

News Notes from Lansing

Interesting Happenings at the State Capital of Michigan.

Lansing.—Two hundred or more close political friends of Internal Revenue Collector Malcolm McLeod, who figured that they might have a chance to appointment to one of those 20 jobs which the new collector discovered are at his disposal, were sadly disappointed. A civil service examination for positions in the internal revenue service was held in the federal building and not one of the many men who might have been considered as likely to get a job if they passed the examination was able to qualify. It now transpires that when the collector made the discovery that he controls the appointment of some 20 or more deputies it was just a week too late to permit any of the faithful from filing the preliminary papers preparatory to taking the "exam." It isn't the fault of the collector, as he made the discovery on the very day he took the office. The class which took the examination for positions on the eligible list numbered only 24 in consequence. The collector is required to make permanent appointments after three months, of the men whom he temporarily appointed when he took hold.

Unveil Macomb Statue.
The Michigan Society of the United States Daughters of 1812 celebrated the ninety-fourth anniversary of the winning of the battle of Plattsburg by unveiling a monument in Detroit to Gen. Alexander Macomb, the hero of the engagement. Gen. Macomb was a native of Detroit, the head of the Fifth military department, and was subsequently commander-in-chief of the armies of the United States. The monument is in design a bronze statue of the general, executed by Adolph A. Weinman of New York, and selected in a competitive examination which took place at the Metropolitan Museum of Art in the spring of 1906. Nineteen models were examined. Augustus St. Gaudens was chairman of the jury, he was too ill to act, in his absence, the following passed on the design and execution: Herbert Adams, William M. Kendall, Herman MacNeil, E. C. Potter and Albert R. Ross. The United States furnished condemned cannon of sufficient quantity to furnish the metal for the statue and also three trophy guns—one French and two English—to decorate the base. The statue is of heroic size, and, including the foundations and pedestal, has cost \$12,000. Of this amount \$5,000 was appropriated by the state of Michigan, and \$2,000 by the city of Detroit. The Seventh United States Infantry from Fort Wayne, under the command of Col. Daniel Dorman, was in attendance, and the Loyal Legion, the Detroit G. A. R. posts, the Detroit Light guard, the Detroit Light Infantry and the naval reserves assisted in the exercises. Fr. Ernest Van Dyke delivered the invocation. Mrs. William Gerry Slade, as president, brought greetings from the national society of the United States Daughters of 1812, and Mrs. Bertram C. Whitney, president of the Michigan society, presented the monument. The president of the Colorado society, Mrs. Frank Wheaton, did the unveiling. The Seventh United States Infantry fired a salute, and the Seventh regiment band played the "Star Spangled Banner." Mayor Thompson accepted for the city, and Congressman Edwin Denby made the address of the afternoon. Rev. Edwin Macomb pronounced the benediction.

\$25,000 Receipt Missing.
Portland papers announce the sale of Hotel Divine to Jacob Kruger of Pittsburg for \$15,000. Probably the sale will not be consummated, as Kruger is missing. When Kruger made his appearance in Portland he at once inspired confidence by exhibiting a receipt from a Lansing bank for a sight draft for \$25,000, drawn on a Pittsburg bank. After concluding the details of the purchase of the hotel, Kruger brought a party of Portland citizens to Lansing but returned without the money to pay for the hotel. He remarked that he expected to take an auto trip to Battle Creek, but instead made his exit from the village by an excursion train. He did not return. Inquiry at the Lansing bank where Kruger had deposited a sight draft of \$25,000 revealed that the bank had declined to advance any money on the paper, but had given a receipt and forwarded the draft to Pittsburg. It came back marked "no funds."

Will Run for Congress.
Prosecuting Attorney Miles Purcell of Saginaw announced his willingness to accept the Democratic nomination for congress and make the race against the Republican nominee. Purcell has a record as prosecutor, is a well-known attorney.

President Postal Again.
Fred Postal was re-elected president of the Michigan Agricultural society. The executive committee met and located the booth where the voting took place. There was not much politics in the state fair this year. It was plain to those who stood by the organization that Mr. Postal was just the sort of a man to carry them through financial troubles and make the fair a paying institution. Mr. Postal did an immense amount of work and shouldered responsibilities that might not appeal favorably to everybody.

State Senators Named.
Late returns show that the following were nominated for state senator in the various districts:
Eleventh district—Erasmus N. Bates.
Twelfth district—James E. Weter.
Thirteenth district—Frank T. Newton.
Fourteenth district—Francis Shields.
Fifteenth district—Arthur J. Tuttle.
Sixteenth district—Loren J. Dickenson.
Seventeenth district—Horace T. Barnaby.
Eighteenth district—Fred J. Baldwin.
Nineteenth district—William H. Aitken.
Twentieth district—Frederick B. Kline.
Twenty-first district—Edwin G. Fox.
Twenty-fourth district—William A. Collins.
Twenty-ninth district—Frederick R. Ming.

