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National Heart Answers to the Grief Throb at Canton.

Canton, O., Sept. 20.—With majestic solemnity, surrounded by his countrymen and his townspeople, in the presence of the president of the United States, the cabinet, justices of the United States supreme court, senators and representatives in congress, the heads of the military and naval establishments, the governors of states, and a great concourse of people who had known and loved him, all that is mortal of the third president to fall by an assassin's bullet, was Thursday committed to the grave. It was a spectacle of mournful grandeur. Canton ceased to be a town and swelled to the proportions of a great city. From every city and hamlet in Ohio, from the remote corners of the south and from the east and west, the human tide flowed into the town until 100,000 people were within its gates—here to pay their last tribute to the fallen chief.

The final scenes at the First Methodist church, where the funeral service was held, and at the beautiful West Lawn cemetery, where the body was consigned to a vault, were simple and impressive. The service at the church consisted of a brief oration, prayers by the ministers of three denominations, and singing by a quartette. The body was then taken to West Lawn cemetery and placed in a receiving vault, pending the time when it will be finally laid to rest beside the dead children who were buried years ago. The funeral procession was very imposing, and included not only the representatives of the army and navy of the United States, but the entire military strength of the state of Ohio and hundreds of civic, fraternal and other organizations. It was two miles long.

The Soldier's Last Call.
The service at the vault was that of the Methodist church. When it was over Colonel Bingham waved his hand to eight buglers of the Canton band, who had taken station upon the side of the mound, above and to the south of the vault. Instantly from the eight bugles rang out the notes of the soldier's last call, "taps." It was beautifully done, and the last notes of the bugles died away so softly that all who heard it remained listening for a few seconds to hear if it was really ended. When the last note had floated away Secretary Wilson was in tears, Secretary Hitchcock also weeping, and the president was gazing grimly at the

wall. It was the last moment for the man who had been so closely associated with the president for so long, and the thought seemed greater than most of them could bear.

It was all ended at last.
Tears Give Her Blessed Relief.
One of the most pathetic features of the day was the absence of Mrs. McKinley from the funeral services at the church and cemetery, when the body of her husband was laid to rest. Since the first shock of the shooting she had borne up bravely. But there was a limit to human endurance, and when yesterday came it found her too weak to pass through the trials of the final ceremonies. Through the open door of her room she heard the prayer of the minister as the body was borne out of the house. After that Dr. Rixey remained close by her side, and although the full force of the calamity had come upon her it was believed by those about her that there was a providential mercy in her tears, as they gave some relief to the anguish of the whole within.

WHOLE EARTH THROBS WITH GRIEF
Wave of Sorrow That Envelops the Globe—Very Impressive Feature.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—The throb of grief that was dominant at Canton yesterday was one that thrilled the people of the whole world. From north and south, east and west the same story comes—of men standing uncovered for a moment, of industry stopped, of women sobbing and of the roll of the muffled drum and the tread of men to the music of the dirge. Probably never in history was there such a universal expression of grief for one man as that of yesterday for William McKinley.

Probably the most impressive of the many features of the day's services was that of multitudes stopping their work or walk—or whatever they were doing—for five minutes and remaining silent, or in prayer or song, during that time. Here at Chicago at 2:30 p. m. the noises of a great city were hushed and its commerce suspended while mourning thousands paid their last tribute to the memory of William McKinley. The silence was broken alone by muffled bells tolling off the fifty-eight illustrious years of the dead president's life. At this hour all business not already suspended stopped for five minutes. This included the street cars by whatever means run, the central power being stopped and the cars remaining motionless for that time, while men doffed their hats and sometimes women prayed, or sang "Nearer My God, to Thee."

This occurred in mills, shops and everywhere. The procession that was passing through Chicago streets at the time stopped; the 150,000 men working for the great steel trust stopped their work. Thus it was that in shop, mill, street, home—everywhere—for five minutes yesterday afternoon men and women paid a tribute of love and honor to the name of the dead president. But most impressive of all was the stoppage on the railways of the country. Between 2 and 3 p. m. everywhere, on nearly every line in the land, the trains came to a standstill, wherever they were, and for five minutes not a wheel turned. At the same time the telegraph operators all over the land sat at their keys, and not a click was heard.

Nor was it only in the United States that honor was paid his memory. First in this respect was the British empire. Wherever the union jack flies there were memorial services, flags half-masted and other expressions of sorrow and sympathy. In historic West-

minster Abbey, in St. Paul's and in innumerable churches of the three kingdoms there were memorial services, attended by the greatest in the land, and by the king's representative as to the service at the Abbey. At Paris, Berlin, St. Petersburg, Vienna, Constantinople, Copenhagen—every European capital, in fact—there were similar services.

In every hamlet in the United States there were memorial services of appropriate character. In the great cities they were elaborate, and everywhere—on farm, in town—the hum of business stopped for five minutes at the approximate hour when the nation's beloved was laid in the tomb.

Last night the Auditorium here was packed at memorial services at which prominent citizens delivered addresses. There were 25,000 men in the memorial parade yesterday, and at the head of the column was the carriage in which the late president had ridden when here two years ago. It was empty.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT CONFERS.
Holds His First Cabinet Meeting and Takes Possession of the White House.

Washington, Sept. 21.—President Roosevelt took possession of the White House yesterday, when he arrived from Canton, and immediately called a cabinet meeting for 11 a. m. His purpose was to confer with his advisers as to anything that might have come up recently, and also as to the condition of the various questions before the administration. All of the members were present except Attorney General Knox, who stopped for a few days in Pittsburg. Each member explained to the president the policy which had been followed in dealing with the matters under consideration and their present status. No new business was taken up. The president again announced his intention to follow the policy marked out by President McKinley.

About 1:30 o'clock, shortly after the conclusion of the cabinet meeting, President Roosevelt left the White House to go to the residence of his sister, the wife of Commander Cowles, of the navy, for luncheon. Disdaining a carriage, he walked swiftly and alone. No one had known when he would leave his office, and as he passed briskly out of the grounds of the executive mansion he attracted little attention, scarcely anybody recognizing him. He crossed Pennsylvania avenue into Lafayette square, and thence up Sixteenth street to his destination. In the course of an hour and a half he returned to the White House, still alone, and still walking.

MORE HARD FIGHTING
South African War Is Yet Going on with Success That Is Variable.

London, Sept. 23.—The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, Sept. 22: "Kritzinger, while endeavoring to force a passage of the Orange river, near Hirschell, at 1 o'clock Friday morning, rushed the camp of a party of Lovatt's scouts. He failed to cross the river, but the scouts lost heavily. Lieutenant Colonel Hon. Andrew Murray and Captain Murray, his adjutant, were killed. Deeply regret the loss of Colonel Murray, who throughout the war had led Lovatt's scouts with great gallantry. Under cover of darkness the Boers managed to carry off a gun. They were promptly followed up and the gun was recovered in a smart engagement, in which Kritzinger lost two-killed and twenty taken prisoners."

Lord Kitchener also reports that the British captured by the Boers in the ambush near Scheepers' Nek, Sept. 17, have been released, and that the British casualties in the recent Vlakfontein engagement, when the Boers captured a company of mounted infantry and two guns, were one officer and five men killed, twenty-three men wounded, and six officers and 109 men taken prisoners. He announces that these prisoners have since been released. He further reports the capture of two commandoes—one consisting of fifty-five men under Commandant Kochs, who were taken together with their entire transport, west of Adamburg, and the other consisting of fifty-four men, including P. J. Botha (brother of the commandant general), who were taken with forty-eight wagons and their belongings forty-five miles southeast of Carolin.

Panic at a State Fair.
Springfield, Ill., Sept. 23.—Fire destroyed the Woman's building on the state fair grounds and caused a panic among thirty young women from various parts of the state who were quartered in the structure. The women escaped in their nightclothes, but lost part of their clothing in the flames. Secretary Garrard says the accident will not interfere with the state fair, which will open a week from next Monday, and that the women will be furnished other suitable quarters on the grounds.

Insane Asylum Burns.
Norfolk, Neb., Sept. 24.—The state insane asylum and adjacent buildings, eight in all, were destroyed by fire which started at 5 o'clock in the morning. Six hundred patients were in the institution at the time, three of whom are missing and supposed to have been burned to death. The loss is almost total. The patients are now quartered in an open field and are guarded by local authorities until they can be sent to the Lincoln and Hastings asylums.

Boers Make a Big Capture.
London, Sept. 20.—The Boers have captured 200 British troops and three guns at Scheepers' Nek.

LOOP OF THE BROOKLYN

WHAT IT DID TO THE TEXAS

Occupies the Time of the Schley Inquiry—"Logs" Seem To Be Uncertain.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The Schley court of inquiry was brought to a sudden termination for the day eighteen minutes after convening by the announcement of the sudden death of Judge Jeremiah Wilson, senior counsel for Admiral Schley.

Death was caused from an acute attack of indigestion.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The part played by the battleship Texas in the naval battle off Santiago on July 3, 1898, was the basis of the greater part of yesterday's proceedings in the Schley court of inquiry. Three of the witnesses were on board the Texas during the battle, and two of them were Commander George C. Heilner, who was navigator on the Texas, and Commander Alex. B. Bates, who was the chief engineer on that battleship.

Heilner swore that the "loop" made by the Brooklyn at the beginning of the fight put the Texas in more danger than anything else that occurred that day; that the Texas had to slow down vigorously to avoid a collision; that the Brooklyn was not more than 150 yards away when she loomed up out of the smoke, and that the interruption to the Texas cost her about three miles in the chase. Bates swore that the starboard engine had been stopped, and he believed the port engine had also been stopped at that time.

One thing that seems to be coming out in the investigation is that log books are very uncertain. For instance, the "steam log" of the Texas contains no record of the stoppage of the engines at the time of the "loop" episode; and in course of his examination Captain Harber expressed contempt for "log" statements. The "loop" matter was about all that was important in the case yesterday.

The day closed with another animated controversy between counsel as to the policy of bringing Admiral Sampson's name into the trial.

SHAFFER ISSUES A STATEMENT
Bitter Language Directed Against Members Who Deserted.

Pittsburg, Sept. 24.—President Shaffer of the Amalgamated association has sent out a circular to all the lodges of the association giving a history of the late strike and the terms of settlement. Stung by the criticisms from members of the organization as well as from outside, Mr. Shaffer indulges in bitter language in writing of some phases of the struggle. This he directs particularly against members of the association who deserted its cause and other labor unions, which, he intimates, failed to keep promises of support.

The circular states that the prospects of winning were at the beginning bright, but that aid was expected from other labor bodies. This, according to the circular, was denied, the American Federation of Labor and the United Mine Workers not contributing a cent. Shaffer then goes on to say that, seeing the impossibility of gaining a decisive victory, steps were taken to make the best terms possible. President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor is accused of neglecting to attend a conference in New York with Morgan, and the charge is made that Gompers has refused an explanation.

