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NEW CROP.

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## AMERICAN HOME GROWN

### Scarlet or Crimson Clover.

Scarlet Clover is an annual and should be sown in July, August or September. It germinates quickly, grows very rapidly through the fall and winter, blossoms about May 1st. This Clover can be sown after crops have been removed from the ground. In this way it will prove of incalculable value in holding the valuable nitrates in the soil that are otherwise washed out of the bare ground, furnishes fall, winter and spring pasture, and enriches and stores up plant food for the next crop.

The plant grows from 1 1/2 to 2 feet high, with magnificent root formation extending four feet deep even in unfavorable soils. It can be turned under for fertilizer for any crop early in the spring, or will produce eight tons of green fodder per good ground by May 10th, or two or three tons of superior hay. It flourishes on poor soils and furnishes for them more plant food in a short time than can be done in any other way.

Being a supplementary or "stolen" crop, no other crop need be omitted to grow quickly and adds fertility to the soil beyond the ability of any other known plant in so short time.

Crimson or Scarlet Clover is certainly the best variety in cultivation for soiling hay, pasturage or seed producing purposes. Opinions from our leading farmers in this section and farther north establish the fact that it has taken a firm hold on American Agriculture and from present indications will never be supplanted by any other crop.

#### How To Sow.

To secure a stand of Crimson Clover, the first requisite is thorough preparation of the soil. The soil should be mellow to a depth of three inches, whether in Orchards, cultivated crops, or open ground. It should always be worked before sowing the seed, so as to secure moisture and fineness. After the seed is sown, of which not less than 15 pounds per acre should be used, it should be covered with a harrow, plank drag, or field roller. If the ground is dry, best results are obtained when it is covered to a depth of one-half inch. If sown on wheat stubble, where spring sowing of red clover failed or blighted, the soil can be put in proper condition by thorough working with harrow, then sowing the seed, following with drag harrow to cover, and roller to firm the soil. Thorough preparation of soil, thorough covering of the seed, and when ground is dry thoroughly firming the same, will always secure a stand, and will give larger returns for money expended than any other crop grown on the farm.

#### When To Sow.

The proper time to sow is in July, August and September. Spring sowings have been made in northern states, and in many instances have been successful, but they cannot be relied upon. If sown in July or early in August, and seed should fail to come, sowing can be made again in September. Sown in July and August, it can be pastured in fall and early spring. The best time to sow is just before or following a rain, but if directions, how to sow, are strictly followed, seed can be sown even in time of drought.

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## COMING FAIR.

THERE IS NO DOUBT ABOUT IT SURPASSING

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Sept. 14, 15, 16 and 17.

The coming Fair will, without a particle of doubt, be a winner. Every detail is being carefully looked after by the officers and the attractions will far surpass anything ever seen here.

One of the features will be a base ball tournament in which four of the best surrounding teams will contest, making a game each day. Large prizes will be offered for bicycle races and some fast riding will take place. Each day will be replete with amusements that cannot help but interest the people in general.

Children's day will be another feature of Plymouth's great Fair. A "kid" band, a ball game between the boys, races, etc., will help to fill the program for that day. Every attraction of an instructive and entertaining nature that can be found and obtained will be seen here. Watch for the posters and small bills, then prepare your exhibit.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Services held in Safford's Hall every Sunday morning at 10:30, and every Friday evening at 7:00. All are most cordially invited to attend.

We are pleased to announce the success of the free treatments and advertising sale of Cas-Ka. Judging from the testimonials of valuable Plymouth citizens Cas-Ka has made a grand introduction as a cure for Rheumatism, Catarrh, Stomach Troubles, Blood Disorders, Liver and Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation, Sick Headache, Neuralgia, Heart Trouble and Female Weakness. The advertising sale of large \$1 bottles for 35 cents will close Saturday, Aug. 14, at Hotel Plymouth and Commercial House.

#### Tax Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the time for paying village taxes has been extended to August 15, after which the usual per cent will be charged for collecting.

#### UPPER PLYMOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Blakely are visiting friends at Saginaw this week.

John Packard, after a two weeks' vacation, resumed work Monday.

Miss Lucy Springer is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Stewart, of Indiana.

Carl Heide and Albert Gayde attended the German picnic on the Grand River road near Clarenceville last Sunday. They report an elegant time.

Mrs. Jake Streng, who had an operation performed last Friday, is improving nicely at the hospital in Detroit.

Miss Blanche Starkweather, who has been sick the past two weeks, is improving.

Frank Blakely returned home Monday after a four weeks visit at Saginaw.

Frank Comstock's new house is fast nearing completion.

W. J. Adams and family spent Sunday at Island Lake. Mac says the Rev. Morgan Wood preaches a doctrine that suits him exactly.

H. B. Joffe and family drove to Salem and back last Sunday.

Mrs. Libbie Smith, of Livonia, was visiting Mrs. F. F. Pinckney last week.

Rev. Wm. Ward and family, of Northville, took tea at D. Joffe's last Saturday.

Effie and Arthur Smith are spending a few days with Mrs. H. Tuttle. They rode from Fowlerville on their wheels.

Miss Grace Rumbles, of Saginaw, is visiting her friend, Maud Howell.

Mrs. Wm. Bowen and daughters, Lottie and Mamie, Miss Mabel Spoor, of St. Marys, Ont., and Miss Grace Spoor, of Detroit, and Mrs. D. Leech and daughter, Nettie, of Northville, spent Sunday at D. Joffe's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith, of Lake Linden, Michigan, are visiting friends in town.

#### Plymouth Markets.

The following is the market report for Plymouth as corrected every Thursday:

Wheat, No. 2 red,	78
Wheat, No. 1 white,	78
Oats, No. 2,	19
Rye, No. 2,	33
Butter,	10
Eggs,	9
Potatoes, new,	75

#### Water Takers Take Notice.

The time for sprinkling lawns, etc., on the back of your receipt which reads from 5 to 9 in the morning and from 5 to 9 in the evening is incorrect. From 7 to 9 in the morning and from 6 to 8 in the evening is correct. See book of rules and regulations.

#### Yerington's College.

St. Louis, Michigan, will open its seventh year, September 27, 1897. Courses: Teachers' Commercial, Shorthand, Penmanship, English, Music, Elocution and Physical Culture. Tuition: For any or all studies in the college, 12 weeks, \$10; 24 weeks, \$16; 36 weeks, \$18. The common branches (Arithmetic, Grammar and Geography) with private lessons in music and all free class drills, for above tuition. The common branches with all free class drills (without private lessons in music) only \$15 a year. Free class drills are plain and ornamental penmanship, reading, spelling, letter writing, music, elocution, physical culture, debating and parliamentary work. Students may club where they may have use of boarding house complete, for 50c a week and furnish their own provision for a trifle. All studies in the college handled by professionals. Our Commercial and Shorthand graduates hold the best positions in our largest cities. Not one from our teachers' course has failed at teachers' examination during the past two years. Drop a card for free catalogue to C. W. YERINGTON, St. Louis, Michigan.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Detroit, on the third day of August, 1897, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. Present, EDGAR O. DUFFEE, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of RICHARD G. HALL, deceased. An instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, having been delivered into this court for probate. It is ordered that the thirty-first day of August next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for proving said instrument. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three consecutive weeks previous to the day of hearing, in the PLYMOUTH MAIL, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. EDGAR O. DUFFEE, Judge of Probate. HENRY S. HULBERT, Deputy Register. (A true copy.) 517-38

#### Livonia Township.

The Newburg Hall Association meeting, announced last week, resulted in the election of the following officers: President, Robert Rutter; vice-president, C. H. Armstrong; secretary, Benjamin Passage; treasurer, E. C. Bassett; trustees, Edwin Norris, James King and James Le Van. Doubtless many improvements will be made on our hall the coming year.

Mr. Z. Woodruff beautifully lighted his lawn and bountifully spread tables thereon and cordially invited those who aided in picking his berries, with many other friends, to come and partake, and to the number of 98 they gathered Friday evening and greatly enjoyed the kind hospitality.

Robert Rutter gathered 138 dozen eggs in two days recently. We think descendants of "Old Grimes' Blue Hen" must be found in his territory.

Mr. Oliver interested his congregation with a graphic description of the Toronto convention and the beautiful Canadian city last Sunday.

Miss Pearl Passage rendered a well prepared paper before the Epworth League Sunday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present each Sunday evening.

A scarlet fever sign again appears before the home of Mr. Woodruff. We are glad to report, however, that Ethel has a light form of the disease.

Miss Carrie Rutter was detained from returning to Detroit Saturday evening on account of a severe sore throat.

Fine samples of the cucumber crop are being gathered. Reports indicate a large crop of excellent quality this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coats, of Stark, attended Sabbath school at Newberry Sunday.

Mr. David Gentry and Mr. James King called on the friends of Mr. Hall recently and gathered some shekels to aid him to purchase a horse to replace the one killed by lightning.

