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#### PORTLAND CEMENT.

The manufacture of Portland Cement is well established in the United States. The American product is in every respect equal to the European brands in strength, fineness and durability and with a demand far in excess of the output. The American system of manufacture yields a more uniform output, that is to say, a greater per cent of the raw materials can be converted into a high grade finished cement than that made under a European process. European cement experts are and have been coming to the United States to study the American system of manufacture. The best manufacture of cement working machinery now employ American engineers to draw plans for Portland Cement Works to be erected in Europe. Several of the large German Companies are locating in the United States and are adopting the American method of manufacture.

The use of Portland Cement is rapidly displacing stone, brick, wood, and terra cotta for dry docks, fortifications and gun emplacements, locks and dams; sewers, tunnels, culverts, foundations for office buildings, breakwaters, curb walls, retaining walls for wharves; concrete piers, bridges over rivers, and public highways, sidewalks, and gutter construction. Asbestos roofs, roof shingles and tiles; factory chimneys are being constructed entirely of concrete; some over 150 feet high. Pipes for water service in cities, mill races, and water wheel housing, trench drains, earth cuts along the line of railways are being covered with concrete. Sewer pipes for city water supplies are 150 feet high and 40 feet in diameter are in use in Europe. Concrete engine beds have almost displaced stone and brick. The piers carrying two of the elevated railways in Chicago are constructed entirely of concrete. Foundations for street pavements are coming in very extensive use. Concrete sewers are being constructed in many cities in Europe and the United States. Irrigating flumes and canals use large quantities of Portland Cement. The Illinois Central R'y, extending from Sioux City, Iowa, to New Orleans, La., uses concrete for its bridges, abutments, retaining walls, culverts, and other improvements where stone and brick have heretofore been used.

The railways of India, Ceylon and Egypt, erect their stations and approaches to the same out of concrete. Germany 40 per cent of the burnt clay roofing tile has been substituted by concrete during the past few years. Concrete railway ties are coming into use in Europe and Oriental countries and are being tried in the U. S. Concrete blocks moulded in imitation of terra cotta are extensively used for external walls of dwellings and business houses.

Artistic tile are extensively used throughout Europe. The floors and

wainscoting of the Parliamentary Buildings at Berlin, Germany, are decorated with concrete tile as well as the private residences of the Emperor; and public libraries and other private and public buildings making pretensions to artistic effects.

Many of the best bridges in Europe are constructed of concrete and steel, of the Monier system, while several hundred thousand bbls. of Cement are used in single fortifications in Germany and France. Twenty million dollars worth of underground concrete work was under contract in England alone in 1899. Concrete railway fence posts are extensively manufactured in the U. S. and Europe.

Germany manufactured about 18,000,000 bbls. of Portland Cement and consumes about 13,000,000 bbls. with a population of 80,000,000, while we manufacture about 5,000,000 bbls. with a population of 70,000,000. Germany was 3,000,000 bbls. behind on its orders for Portland Cement in 1899 which could not be filled. England is importing cement from Belgium and Germany and prices have increased in Europe notwithstanding numerous large mills have been erected during the past few years. The demand has always been in excess of the supply.

Comparing the coastline and railway mileage of the U. S. with that of Germany the U. S. should consume fully as much Portland Cement as Germany. The trouble the past few years has been with railroad engineers and contractors and the building trades in general: "Where shall we obtain the cement we require? We are importing every barrel we can buy from Europe and still the supply is short. We have abundant raw materials, and in time these will be utilized to fill the ever-growing demand.—Cement and Engineering News.

In view of the difficulty that many people seem to find in determining the proper rates of postage on mail matter sent to the various island possessions of the United States, Postmaster General Smith has sent out a circular order giving a resume of the requirements for each island. According to this, all mail between the United States and the island of Guam, the Philippine Archipelago, or the islands of the Samoan group owned by the United States, are subject to the United States domestic rates. The United States postal laws and regulations, are in effect to, from and within the island of Porto Rico. The Hawaiian Islands became a territory of the United States, June 14, 1900; consequently, the United States postal laws and regulations, henceforth apply to those islands. In the order, Porto Rico and Hawaii are included in the term "United States"; and the Guam, the Philippine Archipelago, and the Samoan Islands are included in the term "Island Possessions" of the United States. All mail matter sent between the United States, or any of its island possessions, and Cuba, is subject

to United States rates, but persons in Cuba who are in the military, naval or civil service of the Government can send and receive mail at domestic United States rates when properly endorsed.

#### CHURCH NEWS.

The Baptist church wish to thank Mr. Packard for the generous donation of ice cream for the Union Social held on the Park June 16th.

There will be baptisms at the Baptist church next Sunday morning, Rev. J. V. Fradenburg will assist Pastor Beckwith. The Pastor will preach in the morning from the text "Why smitest thou me?"

At the covenant meeting at the Baptist church next Saturday afternoon, \$462 in notes and mortgages which have been taken up in the past three months will be burned. It is believed they will make the most fragrant smoke the Baptists have "smelled in a long time.

There will be a sacred concert at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. The chorus choir will be assisted by a large stereopticon which will throw illustrations of the songs upon a screen as they are being sung. The service be very interesting and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Children's Day was appropriately observed at the M. E. church Sunday morning. The children seemed to enjoy having the exercises given over to them and were at their best; the whole service being a grand success. The singing by the chorus under the direction of Mrs. Adams, was very good and showed careful training on the part of all.

The members of the First Church of Christ Scientist have purchased a lot of Geo. Starkweather east of the P. M. elevator on Main street and sometime in the future will erect a church thereon. The meeting that is usually held on Wednesday evening will be held Thursday evening July 5th. Subject for next Sunday will be "God." All are most cordially invited.

Rev. J. V. Fradenburg, of Kalamazoo, will deliver his celebrated stereopticon illustrated lecture on Sheldon's great book, "In His Steps," at the Baptist church next Monday evening. Rev. Fradenburg has a fine stereopticon and is a good speaker. The admission fee will be 10 and 15 cents and the net proceeds go toward repairing the church. Let everyone turn out and help in the good work.

During all the year, thus far, the Presbyterian church have been contemplating an effort to secure the services of a resident pastor. With that object in view the Rev. Mr. Zoll, a recent graduate of the McCormick Seminary, will preach at the brick church on Sunday July 1st, at 10 a. m. and again in the evening. The Sunday-school will meet at the close of the morning session instead of at 2 p. m.

The Epworth League, of the M. E. church, will hold a Patriotic service Sunday, July 1, 7:30 p. m. Rev. Wm. Dawe, D.D., of Detroit, will deliver a patriotic address and the Columbian octette, composed of the following gentlemen will sing some special numbers appropriate to the service: Tenors—Messrs. Hoyt, Bennett, Whipple and Pitcher; basses—Messrs. Whipple, Hall, Springer and Hudd. Dr. Dawe is one of the brightest preachers and lecturers in Michigan Methodism and the Epworth leaguers are congratulating themselves upon their success in securing so able an orator for this special occasion. The G. A. R. will attend in a body. A cordial invitation is extended to all to enjoy the service. Devotional service held regularly at 8:30 will be omitted.

#### STORMY WEATHER.

The Dread of the Rheumatic Sufferer. A very doubtful accomplishment possessed by the patient who is undergoing the ordeal of Rheumatism or neuralgia is that of foretelling the weather.

Ath-lo-pho-ro takes this gift away. If you want to stop being a weather shark buy a bottle at the nearest drug store, and we guarantee that your prophetic abilities in this line will entirely cease. Mrs. Della Henderson's experience is right along this line.

Fond du Lac, Wis., March 3, 1898. Gentlemen:—From my earliest remembrance I have suffered excruciating pains in my joints, not continuously, but suffered often, and always when the weather was stormy or unsettled. I never found anything to help me but Ath-lo-pho-ro, and one dose will always stop the pain in half an hour from taking. I can say the times are few when I have been obliged to take the second dose to relieve the pain at any one time.

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FOR SALE.—Farm of 64 acres in Plymouth township on section 33. Enquire of E. McClumpha, Plymouth.

#### BLISS FOR GOVERNOR.

The great contest for the Republican nomination for Governor was ended by the State convention at Grand Rapids this week. The fight has been one of the hardest in Michigan politics and much cash was placed in circulation by the three leading candidates—Ferry, Bliss and Stearns. The convention was presided over by D. P. Markey, of Port Huron. The first ballot for governor on Wednesday showed the following result: Bliss 259, Ferry 251, Stearns 215, Osborn 61, O'Donnell 42, Campbell 13. Ten ballots were taken when the convention adjourned until ten o'clock Thursday.

The nineteenth ballot, taken about 4 o'clock p. m., gave the nomination to Col. Bliss, amid the greatest excitement. Other nominations were then made rapidly, Fred M. Warner being nominated for secretary of State by acclamation. Daniel McCoy treasurer, Perry F. Powers, auditor.

#### Attention—Important to Farmers.

I am about to purchase my supply of Fertilizer for use this fall. Those wishing to use fertilizer can get it for very much less money by paying for it at the time of sending their order. I shall order for my own use the "Armour Grain Grower." Prof. Kedzie, of the Agricultural College, who is undisputed authority, gives its analysis as follows: Nitrogen, 1.65 to 2.47 per cent. Ammonia, 2 to 3 per cent. Phosphoric acid, 10 to 12 per cent. Phosphoric acid available, 9 to 10 p. c. Potash Nitrate, 3.17 to 4.75 per cent. Potash K 2 O, 2 to 3 per cent. Call at the "43 Pharmacy" and I will give you all the particulars of the deal, and save a lot of money for you. F. MARKHAM BRIGGS.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the 1st National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other mechanics. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work for several days on account of being troubled with diarrhoea. I mentioned to him that I had been similarly troubled and that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He bo't a bottle of it from the druggist here and informed me that one dose cured him, and he is again at work." For sale by Meiler's drug store, Plymouth.

