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In our Shoe Department we have numerous bargains to offer that will save you money. You know we have one of the largest stocks of clothing, best assortments and prices right. Come in and be convinced.

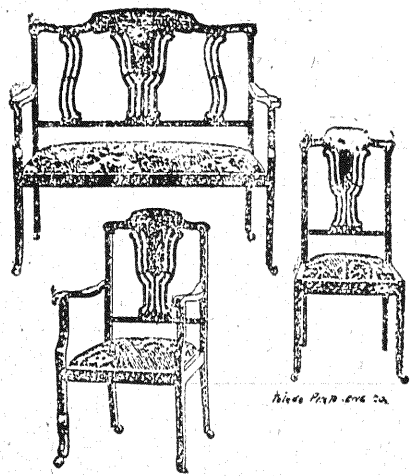
Best price for your butter and eggs.

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UNDERTAKING, FURNITURE, MILLINERY.

My undertaking stock is new and clean and the best values to be found for the money. No extra charges for embalming. Hearse free.



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I have a complete stock of Furniture at the lowest prices. All kinds of Couches and Upholstered Chairs. We have the largest stock of Bedroom Suits, Springs, Mattresses, Rockers, Etc. at right prices.

MILLINERY

A mammoth line of Millinery, Furs and Ladies' Furnishings. Our Ready-to-wear Skirts are leaders. Everybody is delighted with them.

F. C. Lee.

A TOTAL ECLIPSE!

The T. H. & S. Fair a Tremendous Success. All Previous Records Broken.

To say the least, the tenth annual fair of the T. H. & S. Association of last week, was a tremendous success. Never before in the history of the association was there such favorable weather, so large a crowd, or so many attractions. The weather clerk has always had a kindly feeling towards our fair and each one thus far has been a success but the one of last week breaks all previous records. Every attraction advertised was to be seen, in fact more was offered than was actually advertised.

Thursday was the banner day, at least as far as the crowd was concerned, there being the largest attendance of any time previous. Those in the best position to judge estimate the crowd on that day from six to seven thousand people.

As side attractions the balloonist with his airship; the pickaninies with their big eyes and woolly hair, the slack wire walker and the pretty little Scotch lassies in their Highland kilts were all there and did their share towards entertaining the throng. The Caseville cornet band and McCallum's orchestra discoursed music for the occasion.

The races were all filled and carried out as advertised. Each heat was a rite and it was evident that no driver won a prize without doing his best to get it, a feature much appreciated by the audience. The result of the various races are given below.

The success of the bicycle races was somewhat marred by two accidents—Berkley Patterson taking a severe tumble at the first quarter and Ashton Tindale meeting a like fate when coming down the "home stretch." Fortunately the boys escaped without serious injury. The report of these races is also given below.

The display in the Floral Hall was exceedingly fine. The Agricultural Hall was necessarily below that of last year, but the exhibit considering the rather unfavorable season, was very good.

The entries in the horse, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry departments were very extensive. The exhibits in these lines certainly spoke favorably of the stock raising industry in this section.

The cash receipts of the fair will exceed by at least four hundred dollars all previous years. Viewed from the point of attraction, attendance, finance and weather it was the most successful fair ever held here.

THREE MINUTE RACE.

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| Spinola | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| Mixer | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Glen Onward | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| Kate Willard | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 |

SPECIAL RACE.

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| Triby | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Rody | 2 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Jack Jewell | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| Harry G. | 4 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| Temple Hope | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 |

2:35 CLASS.

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| Harry J. | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Clara M. | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Lady Allen | 3 | 2 | 3 |

ONE-HALF MILE RUN.

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| Carolina K. | 2 | 4 |
| Flora W. | 1 | 1 |
| Glad Tidings | 4 | 3 |
| Trowbridge | 3 | 2 |

2:45 CLASS.

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| Spinola | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Mixer | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Kate Willard | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Eady Allen | 4 | 3 | 4 |
| Harry J. | 1 | 1 | 1 |

2:20 CLASS.

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| Louise | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Brodler | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Steel Hal | 2 | 3 | 3 |

ONE-HALF MILE RUN.

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| Carolina K. | 2 | 4 |
| Flora W. | 1 | 1 |
| Glad Tidings | 4 | 3 |
| Trowbridge | 3 | 2 |

BICYCLE RACES.

Boy's Race—1st, Orrin Marr; 2nd, Blake Gillies; 3rd, Andrew Campbell. Novice—1st, Ernest Clements; 2nd, Orrin Marr; 3rd, Ashton Tindale. Open Race—1st, Will Dowe; 2nd, Ernest Clements; 3rd, Ashton Tindale.

NOTICE.

Money to loan on real estate at the Cass City Bank, 7-7.

Quarter-oak bed room suit for sale at a bargain. Dr. H. C. Edwards, 10-13.

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ON THE WING.

It is said, "All things come to him who waits." Some people have to wait a long while before they realize their wishes.

Most of us mortals never reach the goal of our earthly ambition. The reason for this is found in the fact, that the majority of people do not understand themselves or the laws that govern the destinies of men.

It is one thing to long for things beyond us; and it is another thing to live and work so as to merit the propitious smiles of Fortune.

Your scribe has been waiting these many years to see the west. Not because of Horace Greeley's proverbial saying, "Young men go west," but rather to satisfy an intuitive longing to be in touch with the sturdy spirit of the western people. This wish is now being gratified. This has been made possible by the unselfish generosity of friends.