Willie Leitch, of Whitmore Lake, is spending a week of vacation with his friends here.

It is reported that an ice cream social will be given at the home of Mr. Clarence Rutter Wednesday, Aug. 11.

A vocal music class to the number of fourteen has been formed by Miss Jennie Crosby in our midst. Progress good. A class in painting, a class in music, together with our other active organizations, speak well for our hamlet.

Plymouth M. E. Sunday school will join us in our rally. Others to hear from. Mr. B. A. Hodge entertained a number of his friends Thursday afternoon and evening of this week.

Miss Nora A. Smith returned from a week's visit with her brother at Wixom Wednesday.

F. W. Smith, of Newburg, will take your subscription for THE MAIL.

Hornace Kingsley started out with his threshing machine last week.

Miss Minnie and Master Louie Miller, of Detroit, and Miss Anna Base, of Plymouth, are spending a week with the latter's parents at the Center.

Claude Jones, of Plymouth, has a first class barber shop at the Center every Friday of each week.

Dan McEachran wears a smiling face. You ask him why so happy he will answer that another baby girl arrived at his house last week.

Will Newton, of Flint, but of late has been working near Farmington, is spending a few days with friends here.

Asa Lyons and the Misses Anna Base and Minnie Miller spent Wednesday at Walled Lake.

Mrs. M. C. Ferguson is visiting friends at Detroit.

Mrs. E. L. Norton, of Pike's Peak, spent the fore part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Ferguson.

J. G. Cregar, who had a sunstroke about two weeks ago while stacking hay, is still unable to work.

On Thursday night week Officer Dan Smith, assisted by Detective Fisher, of the D. G. R. & W. Ry., arrested three fellows at the depot on the charge of burglary. Detective Fisher took them north on the morning train.

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Allen, Baker, Lapham.  
**HEALTH:**  
Reiman, Allen, Polley.  
**POUNDS:**  
Baker, Lapham.  
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Lapham, Allen, Reiman.  
**LICENSE:**  
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**FIRE:**  
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# THE PLYMOUTH MAIL.

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PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN.

They that know no evil will suspect none.

Pay in the coal industries is really a matter of miner importance.

Sullivan's "Invincible rushes" now apparently are used only in connection with the growler.

There is at least one thing positively known about a man who claims to be a hypnotist; he is a liar.

A Connecticut couple are going to the arctic regions on their honeymoon. Here's hoping they'll have an lee time.

A gay old bird, who gave his age as 72 at the police station, was arrested the other day in New York city for scorching.

An Indiana paper has advices from Uncle Jack Gowdy to the effect that "a duck costs \$1.05 in Paris." Better abandon the chase then.

Where can we go that lightning cannot strike? Two men were shocked the other day at Shamokin one thousand feet below the surface of the earth.

Dr. Hammond of St. Louis will no longer sing, "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight." He has just found him in Arizona, after an eighteen years' search.

The Martinsville (Va.) Bulletin says that "S. W. Rainey is seriously sick and fears of his recovery are entertained." Don't give up hope yet; perhaps he will not recover.

The cause of the hot wave is now apparent. Editor Watterson refers to an esteemed contemporary as "a yawning little free silverite disclout of a fly-by-night and monkey-on-a-stick alleged organ." Brilliant, isn't it.

It is pleasant to read that in one place in the United States, the West Virginia city of Wheeling, Memorial day was observed decorously, and in the spirit of the earlier years of its observance. It was not given up to sports in which the "professional" element predominated to the exclusion of the semblance of recreation. A newspaper says that the observance of the day "was quiet and solemn, and was in keeping with the old soldiers' idea of the spirit of the occasion."

Perhaps the most remarkable feature of the program which is to end with the establishment of Greater New York will be the entire wiping out of the identity of the city of Brooklyn, which is now the fourth city in the country in point of population. Great cities have extended their boundaries before now, but there is nowhere on record an instance where a city of over a million inhabitants has voluntarily surrendered its identity and allowed itself to be annexed to a still more populous neighbor.

In the discussion of terms of peace between Greece and Turkey, frequent reference has been made to Turkey's demand for the abolition of the capitulations. These capitulations are the provisions by which Greek subjects resident in Turkey share with the subjects of other independent powers the right to appeal from Turkish tribunals to their own consular courts. There are several million Greeks living in different parts of the Turkish empire, and among them are many active business men, and some of large means. Turkish courts are notoriously oppressive and corrupt, and it would be a serious matter to these millions of Greeks if they were left without appeal from their jurisdiction.

In the case of Hammond vs. Thompson, recently decided by the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts, it appeared that the defendant was a tenant at will of the plaintiff at a monthly rental of \$35, "payable after the termination of each month of tenancy." The plaintiff conveyed the premises to a third person with the understanding, unknown to the defendant, that he latter should be permitted to occupy until he should receive a month's notice to quit. The agreement of case was made Sept. 15, 1894, and the premises were conveyed to the third party on Oct. 14, the same year. The question was raised whether the conveyance by the landlord terminated the tenancy at will. The court said, that in the case at bar, the defendant's rights could not be any greater than if rent had been payable on Sept. 14, in which case he would have had until midnight to pay rent, but that inasmuch as before the rent was demanded the plaintiff conveyed the premises, he thus put an end to the tenancy, and the court saw no ground why he was entitled to recover.

A profoundly impressive feature of this brilliant nineteenth century is the advancing role of superstition; the frequent resort to table-rapping, palm-reading, star-gazing, slate-writing, the "counsels of an ignorant woman or of some seventh son of a seventh son. Yet not one ray of light has ever come through these sources; and nothing but degradation follows their practice.

Abner Forsythe of San Francisco, a ray old chap of 76, is visiting his "kin" up in Oregon. He is the guest at present of the son of his ninth wife.

# HOOR IN A SIDE SHOW

MEN ENDOWED WITH ABNORMAL STRENGTH.

Explanation of Mr. David Devant's Very Clever and Effective Illusion Styled "The Spirit Wife"—Many Feats Absolutely Honest.

(Special Letter.)  
ANY of the funniest and most successful side-shows are the result of more or less rapid evolution. You must know that the horn entertainer is constantly on the lookout for new ideas. There is M. Arhno, one of those specialty artists whose performances are remarkable, both for the quantity of gorgeous and costly apparatus requisite, and for the extraordinary finish and perfection of the feats accomplished. Necessarily the strength of such men's arms must be prodigious.

Many men find that they possess great bodily strength, so that the acquisition of a few tricky "knacks" is all that is necessary to equip such as "strong men." Others, again, discover in themselves great strength of jaw; this is not uncommon. The performer in the picture possesses abnormal strength in his teeth, jaws and neck. He is seen lifting by his teeth a large cask filled with water. There is really no humbug about it. Anyone may go upon the stage either before or after the accomplishment of the feat and fry the thing for himself.

One of Mr. David Devant's very clever illustrations forms the last illustration. It is entitled the "Spirit Wife;" and the secret is here revealed for the first time. Modern magicians are ever chary of giving away their secrets, but the popular Egyptian Hall entertainer has so many things to his professional bow that he won't miss this one; possibly, indeed, the show may be the more popular hereafter. Viewed from the auditorium it is very effective. Mr. Devant stimulates grief, and suddenly feels the power to bring before him the spirit of his absent wife. And so the vision floats before him, graceful, transparent, mysterious. And this is how it's done:

"The principle," says Mr. Devant, "is simply reflection. The stage is entirely covered with a huge sheet of very clear plate-glass, and as the audience sees everything through this they don't suspect its presence. Miss Marion Melville, who acts the part of the spirit, is placed on a black velvet couch beneath the stage and a little in front of it—in fact, where the orchestra usually sit. The couch can be readily moved into any position by mechanical strength in his teeth, jaws and neck.

A powerful electric light is cast upon the reclining figure of the lady, and the lights behind the plate-glass are slightly lowered."

A ghostly reflection is at once visible, and, of course, Mr. Devant is seen through it.

For Wedding and Ball.  
Notwithstanding the constant declaration that Englishwomen do not know how to dress, the descriptions of their gowns read most delightfully. Especially do the summer weddings appear in a charming light through the medium of the fashion papers. The custom of the bridesmaids carrying crooks or pompadour sticks, instead of the conventional bouquet, seems to flourish on the British isles this season. One maid was gowned in white satin and bore a pompadour stick twisted about with roses; another party of six maids, in white muslin frocks with fichus of chiffon, big pink satin sashes and white chiffon hats buried under masses of La France roses, carried white crooks, ornamented with pink roses. A third wedding party was decidedly out of the ordinary in appearance, thanks to the fact that the bride's six fair attendants wore not a speck of color, their gowns being of white muslin and their

hats huge black affairs, trimmed with black chiffon and black and white ostrich feathers. A bevy of maids at still another summer marriage wore white silk veiled with white canvas, trimmed with blue moire and grass lawn; their bouquets were of forget-me-nots and pink roses.

