WITHIN OUR WALLS.

MERE MENTION OF MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Marquette Celebrates in Good Style the Unveiling of Fr. Marquette's Statue—Wholesale Poisoning at the U. of M.—Brother Shoots Brother.

Fr. Marquette's Statue Unveiled.

A splendid bronze replica of Trentanove's statue of Fr. Marquette, the Jesuit who was the first white man to set foot on Michigan soil, was unveiled at Marquette with interesting ceremonies in the presence of 5,000 persons. At sunrise 45 guns were fired from the U. S. revenue cutter Gresham. At the unveiling 13 more were fired. Col. B. S. Kaufman, officer of the day, led the procession, a feature of which was 50 Chippewa Indians in war paint and riding horseback. The exercises at the statue opened with the singing of "Columbia." Miss Beatrice Hanscom read an original ode, and little Fannie Jopling, granddaughter of Peter White, pulled the cord which let the canvas fall, and the statue of Fr. Marquette stood revealed. Peter White then presented it to the people of Marquette in a few appropriate and modest remarks. Mayor Sherman responded. Don M. Dickinson, of Detroit, as orator of the day, spoke of the great Jesuit explorer and the work accomplished by him.

Showers Helped Growing Crops.

Weather Observer Schneider's report says: "The general weather conditions have been favorable to all growing crops and to harvest work. Wheat harvest has progressed rapidly and much of the crop has been secured. Threshers are beginning work in the southern counties and report a fair yield of fine crop; rye that is yet standing is in fine condition. Haying has also been rapidly pushed. The nearly normal temperatures and very beneficial, although unevenly distributed, showers have given corn a splendid growth, greatly improved the condition of potatoes, beans and garden truck and have headed out oats very fast. The showers have been inadequate in the northerly section of the state, and there is considerable complaint from there that the weather is still too dry for oats, potatoes and pastures. In those sections there is also much complaint of the ravages of the grasshopper and the potato bug. Apples continue to drop badly, but other fruits except peaches are fairly promising. Berries of all kinds are plentiful. The very hot dry weather of the early part of the month has burnt out much young clover."

Sad Tragedy near Coleman.

In a fit of jealous rage, John Ward shot and seriously wounded his brother Charles at his farm, five miles south of Coleman, and then went upstairs and, placing the gun against his breast, pulled the trigger. His recovery is very doubtful. The brothers had had frequent quarrels, John being jealous of Charles for his attentions to his wife who is a handsome woman.

Unclean Milk Cans Caused Poisoning.

About 30 patients, nurses and physicians, were poisoned at the U. of M. hospital, and a few of the patients seemed likely to die. Supt. Clark traced the poison to a milk can which he found, had been left standing in the sun for four days and then filled, without being scalded.

The Governor Is Investigating.

Gov. Pingree was at McBain investigating some charges made against some of the county officials and also investigating the action of the Ann Arbor railway in refusing to grant proper street crossings over their line.

Made Sure of Dying.

Philip Dolmen, of Allen township, Hillsdale county, committed suicide by shooting himself twice after taking laudanum. Domestic infelicity was the trouble.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Richmond wants an $8,000 electric light plant.

Robt. Smith, aged 26, was drowned while bathing in the Rifle river at Omer.

Howe & Prevette's store at Stanton has burned. Loss $3,000; insurance $2,500.

Ernest Mills, aged 17, was drowned in Crystal Lake, near Benzonia, while bathing.

The Richmond mine near Palmer has started up with 25 men, after being idle for a year.

Frank Solan, aged 17, was drowned at Port Huron. He was fishing and fell into the river.

Frank Morton, an old resident of Ottawa county, is dead at Hart from an overdose of morphine.

An infant child of James Gibbons, near Holland, fell into a tub of hot milk and was fatally scalded.

Police Justice Kelly fined Thomas Laderack $50 for profanity at the circus grounds at Bay City.

It is estimated at Houghton that the profit on the 1897 output of copper will not be short of $7,000,000.

Isaac Bisgar, a Casco, St. Clair county, farmer, was kicked while carrying a horse, and cannot recover.

The Groton, N. Y., Bridge Co., will build a bridge across Black river at Port Huron to cost $20,000.

Sam Humphrey, living near Reading, fell from the beam in his barn and broke three ribs and one leg.