#### Plymouth Markets.

The prices paid for farmers' products as given to THE MAIL by dealers and which will be corrected weekly are as follows:

GRAIN AND SEEDS.	
No. 2, Red Wheat	..... 78
No. 1, White " "	..... 82
Oats, white, per bu	..... 52
Beans, per bu	..... 1.70 to 1.80
Rye	..... 53
DAIRY AND PRODUCE.	
Butter, cream	..... 14
Eggs, strictly fresh	..... 12
Lard, lb.	..... 08 to 07
POULTRY AND MEATS.	
Spring chickens, live, per lb.	..... 06
Pork, dressed, per cwt	..... 68
Beef	..... 64 1/2
Veal	..... 67 to 67 1/4
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Flour, retail price per bb.	..... \$1.75
Bran, per cwt	..... 40
Short feed	..... 35
Chops	..... 30
Potatoes	..... 25

**Be sure you're right, then go ahead**



By all means you should adhere to this good old adage if you are troubled with indigestion, dyspepsia, burning or pain in the stomach after eating. If yours is a case of long standing, a 50 cent bottle of

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A graduate of Cornell University will tell in a carefully detailed article in the August Ladies' Home Journal, "How a Girl Can Work her Way through College." There are almost innumerable methods by which a girl can pay for her education while she is studying. Colleges and universities make most generous provision for young women and young men who are without money, but who have brains and energy. So no apt, worthy girl need be without a college education if she wants one and is determined to have it. This article will tell how it is to be obtained through personal effort.







**Detroit, Plymouth & Northville Ry**

**TIME CARD.**

Cars	Leaving	Cars	Leaving
Going South	Going North	Going South	Going North
7:45 a.m.	8:00 p.m.	7:15 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
8:00	8:15	8:30	8:45
8:30	8:45	9:00	9:15
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8:15	8:30	8:45	9:00
9:00	9:15	9:30	9:45
9:45	10:00	10:15	10:30
10:30	10:45	11:00	11:15
11:15	11:30	11:45	12:00

**THE DETROIT & LANSING NORTHERN RAILWAY.**

Time Table in Effect Oct. 1st 1909.

**SOUTH BOUND.**

STATIONS	No. 1.	No. 3.
Detroit	7:30	8:00
Carleton	8:35	9:05
Dundee	9:15	9:45
Peconic	9:50	10:20
Adrian	10:08	10:38
Wauseon	11:05	11:35
Napoleon	11:25	11:55
Malinta	11:48	12:18
Hamlet	12:00	12:30
Leipic	12:15	12:45
Ottawa	12:30	13:00
Col. Grove	12:45	13:15
Lima	1:15	1:45

**NORTH BOUND.**

STATIONS	No. 2.	No. 4.
Lima	7:30	8:00
Col. Grove	8:35	9:05
Ottawa	9:15	9:45
Leipic	9:50	10:20
Hamlet	10:08	10:38
Napoleon	11:05	11:35
Wauseon	11:25	11:55
Malinta	11:48	12:18
Adrian	12:00	12:30
Dundee	12:15	12:45
Carleton	12:30	13:00
Detroit	12:45	13:15

**PERE MARQUETTE TIME TABLE.**

In effect Jan. 7, 1904.

**SAGINAW DISTRICT.**

Trains leave Plymouth as follows:

**STANDARD TIME.**

GOING SOUTH.

Train No. 4, 10:30 a.m.	Train No. 3, 8:15 a.m.
" " 6, 2:15 p.m.	" " 5, 9:15 a.m.
" " 8, 8:45 p.m.	" " 7, 10:15 a.m.
" " 10, 7:00 a.m.	" " 9, 8:15 p.m.

Trains Nos. 3 and 9 run through to Alpena.

Train No. 8 connects at Ludington with trains for Manistowic and Milwaukee (each passing) making connections for all points West and Northwest.

Sleeping Parlor Cars between Alpena, Bay City, Saginaw and Detroit.

Trains leave for Toledo at 11:00 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.

**GRAND RAPIDS DISTRICT.**

STATIONS	A. M.	P. M.	D. M.
Grand Rapids	7:10	12:30	5:30
Lyons	7:40	12:50	6:00
Lansing	8:04	1:15	6:27
Saline	10:45	3:55	9:08
PLYMOUTH	11:00	4:10	9:23
Ar. Detroit	11:43	4:52	10:06

GOING WEST.

Ar. Detroit	7:40	1:10	4:15
PLYMOUTH	8:22	1:52	5:00
Saline	9:34	3:04	6:10
Lansing	11:22	4:50	7:55
Lyons	12:32	6:00	9:05
Grand Rapids	1:30	7:10	10:10

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**GALLOWAYS AND AYRSHIRES**

Progress of the Two Competing Breeds in Scotland.

During the early part of the century which is now fast drawing to a close the prevalent breed of cattle in the southwest of Scotland was the polled Galloways, writes Gilbert Murray in the London Live Stock Journal. They were bred more or less on every farm. The calves were allowed to suck their dams until ousted by the next comer. They were kept on the farm for the first two years and were then passed on to the occupiers of park land farther south, where they remained for another two years. They were remarkably hardy. Summer and winter they remained in the fields without any artificial shelter. At the age of 3 or 4 years they were purchased by the drovers or cattle dealers, who traveled the south, where they were finished off on the rich grazing land of the midland counties, where they were held in high reputation and were equally popular with the London butchers. In the early thirties a Glasgow butcher in a large way of business obtained a lease of the large stock farm of Auchinsoul, on the Stinchar, South Ayrshire. He it was who introduced the first Shorthorns into the district under the name of Holderness cattle. They did not, however, succeed and soon disappeared. Shortly after the Ayrshires made their appearance. Previously they were chiefly confined to the northern division of the county. Cheesemaking then became more general, and the Ayrshires gradually supplanted the original breed, which are again coming to the front in the shape of crosses, as for feeding purposes the blue gray crosses are superior to all others.

**Range Improvement.**

Government experiments at Abilene, Kan., have demonstrated the availability of alfalfa, especially oasis alfalfa, sula, sainfoin, smooth brome, Canada rye grass, Terrell grass and others for use in permanent pastures and meadows; of the vetches, cowpeas, velvet bean, soy bean, teosinte and a large number of varieties of the sorghums and millets for annual or temporary pastures and as sources of coarse forage, either fresh or cured; of saltbush for alkali soils; of the grammas, Canada rye grass, grapevine mesquite, curly mesquite, galleta and needle grass for reseeding the worn-out ranges. They have shown the feasibility of range improvement by resting and scarifying the land and by sowing hardy native and introduced grasses. The farmers and ranchmen are beginning to understand that they can, at comparatively small expense, greatly improve their ranges and by cultivation of the many excellent grasses and forage plants tested this year at the station grounds can add very much to the productive capacity of their ranches and farm pastures. They are beginning to recognize the fact that there are very many native grasses and forage plants that are well worth careful attention and that others of almost, if not quite, equal value are being imported from the semi-arid regions of the old world and can be successfully cultivated here. Many of them propose, during 1900, to test on their own places the different varieties of alfalfa, vetches, sula, sainfoin, teosinte, saltbush, the saccharine and nonsaccharine sorghums and the best native and foreign grasses.

**Hogs and Hay.**

At the Kansas experiment station hogs were fed on a ration of alfalfa hay and Kaffir corn meal. The hogs fed in this experiment were bought of farmers and averaged in weight 125 pounds each. They were placed in lots of ten each in large pens having for shelter some sheds open to the south. The alfalfa hay used was of the best quality, carefully cured. Black hulled white Kaffir corn was the grain used, the hogs being fed all that they would eat without waste. The hay was fed dry in forklifts in a large flat trough. The pigs were given more than they would eat, and they picked out the leaves and finer stems, rejecting the coarser stems. One lot of hogs was fed Kaffir corn meal dry and alfalfa hay, one lot whole Kaffir corn dry and one lot Kaffir corn meal and 88 pounds of alfalfa hay, the meal wet. The experiment began on Nov. 24 and lasted nine weeks. By that time the alfalfa fed hogs became well fattened and were marketed. We estimated that it would require four or five weeks' additional feed, with ordinary winter weather, to get the hogs that were fed grain alone into good marketable condition.

**Shelter For Hogs.**

Shelter is one of the requisites of the well doing of hogs, for while all other animals of the farm are content to remain exposed to wet or cold, rarely or never taking advantage except in extreme cases of a building when available, the pig invariably selects a nice, warm, dry place to which he resorts in bad weather, and for his sleeping place a bed among the straw stacks or in a snug building, where either of these is available, is always utilized by those pigs which are allowed to roam at large and get most of their living in the yards and fields of the farm, and as this is always the case whatever the breed of the pig may be it is sufficient proof that a dry, comfortable bed and warm, sheltered sty should be provided where it is intended to keep pigs in confinement.

**Roots For Hutton.**

American mutton will not compete with English successfully unless we use roots. Pure water and salt in which is mixed one-fifth bulk of wood ashes should be constantly before the lambs. The large juicy mutton lambs from hutton is in demand for export trade of hogs prices, and wool is booming.—M. I. Todd.

**Due to Ignorance.**

"He thinks he's famous."

"Well, he never was much of a man for acquiring knowledge."

"What has that to do with it?"

"Why, he probably never has consulted the Dictionary and learned the difference between Fame and Ignorance."—Chicago Post.

**British Exports.**

We exported 452 cattle last year valued at \$14,190 as compared with 341 valued at \$11,568 in the first quarter of last year, says the London Live Stock Journal. The like comparison for sheep and lambs exported is 1,540 valued at \$16,940 against 1,000 valued at \$12,456. That of pigs is 35 valued at \$281 against 574 valued at \$1,947, and that of other animals is 23,040 valued at \$11,640 against 12,150 valued at \$12,282. The value of all animals exported, including horses, horses, is another paragraph, was \$125,000 against \$104,000.

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**Egyptian Chicken Factories.**

In his volume on "Present Day Egypt" Frederick Penfield thus describes one of the interesting sights in the neighborhood of the pyramids, the incubators in the native villages. "It will be found," he says, "that the incubator is constructed of sun dried bricks and so arranged internally that the eggs, placed in mud constructed ovens on trays cushioned with cut straw, are constantly under the attendant's view. No scientific apparatus is employed by this man, not even a thermometer. He knows from experience and his own feeling how much heat is needed, and he systematically turns the eggs several times each day until they are developed into peeping chicks.

"These hatching establishments exist throughout middle and upper Egypt and in a season bring fully 20,000,000 chickens into the world that grow up to be scrawny, unattractive fowls. The industry is thousands of years old and seems conclusively to settle the question of a chicken's maternity by allocating that parentage to the hen laying the egg.