Republican nominations were as follows:
For governor—Fred M. Warner.
Lieutenant governor—Patrick H. Keelley.

CONGRESSMEN.
Second district—Charles E. Townsend.
Third district—Washington Gardner.
Fifth district—Gerrit J. Diekena.
Sixth district—Samuel W. Smith.
Seventh district—Henry McMorran.
Eighth district—Joseph W. Fordney.
Ninth district—James C. McLaughlin.
Tenth district—George A. Loud.
Eleventh district—Francis H. Dodds.

On the Prohibition ticket, John W. Gray, for governor, and Henry C. Carpenter, for lieutenant governor, had no opposition; and A. M. Sterton and V. F. Kirk had no opposition for the Socialist nomination for governor and lieutenant governor, respectively. State Road Commissioner H. E. Earle, the third candidate in the field for the Republican nomination for governor, did not at any time during the counting of the returns appear to be within striking distance of the nomination. In the four congressional districts where there were contests for the Republican nomination returns indicated the nomination of Congressman Washington Gardner in the Third district, Joseph W. Fordney in the Eighth, and George A. Loud in the Tenth district, and the nomination of George G. Covell in the Eleventh district to succeed Congressman Darragh, who was not a candidate for renomination. The following Republican congressmen were renominated without opposition: C. E. Townsend, G. J. Diekena, S. W. Smith, Henry McMorran and J. C. McLaughlin. The Republicans in three districts and the Democrats in all 12 districts will nominate congressmen in district conventions.

Big State Fair Opens.
Michigan's big state fair opened to the public, continuing for a week. While the first day, as a rule, finds the work about half done, there was more progress this year, and it was a first-class fair when the tired workers knocked off for a rest. The scheme of the management to make it a fair attractive to both city and country folks worked out nicely. The exhibits of live stock, farm produce and other things that grow were of interest to the flat dwellers and others from the city. The displays in the main building and the shows on the midway were new to the up-state visitors. The horse races, the airship and other things caught them both, making it the most complete open-air show the state ever has known.

Kelley Ready to Support Bradley.
Lieut. Gov. Kelley, who campaigned with Gov. Warner and made a fight for his chief, surrendered with grace to the result of the primary. "I am now on I am as good a Bradley man as anyone," said Kelley. "I shall do my share in the campaign before election and of course I expect the ticket will win by the usual majorities." Lieut. Gov. Kelley assured the interviewer that he should fight for the principles to which he was devoted during the last session of the legislature, and that there would be no change in his attitude toward public questions on which his record is well known.

Collects Pledges by Law.
The Port Huron chamber of commerce was given judgment against 21 citizens of Port Huron by Police Justice Benedict for failing to pay the amount of their pledges to the factory fund of the organization. The amount totaled more than \$700. Not one of the defendants appeared in court. More suits will be instituted.

To Try Glazier Soon.
John Oatley of this city, a member of the grand jury which indicted former State Treasurer Glazier, was drawn on the petit which will try him. Prosecuting Attorney Foster expects to try the Glazier case and possibly other grand jury cases at the term beginning September 28.

White is Democratic Choice.
O. A. White of Fremont, Newaygo county, has been decided upon as the Democratic candidate for congress man in the Ninth district.

THROUGH THE STATE

MICHIGAN NEWS OF A WEEK CONDENSED.

DESERTER ALLEGED THIEF

Ernest H. Renaud, in Mount Clemens Jail, Said to Have Confessed Robbery in Detroit—His Record.

Mount Clemens.—Ernest H. Renaud was locked in Macomb county jail here by Chief of Police Schelling, as a deserter from company K, Fourth United States Infantry. It is alleged that Renaud left Fort Thomas, Ky., when his regiment was ordered to the Philippines, February 18. He enlisted at Chicago in January. He was working at Butler's night lunch in this city and was arrested on advice of the adjutant general.

Thinking that it was an acquaintance that told the officers that he was a deserter, Renaud, it is alleged, made a confession implicating George W. Mapp, alias Capp, who is serving ten days for larceny. Renaud said the pair were together in Chicago and obtained \$375 from the New Southern hotel there, afterwards going to Detroit, where a haul was made in silverware from the Wayne. Capt. Baker of the Detroit police is investigating. Renaud's mother lives at 91 Hunt street, Detroit, and accompanied by his sister, she paid him a visit at the jail.

Goes into North Woods.
Owosso.—James Oliver Curwood, an Owosso boy, formerly writer on Detroit papers and now engaged in special literary work, is about to leave for the Hudson Bay country to make investigations for the Canadian government and to gather material for a book for the Boots, Botts-Merrill Publishing company.