I started last Tuesday by way of Caro, making use of the Dunham stage line. A man who rides with Mr. Dunham is always the better for it. He is the one man in the Thumb who knows how to drive, talk and bow to passers-by, all at the same time without a break. Mr. Dunham's conversational abilities are simply marvelous and to ride with him is a treat of a life time.

Caro is growing. Since the advent of the sugar refinery, which is nearly completed, it has received a new impetus and there is no doubt but what the town will in due time count five thousand inhabitants.

The journey to Chicago over the Michigan Central railroad was spent in the arms of Morpheus. The one great blessing of modern railway travel is the sleeping car. To be sure it is somewhat expensive, but in figuring up the expense one must take into consideration that it costs something to operate a Pullman sleeper. After all its remarkable when one can go to bed at Saginaw and wake up the next morning in Chicago, sufficiently rested to take up another day's work.

At the time of my arrival in Chicago the great Autumn Festival was inaugurated. At home we would call this festival a street fair. On State street arches were built, flags unfurled and is designated as the Court of Honor.

On Wednesday evening the first illumination of the court attracted an immense crowd. One of the great attractions was a Mexican music band of fifty pieces. During the week President McKinley, Admiral Dewey and other notables are expected to be present.

On Thursday morning, Oct. 5th, we reached St. Paul where the General Conference of the Evangelical Association will hold its 22nd session of which body I have the pleasure and honor of being a delegate and member.

St. Paul is a romantic city. It has an exceptionally favorable location. It was selected by the Indians and first white men who visited this region, as a natural trading point and for more than a quarter of a century this locality has been described by poets and writers as the paradise of the tourist, and with such natural advantages, it is evident that in due time it will be one of the most populous, powerful and beautiful cities on the American continent. Its population is estimated at 192,000. The water supply is of the most ample character.

St. Paul is located in the center of the Artesian Basin of the Upper Mississippi region, which furnishes an inexhaustible supply of pure water. The city is modern in every particular and enjoys every advantage that goes to make up an ideal American city.

As I shall stay here for several weeks, I may be able to report some more interesting news for the CHRONICLE.

F. KLUMP.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Report of School District No. 1, Evergreen, for the month ending Sept. 29:

No. of days taught.....19
No. of pupils enrolled.....53
Average daily attendance.....44

The following are the names of those who have been neither absent or tardy during the month.

Herbie Ehlers, Lloyd Parrott, Lynn Proctor, William Parrott, Marvie Ehlers and Roy Parrott.

Nelson Hyatt, Merrian Ryekman, Alice Hyatt, Iva Ryekman, Etta Pike, Aggie Hoang and Detha Copp have been absent but one day.

ELLA M. LEMELA,
Teacher.

This space belongs to

W. A. FAIRWEATHER

Watch for next week's announcement.

In the meantime, we

are giving bargains in

DRESS GOODS; UNDER

WEAR, and HOSIERY.

We want your trade and money

You want our goods

Our wants are mutual, let's do business together and both be happy. We offer special deals in SHOES.

Wing & Janes.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The council meeting of Monday, Oct. 9, was called to order by President Campbell.

The following members were present: President Campbell and Trustees Keating, Muck, Perkins, Stevenson, Wickware and Heller.

The following bills were read and a motion carried that they be allowed:

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| Mich. Electric Co. | 8152.85 |
| Wood bills | 44.90 |
| Henry Ball | 6.00 |
| Geo. Hillman | 5.00 |
| P. O. & N. R. R. | 23.62 |
| Michigan Coal Co. | 38.07 |
| Pt. Wayne Electric Works | 50 |
| Postoria Incandescent Lamp Co | 51.00 |
| J. T. Wing & Co. | 16.20 |
| General Electric Co. | 144.55 |
| Wm. Smithson | 10.41 |
| Bert Smithson | 3.05 |
| C. D. Striffler | 6.40 |
| Bert Spindler | 2.80 |
| T. H. Abe | 6.00 |
| Jas. Reagh | 6.00 |

Motion made and carried that the rate for lighting planing will be fixed at 20 cents a light per month for twelve lights. Morning service when required at 10 cents a light Oct. 1 to April 1.

The clerk was instructed to correspond with Mr. Morgan in regard to disposing of the dynamo in present use.

A proposition was submitted by Bert L. Spindler to employ all help on electric system, such as wiring, etc., to take charge of all city work such as piping, trenching and collecting to the best interests of the village; to pay all men himself on electric work, but not on water works for the sum of \$1300 a year. The proposition was laid on the table for one week for further consideration.

Council adjourned.

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Wing & Janes

NON-TERRITORIAL EXPANSION

means paying rent for a poor farm. Now is the time to secure a good farm on the W. of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway in Marinette County, Wisconsin, where the crops are of the best, work plenty, fine markets, excellent climate, pure soft water, land sold cheap and on long time. Why rent a farm when you can buy one for less than you pay for rent? Address C. E. Rollins, Land Agent, 161 La Salle St., Chicago, Ill. 10-6-3.

Poultry Wanted

Highest cash market price paid for poultry, every Wednesday up to the holidays at the rear of Hitchcock's store. 98-11 P. A. JOHNSON.

School Books, Tablets, Pencils, Etc.

A great variety of everything for School use at Lowest Prices at

Bond's

Drug Store.