APPOINTED BY ROOSEVELT
The Man Picked Out by McKinley for Comptroller of the Currency.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—A special to The Tribune from Canton, O., says: "President Roosevelt, in conformity with his policy to carry out as far as possible the plans of President McKinley, announced yesterday the appointment of W. B. Ridgeley, of Springfield, Ill., as comptroller of the currency."

Mr. Ridgeley, who is the son-in-law of Senator Cullom, was the choice of the late president for the post to be made vacant on Oct. 1 by the retirement of Charles G. Daves. In fact, the commission was signed by Mr. McKinley just before the journey to Buffalo, but formal announcement of the appointment was delayed.

MISS CONGER IS MARRIED
Becomes the Wife of Lieut. Fred E. Buchanan, U. S. A., at Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—The marriage of Miss Laura Conger, daughter of United States Minister Edwin H. Conger, to Lieutenant Fred E. Buchanan, U. S. A., was celebrated last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McConnell, 4359 Lake avenue. Miss Conger was with her parents in Peking during the siege, and Lieutenant Buchanan was with the American forces in the relief column.

Large Purchase of Standing Pine.
Escanaba, Mich., Sept. 20.—A deal has been closed in this city whereby Silverthorn & Co., of Tonawanda, N. Y., bought of McArthur Bros., of Saginaw, 9,000,000 feet of standing pine, or 5,000 acres of land, situated on the Huron river in Baraga county.

Wants \$20,000 from the Wabash.
Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 20.—Frederick Dill, of Milan, has commenced a \$20,000 damage suit against the Wabash railroad. He claims that he was injured at the coal chute of the company at Milan last February, and is now a physical wreck.

IT HAS BEEN RUMORED

that Harry Binns had cut down the large maple shade trees in front of his home, and when the one who circulated the report was asked why H. B. should do such a very foolish thing? He would reply, that said Binns had three daughters and wanted a little son. Now we must brand the above as a cruel joke, for while we have three fine daughters, the maples still stand.

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HOME DEPARTMENT

Table Decorations.

The fact that the daily use of flowers on the home table has grown to be almost universal among some classes of the American people, argues well for their appreciation of the aesthetic and the artistic in combination with the more material things of life. Flowers always exert a refining influence, and it is well to use them where this influence will be most effective among the younger portion of the family; and at no place about the house do the children seem to come into closer companionship than at the table. Martin Luther "knew whereof he spake" when he said that a plant in the window was powerful enough to keep the devil outside. Let the child come to the breakfast table and find himself face to face with a flower or a bit of "green things growing," and he will have a pleasant memory of the morning to carry with him throughout the day. The housewife who neglects to make use of flowers liberally in the daily administration of the affairs of the household, overlooks a most potent factor for good. Make it a rule always to have something on the table beside china and cut glass and silver, to brighten it and make it more attractive than those things can. A few flowers, or a growing plant, will make the table of the poor man pleasanter than the rich man's is without them.

It is an excellent plan to grow some plants having fine foliage, and a low, spreading habit, expressly for table use. Some of the Adiantum ferns are exquisite for this purpose. A reference to the catalogue description of ferns will tell which kinds are best adapted for use on the table. The smaller low-growing sorts will be found better than the tall ones. They should be planted so thickly that their foliage entirely covers the soil.

There must be a solid mass of greenery. It is well to train it in such a manner that the pot is also covered; but if this cannot be done, pretty coverings for the pot can easily be made, or ornamental dishes can be used to set the pots in. Some of the Lycopodiums are fine for the table. So is a Rex begonia, with perfect foliage; or a Primula obconica, starred all over with its pale blooms, suggestive of the woods of spring by their delicate odor; or a Chinese primrose in full bloom, a Roman hyacinth, an Ardisia, whose thick, dark foliage and scarlet berries remind you of the holly of holiday-time, an Otahette orange, showing fruit or flowers, or a pot of daffodils, gay with the gold of spring. All these, and many other plants well adapted to cultivation in the window-garden, can be made to do duty on the table. There is a great economy in decorative work of this kind, in the use of growing plants, for they can be used over and over again without injury to themselves, if they are not kept from the window longer than a day at a time.

It is well to prepare a number of plants for this particular use. In

this way we can have variety. But ferns will be found the most satisfactory, all things considered, of any plants that can be used for table decoration. Their beautiful foliage makes them vastly more attractive, in themselves, than many flowering plants are, and there is about them a delicacy and refinement which few other plants possess. We never tire of them. It may be said, by some, that plants without flowers lack the brightness which the table needs, but this lack can easily be remedied. With ferns for a basis, we can so vary the program of table decoration that it need not be alike two days in the week. To day we can use a spray of heliotrope, or a few clusters of white and gold lantana among the ferns, tomorrow a bunch of pink and white, or yellow chrysanthemums. Next day a rose, or a few carnations. Then there will be the geraniums, the begonias, the hyacinths, the daffodils and scores of other flowers to draw from, at different seasons of the year. Not many flowers will be needed at a time. The artistic effect which should be aimed at is not so much dependent on quantity as on quality. A few flowers, judiciously used, on a groundwork of beautiful foliage, will be vastly more pleasing than a large number of them, tortured into shapes and combinations, which attract notice because of their novelty, or some striking feature which has the effect of making the flowers seem of secondary importance. The lover of beauty for beauty's sake will never resort to such means for the decoration of her table. She will always consider the flowers themselves as of more importance than the arrangement of them, and aim so to dispose of each one that its beauty and its individuality will be fully brought out. Arrangement is all right, but make it always subordinate to the flowers you make use of.

The use of fern dishes containing growing plants, makes it possible for us to produce the most artistic effect in the easiest manner, because the stems of the flowers can be thrust into the soil. This will not only keep them fresh, but it furnishes a support for the flower which we cannot always give it in vases, thus enabling us to dispose of it naturally. The use of cut flowers in combination with growing plants of the most desirable ferns is to be encouraged, for it opens great possibilities in the decorative line without much expense. There need be no sameness, no monotony in the ornamentation of the table if these suggestions are followed.

In combination with the ferns, the smaller palms may be used effectively as a central plant. The cocos palms are charming for this purpose, especially Weddelliana, with its dainty, plummy foliage. Kentia bedmoreana and K. fosteriana, Dracaena sanderiana, and the Pandanus, can be used with fine effect if not too large. The combination can be changed to suit the taste of the decorator, if she has a stock of plants to draw from, as she should have.

EBEN E. REXFORD.

Wanted—Language Reform.
The fact that our language is spreading over the world at an amazing rate emphasizes regret for its numberless defects and increases the desire for needed reforms. One of the worst defects is that we have many words which, while differing in orthography and meaning, are alike in sound. For example, "rowed," "rode," "road," "write," "rite," "right," "wright." Is it not surprising that foreigners sometimes acquire a pretty good knowledge of English?—Washington Post.

Number Thirteen in Coins.
"I have never been able to comprehend," said a veteran numismatist, "why so many Americans should believe that a vast amount of ill luck centers around the number thirteen. The commonest of all our silver coins is the twenty-five cent piece. In the words 'quarter dollar' are thirteen letters. Thirteen letters compose the Pluribus Unum. In the tail of the eagle are thirteen feathers, and in the shield are thirteen lines. There are thirteen stars and thirteen arrowheads, while if you examine the bird through a microscope you will find thirteen feathers in his wing."—Detroit Free Press.

One on the Doctor.
Going into the free dispensary of the New York College and Hospital for Women one afternoon a physician found three or four little girls who, while awaiting treatment, had evidently made friends, and were huddled together on one bench, eagerly discussing something of great interest, which on investigation proved to be a much handled "chunk" of candy. In astonishment he inquired what they were doing. Some questioning finally elicited an explanation that "de one what tells de biggest lie wins it." "Oh," said the doctor, "I am ashamed of you. When I was little like you I never told lies." A slight pause, then from the smallest girl, "Give him de candy."

The Dangers of Rest.
Scribner's Magazine Aunt Anne's "before the war" mistress must have been a woman of iron constitution, to judge by the way she regards with contempt my own physical limitations. Tuesday she held me sternly to the duty of overhauling the pantry and its appurtenances. Wednesday, stiff and sore, I sought again and again the solace of the sofa, only to be aroused by callers whom I could not refuse to see. In the afternoon I lay down once more, and, in no very amiable temper, told Aunt Anne that no matter who called, I was not to be disturbed.

A little later, through the open window, I heard her say to our clergyman: "No, sir; Miss Carryline ain't feelin' like seein' nobody this evenin'." She exalted herself so much this mornin' restin' that it made her sick."

Department Store Girls.
A man connected with a large department store says: "I have in my department about one hundred and fifty girls—salesgirls, wrappers and clerks. All of them are healthy looking, and yet I noticed that they got sick a tremendous lot. The other day I had occasion to go to their cloakroom, and there I saw a sort of roster neatly typewritten on one wall. 'Mondays,' it said, 'Miss Brown, Miss Smith, Miss Jones; Tuesdays, Miss Bell, Miss Willing, Miss Gray.' And so on. I wondered what it meant, and then all of a sudden the scheme dawned on me. With that copy I can now tell beforehand what girls will plead illness on any particular day of the week. But it isn't in operation any longer. The general health of my department is much better than it was."—Philadelphia Record.

Careless.
"He's a good physician in some ways," she remarked, "but he is careless, and that naturally hurts him." "Doesn't get his prescription mixed, does he?" "That's just what he did in the case of Mrs. Jenkins." "Nothing serious, I hope." "Yes, it was. Not fatal, of course, but quite serious. He failed to acquaint himself with the circumstances and prescribed a month's rest in the country when she could easily afford a trip to Europe. I don't think she'll ever have him again."—Chicago Post.

MR. ROOT'S "LUGGAGE."
From the Philadelphia Post: Secretary Root has a gift, not unlike Lincoln's, of infusing humor into the laborious details of official duties. The war secretary's office has been throughout the administration an extremely busy one. Now the hurrying demands of war have been supplanted by the exacting responsibilities of preparing military government for the colonies, not to speak of the multiplying affairs of regular army business. But Secretary Root, although possessed of unusual capacity for hard and prolonged work, seems never to be hurried, and will occasionally pause in the midst of revolving routine to entertain his associates or visitors with some pleasant remark.

A few days ago he was superintending the work of revising the Cuban tariff. Item after item was drearily gone over, and to the assembled clerks it seemed that the secretary was not, on this occasion, to enlighten the proceedings with his customary wit. Suddenly his face lightened up. He had come across the word "luggage" written into the tariff, evidently by some Britisher among the clerks. "Luggage!" exclaimed the secretary, "here at last is unmistakable evidence that our country is drifting into imperialism."

Three Londons.
While building the London Exchange the workmen came upon a gravel pit full of oyster shells, bones of cattle, old sandals and shatter'd pottery, says a writer in the Youth's Companion. Two pavements were dug up under the French church in Threadneedle street, and other pavements have been cut through in several parts of the city. Authorities on the subject say that all the soil seems to have risen over Roman London at the rate of nearly a foot a century. Still farther must the searcher dig to find the third London, the earlier London of the Britons. It is supposed to be buried under the London of Roman days.

