

# THE GREAT STATE

## THE HAPPENINGS IN MICHIGAN BRIEFLY RELATED.

The Hunting Season Open in This State and the Game Wardens Have Plenty to do at Present—An Arbor Had Preferred Death to Arrest.

**Game Wardens Busy These Days.**  
Game warden Moran has addressed the following to each of his deputies throughout the state: "As the hunting season approaches, we are receiving prominent reports that quail and partridge are being shot and killed. The season for hunting quails opens Oct. 1, while quail and partridge cannot be lawfully killed until Oct. 9. I desire to impress upon you the importance of being very vigilant from now on to the end that these laws may be respected. I desire to report promptly to this office any complaints that may come to your knowledge. Investigate them promptly and carefully and rest assured that every assistance will be given you from this office. I also desire to call your attention to the necessity for watching carefully the poaching, as the temptation to spear will be very strong during these dark nights."

**Other Mattered at Sturgis.**  
The village of Sturgis and the surrounding country are widely excited over the murder of John W. Craig, the village night watchman, by two tramps early this morning. John W. Craig was approached a short time before the accident by two chimney sweeps who complained that the tramps had been held up and robbed by two tramps near the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad station. Accompanied by the chief of police at Sturgis, the night watchman found the tramps in a box car on a side track. Craig jumped into the car for the purpose of putting the men under arrest when they fired a shot over his head. The assault was so unexpected that Craig had no time to draw his own revolver. He was shot three times, twice in the throat and once in the chest, twice in the throat and once in the chest, twice in the throat and once in the chest. He died almost instantly. The alarm was quickly sounded and the tramps were formed, and the surrounding country was searched, but at last accounts the tramps were still at large.

**20-18 Marriages in Michigan Last Year.**  
There were 20,138 marriages returned by the county clerks to Secretary of State Victor for the year 1914. This is the largest number ever recorded for a single year and represents a marriage rate of 16.2 per 1,000 population. The largest number of marriages took place in November, 2,264; while the smallest number, 1,302, was in February. Next to November, June and October, October, seen to be the best months for marriage. The favorite ages were between 20 and 25 for both males and females. The highest percentage of marriage on record occurred in a case reported from Washtenaw county, in which the age of the groom was given as 10 years, while the bride was 57.

**Preferred Death to Arrest.**  
Surrounded by officers of the law who were about to arrest him and with a knife in his dark lantern upon his face, Young Harbo leader of the 21st, seemed to have struck a nerve which did not penetrate the bone, but tore its way through the right eye. It befell the boy has a chance for recovery.

**Decisions Handed Down by Jury.**  
In reply to questions from Mueller Bros., brewers at Owasco, Attorney General Owen states that brewers who pay a \$5 tax cannot enter a local option county and store in such a county. But they can sell in any county at wholesale, without paying additional tax. They cannot buy store houses in other counties, as they would be equivalent to additional breweries. A majority of those voting is sufficient to establish a local option system, even if the proportion voting to the population is very small. Brewers who work more than 10 hours a day can work in a local option town, but this does not apply to domestics or farm laborers.

**Large Grain Shipment Arrives.**  
The Melroe Elevator Co. of Battle Creek, on the 19th shipped over a carload of 300 bushels of wheat to Portland, Me., 30 cars loaded with 30,000 bushels of oats and corn. The cereals will be shipped from Portland to England. This is the largest amount of grain shipped from the city. It was a good advertisement for Battle Creek as each shipper is required to place on the car composing the name of the mill where it was shipped from. The grain was bought in several adjoining counties.

**Disease in Michigan.**  
Reports to the state board of health about that diarrhea, rheumatism, neuralgia, dysentery and bronchitis, in the order named, caused the most sickness in Michigan during the week. Consumption was reported at 203 places; typhoid fever at 94; scarlet fever at 36; diphtheria at 31; whooping cough at 15; measles at 9; cerebro-meningitis at 2, and smallpox at 2.  
**Heavy frosts in Tuscola county are said to have damaged sugar beets.**  
It costs Washtenaw county about \$2,600 a year to care for the dead.  
St. Louis will bond for \$10,000 to establish a municipal electric lighting plant.  
Michigan school for the deaf opened at Flint on the 21st with 273 pupils.  
The annual fair of the Midland County Agricultural society will be held Oct. 14.  
An alleged wild woman is said to make her home in the woods near Traverse City.  
Morose will bond for \$50,000 and purchase the present water works system at that place.

# NEWSPAPER GENERALITIES

## ITEMS GATHERED FROM ALL DIRECTIONS.

**76 Indians Were Killed in Two Week.**  
Fought battles between the Mexicans and the Indians in the state of Yucatan. A total of 76 Indians were killed in two weeks.