Special Values in Ladies' Gent's and Misses' Underwear

New Teas and Coffees.

Butter and eggs wanted!

FROST & HEBBLEWHITE

LADIES' HATS

Fall Millinery in our Ready-to-wear Dept.

My daughter, Miss Ora, has been in Detroit for two weeks looking up the styles and trimmings. We will show you everything in

Up-to-date Hats in Pearl, Coaster, Brown, Royal, Etc.

at the lowest possible prices. Our Fancy Goods Dept. will be complete with Pillows, Embroidered Linens and Silks, and Battenburg Patterns and Braids and in fact everything in Fancy Goods.

Mrs. H. S. WICKWARE

We have some

Fine buggies that will suit you

Because they are not merely built to sell but to give good service. Come and look them and get prices.

Horse Shoeing a Special Feature

All kinds of repair work given prompt attention.

H. S. Wickware

Special Combination Offer

The CHRONICLE is the only paper in the country that has been enabled to make special arrangements with the publishers of "Success," which makes it possible for us to offer that paper to every subscriber who pays for the CHRONICLE one year in advance.

"SUCCESS"

SUCCESS is an illustrated family magazine of inspiration, progress, and self-help. It is a perpetual tonic to every reader, young and old. It leads young men and young women to abandon habits of idleness and wastefulness. It persuades them to have an aim in life, and devote their time, thought and energy to making the most of themselves. They then see the folly of wasting good time reading the mass of stuff printed merely to amuse. There is too much of that kind of printed matter, but not enough like Success, which entertains without wasting time, which gives valuable inspiration and instruction combined with delightful amusement. Better leave unread all other periodicals rather than miss reading Success every week. It is the best and most essential family periodical published.

SPECIAL OFFER

As an extraordinary inducement to every subscriber who pays for the Cass City CHRONICLE one year in advance at only 50 cents, we make the following special offer. The regular subscription price of Success is \$1.50 per annum; but, in order to introduce it into many new homes, we will send the paper every week for the remainder of the year 1890 FREE, and then for the entire year of 1900 (to January 1900) FOR ONLY \$1.00. Act quickly to get the full benefit of this great offer.

MICHIGAN ITEMS.

MATTERS WHICH WILL BE OF INTEREST TO OUR OWN PEOPLE.

Important Happenings of the Past Few Days Reported by Telegraph—Michigan News Selected with Care and with a Purpose of Pleasing Our Readers.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 10.—Attorney General Owen holds an opinion in reference to the new inheritance tax law which is somewhat at variance with the ideas of other attorneys. In a conversation the attorney general said he was of the opinion that the law would be sustained by the supreme court. While the law is not entirely clear upon some points, and while its language may be somewhat ambiguous, the state's attorney is of the opinion that there are no serious defects in the measures which cannot be remedied by applying the well-known rules of construction.

Safe the Tax is Constitutional. As to the constitutionality of the principle of taxing inheritances the attorney general is of the opinion that it is not in conflict with any constitutional provision. "It is not a tax on property, but a tax on transfers," said the attorney general, "and it could not, therefore, be said to be in conflict with the provision of the constitution which requires that the legislature shall provide a uniform rule of taxation. The supreme court in passing upon the law of 1880 did not declare the principle of taxing inheritances unconstitutional, but found the law faulty because the money to be derived from it was not to be credited to the specific tax fund."

Printing Meteorological Bulletins. The board of state auditors has asked the attorney general for his opinion as to the duties of the board in connection with the printing of bulletins for the experimental station at the agricultural college. When the last legislature enacted the so-called "joint documents law," the amount which was appropriated for experiment station bulletins was \$1,000. Afterward it was made plain to the legislature that this amount was insufficient and a concurrent resolution was adopted appropriating \$4,000 for the purpose. The auditors want to know whether they are to be ruled in the allowance of claims by the law or the concurrent resolution, or both.

REGARDING TYPHOID FEVER.

Cases Where the Disease Follows Proper Conditions.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 11.—The apparent relation of typhoid fever to local conditions is shown by a letter received by Secretary Baker, of the state board of health. The person writing the letter desires the state board to correct conditions which he describes as follows:

"A creek runs by our cemetery. It is fed by a stream issuing from the graveyard. The family which lives on the cemetery property and carries for it and drinks water from the cemetery well has had typhoid fever for nearly a year in the home. The steps from this house all go to the creek. A neighbor's dairy cows pasture in the valley of the stream. The owner of the cows has typhoid in the home. He sells milk. One family has four cases and has lost one—the mother.

"What can be done to help the situation on the creek? What can I do to protect myself against like ignorance on the part of my neighbors—an ignorance very generally diffused here. Can you not stir up the local health officers to do something?"

NOT IN THE SALT TRUST.

Michigan Salt Plants Not Going into the Combination.

Saginaw, Mich., Oct. 11.—The rumors to the effect that the various salt plants throughout the state which are controlled by the Michigan Salt association are to be soon absorbed by the National Salt association, of New Jersey, were not affirmed by President Walter S. Eddy, who has returned from the east. Eddy said:

"You may say that the salt interests of Michigan, so far as the members of the Michigan Salt association are concerned, are highly satisfactory. Regardless of all reports to the contrary, our association will continue to sell salt and maintain headquarters in Saginaw. As an association we have no intention of going into a trust. What certain members of the association might do I cannot say."

The object of the Michigan Salt association is to handle the entire product of manufacturers throughout the state and it has been found that the association can do so with less cost than individual producers.