OLD TIMES AT FORT SMITH.
When Judicial Hangings Were the Chief Industry.

With the opening of the Kiowa and Comanche country to settlers this summer, the memories of all men of the southwest will vividly recall the days not long past, when that part of the world was the refuge of the most desperate criminals on earth. Until a western edge of the Arkansas was the hanging center of the universe. That was when the Federal court of the Western District of Arkansas had jurisdiction over the five civilized tribes of the Indian Territory. Almost 50,000 people have flocked to Fort Smith when it offered an extra attraction in the gallows line. No circus day in any part of America could rival that town on such occasions. Merchants prepared weeks ahead for the rush. Fakirs and gamblers hurried there from all points in the southwestern country. Men, women and children on horse, mule and afoot, or in conveyances of all kinds, moved on Fort Smith from every direction, until on "hanging day" the city swarmed with visitors who turned the event—solemn in other parts of the world—into one of unrestrained gaiety. But that is all passed and Fort Smith, a hustling and progressive city, wants to forget the time when hanging men was its principal industry.

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ALL WANTED "JIM FISKS."
A certain well known politician during the state convention met a lot of his old-time friends from southern Maryland at Ford's Opera House, and after the convention was over so glad was he to see them that he took the whole crowd around to a nearby restaurant, lined them all up against the bar and requested them to "nominate their drink."
Everybody took whisky except the city man, who had the bartender manufacture him a gin fizz. When the drink had been placed before him one old fellow asked:
"Say, what's that you're drinking?"
"That," said the city man, "is a gin fizz."
"Say, bartender," said the county politician, "take back your whisky and give me a 'Jim Fisk, too.'"
The rest of the crowd liked the name, and in a few minutes every man had repudiated whisky and was drinking "Jim Fisks."—Baltimore Sun.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN ss. Probate Court COUNTY OF BERRIEN ss. Probate Court of Leonidas P. Bailey, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of said County, Commissioners on Claims in the matter of said estate, and six months from the 20th day of August, A. D. 1901 having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present their claims to me for examination and adjustment.
Notice is hereby given, that we will meet on Wednesday, the 27th day of November, A. D. 1901, and on Wednesday, the 28th day of February, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock of each day at the office of the undersigned, in the village of Buchanan, in said County, to receive and examine such claims.
Dated August 26, A. D. 1901.
L. L. ROY H. DODD } Commissioners
JOHN C. WENZER }
Last publication July 4, 1901.

First publication August 8, 1901.

Foreclosure Sale
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage dated the 13th day of June, A. D. 1898, executed by Ephraim W. Sanders and Louisa Sanders his wife, of the village of Buchanan, county of Berrien, State of Michigan, to Cass C. DeArmond, of the county and state aforesaid, which mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of said county of Berrien, in Liber 75 of Mortgages, on page 577, on the 16th day of June, A. D. 1898; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of four hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty cents, to which is to be added the further sum of thirty dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that the power of sale contained in said mortgage and of the statute in such case made and provided.
Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1901, at one o'clock, A. M., after noon, for the purpose of enforcing said mortgage, the premises therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph, county of Berrien; said premises being situated in the village of Buchanan, county of Berrien, State of Michigan, and described as follows:—Commencing at the southeast corner of the lot of Hamilton's plat of the village of Buchanan, thence west twenty-six (26) feet, thence north ninety-nine (99) feet, thence east twenty-six (26) feet, thence south ninety-nine (99) feet to the place of beginning.
Dated August 8, 1901.
CASS C. DEARMOND, Mortgagee.
ALTON C. HOE, Attorney for Mortgagee.

Estate of Levi A. Spaulding, deceased
First publication August 5, 1901.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien ss. In the matter of the estate of Levi A. Spaulding.
Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said Levi A. Spaulding, by the Hon. Judge of Probate, for the county of Berrien, on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1901, there will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the premises hereinafter described, in Buchanan township, in the county of Berrien, in said State, on Friday, the 20th day of September, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased, or at the time of said sale, and also subject to the right of dower and the homestead rights of the widow of said deceased therein), the following described real estate, to wit:
All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated, lying and being in the township of Buchanan, Berrien County and state of Michigan, and known and described as follows, to wit:
The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section four (4), and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section five (5) all in town seven (7) south, range eighteen (18) west. Containing eighty (80) acres more or less.
Dated August 7, 1901.
AMOS C. SPAULDING, Administrator of the estate of Levi A. Spaulding.
A. A. WORMINGTON, attorney for estate.
Last publication September 19, 1901.
The above sale was adjourned to Tuesday, October 9, 1901 at 9 a. m., at the premises above described.
AMOS C. SPAULDING, Adm.
Dated Sept. 20th, 1901.

Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage dated the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1890, executed by Mrs. J. M. Fender, of the village of Buchanan, county of Berrien, state of Michigan, to John C. Marble, of St. Joseph county, state of Indiana, which mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Berrien aforesaid in Liber 50 of mortgages, on page 39, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1890.
On which mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars as principal and one hundred and sixty-two dollars and thirty-five cents as interest; and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided.
Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of December, A. D. 1901, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of enforcing said mortgage, the premises therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph in said county of Buchanan, county of Berrien, state of Michigan, and described as follows:
Number three (3) and four (4) in block "D" in Clark's addition to the village of Buchanan
Dated September 19, 1901.
JOHN C. MARBLE, deceased, mortgagee by JOHN C. MARBLE, executor of the estate of said John C. Marble deceased.
ATLON C. ROE, attorney for John C. Marble administrator.
Last publication Dec. 12, 1901.

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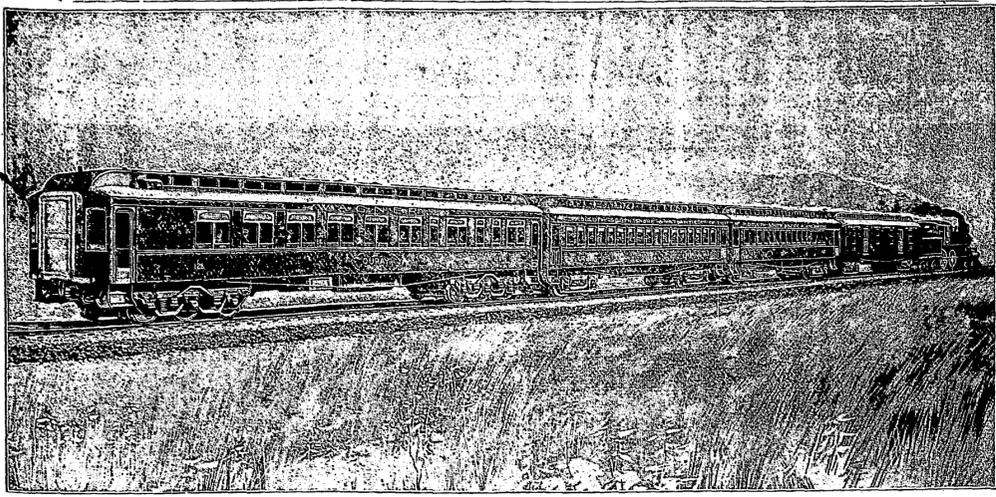
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OUR TRAIN TO THE "SOO"

A Specimen Train on "The Marquette Route"

MICHIGAN'S NORTHLAND-III.

St. Ignace to Sault Ste Marie.

We landed at St. Ignace at 1:15 p. m. after a delightful sail entirely around Mackinac island affording us an excellent opportunity of seeing the enchanting beauty of this island. We were not due to leave St. Ignace until 5:20 and we had four hours in which to see the sights of the town.

This town was founded in 1671 by Father Marquette and until the close of that century it was a busy center for the then wilderness of Michigan. A long period of inactivity and decay set in, but of late years this has changed and the D. S. S. & A. Ry are making the city an important shipping and commercial center, it being the southern terminus of this wide awake and progressive railroad.

The sights of St. Ignace were not numerous and why people stayed in the place was more than we could understand. We looked at the town and then we asked the baggage man at the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic depot what there was to see. He replied "There's Father Marquette's grave and St. Anthony's Rock." In response to a question as to whether we would have time to see them before the train left he replied that we had all kinds of time. We at once started in the direction indicated, to view the grave of the celebrated explorer and missionary and after a tedious walk of about half a mile in the hot sun over all kinds of sidewalk we arrived at the park and going inside we found the grave marked with a simple white stone, appropriately inscribed. On our way back to the lake front we saw St. Anthony's Rock, a peculiar formation of stone about 50 feet high, situated right in the town and on sloping ground near the railroad track. After our return to the depot we found that we still had time on hand, so we tried our best to bother the railroad employes with all sorts of questions, but we found the men, in fact every person connected with the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic uniformly courteous, affable and attentive to the comforts of traveller. (This is not "taffy" in exchange for transportation, but it is the simple facts.) The black smoke from the stacks of the car ferry "Sainte Marie" proclaimed the approach of our train and when the boat landed the train we stepped aboard and our trip through the wonderful upper peninsula was begun. The time from St. Ignace to Sault Ste Marie was formerly five hours but the management ever mindful of the comfort of its patrons arranged by coming into the "Soo" over another road's track to make the run in two and one half hours. Our train ran smoothly over the well ballasted road and on the way another incident occurred, which shows how much patience is needed in a railroad man's life.

A man and wife and four children were on their way to the state of Washington, and with the party was a nephew about 14 years of age whose father was already in Washington and had sent for him to come with his uncle's family. Their tickets were all purchased at the same time, but the ticket of the lad was by mistake sold over a different road and the lad would have to leave the party at Trout Lake and would reach Minneapolis 24 hours behind them. The prospect was rather appalling to the lad for he had no money, no lunch, expecting to be with his uncle's party, and was without a blessed thing except a half bushel basket of green apples given him by his grandmother when he started from Bellaire. When the lad realized the fix he was in, he didn't know what else to do so he began on the green apples and by the

time he reached Trout Lake he had in addition to the "blues" a fine dose of colic. A couple of travelling men interested themselves in the lad and took him over to a hotel where they gave him a dose of "hot stuff" for his colic, and in the meantime the conductor who had wired for instructions regarding his ticket was authorized to pass him along with the party, and when we left Trout Lake he was perfectly happy and was again pitching into the green apples.

Our train from Trout Lake to the "Soo" ran in over the tracks of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie Ry and we ran the entire distance about 45 miles without a stop except once to pass a train coming from the "Soo." Our arrival at the "Soo" was after dark and we saw very little of the place in our drive to the Park Hotel where we were given pleasant rooms and excellent service, during our stay in the city.

Sault Ste Marie is a city of about 10,000 inhabitants and has much of interest to the visitor. It is situated on the left bank of the U. S. canal built around the rapids in the St. Mary's river, and every indication points to a big boom for the thriving city with its diversified interests. There are a number of interesting sights at the "Soo" and our party were so much pleased and found so many things to see that we doubled the time allotted in our itinerary.