"The incubator is a foster mother only and is responsible for stifling the 'setting' instinct with Egyptian hens. The keepers of the incubators have a system of traffic with peasant farmers by which eggs are purchased outright or six live chicks given in exchange for a dozen fresh eggs."

**Death to the Workmen.**

It was in an art store in Fifth avenue, and the dealer was showing gilded clocks and candelabra to a customer. Pointing to one particularly handsome set, he said, "That is worth \$350." Pointing to another of similar pattern, but not so handsome, he said, "That is worth \$600."

"But the other one is better," said the customer.

"Well," said the dealer, "the chief value of this one (pointing to the \$300 affair) is in the gilding. It was gilded by the mercury process which is now forbidden by law almost everywhere. The other one was treated with the electroplating process."

"Well, it's handsome," said the customer. "Is it as durable? If it is, why should I pay \$250 more?"

"It is practically as durable, and it is handsomer," said the dealer. "But you can duplicate it, and you can't duplicate the other. The mercury process of gilding was death to the workmen who engaged in it. They inhaled the fumes of the mercury, and in the end it killed them, and it wasn't long doing it, either."

"I'll take the mercury one," said the customer. "But the other is handsomer."—New York Sun.

**The Cossacks of the Don.**

The Don Cossacks are the finest looking race of men ever seen. Kingly in their carriage, tall and slender, lithe and graceful, their untamed spirit visible in every motion, their bearing is that of an unconquered people. Used as a living barrier against the Tartar invasions of Russia, they were never conquered. Living in what they call camps, each with his horse and gun, they are always ready to move in response to the emperor's call.

Their costume is a long, tight fitting coat reaching to the knee, having loose sleeves and a small, standing collar and with a row of ammunition pockets across the breast. The colored belt which encircles the Cossack's slender waist bristles with ornamental knives, daggers and pistols. Soft, high boots without heels and a great lamb's wool cap, with a little touch of color for the soft crown, and then the burka or long cape of hairy felt which they seem to wear in all sorts of weather complete the costume. These burkas appear to be worn on the theory that what keeps out the cold keeps out the heat. Anyway, these long black or white garments protect horse and rider equally from the rain and cold.—Self Culture.

**His One Suggestion.**

"Furthermore, John Henry Meeker," said Mrs. Meeker, who was standing in front of the mirror and putting the finishing touches to her toilet, "I want you to take notice that I am perfectly capable of getting ready for church without any prompting from you, and you can cough and look at your watch as much as you please—it won't hurry me a single second. Do you clearly understand that?"

"Yes, my dear," mildly replied Mr. Meeker, "though I think I could understand it a little better if you didn't have your mouth quite so full of hal-pins."—Chicago Tribune.

**A Probable Result.**

"If people were only compelled to practice what they preach!" sighed the theorist.

"What good would that do?" demanded the practical man.

"It would make the world better, wouldn't it?"

"Oh, I don't know. I'm inclined to think that whatever changes we noticed would be in the preaching rather than in the practice."—Chicago Post.

**His Sheeta.**

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Turkina, "I want you to be more careful about the use of firearms."

"Why, I haven't."

"Charley, dear," she proceeded, with sweet severity, "you mustn't try to deceive me. I heard you telling yesterday about how you fell down on a long shot. If you must go in for such things, please get a gun that won't kick."—Washington Star.

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**Farmers of Georgia and Alabama Awake to New Industry.**

The restless energy and enterprise of the cattle men of the west have opened up an entirely new source of revenue and profit to the farmers of Georgia and Alabama, says a correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer. For months the agents of the cattle men of Kansas and other western states have been scouring every section of Georgia and Alabama buying every "piny woods" cow and steer they could find at prices that were considered fancy by the farmers, who had hitherto been glad to get rid of their "dry cattle" for almost any price. The railroads have carried train load after train load of these piny woods cattle to the western ranges, where they have been fattened and shipped to the slaughter houses. In fact, the shipments have been so numerous and so large that people are wondering where so many old, poor cows came from. These sales have brought thousands of dollars into the south, but this has been the least of the benefits resulting to the section from the enterprise and hustle of the western cattle dealers.

The returns from the sales have opened the eyes of the farmers to the fact that there is money to be made by raising cattle to sell to western dealers, and as a result hundreds of pastures are being built up and enlarged, and breeds of cattle that mature early and fatten easily are being rapidly introduced. The farmers figured it out that if the western men could pay them a fair price for piny woods cattle, they might as well sell to the western ranges, fatten them and then pay another freight to the packing houses there must be money in it for the buyers. They reason that it will be much more profitable for our farmers to raise better breeds of cattle, fatten them in their own pastures and ship direct to the packing houses than it would be to continue the present plan of selling to the speculators for shipment to ranges in the west.

**Red Hogs.**

Each and every breeder has his own fancy as to breeds, said Sam Walker before the Breeders' association of Licking county, O. Some prefer Berkshire, some Poland-Chinas, some Chester Whites, some Duroc-Jerseys. The truth is no doubt each breed has its good qualities. But the question comes forcibly to our minds which is the most profitable breed to make a success in hog raising. The Duroc-Jersey is the only pure bred hog that will make his offspring uniformly after his own color. He was ridiculed a few years ago as a perfect curiosity; but, like the Norman horse, he has become popular. Today the Duroc-Jerseys bring better prices than any other breeds. Why? Because their offspring prove to be more profitable. Their superiority over some other breeds lies in several things. In breeding they are more prolific, having no equal in this. They make good mothers no difference how young. Seldom is a sow lost in farrowing, and the little ones lose no time in finding their own teat. They are very hardy hogs and make good grassers; will take on fat at any age, and, having a good coat of hair, they will stand the cold winters and hot summers as well and will care for themselves. They are easily handled. They will make a weight in show condition at 6 months old of 200 to 250 pounds. They have been tried and not found wanting, weighed and not found light, tested and all found to be good, raised and found profitable, bred and found to be the most profitable of all breeds of swine. Never have to kill any of them because they have too many white spots. The Duroc-Jersey is a red hog and red all over.

**Selection of Breeding Ewes.**

The choice of ewe lambs to increase the flocks should be begun while they are running with the parent and should be first made to depend upon what is known of her, says The American Cultivator. If she has produced good lambs and has proved to have abundance of milk, it may be expected that this quality is likely to be transmitted to her ewe lambs or through her ram lambs to the next generation. The production of twins or triplets is largely hereditary, and the number of such can be increased by those who think it desirable by the saving of ewe lambs that are from ewes dropping twins. In a similar manner one who knows the ewes can choose lambs to mature early, to fatten easily or to yield heavy fleeces, as they may think most desirable, and such as are chosen in this way should be marked and their development watched. If they show faults later on, they can be culled out and should be. If we had 50 lambs and wanted to increase our flock by 20, we would reserve 30 until well grown to select from, and when we made a final choice we would be able to give our reason for reserving each one. It might not be a good reason or might not seem so to others who were building up a flock upon a different principle, but no system at all is worse than one that is closely followed until its faults have been made apparent by the test of time.

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**Patrols on Russian Railroads.**

The Transiberian railroad is very closely guarded, the management feeling personally responsible for the people they carry on their trains. The road is divided into sections of one verst, or five-eighths of a mile. In a neat little log house, usually in a garden, live the guard and his people. The average family is a wife and five tow-headed children. The houses were built by the company and evidently with a view to meeting the demands of increasing families. The guard or a member of his family must patrol his section night and day. He steps to the side of the track as the train approaches and after it has passed steps back into the middle of the track, holds a small green flag in the air, at night a lantern, and stands like a statue until the train has entered the next section. Several guards do duty in the heavy curves, and frequently they are only a few hundred feet apart.

Much of the track patrolling is done by women, who have proved fully as reliable as the men. The women are nearly always barefooted, and as they stand on the track holding the flag aloft, a Siberian breeze toying with their short skirts, they are fine subjects for a sculptor after a unique model.—Siberian Letter in Chicago Record.

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Detroit, Sunday, July 1st. Leave Plymouth at 9:55 a. m. Leave Detroit at 5:15 and 11:00 p. m. Rate to Detroit 50c. Delightful place for a Sunday trip.

KANSAS CITY. Democratic National convention. One fare rate. Sell July 1, 2 and 3. Return July 9th.

CHARLESTON, S. C. National Educational Association convention. One fare rate, plus \$2.00, via direct routes. \$7.00 more than one fare going or returning via Washington, D. C. Sell July 3, 5, 6 and 8. Return Sept 1st.

MILWAUKEE, WIS. Carnival. One fare rate. Sell June 24, 25 and 26. Return July 1st.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. B. P. O. E. convention, July 10, 11 and 12. One and one-third fare on certificate plan.

ATLANTA, GA. Y. P. C. U. Universalist. Sell July 9 and 10; return July 19. One fare.

BAY VIEW, MICH. Camp meeting and assembly. Sell July 9 to 19; return August 16. One fare.

CHICAGO, ILL. Prohibition convention. Sell June 26-27; return 29. One fare plus 25c.

CINCINNATI, O. B. Y. P. U. convention. Sell July 10 to 13; return July 17. One fare. Extension to August 10 if desired.

LUBINGTON, MICH. Epworth League Assembly. Sell July 24 to Aug. 2. Return Aug. 24. One fare.

OSWELL, O. College Reunion. Sell June 17 to 22.

Return 30. One fare. Extension to July 30 if desired.

ST. PAUL, ST. PAUL. National Republican League convention. Sell July 14, 15, 16. Return 21. One fare plus \$4.

FOURTH OF JULY. Sell July 3 and 4. Return 5. One fare between all points in Michigan and to points in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois not over 200 miles from selling station.

There will be a meeting of the Village Officers of Michigan, consisting of the President, President protem and one delegate to be selected by the Village Board from each village, said meeting to be held in Detroit, beginning Tuesday, July 10, 1900, and continuing until the following Thursday, for the purpose of exchanging ideas in regard to village affairs. All railroads will grant a fare and a third to all representatives, their wives or members of their respective families. In order to secure this reduced rate it will be necessary to pay full fare going, and to get receipt from ticket agent for the amount of fare paid which will enable each person to return for one third fare, provided instructions printed on the receipt are carried out. Recreation will be indulged in, such as a boat ride, going to the theatre, etc.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1900

Congressman Wm. Selzer, of New York, appears to be the man who will be nominated for vice president at the Kansas City convention next week.