Rogers Goes to Camp.
Lansing.—Assistant Quartermaster General Rogers left for Camp Benjamin Harrison, at Indianapolis, to prepare for the encampment there of the National Guard. The war department has ordered the First field artillery of Michigan, located at Lansing and Mason, to attend target practice at Sparta.

Big Crowd at Chesaning Picnic.
Chesaning.—More than 200 people from Saginaw and 50 from St. Charles attended the annual outing of the supervisors of Saginaw county. The outing was held in Nason's grove with an attendance of several hundred people from this vicinity to witness the sports, races and ball games.

Gold Thieves Get Away.
Kalamazoo.—A gang of gold thieves has been operating in Kalamazoo for the last four or five days. They have made some good hauls and succeeded in escaping the vigilance of the police and sheriff's officers. A visit to Dr. Carpenter's dental office netted the thieves about \$200.

Chastised; Leaves Home.
Pontiac.—Officers were asked by Mrs. Emma Baldwin of Rochester to locate her missing son Frank, 17 years old. She says he may call himself Donaldson, as that was his stepfather's name. The boy was chastised for using tobacco, and immediately left home.

Buys Street Railway.
Houghton.—The Houghton County Traction company, a Stone and Webster corporation just organized, purchased the Houghton County Street Railway company, share for share, the deal involving the transfer of stocks aggregating \$3,000,000.

Robbed Employers' Safe.
Eaton Rapids.—Homer Meyers, who was caught red-handed attempting to rob the safe in Sterling & Crawford's store, was placed in jail. Meyers says he never took over \$200 at any one time, but the aggregate amount would reach over \$1,000.

Three Assaulters Sent Up.
Flint.—Bernard Brady, Paxton Cain and George Wheatley, who were concerned in an assault made upon Thomas McManus on July 13, were sentenced by Justice Torrey to 90 days' imprisonment in the Detroit house of correction.

Bully Hurt in Runaway.
Hillsdale.—F. Eugene Baker of Ypsilanti, traveling man of wide acquaintance in southern Michigan, was thrown from a buggy here and seriously injured.

Clamps Lid Down on Club Rooms.
Kalamazoo.—Chief of Police Allen has clamped the lid on so-called clubs in connection with saloons in Kalamazoo.

Hold County Convention.
Monroe.—The Republican county convention to select county officers was held here.

Brighton Boy Hero Hurt.
Brighton.—Brighton's boy hero, Leo Crippen, 11 years old, met with an accident that nearly cost him his life. Young Crippen gained fame two years ago by saving the lives of three boys from drowning.

Train Kills Man at Lansing.
Lansing.—Charles Farbits, while walking on the Michigan Central tracks here, was run down by a north-bound passenger train and injured so badly that death soon resulted. He was 65 years old.

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Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

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T. B. Davis and Charles Good attended the republican county convention at Escanaba on Tuesday to which they were elected as delegates at the primary election.

Mrs. Walter Fax visited Nahma this week.

Mr and Mrs. Farnsworth returned to Chicago Tuesday.

Miss E. Ellen Fullerton has returned to her home after a week's visit at Nahma.

The Nahma team defeated the Continentals of Escanaba last Sunday by a score of 6 to 11. The game was loosely played up to the 6th inning when Harris the pitcher for the visitors, was succeeded by Conest who in the last three innings struck out 8 men and allowed but one hit. Jennings the Nahma pitcher had 12 strike-outs to his credit. The Continentals are a gentlemanly lot of players and it is hoped that another game will be played here in the near future.

FORD RIVER

Miss Cason returned last Sunday from an extended trip to Europe.

The Ford River base ball team will cross bats with the south side team on the home grounds tomorrow.

James A. Kennedy went to Chicago Saturday evening, and returned Labor day. While there he met his younger brother and accompanied him to the "doubleheader" which was played between the Cubs and Pirates.

Mr. O. Nauveau spent Labor day in Escanaba. He also took in the ball game which was played there.

Several of our young people attended the ball game in Escanaba Labor day.

The first team journeyed to Gourley last Sunday to play ball with the strong aggregation of that city. The Sunday game resulted in a victory for the Gourley team by a score of 15 to 12 after 11 innings of hard playing. The following day the same teams crossed bats again, but the home boys certainly showed up by beating them in their own back yard by a score of 7 to 2. The home boys attribute their defeat of Sunday to the strange grounds which were more like the back of a porcupine or a wash board, as it took a great deal of studying to tell whether or not the ball would strike in the "tall weeds" or if it would light on a large rock or lump of dirt. For fear the boys might get too tired from running the bases a few stumps were also put out in the field for the players to rest their weary bones on while the others worked. At that, the boys had a very good time, and cannot speak too highly of the hospitality of the Gourley boys, and wish to thank them for same.

