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Through Sleeper (Day City to Chicago).  
Chicago Fast Train leaves 12:04 p. m., arrives in Jackson 2:30 p. m., Chicago 8:50 p. m.

**RAINS NORTH.**  
Day City Express, leaves 9:00 a. m., arrives at Bay City 11:30 a. m., Sleeper, Chicago to Bay City.  
Marquette Express leaves Owosso 7:15 p. m., arrives at Bay City 9:20 p. m.  
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G. A. JOHNSON, Agent, Owosso, W. HUGHES, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

## ANN ARBOR TIME TABLE.

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MAY 21, '09  
Trains leave Owosso as follows:

NORTH	SOUTH
Daily except Sunday No. 1, 11:25 a. m.	Daily except Sunday No. 4, 9:03 a. m.
No. 3, 7:50 p. m.	No. 4, 5:45 p. m.

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## GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

(Detroit & Milwaukee Division.)  
TIME TABLE IN EFFECT JUNE 19, 1909.

Arrival and Departure of Trains at Owosso

Westward	Leave	Arrive
Gr'd Rapids, Gr'd Haven and Muskegon	8:00 a. m.	7:04 p. m.
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Grand Haven	8:00 a. m.	7:10 p. m.
From Durand to Gr'd Haven	7:55 a. m.	8:55 p. m.

Eastward	Leave	Arrive
Detroit, Canada and East	8:00 a. m.	7:17 p. m.
Detroit and Chicago via Durand	8:00 a. m.	7:31 p. m.
Detroit, Canada and East	8:00 a. m.	7:17 p. m.
Durand, Canada and East	8:00 a. m.	7:30 p. m.

↑ Except Sunday. \* Daily

## SLEEPING AND PARLOR CAR SERVICE

**WESTWARD.**  
10:30 a. m. train has Parlor car to Grand Rapids. Extra charge 25 cents.  
7:17 p. m. train has Parlor car to Grand Haven. Extra charge 25 cents.

**EASTWARD.**  
8:00 p. m. train has Parlor car to Detroit. Extra charge 25 cents, and Pullman Sleeping car to Detroit to Toronto, connecting with Sleeper for the east and New York. Connects with U. & S. T. division at Durand for Chicago and St. Huron and with C. & S. M. div. for Saginaw and Bay City and with C. & G. T. for Pt. Huron and Battle Creek.

(Toledo, Saginaw & Muskegon Division.)  
Between Owosso Junction and Muskegon.  
Leave Owosso Junction, 6:15 a. m. and 7:50 a. m.  
Arrive, Owosso Junction, 5:50 p. m. and 7:50 p. m.

G. H. HUGHES, T. Agent.  
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**PEPTO-QUININE TABLETS**  
CURE A COLD  
25 CENTS PER BOX.

## AT CHICKAMAUGA PARK.

Indiana Monuments and Markers on Famous Battlefield Turned Over to Government.

## WILDER BRIGADE MONUMENT DEDICATED

Over 3,000 Veterans from Illinois, Indiana and Ohio Attend the Exercises—Addresses Made by Gov. Mount and Gen. Wilder and Other Notables.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 21.—From 4,000 to 8,000 people, 3,000 of whom were veterans from Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, attended the dedication of the Indiana monuments and markers at Chickamauga park Wednesday. The exercises began at ten o'clock and were all conducted from a platform erected at the site of the Wilder brigade monument, one of the most beautiful portions of the military park. The day was beautiful, bright and clear. By the ceremonies of the day the state of Indiana turned over to the federal government 113 markers and monuments, costing in the neighborhood of \$80,000. Gov. Mount of Indiana made the presentation speech. Gov. Mount said in part:

"I esteem it a signal honor to stand upon the very spot where I fought 23 years ago as a common soldier and speak in memory of the brave men of a great state. To



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day the surviving heroes of mortal combat clasp hands in fraternal union across the one bloody chasm. Combatants then, comrades to-day.  
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**Dedication of Wilder Monument.**  
Immediately following the dedication of the Indiana monuments, the Wilder brigade monument was dedicated. Addresses were delivered by Maj. James A. Connolly, of Springfield, Ill.; Gen. John T. Wilder, Gen. H. V. Boynton, Capt. William Rule, mayor of Knoxville, Tenn.; Col. Tomlinson Fort, an ex-confederate officer; Gen. Smith D. Atkins, of Illinois; Gov. Mount, of Indiana, and Mr. Benjamin, of Terre Haute, Ind.