**Two Sharp Engagements.**  
Official reports of two battles between Mexicans and Yaguas have been received. Gen. Luis Jimenez and his troops were engaged in two sharp engagements. The first was on October 1, and the second on October 2. In both engagements the Mexicans were victorious.

**Earthquakes, Floods and Landslides.**  
Earthquakes, floods and landslides have been reported in various parts of the state. In the state of Yucatan, a large number of people were killed by a flood.

**Declaration From Capt. Dreyfus.**  
The following brief declaration has been received from Capt. Dreyfus: "The government of the republic has no objection to my being allowed to return to my native land, provided that I am allowed to retain my rank and the honor which has been conferred upon me."

**200 Killed by an Earthquake.**  
The district of Aida, in Asia Minor, was visited by an earthquake on Sept. 20, and, according to the latest advices, the loss of life was 200. The earthquake was felt in various parts of the district.

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# WAR NOTES.

## Already to Fight.

A committee of 12 squatters on the Maxwell land grant in Colorado on the 20th met the posse of the deputy United States marshal sent from Denver to evict them from the lands they were occupying at the mouth of the Stovesson valley. The officers were informed that two or three of their number were armed and the posse was ordered to eject them but that the posse must go no further. The settlers are organized and are apparently mean and business. The squatters have arranged where they were stopped and are waiting instructions from the marshal's office in Denver.

**Dewey Arrives Two Days Early.**  
The hero of Manila Bay, Admiral Dewey, arrived in New York on the morning of Sept. 24, two days ahead of time. It is needless to say that his unexpected arrival created much surprise. The trip from Gibraltar to New York took 16 days, a much shorter time than was estimated, and this of course was due to the superior speed of the ship. All on board of the ship are reported well and happy to again see the shores of home.

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Tuesday, Oct. 2.—Arrival of the Olympia and welcome by Rear Admiral Sampson and North Atlantic squadron. Continuation of New York harbor by night.

# THE NEWS CONDENSED

## New York.

Thirty new cases of yellow fever and two deaths were reported at West, Fla., on the 24th.

On Sept. 25, the Dewey home fund had reached \$28,764, but the committee has not yet received the balance of \$10,000 from the State of California.

Millionaire Wm. Bradbury, of San Francisco, Cal., recently spent 24 hours in jail for spitting of the floor of a street car.

There are now 33 cases of yellow fever at Jackson, Miss., and the state health officer says the disease is being kept under control.

Kentuckyans of Clay county fear a feud with the state health officer. The health officer has asked that the troops be furnished during the trial which soon commences.

Gen. Otis has informed the war department that he has been ordered to report to the War Department on the 24th. The admiral was lost in the wreck of the vessel.

The Atlas Steamship Co.'s steamer Aida, bound from Kingston for Boston, was lost in the wreck of the vessel.

Four new cases of the bubonic plague were reported at Porto on the 24th. Since the outbreak of the disease there have been 10 cases, which number has also resulted fatal.

# BASE BALL.

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Philadelphia	147	68	46.3
Baltimore	147	65	44.2
St. Paul	147	62	42.2
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# FIFTY CENT FOR NOTHING.

"What will the inventive brains of man do next? This is a question one asks almost daily. There is one, though, who leads all others, who for the sake of a century has been making his laundry starch, and who is offering the public the finest starch ever placed on the market."

Ask your grocer for a coupon book which will enable you to get the first two packages of this new starch, "RED CROSS" (trade mark brand), also two packages of the "Shakespeare Starch" (trade mark brand). You will receive the "RED CROSS" laundry starch, J. C. Hubinger's latest invention.

The improvements that are being made to the Baltimore and Ohio South Western railroad between Pikesville and East St. Louis are being pushed rapidly to completion. Sixty thousand tons of 85 pound gravel ballast will be required for the track, and there are still 25,000 tons to come, delivery being delayed on account of the heavy snow during the winter. The company has also put in 125 miles of gravel ballast and expects to get 200 miles more during the winter. It is hoped by Ball that the trail will rank as the best in the west. A heavy grade was made, and the changes in line are also being made between Cincinnati and St. Louis. The work is being done in a very satisfactory manner. At the present time, the line is to be shortened a mile and a half, 300 degrees of curvature eliminated and seven bridges changed.

The inter-national peace conference has turned out to be a good thing for this country. The conference has been a success, and the peace has been maintained. The conference has been a success, and the peace has been maintained. The conference has been a success, and the peace has been maintained.

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