STATE MOVES AGAINST RAILWAY.

Michigan Will Sue the Wabash to Compel Reduction of Rates.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 10.—The state of Michigan is to begin a suit against the Wabash Railroad company to compel it to reduce its rates of fare. Under the general railroad law any company earning less than \$2,000 a mile may charge three cents a mile, but when the earnings increase to more than \$2,000 a mile they are to charge only two and a half cents.

In the last report of the Wabash to the railroad commissioner, it was shown that this company's earnings had passed the 2,000 mark, and Railroad Commissioner Osborn notified the company by letter last spring to reduce its rate of fare. It appears that the company has paid no attention to this letter, and has gone right along charging the old three-cent rate.

Freak Squirrel Shot by a Hunter.

Houghton, Mich., Oct. 11.—A squirrel with four distinct tails, each growing directly from the body, was shot by A. P. Peck, of Le Roy, on the Sturgeon river, twelve miles from here. One tail six inches long grows direct from the spinal column; two are on the left and one is on the right of this, each five inches long.

Death of a Bridge Tender.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 11.—Bridge-tender O'Rourke met a strange death at the Tenth street bridge on Black river. The tug Erie, towing the schooner Monguagon, was bound up Black river, and blew three whistles instead of four whistles, the proper number,

and O'Rourke started to open the bridge. He was too late, and the schooner struck the structure. The lover was reversed quickly, striking O'Rourke and throwing him back about thirty feet. He struck an iron beam and was killed instantly. He was a married man with a grown-up family.

Poisoned Himself and Children.

Thompsonville, Mich., Oct. 9.—Mrs. Mattie Askins gave her 6-year-old son and 12-year-old daughter morphine and took cocaine herself, intending to end all their lives. Her moans attracted the attention of employes of the hotel where she was stopping. The woman and boy were resuscitated. The girl died early in the day. Mrs. Askins was despondent over domestic troubles. She refuses to give the address of any relative, or tell from whence she came from. No one here knows her.

Murder at Ishpeming, Mich.

Ishpeming, Mich., Oct. 11.—James Cashen, a young man of this city, was murdered at a late hour at night. Two Flinn, names unknown, are supposed to be the murderers. Cashen's body, with the head almost severed, was found outside his house. It is supposed the deed was committed with knives. No motive is known for the crime. Bloodhounds have been put on the trail. Cashen was employed on the fire department and was unmarried.

Crop Estimates in Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 11.—Secretary of State Stearns has made his final estimate of this year's crop of wheat in Michigan. He estimates the yield at eight bushels per acre, or 12,000,000 bushels for the state. Only 77 per cent of the fields last spring were harvested. The estimate for oats is thirty-three bushels per acre; corn, thirty-one bushels; potatoes, sixty-eight bushels; beans, twelve bushels, and buckwheat, eleven bushels.

Badly Hurt in a Hat Rash.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 10.—The condition of Mott G. Spalding, junior law who was hit with a stone in the scenes that followed the freshman-sophomore hat rash during the early hours of Saturday morning, is steadily improving. Dr. Burr, the attending surgeon, said: "His chances for recovery are fairly good. He is still very sick and unable to sit up. He will be confined to his bed for a few days even if his recovery is rapid."

Wealthy Woman Kills Herself.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Oct. 7.—Mrs. I. W. Conkey, wife of an ex-bank president, and the wealthiest man in the city, committed suicide by hanging herself in a barn. She had previously cut her throat, but her life was saved by prompt action. Mr. Conkey was the gold Democrat candidate for state auditor in 1896.

Sailor's Skull Crushed.

Alpena, Mich., Oct. 11.—Adam Hinton, a sailor on the schooner Emerald, was struck by the winch yesterday and had his skull crushed. He probably will die. He lives at Baronta, Ont. The tug Protector, Green and McCarty, with dredge and scows from Chicago, to Toledo, are here for fuel.

Death of a Desperate Woman.

Thompsonville, Mich., Oct. 10.—Mrs. Mattie Askins gave morphine to her 6-year-old son and 12-year-old daughter and took cocaine herself. The woman and boy were resuscitated, the girl dying. Mrs. Askins, who is a stranger here, was despondent over domestic troubles.

Boy Says It Was an Accident.

Calumet, Mich., Oct. 10.—Eddie, the 15-year-old son of Erick Matheson, died at the Calumet hospital Saturday from a bullet wound. He was shot by Angelo Kelly, aged 13 years, who is under arrest for causing his death. Kelly claims that he accidentally shot Matheson.

Old Lady Has Hard Luck.

Cheboygan, Mich., Oct. 10.—Mrs. Chas. Paige, a lady of 70 years, fell and broke both bones of her left forearm. Two months ago she broke her right arm, and within two years her home has been burned down twice.

Exploding Lamp Costs \$75,000.

Shepherd, Mich., Oct. 10.—A lamp exploded Saturday evening in Marks & Franks dry goods store, starting a fire which did \$75,000 worth of damage before it was extinguished. Thirteen stores and a hotel were destroyed.

Helen Gould to Visit Three Oaks.

Three Oaks, Mich., Oct. 10.—Miss Helen Gould, of New York, has accepted an invitation to be the guest of this village on Dewey day.

State Notes.

The much-dreaded Russian thistle has put in an appearance near Hanover, Mich.