The Wilder brigade monument is built of Chickamauga limestone. It stands 105 feet tall from base to top of flagstaff, the base is 19 feet square, and the main cylindrical shaft 16 feet in diameter. It is provided inside with a spiral stairway reaching the observatory. Its cost was about \$18,000. The monument is medieval in character and the most massive and imposing in the national military park.

**History of the Wilder Brigade.**  
Wilder's brigade, commanded by Gen. John T. Wilder, was composed of the following regiments:  
Seventeenth Indiana infantry, Maj. W. T. Jones commanding.  
Seventy-second Indiana infantry, Col. A. O. Miller commanding.  
Ninety-eighth Illinois infantry, Col. John J. Funkhauser commanding.  
Ninety-second Illinois infantry, Col. Smith D. Atkins commanding.  
One Hundred and Twenty-third Illinois infantry, Col. James Monroe commanding.  
Eighteenth Indiana battery, Capt. Eli Lilly commanding.  
The organization was numbered First brigade, Fourth division, Fourth army corps. It was mounted and armed with Spencer repeating rifles, and did as much effective fighting perhaps as any other organization at the battle of Chickamauga.

**Revenue Collections.**  
Washington, Sept. 21.—The monthly statement of the collections of internal revenue shows that for the month of August the receipts from all sources amounted to \$24,420,980, an increase as compared with August last year of \$1,949,482.  
**Women Can Vote.**  
Milwaukee, Sept. 21.—The Episcopal diocesan council in session in this city accorded to women the right to vote on all church and parish matters.

The F. & P. M. Ky. was consolidated with the D. G. R. & W. and the C. & W. M. railways on the 21st.  
Oakland county authorities have determined to prosecute a vigorous campaign against slot machines.

The Steele farm of 500 acres, lying north of Lonia, has been sold to Dwight Cutler, of Detroit, for \$27,000.

Five Battle Creek saloonists were fined \$25 and \$5 costs by Judge Smith for keeping open on Labor Day.

The Presbyterians of Ypsilanti dedicated their new church on the 24th.

George Starr and Harry Williams, awaiting trial for burglary, escaped from the Monroe jail on the 21st.

Incipient snow flurries have caused the resorters at Mackinac Island to pack up their duds and go south in a hurry.

It is reported that 100,000 bushels of apples were blown from trees in western Michigan during a gale on the 24th and 25th.

A man talks about owning his business. But, as a matter of fact his business owns him. His whole life is regulated by the demands of the business. The time at which he rises, his breakfast hour, the time given to meals, are all determined by business obligations. He rushes through lunch because he "can't spare the time from business" to eat leisurely. He won't take a rest because he is needed at the store or office. He is in fact an absolute slave to his business. The results which follow this slavery are to be seen on every hand. Men dyspeptic, irritable, nervous, with drawn faces, and hollow eyes, sit at the desk or stand behind the counter until they collapse in a fit of sickness, or are taken away by heart failure. Those who cannot escape the exactions of business will find a friend in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It strengthens the stomach, increases the action of the blood-making glands, increasing the vitality and physical vigor. It makes men strong and prevents those business break downs which so often terminate fatally.

There are politicians who are always disgruntled. Nothing can please them that does not bring them an office.

**Decisions Handed Down by Oren.**  
In reply to questions from Mueller Bros., brewers at Owosso, Attorney-General Oren states that brewers who pay a \$65 tax cannot enter a local option county and store or sell liquor. But they can sell in any county at wholesale, without paying additional tax. They cannot build store houses in other counties, as they would be equivalent to additional breweries.

A majority of those voting is sufficient to establish the free text book system, even if the proportion voting to the population is very small.  
Laborers who work more than 10 hours a day can collect for extra work, but this does not apply to domestic or farm laborers.

**Large Grain Shipment Abroad.**  
The McLane Elevator Co., of Battle Creek, on the 19th shipped over the C. & G. T. R. R., direct to Portland, Me., 30 cars loaded with 30,000 bushels of oats and corn. The cereals will be shipped from Portland to England.

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**Disease in Michigan.**  
Reports to the state board of health show 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 21; whooping cough at 14; 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 \$2,800 a year to care for "drunks."

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## SUPERVISORS ANNUAL MEETING

Important Matters to be Considered by the Board at the Meeting Beginning October 9

From the Corunna Journal.  
The annual meeting of the county board of supervisors is always an important matter and this year will be unusually so. The acceptance of the new addition to the county poor house, the election of the various officers and the ever new problem of equal taxation as viewed by the state commissioners, demand careful attention.