A beautiful ball dress shown a few days ago was made of white satin worked in relief with pale pink roses in aeroplane, with pale green leaves applied with gold thread. From waist to hem of this satin skirt this trimming trailed, and the bodice, which was of the swathed description, showed the same decoration over a chemise of old-rose point, one sleeve being formed of a frill of the lace quite short and the other being made of pale pink roses.



"THE SPIRIT-WIFE DELUSION."

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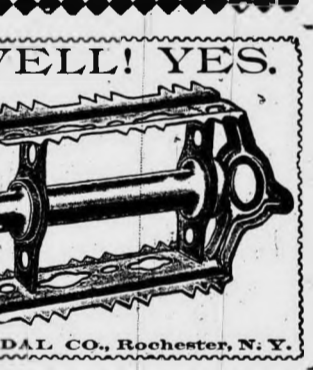
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## NEWS OF THE WEEK.

### LOCAL HAPPENINGS AND PERSONAL MENTION.

**What Our Scribe Gathered on the Outside.—Other News Items.**

Wm. Selleck has nearly ten acres of blackberries this year.

Several loads of gravel placed on Sutton street this week, makes a great improvement.

M. Stringer shipped 40,000 feet of choice lumber from this station last Tuesday. It went to Detroit parties.

L. C. Hough & Son are erecting a coal shed at the north end of the elevator. It will be 120 feet in length.

Rev. J. G. Morgan, of Redford, will occupy the M. E. pulpit next Sabbath. Mr. Oliver will preach in Redford.

W. O. Allen has just completed a new barn that is modern in every respect, convenient and an architectural beauty.

The Minnesota Editorial Association passed through here Tuesday on the F & P. M., bound for Detroit. They stopped at this station for a short time.

A recent letter from I. A. Beddow shows him to be in Virginia where he is traveling in the interests of Evans & Co., a Chicago school supply house.

A. M. Potter is now a regularly appointed subscription agent for THE MAIL. If he should call on you to subscribe, don't turn him away he will do you good.

Wm. Smitherman has been spending a few days basking in the sunbeams of a country home, and meanwhile gathering his golden grains to the amount of 147 bushels.

Two cars containing merchandise were broken open Tuesday night at the Union depot. It seems strange that this nefarious work can be kept up without the detection of the perpetrators.

Mrs. Anna B. Morgan, of the Camnock school of Oratory of Los Angeles, Cal., will give an elocutionary recital, Friday evening, Aug. 13, in the M. E. church under the auspices of the Epworth League.

The Ladies' Aid Society were royally entertained at the home of Mrs. T. C. Sherwood last Tuesday. Refreshments were served and the participants speak in the highest terms of praise of Mrs. Sherwood as a hostess.

Many complaints are made about people sprinkling the sidewalks when sprinkling the lawn. The practice is very annoying to pedestrians who must either wear rubbers or walk in the mud. The soles of ladies' shoes are very thin and easily wet through.

While one of Detroit's deputy sheriffs was taking a couple of youths to Ionia last Tuesday one of the boys made a break for liberty as they were crossing the trestle bridge. He made his exit through a car window. The last heard of them the deputy was still in pursuit.

The old method of muzzling dogs during the so-called "dog days" should be abolished. It is extremely cruel. By this we do not mean that dogs should run at large unmuzzled, nor, in fact, run at large at all. They are a great annoyance to bicyclists and to timid pedestrians. A dog's place is at home and there he should be kept.

Rudolph Ruppert was, until last Saturday, a firm believer in the old law, "Cleanliness is next to Godliness." Hereafter, however, he will practice Godliness first, as a preventive of the immoral words which followed his last ablutions. He took a bath in the river Rouge last Saturday, and while he was thus engaged Jack Lapham's cow came along and proceeded to store Rudolph's shirt away in one of its four stomachs—for future digestion. Rudolph appeared on dry land just as the edge of the cuff was disappearing down the bovine's throat. With a yell which would have surprised a Comanche chief, he grabbed hold of the little white cloth he could see with one hand and the horns of the animal with the other, and pulled until the entire shirt was once more in his possession. He took the shirt to the river and washed it, but did not wait until it was thoroughly dry before he took his departure. At last accounts the cow was still alive.

Pay your taxes by August 15 and save the percentage.

The bowery dance at the fair ground Saturday evening was well patronized.

Mrs. H. C. Bennett has been confined to her bed the past two weeks with rheumatism.

D. B. Wilcox closed his eighteenth successful year as proprietor of the Plymouth mills last Saturday night.

Geo. Beck & Son have commenced flax pulling. They had about 100 acres out this year around Plymouth.

W. J. Bradner broke the record this year by selling a harvesting machine in August. He started one this week.

Several cars on the D. G. R. & W. railway have been broken into, in or near this town of late, and the railway detectives are out thicker'n fleas on a dog after the thieves.

Henry Baxter was seriously injured last week while working in a gravel pit. The pit caved in and he was caught under the falling dirt. The injuries he received confined him to his bed last week and this.

The flax pullers—20 in number—under Foreman Lobes, went out three times on a strike last week. Less hours, higher wages and six meals a day was as near as the reporter could learn the demand they made. They got it—"nit."

Lee Jewel last Saturday while riding on the step of Albert Rurch's bicycle, got his toe caught in the gearing, tearing it completely off. Dr. Collier dressed the injured member, which is getting along as rapidly as could be expected, and will lay the boy up but a short time.

A little snake story ought not to come amiss at this time of year, so we will tell you one that is the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. One day the first of the week, while G. E. Brownell was mowing with a scythe he saw a snake about 2 1/2 feet in length and with the scythe cut the reptile in two about middle way, but that is not the interesting part. After the snake was made into two snakes, out of the body came twenty-six little snakes ranging in length from six to ten inches in length.

Last Saturday while playing along the banks of the river near the Plymouth mills, two of Lewis Hassinger's boys found some money under a stone—two half dollars, one 25-cent piece and one 5-cent piece. It was at first thought that the money had been there a long time, but later developments in the case changed that idea. One day last week Henry Springer was down there taking a bath and having some money put in his shoe. Other men and boys came down there and passed where his shoes were, and when he came out of the water his shoes were over-turned and the money gone. He asked one of the men if he had seen anything of any money and was answered in the negative, and after looking awhile for it, gave it up as lost until Saturday when the boys accidentally overturned the stone and found it, a part of it being buried two or three inches below the surface.

Probably the most dangerous place in Plymouth is the railroad crossing on Main street, near the Markham Air Rifle Co.'s shops. An immense freight traffic is carried on over that road necessitating many trains and a large amount of switching. The trains cannot be seen by teamsters until they are close to the track on either side and the electric bell placed there is worse than nothing, as at times it rings continuously when no trains are moving on the track within a mile and at other times it does not ring when the train is close. No accidents have yet happened there, but there is always the first time to everything, and the time to lock the barn is before the horse is stolen. Complaint should be made to the council and have that body act upon it and compel the railway company to keep a flagman there. The company will do it if they have to, but unless some action is taken they will let it stand as it now is until some accident happens.

A. J. Squires, of Northville, is agent for the Empire State Nursery Co., of Waterloo, N. Y., than which there is none better in this country. Mr. Squires will solicit orders in Plymouth. Those wanting trees, shrubs, etc., should wait for him.

Mrs. A. Harlow is quite ill.

Pay your taxes by August 15 and save the percentage.

This is the week of the annual minstrel show at Straight's lake by the "old team."

Born, on Thursday morning last, to Mr. and Mrs. Adna Burnett, a girl, usual weight.

H. C. Bennett & Co. are giving their annual sale on boots and shoes. Advertisement on local page.

The Columbian League has been organized with 17 charter members. It is a well conducted insurance society.

The proprietors of the Plymouth mills have added a new feed grinder to their mill the past week, also a receiving separator.

Miss Jennie Dean will speak at the Presbyterian church next Sunday afternoon, at the usual hour, 3 p. m. Subject: "Missionary work in Persia."

The entertainment given at the M. E. church Wednesday evening by the Northwestern University quartet, although not largely attended, was one of the best given here for some time. It was repeated last evening.

Persons desiring Sunday dinners at the Hotel Plymouth are requested to notify the proprietor on Saturday so that he may know how many to prepare for. It is difficult to give satisfaction to a large number when they are not expected.

E. P. Baker will be at his studio in Plymouth every weekday hereafter and will make photos at very reasonable rates for guaranteed work. A special feature is made in baby photos.