One of the strongest reasons urged against the rural free delivery system was that the boxes on lonely roads would be subject to thieves. In a recent report, it is shown that out of many thousand boxes, only one actual robbery has occurred.

The pension bureau has made a remarkably fine record for work turned out during the eleven months ended May 31, 1900. During those eleven months there were issued by the pension bureau 90,918 certificates, of which number 34,908 were original allowances while 55,950 were increases, reratements etc. At the present time there are only about 10,000 for original pensions, invalids and widows, ready with evidence for adjudication by the bureau.

Rear Admiral Sampson, who is responsible for the superimposed turrets on the battleships Kentucky and Kearsage, and whose plan was found to be dangerous and useless by the board of bureau chiefs of the navy department, which usually settles such matters, has triumphed by means of his influence with Secretary Long. A number of rear admirals, including Sampson's strongest partisans in the Schley contest, were added to the construction board, which then by a majority vote overruled the bureau chiefs and decided in favor of the superimposed turrets. The United States will now have five battleships equipped with an absolutely untried device.

Captain Coghlan, of the Navy, who is said to have been "exiled" to the Puget Sound Naval Station at Bremerton, Washington, for singing "Hoch der Kaiser," has been forgiven and ordered home; Capt. Coghlan became illustrious as one of the commanders in the battle of Manila Bay and notorious subsequently for his alleged irreverence for the German Emperor, in command of the cruiser Raleigh. It is understood that Baron von Holleben, the German Ambassador, made representations to the navy department, and Capt. Coghlan was placed on shore duty as far away from Washington as it was possible to send him without giving him a berth up in Alaska.

The development in China of railways and telegraphs, which seems to have figured largely among the causes of the anti-foreign riotous now in progress in China, is described in considerable detail in a recent publication of the treasury bureau of statistics, entitled "Commercial China in 1899." It shows that the telegraph system of China included in 1899 about 3,000 miles of line in operation and that the railroad system included 350 miles of road in active operation and over 3,000 miles projected. The telegraph system connected all of the capitals of the provinces with the national capital, Peking, and in turn connected with the Russian trans-Siberian telegraph line and the ocean cables. It appears from the recent reports that those lines have in many cases been destroyed by the anti-foreign mobs and armies. The railways thus far constructed belong to the Chinese government and were constructed under its control and direction at its expense.

NOTICE.—An invitation having been extended by the Epworth League to Eddy Post to attend a patriotic service at the M. E. church Sunday evening, all members of said Post are requested to meet at headquarters at seven o'clock and march to the church in a body.

A. N. BROWN, Com.

About two months ago Frank Shattuck was operated upon for appendicitis. Although a very grave case at that time, he made a splendid recovery, except a very small deep sinus, which resisted all efforts to heal it. Last Saturday Dr. Adams took him to Grace Hospital to accommodate the surgeon, where an operation revealed a ligature, which had performed its duty but had not been absorbed as is usually the case, but remaining, caused the result mentioned. Although this second operation was necessarily more delicate than the first, Dr. Adams expects his patient will make a good recovery. He visited him Wednesday and found him in fine condition.

A Sprained Ankle Quickly Cured. "At one time I suffered from a severe sprain of the ankle," says Geo. E. Cary, editor of the Guide, Washington, Va. "After using several well recommended medicines without success, I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and am pleased to say that relief came as soon as I began to use it and a complete cure was speedily followed." Sold by Druggists.

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### COMMENCEMENT.

Nineteenth Annual Exercises of the Plymouth High School.

While commencement exercises always attract a large attendance of the friends of the graduates and of the school, the rule was somewhat interfered with this year by the weather clerk, who allowed a steady rain to set in about four o'clock and continue until eight. Many, therefore, staid away, yet village hall was comfortably filled to listen to the exercises. The rain, however, had cooled the atmosphere, contributing by that much to the pleasure of the evening.

A 9:30 the class took seats on the platform, together with Prof. Rogers and Miss Durfee. Rev. W. G. Stephens invoked a blessing. The Conservatory Male Quartet from the Ypsilanti Normal School rendered a song entitled "Tears," and at once met with a very encouraging reception. The quartet is one of the best we have ever listened to, their singing being in good voice and showing cultivation.

The class of '00 broke out of the rut of "Introductory," "History," "Prophecy," and "Valedictory" subjects and chose for his principal subject "Progress of the Nineteenth Century." Each graduate taking a different topic. We believe it was a satisfactory change from the old method, and that the practice will be continued by future classes.

"Reforms" was the subject of Luella Rosenberg's oration, and it was given in a clear voice distinctly heard in every part of the hall, and this same statement may be made of the other members of the class, and always appreciated by an audience. "Inventions" made during the century were touched upon by Verna Root, which was followed by a song by the quartet. Alfred Ryder had under consideration the matter of "Expansion," commencing with the "annexation" of Louisiana down to that of the Philippines, much of which is recent history.

After another song by the quartet, Zada McClumpha dilated upon the educational progress during the century, and Carrie Ableson reviewed "Literature." All of these subjects were nicely handled, and each of them showed study and research in their presentation. The class of '00 is to be congratulated in this respect.

President V. E. Hill presented the class with their diplomas, saying as he did so that they differed somewhat from those presented in past years, in that no speech went with them. He, however, congratulated the class and wished them success in their future course of life. Prof. Rogers then took the floor and

after a few preliminary remarks turned to Miss Durfee and addressed her directly, at the conclusion of which he presented her with a very handsome, gold-faced clock, in behalf of the class and the teachers of the school. Miss Durfee has closed her school-life in Plymouth, after seventeen years' service, and the gift was but a slight acknowledgement of class and teachers of the esteem in which she was held by them. With another song and benediction by Rev. Stephens the audience was dismissed.

FOR SALE.—First class upright piano nearly new, at a reasonable price and suitable terms. Enquire at this office.

### Probate Notice.

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 twenty-first day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and zero. Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Marian B. Backus, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Charlotte F. Butler, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the twenty-fourth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Plymouth Mail, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne.

EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate. JOHN F. PETERS, Deputy Register.

### Commissioner's Notice.

In the matter of the estate of August Blank, 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 of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Plymouth, in said county, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of August, A. D. 1900, and on Tuesday, the eleventh day of December, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock A. M. of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims, and that six months from the eleventh day of June, A. D. 1900, were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated June 22, 1900. EUGENE M. ROOK, WILLIAM B. KNIGHT, Commissioners.

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A new bridge is being built on Harvey street.

W. M. McAllister spent Sunday with friends at Flint.

Bert Berdan, of Detroit, spent Sunday in the village.

Mrs. H. C. Robinson visited her sister at Denton Sunday.

Frank Bell is having the interior of his store repapered and painted.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Felt and daughter visited friends at Beech Sunday.

Miss Dessie Kelly, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mrs. Arthur Hood.

D. E. Kellogg and Jas. Smith, of Detroit, spent Sunday at A. A. Taff's.

Wm. Peak, editor of the Linden Leader, was in the village Wednesday.

The Misses Arnold and Thomas, of Owosso, visited Mrs. E. C. Leach Sunday.

A fireman's tournament would draw an immense crowd of people to this village.

Dr. Homer Safford and wife visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Safford Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. Pelton and daughter, June, are visiting at Ionia and Grand Rapids this week.

W. O. Allen and wife attended the wedding of Mr. Allen's niece at Lansing Wednesday.

Frank Burrows entertained about a dozen of his young friends at his home Tuesday evening.

Edgar Peck, who is attending the Western Reserve academy at Hudson, Ohio, is spending his vacation here.

A divorce was granted by Judge Hooper, June 19th, to Amelia M., from Willard B. Eldred, on the grounds of cruelty.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Merritt and daughter Leona leave to-morrow for a visit with Mr. Merritt's father at South Haven.

Mrs. V. E. Hill took her Sunday-School class to Walled Lake for a day's outing Wednesday. They all report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladding, of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dibble Sunday. Mrs. Gladding remains for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Everson, Miss Leonore Everson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cummings, of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Felt the latter part of last week.

Currents, 5c per quart. Enquire of Luther Lyons.

The Plymouth Silver Cornet Band will give a band concert and ice cream social in the park Saturday evening. Everybody is cordially invited to come and help the boys along and also hear a good concert.

Plymouth Chapter O. E. S. had an interesting meeting Tuesday evening. The Northville chapter came down, forty strong, and performed degree work, after which refreshments were served in the banquet-room.

One of the best ball games that has been played here this season was played on the Fair grounds between Carleton and Cherry Hill teams Tuesday afternoon. The game resulted in a score of 4 to 7 in favor of Carleton. Batteries—German and Hutton, Carleton; McClure and Furlong, Cherry Hill.

Edward Lowe, who is with Co. A, third U. S. Inf., stationed at LoLombay Convent, Manila, P. I., writes The Mail under date of May 18th, that fourteen Michigan boys are in his company. He expected another outbreak soon among the inhabitants, and that lots of fighting was expected. He pays double for everything he buys, and every advantage is taken by the sellers. He considered his duty as soldier quite arduous.

A Republican caucus for the township of Plymouth will be held in village hall, Tuesday, July 3, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing three delegates to the second county congressional convention to be held at Northville on July 7. Also to elect three delegates to the third representative district yet to be called; three delegates to the first Senatorial district convention yet to be called; three delegates to the county nominating convention yet to be called.

Full-line of Men's Puritan Shoes carried in stock, and we will do the fitting for Ladies' Puritan Shoes.

J. W. Ozvay

## THE GLORIOUS 4th!

It Will be Celebrated in Plymouth this Year.

Although somewhat at a late hour, it has been decided to celebrate the nation's birthday next Wednesday, and bills announcing the event and attractions to be provided are now being distributed. The following is the announcement made:

**Morning—At Plymouth Green:**  
Invocation—Rev. W. G. Stephens.  
Reading Declaration of Independence—Frank S. Neal of Northville.  
Oration—Hon. Byron S. Waite, of Detroit.  
Benediction—Rev. F. I. Beckwith.

**Afternoon—At Plymouth Green.**  
Foot Race, Wheelbarrow Race, Sack Race, Potato Race, Greased Pole, Tug of War, Greased Pig, for all of which liberal prizes will be given.