INTERIOR OF DINING CAR Running over the D. S. S. & A. Ry.

The U. S. canal and locks were our first objective point and after an early breakfast we crossed the street and entered the government park which borders on the locks, our hotel facing the park. The locks here are massive examples of engineering and are two in number. The Weitzel lock is the older and smaller of the two, but it is no small affair being 550 feet in length 80 feet wide at widest part and a capacity for vessels drawing 16 feet and less, and when filled holds three million gallons of water, but so well arranged is the lock and the mechanism which operates it, that a vessel can be locked through the 18 feet difference in water levels, in ten minutes from the time the gates are closed, the valves either emptying or filling the lock in exactly nine minutes. The new lock is the celebrated Poe lock, has a length of 800 feet a width of 100 feet and is 22 feet deep. No charge is made by the government for locking vessels through whether American or Canadian, and the Canadian locks on the opposite side of the rapids reciprocate in this arrangement. Nearly one hundred vessels pass through the American locks daily, and only about a fifth as many through the Canadian. The locks are all operated by hydraulic power. A peculiar fascination exists about the locks, people sitting hours at a time watching the big freighters go through. After a visit to the engine room and viewing the imposing array of valves, pumps and weights we left and started to see the rest of the sights. We had a card of introduction to Mr. Louis Desenberg brother of Messrs. B. J. and Sig Desenberg, and our party

hunted him up, finding him pleasantly located at the immense big store of Prinzlaur Bros., and upon making ourselves known were given many valuable pointers as to what to see about town, and as Mr. Desenberg was boarding at the Park, our stay was made doubly agreeable by the courtesies extended by him. The business portion of the city has a distinct air of progress and prosperity, and an enjoyable afternoon was passed in viewing the stores, after which a trip was made to the State Fish Hatchery situated on the bank of the rapids just beyond the canal. The grounds are laid out prettily with lawn and fish ponds for the various kinds of fish. The season was over for hatching but the ponds were filled with trout fry, and young fish of a year and upwards. The superintendent was busily engaged in making some needed improvements preparatory to the whitfish season while here our party were imperturbed by the Indian pilots to "shoot rapids" we looked but didn't "shoot." The following day was spent in driving about the city, to Ft. Brady where a fine view of the city was obtained across to the head of the water power canal and down the river road for a distance of six miles behind the team that had captured the first prize at the fairs for the past three years. The river road is a beautiful drive running along the

bank of St. Mary's river for 40 miles and as level and fine as a boulevard. The water power canal at the "Soo" is a marvellous exhibition of the skill of man. A canal 30 feet deep and 100 feet wide is cut from White fish Bay on lake Superior to the St. Mary's river below the rapids, giving a fall of 18 feet. At the lower end an immense basin has been excavated and a line of wheel pits and powerhouse a half mile long is in course of construction, giving a power estimated at 50,000 horse, and which power has been about all contracted; the work will be completed about Oct. 1, 1902 and a big time is expected when the canal is opened. A visit was paid to the Canadian "Soo" on the opposite side of the rapids, and a glimpse had of the mammoth \$60,000,000 steel and iron plant, as well as the big pulp mills. These industries as well as the building of the Algoma Central railroad into the iron district is building up the town rapidly. On our return from the Canadian side we had expected to leave for Marquette half past five but at the last moment were informed that the Canadian Pacific train was three hours late and our train would wait, so we went to the park and put in the time looking at the locks while waiting for the train.

The leading article in the September Forum deals with "The Commercial Position of the British Empire." Its author, Benjamin Taylor, urges that computations of British trade should not be confined to the British Isles, but should include the colonies also. Another fiscal article is that by Jacob Schoenhof on "The German

Tariff Proposals," which he considers likely to inflict a more serious injury upon Germany than upon any other nation. Sir John G. Bourinot contributes a historical retrospect of previous "Royal Visits to Canada." President G. Stanly Hall outlines the programme of "The Ideal School as Based on Child Study," while F. W. Clark traces the record of "The Evolution of the American University." Karl Blind criticises "English Neglect of Old Indian Poetry." Finland's Plight," by Eugene Limerdorfer, is a strong indictment of the recent policy of Russia toward her weaker neighbor. Prof. Peter T. Austin relates a large number of recent illustrations of "The Utilization of Waste" in various scientific processes. "The Essay of Mood and Form" is the subject of a critical paper by Prof. Richard Burton. Other articles in the September number are "England, Portugal, and the South African Republics," by Lt. Gen. Den Beer Poortugael; "A Model Faceery Town," by Leonora Beck Ellis; "Can Cubans Govern Cuba?" by Edmond Wood; and "The Southern Problem," by George A. Thacher.

DISPLAY WEATHER SIGNALS.

Farmers May Soon Tell When Drouths are to be Broken.

The postoffice department is soon to inaugurate the plan of having weather signals displayed by rural mail carriers.

The regulation signals will be used on the sides of the mail delivery wagons. The system is the same as the flag system used in cities, but instead of flags large tin signs will be used. These are in colors and can be seen a long distance. Colored cards explaining the methods of reading the signals will be distributed along the routes.

Explanation of signals:—
No. 1—White signal—fair weather
No. 2—Blue signal—rain or snow
No. 3—White over blue—local rain or snow.

No. 5—Black triangle—temperature.

Interpretation of displays:—

No. 1, alone, indicates fair weather, stationary temperature

No. 2, alone, indicates rain or snow, stationary temperature.

No. 3, alone, indicates local rain or snow, stationary temperature.

No. 1, with No. 4 above it, indicates fair weather, warmer.

No. 1, with No. 4 below it, indicates fair weather, colder.

No. 2, with No. 4 above it, indicates rain or snow, warmer.

No. 3, with No. 4 above it, indicates local rain or snow, warmer.

No. 3, with No. 4 below it, indicates local rain or snow, colder.

This is the first attempt to distribute weather indications by signals along rural mail routes, previous work in this line being done by postal card. Under this system a farmer does not have to come to the mail box to get his weather predictions but he can see the signals as far as he can see the delivery wagons.

Will Tour the County.

Commissioner Jennings commenced a tour of the county on Tuesday and will give the first two months of the year to visiting the schools. To assist in his work Miss Tudor of Chicago, formerly of Berrien Springs has been engaged in the commissioner's office arranging and mailing reports, and attending to the other multitudinous duties in order that the commissioner may have more time in the field. The commissioner's office has undergone radical changes during the summer months, the walls were calcimined, a green tint and Commissioner's Jennings sends out word to the teachers to send in samples of drawing or samples of any special work and on these walls they will be placed for exhibition.—Benton Harbor Banner Register.

A gentleman from near Constantine was in town one day last week and in talking about the smallpox scare there, said: "Yes, we had a pretty bad scare over there and I was scared myself. I have been opposed to the smallpox three times, assinated twice and feantened once. The doctors told me if I had it it would be a case of celluloid."—Cassopolis Democrat.

Horticultural Reports

The report for 1900 has been printed and a supply has been received at the Record office for distribution. Call and get one, they are free.

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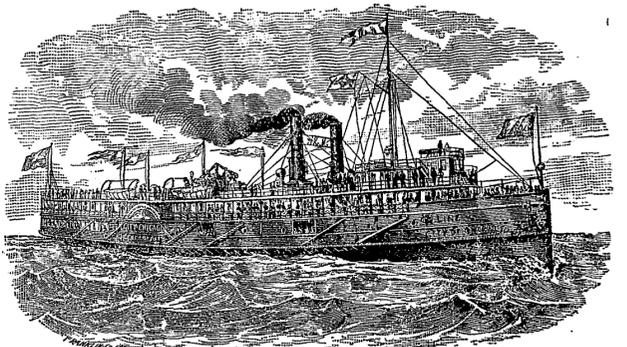
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9:30 a. m. daily except Sun.	1:30 p. m. daily except Sun.	2:30 p. m. daily except Sun.
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10:00 a. m. Sundays only	2:00 p. m. Sundays only	(Trip ends at St. Joseph)

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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Broderick are in Chicago.

J. R. White went to New Buffalo last Saturday.

Mr. D. S. Scoffern was over from Niles, Sunday.

Mr. F. J. French of Niles was in town Saturday.

Miss Nannie Lawson was a Niles visitor, Tuesday.

Mr. Otis Biglow of Dowagiac was in town, Friday.

Mr. Frank Bracelin of St. Joseph was in town Friday.

Mr. F. W. Tomkins of Cassopolis was in town Monday.

Mr. E. J. Elson is in Chicago, this week buying goods.

Mr. R. B. Metzger of Galien was in town, Saturday on business.

Mr. G. S. Howard of Dowagiac was here on business, Friday.

Mrs. Bessie Teyrer started for Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Monday.

Mr. J. H. Godfrey visited his daughter at Glendora Monday.

Mrs. A. M. Glover spent Sunday with her sister in Michigan City.

Mrs. H. O. Weaver is in Chicago this week buying goods for fall trade.

Mr. George East returned home on Saturday from a two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Geo. H. Parkinson of Battle Creek, spent a few days in town last week.

Mrs. Jacob Ollery, son and daughter visited at Mr. J. H. Godfrey's Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Shell and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Clark.

Mr. Leigh of Worcester Mass. is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Alf. Mead this week.

Mr. Mort Mead returned home from Chicago on Saturday and will remain some time.

Mr. C. S. Black is back to Buchanan, after an extended visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. Olin C. Fox left Tuesday afternoon for Knoxville, Tenn., where he will attend College.

Miss Jennie Churchill left on Tuesday for Kalamazoo where she has accepted a position.

Mr. Geo. B. Richards is in Lansing attending the meeting of the State Embalmers Association.

Mr. Miller Guy of South Bend was in town over Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roe.

Mrs. Ed Barmore returned from Benton Harbor Monday after spending two weeks with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Helmick and infant daughter of South Bend visited here this last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Roe drove to South Bend Sunday to attend the celebration exercises of the Christian Church.

Mr. W. G. Vetter returned last Wednesday from a trip to Manistee, Petoskey, Pomona, and other northern points.

Mrs. Norval Wallace and children returned on Monday to their home in Chicago, after a two weeks visit with Mrs. J. A. Kirk.

Mr. B. D. Harper and daughter, Miss Clara have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Chicago and Hammond.

Miss Grace Crandell has returned from South Bend after a two weeks visit and Miss Grace Headley accompanied her home.

Messrs P. N. Williams of Washington, D. C., and Nelson Barnard of Westville, Indiana are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jesse East.

Travelling Passenger Agents, G. M. McKinney of the Northern Pacific and A. W. Noyes of the Great Western, and J. F. Lee of the Great Northern were in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Lovendorf of Niles O., Miss Finsdorf of Hudson Mich., and Mrs. Desenberg, of Cleveland, O., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sig Desenberg last week.

Rev. J. F. Bartmess returned home Monday from Warsaw, Ind. where he had been attending the Annual Conference of the St. Joseph District of the United Brethren Church.