Those who gathered at the Methodist church last Sabbath, were greatly pleased with Rev. J. H. Oliver's interesting account of the Epworth League Convention at Toronto, which he attended as delegate for the Plymouth League. Although the report was necessarily brief, yet it touched upon the principal features of interest and gave those present an excellent idea of the rare treat enjoyed by Mr. Oliver. He spoke of the royal welcome given to the thousands of Leaguers who thronged the city, of the beautiful decorations at the various churches and buildings where they gathered, of the generous notice accorded the convention by the daily papers of the city, and above all, the inspiration which had come to him from this vast assembly of christian workers gathered together as brothers and sisters, striving to be true to their motto, "Look up, Lift up," and seeking that Divine guidance which should enable them, with unflinching trust to serve the Master's cause. Toronto, the speaker stated, was preeminently a city of churches and it was a cause of great rejoicing among the Leaguers that this city, at least, could boast of more churches than saloons, there being 186 churches and only 150 saloons. In Toronto the ministers are not confronted with a discouraging array of seats upon the Sabbath day, the people being a church going people. Two Methodist churches about two miles apart, with seating capacity of 1200 and 2000 respectively, could boast that their seats were filled at every Sabbath service. Each congregation is loyal to its own church and minister and no matter how fine a speaker is holding forth at a church, he cannot draw from the congregations of the adjacent churches. Mr. Oliver stated that since the first of June the street cars in Toronto have been running on the Sabbath day and great is the indignation among the Christian people of the city, most of them attempting to boycott the cars and only riding when necessity compels them, the result being that the company makes less during the seven days than they formerly did in the six days. One lady over eighty years old is so loyal to her principles that she willingly walks a distance of over two miles when she visits her daughter rather than to patronize a line which runs cars on the Sabbath day. It was evident to those who listened to Mr. Oliver's report that he had not only derived great benefit himself from the convention but had brought back with him much that would be a future help to the Leaguers of Plymouth and to the congregation over which he presides.

Miss Tena Packard, of Salem, was the guest of Miss Mabel Lyndon Monday last. Miss Lillie Lee, of Canandaigua, N. Y., arrived here Wednesday evening to visit her niece, Miss Nella Lee.

## AS THEY COME AND GO!

### Purely Personal Paragraphs Promiscuously Picked.

Richard Smye left Thursday for Ohio.

Mrs. Frank Durham, of Pontiac, is here visiting friends.

Jenme and Lottie Grainger are visiting friends in Canada.

Master Perry Smith, of Redford, is visiting friends in town.

Chauncey Rauch and Nella Lee were at Wixom yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pelton spent a portion of last week in Detroit.

Mrs. Vesley, from Ohio, is a guest at A. Holloway's home this week.

John Herdman is visiting his sister in Kingsville, Ont., this week.

Mrs. Jacob Streng went last week to Detroit to undergo an operation.

Miss Flora Millard, of Chicago, is visiting her mother and sisters here.

Mrs. Rockwell, of Ann Arbor, is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. A. Holloway's.

Mrs. Geo. Shafer spent Saturday night and Sunday with Northville friends.

Roy Lyndon and Floyd Allen left Thursday for a trip to the Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Riggs returned Saturday last from a week's visit in Oxford.

Reginald Oliver has returned home from a six weeks' vacation with Owosso friends.

Geo. Eldred will start Monday for Dakota, where he will run a threshing machine for Dewey Berdan.

Mrs. E. H. Briggs has been spending a few days in Detroit visiting her sons and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shafer are at Walled Lake for a two weeks' outing.

Mrs. Dr. Collier joined a party of Detroit friends Wednesday in a trip to the Lotus beds at Monroe.

Mrs. A. Davis and daughter-in-law, Mrs. E. W. Davis, are at Mt. Pleasant this week visiting relatives.

Mr. Geo. Lee, Jr. and the Misses Coldron and Keyes attended the band social at Salem last Friday evening.

Miss Rachel Curtis came over from Pontiac last Sunday—via bicycle route—to renew old acquaintances here.

L. C. Hough and party returned Wednesday evening from Whitmore Lake, where they have been recreating.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Taft, of Northville, and Bob Birch, of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Leadbeater Sunday.

Mrs. Gibson and two sons, who have been visiting here for some time, departed for their home at Wayne yesterday.

Geo. H. Wilcox, of the firm of D. B. Wilcox & Son, has been taking a short respite from work by visiting Petokey.

W. C. Hull, Supt. of the Albion schools, with his family are visiting at the home of Mrs. Hull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. McGill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fuller, and Tinie Fuller, of Chicago, are guests of A. A. Taft. They will make a five weeks' visit here.

Misses Bessie and Camilla Taft, who have been visiting their father in Segers, Miss., the past few weeks, returned home Tuesday.

Dr. Grainger, Will Conner, Harry Robinson, Chas. Butterfield and Dr. Dewey went to Straight's Lake Wednesday to visit the campers.

Mrs. Wheeler Haynes, who has been visiting relatives and friends here, for the past two months returned to her home at Jackson Wednesday last.

Wm. C. Howlett, of Ypsilanti, spent his week's vacation with his friend, Chas. Shattuck, of this place. Together they visited Orchard Lake, Pontiac and other places in that vicinity.

"Jim" Huff, who has been working for some time past for M. Conner & Son in their tin shop, closed his labors in that capacity Friday evening last, and returned to his home in Northville. "Jim" is a faithful and energetic employe and wherever he locates, we wish for him the success he deserves.

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TWEEN THE LAKES.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD FOR READERS.

A Large Number of U. F. Homesteaders Rejoicing Over a U. S. Land Office Decision—Statistics Showing Extent of Coal Mining in Michigan.

Upper Peninsula Settlers Made Happy The action of U. S. Land Commissioner Hermann in sending back to the Marquette land office the contest between the Michigan Land and Iron Co. and the settlers will cause an open court contest for 50,000 acres of land and may jeopardize the title to nearly 10 times that much.

The land claimed by the Michigan Land and Iron Co. is the old Marquette, Houghton & Ontonagon railroad grant which was given to aid the construction of a line from Marquette to Ontonagon back in 1851. It consists of 460,000 acres. Since passing to the new corporation its title has been in dispute and settlers have squatted on 60,000 acres of the best homesteads. The company tried to oust them through the land office at Marquette, but it was referred to Washington. Hoke Smith, secretary of the interior under Cleveland, decided against the settlers, but now the present administration returns the matter to the Marquette land office and requires all the settlers to be notified and the company will have to prove in court that it comes under the railroad grant confirmatory act passed in 1887. The settlers claim it will be impossible for the company to do this and are already rejoicing in their victory.

Steamer Cambria Wrecked.

The steamer Cambria, of the Detroit, Windsor & Soo line, which left Detroit with 150 passengers for Georgian Bay and Sault Ste. Marie, was wrecked in Lake Huron, three miles north of Sarnia, Ont. A very heavy sea was rolling when the Cambria entered the lake about 1 a. m. and Capt. Hill decided to turn back to Sarnia. When within a few miles of that port the steamer ran upon a raft of logs which had broken loose from the tug Vigilant in the storm, and the result was that the Cambria's paddles were broken and the cylinder head blew out leaving the boat in total darkness and at the mercy of the waves. She was driven upon the shore and at daylight the passengers were landed in boats and taken to Sarnia. During the night panic among the passengers was narrowly averted several times, but they were finally cooled down so that they dressed and got their baggage together.

The Cambria was badly strained, but will not be a total loss. She was built at Point Ledge, Que., in 1877, was rebuilt in 1888 when she was lengthened 69 feet, and she was remodeled again in 1889. She was valued at \$17,000 and insured for \$12,000.

An Aged Lover's Bloody Crime.

N. N. James, aged 50, shot and probably mortally wounded Martha Minor, aged 25, and then killed himself at the home of Chas. Gadd, farmer of Bridge-water township, Lenawee county. Mr. Gadd says that he rose at 5 a. m. and called Martha Minor, who answered, and then he went to the barn. Upon his return, not finding the girl, he called her again and received a very weak reply. Mr. Gadd then pushed her door open and saw James lying upon his back upon the floor and Martha Minor lying across him. Calling his son, Charles, they found James to be dead and the woman seriously wounded from pistol shots. Dr. J. L. Tuttle, of Clinton, was summoned, but as the wound is in the girl's right temple there are only slight hopes for her recovery. James probably died instantly.

The girl says that James had been calling to see her quite frequently and that for two days and nights before the tragedy she had secreted him in her room. No cause for the shooting is known.

Michigan's Coal Output.

The U. S. geological survey has completed its annual report upon the coal product of Michigan, which shows that the total production in 1896 was 92,883 short tons valued at \$150,631—nearly 20,000 tons less than in 1895. The production by counties was as follows: Bay 7,436 tons, Eaton 1,645, Jackson 45,318, Saginaw 7,315, Huron and Shiawassee, 31,168. Total number of mines, 11; amount of coal loaded at mines for shipment, 83,150 tons; sold to local trade and used by employes, 4,547 tons; used at mines for steam and heat, 3,185 tons; average price per ton, \$1.63; average number of days active work in mines, 157; total number of employes, 320.