Among the offices to be filled is that of drain commissioner, now held by Charles A. Parker. That, however, will be an easy matter as Mr. Parker will have no opposition, which is as it should be; for no man has ever been more faithful to the trust imposed than Mr. Parker. While the office is undoubtedly the most trying of any county office to fill satisfactorily, yet Mr. Parker has succeeded far beyond the expectations of his most ardent admirers. The reason however is apparent. In the first place he mastered the law governing his actions and then with an honest endeavor to do the right thing without regard to friend or foe, he has succeeded in giving entire satisfaction. He has accomplished a large amount of work owing to his preparation for it and has a record that he may well be proud of. His re-election should, and undoubtedly will be by a unanimous vote of the board.

The next office to be filled is that of superintendent of the poor, now held by J. A. Armstrong, of Owosso. He has made a good name for the place in the important matter of building the new addition and has most faithfully attended to the increased duties. It is quite a compliment to him that there is no opposition to his re-election.

For member of the board of county examiners we hear of no other name than that of Howard Slocum, who has held the office for one term. His prompt attention to the duties of the office entitle him to a re-election, which he will undoubtedly receive.

For janitor Charles A. Potter, who has been a painstaking officer and appears to be the only candidate. He has looked well after the buildings and grounds and the comfort of the county officials and of the many who have had business to transact at the various offices. In fact he has made an ideal janitor, reflecting credit on the board for their wise selection.

There will also be three election commissioners appointed, and under the new law no member of the board can hold the position. They will, however, find no difficulty in selecting capable men who will consent to serve.  
The chairman, Supr. F. G. Morrice, has already been selected and the standing committees appointed so they will be ready to commence work on the first day of their session.

The board is composed of fair minded and intelligent men and we bespeak for them a harmonious and profitable session.

## WAR NOTES.

The United States cruiser Charleston, the monitor Monterey and the gunboats Concord and Zafro, with marines and blue jackets from the cruiser Baltimore, left Cavite Sept. 18 and proceeded to Subig Bay to destroy an insurgent cannon there. Owing to the bad weather the operation was postponed until Sept. 23d, when the warships for three hours bombarded the town of Olangapo and the entrenchments where the gun was situated. Men on the Charleston, Concord and Zafro were then landed under a heavy insurgent fire, proceeding to the cannon they destroyed it with gun cotton and then returned to the warships. The Americans had one man wounded during the engagement. The number of Filipinos who took part could not be ascertained and no dead were seen. The Monterey fired for four hours 21 shots from her 10-inch guns and 17 from her 12-inch guns. The town, which was riddled with shells, took fire at several points.

The insurgents captured the United States gunboat Urdaneta, in the Orani river, on the northwest side of Manila bay, where she was patrolling. One officer and nine of her crew are missing. The Urdaneta is beached opposite the town of Orani, on the Orani river. She was riddled with bullets and burned and the following guns, with their ammunition were captured: A one pounder, one Colt automatic gun, and one Nordenfeldt 25-millimetre gun. The crew of the Urdaneta are prisoners, or have been killed. Further details are lacking.

Two important dispatches from Gen. Otis at Manila were made public by the war department on the 25th. The first indicates that the insurgents on the island of Negros are about to recognize the authority of the United States. An election in Negros will be held on the 2d of October. The second dispatch says the American flag will be raised in Sulu Island. The chief insurgents in Zamboanga are reported willing to accept the authority of the United States, but desire to name conditions which Gen. Otis would not accept.

Word has reached the war department that Gen. Otis has sought to imitate the policy employed in Cuba of buying Filipino arms. The natives were given to understand that on surrender of a gun the military authorities would pay \$40 and guarantee immunity from arrest for previous armed opposition to the United States and protection for the future. Notwithstanding this tempting offer, but one bona fide surrender of a gun is reported.

Recently Commander Davidson of the little gunboat Paragua, had a sharp engagement at San Fabian, Lingayen gulf, with about 300 insurgents heavily entrenched at a distance of from 1,100 to 700 yards. The insurgents fled, their fire being weak and ineffective. On the Paragua there were no casualties. The Paragua is one of the little gunboats turned over to the army by Admiral Watson, and Davidson, the commander, is a young ensign.

A party of insurgents ditched a railroad train a mile and a half south of Angeles on the 23d and then opened fire on the derailed cars from a bamboo thicket close to the track, killing two Americans and wounding five others. Lieut. Lome and five of his scouts, who were on the train, made a vigorous defense and caused the enemy to flee. Six dead rebels were afterward found in the thicket from which the rebel fire came.