**At Fair Grounds—4 p. m.**  
Base ball game—Wayne vs. Northville.  
Balloon Ascension.

**Evening—At Plymouth Green.**  
Spectacular display of Fireworks.  
Bowery Dance.  
Music by Plymouth Silver Cornet Band.  
Come one, come all.

Having read in The Mail the reprint from a Concord paper of the article concerning Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, I would like to tell your readers that in June 1899, I saw Mrs. Eddy walk unassisted to front of the platform in Tremont Temple, Boston, and stand there alone while she addressed an audience of three thousand people so as to be distinctly heard in the farthest part of that great hall.

While I did not go myself this year to Boston, I am personally acquainted with people who did; they had the pleasure of visiting Mrs. Eddy's home at Concord, saw her walk out of the house, step into her carriage to take her daily drive; they had the privilege of visiting every room in her house and all of the surrounding premises.

Pictures of her have made her features sufficiently well known to be recognized even by a stranger who should meet her unexpectedly.

MAUD VROOMAN.

Call at Meiler's drug store, Plymouth, and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are an elegant physic. They also improve the appetite, strengthen the digestion and regulate the liver and bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

## The North Side

Clarence Jewell is at Bellville this week.

Mrs. Willard Roe visited friends in Detroit Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Blakely spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Grace Lapham, of Detroit, visited friends here on Sunday.

Thomas Davey has moved into the Kinsler house on Mill street.

Dr. J. G. Meiler is having a new cement walk built in front of his store.

Miss Clara Wolf, of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Gayde, this week.

John McLaren is shipping several cars of baled hay from this station this week.

The friends of Miss Daisy Worde are glad to see her able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Inslie, of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. Starkweather last Sunday.

Prices greatly reduced in millinery at Mrs. Dickerson's.

Seneca Everett commenced the foundation for a new house on Oak St. this week.

Mrs. S. L. Beales, who has been at Grace Hospital for the past month, returned home Saturday.

Miss Blanche Starkweather, who has been in Chicago the past six months, returned home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Neumann and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Streng and daughters, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gentz.

Miss Mary Gayde accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Videan, son and two daughters, of Detroit, visited her parents on Sunday.

Mrs. Richard Benton and son, of Seattle, Washington, are here to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hillmer.

Frank Shattuck underwent another operation at Grace Hospital Monday morning, and is getting along as well as could be expected.

An ice cream social will be given Tuesday evening, July 3d, opposite the Starkweather block, for the benefit of the German Lutheran church.

The Sandwich (Ill.) Free Press contains a notice of the marriage of Miss Mary Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moore, and sister to Fred Moore,

of this place, to Frank Newton, of that place, Tuesday, June 12.

D. M. Ferry's train of delegates passed through here on Tuesday afternoon about three o'clock. The coaches were nicely decorated with red, white and blue bunting with the picture of the Hon. D. M. on the side of each coach. They also had a band on board.

Hello! What did you say in last week's paper about the housecleaning bee at T. T. Chilson's? Yes, we Baptists were in it but not the whole push, by any means. If you had seen Mrs. Peter Gayde, Mrs. Fred Gentz, Mrs. George Springer and Mrs. Trinkaus wielding broom, scrubbing brush, paste

and paper, you would say that our German sisters cannot be beaten when they undertake a good thing.—Baptist Aid Society.

**WANTED.**—Two or three boarders, \$3 per week, room and board. For further particulars enquire at this office.

**A Good Cough Medicine.**  
It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their own families in preference to any other. "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past five years with complete satisfaction to myself and customers," says Druggist J. Goldsmith, Van Etten, N. Y. "I have always used it in my own family both for ordinary colds and for the cough following la grippe, and find it very efficacious." For sale by Meiler's Drug Store.

## PREPARE FOR A Grand Celebration

To enjoy the "Glorious Fourth" you must supply yourself with

## Hot Weather Attire!

**Ladies' Shirt Waists,**  
In all the popular colors and shades,  
**50c to \$2.25**

**Ladies' Neckwear,**  
The latest thing in Linen Collars

**Silk String Ties**  
In Great Variety,  
**25c.**

**Handkerchief Squares**  
The latest creation in Ladies' Ties.  
**25c and 50c.**

**Wash Ties,**  
All the latest Stripes and Checks.  
**5c.**

**Ladies' Lisle Gloves,**  
**25c.**

**Ladies' Silk Gloves,**  
**50c.**

**Summer Corsets,**  
Regular 50c value,  
**39c.**

**Ladies' Hose,**  
Blacks or Tans,  
**10c pr.**

**Handsome Dimities,**  
Blues, Pinks and Heliotrope, all the new stripes and figures.  
**10, 15, 18 cts.**

**New Percales,**  
1000 yards, 30 patterns to select from,  
**10 & 12½c yd.**

**Cotton Challies,**  
The popular low-priced Summer Dress Goods.  
**5c yd.**

## FOR MEN.

**Men's Neglige Shirts,**  
in Percales, both stripes and figures, with collars and cuffs detached,  
**50c.**

**Soft Fronts,**  
Striped Silk, very nobby.  
75c value,  
**50c.**

**Natty Stripes,**  
in Silk and Madras.  
**75c.**

The noblest thing out in  
**Silver Brand Shirts,**  
Soft, silk fronts, wide stripes,  
**\$1.00**

**Men's Neckwear,**  
Foxy Four-in-hands, in light or dark colors.  
**50c.**

**Tecks and Bows**  
In great variety.  
**25c.**

**The Bat-Wing Bow,**  
Something entirely new.  
**25c.**

**Wash Ties,**  
Large assortment.  
**5c.**

**String Ties, 25c.**

**50 doz. STRAW HATS,**  
Latest Styles, 25c to \$1.00.

**E. L. RIGGS,**

Plymouth Cash Outfitter.



FOR SALE BY THE

**Conner Hardware Co.**

## JOHN L. GALE

### Fire Works, Fire Works

I have just received a large stock of Fire Works, Flags and Paper Balloons, Fire Crackers all sizes, Torpedoes, Roman Candles, Sky Rockets, Cannons, Pistols, etc. I gave my order for Fire-works early in the Spring, when prices were very low, so I can afford to sell CHEAPER than other houses.

## GROCERIES

In the line of Groceries I want to call your attention to our fine line of Canned Peas, Corn, Tomatoes, &c., which we sell for 25c. We also have fancy brands of Peas and Corn at a little higher price. We are selling the best fine Granulated Sugar for

**6c.**

and expect to until July 1st. We have just bought the latest thing out in Dried Beef Cutters. This is an expensive machine, but does fine work.

COMING—A new stock Bottled Pickles for camping out parties: sweet and sour.

### I am Giving my Especial Attention to Drugs.

We have a good Drug trade. New goods in this line received every day.

If you want Paints and Oils, come and see us.  
If you want Wall Paper, come and see us.  
If you want Baskets, come and see us.  
If you want anything you cannot find at other stores, come and see us.

**JOHN L. GALE**



### Sham Antiquities.

A few years ago, in Soho, London, there was a factory for antique copiers which is probably still in operation. The legitimate business of the place was the manufacture of stew-pans and kettles, but when trade was dull in that way any sort of antiques for which there happened to be a demand was produced instead.

An old incense burner, for example, would be reproduced by the dozen by hammering over a chuck. If ornamented with pierced work, the copies would be coated with asphaltum, through which the design would be traced, when it would then be eaten out in an acid bath, saving the time which would be required to cut out the pattern with a piercing saw. The bath leaves thin edges, by which such work may be detected.

The work would then be annealed and would be permitted to oxidize and scale. Pickling with muriatic acid and salt, to produce a good coating of verdigris, would complete the job. Sometimes these "antiques" would be pierced with solder or with pure tin if the piece was to pass for a very ancient one. Chiseled metal was reproduced by casting and "dubbing" over with the hammer, then pickling, annealing and bending. In such ways helmets, copper and brass castings for antique furniture and the like were made.—Art Amateur.

### Horse Racing on the Stage.

In racing scenes the horses do not at full speed. They run, however, not on the fixed stage, but on what may be called treadmills, which keep the horses in front of the house for longer or shorter periods, according as they are moved quickly or slowly. A picket fence, placed between the audience and the course, not only makes the scene more realistic; it also hides the mechanism of the treadmills. This fence has contributed in another way to add to the effect by being moved in opposition to the direction of the horses and so lending to their apparent speed.

As to the sounds made by the foot-falls of horses to be heard as though passing outside an interior scene, they are reproduced by the dried hoofs of dead horses or wooden imitations mounted on handles and hammered against surfaces of stone, gravel, sand or whatever the occasion may demand. They are also more elaborately manufactured by revolving a cylinder with pins protruding from the surface. These pins are arranged, like the spurs on a hand organ roller, to imitate trotting, galloping or walking when struck against other substances. If the sound of a carriage is to be added to the tramping of horses, wheels are run on sand.—Caswell's Magazine.

### Needed in His Business.

"I've decided," said the dignified old man, "to let you have that young Brittle after all if you are positive that you can't be happy without him."

"Oh, father," the beautiful girl cried, "you don't know how happy you have made me! Now I can see the gates of paradise opening. Dear, dear, good, old papa! Let me kiss you for those sweet words! Oh, I can hardly wait to fly to him and tell him the glorious news. He will be so glad! We shall all be so happy now. It seems almost like a lovely dream! I can hardly believe that I am awake! But, tell me, what has made you change your mind? Yesterday when I tried to plead for him you said you would never permit us to see each other again. Ah, if you had known how those words bruised my heart! What has happened, father, to make you relent?"

He kissed her fondly and then, with tears in his eyes, replied:

"I sat in a little game of poker where he happened to have a hand last night, and if we don't get that money back in the family some way my business is going to suffer."—Chicago Times-Herald.

### Afraid to Bid.

At an auction sale of miscellaneous goods at a country store the auctioneer put up a buggy robe of fairly good quality. An old farmer inspected it closely, seemed to think there was a bargain in it, and yet he hesitated to bid.

"Think it cheap?" asked the auctioneer, crying a 10 cent bid.

"Yes, kinder," was the reply.

"Then why don't you bid and get it?"