Officers of the Law Center.

The fourth annual convention of the Michigan association of sheriffs and chiefs of police was held at Port Huron. Many matters of interest were discussed and officers were elected: President, ex-Sheriff C. P. Collins, of Detroit; vice-president, Sheriff George E. Mallory, of Port Huron; secretary-treasurer, John P. Sanborn, of Lansing.

Martha Minor, who was shot at the home of Charles Gadd, near Clinton, last week, has died from the effects of her injuries. She never really regained consciousness, so that the reason for the double tragedy will probably always remain a mystery.

Senator M. A. Hanna, of Ohio, is cruising through the lakes on his steam yacht Comanche, with his family and several friends. They made stops at Detroit and other Michigan points. President McKinley will cruise on Senator Hanna's yacht the latter part of August.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Deyers & Deville will locate a furniture factory at Hudson to employ 50 men. Wm. Bumford, aged 75, fell from a load of grain near Stanwood and broke his neck. John Freer killed a blue racer at Metamora which measured six feet one inch.

Mrs. Peter Burgh fell down cellar at Holland and will die from the effects of her injuries. Mrs. Eva Krahl, aged 50, of Marion, was fatally burned while filling her gasoline stove.

Labor Commissioner Cox has appointed Samuel Howes inspector for northern Michigan. By the upsetting of a rowboat on Diamond lake, near Cassopolis, Miss Deanie O'Dell was drowned.

A bicycle frightened Mrs. Nathaniel King's horse at Metamora and she was thrown out and fatally injured. Oscar Corban, aged 80, fell from a load of wheat near Elm Hall and died in a few minutes of a broken neck.

Stockholders of the defunct Ingham County Savings bank will be assessed 65 per cent for the benefit of depositors. The Third and Fourth regiments of Uniformed Rank Knights of Pythias of Ohio camped on St. Clair near Port Huron.

The Chapman house at Lansing has been completely gutted by fire, the second time within a month. Loss \$2,000, insured. Bay county farmers' experiments in raising sugar beets have proven successful, and Bay City capitalists will build a refinery.

James Christensen, a member of the R. J. Goodsell Hardware Co., at Ludington, suicided by blowing his brains out with a revolver.

Lou John, aged 40, an Indian living south of Burgess, was gored to death by a bull. John was a farmer and leaves a large family.

The first load of Michigan peaches on the market at Grand Rapids was brought in by Thos. Quinlan, of Tallmadge, Ottawa county.

The Tilden mine at Bessemer has closed down, throwing 250 men out of employment. Poor demand for that grade of ore is the cause.

Silas Husted, of Muir, a pensioner in moderate circumstances, took carbolic acid and died in terrible agony. He was very intemperate.

The Ionia council has decided to bond the city for \$6,500, to extend the city water system, and a special election will be held on Aug. 16.

Applodge No. 91, F. & A. M., celebrated its fiftieth anniversary, with its first initiate, D. D. Sinclair, now aged 93, among those present.

Two large barns belonging to Chas. Seibert, near St. Johns, were destroyed by fire, with all their contents. Loss \$3,000, insurance \$900. Tramps.

Ed Cross has given up his farm at Kinde and built a 40-foot schooner and with his family will now live on the lakes, trading from place to place.

A Washington special says the treasury department intends to close the small ports of entry at Mt. Clemens, New Baltimore, River Rouge, Delray and Trenton.

When Charles Spears and wife, of Owosso, returned from camp meeting they found a baby boy aged about two months calmly sleeping in their bed, with no clew to its identity.

Maj. W. K. Bush, private secretary to Gov. Pingree, came near choking to death on a fish bone at the Park hotel, at Sault Ste. Marie. A doctor removed the bone with much difficulty.

Oliver T. Petterson, canvasser for a New York publication, was found dead in his bed at the Naegeli house, at Saginaw, after a young woman had spent part of the evening in his room.

Melita Sallobani, a young woman, was found beasty drunk lying across the railroad track at Iron Mountain. She was pulled off just in time to save her from being run over by a freight.

John Willett, aged 60, a wealthy farmer, drove to Owosso to do some trading. He carried considerable cash and the man, horse and rig have mysteriously disappeared. Foul play is suspected.

The doors of the Chinese laundry at Alpena were broken into and Wah Sing, the proprietor, was found lying upon the floor in a pool of blood. He admits that he shot himself. He cannot recover.

A youthful cigarette fiend caused the destruction by fire of the barn and granary of Curtis Powell, near Cassopolis, with over 1,000 bushels of wheat, other grain and vehicles. Loss, \$2,000; no insurance.

Frank Klumpp, proprietor of a large stock farm near Port Huron, attempted to suicide by severing the arteries in his arms, but this evidently proved too slow so he jumped into his cistern and was drowned. Family troubles.

A meat market belonging to Martin Kramer and a grocery store occupied by Martin Waalkes, were destroyed by fire at Muskegon. Wm. Winter, his wife and son barely escaped from their rooms over the grocery. Loss \$3,000.

Bears are said to be unusually common about Seney. Geo Taylor was attacked by a large black bear while returning home from the mill, but brain retreated after receiving several thumps on the head with an iron bar.

The wife of Wallace J. Scoby dropped a lighted lamp at Grand Rapids. The oil caught fire and Mrs. Scoby was probably fatally burned. A young son was suffocated, while two other children escaped. Scoby is in New Orleans.

A gasoline stove exploded in the home of S. A. Lockwood at Lapeer, very severely burning Mrs. Lockwood and Rena Brown, a domestic. The girl's presence of mind saved Mrs. Lockwood's life as she smothered the flames on her with a rug.

A \$50,000 fire at Ashley destroyed the hardware store and warehouse of Jos. F. Bush, the general store of Milton M. Clark, the Saturday Evening Post printing office, the postoffice, two vacant stores, three barns and an ice house. The total insurance is only \$10,000.

Ex-County Treasurer B. W. Wright, of Ishpeming, has been appointed receiver for the Ropes gold mine in Marquette county, whose liabilities are estimated at \$100,000. The machinery, buildings, etc., are valued at \$70,000, but won't bring half that at receiver's sale. An attempt will be made to reorganize.

The fifth annual meeting of the United States League of Building and Loan associations was held at Detroit, and the sessions were full of interest. Lake W. Sanborn, of Illinois, was elected president; H. F. Cellarius, of Cincinnati, secretary, and W. C. Sheppard, of Grand Rapids, treasurer. They will meet at Omaha in 1898.

Photographer McSherry, of Hubbardston, recently took a family group. There was only one child in it and she stood beside her mother. When the plate was developed a second child was revealed standing with a hand on the living child's shoulder. It can be explained in only one way, that it was a spirit of a sister of the living child.

The Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railway will be extended to Calumet, the largest town of the copper district, at once. The narrow gauge tracks of the Mineral Range R. R., will be widened and passenger and freight trains run through to Calumet. A new passenger station and new wharves of large capacity will be built at Hancock, and a number of other improvements made.

The deputy game warden of Presque Isle county complains to the state officials that the board of supervisors have fixed his compensation at one cent per day. The board flatly informed him that they did not want those laws enforced in that county and the prosecuting attorney told him the same thing. As a result all the fish and game laws are being flagrantly and openly violated.

Frank A. Covey, of Kalamazoo, is at work on a huge airship in which he intends to go to the Klondike regions, carrying, besides provisions, two companions. He expects to make the first stop at Winnipeg, where additional supplies will be procured. In a week from that time he says he will land in the heart of the gold regions if the wind is favorable, securing such claims as he may find, and returning inside of six weeks.

Chief Simon Pokagon, of the Pottawatomie tribe in Allegan county, is very ill and says he expects to shortly leave for the happy hunting grounds. He is almost 80 years old and has done a great deal for his people in obtaining justice from the government. During 1893 he was a prominent figure at the World's Fair where he delivered several lectures of historical interest. He has since written a book bringing out the white man selfishness and rapacity in dealing with Indian tribes.

John Ryan was elected drain commissioner of Scioto township, Shiawassee county, last spring and notwithstanding the fact that the last legislature abolished that office John has been doing business just the same. He experienced no particular difficulty until the laborers who had been constructing a costly drain demanded their pay and the township treasurer refused to cash the commissioner's orders and informed the men that they must look to Mr. Ryan for their pay, about \$500.

About \$50 in money and \$1,500 worth of diamonds and jewelry disappeared from the jewelry store of Albough & Son, at Hillsdale, at the same time that F. W. Vergien, who had been sleeping in the store nights for some time, quietly left town. Vergien was finely educated, speaking several languages, and he had made many friends during the few months he was in Hillsdale, but it is now learned that he was an ex-convict, having been sent from Adrian to Jackson prison to serve one year for false pretenses.