Mr. H. O. Perrott left on Sunday night for Lansing, where he will attend the meeting of the State Association of Embalmers, and will take a special course of instruction in embalming.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hosford, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Foe, Mr. and Mrs. A. Richards Jr., Messrs Robt. Henderson Jr. and Lloyd Butts attended the dance at Berrien Court last week Wednesday.

Mrs. Wilson of Spaffordville Kan. and Mrs. Day Pennell of Berrien Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. N. Canfield and other relatives last week Mrs. Canfield had not seen her cousin Mrs. Wilson for twenty-three.

Dr. C. B. Roe is attending the Bi-State Dental Convention of Indiana and Michigan Dental Societies now being held at Goshen, Ind. These Conventions are very helpful and instructive. Dr. Roe will be in his office again and ready for business on Friday.

School Notes.

Parents why don't you visit our public schools? They are our schools. You support them. During the school year the teachers see your children more than you do. Perhaps they know more about your children than you do. It would help your child's school work and you would feel better satisfied if you would consult with the teacher often. Why not find out the recitation hours of your boy or girl and then make a point to visit his classes occasionally? The thought of an unexpected visit from you would stimulate him to greater effort and by your better knowledge of his work you would be able to help him in many ways you cannot now. The school welcomes you always.

HIGH SCHOOL

The teachers in our schools are very grateful for those beautiful bouquets presented by the W. C. T. U.

The new book on English Composition that is being used in our 9th grade is giving the greatest satisfaction to both pupils and teacher. Then work is so practical and interesting that nothing but the best results can follow. There are 27 in the class.

The class in Geology under the direction of Miss Abby made an excursion to the river Tuesday afternoon. Their object was to make a study of the rocky formation of the river cliffs. Few places offer better advantages for this observation work than Buchanan.

EIGHTH GRADE

Supt. Mercer's talk to the pupils Thursday morning afforded material for a very profitable lesson in Civics.

Miss Rose and Miss Mulholland called last week.

Eighteen pupils attended memorial services.

Our new song, "Sunlight Glances" is pretty and very appropriate for this time of year.

Howard Mead held to his opinion that the American Indian has not been wronged, against a majority of the class.

A pupil in the grammar class:—Sister has two plurals,—sisters and "sistern."

The following are thoughts Lucy Baker sees in Longfellow's beautiful poem, "The Builders": We are all builders while time lasts. Every act goes to build up character. Time holds all the opportunities we need to build with, and each day we form part of the structure. It is for us to make each day count for good.

In ancient days builders worked with greatest care, leaving nothing slighted nor unfinished, believing the gods could see everything. Why should we not do as well as they? We should be careful about our every act, for God knows and sees all.

SEVENTH GRADE

The seventh grade are having a great struggle with the pronunciation of the cities in South America.

The pupils have handed in some excellent rainfall maps of South America.

Supt. Mercer gave a very interesting talk to the pupils Thursday morning on Anarchy and President McKinley.

Goldenrod, drawn by Miss Shaw furnishes a very pretty border for the daily program.

E. Gwendolyn Williams and Grace Godfrey visited the school this week.

SIXTH GRADE

Thirty pupils are now enrolled, Grace Warner having entered during the past week.

The language classes are learning "The Charge of the Light Brigade."

Not a little interest is manifested by the boys and girls in their new readers. They find the stories instructive and give their best attention to them.

A number of good biographies of President McKinley's life was written on Friday.

FIFTH GRADE

We have had no tardy pupils thus far this year.

Composition work and paraphrasing is the feature of the language work this week.

On one of the rainy days of last week we enjoyed drawing the little girl in a macintosh and carrying an umbrella. Edna Bates and Eva Simpson drew the best ones.

Monday we succeeded in tying a bone which had been soaked in acid for a week and had the mineral matter all removed.

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ures was done by Guy Burks and Fay Douglass.

THIRD GRADE

The attendance last week was good; almost every one being present every day.

Bessie Rose was a visitor Tuesday.

Teacher and pupils were pleased to receive a beautiful bouquet, Wednesday from the W. C. T. U.

A new song entitled "A Maple Leaf" has been learned.

Science lessons for the week were, animal life and insects.

General topics were; appearance of the fruit and foliage, and prevailing winds.

The life of Eugene Field and some of his poems have been studied.

SECOND GRADE

Mr. E. S. Roe has kindly supplied each pupil with a 12 inch ruler.

Our patrons are very generous with their flowers, keeping us supplied with beautiful bouquets.

The new Baldwin readers is an inspiration to our reading classes.

The strong wind of last week broke off our flag staff and reduced the flag to tatters.

FIRST GRADE

We have begun the study of the distribution of seeds, taking the milkweed for our first lesson. The story "How the Milkweed took wings" helped to fix the lesson in memory.

Mrs. Lawson gave us a call last Friday.

We have had our first lesson in clay

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Estate of Charles Kromble, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.

Probate Court of said County.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office in the City of St. Joseph, on the 24th day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and one.

Present, Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Kromble deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Henry E. Kingery praying that Albert A. Worthington may be appointed administrator de bono non with the will annexed.

Thereupon it is ordered that, Monday, the 24th day of October next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said Court then to be held in the Probate office in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, That the said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a weekly newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(SEAL) FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Judge of Probate.

ROLAND E. BARR, Probate Register.

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modelling. Some very good spheres were modelled.

We have had only one tardy mark this month. This speaks well for the parents of the first grade pupils.

HOWE SCHOOL

School began with an enrollment by grades as follows:—First grade, 1; second grade, 2; third grade, 3; fifth grade, 3; seventh grade, 3; eighth grade, 2; ninth grade, 1.

Clarence Bennet was detained from school part of last week owing to injuries sustained by a fall.

Our new Baldwin readers are highly appreciated and both school board and parents have our sincere thanks,

Mrs. W. B. Haslett, Mrs. Wm Long and Mrs. Carrie E. Keeler gave us a pleasant call Friday, Sept. 6.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER, 26, 1901

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES

Held at Evangelical Church last Thursday in Memory of McKinley.

The McKinley memorial services were held at the Evangelical church last Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the commodious edifice was crowded to its utmost, every inch of space being occupied. The decorations were very appropriate, a large flag being draped back of the pulpit, a picture of our martyred president being hung in the center and draped with black. The chancel was beautifully decorated with palms and flowers in rich profusion. The decoration committee were treated to a very delightful surprise when all unbeknown to any one Mr. and Mrs. Stryker of the River Street greenhouse, had prepared a beautiful American flag as a floral piece and brought it up to the church in the morning while the committee were at work decorating. The floral piece was handsome being made of geraniums, petunias, feverfew and ageratum, and represented many hours of patient, loving labor in memory of our loved president.

Rev. J. R. Neirgarth presided over the exercises and seated upon the platform with him were Revs. W. J. Douglass, C. E. Marvin, E. R. Black, and A. Ostroth, Dr. R. Henderson, Messrs A. C. Roe and A. A. Worthington. The choir comprised Miss Elsie Kingery organist, Mrs. E. S. Dodd, Mrs. D. L. Boardman, Mrs. D. H. Bower, Mrs. H. D. Rough, Miss Florence Mead, Mrs. M. M. Knight, Messrs Wm Monroe, J. P. Beistle, Wm W. East, D. L. Boardman and Dr. C. B. Roe.

The following was the program as rendered:

Anthem—Lead Kindly Light. CHORUS
Scripture REV. E. R. BLACK
Song—Rock of Ages CONGREGATION
Invocation REV. A. OSTROTH
Biographical Sketch REV. C. E. MARVIN
Song—The night of rest

MALE QUARTETTE
Address DR. R. HENDERSON
Address A. C. ROE
Song—Nearer my God to Thee CHORUS
Address A. A. WORTHINGTON
Song COMRADE E. P. CHADWICK
Address REV. W. J. DOUGLASS
Song—My Country 'Tis of Thee CONGREGATION

Benediction

Every person on the program seemed endued with the spirit of the occasion and were listened to with intense interest, the order maintained being marvellous. Every one came to listen and they listened with the closest attention to every word of the speakers. Seats were reserved for the members of Perrott Post, No. 22, who to the number of nearly forty men, marched into the audience room and participated in the services. The

entire service was characterized with an intense spirit of reverent homage to an all-wise God, and a desire to bow in submission, and follow the path indicated in the last words of their beloved McKinley "It is God's Way, not ours, His will be done."

Helmick Family Reunion.

The annual gathering of the Helmick family occurred at Mt. Tabor Grange hall, September 20, 1901, that being the 65th anniversary of the arrival of the late Jesse Helmick and family in Berrien county. About one hundred of the family, together with a few of the old neighbors, formed the gathering. The family and its immediate connections now number about one hundred seventy-five and are scattered over several of the states of the union.

The forenoon was spent in social greeting and recounting scenes of former days when Berrien county and its enterprises were young. At the proper time dinner was announced, and the willing one hundred gathered around the table profusely spread with all the delicacies of the season.

At two p. m. President, John S. Helmick of Buchanan, oldest son of Jesse Helmick, now in his 79th year, called the meeting to order; in the upper room, and the exercises were introduced by a selection of instrumental music, by Miss Lena Helmick of Berrien Springs; prayer by Rev. E. F. Newell. Rev. Newell then briefly addressed the family suiting his remarks to the spirit of the occasion; a duet was then rendered by Misses Lena and Ione Helmick; then followed several recitations by the younger members recalling members of by gone days' with grandpa and grandma; a letter was then read written by James Fulton a member by marriage now residing temporarily in New Mexico, it contained greetings for the reunion and regrets for enforced absence, the report of the historian, Mrs. Burns Helmick, was then in order. The report showed a great amount of research by correspondence and through public libraries for the history of the Helmick name. These efforts were crowned with much success, and the evidence through fragmentary and often broken in line, points conclusively to the fact that the family is of Prussian origin; during the 16th century the name is found among the early settlers of Virginia near Richmond from whence in after years a branch settled in the western part of the old Dominion, and it is from this branch that the family in this county has descended. The success of the historian was so gratifying that she was authorized to continue the investigation, and commence a permanent record of the family history. Mrs. Mattie Brown of Ft. Wayne, Ind. a cousin, being present entertained the gathering by a rehearsal of some of the unwritten history of the family; a solo by Mrs. Essie Helmick Shearer. A full complement of officers were elected for the ensuing year.

The death of two members occurred during the year. Charles M. Shell of Sodus township, and George Goble of Leroy, Kansas.

Adjourned for one year.

Carmer and Carmer's fall stock is in. Have you seen it.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1901

Entered at the Post-office at Buchanan, Mich. as second-class matter.

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. C. D. Kent is having his barn painted.

The interior of the M. C. depot is being painted this week.

Geo. Ingleright shipped a carload of stock to Chicago Monday.

Mrs. D. H. Bower and daughter Helen, and Mrs. S. E. Cadwell were in Benton Harbor, Wednesday.

Mr. B. S. Crawford is canvassing for an excellent "Cyclopedia of Live Stock" which is meeting with much favor with farmers.