Henry Reid, a Kalamo farmer, aged 40, is under arrest at Charlotte for carnally knowing a girl under 16 years.

The promoters of the Flint, Long Lake & Fenton electric railroad have inspected the route and are pleased.

Bertram Moore, aged 70, a contractor of Bay City, jumped from a scaffolding and fell on an upright rusty nail. He may die.

Albert Mitchell, a Merritt township, Bay county, farmer, has been arrested for allowing Canadian thistles to grow on his farm.

The second of the deaf mutes killed by the lake shore train near Monroe has been identified as Alex. Bergfield, of New Concord, O.

The Hotel Niles, at Niles, largest hotel in southwestern Michigan, long closed, will be opened by E. S. Bostwick of Keokuk, Ia.

While camping at Lyon lake, near Marshall, Chas. Swineford, aged 16, accidentally shot Carl Wagner, aged 14, killing him instantly.

Elmer Benjamin, of the Grand Rapids firm of Benjamin, Leonard & Son, clothiers, fell off the dock at Macatawa park, at Holland, and was drowned.

Bay county supervisors say that the county books are in an unsatisfactory condition and an expert will probably be employed to straighten them out.

Nine boys, ranging in years from 13 to 18, were found in a drunken stupor at Lansing. The person who sold them a keg of beer will be prosecuted.

A large barn on the Thomas Foster farm, 10 miles west of Flint, was destroyed by fire, together with its contents. Loss $2,000, with little insurance.

Frank Philcosky, has just arrived at Baraga from Alaska with over $90,000 in gold. He is a Berrien county man and left Baroda a year ago for the gold fields.

Edward Grigware, a well-known Saginaw shoe dealer, has been granted a pension, which, with arrears, amounts to $1,080. He filed his claim in June, 1891.

Niels Petersen, of Decatur, has completed the largest peppermint distillery in the world. Eight tubs are used and the distillery will have a capacity of 500 pounds of oil per day.

Albert Harrington was convicted in the circuit court for selling liquor at Fenton without a license, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $200 or go to jail for six months.

John Kilday, aged 35, of Elkhart, Ind., and an unknown man about 25, both deaf mutes tramping through the country, were killed by a Lake Shore passenger train near Monroe.

Peter Manard and Geo. Bradford, aged 17, while fishing in White's lake, near Kalamazoo, accidentally overturned their boat and were thrown out and drowned before help arrived.

Mrs. McKinley, wife of the President, is stopping at the Battle Creek sanitarium, where she was quietly taken two weeks ago. She is improving under the treatment and is enjoying a quiet rest.

Miss Mamie Vuylsteke, of Benton Harbor, who was already worth $200,000 in her own name, has received information that she has been left $750,000 by the death of an uncle in Paris.

While catching in a game of baseball at Muskegon, Charles Ryder was struck in the back of the neck by a pitched ball. He finished the game, then fainted and is now in a precarious condition.

Thirty-five brickmakers in the employ of the Grand Rapids brick yards, and 30 employed in the Collins yard struck at Grand Rapids. They have been getting $1.17½ per day, and ask for $1.50.

John Osler, aged 80, of Belleville, told his wife he was going to visit his sister. Toward evening Mrs. Osler had occasion to go into the woodshed, where she found her husband hanging from a rafter.

Saginaw's street railway system was completely tied up by the authorities because the company refused to pay certain special improvement taxes, for which reason the franchise has been declared forfeited.

In his annual report to Atty.-Gen. Maynard, Prosecuting Attorney Cummings, of Ingham county, says the officers of that county make a business of arresting tramps by the score and then mulct the county for fees.

While stacking hay near Charlotte, Ely Chapman, a young farmer, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. The stack ignited and the body was rescued from the blazing hay with great difficulty.

James Sullivan, a farmer near Lenox, had a valuable pair of horses killed by lightning. His son had driven them under a large tree for shelter then from the storm. The boy was only slightly injured.

Quartermaster-General White, of the M. N. G., moved upon Island Lake and established permanent headquarters, which will be maintained until camp closes on Aug. 10. He will prepare the grounds for the encampment.

Morency Cornelius, aged 86, a Polish woman, has been an inmate of the Allegan county poor house since 1865, and was a county charge before then. She is now insane. Who she is or where she originally came from is a mystery.