Geo. Martell, who lives near the farm of Curtis Wright, near Gladwin, who was recently shot and killed by unknown chicken thieves, has been arrested on suspicion of having been the principal in the crime. Boyl Nunn, a neighbor's boy, who was arrested, but released because of insufficient evidence, has been induced to make an alleged confession, which implicates Martell. He says that, accompanied by Martell, he went to Wright's farm to steal chickens. Nunn says he was inside of the hen house while Martell watched outside with a gun. Nunn charges that Martell fired the fatal shot.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS PICKED PROMISCUOUSLY.

Labor Leaders Decide to Support the Striking Coal Miners in all Ways—Central American Republics Unite—Secretary Sherman May Resign.

Organized Labor Stands by the Miners. The conference of the heads of labor organizations of the United States called at Wheeling, W. Va., by President Rockefeller, of the United Mine Workers, and approved by President Gomez, of the American Federation of Labor, was attended by 30 delegates representing nearly every branch of organized labor. President Rockefeller and other leading miners' representatives stated the causes of the strike and the condition of the miners and showed that upon the material and moral sympathy of organized labor generally now depended the success of this great strike against "white slavery." Messrs. Debs, Mahon and Rea who have been endeavoring to bring out the miners of the Fairmont, W. Va., district made it clear that much depended upon their success there.

Every organization represented at the conference pledged aid for the miners and telegrams of like nature were received from officers of organizations not represented.

It was decided to flood the West Virginia coal fields with miners' organizers and if they fail to bring the miners out there the railroad men will probably act and tie up the roads.

Strike Notes. The Illinois field is witnessing troublous scenes. At DuQuoin the miners are working and an attempt is to be made to force them out. About 50 strikers from Belleville went to Du Quoin for that purpose, but were ordered out of town by the marshal. The strikers returned home but threaten to gather 800 men from Belleville and reinforcements from Freeburg and other points and drive out every miner at DuQuoin, Cartersville, Murphysboro and Marietta.

Union Cloakmakers of New York City are preparing to strike—12,000 strong—against the starvation wages prevailing. One man received only \$1.35 as wages for a week of 63 hours.

The miners' officials were greatly encouraged by the news that the men have quit work at the Turtle Creek mine—one of the De Armit mines in the Pittsburgh district where the men have continued at work in spite of all the pressure previously brought to bear upon them. This victory for the strikers was the result of a big mass meeting held near the mines and attended by several thousand strikers with a dozen bands of music. The mines were surrounded by deputy sheriffs to prevent the strikers from interfering with the men at work.

The W. & L. E. railway during the past few days has laid off scores of employes on both the east and west divisions pending a settlement of the miners' strike. The freight business of the road depends largely on the coal traffic.

Insurgents Attack Havana's Suburbs. A Havana dispatch says: The story of an attack by insurgents on the suburbs of Havana is confirmed by Senor Calbajer, a wealthy Spaniard, who with his wife and daughter have fled from Havana. The attack was made on the village of Marianao about 10 miles west of Havana. Senor Calbajer was an eye witness of the raid. He says that the attack was led by insurgents under Baldomero Coasta, Juan Delgado and Hernandez. They were well armed with dynamite rapid-fire guns and met with slight resistance.

The engagement was short and desperate, and 49 Spaniards were killed and 120 wounded; two Cubans were killed and 40 wounded. The inhabitants of the town fled for their lives, leaving the insurgents in complete possession. They sacked the place and secured \$40,000 in gold besides a large quantity of supplies. Senor Calbajer says that the wildest terror reigns in Havana and that the well-to-do inhabitants are leaving as fast as the local laws permit.

The Grecian Situation Again Alarming. It is rumored that the possible abdication of the king of Greece has inspired the following dispatch from Athens: "It is stated on good authority that in the event of a proposal looking to the establishment of foreign control of Grecian finances being adopted by the powers the king will make a declaration of exceptional gravity. Russia and Germany having counseled Greece to submit to the conditions imposed by the powers, M. Ralli, the premier, replied that Greece would never accept the idea of financial control proposed, and that she would help herself."

The foreign admirals at the Island of Crete held a conference and decided to oppose by force the landing of any additional Turkish troops. In reply to their notification to that effect Ismail Bey said he could not accept such a decision. It is believed that fresh trouble is brewing.

Has Secretary Sherman Resigned. The report is again revived that Secretary of State Sherman will shortly leave the cabinet and that Whitelaw Reid will be appointed his successor. The report is practically confirmed by the fact that Mr. Reid has leased the house in Washington of John Hay, ambassador to Great Britain, and will occupy it next winter. Mr. Sherman was very much dissatisfied with the selection of Judge Day, as first assistant secretary of state and has felt that he was merely a figurehead in the transaction of the department's affairs.

NEWSY CONDENSATIONS.

Two Lehigh trains collided at Dewop junction, near Buffalo, N. Y., killing Geo. Ellensbee, engineer, of Manchester, and Chas. Eddy, fireman, of Bayra.

A freight train was stalled in Lewis tunnel, near Hinton, W. Va., and the crew was overcome by foul air. Conductor Ed Bray is dead, Sam Hamilton, Ed Womack and Tom Kawewood cannot recover.

It is stated Gen. Maximo Gomez, the leader of the Cuban insurgents, has reaffirmed his determination not to accept a compromise with the Spanish government, but to adhere to his demand for the absolute independence of Cuba.

The Egyptian intelligence department has received word of heavy tribal fighting up the Nile between the derwishes and the Jaalins. The latter suffered defeat after heavy loss on both sides, the Jaalins losing 2,000 killed.

Inventor Holland will, it is said soon have on the ways the skeleton of several more of his submarine torpedo boats, which, he is confident, will revolutionize naval warfare. It is known that other governments than that of the United States are taking more than passing interest in it.

Reports of very heavy damage to the corn crop in Kansas, Oklahoma and the Cherokee strip as a result of drought and torrid-like hot winds are pouring into headquarters of the Santa Fe and Rock Island roads, whose lines practically cover the state. The damage to crops varies from 30 to 60 per cent.

Incursions of Albanians, who attacked almost simultaneously seven Serbian blockhouses along the stretch of frontier between Madliza and Baskha, have led the Serbian government to make a formal protest to the powers, and it is believed that this is part of an organized plan by Turkey to provoke Serbia.

The powers have drafted plans which provide for European arbitration of any differences that may arise between the Greek and Turkish plenipotentiaries in arranging a definite treaty. The desire of Germany to institute a European control over Greek finances still hampers the settlement of the indemnity question.

Among the hundreds of people sailing for Alaska—mostly fortune-seekers—was two representatives of the Salvation Army going to Dawson City to carry on their work; one of them, C. H. Dale, is a wealthy old time miner who was recently converted. Two nuns have also sailed to open a school for white children at St. Michaels.

The secretary of war has appointed the special board provided for in the sundry civil appropriation bill to make a survey and examination (including estimates of cost) of deep waterways between the Great lakes and the Atlantic tide water, as follows: Maj. Chas. W. Raymond, corps of engineers, Alfred Noble, of Chicago, and Geo. Y. Wisner, of Detroit.

Official information received in Washington indicates the Great Britain will consent to join in an international monetary conference to be held in Washington next winter. The statements received indicate that the mission of Special Envoys Stevenson, Payne and Wolcott will be so far successful as to insure the meeting of another international monetary conference.

Bluejackets from the U. S. ships Yorktown and Boston have been several times attacked by coolies in Kobe, Japan, even the policemen taking part against the Americans. James Mullen, a bluejacket from the Boston, was tied by the legs and gagged around the pier and was then arrested by Japanese policemen. On another occasion a party of American bluejackets was stoned.

The Canadian government has decided to impose a royalty on all placer diggings in Canadian territory on the Yukon in addition to \$15 registration fee and \$100 annual assessment. The royalty will be 10 per cent each on claims with an output of \$300 or less monthly, and 20 per cent on every claim yielding above that amount. Besides this every other claim is reserved to the government.

The great volcano Mayou, situated in the extreme south of the Island of Luzon, of the Philippine islands, has been in violent eruptions since June 26. The towns of Libog, Bacacy and Malipot are threatened with destruction. Fifty-six bodies have been recovered, but the fate is unknown of the people living on the sides and at the foot of the mountain, which is surrounded by the finest hemp plantations in the island.

Official dispatches from Lorenzo Marquez, South Africa, confirm the reports of recent fighting between Portuguese troops and rebellious natives in Gazaland. The battle took place near Chimbutu, the capital of Gazaland. The Portuguese force routed 7,000 rebels. The Portuguese losses were two killed and 10 wounded. The natives lost 300. A dispatch from Capetown says a report has reached there that the Portuguese have been badly routed in the Bileni district, north of Delagoa bay. The natives declare that not a Portuguese is left alive.