Miss Bernice Lyons is canvassing for "The Life and Assassination of President McKinley" and is meeting with excellent success.

The office of Dr. C. B. Roc has been remodeled and is now one of the finest dental offices in the state. He believes in keeping up to date.

Mr. J. Walter Wood son of Grand Master L. E. Wood of the Masonic Grand Lodge, was married last Wednesday at Niles to Miss Dr. Alta Rice of that city.

Mr. J. H. Hershonow's new store has been fitted up in nice shape and is about ready for occupancy. Mr. Hershonow expects to move in some time next week.

The sale of real estate of the estate of Levi A. Spaulding deceased, which was to have been held last Friday has been postponed until Tuesday, Oct. 1, at 9 o'clock a. m. at the premises.

The millinery firm of E. J. Elson & Co. are going to open a branch millinery store and photograph gallery in Galien. They expect to be ready for business very shortly.

Mr. C. J. Eastman has disposed of his Model Dairy to Mr. Thomas Vanderhof of Chicago. Mr. Eastman has accepted a position as travelling salesman for a manufacturing concern.

Mr. Eugene Cunningham brought home with him from his California trip a fine photograph of one of the big trees of that state, and presented it to Buchanan Camp 886 M. W. A., Richards & Emerson framing it in fine shape.

Mr. Chas. Rodden who teaches at the Howe school south of town, and Mr. E. L. Abell who is teaching at Millburg now hold first grade certificates that have been endorsed by the State Board making them good in any county in the state.

Mr. John Luther who left Buchanan last spring for Manistee county this state is nicely located upon a fine farm he purchased and is prospering. Mr. Luther still keeps posted about Buchanan matters as he receives the Record each week.

Buchanan's subscribers to the Chicago Tribune were without their favorite paper last Thursday morning owing to a fire at Florsheim's Shoe factory located over the Tribune's mailing rooms making it impossible to get at their mail lists.

Mrs. D. S. Dutton who resides on Front street near the railroad crossing met with a painful accident Monday morning. While she was going to the barn she slipped into a hole in the ground spraining her ankle severely and necessitating the use of a crutch.

A number of the hands at shirt waist factory stopped work last week claiming that several weeks wages are due and remain unpaid. Mr. Schwabach was in town the latter part of the week and will undoubtedly arrange the matter satisfactorily. It is hoped that such will be the case for when people have worked hard all week they should certainly receive their pay promptly.

Dr. F. N. Bonine of Niles was in town last Thursday and performed an operation upon the right eye of Mrs. B. T. Morley. The eye had been injured years ago, but had given her scarcely any inconvenience, but it was found to be affecting the sight of the other eye, and consequently it was thought best to remove the injured optic. Dr. J. A. Garland assisted in the operation, and Wednesday removed the stitches taken, and reports Mrs. Morley as doing finely.

Miss Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Housewerth is quite seriously ill.

The Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will have a rummage sale October 25 and 26.

Mr. H. R. Adams is giving a demonstration this week of the good qualities of the Florence Air Tight Heater.

Miss Myrtle Price and Mr. Harvey Hees were married at the home of the bride in Niles Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. J. R. Neirgarth of Buchanan officiating.

Mrs. Mary Straw who underwent a painful operation last week for the removal of diseased bone from the cheek beneath her right eye, is improving under the care of Dr. Garland.

The marriage of Miss Lena Bronson and Mr. J. Ellison Miller of Chicago was solemnized Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Bronson.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church gave a very delightful social at the home of Mrs. Hubbell on Friday evening. A fine program was rendered and a goodly sum realized.

Mr. R. S. Black who is now at Waxahachie, Texas, remembered a number of his friends here with copies of the Dallas News giving an account of the McKinley memorial services held in his town.

Engine No. 290 on the Michigan Central blew up while pulling an east bound freight one and a half miles east of New Buffalo, at 4:15 Tuesday morning, killing the fireman and severely injuring the engineer and brakeman.

The Bethany class of the M. E. Sunday school met Wednesday evening at the home of the teacher, Mr. A. A. Worthington. The class are planning an aggressive campaign under the leadership of so excellent a teacher.

The reception tendered by the M. E. Church to their pastor, Rev. W. J. Douglass, at the home of Mr. W. F. Runner last Friday evening was a big success, about 125 being present. An excellent musical and literary program was rendered after which refreshments were served.

The M. B. H. & C. train due here last Thursday afternoon at 5:10 was derailed one mile south of Berrien Springs and one coach turned over on its side, shaking up the passengers but fortunately injuring no one. No cause was assigned for the accident. The cars were put back on the track and trains running as usual the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hunter and daughter were driving on River street Sunday afternoon about 5:30 when they met the little Shtland pony and cart owned by Mr. H. D. Rough, when Mr. Hunter's horse took fright, ran away and upset the buggy throwing the occupants into the hedge fence on the side of the road opposite Mrs. Bainton's residence. Mr. Hunter and the little girl escaped without serious injury but Mrs. Hunter in falling struck her head and was quite seriously hurt, but she is gaining nicely under Dr. Peck's care.

The Autumn Convention of the Sunday School of Buchanan and Bertrand Townships will be held at Portage Prairie Evangelical Church Saturday and Sunday, October 5 and 6. This convention will hold three sessions, on the Prairie, Saturday evening, Sunday afternoon and evening. The overflow sessions will be held Sunday evening at the M. E. Church in Buchanan with a Union Young People's service at 6 o'clock and another service at 7 o'clock. It is earnestly desired that a large attendance from the two townships be present. Come expecting to give and receive help for your school.

The men and teams at the dam struck last week for an increase of pay. Contractor Gribben has been paying \$3 for teams and \$1.50 for shovellers, and the teamsters asked for \$4, and shovellers \$2. After a conference with foreman Chamberlain the men went to work pending the arrival of Mr. Gribben, who was absent at the time. Mr. Gribben arrived Monday and offered the teamsters \$3.25 but the men stood out for their original figure and on Tuesday quit work. Contractor Gribben is advertising for teams and will pay \$3.25 a day as he is anxious to employ local help as much as possible on his contract here which will last well along into February and possibly March.

CHURCH NOTES

Regular services at the Evangelical church next Sunday. Morning service 10:30, theme, "Humanity's Call to Christianity." Sunday School at 11:45 Young Peoples' service at 6:30 conducted by Ed Rhoades. Gospel services at 7:30, theme, "Youth and Its Influences." Everybody welcome. Young Peoples Monthly Business Meeting at Newton Barnhart's next Friday evening at 7:20.

METHODIST.

Regular services, preaching morning and evening by the pastor.

Sunday school at 12 m. With vacations over and return of most of the absentees, a fuller attendance is expected. All young people not belonging to any other school will be cordially welcomed to join us.

Teachers' meeting at the home of Mrs. Alice Rose Friday evening from 7 to 8.

Epworth League devotional meeting will be held Sunday evening from 6:15 to 7:15. You are invited to be present.

OBITUARY

SIMEON HAMILTON was born in Ohio Jan. 1, 1832 and died in Dayton, Mich. Sept. 14, 1901. Aged 69 years 8 months and 11 days.

Mr. Hamilton was married to Miss Hulda Smith July 3, 1854, to them were born four children, one dying in infancy. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and three children, one sister and one brother besides a host of relatives and friends. The funeral was held on Sunday, Sept. 15 conducted by Rev. E. R. Black. Interment was made in the Bakertown cemetery.

GOTTLIP A. METZGER was born in Wurttemberg, Germany, May 30, 1838. Came to America when a boy. He was married April 13, 1862 to Miss Betsey A. White. Four children were born to this union all of which have fallen asleep. About 33 years ago Mr. Metzger lost his reason and 2 years later was taken to the state hospital at Kalamazoo where he died on Sunday, Sept. 22, 1901. Funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Elder J. C. Royer preaching the sermon, taking as his text Acts 26:8.

Mrs. ELIZABETH E. ROSE died at her home in Bertrand township Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. Rose was 75 years old and had lived where she died for the past 17 years, during which time she was held in high esteem by her friends and all her neighbors. Mrs. Rose, who was a widow, leaves two children, Mrs. Wm. Rose of Three Oaks and Mrs. Denend of Kansas. The funeral was held from the late residence, nine miles southeast of this city, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment was made at Oak Ridge cemetery.

Election of Officers

The Sunday School Board of the M. E. Sunday school met last Wednesday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Superintendent, I. L. H. Dodd; Asst. Superintendent, W. F. Runner; Treasurer, Miss Adah Rough; Asst. Treasurer, Frederick Knight; Secretary, Clarence Runner; Asst. Secretary, Mrs. A. A. Worthington; Chorister, Mrs. W. F. Runner; Asst. Chorister, Mrs. W. L. Mercer; Organist, Miss Holliday; Ass. Organist, Miss Ruth East; Librarian, Mrs. Maria Johnson; Assts., Misses Mattie Smith, Anna Simmonds, Bessie Rose; additional teachers, A. A. Worthington; Miss Mabel Currier, Hugh Kean.

Creamery is Building

The meeting of stockholders of the new creamery was held at the Opera House Thursday morning of last week and was well attended. Mr. Covell presided and Mr. E. S. Roe acted as secretary. An executive committee of three persons was appointed to procure a site and superintend building. The committee was as follows: Messrs. A. F. Howe, A. B. Clark and J. P. Beistle. On Friday the committee selected for the creamery the old creamery site on the east side of N. Portage street and the deal was closed on Saturday. The contractors will soon be on hand and work will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

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A FEW REMARKS

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GLENDORA

Miss Esther Wallace was visiting here Monday.

Geo. Dicht of Buchanan was the guest of W. C. Kimbel last Sunday.

Our Odd Fellow hall is nearly completed.

We have a Negro Medicine Show all this week at Kempton's Opera House.

Mr. Britton of Galien is loading a carload of cabbage at his place.

L. H. Kempton and his family made a trip to South Bend Saturday.

Chas. P. Smith has more business than a tramp.

E. J. Hopkins is loading three carloads of lumber this week.

Lots of hogs dying from effects of cholera.

The I. I. and I. R. R. are doing an extensive Sunday excursion business; two or three heavy loaded trains each Sunday.

We have had a new platform built in front of the depot.

BENTON HARBOR

The sugar factory will start up October 15th.

Material for the tunnel road is arriving.

St. Joseph has granted Bean, the street car magnate, a thirty year franchise.

Our Jewish citizens will soon purchase land for a cemetery of their own, as their religious tenets forbid burial in Gentile ground.

Some wreckage came ashore Saturday night, evidently from some large pleasure yacht, which it is feared has been lost with all on board.

Theo. Burk of St. Joseph was accidentally shot in the groin, by his brother, while the two were hunting on the marsh yesterday. He was badly wounded.