Near Woodland, Barry county, Mich., a pair of old squalls have adopted a couple of young chickens.

Near Flint, Mich., ten hogs took refuge under a tree during a thunder storm. The tree was struck by lightning and everyone of the porkers killed.

Manistee's (Mich.) bond issue of \$100,000 water bonds, drawing 4 per cent interest, was sold to the First National bank, of Columbus, O., at a premium of \$27,051.50.

Fire in the grocery and meat market of Mansfield & Co., in the Campbell House block at Bay City, Mich., threatened to destroy the entire building, driving the guests to the street.

The comptroller of the currency has appointed A. B. Darrach, receiver of the Citizens' National Bank of Niles, Mich., in place of Joseph W. Selden, resigned.

Harrison Dines with Kaiser.

Berlin, Oct. 11.—General Benjamin Harrison informs the Associated Press that Emperor William had a long conversation with his dinner guests yesterday in honor of Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, in the course of which a variety of German and American topics were discussed. After supper, which was served at a number of small tables, Mrs. Harrison sitting at the table of the empress and General Harrison at the emperor's table, and near Queen Wilhelmina, the Kaiser conversed in Dutch with the queen and several times touched upon the subject of Dutch battle hymns. In this connection the emperor asked General Harrison regarding American battle songs.

CONDENSED ITEMS.

NEWS OF INTEREST CAUGHT FROM THE WIRES.

Short Paragraphs of Some of the Events of the Past Few Days—Crimes, Casualties, and Matters of General Interest Given in Condensed Form.

Thursday, Oct. 5.

The Canadian telegraph line to Dawson, Alaska, has been completed.

Albert V. Roe, the one-armed messenger of the Postal Telegraph company, who started on a bicycle from New York July 3, has arrived at San Francisco.

It is estimated that the consumption of beer in the entire world amounts to \$1,080,000,000 per annum.

The Cleveland street railroad strike cost Ohio \$25,000 for transportation and maintenance of the militia.

The annual session of the Wisconsin encampment, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will convene in Janesville on Oct. 10.

The staff of General Redvers Buller, who is to command the British forces in South Africa, has been officially gazetted. It is the largest since the Crimean war.

Friday, Oct. 6.

Thursday, Oct. 19, will be observed as Thanksgiving day in the Dominion of Canada.

The annual convention of the American Butchers' Protective association closed at Cincinnati.

A 7-year-old son of Mrs. Thomas Payer at South Lima, Wis., is in a critical condition from having swallowed some diluted sulphuric acid.

Fifteen men missing from the steamer Day State, ashore near Cape Race, N.S., were rescued by a tug boat.

Adam Lukantich, the 8-year-old son of J. B. Lukantich, an iron importer at Chicago, has been seized with rabies.

The death of ex-United States Senator James Harlan occurred at his home in Mount Pleasant, Ia.

William Culliff, 22 years of age, leaped from the roof of a six-story building on State street, Chicago, and was killed instantly.

Saturday, Oct. 7.

There is a freight famine at Green Bay, Wis.

The mayor of Havana, Senor Perfecto Lacocho, has issued an order declaring that no Spanish flag shall be displayed in the city of Havana.

Bishop Henry C. Potter, of New York, is going to the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Tucker, who live near Cordele, Ga., are parents of twenty-one boys and eleven girls, all alive and in good health.

Tod Sloan had a fall at Kempton Park, England, the horse falling on him. He was not seriously hurt.

The auxiliary cruiser Prairie is being fitted out to carry the United States exhibits to the Paris exposition.

The grand field council of the Volunteers of America, in session at Blue Point, L. I., has decided to abolish the Chi.—Home.

Senator Jones, chairman of the Democratic national committee, is opposed to Chicago for headquarters and favors Washington.

Monday, Oct. 9.

In an altercation at Kenton, O., resulting from a dispute over politics Samuel Ewing, an aged and respected farmer of Silver Creek, was killed by James McGraw.

Senator Hoar arrived at Boston from Europe on the steamer Canada from Liverpool Saturday.

Ex-Vice President Adlai E. Stevenson, of Illinois, delivered an address before the Illinois Society at the fair grounds, Dallas, Tex., Saturday.

The boycott against the Big Consolidated Street Railway system at Cleveland, O., has been declared off.

A boycott resolution against Sunday newspapers has been adopted by the Evangelical association in session at St. Paul.

Mrs. Anita Comfort of St. Louis, the well-known song writer and a woman of literary taste and talent, was arrested by a new policeman on the complaint of one of her tenants. At the station the captain at once released the prisoner.

Tuesday, Oct. 10.

Golf has been introduced in Constantinople.

During a bull fight in a Paris suburb the bull charged through the barrier into the crowd of spectators. Two persons were fatally and twelve seriously injured.

Mormonism is the predominating religion in five of the western states.

William Dowd, aged 80 years, a prominent banker and railroad official of New York, is dead.

An epidemic of smallpox prevails at Carbonade and Cottage Home, Ills.

Vienna will soon celebrate the 500th anniversary of the foundation of its medical school.

During an Italian dance at Chicago Dominic Peterantonio shot and killed Pasquale Zaccanillo.

Over 350,000 photographs of Dewey are now ready for sale, and more are being turned out.

The new Mauser pistol used by the German cavalry will kill up to a distance of 500 yards.

Wednesday, Oct. 11.

Verdi, the eminent composer, celebrated his 86th birthday yesterday.