London representatives of the Baron Hirsch charities say that the Jews are organizing in all parts of the world to participate in the scheme to form a Hebrew government in Palestine. It is stated that the Turkish government will be glad to let them have it. Plans are being made to send an expedition to overhaul the land from end to end, and to establish telephone, telegraph and other modern scientific conveniences before opening the territory to general settlement. A limited monarchy, like that of Great Britain, is proposed. The capital of the company is to be \$250,000,000.

UPRISING AGAINST BRITISH.

Serious Revolt in India With Considerable Hot Fighting.

In consequence of the rapid spread of the revolt against British authority in India, from 12,000 to 15,000 natives now being under arms, the government has ordered the reserve brigade to assemble under the command of Col. Wodehouse, Fort Chakdara was attacked by the natives about 3 p. m. and continued until 8 o'clock the next day. The English lost five wounded. The native loss is not known, but it is believed to have been heavy. Fort Chakdara is strong enough to resist any attack and it has a good supply of ammunition. The only fear is that the garrison may become exhausted by constant fighting. The tribesmen are sending forth fresh relays continually. British reinforcements with abundant supplies of ammunition have arrived at Daryal. The march was forced and very rapid, and 19 Sikhs died from sunstroke on the way.

Spain to War With U. S. to Save Herself. A Spanish diplomatist who is in close touch with Senor Canovas del Castillo, the Spanish premier, says that it is useless longer to attempt to disguise the fact that the Spanish ministry is in a very tight place, and that in order to retire gracefully from Cuba and at the same time save the monarchy Spain may have to go to war with the United States. He admits that Spain cannot raise money to carry on the war in Cuba much longer. The premier will court war the moment the United States becomes imperative in its demands for the independence of Cuba. The wave of great emotion and patriotism, such as war would call out in Spain, would naturally sink all threatening domestic questions and disturbances, and save the present dynasty.

Fish Schedule of Tariff Bill Explained. The treasury department has received a large number of inquiries from fishermen on the Great Lakes as to the proper interpretation of the new tariff law which is decidedly complicated in regards to fish. The customs division has finally decided that fresh water fish imported in bulk and not frozen or packed in ice caught in the Great Lakes by others than citizens of the United States, are dutiable at 1/4 of 1 cent per pound. If caught by American citizens they are free of duty. The department also holds that ice may be used upon fish in bulk without subjecting them to the duty of 1/4 of 1 cent per pound provided by paragraph 261 for "fish frozen or packed in ice."

The Republics of Central America Unite. A treaty has been completed and signed and goes into effect Sept. 15 for the formation of the Republics of Central America to be composed of the states or republics of Guatemala, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Honduras and San Salvador. The government of the new republic is vested in a council of the chief of states who is elected from each of the states in their alphabetical order and shall hold office for one year, and two representatives from each state. Alliances of defense and preservation for all the states are provided and the expenses of the government and of war are to be assessed by the council.

The Japanese government has accepted the offer made by Hawaii to submit their differences to arbitration. The Amoskeag cotton mills at Manchester, N. H., have closed down throwing 6,000 persons out of work. Overproduction.

District assembly No. 49 of the Knights of Labor, of New York, has passed strong resolutions condemning the nomination of T. V. Poverly as U. S. commissioner of immigration. Cretons are enraged because the powers permitted the sultan's special commissioner, Djavad Pasha, to land on the island, and have notified the admirals of the foreign fleets that they will decline to entertain proposals for autonomy so long as Djavad Pasha or the Turkish troops remain on the island.

LIVE STOCK. New York—Cattle, Sheep, Swine, Hogs. Best grades... Lower grades... Chicago... Detroit... Buffalo... Cincinnati... Cleveland... Pittsburg...

GRAINS, ETC. Wheat, Corn, No. 2 red, No. 2 mix, No. 2 white. New York 85 @ 84 1/2, Chicago 77 @ 77 1/2, Detroit 77 @ 77 1/2, Toledo 77 @ 77 1/2, Cincinnati 75 @ 75 1/2, Cleveland 76 @ 76 1/2, Pittsburg 77 @ 77 1/2, Buffalo 76 @ 76 1/2.

REVIEW OF TRADE. Dispatches from almost every northern city of importance report without exception improvement in business from Detroit to Seattle and Portland, with splendid crop prospects. The task of adjusting the business and industries of the country to conditions created by a new tariff law has progressed with gratifying rapidity and ease. Even the increasing strength of striking coal miners probably forwards the adoption of the uniformity plan, which promises to remove most of the causes of such struggles. Some confusion is caused by events seemingly contradictory: by closing of large cotton mills when many other works are starting and by decline in some prices when others are advancing, but the balance is unmistakably on the right side. The most important event since the passage of the tariff bill is the advance in the price of wheat.







**HOW TO FIND OUT**

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

**What to do.**

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effect following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists price fifty cents and one dollar. For a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail, mention **THE MAIL** and send your full post-office address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

**CORRESPONDENCE.**

**Salem**

Miss Hattie Coulter, of Orchard Lake is visiting her uncle, S. D. Chapin.

L. D. Austin and wife, of Kalamazoo, are making Salem friends a visit this week.

Miss Ada Harbin, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Jaywood, returned to her home in Canada last Thursday.

Beech Northrop spent Sunday with her brother at Lansing.

Mrs. Elain Worden, of Ann Arbor, visited her sister Mrs. D. E. Smith, Thursday of last week.

The farmers' club meeting was held at the home of Myron Bailey's Wednesday afternoon. A very good attendance was reported considering the rainy day. Subject under discussion was "Agricultural College."

A. C. VanSickle returned from Stark Wednesday.

Dr. Waid and D. E. Smith made a business trip to Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mrs. James Boyle, who has been sick for a few weeks, is around again.

Fred Herrick has returned from Ind. to spend the summer at his old home here.

John Walker, of Warren, formerly proprietor of the Salem meat market, called on friends here Sunday and Monday.

The Salem "Coon" Band gave one of their popular concerts at South Lyon last Saturday night.

Died, Tuesday afternoon, Miss Libbie Stevens, daughter of L. M. Stevens. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and family have many warm friends who sympathize with them in their affliction. The funeral was held Thursday at 10:30 from the Baptist church, Rev. Thrasher officiating.

Amos Worden, who has been under Dr. Waid's care for a few weeks, is now able to be out again.

The entertainment and social given by the B. Y. P. U. at the Baptist church, Monday evening was largely attended and a good time reported by all.

Rev. O. M. Thrasher and family are camping with friends near Holly.

Dr. Walker and family, with E. F. Walker and wife are camping at Whitmore Lake.

**Redford.**

The DeBoisville Ladies' Aid Society met on Thursday of this week at the home of Mr. Tracey Gorton.

Miss Baur is visiting her grandfather, Mr. Calvin Parker.

Mr. Will Ferrington and wife, of Detroit, visited his father last week.

John Lacey, engineer on a lake steamer, visited his home here three days last week, returning on Saturday. Robert Lacey is visiting home now, and Mrs. Lacey is also entertaining her sister, Miss Lena Groatenrath, of Cleveland.

Mr. Jesse Mack's infant child died and the funeral was held Tuesday at 2 o'clock.

Mr. A. B. Pierce and wife, Mr. Thomas Perry and wife, Mr. H. C. Ziegler and wife and Mr. M. H. Hunt and wife recreated at Orchard Lake on Saturday last.

Epworth League of DuBoisville M. E. church last Sunday evening was led by Miss Julia Ziegler. Eber Parent will lead next Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. E. Norris entertained Miss Lee, of Cleveland, last week.

Miss Elsie Lee, of Holly, is visiting her brother, Fred, and sister, Mrs. Steele, of Sand Hill.

Miss Mary Cranson is still very sick.

Mr. Volney Smith and wife went to Grand Ledge last Sunday.

Judd Cranson is building a new house on his mother's lot in Farmington. Mrs. Cranson and daughter will move in it as soon as completed.

Miss Hattie Rogers is visiting her father, S. K. Burgess.

Charles Smith is in California. He went on an excursion and will be back soon.

**Northville.**

Supt. Allworth sends 40 cases, (12 quarts each) of pasteurized milk, and the same of cream, to Detroit a day.

Miss Carrie Bovee is home from a fortnight, visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Filkins and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stark are camping at Walled Lake.

The O. E. S. met for degree work last Friday evening. After work a banquet was served.

"Toodles" is the name of a pet chicken owned by Miss Louise Joslyn. A maternal hen deserted her nest, leaving one egg unhatched. The sun's rays warmed the egg. One day Louise broke the shell, when out hopped a cute little chick. It was put with another brood of chickens, but to the surprise of the Joslyn family, refused to have anything to do with its feathered kin—in fact, was positively afraid of them. Louise took the chick in charge, and the most amiable relations exist between mistress and chick. It answers to the name of—"Toodles," and can perform many wonderful tricks.

Dr. Carruthers went to Detroit Monday to meet Mrs. Carruthers and daughter, Beatrice, who have been visiting in Canada. The Dr. and his family are nicely settled in the Rockwell residence.