"Waal, I've bought heaps o' things in dry goods and so on," slowly rejoined the old man, "and I never yet took home anything that the old woman thought was worth the price. If I get that 'ere robe for even 15 cents, she'd grab it up, pull at one end, claw on a corner and call out: 'Cheated again! More'n half cotton!' That's the reason I don't bid."—Ohio State Journal.

### An Insinuation.

"I simply had to do it," said Mr. Erastus Pinky in an apologetic tone. "I had to draw my razer so's to hol' up my character."

"Did he slander you behind your back?"

"No, sub; 'twas to my face. He axed me what business I was in, an I says, 'Razin' chickens.' Den he looked at me solemn an says, 'You doesn' mean 'raizin,' you means 'litta.'"—Washington Star.

### Passes Loving Woman.

"Did you pay the grocer and butcher, Amelia?"

"No; there wasn't enough to pay both of them. To pay only one would make trouble, so I just took the money and spent it down town."—Indianapolis Journal.

### Wifely Constancy.

"I have been married for 15 years, and my wife never fails to meet me at the door."

"Wonderful!"

"Yes, there ain't I might go in without wipin' my feet."—Chicago Times-Herald.

### Mauzer and Lee-Enfield.

The chief distinction between the Mauzer and the Lee-Enfield is this—that while the Lee-Enfield has a magazine which is inserted underneath the body through the trigger guard and secured by a catch and is provided with what is called a "cut off" to prevent the cartridges from rising, so that it can be used as a simple breechloader for single firing until the magazine, which contains ten cartridges, is ordered to be used, the Mauzer has a magazine which, though not absolutely fixed, is only intended to be taken off for cleaning. It does not need a "cut off" to use as a single loader.

The magazine contains five cartridges, but whereas the cartridges for the Lee-Enfield have, when the magazine is charged, to be each put in separately, the magazine of the Mauzer is filled at once by placing against the face of the magazine a set of five cartridges held in a clip which falls off when the cartridges have been inserted in the magazine.

Thus if each weapon were at the beginning of a light empty, the Mauzer would permit of more rapid fire because it could be loaded five cartridges at a time, while the Lee-Enfield would take cartridge by cartridge, as long to load as a single breechloader. On the other hand, the times when a very rapid discharge of fire is desirable are not numerous, and for these the Lee-Enfield has ten cartridges ready against the Mauzer's five.—Nineteenth Century.

### Key, Kee, Kay.

Professor Skeat wishes to know when the pronunciation of key as kee can first be clearly detected. It occurs in Milton, "Comus," line 13:

To lay their just hands on that golden key  
That opens the palace of sterility.

And a little later in Marvell's "Fleece":

Not as two instruments to the same key  
Being tuned by art, if the one touched be,  
The other opposite as soon replies.

These instances are curious, for both before and after this time the prevailing pronunciation was evidently kay. Herbert rhymes the word with way. In "The Secrets of Angling" (1613) culverkeys is rhymed with rays. In Wither's "Mistress of Philarete" (1622) key with day. Dryden, too, and Swift have the same pronunciation, and do not till I come to Green's "Spleen" (1737) do I, after an hour's search, find the other. There pleas rhymes with keys. This pronunciation must, however, have become common soon afterward.

In Duncombe's "Imitation of Gray's Elegy" it is rhymed with me, and Garrick rhymes it with flea, which would, I suppose, be pronounced then as it is now. Nares, in his "Elements of Orthoepy" (1764), says of the diphthong ey, "its proper sound should be that of the long e. This, however, is given to it only in the word key, for ley—a field—is constantly written lea."—Notes and Queries.

### More Sociable.

A lady who has recently returned from abroad had a curious experience at the little town of Dinant, in Belgium. She was traveling in a party of three, including another lady and a young man. They sought accommodation at a hotel and were shown a room in which there were three beds and on a deal table three basins and jugs about as big as slop basins and milk jugs.

The ladies explained that their room was quite insufficient for their needs, but it was a long time before they could get the hostess to understand why. They were then shown another room with three beds, three slop basins and three milk jugs and were told that they could have that, too, if they liked to pay for the six beds. It was therefore arranged that the man should have one room and three beds and the ladies the other room and three beds.

"Do you always sleep in threes?" said one lady to the hostess.

"Yes," was the reply; "it is much more sociable."—Madame.

### Funny Men.

The jests of Heliogabalus were very practical. He was fond of inviting people with some physical deformity to dinner and making jokes about them. At times he would invite a dozen hunchbacks or a score of squinting ladies or an equal number of baldheads. Once he put a large number of excessively fat people, all very hungry, into a small chamber where dinner was waiting. There was no room to eat it. Another diversion of which he was fond was that of placing his guests on air sofas, so that when they were about to drink he could let the air out and have both sofa and guest collapse.

It is said that Nero, the Roman emperor, liked to "shy" nuts at the bald heads of the praetors who sat below during the performance at the theater, and they were expected to maintain their baldheaded dignity and refrain from "shying" them back at him.

### Heaven Twice Found.

Now she suffers him to print a kiss upon her brow.

"This is heaven!" he says.

Two years pass now. His baby has just ceased crying.

"This is heaven," says he.

Here we see how a man's ideals change with the lapse of time.—Detroit Journal.

### Too Much Time Wanted.

"If you will get my new suit done by Saturday," said a customer to a tailor.

"It'll be forever indebted to you."

"If that's your game," replied the tailor, "the clothes will not be done at all."—Ohio State Journal.

### It has been calculated that the loss from illness averages 20,000,000 weeks of work in the year, or 2 1/2 per cent of the work done by the whole population between the ages of 25 years of age.

At a rough estimate there are 15,000,000 pairs of gloves imported into this country each year.

### A Close Call.

Once I sailed these seas, where are the cannibals, with a corpulent captain. Whenever a chief came on board the first thing he was sure to admire was the proportions of our gallant tar, and the chief would feel him and smack his own lips and turn up his own eyes at the prospect of so much fatness—going to waste, as one may say. These attentions our skipper very much disliked.

Well, one day both boats were absent trading, and it fell suddenly calm. "The old man" (the fore-castle name for a skipper) and self were the only whites on board. The strong currents caught the vessel and carried her on to the rocks, and we could get no bottom a hundred yards from the shore. The underflow from the waves kept her from striking. The natives gathered on the cliffs, as ravens to a carcass, waiting for the catastrophe. I took off all my clothes, and we waited and waited for some two hours, the natives recognizing the captain and telling him plainly they would eat him at last.

The strain on our nerves may be imagined. At last the captain's gave way. "Goodby, G—, old fellow," he said. "Those beasts will have me in the ovens at once. You may escape—you are thin. If you see my old girl again, tell her I was thinking of her at the last." This was said with a gulp and a quiver in the voice. But just then the two boats came round the point, having at last heard our stern guns, and we were saved.—"Among the Man Eaters," by John Gaggin.

### Where It Rains Frogs.

Every once in awhile stories are brought out about extraordinary showers of fish, of bloody snow, etc., the latest thing being of a ship captain far out on the Atlantic who ran into a dust shower so heavy he had to set his crew shoveling the dust from the decks when the weight began to get dangerous. To this he there added a tale:

It rains frogs in Arizona. The old timers believe there is no doubt of it, though they cannot explain whence the frogs were originally "lifted." But this much is straight—let there be a summer rain along the line of the southern Pacific in southwestern Arizona, and behold the next morning every little pool has a myriad of little lean green frogs with marvelous croaking powers. They don't wait for nightfall like their more civilized brothers elsewhere, but keep up the music by day as by night. They live where water comes only about once a year. They can't live over the interim under the sun baked black rocks. They assuredly haven't hopped from the Colorado river, and they are all of a size to boot. If they didn't come from the ground or from the river, they must have come from the skies.

And that's what the Hassayampers firmly believe.—Arizona Graphic.

### No Chance For Him.

Three negro lads met on a street corner one afternoon, and by some queer freak of Providence each had just 15 cents. This was considerable for them, and, being so unfortunate as to have no "craps," it required much serious deliberation to arrive at just the best plan for spending it.

Finally one suggested that they place their little capital in a pool and then, each in turn, guess what was good to eat, the best guesser to take all of the money.

This plan met with hearty approval, as each one had ideas on that subject, and the 45 cents was soon in a pile. Then the first one guessed.

"Pozsum, sweet taters an watermelon," he said.

At this the second one reached down and began picking up his nickels, but the third stopped him with: "Hol' on dare! Let dat money lone!" To which the second replied:

"You think I've goin to guess again? That fool nigger when he's done said all der is good ter eat?"—Types.

### The Stupid Thing.

"Do you think the shortest route to a man's heart is through his stomach?" asked Miss Gabby as she prepared to exhibit her skill with the chafing dish to young Dr. Powers.

"Oh, dear, no," exclaimed the young physician, swelling up with the consciousness of his superior knowledge.

"The shortest way to the heart is by way of an incision through the left subclavial section of the thoracic parietes."

This is cold science wrestling Cupid's weapons one by one from the hands of the fair sex.—Baltimore American.

### A Prize Thought.

A teacher of music in one of the public schools of the south desired to impress the pupils with the meaning of the signs "f" and "ff" in a song they were about to sing. After explaining that "f" meant forte he said, "Now, children, if 'f' means forte, what does 'ff' mean?"

Silence reigned for a moment, and then he was astonished to hear a bright little fellow shout:

"Eighty!"—New Lippincott.

### The Day After.

Mrs. Mixer—Tell me the worst, doctor. Is my husband's condition serious?

Doctor—There is no cause for alarm, madam. He is now out of danger, although suffering acutely from enlargement of the cerebral glands.

Mrs. Mixer—But, doctor, how do you suppose it was brought on?

Doctor—On a tray probably.—Chicago News.

### The Price of Ten Cents' Worth.

Customer—Give me 10 cents' worth of paragonic please.

Druggist—Yes, sir.

Customer (stomachfully)—How much is it?

Druggist—A quarter.—Boston Globe.

### The Unfortunate Prince.

In his book about Paris, "The Land of the Lion and the Sun," Dr. Willis says that he was once conversing with the king's son, and a large circle of courtiers and priests filled the room. The prince narrated his exploits in hunting the antelope the previous day and gravely stated that while pursuing a pair of ahu when riding a very restive horse his headstall broke.

"What should you have done, doctor?" asked the prince.

"I should have tried to stick on as long as the ground was good and, expecting an accident, have awaited it."

