

MAY ALL CATCH IT

Diphtheria Breaks Out in the Agricultural College

STUDENT FOREMAN A VICTIM

Many in the School Have Been Exposed. The Sick Youth in the Quarantine Hospital.

LANSING, April 19.—C. J. Forman of Harbor Springs, rooming in apartment No. 139, Abbott hall, at Agricultural college, was stricken with diphtheria yesterday. He had had a sore throat for three or four days, but did not report it until 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Dr. Shank was called at once and saw the case was suspicious, and that Forman should remain close in his room until afternoon. Dr. Shank then visited him again and pronounced it diphtheria. The young man was at once removed to the Latta College farm hospital, half a mile in the country. His chain is kept confined to his room awaiting further developments. For man had been mingling freely with other students until 8 o'clock yesterday morning.

DETROIT BAKERS' STRIKE. Both Sides Are Firm and Arbitration is Out of the Question.

DETROIT, April 19.—The bakers and their employes are as badly at odds as ever and a truce seems to be afar off. Arbitration has no place in the strike, as both sides are confidently stubborn. The association bakers are at work with the non-union men brought in from Brooklyn. These men are domiciled in the residences of their employers, to keep them from being approached by the union leaders. Twenty-four master bakers, not members of the Employing Bakers' association, have signed the union scale. They employ fifty men. The wagons of the members of the association resumed their routes today as though nothing had happened, many of the vehicles being decorated with flags, as if in a spirit of victory. The local trades unions generally have placed boycotts on association bread. Those of the strikers who are without means are being assisted by the international union. The association has a representative in the east hiring non-union men.

LABOR MAN IN TROUBLE. William W. Morgan, Editor People's Voice, Arrested on a Serious Charge.

ROCHESTER, April 18.—William W. Morgan of Rochester, candidate for auditor general on the labor ticket at last state election, has been arrested on complaint of Minnie Cooley of this place, who charges him with her betrayal. Mr. Morgan is engaged in the publication of the People's Voice, the people's party organ at Pontiac.

JENAT HUNG HIMSELF. Rash Act of a Rich and Respected Farmer Near Yale.

YALE, April 18.—About six miles from here, in the township of Emmett, James Jenat was found dead, hanging from a tree in a wood near his home. Just when, how, or why the deed was committed is not yet known, but it is manifestly a case of suicide. Mr. Jenat was a well-off farmer about 50 years old and was married, having a large family. He was much respected.

Died From Neuralgia. SARANAC, April 18.—Yesterday afternoon the wife of Ed F. Payne, president of this village, died very suddenly from neuralgia of the heart. She had not been feeling well through the day and about 7 o'clock in the evening was taken with a severe chill. Although everything was done to revive her she failed rapidly and in a very few moments passed away. Mrs. Payne was the daughter of the late Captain Peter Granzer. She was born in Saranac December 23, 1859. She had a bright disposition and was a woman of remarkable intelligence. She was for some years a teacher in the Saranac schools. She leaves one child, a son five years old.

Ida Lyons Heard From. DETROIT, April 18.—Miss Ida Lyons, who disappeared from a Windsor convent Sunday, and was supposed to have eloped with the notorious Billy Considine, has written a long letter to the daily papers, in which she asserts that she is a good little girl and never even spoke to Billy Considine; that she has always associated with the nicest people in Detroit, that she ran away because she had no liberty and had been at school all her life. The sisters say that Miss Lyons was a good girl, but inclined to be over sentimental.

Eloped With the Hired Girl. BIG RAPIDS, April 18.—Charles Fields, a married man and the father of several children, living four miles south of Big Rapids, has eloped with Jennie Griffith, a burton country girl of 17 summers employed as maid of all work in the family of Henry Everett of this city. The intimacy of the guilty couple commenced four months ago, while Miss Griffith was working for the Fields family.

Town Wiped Out. NIRVANA, April 18.—Chase, a Lake county village with nearly 1200 inhabitants, was almost wiped out of existence by fire last night. Twenty-five buildings on the main street, including every business place in town, and five dwellings were destroyed. The loss runs up into tens of thousands.

Engine Blows Up. GLADSTONE, April 18.—Engine 41 blew up at Whiteville station, east of here on the South line. Engineer W. H. Hubbard and Fireman Stead were severely scalded. The fireman was blown sixty feet and died this morning. He leaves an invalid wife and two children at Minneapolis. Lack of water in the boiler was the cause.

Around the State. Prof. Richard Ely of Johns Hopkins university, director of the summer camp, recently at Bay View, announces the following appointments at the latter place for the coming season: Dr. W. K. Shober, in chemistry; Prof. David Kinley, in economics; and Prof. Frank E. Mills, in physics. All of the gentlemen are members of Johns Hopkins university.

one-third to one-half the catch the past two weeks that they got a year ago. The strong northeast wind that has prevailed almost continually for two weeks has driven the fish to deeper waters than they can set their nets in. Extensive preparations are being made at Muskegon for the twenty-seventh annual convention of the State Medical society, to be held Thursday and Friday, May 6 and 7. It is expected that 500 physicians will be present, and an excellent program of papers and entertainment has been arranged.

The attorney general has given an opinion that the law of 1889 exempting from taxation the mortgages and shares of building and loan associations was repealed by the law of 1891, and that their shares and mortgages are no more exempt from taxation than any other property.