Rev. Dr. B. F. DeCosta, who recently resigned from the Church of St. John the Evangelist at New York, has retired from the Episcopal ministry. He is anti-Briggs.

There was no wind at New York yesterday and the cup race did not even start.

Distinguished guests of the festival at Chicago were annoyed by a new nuisance, known as "Jack the Button Clipper."

Leo Wankowski and Edward Tesmer, 15-year-old boys, engaged in a wrestling match at Chicago, and Leo had both arms broken.

The total United States wheat crop of 1890 is estimated by the American Agriculturist in its final report, published yesterday, at 565,350,000 bushels.

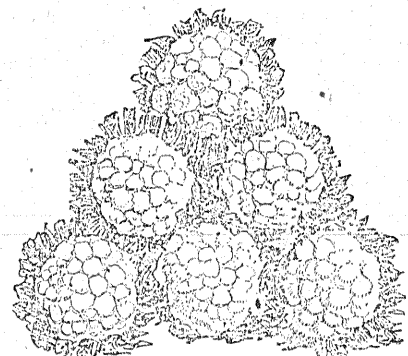
Thomas Lord Kimball, a veteran railroad official, is dead at Omaha, Neb.

FARM AND GARDEN

FINE CAULIFLOWER.

Extra Fine Heads—Hints For Growing First Class Specimens.

A correspondent who has made something of a specialty in growing cauliflower sends to American Gardening a photograph of some heads grown last season when the weather was unfavorable, hot and dry, at the particular time in the growth of the



FINE HEADS OF CAULIFLOWER.

plants when moisture and a cool atmosphere are necessary for producing a nice, solid head. The growth of the plants was rank and leafy, and, although they did not head up early, they did so rapidly and uniformly as soon as they began. There was scarcely a variation in the whole patch. They were solid, heavy, snow white.

In this connection some points on the growing of fine cauliflower for exhibition are quoted from the journal mentioned:

When the heads begin to form, some quick acting manure, such as nitrate of soda in a liquid form, will be of material assistance. When they attain some size, shading from sunshine is necessary to prevent the heads from getting yellowish in color. This is easiest done by bending a few of the outer leaves inward over the head; just crack the midrib and the leaf will stay in position without flagging or withering.

Should they mature a day or two ahead of time, it is better to pull them up and store in a cool, dark cellar, inserting the roots in moist soil to prevent wilting, as if left to grow out of doors they soon get past their best. In any case, if cut the night before they are needed and the cut ends immersed in water, the heads will keep fresh for a much longer period. Don't cut to short or take off many of the leaves, though it is often necessary to dress a few of the inner ones to show the head to its best advantage.

"I've got the drop on you and your name is mud," remarked the rain to the dust.—Ex.

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If you want a Sewing Machine, you
will do well to see me before buying.
I can save you some money. See them
at the Fair.

CHAS. D.
STRIFFLER

CHRONICLINGS.

Walter Bender is on the sick list.
Tis a baby girl at John Gallagher's.
Courtney Morgan Co. play at La-
peer this week.
Myron Hanson of Caro attended the
fair on Thursday.
Mrs. M. Hunt of Deloit visited at
T. H. Hunt's last week.
Workmen have begun laying brick
on the new Sheridan block.
Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Stevenson called
on Caro friends Tuesday.
A. G. Berney of Detroit, visited
with friends here last week.
D. J. Giles visited at his parental
home at Lapeer over Sunday.
Dr. McColl of Elkton was the guest
of Dugald Monroe last week.
P. Bertrand and wife are taking in
the Sebawaing fair this week.
Mrs. Phelps of Fairgrove is visiting
her daughter, Mrs. Amos Bond.
Messrs. Gray and Hooper of Caro
were callers in town on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson of Ar-
gyle took in the fair on Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Muck were the
guests of Rev. Pohly of Caro last Sun-
day.

Miss Mina Sommerville of Port Aus-
tin was the guest of Kate Miller last
week.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Striffler of Ar-
gyle visited at John Zinnecker's last
Tuesday.
Mrs. Hebblewhite entertained a few
of her friends at whist last Monday
evening.
Mrs. Wm. Sherman and Mrs. N. Pe-
ry of Mayville spent Sunday at S. Os-
trander's.
Mrs. J. H. Harris of Caro was the
guest of G. A. Stevenson and family
last week.
Class No. 6 of the M. E. S. S. have
arranged to have aazaar at Christ-
mas time.
Mrs. M. W. Moore of Sanilac Centre
visited with P. S. McGregory and wife
last week.
Miss Julia Crocker of Saginaw is
visiting at her parental home north-
east of town.
Messrs. Purdy and McMillan of
Gagetown took in the sights at the
fair last Friday.
What's the matter with Dwight
Freeman's gray pacer, "Harry J?"
We're proud of it.
Rev. Webber, of Moore, will occupy
the pulpit at the Evangelical church
next Sunday morning.
Donald MacArthur, of Haskell In-
stitute, Lawrence, Kan., is home on a
month's leave of absence.
The Misses Butler and Harrington
of North Branch were the guests of
Lillie Schenck last Friday.
Mrs. S. Foster of Pontiac is visiting
her mother Mrs. N. Bigelow. She in-
tends remaining some time.
Mrs. J. Gekeler of St. Joseph, Mo.,
was the guest of Mrs. C. O. Lenzner
Sr. the fore part of the week.
Laing & Jones' barn, which was re-
cently overhauled by Pancher & Son,
is now receiving a coat of paint.
The boiler for heating the new
Sheridan block has arrived and work-
men are placing it in the basement.
Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Graham of Frei-
burger and Mrs. R. E. Gamble of Caro
were guests at E. F. Marr's during the
fair.