"Ah, that was because you were not a prince," he said. "I leaned forward, and unclasping my belt, placed it in the horse's mouth as a bridle, and, thus directing him, pursued my game and killed both antelope."

All the circle applauded, as of course they were bound to do. Dr. Willis was silent.

"You don't mean to say you don't believe that?" said the prince. "Speak out if you don't. I shan't be offended in the least."

"Well, your highness, I don't believe it."

"Quite right, darogh bood" (it was a lie, unblushingly replied his royal highness and burst into a fit of laughter quite unashamed. The circle of courtiers, of course, were consoled.

### She Smoked.

A patient of one of the leading specialists who treat polypi in the nose and throat is a woman well known for her work in Sunday schools in this city. She has a record as the organizer of a number of anticigarette leagues among the schoolboys. She came to her doctor the other day. He cheered her greatly by telling her he could cure her quickly and without the use of the knife.

"But you must promise to follow my directions," said the doctor, with the suspicion of a twinkle in his eye.

"Oh, I promise," said the lady.

"Without qualification?" asked the physician.

"Absolutely without qualification," answered the lady.

"Well, then, you must smoke cigarettes."

The lady gasped. Visions of what might happen if she were seen with a cigarette between her teeth by any of her pupils floated before her, and she almost fainted. But the doctor was inexorable. The lady followed his directions, and in a week the foreign growth in her nose had disappeared. But that doesn't mean that the lady is now a confirmed cigarette smoker.—United States Tobacco Journal.

### Chinese Inquests.

Coroners' inquests are well known among the Chinese. One of the chief differences between their system and ours is that the Chinese doctors never dissect. In fact, Chinamen have a perfect horror of dissection.

There are few things more absurd than the code of rules laid down for the Chinese coroner. In the first place, he is hidden to make sure that he has a dead body before he begins his inquest. That, however, is less ridiculous than it sounds, for the heathen Chinese is tricky and may demand an inquest on a sham deceased with a view of extorting money from some person who may be denounced as having caused the death.

The preposterous part of the code comes in with regard to the alleged signs which show the cause of death. If the deceased is supposed to have been poisoned, rice is put into his mouth and then taken out and given to a chicken. Its effect on the fowl decides the question. Most of the other methods adopted are even more absurd and fanciful, and, as a result, inquests in China do very little to prevent crime.—Chicago News.

### He Won the Bet.

A showman was making great noise at the front of the exhibition of "wonders" he had on show. A man standing in the crowd, with a little dog beside him, cried out:

"I'll bet you a quid you can't let me see a lion."

"Done!" said the showman eagerly. "Put down your money."

The man placed a sovereign in the hand of a bystander, and the showman did the same.

"Now walk this way," said the showman, "and I'll soon convince you. There," said he triumphantly. "Look in that corner at the beautiful Numidian lion."

"I don't see any," responded the other.

"What's the matter with you?" asked the showman.

"I'm blind," was the reply, and in a few minutes the blind man pocketed the two sovereigns and went away.—London Answers.

### How She Knew.

Speaking of kindergarten for colored children calls to mind the experience of a "befo' de war" matron who was teaching one of the little darkeys on her plantation how to spell.

The primer she used was a pictorial one, and over each word was its accompanying picture, and Holly glibly spelled o-x, ox, and b-o-x, box, etc. but the teacher thought that she was making right rapid progress, so she put her hand over the picture and said:

"Polly, what does o-x spell?"

"Ox," answered Polly nimbly.

"How do you know that it spells ox, Polly?"

"Seed his tail," replied the apt Polly.—Memphis Scimitar.

### Dubious Compliments.

"And how did you and grandpa get along?" inquired the doting mamma of the precocious child.

"He was pleasant as pie," replied the child.

"As pleasant as pie?"

"Yes, mamma—about as crusty."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## TERRIBLE ACCIDENTS

### A TRAIN PLUNGES INTO A WASHOUT IN GEORGIA.

THIRTY-FIVE PEOPLE LOSE THEIR LIVES—MANY INJURED.

### A FATAL RAILROAD COLLISION IN WISCONSIN.

Atlanta, Ga., June 25.—A passenger train on the Mason branch of the Southern railway ran into a washout one and a half miles north of McDonough, Ga., Saturday and was completely wrecked. The wreck caught fire and the entire train, with the exception of the sleeper, was destroyed. Every person on the train except the occupants of the Pullman car perished. Thirty-five people in all were killed.

The train left Macon at 7:10 and was due in Atlanta at 9:45 at night. McDonough was reached on time. At this point connection is made for Columbus, Ga., and here every night the Columbus train is coupled on and hauled through to Atlanta. Last night, however, for the first time in many months the Columbus train was reported two hours late on account of the washout on that branch and the Mason train started on to Atlanta without its Columbus connection. Tremendous rains of daily occurrence for the past two weeks have swollen all streams in this part of the south and several washouts have been reported on the different roads.

Camps Creeks, which runs into the Ocmulgee, was over its banks, and the waters had spread to all the low lands through which it runs. About a mile and a half north of McDonough the creek comes somewhat near the Southern's tracks, and running alongside it for some distance finally passes away under the road by a heavy stone culvert. A cloudburst broke over that section of the country about 6 o'clock Saturday night and presumably shortly after dark washed out a section of the track nearly 100 feet in length. Into this the swiftly moving train plunged. The storm was still raging and the car windows were closed. The passengers, secure as they thought and sheltered comfortably from inclement weather, went to death without an instant's warning. The train, consisting of a baggage car, second class coach, first class coach and a Pullman sleeper, was knocked into kindling wood by the fall. The wreck caught fire a few minutes after the fall and all the coaches were burned except the Pullman car.

Every person on the train except the occupants of the Pullman car perished in the disaster.

There was no escape, as the heavy Pullman car weighted down the others, and the few alive in the sleeper were unable to render assistance to their fellow passengers.

For a brief time there was silence. Then the occupants of the Pullman car recovered from the bewilderment and after hard work managed to get out of their car and found themselves on the track in the pouring rain. The extent of the catastrophe was quickly apparent. Flames were already seen coming from that part of the wreckage not covered by the water. As the wreckage began to go to pieces under the destructive work of both flames and flood, human bodies floated out from the mass and were carried down stream by the swift current. The storm did not abate its fury. Flashes of lightning added to the steady glow of the burning train and lit up the scene with fearful distinctness.

Flagman Quinlan, who was first to get out, started for the nearest telegraph station. Making his way as rapidly as possible in the face of the blinding storm he stumbled into the telegraph office at McDonough and after telling the operator of the wreck, fell faintly to the floor. Word was quickly sent to both Atlanta and Macon, but no assistance was to be had except in the latter city as the torn track prevented arrival of any train from Macon.

Nearly the entire male population of McDonough went to the scene to render assistance, but little could be done by the rescuers, and the fire kept them at a distance. At daylight the bodies that had floated from the gorge were gathered up. One body was found a mile from the wreck and many were seen along its banks.

A special train at 6 o'clock Sunday morning took doctors, ministers, railroad officials and helpers to the scene, but nothing could be done save gather up the bodies. As the dead were found they were removed to McDonough. There are two undertakers there. Both establishments were soon filled with mangled remains of the passengers. Some of the bodies were terribly burned, while others were so badly beyond recognition, the only means of identification in the majority of cases were letters and papers in the pockets of the victims in the coaches. The bodies were prepared for burial as rapidly as possible. Some may be buried at McDonough. Others will be sent to their homes as fast as their proper address can be ascertained.

Only three women were on the train. Two escaped. It is presumed the other perished but the body has not been found. Besides the regular crew of the train, several conductors and other employees were en route to Atlanta to spend Sunday. All were killed. Conductor W. A. Bardsley was in charge of the train. A section house with a gang of eight negroes, occupied seats in the second-class coach. They were on their way to repair a washout on the Georgia Midland & Fulton road. None escaped when the car went down.

Another Disaster.

St. Bay, June 25.—A north-bound passenger train on the Chicago & Northwestern road, loaded with excursionists bound for the mammoth in this city, crashed at 11 o'clock

Sunday morning with a freight train at Deperre, five miles south of here. Six persons were killed, one is missing and thirty-four were injured.

Those injured were nearly all in the second coach. When the two trains came together, the first car, which was a combination smoker and baggage, was driven through the second coach, where the loss of life occurred. The dead were taken out of the wreck to an undertaking establishment at Deperre. The injured were first taken to the Deperre high school, which was converted into a temporary hospital, and later were brought to St. Vincent's hospital in this city. None of the trainmen were injured, the engine crews jumping in time to save themselves. Both engines were badly damaged and two broken into kindling wood.

### LESS THAN 2,000 MEN.

#### Official Estimate of Kruger's Present Force.

London, June 25.—The Transvaal military incidents are summed up officially by Lord Roberts in the following message to the war office:

"Pretoria, Sunday, 11.30 a. m.—Buller reached Standerton June 23. He found a good deal of rolling stock. All the Dutch residents had left the town. The British prisoners captured since our occupation of Pretoria have been taken to Machadoodorp.

"Jan Hamilton occupied Heidelberg Saturday. The enemy fled, pursued by our mounted men six or seven miles. The previous day Broadwood's cavalry had a skirmish with the enemy, dispersing them completely and capturing six.

"Hunter's advice brigade reached Johannesburg toward Heidelberg June 22.

"The enemy attacked our post at Honigspruit and before reinforcements arrived from Kroonstadt they had burned three culverts. These had all been repaired by this afternoon.

"An Associated Press dispatch from Cape Town dated yesterday says: 'The British casualties at Honigspruit were thirty-seven killed and wounded.'

"Sir Redvers Buller, in a dispatch to the war office, says that among the prisoners taken to Machadoodorp are Lord's Antrim and Enslinmore, both of whom are in good health. Lord Longford was left at Reitz, severely wounded.

### Taylor's Whereabouts.

Havana, June 25.—Information has come to the United States authorities regarding the whereabouts of Taylor who is believed to have gone to Columbia to find a safe place to act as the receiver of property stolen by C. F. W. Neely, late financial agent of posts at Havana. Taylor addressed a letter from Baraquilla, on the Magdalena river, Colombia, to a former roommate in that town who is now in Havana. The officials are considering the advisability of applying for Taylor's extradition on the charge of complicity with Neely in disposing of surcharged stamps.