The 30 Club held the first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. G. E. Smith last week Wednesday. History lesson was conducted by Mrs. Cook, paper, Mountain Climbing by Mrs. Boyle, Mythology, Mrs. Kent. The meeting this week Wednesday was held with Miss Ella Hahn. History lesson was conducted by Mrs. R. J. Blake. Paper on Cliff Dwellers, was read by Mrs. A. Richards jr., mythology, by Mrs. D. L. Boardman, Conversation, Scenes that have most impressed you. Miss Lottie Searls treated the club to some delicious peaches. The next meeting will be with Mrs. D. L. Boardman.

Mrs. Carrie Cain has the agency for the *Delinicator* and would be glad to have all who intend renewing their subscriptions, send the same to her. She also has the agency for several fine holiday books which will make fine gifts.

BUSINESS NOTES.

On Friday evening the 27th, Primrose Camp will entertain the Modern Woodmen at their hall. The feature of the evening will be a Photograph Party. All M. W. A. cordially invited. MRS. EAST.

Teams Wanted

At new power house at Buchanan dam. Wages \$3.25 per day. Apply on premises.

Our Fall Styles in footwear are beauties. Call and see them. CARMER & CARMER.

The Reunion of the 25th Regiment will be held on the 2nd and 3rd of October, next Wednesday and Thursday. On Wednesday evening there will be a campfire held in the Presbyterian church, to which all are invited. A fine program is being prepared; good speaking interspersed with excellent music. Come and enjoy an evening with the Veterans.

Try a pair of Carmer & Carmer's new fall shoes and realize what it is to have foot comfort.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. will meet at the Post Hall on Saturday afternoon for floor work. JULIET M. BAIRD, President

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NO DEFENSE TO MAKE

Seems To Be the Situation with the Counsel Acting for the Assassin Czolgosz.

HE PLEADS GUILTY FOR HIMSELF

While His Counsel Puts in a Plea of "Not Guilty."

That Being According to Law—Testimony of the Physicians Explains the Medical Treatment at Two Points.

Buffalo, Sept. 24.—Leon F. Czolgosz was placed on trial yesterday morning, charged with the murder of President William McKinley. He entered a plea of "guilty," which was subsequently changed to "not guilty" by direction of the court. All the events of the day indicated that the trial will be short. Court convened at 10 a. m., and within two hours eight jurors had been secured. Technicalities were not raised by examining counsel, but it was significant that every man who said he had not formed an opinion on the case was excused by the district attorney. Those who acknowledged that they had formed an opinion, or stated that they were prejudiced, but admitted that their opinion could be changed by evidence, were accepted by each side. Justice Truman C. White, one of the oldest and most experienced of the supreme court judges, was on the bench.

Prisoner's Counsel Makes a Statement.
Immediately after the opening of the court, and after the prisoner had pleaded, Justice Loran Lewis, senior counsel for the defendant, announced that he and his colleagues, former Justice Robert C. Titus, and Carlton E. Ladd, were ready to act in behalf of the prisoner. "I thought it best," he said, "for my colleagues and myself that I should say something regarding our presence here as attorneys for the defendant. * * * When the circumstances of my selection were told to me I was extremely reluctant to accept. But the duty had been imposed, and I considered it my duty, in all the circumstances, to defend this man. I ask that no evidence be presented here—that the court will not permit the acceptance of any evidence—unless it would be accepted at the trial of the most meager criminal in the land."

Judge Promises a Fair Trial.
"I am familiar with these circumstances," said Justice White in reply, "and I wish to say I will give you every assurance that the prisoner will have a fair and impartial trial, and that during the progress of the trial he will receive such treatment as the law demands in any criminal case." The work of securing the jurors was then undertaken with alacrity that was amazing. Before the day was over the entire panel had been sworn, the jurors had listened to a description of the Temple of Music, where the crime occurred, and had been told by three surgeons what caused the death of the president. They had also learned why the fatal bullet had not been located.

PHYSICIANS GIVE TESTIMONY
Two Things Explained That Had Previously Been in the Dark.

The presentation of the government's case began shortly before 3 o'clock when Assistant District Attorney Haller began, with much deliberation, to address the jury. He spoke very briefly. "We shall show," said he, "that for some days prior to the shooting this defendant had premeditated the shooting of the president. He knew that on the 6th of September the president would receive the populace in the Temple of Music; that on that day he went to the exposition, got into line with the people and approached the president; that he had a weapon concealed in his hand, and as the president extended his hand in kindly greeting he fired the fatal shot."

The first witness, Samuel J. Fields, chief engineer of the Pan-American exposition, described the ground floor plan of the Temple of Music, and was followed by Perry A. Bliss, a photographer, who presented views of the interior of the building. The remainder of the afternoon was taken up with the testimony of three physicians, two of whom had attended the president during his last days, while the other performed the autopsy.

The latter, Dr. Harry R. Gaylord, was the first to be called. He described the location of the wounds in the stomach and the direction of the bullet. The cause of death was attributed to the gunshot wound, but, fundamentally, he said it was due to the changes back of the stomach in the pancreas, caused by the "breaking down" of the material of the pancreas as a result of the passage of the bullet. Dr. Herman Myer followed, and his testimony was of importance, inasmuch as it brought out the fact that the reason why the fatal bullet had not been located at the autopsy was because of the unwillingness of the president's relatives to have the body further mutilated by their instruments. Dr. Myer, and Dr. Mann, who followed him, both testified that the principal cause of death was the gunshot wound in the stomach. One effect of this wound was, they said, to cause the gangrene to form in the pancreas, and the spot of poisoned tissue was as large as a silver dollar. Dr. Mann also testified that the reason the bullet was not located when the operation was performed at the hospital in the exposition grounds was that to have searched further for it would have necessitated removal of the bowels, and the patient was too weak to risk doing that.

The prisoner during the morning evinced no interest whatever in the proceedings, but as the testimony went on what was said and looked at the various witnesses closely. It is not probable that any defense will be put in, owing to the character of the prisoner and his refusal to help his attorneys in any way to procure evidence.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Items Which Are of Special Interest to Our Readers.

Happenings Throughout the State Received by Telegraph and Put in Type.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 23.—James E. Hannon, of Chicago, a traveling salesman representing the Zeno Manufacturing company, of that city, died in the Kent hotel here Saturday afternoon of an overdose of morphine, but whether it was taken with suicidal intent is not known. He came here Sept. 11 and stopped at the Morton house until Friday night. Friday afternoon he began drinking heavily and went to the Kent, where he registered for the night. Late in the evening he was discovered unconscious, and a doctor was called. Hannon was revived, and he lived until 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. He told the doctor he took the drug to quiet his nerves. He was 38 years old and unmarried.

Snyder Challenges an Accuser.
Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 23.—Former County Agent William A. Snyder is looking for somebody to investigate the charges recently made against him, which resulted in his resignation. Governor Bliss tells him he has no power to order an investigation, and the prosecuting attorney declines to take up the matter because the young Polish girl will not swear to a complaint, and asks to have the matter dropped. In a communication to a paper Snyder calls upon his accusers to make his arrest and produce evidence to sustain the charges.

McGurrin Is Not Satisfied.
Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 23.—Col. McGurrin, of the Second regiment of the state militia, is not satisfied with the penalties imposed by the court-martial which dealt with several cases of insubordination at the late Manistee encampment, and freely expresses the opinion that such leniency as was shown by the judges is calculated to impair the discipline of the soldiers at future encampments.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 23.—The announcement has been made by Mayor Perry that the new fire engine house in the Third ward will, on completion, be manned by colored firemen.

BERNICE HAVING A HARD TIME.

Wedded Happiness Rudely Broken Upon by the Law.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Sept. 20.—Bernice McConnell is having a very busy time of it these days. Sunday night the bars of the Grand Rapids jail separated him from his new bride and rudely disturbed a romantic honeymoon. McConnell was granted a divorce in the circuit court Saturday, and he lost only five minutes' time in securing a license to marry again. In the evening he was united in the bonds of matrimony with Miss Florence B. Morse, of this city, for his bride.

He thought his new happiness would not be complete without his child by his first wife, who lives at Grand Rapids, and McConnell went to that city Sunday morning and got possession of the child, but the mother got out a warrant, and McConnell was arrested charged with kidnaping. He was not released until too late to reach his home that night. McConnell was granted the custody of the child by the courts.

Two Trains in Collision.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 24.—In a head-on collision late at night on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad eight miles north of Cadillac between a regular freight train and an extra passenger train carrying Sunday excursionists from Petoskey to Cadillac, one man was killed and five injured. The dead: Engineer Fred Zimmerman of Cadillac. The injured: Conductor Fred Volkert, Grand Rapids; brakeman Hiram Witkop of Cadillac; Engineer B. J. Dart, Grand Rapids; News Agent W. A. Sneevely, Grand Rapids, and Albert Coon, Cadillac. The wreck was caused by Engineer Zimmerman of the freight train forgetting an order.

Not Implicated in the Matter.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 21.—Concerning the dispatch sent out from Petoskey, Mich., referring to the father of Leon Czolgosz, slayer of the late President McKinley, in connection with the shooting of Henry Molitor, the lumberman, of Rogers City, Henry Clothier, of Alpena, Mich., who says he was the complaining witness in the Molitor conspiracy case at the time, says in a signed statement to The Free Press, that the elder Czolgosz was not implicated in the crime.

Lamb That Didn't Lose His Fierces.

Negaunee, Mich., Sept. 23.—A few weeks ago Fred Chapman invested some of his hard-earned cash in a wheat deal, placing the order with a Chicago firm of brokers. When his profits had reached \$6,000 he ordered his brokers to close out the deal. He didn't hear from them and went post haste to Chicago. He says they wanted to compromise for \$1,000, but he retained an attorney and has returned with the full amount.

Her Marriage a Surprise.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 20.—Miss Mae Chauncey Stevens, of this city, was married last evening to Stanton Wesley Todd. The marriage took place at Fredonia, N. Y., and the young couple will reside at Sugar Grove, Pa. The announcement was a surprise to her friends here. Miss Stevens is the young lady who is to break a bottle at the launching at Philadelphia of the torpedo boat Chauncey.

Three Men Killed, One Badly Hurt.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 21.—Four men were killed in a Pere Marquette wreck last night at Wayne, Mich., a small village about twelve miles west of Detroit. The names are J. W. Sweeney, of Toledo, O.; George Leopold and Charles DeLong, of Bay City, Mich.; Leon McNay was badly crushed and may die.

The editorial rooms of the Boston Post are closely guarded to prevent attack by anarchists.

SIGNS OF A WRECK FOUND

Craft May Have Foundered on the Lake Of St. Joseph.

St. Joseph, Mich., Sept. 24.—Evidence that some unknown pleasure sailing yacht is now helplessly adrift in Lake Michigan or that the craft has foundered and crew perished during the heavy gale that prevailed on the lake for the last week was brought about by the finding of a broken spar by the life-saving crew of this city Saturday evening. The spar is thirty feet long and was found just outside the harbor.

Captain Stevens said: "I have not learned of any accidents along this shore, but the fact remains that this spar shows a new break, and I am satisfied that some unknown sailing yacht was caught in the gale and its rigging carried away. It is a question as to whether a yacht under such circumstances could make port in safety."

