemnitz during 1893 sold 455,000 dinners; receipts were \$17,500, and expenditures, \$13,500.

ODD NAMES IN MECHANICS.

Foreigners Have Hard Work Translating Some English Words.

The English language has been enriched by many words drawn from other tongues to facilitate direct and comprehensive expression on all subjects.

Within the language itself a similar principle has prevailed, and old words of well-established meaning have been adopted in the sciences and arts to designate certain things or operations that seemed to resemble those from which the names were taken.

Their suitability is often obvious enough in English, but they can rarely be rendered in their exact technical sense into their actual equivalents in foreign tongues.

A number of words drawn from the animal kingdom for use in the mechanical arts are enumerated by a writer in *Scribner's* and *Buckley's*. The machinist employs a dog on his lathe; he takes a hog out if the tool will stand it; the castings are made from pigs of iron, which in turn were fed from a sow.

Work is set upon a horse of buck, and punched or bent by a convenient bear. Hoisting is done by a crab, and a convenient cat is a part of the outfit of a shop crane, and a kit of tools is ever on hand.

A crow helps to straighten work, a jack to lift it, a mule-jumper aids in driving machinery, that a donkey engine turns. A fish connects parts end to end, or strengthens a broken beam; shells are used all over; a worm does powerful but quiet work.

A cock shuts off the water, one kind of a ram raises it, and another does heavy work. A printing press has a fly; the first locomotives had a grass-hopper valve motion and drive, and butterfly valves are common.

Herring-bone gears are used by the best builders; turtles at printing press cylinders, and fly wheels are running all over the world. In drilling, even an old man is called into service and doctors prevent faulty lathe work.

Selling Newspapers in Paris. Here is an idea for some smart newsboy to improve upon. The *Comptant*, *Generale des Omniais* issued an order forbidding newsboys from entering its vehicles. How would it be possible to reach would-be customers perched on the "imperiales," the seats provided on the roofs of



SELLING NEWSPAPERS IN PARIS.

Le street cars and omnibuses? The problem was soon solved, for one fine day a man selling papers appeared near the Madeleine with a peculiar apparatus. He had a stick seven or eight feet long, with wire clamps fastened to its sides and papers stuck in them. On the top there was a small metal cup with a hole in the bottom. The hole was a very important part of the apparatus, for it reached all the way down through the stick, and through it came the copper coins of one or two sous, according to the price of the paper selected by the patron.

Curious Test for a Husband.

Both in the northern and western islands of Scotland the natives have some peculiar customs unfamiliar to the dwellers of the mainland. One of these, known as the "marriage test," is practiced in the island of St. Kilda, where the population barely exceeds a hundred. The desire among the islanders to increase this number does not seem to be exceptionally strong, and every man, before he is deemed suitable for a husband, has to perform an evolution with no little bodily risk.

The St. Kildians are, of course, adept rock-climbers, and the aspirant for matrimony is therefore subjected to a test of balancing himself on one leg on a narrow ledge overhanging a precipice, bending his body at the same time in order to hold the foot of his other leg in his hands. If found lacking in courage the maiden withdraws her betrothal, and should the man fall over the ledge it is presumed that, in his case, he will be disqualified.

Modern Coats of Arms.

Many people associate chain armor shirts and mail with medieval times, and do not suppose for a minute that any such suits are made to-day, but such is the case. This mail armor is manufactured by a firm in Walsall, England, who supply the English Government with mail chain jackets for use in India, Central and South America, etc. These mail jackets, which weigh from fifteen to eighteen pounds, are worn by army officers, and are made of steel rings, three-eighths of an inch in diameter. It takes about 3,000 rings to make a square foot of armor.

Some Big Cities in Japan.

Japan, with a population of 45,000,000, has 226 towns that have more than 100,000 inhabitants. In 1886 the number of such towns was 117. Osaka has increased from 80,000 to 510,000 inhabitants, in ten years. Yokohama from 80,000 to 180,000. Kobe from 80,000 to 185,000. Tokio has now a population of 1,500,000.

Sewing and Reaping.

An attention man whose wife received 128 wedding presents because she was a lovely character, is now compelled to attach his suspenders to his pantaloons with a nail.