Lee Groner and Roy Brooks were bathing in Knickerbocker lake near Decatur, when Groner began to sink, Brooks attempt to rescue the drowning man, but was unable to hold him up, and barely reached the shore. Groner was drowned.

Dr. James M. Martin, surgeon in the U. of M. hospital, is in ill-health, and will spend next year in the Sandwich islands. The doctor suffered from blood poison two years ago as the result of a needle prick and recently suffered from a sunstroke.

Arnold Verhulst, of Holland, was taken to the asylum at Kalamazoo. John Verhulst, a brother was greatly affected by his brother's condition, and is missing. He had threatened to drown himself, fearing that he, too, might become insane.

The verdict of the coroner's jury in the Interurban bridge disaster near Bay City, charges Motorman Reilly and Conductor O'Brien with criminal negligence. It also charges the Interurban Co. with negligence in not enforcing orders issued to motormen and conductors.

The X-rays have revealed the fact that the bullet that was fired into Chas. B. Nelson, of Cadillac, by some person unknown while he was sitting on a bench in Washington park, Chicago, with Mrs. Staples, has lodged in his heart. The doctors say that he will recover, however.

State Dairy and Food Commissioner Grosvenor has submitted his annual report to Gov. Pingree. The department has an appropriation of $16,000 per year. The state has been divided into districts and each inspector has his prescribed territory. While the policy of the department has always been conservative, hereafter dealers will be held to strict account for violations of the law. The commissioner condemns the senate of the legislature for defeating the so-called baking powder bill. As a consequence of the defeat of the bill the state is being flooded with cheap powders.

Mrs. D. B. McCabe, of Brimley, is missing and it is suspected that she has met with foul play. Mr. McCabe and three children disappeared two days later leaving only one boy. The people of Brimley are in a high state of excitement over the affair.

Don C. Henderson, the veteran editor of the Allegan Journal, which he established 40 years ago, has retired from the business, and the Journal has been consolidated with the Gazette. Mr. Henderson was once Horace Greeley's first lieutenant.

More than one-half of the oil of peppermint, spearmint, tansy, wormwood, etc., of the entire world is produced and distilled in southwestern Michigan, mostly in St. Joseph, Van Buren and Allegan counties. There are several hundred distilleries in that region.

Merritt M. Goodspeed, Muskegon's messiah says his diving gifts are yet in their infancy. He says that now he is only a healer but soon will be employed by the "Holy Ghost with the strength of prophecy, and declares that he will live to be 200 years old.

The Epworth League resort at Ludington is opening up in excellent shape this season. No other year since it was instituted has there been so many people in attendance so early. Several cottages have been built since last season and several more are under way.

Roy Nunn, aged 17, of Gladwin, has been arrested on suspicion of being the person who assassinated Curtis Wright, a farmer near there a week ago. The boy has served a term in the industrial school. There has been bad blood between the two families.

Bruno Westphal, of Detroit, was run over by a freight train on the Michigan Central at Albion. One leg was cut off close to the hip and the other was badly mangled. Westphal was attempting to board the train when he slipped and was thrown between the cars.

The large barn of W. W. Crapo burned at Fostoria, with about 100 tons of hay. The wind blew strong towards town. One dwelling 40 rods away caught fire several times but was saved. Trees were ignited nearly half a mile away. Loss $2,000; little insurance.

Mrs. Chris. Wick, aged 38, living near Northville, was standing on a chair fixing some paper on the wall when she fell and a pair of shears were forced into her leg, severing an artery. She bled to death in a few moments. She leaves a husband and seven children.

The blueberry crop promises to be an excellent one in the upper peninsula this season, and the first berries are already in the market. In Marquette, Delta, Alger and Luce counties perhaps 2,000 persons will be engaged in picking them. The blueberry crop will be worth $60,000 to $75,000 this year.

Bertha Cunningham, of Dundee, and Selma Kranzun, of Russfield, have been arrested at Dundee on a charge of rifling letters belonging to a traveling man named Cunningham. The girls admitted that they called for the letters at the postoffice and tore them up. The pieces were found in the street, with fragments of a $50 draft.

