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John Middleton has put in a few car-loads of lumber this week. That looks like prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ball are home from the sunny south and have let the southern sun into their Prospect avenue home.

Emil Rudolph is having his Linden Park place put in shape for early occupancy and expects to come out the latter part of this month.

A Massachusetts paper reports a real live curiosity in the shape of a lawyer who writes so plain that people can read his letters and briefs.

Mrs. Dr. R. H. Babcock and Fred have spent several days in the city this week getting the doctor's fine home ready for Mr. Moore, who has taken it for the season.

C. W. Aldridge is trying to raise money to go to Europe. He offers a choice watch—not an Elgin—for \$1.50. The balance needed he will collect from his old customers—if he can.

D. A. Driscoll, a well-known young man of this city, has opened up an office in the basement of the Opera house block, where he does tin, sheet iron and similar work. He is a good workman. Read his advt. and act accordingly.

Messrs. Hugh T. Birch and J. McGregor Adams have just returned from a six weeks' visit, hunting and fishing, to their plantation in Florida. They were in the Park last Sunday to see that all things went well, and went home happy.

Kenneth R. Smoot's beautiful Prospect avenue home has been rented to Charles L. Bartlett, one of the Proctor & Gamble men, we believe. It will be in good form in the Park this summer to keep "Ivory Soap" in your bath rooms.

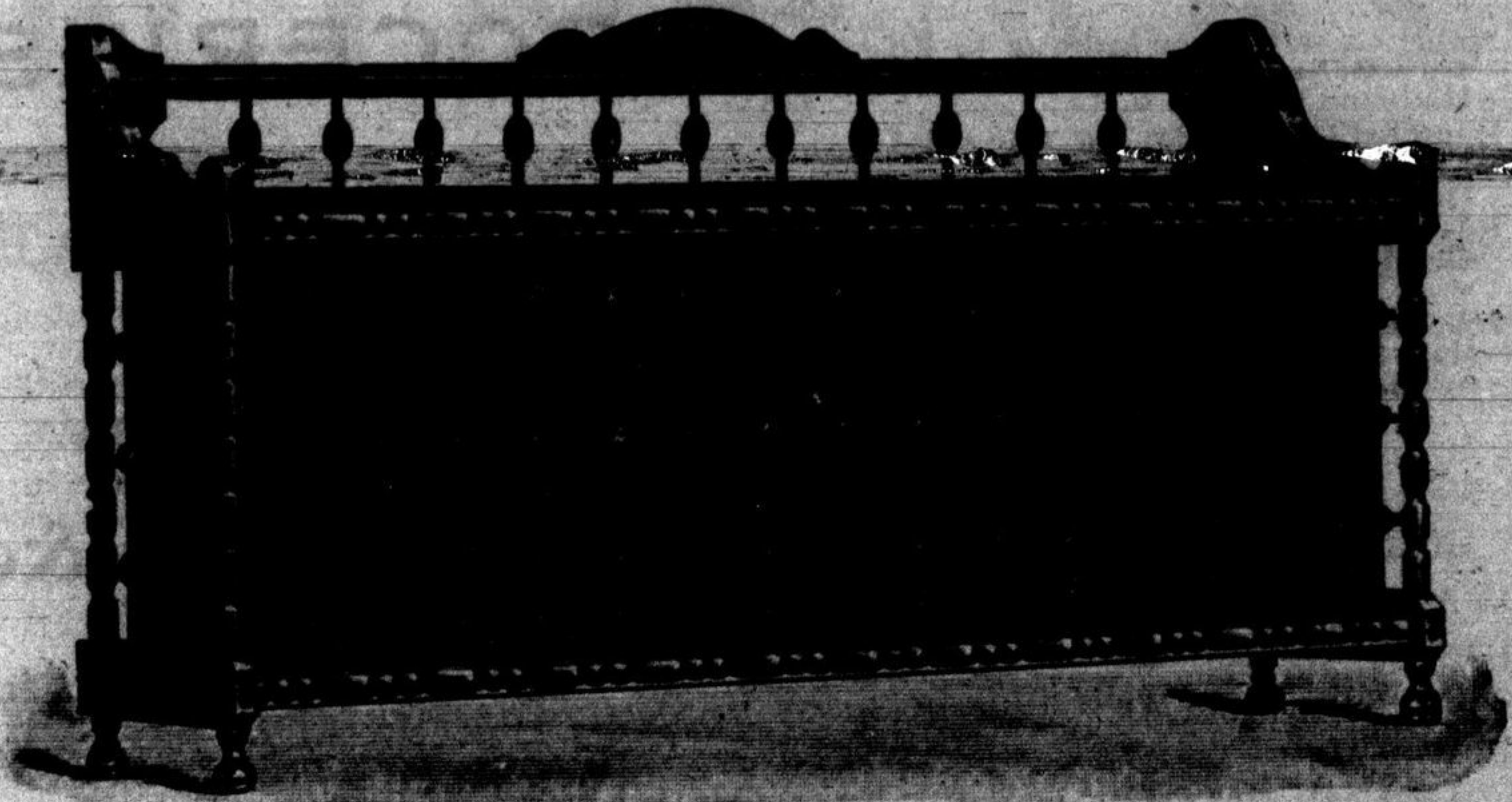
C. W. Aldridge and wife will start for England just as soon as any good, reliable, respectable, responsible party will rent his house; all furnished, bath room, furnace, good kitchen, and his neighbor, Baker, will keep all the chickens the tenant may desire. Cheap; inquire of Judge Hibbard or the owner.

It is not generally known, but it is a fact that right in Highland Park is one of the most expert boat builders in the United States. C. M. Palmer is his name and at his workshop, south-west corner of High street and St. Johns place, he is now turning out some sail boats that are guaranteed to break all records.

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