Dr. Yarnall's Gold Cube is even more wonderful in its rejuvenating powers than Brown-Sequard's Elixir of Life. A gentleman who has nearly reached the Biblical limit of "three score years and ten" recently took the treatment, and now feels "just as young as he used to be." He is so well pleased with our pretty village that he has decided to remain here. He is lovingly known among the boys as "grand-pop." There isn't a game known to Hoyle in which he is not an expert, and puts the "boys" on their "taps" when he plays with them. When he wins (and he generally does) he comes tearing down stairs two steps at a time, and will either turn a somersault or dance a jig. Occasionally he loses a game, and in this event he comes slowly down stairs, pulls his hat down over his eyes and says, "By gum, I'm going out to sell some fruit trees."

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yerkes are entertaining their niece, Mrs. Katherine Strong, of Albert Lea, Minn. Mrs. Strong, who is teaching music in a ladies' seminary in Albert Lea, has hosts of friends here who are delighted to meet her again.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rogers, of Ypsilanti, have leased Fred Clark's cottage at Walled Lake for the season.

Misses Grace Yerkes and Stella Fuller are at Walled Lake, the guests of Mrs. Chas. Rogers.

Chas. Rogers, of Ypsilanti, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yerkes last Friday.

When Mrs. "Todd" Lockwood returned home from shopping Saturday morning, she found her usually neat and tidy home in disorder. Bureau drawers had been opened and their contents strewn over the floor; closets and pantry had been ransacked. In fact, the burglars had invaded every part of the house. Some money and a number of other articles had been taken.

Mrs. Alex. Tinham, of Detroit, has returned home after a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. Asa Porter.

Mrs. Anna Hurd, of Salem, is visiting Mrs. J. C. Macomber this week.

Frank Hamilton, north-west of town, marketed 80 bushels of red raspberries this season.

Chas. Hagen and family are rusticating at Wixom.

F. S. Fry has sold between 80 and 90 bushels of berries and currants from his fruit farm near the village this season.

Our in-coming postmaster, W. H. Huton, has deft fingers and an artistic eye, as is shown by the handsomely dressed windows at T. G. Richardson's store.

Charles Northrop is resting at Sand Beach after the season's work at Holmes, Dancer & Co.'s.

Miss Simons and Miss Pearl Simons will visit Detroit friends next week.

Last Monday was a busy day for Dr. Yarnall and the attaches of the Yarnall Gold Cure Institute. It was moving day. Dr. and Mrs. Yarnall took up their abode in the handsome new house just completed, and the Gold Cure Institute was transferred from "the hill" to more commodious quarters—the Hutton house (purchased by Dr. Yarnall) on Main-st.

A jolly quartet, L. A. Babbitt, Ed. Merritt, C. C. and W. H. Yerkes, were at Union lake all last week. Judging from the fish stories in circulation about town, it is certain that Baron Munchausen's mantle has fallen on worthy shoulders.

Miss Myra Clark, who has been visiting friends here, went to Pontiac Monday, where she will visit before returning to her home in Helena, Montana.

Rev. E. A. Schlammann, of Chicago, has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church in this village. The call has been accepted, and he will begin his labors, Aug. 29. Mr. Schlammann was graduated from the Chicago University several years ago, from the Divinity school two years ago, and for the past two years has been taking a post graduate course.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of ALFRED COOK, deceased.

We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the county of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners in Probate, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the store of George W. Hunter & Co. in the village of Farmington, in said county on Saturday, the eleventh day of September, A. D. 1907, and on Saturday, the twenty-second day of January, A. D. 1908 at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the twenty-second day of July, A. D. 1907, were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

GEORGE W. HUNTER, HARRY ROBINSON, Commissioners.

Dated Aug. 24, 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. "Tommy" Murdock are entertaining friends from Ypsilanti.

Mrs. H. E. C. Daniels left for the eastern resorts Monday afternoon. She will spend several weeks in the Adirondacks.

F. B. Macomber has been a mighty busy man for the past two months. He has built an addition to his building on Main-st., fitted it with the latest improved laundry machinery, and by August 15 will have in operation one of the best equipped steam laundries in Michigan.

Miss Margie Thompson is entertaining her friend, Mrs. Bentley, of Chicago.

B. G. Webster, who attended the meeting of the State Board of Crossings in Lansing last week, secured the promise of the members of the board to visit this village in the near future and decide on the necessity of a new bridge one mile south of here.

Claude Burgess and Hoyt Woodman have nearly completed a cottage, 8x12 feet and two stories high, at Walled Lake. The latch string will be out in about a week.

Rev. J. H. Herbener and family left Wednesday morning for Walled Lake. They will have as their guest after Aug. 10, Mr. Herbener's sister, Mrs. R. E. Rickard, of Portsmouth, Va.

Rev. Herbener's versatility is remarkable. He handles social problems with unglued hands, unsparingly hurks anathemas at sin and the devil and is not slothful in pastoral labors. He is of an inventive turn of mind, and has invented a wonderful minnow trap. His latest achievement, however, is a hen coop and fish trap combined. It puzzled the reverend gentleman not a little to arrange the "slats" so far apart that a hen could breathe, and at the same time have them so close that the smallest fish could not escape. He pounded his thumb several times during the construction of this last contrivance. No, he didn't say "cuse" words, but smilingly remarked that it was mighty inconvenient to be a preacher—sometimes.

Miss Clark and Miss Edith Clark are visiting in Detroit.

Mrs. Seymour Bower and children, of Detroit are guests of Mrs. Frank Clark.

Charlie Blackburn is entertaining his cousin, Will McKerracher, of Ridgetown, Ont. P. S.—He is also helping to entertain one of the young ladies from the Home of the Friendless.

Arrangements are being made for a magnificent bicycle parade in this village next Wednesday evening.

"Tommy" Murdock's skill in displaying goods is shown by his arrangement of the writing tablets in that long show case.

Mrs. Wolfe, of Louisville, Ky., will sing at the Baptist church next Sunday morning.

Henry G. Kator was in Detroit on business, Thursday.

J. L. Becker is on a business trip in Ohio this week.

Mrs. W. A. Carruthers will visit relatives in the Province of New Brunswick in September.

Another week and the Yarnall Gold Cure Institute will be nicely settled in its new home on East Main street. Notwithstanding the inconveniences incident to moving, the "boys" have maintained their usual good nature. A number of new patients arrived this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Peck, of Plymouth, visited friends at the Institute Wednesday.

Eleven children from the Home of the Friendless, in Detroit, were brought here Wednesday and are being entertained by some of our kindly disposed citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Schantz and Master Paul, and Mrs. S. J. Haynes were in Detroit Monday and spent the day on Belle Isle.

Miss Mabel Burgess is entertaining her cousin, Miss Ora Scott, of Osaka, Japan. Miss Scott's parents are missionaries in Japan and have sent their daughter to this country to be educated.

Mrs. J. M. Burgess is expecting two cousins from China in a few weeks. The ladies are missionaries in the "Flower Kingdom."

Miss Eva Bovee entertained friends from Detroit Tuesday evening.

Preston Fuller and Miss Carrie Bovee were guests of Miss Grace Yerkes at Walled Lake Sunday.

The Y. P. S. C. E., Epworth League and B. Y. P. U. will each take charge of the moral deportations in one room in the Union school building during the teachers' institute.

C. A. Blair has been engaged by the school board to do the painting and ka'soming in the union school building.

W. C. Ravenel, of Washington, D. C., assistant in charge of the division of fish, United States Fish Commission, arrived here Thursday, and has been in consultation with Supt. Clark regarding the interests of the commission.

Miss Mariam White is clerking at T. G. Richardson's.

A colony is being organized here to go to the Klondike gold fields. For further information apply to the postmaster, Huton's drug store or Smith's grocery store.

Lewis Hutton is home from a two weeks' visit in Saginaw.

Owing to continued ill health, Dr. J. M. Swift has tendered his resignation as president of the Northville State Savings Bank, which position he has held since its organization in 1883. L. W. Simmons has been chosen as his successor.

**The Wherry**



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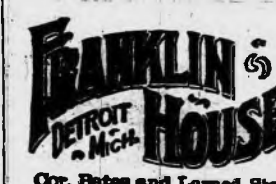
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Milan	7:05	5:30	9:50	1:10
Napoleon	7:35	6:05	10:20	1:40
Tecumseh	8:05	6:35	10:50	2:10
Adrian	8:35	7:05	11:20	2:40
Washtenaw	9:05	7:35	11:50	3:10
Ypsilanti	9:35	8:05	12:20	3:40
Malinta	10:05	8:35	12:50	4:10
Hamlet	10:35	9:05	1:20	4:40
Leape	11:05	9:35	1:50	5:10
Utica	11:35	10:05	2:20	5:40
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