With the first team was doing all in its power to put Ford River on the base line up, the second team under the management of Mr. Chauvin arranged a game with the Switch team so the home boys could have a little enjoyment. Well, they had it all right, for the home boys did all they possibly could to make good in their attempt. The Switch team composed of boys who have undoubtedly swung axes most of their lives, but at that they simply swung the home team that is, the second team—we say that because we do not wish to disgrace the first team by having the people think the first team would let the "Switch" switch them so terribly by a very close score of 30 to 18. After the game was bagged for the visitors, or rather given to them, Smith essayed to try his arm and hand the last four innings. To show the good support that was given, his predecessor Benjie Simonds, Smith struck out twelve men, caught two flies, and threw out two men at first and b sides several chances; the other men had. This may sound "falsy", but when you stop to consider that five of these were struck out in the last inning, one of them scoring a "home run" it will be very easy to form an idea of the good playing that was done. Besides striking out five men and catching a couple of flies, the visitors scored but eight runs in the last inning. We believe this is a record that could hardly be equaled by any major league.

Danger Ever Present. Without danger, danger cannot be surmounted.—Publius Syrus.

Diplomatic Qualifications.
The man who can dish out compliments to his wife after 14 years of married life deserves a place in the diplomatic service.

Imperfections of the Perfect.
My studies of people have led me to the conclusion that the high and lofty soul has a good bit of the hypocrite in his composition.—London Outlook.

Kind Man!
"Don't follow me, pup," said the good natured man to the lost dog. "I haven't any more home than you have. I live in a flat."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Why Men Refuse to Teach.
The teacher may have a personality that commands respect in spite of his calling, but outside of his special work he is regarded by business men slightly, as an imprudent visionary.—Educational Review.

Gossip.
Gossip is a sort of smoke that comes from the dirty tobacco pipes of those who diffuse it; it proves nothing but the bad taste of the smoker.—George Eliot.

The Hope of It.
"It is true that Jordan is a hard road for travel," said Brother Williams, "but dar's dis consolation: We kin all lay down our burdens on de green banks of de river an' go in swimmin' w'en we sits dar!"—Atlanta Constitution.

An Important Advantage.
The man who is a stepfather has one important advantage. His wife can't set up the claim that the children inherited all their disagreeable traits from him.

As to Stage Fright.
"Stage fright" is surely among the most mysterious of sudden seizures. It begins when the actor or speaker thinks "they are not interested in me." It ends when he determines "I will interest them."

Wrong End Up.
In Bavaria a few weeks ago a boy 12 years old, living in a village, was standing on his head on the sidewalk when the mayor came along. Being wrong-end-up the lad could not pull off his cap and salute, and he was therefore sent to jail for a week to get his heels down in their proper place.

Luminous Fish.
The flesh of most sea fishes and other marine animals becomes more or less luminous within a day or two after death. The light is emitted, however, not by the flesh itself but by certain bacteria which can be collected from its surface and which are of common occurrence in sea water.

Work as a Necessity.
Work is as necessary to material advancement as are air and water to life. A man can gain nothing by standing idly by, except the name of a drone in the human hive, who exists by the sweat of others. You must be up and doing if you would advance. You must not wait for opportunity, but create the opportunity for yourself.

Large Cataract.
"My poor man!" exclaimed the benevolent old lady. "How did you lose your sight?" "Well, you see, ma'am, it was this way," explained the blind beggar. "I once went over Niagara falls in a barrel and I got a cataract in the eye."—Philadelphia Record.

LOCAL NEWS

L. E. Dew, a prominent attorney of Chicago, and daughter Miss Dorothy Dew, were entertained over Sunday at the home of Superintendent and Mrs. F. D. Davis.

A pleasant reception was tendered Mrs. Florence Brotherton Rice of St. Louis, Mo., last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Brotherton, 102 Wells Avenue.

J. V. Moran and Amos S. Musselman manager and president of the National Grocer Co., returned Wednesday evening from Sault Ste. Marie. They left the next evening for Chicago on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wells and daughter Gene of Beaumont, Texas, who have been here for the past six weeks the guest of Mrs. Wells' mother Mrs. S. J. Spargo and family, returned to their home Wednesday evening.

Judge T. B. White and Charles Malloch accompanied Hon. O. B. Fuller to Menominee Thursday morning making the trip in Mr. Fuller's automobile. The gentlemen are attending the Fairbanks reception, Mr. Fuller being a member of the reception committee.

A. P. Smith, John Semer, J. J. Mallmann, F. M. Olmsted, H. R. Dotsch, Philip Dupont and James E. Patton were at Kipling last week to attend the funeral of the late Adam N. Sinclair, a former Supervisor from Brantford township and well known and popular resident of the county.

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