Cable reports from Iloilo concerning the results of Gen. Bates' second trip among the southern islands indicate that about 400 rebels at Zamboanga refuse to recognize American authority. The Moros and Filipinos are unfriendly and disturbances between them are liable to occur. Jolo is quiet and the natives continue friendly.

The war department has issued a general order in regard to the examination of officers of the volunteer army, an important provision of which is that vacancies of second lieutenants are to be filled by promotion from the ranks of the regiments in which they occur.

**BASE BALL.**  
The following table shows the number of games played, won, lost and the percentage of wins in the National League, up to and including Tuesday, Sept. 20th:

Club	Games Played	Won	Lost	Per Cent.
Brooklyn	132	92	40	.697
Philadelphia	138	87	51	.630
Boston	136	85	51	.619
Baltimore	133	78	55	.586
St. Louis	140	78	62	.557
Cincinnati	139	76	63	.547
Chicago	138	76	62	.557
Louisville	139	69	70	.496
Pittsburg	140	68	72	.486
New York	134	65	69	.485
Washington	137	65	72	.474
Cleveland	145	50	95	.345

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Wheat, Cora. Oats  
No. 2 red No. 2 mix No. 2 white  
New York 70 7/8 20 3/4 20 3/4  
Chicago 70 7/8 20 3/4 20 3/4  
\*Detroit 70 7/8 20 3/4 20 3/4  
Toledo 70 7/8 20 3/4 20 3/4  
Cincinnati 70 7/8 20 3/4 20 3/4  
Pittsburg 70 7/8 20 3/4 20 3/4  
St. Louis 70 7/8 20 3/4 20 3/4

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Corunna, beginning the third Thursday of August.  
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**SCHEDULE.**  
All examinations will commence at 8:00 a. m., standard time. Applicants will write upon orthography, penmanship, geography, and general history the first half day; arithmetic, U. S. history, and theory and art the second half day; reading, algebra, civil government, and physiology the third half day; and grammar, school law, botany, and physics (second grade) the fourth half day; third day (for first grade applicants only) physics and geometry. The above schedule will be strictly followed.  
**REQUIREMENTS.**  
For third grade, not less than 70 per cent will be accepted in grammar, arithmetic, history, civil government, geography, and reading, and not less than 65 per cent in any other branch; for second grade, not less than 75 per cent in the branches before named, and not less than 70 per cent in any other branch; for first grade, not less than 85 per cent in the branches before named, and not less than 80 per cent in any other branch.  
Applicants for first and second grades who pass in part of the branches may rewrite at the next examination in those remaining. After failing in two consecutive examinations they must rewrite in all branches.  
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Attendance or non-attendance at the teachers' institutes and the teachers' associations held in the county during the year next preceding the examination, will be taken into strict account in granting certificates of any grade.  
O. L. BRISTOL, Commissioner of Schools.

## "Obstinate"



**Becky Jones,** of Ballston Spa, N. Y., received the above title because she would not testify in the celebrated Hummers will case several years ago, and consequently was confined in the Ludlow street jail by the irate judge. She says in a letter recently received:

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## Probate Order.

State of Michigan, County of Shiawassee, ss.—At a session of the Probate Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of Corunna, on the 30th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the following order was made:  
Present, Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of William J. Harmon, deceased; John Harmon, as administrator of said estate, having rendered to this court his final account.  
It is ordered that the 31 day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for examining and allowing said account.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in THE OWOSSO TIMES, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Shiawassee.  
MATTHEW BUSH, Judge of Probate.  
BY KATHERINE E. KRISLEY, Probate Register.

## Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

State of Michigan, County of Shiawassee, ss.—In the matter of the estate of Eugene A. Rice, deceased, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order of the Probate Court, signed as administrator of the estate of said deceased, Eugene A. Rice, by the Hon. Matthew Bush, Judge of Probate, in and for said county on the 14th day of August, A. D., 1899, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the premises to be sold, the township of Middlebury, in said county, on Saturday, the 30th day of September, A. D., 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day all the right, title, and interest of said deceased in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the township of Middlebury, county of Shiawassee, state of Michigan, to-wit: The S 1/2 of ne 1/4 sec 33, T 17 N, R 1 E, and the S 1/2 of the e 1/4 of the N 1/2 sec 33, T 17 N, R 1 E, all of said described lands being in said county of Shiawassee, state of Michigan.

GEORGE STANKA, Administrator of the estate of said deceased. Dated, Aug. 16th, A. D., 1899.

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