Mark Fouran carried a cane the fore
part of the week. He accidentally let
a good sized stone he was carrying
drop on his foot.
Alex. Klein, who has been employed
in Riker & Ball's barber shop for the
past few months, left for Bay City
Monday morning.
Geo. Corrin of Cumber will have an
auction sale of farm stock and im-
plements on Wednesday, Oct. 18. J. H.
Striffler is the auctioneer.
Misses Belle MacArthur of Vassar,
Martha MacArthur of Pontiac, and
Nancy MacArthur of Millington, were
at home during the fair.
W. A. Fairweather sold his residence
to E. A. McGeorge for \$1,000. We un-
derstand that Mr. Fairweather in-
tends building next spring.
The Cass City Chronicle comes to
our table this week enlarged to a six
column paper. The Chronicle has
evidently come to stay.—Huron Coun-
ty Republican.
The Cass City Chronicle came out
in an improved form last week. It
has now four pages of six column
each, and is a very bright little jour-
nal.—Gagetown Times.
James Comstock, of Ellington; and
Miss Emma E. Marshall, of Cass City,
were united in marriage Sunday even-
ing at the home of the bride's parents
by Rev. John Dunham. Congratu-
lations.
The Cass City Chronicle expanded
last week into a six column folio.
That is like business and a sure sign
that a newspaper pays in that town.
We congratulate the publishers.—
Osceola Outline.

Mr. Beach's mother, Mrs. Gage, who
has been quite ill since coming here
on a visit from Ohio, is gaining slow-
ly. She leaves for her home today.

Mrs. Morgan filled the pulpit at the
Methodist church last Sunday in the
absence of Rev. Morgan. Her subject
for the evening was a history of the
life of Countess Von Schimmelman of
Denmark and the great revival work
she is doing in Chicago.

The Caro Courier is now nicely set-
tled in its new home and came out
last week looking as neat as you
please in a new dress. Bro. Slocum is
entitled to great credit for his marked
success and for all that he has done
for the town he represents.

There is not a vacant house in Cass
City unless it is one undergoing re-
pairs. Quite a number of houses con-
tain two families. This speaks well
for our town, especially when taken
into consideration the fact that fif-
teen or more new houses have been
built the past summer.

Cass City should have a band. She
has the instruments and lots of good
material to use them. Let the young-
er generation of boys secure permis-
sion from the council to use the in-
struments and commence tooting. It
is intimated, that if the boys don't
organize a band pretty soon the young
ladies will. Hurry up boys.

Wm. Meiser, of Buffalo, came home
Saturday evening and intends making
an extended visit. While waiting at
Oxford for the train going north, he
met with quite a serious accident. A
horse frightened by an incoming train
ran over him, leaving him uncon-
scious for two hours. He was quite
badly bruised on the side, arms and
knees but is again able to get around.

The team of Mr. Shetzburg, of
Grant, became frightened while
standing in front of J. H. Striffler's
last Wednesday and ran east as far as
the cemetery, when they were stopped
by Mr. Shetzburg, who was in the wag-
on and pluckily hung on to the lines.
Mr. S., who attempted to stop them,
was struck in the side and knocked to
the ground. Dr. Wickware attended
him and found that he suffered a
cracked rib and several ugly bruises.

Miss Belle Fuller, the young lady
engaged by the Baptist people last
May for their musical entertainment,
has been secured by the Caro Epworth
League as vocalist for their musical
on Friday, Oct. 20, as an evidence of
how Miss Fuller's capabilities are re-
cognized by those who are regarded as
judges of good vocal art. Early this
week, Miss Fuller received a letter
from the President requesting her to
fill an excellent position as vocalist
in Texas, which she accepted and will
start for her new field of labor Oct. 31,
Caro being the last northern engage-
ment she will fill.

On the first Sunday of the month,
Rev. C. H. Morgan presented the plan
of a new course of bible study and
sixty names of members for the circle
were secured. The list has since been
added to and is open for all who may
wish to join. The first meeting of
the circle will be held in the lecture
room of the M. E. church next Mon-
day evening beginning at 7:30. The
program for the evening will consist
of vocal solos by Cassius Wood and
John Wilder, violin solo by May Lan-
don; recitations by Myrtle Brooker
and Cecil Fritz and a talk by Dick S.
Landon on "Seven days in Japan."
Dr. Morgan, who has just returned
from the Moody bible conference at
Chicago, will report upon the work to
be undertaken. Every one is cordially
invited to be present.

CARO

Dr. Meredith and wife are visiting
in Cass City this week.

Haffy Hunt, one of Cass City gro-
cers, was in town Monday.

Miss Chandler, of Detroit, is the
guest of Chas. Montague and wife.

Ed Streeter foreman of the Courier
force is enjoying a week's vacation in
Saginaw.

C. Beece attended the formal ex-
ercises of laying the corner stone of the
new Chicago post office last Monday.

The Board of Supervisors convened
this week but as yet nothing but
questions of lesser importance have
been considered.

Dr. P. J. Livingston was present at
a meeting of the high court of the
Michigan I. O. O. F. held at Saginaw
on the 10th inst.