A big gang of tramps caused a riot at Stevensville in which they used razors, knives and revolvers and several tramps and citizens were badly wounded before the sheriff and a posse could arrive and quell the disturbance. Three of the leaders of the lobsters were placed in the jail which they set fire to, and they came very near being cremated.

Lightning struck the grain barn of C. J. Writers, near Centerville, while he was drawing in wheat. The hired man was unloading when the bolt struck the barn, killing one of the horses and setting fire to the building. The man was thrown about 10 feet, but was not seriously injured. The barn and its contents were completely destroyed. Loss $1,500.

Such enormous quantities of blackberries are being gathered in southwestern Michigan this season that the prices received for them in the Chicago market fail to net the shipper the cost of the packages alone. Many growers have devised inexpensive evaporating plants to dispose of the surplus berries and it is estimated that over one-half of the crop will find a market as dried fruits.

NEWSY CONDENSATIONS.

Eight tramps were killed by a C. & N. W. train being ditched and wrecked near Boone, Ia.

The famous Broadmoor casino at Colorado Springs, Colo., has burned to the ground, causing a loss of $110,000.

Mrs. Mary E. Lease, the famous Populist politician, has announced herself as a candidate for governor of Kansas.

Archey Hunter, one of the oldest and most prominent pioneers of Ludington, died of too much morphine. It is believed that he committed suicide because of poverty and ill-health.

The Columbus, O., Buggy Co., which assigned over a year ago with an indebtedness of $1,000,000, arranged with creditors so that operations may again be resumed. Over 300 men are employed at the outset and the number will be gradually increased until the full force of 1,000 men are at work.

The sheet scale was settled at a conference between the wage committees of the manufacturers and the Amalgamated association at Pittsburg, the men gaining their point. The effect of the settlement was to put between 20,000 and 25,000 men at work at once. The bar iron and puddling Amalgamated scales yet remain to be settled.

James Stevens has been rescued from the Mammoth gold mine at Phoenix, Ariz., after being imprisoned for over 13 days without food by a cave-in. He had shrunk in weight from 160 to 90 pounds.

The increased discoveries of gold in large quantities in Alaska is causing great excitement. The almost fabulous finds on the Klondyke where from 1,000 to $6,000 worth of gold is panned out in a day by dozens of men has induced many western miners to prepare to emigrate to the new El Dorado. The steamer Portland has arrived at Port Townsend, Wash., with over $2,000,000 of the yellow stuff on board which was taken from the Klondyke fields within the last four or five months.

Indianapolis will have the honor of entertaining the Leaguers in 1898.

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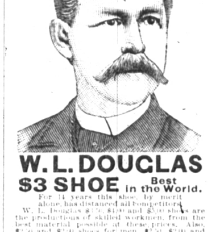

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COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of LYDIA GARDNER, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate in and for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said estate, in which to present them to us for examination and adjustment, notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 7th day of August, 1897, and on the 7th day of January, 1898, at ten o'clock a. m. of each day at the store of Lyman B. Peabody, in the village of Birmingham, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting such claims.

LYMAN B. PEABODY, } Commis'rs.
EUGENE BROOKS }
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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of FREDERICK C. CHOLE, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate in and for the county of Oakland, state of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said estate, and six months from the 19th day of June, A. D. 1897, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present them to us for examination and adjustment, notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 21st day of July, 1897, and on the 19th day of December, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Royal Oak, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting such claims.

JOSEPH H. RANDE, } Commissioners.
JOHN BENJAMIN, }
Jun25-Julyl6

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. Notice is
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, } hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of Oakland, made on the 30th day of June, A. D. 1897, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of CINDERILLA PATCH, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office, in the city of Pontiac, for examination and allowance, on or before the 30th day of December next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Friday, the 30th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Dated June 30, A. D. 1897.

THOMAS L. PATTERSON,
10w5 Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a session
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, } of the Probate Court for said county of Oakland held at the Probate Office, in the city of Pontiac, on the 6th day of July, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Present, Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of ELIZABETH ARTHUR, incompetent, now deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Alberon Whitehead, late guardian, for the examination and allowance of his final account and for his discharge, and on reading and filing the petition of GRACE A. McKINNEY, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to some suitable person.

It is ordered that Monday, the 23rd day of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be appointed for hearing said petition; and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in THE BIRMINGHAM EXCHANGE, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland.

THOMAS L. PATTERSON,
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