Since licensing closed the saloons in Sunday Negaunee has had so many visitors on that day and so much intoxication and disturbance that petitions are now being circulated in that city asking for a suspension of the whisky trade on the first day of the week.

The places of the union carvers who went on a strike at Newaygo are being filled with non-union men. The Converse factory is running with a full force. The manufacturers are determined not to recognize the union in the future.

Adrain's Improvement company is giving that city a boom. Several new manufacturing have been secured, and a sale of lots in the new manufacturing district, to be held May 17, is expected to yield a large profit to the company.

At Kalamazoo Wednesday a flash of lightning burned out the armature on the dynamo that furnishes power to five factories, which were obliged to shut down, throwing more than 100 persons out of employment for several days.

A Battle Creek youth presented his best girl a watch on her birthday. She gave him the mitten soon after in return. In a fit of anger he forcibly obtained possession of the time piece. He is in jail, charged with larceny.

E. W. Miner will endeavor to infuse new life into the moribund Patriot, people's party paper, Battle Creek. Charles Barker, founder of the sheet, has changed his mind about reform journalism.

William Raeder, a wealthy citizen of Lake City, is in custody, charged with taking improper liberties with a 4-year-old girl who has been living in his family for the past four months.

The street railway companies of Detroit agree to pay one and a half cents a yard to the city to keep clean the thoroughfares between tracks. The rate last year was two cents.

John Powell of East Fremont Sanilac county, died on Tuesday, aged 105. He came to America from Ireland when Michigan was a vast wilderness.

S. J. Madden, a Leoni, Jackson county farmer, lost a gold ring in a wheatfield thirty years ago. He found it Wednesday while harvesting.

The Edna mill, owned by Haylen & Reynolds, Jackson, was destroyed by a fire of incendiary origin early Thursday morning. Loss, \$20,000.

Joseph R. Peterson, under sheriff of Eaton county, has been declared insane and placed in the Kalamazoo asylum.

J. W. Baker has sold his general store at Chaucery to T. E. and E. G. Hubbel. Mr. Baker will remove to Fremont on May 1.

Alfred Parker, an early settler of Eaton Rapids and an ex-justice of the peace, died Wednesday night, aged 75.

Port Huron builders say it is impossible to purchase the necessary material for building operations.

Eighth annual convention of the Equal Suffrage association meets at Battle Creek May 4 and 5.

Muskegon decided by a vote of 2876 to 1041 in favor of a two mill tax for gravel road making.

R. H. Topping, Canovia's oldest merchant, died April 27, aged 63 years, from heart disease.

Thomas Faltner, a wealthy farmer of Leoni township, Jackson county, is dead, aged 46.

The great council of the Improved Order of Red Men meets in Jackson, May 10 and 11.

The Cedar Springs Fair association has commenced work on their \$1000 raco track.

The Sunfield and Potterville post-offices have been made money order offices.

It cost Eaton county \$332.21 to board tramps during the past three months.

Byron E. Benson, a Portland attorney, has been adjudged insane.

Pioneer log raising on fair grounds, Charlotte, May 6.

Cattle thieves are operating in Saginaw county.

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TELEPHONES ARE HANDY. You Can 'Teed Store with One Thought Fifty Miles Away.

A gentleman was trying to talk with a neighboring town the other day over the long-distance 'phone, and was seeking a little information that was current on the street of the town. Could anybody be found who would go out and pick it up? The young man at the distant 'phone was disinclined to accommodate without stating the reason why, and finally the help of Utica 'Toll-board' was implored. The conversation between 'Toll-board' and the dis-

tant town was quite interesting, according to the Observer. 'Just step out on the street,' she told him, 'and ask the first man or woman you meet.' 'I can't,' he replied, 'as there is no one here to watch the store.' 'Oh, is that all,' said 'Toll-board.' 'Well, you run right along and I'll watch the store for you.' The young man went and 'Toll-board' kept her word by keeping her ear to the receiver at Utica, forty miles from the scene.

The Rule of Contraries. 'Do Jack's folks encourage his attention to Phyllis?' 'No. But his sister snubs her, and it amounts to the same thing in the end.'—Truth.

THE MARKETS. Grains, Provisional, Etc.

CHICAGO, April 19. FLOUR—Quiet and firm. Spring wheat patents, \$4.00; \$4.10; \$4.20; \$4.30. Winter wheat patents, \$4.00; \$4.10; \$4.20; \$4.30. WHEAT—Bullish week. No. 2 cash and April nominal, May, \$2.00; \$2.10; \$2.20; \$2.30. CORN—Fairly active and weak. No. 2, \$1.00; \$1.10; \$1.20; \$1.30. RYE—No. 2, \$1.00; \$1.10; \$1.20; \$1.30. OATS—Lower. No. 2, \$1.00; \$1.10; \$1.20; \$1.30. HAY—No. 1, \$1.00; \$1.10; \$1.20; \$1.30. BUTTER—No. 1, \$1.00; \$1.10; \$1.20; \$1.30. EGGS—No. 1, \$1.00; \$1.10; \$1.20; \$1.30. MEAT—No. 1, \$1.00; \$1.10; \$1.20; \$1.30.

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TRAIN TIME TABLES.

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