BUSHY-TAILED ANIMALS.

Manner in Which They Make Use of Their Tails When Asleep.

"Some of our wild animals," said a naturalist, "carry about with them all summer that which nature has evidently intended as a substitute for their winter flannels, and mean their tails of course. So far as I have been able to judge the bushy-tailed animals know no other use for their tails than as protection against the cold. Did you ever see a fox sleeping? That is one sight of which the most patient student of wild life cannot always boast, because a fox is always wide awake and has a general antipathy to being looked at. My own observations with sleeping ones have been confined to two that I raised from pups. When it was cold they would shrink up and seem fairly to wrap their tails about them. When the air grew warmer they would uncoil, and sometimes observe the tail entirely, just about as impatiently as a sleeping child will kick off the covers when he gets too warm in the night. I do not think that this attitude is habitual with sleeping foxes. When the weather was warm they did not curl up at all, but lay sprawling with their tails on the ground behind them.

The raccoon makes the same use of his tail. Did you ever see one preparing for a nap? Like the fox, he goes to sleep on his side, but he makes more fuss about it than a lazy lad getting up in the morning. First he hitches up his shoulders and arches his back, and in the cavity thus formed he carefully tucks away his knees and elbows and head. Then he brings his tail up close to the end of it curving over his head. He winds himself half a dozen times before he gets curled up to his satisfaction, and when finally arranged he resembles nothing quite so much as a muff without the customary openings. The squirrel also covers himself with his tail, sleeping upright and propped against something.

"In fact," concluded the naturalist, "this is true of every bushy-tailed animal I have been on terms of sufficient intimacy to see asleep. It is a very kindly arrangement nature has made for their comfort, and they do not seem to mind very much carrying around the winter flannels in this manner, if they did not carry them with them wherever they went they would probably lose them, as the red man proves in his tale of the bear and the rabbit."

Public Eating Houses.

Public eating houses are established in a number of German cities to provide meals for workmen at cheap prices so as to do away with the evil effects of the dinner pail. Those in Chemnitz during 1893 sold 455,000 dinners; receipts were \$17,500, and expenditures, \$13,500.

The City of Grenoble, France, also maintains a municipal restaurant at which about 1,200 meals a day are served. At the outset the enterprise needed municipal aid, but it is now self-supporting. The municipality owns a property used for which it receives a nominal rent, and the accounts are carried in the books of the municipality. Any surplus is deposited in the city treasury, as a reserve to draw upon when prices of provisions are high. There are also other instances throughout France of similar institutions without municipal aid, several establishments being in operation at Paris, Lyons, and Bordeaux.

Some what akin to such institutions are municipal bakeries, which are to be found at Krasnodar and Krasnoy, in Russia, and in many municipal high schools for the working classes, who cannot obtain drink without ordering food.

Bringing the Tone of Day.

In Ulster, Eng., you can find the "bull" flourishing; here is a pretty example of the acted "bull." A certain squire had just set up with great pains and elaborate mathematical calculations, a sun-dial in his garden, and was naturally a little proud of it. One day, as it so happened, being close to the garden, he was in doubt as to the right time, and told a boy who was with him to run down and get him the time from the dial. After a few minutes the boy appeared dragging with him something heavy. "Here she is, your honor, an hard set Ah was to get her on." He had torn up the dial from its setting and dragged it up the hill.

Arab music has been described as the singing of a prima donna who has ruptured her voice in trying to sing a duet with herself. Each note starts from somewhere between a sharp and a flat, but does not stop even there, and splits up into four or more portions, of which no person can be expected to catch more than one at a time.

The Drink Bill of Great Britain.

Just published shows that the Englishman drinks 2.41 gallons of alcohol a year. Next to him comes the Scotchman, with an appetite slaked with 1.66 gallons. The Irishman contents himself with 1.54 gallons. The first spends \$20.50 a year for his drinks, the second \$15.25 and the third \$13.25.

In Paris and other large towns in France.

female bootblacks are increasing in number. They wear a peculiar garb, not unlike that of Sisters of Mercy, which renders their appearance rather neat and attractive. Not a few among them attend to their work with gloved hands.

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