### To Establish a Labor College.

New York, June 25.—The central federated labor union has entered heartily into co-operation with W. C. Bowdman and Jas. Sexton, the English labor men who arrived on Saturday on the St. Paul with \$20,000 contributed to found a labor college in America on the lines of Ruskin Hall at Oxford.

The federated union decided to call a meeting of the presidents and secretaries of all unions in the city to be held July 8 at which the English delegates will unfold their plans.

### Gen. Hall Praised.

Chicago, June 25.—(Gen. Wheeler said: "The war in the Philippines is practically ended. No organized opposition exists—what there is consists of the remnant of the rebel army and bandits. Our troops are simply holding the country now. A force can easily be spared from the island for work in China. Gen. Hall, who is to command in China, I regard as a most able officer, admirably fitted for the task. He saw a great deal of the fighting to the south of Manila and I know he will win his promotion in China."

### Horses and Hares From Europe.

New York, June 25.—The Atlantic transport liner Minneapolis from London brought in 130 percheron stallions and 92 English hares here to-day. The stallions, which were bred in Normandy, France, represent an investment of \$178,000. They were in charge of H. E. Melvin, of Wayne, Ill. The hares are imported for the purpose of introducing this English game into the western states. They are consigned to Oklahoma and Los Angeles.

### Suicide of a Veteran.

New Prague, Minn., June 25.—The dead body of Maj. Chas. M. Schaefer, late of the Fourteenth Minnesota Volunteers, and until fifteen years ago an officer in the regular army, was found dead in a cemetery. A wound in the head and a revolver lying by the body indicated suicide. There is no known reason. Maj. Schaefer was 42 years of age and saw considerable service in western Indian wars before his retirement.

### BASEBALL RESULTS.

#### National League Games.

At Chicago—Cincinnati, 5; Chicago, 1.  
At St. Louis—The St. Louis-Pittsburg game postponed on account of rain.

#### National League Standing.

Club	Won	Lost	Per Cent
Brockton	22	17	.562
Philadelphia	22	17	.562
Boston	21	18	.538
Pittsburg	21	18	.538
Chicago	20	19	.513
Cincinnati	19	20	.488
St. Louis	18	21	.460
New York	17	22	.435

#### American League Games.

At Detroit—Detroit, 1; Indianapolis, 1.  
At Buffalo—Buffalo, 1; Cleveland, 1.  
At Chicago—Kansas City, 2; Chicago, 1.  
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 3; Milwaukee, 1.

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Kansas City	16	23	.410
Detroit	15	24	.385
Buffalo	14	25	.360







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## Breezy Items

By Local Correspondents.

### MEAD'S MILLS.

Mr. and Mrs. Dole and their son and daughter came to see the farm they lately purchased, last Tuesday.

Mrs. John Simpson and Mrs. Waldo Ames and daughter, of Grass Lake, visited relatives here last week.

Geo. Nims, of near Romeo, visited at H. S. Greene's Sunday and Monday.

Matt Greene and wife, of Farmington, were Sunday visitors here.

Mrs. Harry Northrup, of Wayne, visited Mrs. Wm. Leslie last Tuesday.

The picnic given the children and parents of this school district by Miss Spicer, was a very pleasant affair, with a good supper and program. There were quite a few perhaps who expected invitations; they forget that invitations are not usually given for picnics and socials.

### SOUTH LIVONIA.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rathburn, Jr., spent Sunday at Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. and Miss Elenore Everson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stone, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cummings of Detroit, who have been rusticated in the country for a few days, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rathburn and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Proctor spent last Saturday evening with the Meldrums. Light refreshments were served and a musical program rendered.

Mrs. Anna Diamond spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Sherman.

The Misses Grece, of Detroit, spent a few days here.

Don't forget the big celebration at Pike's Peak July 4th. The program will consist of horse races, bicycle races, foot races, ball game, etc. Prizes will be given for all sports. Dancing afternoon and evening with music by Zisler's orchestra, and fireworks in the evening. All are invited.

Fred Harer's new barn is nearly completed.

A. W. Meldrum, of Wayne, is doing mason work for Norman Wilson.

Chas. Rathburn, Sr., is on the sick list.

### TONQUISH

Joseph Handaside and wife have purchased the small place belonging to J. W. Robinson, and as Mr. Swanton has vacated the house, they will take possession soon.

Oliver Trowbridge, of Dearborn, was calling on relatives here last Sunday.

A. Stevens lost a valuable dog last week, he being attacked by honey bees, who stung him so he died the next day.

Mrs. John Hix and son, Perry, spent a few days last week visiting friends and relatives at Plymouth and Northville.

Ed. Fogarty has finished papering and painting the interior of the church which greatly improves its appearance. Sunday School will be resumed soon.

Master Ralph Hix is spending the week with his sister at Plymouth.

Miss Birdie Epps, who has been at school in Detroit since last Christmas, finished the term and returned here last Thursday.

### NEWBURG.

Miss Lowe, of Detroit, attended commencement exercises at Plymouth and visited her cousin, Luella Rosenberg, who was one of the graduates.

Norah Smith is home for vacation from her school near Detroit.

Ella Beckhold is dressmaking in Plymouth.

C. Vanblaircum went to Howell on Monday and brought his brother home with him.

Ed. Rutter went to Grand Rapids on Monday.

Mrs. C. Rutter went to Detroit Monday. Her son Rob's birthday occurs on the same day as her own and they celebrated this week.

The poor India women were remembered with five suits or garments made by women of the Newburg Aid Society at the home of C. Rutter Wednesday. Sixteen women were present, taking tea on the lawn.

Everyone is invited to the picnic at James LeVau's to be held July 4th. Everyone bring eatables of some sort and help make the dinner a good one. A good program will be rendered by old and young and a fat woman's race unless they change their minds.

Mrs. Corwin has been quite ill since coming to the home of her mother, Mrs. Granger.

All come to the League literary entertainment at Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett's Friday evening.

Helen Jane Vail was born in Masonville, New York, March 9, 1836 and died at Newburg June 21, 1900, aged 64 years, 3 months, and 12 days. She was united in marriage to Reuben Barnes at Masonville May 17, 1855. Their married life was blest with one daughter, Frankie J. Barnes, who preceded her mother to the better world 30 years ago. Mrs. Barnes came to Michigan in 1856, living in this vicinity 42 years and in the home in which she died, 33 years. She was a kind wife, mother and neighbor, a patient sufferer, of a bright cheerful disposition, a noble Christian character, sacrificing self and living always for others, and beloved by all who knew her. She leaves a husband, one brother and an adopted daughter, who cared for her in her last sickness, and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. Funeral services were held at the M. E. church at Newburg, conducted by Rev. Stephens.

LIVONIA CENTER.  
Haying has begun in this section and farmers are somewhat hustled to cure their hay and get it under cover without getting it wet.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Z. Millard and family returned from the city on Thursday of last week. They were accompanied by Will Millard and family, who visited friends around the Center until Sunday and then returned to the city by way of the Farmington electric road.

Mrs. Walter Kingsley spent Sunday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. David Wolfrom.

Several from here attended the raising at Chas. Ash's on Tuesday and report a jolly, good time.

Mrs. Ada Stringer is spending the week with her mother at Salem.

Horace Kingsley got the townline bridge to build, Monday.

Mrs. Myrtle Barrows, of Newburg, visited friends around the Center part of last week.

Mrs. Benjamin Pierson died in Detroit on June 23rd, and the remains were brought here on Monday for interment.

Mrs. Clara Leslie and brother-in-law, of Delhi, called on friends here Sunday. The party that went to Strait's Lake on a fishing trip last Friday and Saturday report a good time but a small catch of fish.

SALEM.  
Miss Pauline Klager, of Ann Arbor, has been spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Waters. She returned home on Tuesday via Northville and Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith, of California, have been visiting Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Allison, for several days. They are now visiting friends in the vicinity of Flint. They will return to California in the early autumn.

About sixty years ago, Peter Smith died on his farm, the southeast quarter of section seventeen of the town of Plymouth. Last week on Thursday, a large number of his descendants met at the home of his grandson, Wm. Smith, to celebrate Wm.'s birthday and to recount events of pioneer life in Plymouth. The only surviving child of Peter Smith, Mrs. Zilpha Whipple, was present. The company partook of a bountiful feast and spent the day in story telling, singing, etc.

Mrs. Douglass, the aged mother of John Quinn, died at his home Monday. Her funeral was attended at the house on Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Allen of the Congregational church. Interment at the Northville cemetery.

Married at the home of the bride's parents Wednesday evening, Miss Vesta Savory, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Savory, to Mr. Roy Waterman, oldest son of the late Alfred Waterman.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Thayer are spending their vacation with Salem friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Haskell, of Ludington, who were visiting friends here for several days, returned to Ludington Tuesday.

B. C. Thayer, of Colorado Springs, Colo., spent Saturday and Sunday at his old home on his way to Cleveland and Philadelphia.

Geo. S. Wheeler attended the Republican Convention at Grand Rapids on Wednesday.

Mrs. Perkins and daughter, Mrs. Crane, are visiting friends at Kalamazoo.

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### Plymouth Boy Married.

We take the following from the Joliet (Ill.) Daily Republican, of June 15th, which concerns a former Plymouthite, son of E. McClumpha:

The marriage of Maria L. Norton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Norton, and Harry E. McClumpha, was solemnized last evening, at the home of the bride's parents, 302 North Eastern avenue. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock in the presence of a large number of guests, by Rev. B. F. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist church.

The bride and groom stood before an impromptu altar of ferns and palms and received the obligations. The wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Miss May Laing. The bride was gowned in white crepe-du-chien. She carried bride's roses, but wore neither veil nor gloves. Her only attendant was her cousin, Miss Norton, who wore a costume of pink silk trimmed with cream-colored lace. Mr. McClumpha was accompanied by the bride's brother, DeWitt C. Norton. The house was decorated in pink and green the latter color predominating in the parlors. After the ceremony and congratulations an informal reception was held. Later the bride and groom disappeared and all efforts to locate them were without avail and the usual pranks of the wedding guests were thwarted.

Mr. and Mrs. McClumpha will take up their residence in the Rachel flats on Jefferson street. A number of beautiful and costly gifts were received by the young people.

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