Next Monday the beet factory will
begin active operations. It is report-
ed that there are now 80 car loads on
the track brought from adjacent
towns.

Miss Coner De Lion, Mrs. Himel-
hoeh's milliner returned from Grand
Rapids on Monday, where she had
been called on account of the serious
illness of relatives.

The Epworth League of this place
are preparing to give a high class en-
tertainment on Friday, Oct. 20. Miss
Belle Fuller of Detroit has been en-
gaged as vocalist for the evening. The
young lady comes highly recommend-
ed by the best vocalists of Detroit and
Toronto and the excellent testimonials
furnished by good musical critics
in her recent tour of Georgian Bay
cities bespeak her capabilities as a
Scottish ballad and oratorio vocalist.

Lewis Orr, Cass's young veterinary
surgeon starts for Toronto Saturday
to prosecute the prescribed course of
study at the Toronto Veterinary col-
lege. Lou evinces marked ability in
this line and already has won for him-
self a reputation that many a regular
practitioner would covet. His genial
manners and the utmost courtesy he
shows to all has won him a high place
in the estimation of the many who
know him. Recently a surprise was
given him at which his friends pre-
sented him with a beautiful gold
watch and chain.

Fractional School Dist. No. 6.

Beautiful fair and weather.

Wm. Shirley and son, of Tyre, did
business in our burg on Saturday.

E. R. Hunt and wife and Mrs. H. L.
Hunt Sunday at Isaac Maxwell's.

We shook hands with a good many
old friends at the fair whom we had
not seen for years.

Maggie Hunt of Detroit and Mrs.
H. L. Hunt of Cass City visited at E.
R. Hunt's fair time.

NOVESTA

Apples continue to fall.

M. H. Quick is convalescent.

Everybody seems to be well satisfied
with the district fair.

Mrs. Mildred Feeley of Cheboygan
is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Houghton and Lizzie Bailey
were callers at the cottage Sunday.

The Misses Houghten of Ortonville
are visiting their many friends in
Novesta.

Hart Michel is laid up with a sore
hand. He thinks it is poisoned by
corn smut.

E. S. Houghten and Wm. Justin
took the train at Deford for Lewiston
on Wednesday morning.

ARGYLE

How did you enjoy the Fair?

Quite a number Argylites visited
the Cass City fair.

J. McPhail has had a stone wall
built under his house.

Wm. Striffler and family drove to
Cass City last Tuesday.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the
home of Mrs. Neil McPhail this week.

Mrs. Henry Darr visited friends at
Pt. Sanilac last week.

Geo. Geister smiled upon us today
for the first time since his severe ill-
ness.

Mrs. Smith of Croswell is expected
in town this week to organize an L. O.
T. M. lodge here.

A neat little paper, which is chris-
tened "Argyle Courier" and is pub-
lished by Mr. Sefton, is introducing
itself in town this week. Read it.

Mr. Little and wife returned from
Detroit last Saturday. He is rapidly
gaining strength from the operation
but is little, if any, improved other-
wise.

Ruben Graybill has sold his farm to
Fred Kline and intends to go into the
saw-mill business elsewhere. We wel-
come Mr. Kline, yet are loathe to
lose Mr. Graybill and wife.

Wm. Hartell, an old and highly re-
spected citizen who lived on his farm
two miles east and south of town,
died last week after a long illness and
was laid to rest in the Lutheran cem-
etery south of Argyle. Undertaker
McPhail had charge of the funeral.

SHABBONA

Wedding bells will ring in the near
future.

Anna Lawrence spent Sunday in
Argyle.

George Smith will move on his farm
oil section 25 soon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Procter spent
Thursday at Cass City.

Miss Ella Leepha spent Saturday and
Sunday with her parents.

Mary Keyworth returned from Flint
where she has been for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrence and
daughters attended the Cass City fair.

School was closed Friday to allow
the teacher and pupils to attend the
fair.

Mrs. VanNorman is in Brockway,
having been called there by the illness
of her mother-in-law.

George Gotham arrived here Tues-
day noon to attend the funeral of his
sister, Mrs. Frank Parrot.

A large number from here attended
the Cass City fair after having been
to the fairs in the neighboring towns
and say Cass City had the best fair in
the Thumb.

Friday evening, after an illness of
several months, Mrs. Frank Parrot
passed away. The funeral services
were held in the Methodist church
Tuesday at two o'clock. She left a
husband and five small children, be-
sides a mother, brothers and sister to
mourn her loss.

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roof, paper felt and canvas roof. An excellent finish; durable for boilers,
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I have on hand, twenty in number at astonishingly low prices; ranging from
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J. L. Hitchcock,

Opera House Block.

People as a rule and especially women

Like to see goods

that will make their Kitchen, Dining
Room, Bed Room and Parlor

Look elegant and rich

To all such the opportunity of your life will be this coming week
in this line.

We have bought heavy and
Up-to-date High Toned Goods

Butter, eggs, and 100 lb. of pumpkin and true Hubbard
squash seed wanted.

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Call in and examine
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Empire and
Buckeye
Grain
Drills

and all other kinds of Farming implements.
I carry the most complete line of.....

Wagons
and
Buggies

in the Thumb. The Studebaker and
Harrison wagons take the lead. I have
100 car loads of Land Fertilizer for sale; al-
so a few good work horses.....

J. H. Striffler,
The Auctioneer.