SHOT AND KILLED HIS MAN.

But Says He Had Not the Slightest Intention of Doing So.

Lake View, Mich., Sept. 21.—Fred Nolan shot and instantly killed Cash Helms at Rushford, ten miles north-west of here, Wednesday. Helms had rented the premises where the shooting took place to John Walworth, who is in Washington, D. C. During Walworth's absence his son-in-law, Fred Nolan, had been staying with the family.

Helms, for some unknown reason, didn't want Nolan there, and undertook to throw him out. He went to the house and met Nolan in the yard. He began calling names and abusing him. Nolan told Helms he wouldn't stand it and started to go in the house. Helms followed him to the door, continuing his abuse. As Nolan stepped inside the doorway he pulled a revolver and shot Helms in the left temple. Death was instantaneous. Nolan gave himself up.

The dead man is the last of what in the early days in this section was known as the Helms brothers gang, which carried on horse and cattle stealing extensively. He had been shot twice before, once quite seriously. One of his brothers died in Jackson prison.

Big Rapids, Mich., Sept. 21.—Fred Nolan, who is in jail here charged with the murder of Cash Helms, at Rushford, says that he had not the slightest intention of shooting Helms. He says he thought Helms was about to attack him, and he pulled the revolver to scare Helms, but the weapon exploded prematurely.

STOICISM OF A MAD WOMAN.

She Sets Fire to a Barn and Sits Down Awaiting Cremation.

Manistee, Mich., Sept. 23.—Sitting in an upright position, in one corner of the barn in the rear of her residence, Mrs. Mary Bumpke, aged 62 years, calmly awaited death by a fire which was apparently set by her own hand. When William Bumpke was awakened by neighbors, who discovered the barn afire, it was to find that his wife who had retired with him late at night was missing.

No great anxiety was felt until after the flames had been subdued, when the headless and legless trunk of the woman was found sitting upright in one corner of the ruins. She had been in poor health for some time.

Blew in Saloon Windows.

Calumet, Mich., Sept. 24.—Late at night a stick of giant powder was exploded on the window sill of Joseph Stuckles' saloon, shattering all the windows glass in Stuckles' place and the next building, which is occupied as a saloon by Joseph Stancace. William Hicks is under arrest, suspected of having exploded the stick. One known cause that Hicks might have for such an act is that Stuckles garnished him for debt recently. No one was hurt by the explosion.

Offered a Porto Rico Post.

Copper Falls Mine, Mich., Sept. 24.—Professor Harry L. Gandy, who is superintendent of the schools here, has been offered an appointment as special teacher of English in the schools of Porto Rico. Professor Gandy is from Angola, Ind., and is a graduate of the Tri-State Normal college of that place. He has not yet decided whether he will accept the appointment.

Burglars at Inlay City.

Inlay City, Mich., Sept. 20.—Burglars entered Edmonds Bros. meat market, the Cleveland House, Ellis Johnson's market, and the Bancroft House. Some cash was taken at the Cleveland House. Ellis Johnson loses \$20, Edmonds Bros. are unable to estimate their loss, neither can the Bancroft House.

German Baptists Open Their Meet.

Detroit, Sept. 23.—The annual business conference of the Central German Baptist society of Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois was formally opened Saturday and will continue until tomorrow. Jacob Muir, of Chicago, was elected chairman for the coming year.

Woman Kills Her Father-in-Law.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Sept. 23.—Mrs. Lena Fair shot and killed her father-in-law, Michael Fair, at their home in South Cheyenne last evening. Mrs. Fair is a girl 20 years old. She says that Fair, who is past 50, threatened to kill her, and that when she fired he had one hand on her throat and with the other was reaching for his revolver. The police found a revolver in the hip pocket of the dead man. Mrs. Fair was arrested.

Gasoline "Goes Off" Again.

Renville, Minn., Sept. 24.—A terrible accident happened here yesterday. As Mrs. M. J. Filbert and family were eating breakfast one of the children turned out the lights on the gasoline stove and at once began to fill the tank, when an explosion occurred, scattering the gasoline and fire among the people at the table, and setting them on fire. Four of the family are badly burned.

Chicago Anarchists Released.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—The nine anarchists who have been under arrest here since the assassination of President McKinley, have been given their freedom. Judge Chelmin so ordering after the prosecution had admitted that there was no legal evidence against them. Emma Goldman was not a party to the proceedings.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS

NEW CASES.

Suit was instituted Thursday by William Bowe through Gore & Harvey against the Enders & Young Co, for \$1000 alleged to be due for wages. Rowe was manager of the Watervliet store for the firm and liabilities for further pay is denied by the defendant company.

DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS.

Chas. Rome of Benton Harbor has commenced divorce proceedings against his wife whom he married on the 5th of last July and lived with 15 days.

Judge Coolidge Thursday handed down decisions in three divorce cases. Helen Weaver Wood was granted an absolute divorce from William J. Wood of St. Joseph. The charge was non-support and desertion.

Fannie E. White of Buchanan was granted a divorce from Clarence H. White.

Nellie Leonard also of Buchanan was granted a divorce from William Leonard on the charge of cruelty and habitual drunkenness.

PROBATE COURT

Hearings Sept. 16 were ordered in following cases: Estate of David Judson, petition for administrator.

Estate of John Shiffman, petition for the Probate of a will.

Estate of Theodore Viehler, petition for the Probate of a will.

Estate of Charles H. Farnum, petition for the Probate of a will.

Estate of John Thomas, petition for the Probate of a will.

For Sept. 30: Estate of Michael Gleissner, petition for Final Accounting.

Estate of Dora F. Graves, petition for appointment of an administrator.

Estate of Lawson A. Duncan, petition for license to sell real estate.

Estate of Catherine Buhlinger, petition for the Probate of a will.

Estate of William Pfeil, petition for the Probate of a will.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Charles Dukesharzer, Coloma, 25, Sylvia Bort, Royalton, 21.

Reinhold Lockwitz, St. Joseph, 24; Gusta Spitzer, St. Joseph, 32.

Carmen M. Barret, Boyne City, Mich., 31; Amanda Gifford, 55, Benton Harbor.

Clay M. Barnd, VanBuren, Ohio, 39; Mattie Matthews, Berrien Springs.

Charles Baertloff, 24, Amelia Minitz, 19, both of Bridgman.

Henry Kraetch, 31, Ida Bloden, 24, both of Chicago.

Alfred Gillis, 32, Chicago, Adaline Matthew, 32, Benton township.

Fred Schaller, 45, Lena Molitor, 23, both of Chicago.

Herman Banholz, 25, Royalton Heights, Hannah Strasburg, 24, Stevensville.

Joseph A. Steele, 60, Frances Hawk, 35, both of Buchanan.

Charles R. Christie, 51, St. Joseph, Ada Mae Smith, 21, South Haven.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

The September term of the Circuit court convenes on the 26th. The jury is called for September 30th.

EDUCATIONAL REPORT.

The new Michigan Manual and report of the superintendent of public instruction is being sent out by Commissioner Jennings to the township clerks and can be obtained there by the director of each school district as district school libraries are each entitled to a copy of the book.

The preliminary hearing in the condemnation suit by the Benton Harbor Terminal Railroad company to acquire right of way over several acres of marsh land in the western part of the city upon which they wish to lay tracks and erect a union depot was in progress in the probate court Friday morning before Judge Ellsworth.

Attorneys Kelley & Chase and A. Hammond appear for the plaintiff and Messrs. Gore & Harvey, G. M. Valentine, I. W. Riford and Ira Welton for the defendants.

The suit is an interesting one and involves the property of thirteen defendants.

At noon the case was adjourned to Wednesday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Louisa Brown to Joseph Keen n 28 ft lot 4 blk 40 St Joseph \$375.

John H Lee to Jas McDonald 1-4 acres in Benton \$150.

Elijah W Carley et al to Harriet Clodfelter lot 6 McAlister add to Benton \$1025.

Andrew C Foster to Milford J Merwin lot 8 blk E Sorter & Rackliffe add to Benton \$1100.

Joseph Friedel to Geo A Parren 125 acres in sec 11 Chikaming \$6000.

Wm A Baker to Wm N Peck lots 26 27 Baker add to Coloma \$200.

Louis S Schulz to John E Badger lot 23 Finegan add to St Joseph \$1.

Wm G Newland et al to Florence H Bailey lot 3 blk 14 Benton Harbor \$550.

Benj F Case to Jacob Fikes lot 228 in Berrien Springs \$1300.

Clair Cromwell to Jacob Harbert lots 10-11-12 blk A Gilson add to Coloma \$40.

Joseph Ochihoffer to Ira Wells Riford property in Benton Harbor \$500.

Milton Duval to Nettie B Stringer 1 1-2 acres in sec 14 Benton \$100.

Florence H Bailey to James Aspel lot 3 blk 14 Benton Harbor \$3000.

Wm H Morley to Horace Morley 10 acres in n w 1-4 n e 1-4 n e 1-4 sec 28 Weesaw \$300.

John H Duty to Eli J Carpenter lot 4 Duty landing at Paw Paw Lake Watervliet \$200.

Auditor General to John M Hoffman pt lot 25 Green & Hoffman add; part lot 2 McIlvain sub division of Green & Hoffman out lot 49; lots 161-162 H B Hoffman add also e 1-2 lot 3 Reddick subdivision of lot 41 Justice add to Niles \$94.96.

Chas Domke to Louise Domke 15 acres sec 18 also w 1-2 of s e 1-4 s w 1-4 sec 18 Royalton \$1.

Frank Priebe to Edward Runge 20 acres sec 11 St Joseph \$2700.

Ira M Allen to Wm Abernethy lots 80-81-88 Forest Beach add Watervliet \$1.

McClelland Hubbard to C J Peck prop in Benton Harbor \$750.

John B Stouffer to McClelland C Hubbard prop in Benton Harbor \$550.

Orville W Coolidge to Sami Sawyer lots 161 162 H B Hoffman add Niles \$370.

Ezekiel DeCamp to Orville W Coolidge 40 acres Oronoko \$3500

Sarah J Curley to Frank F Blake prop in sec 11 Watervliet \$200.

L V Warner et al to Ira M Allen lot 2 blk 9 Forest Beach add Watervliet \$500.

Wm G Newland to Irving A Clauser lot 4 blk B Cook & Riford add Benton Harbor \$450.

Charley E A Stewart to A M Stewart n w 1-4 of sec 36 Bainbridge \$1.

Wm H Hubbard to Fred Emhoff 20 acres s e 1-4 of s e 1-4 sec 27 Hagar \$1600.

Fred Emhoff to Wm H Hubbard lots 136-137 McAllister add Benton Harbor \$1500.

John H Lee to Daniel Green 1 acre Benton \$3000.

Lydia A Jefferis to Chas A Smith prop in Lincoln \$2000.

Mary A Shauman to Sarah L Crawford prop in Benton Harbor \$4000.

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