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HERE THEY ARE.

A List of the New Officers who will Attend to the Business of the County for the Next Two Years.

Every two years the people are called upon to select new county officers, excepting the judge of probate who is elected every four years, who take possession of their respective offices on the first day of January. Most of the officers elected last fall succeed themselves. John J. Robison, the retiring county clerk, is the only familiar figure that will be missed around the court house, and unless all indications fail he will be well provided for at the next meeting of the Washtenaw county fire insurance company. His successor

FREDERICK A. HOWLETT,

of Lyndon, has a sort of mania for an office, or at least his friends have for him. He served his township for eleven years, six as clerk, one year as township superintendent of schools, and for four years supervisor. He was born in the township he represents, April 9, 1849, which place has always been his residence. He received a common country school education, and four terms in the Grass Lake high school, at that time one of the finest in the state, under the management of Prof. Kennedy. He has taught eighteen winter terms of school, in Jackson and Washtenaw counties. In 1874 he married Miss Yocum, two boys and one girl being the result of their marriage. His family will not come to this city until spring; in the mean time they will remain on their finely cultivated 80-acre farm on section 20.

Across the hall from where Mr. Howlett is located, is the probate office, where

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN

is always found attending to the duties of that office. He was born in Peacham, Vt., Oct. 24, 1834. Received his education in the Peacham academy, and was admitted to the bar when but 21 years old. In 1859 he moved to California and for a number of years took an active interest in politics; was elected several times to the state legislature, and for four years was clerk of the supreme court. In 1869 he located in Ann Arbor; in 1870 was elected mayor, in 1876 was elected judge of probate, reelected in 1880 and 1884.

The youngest county officer is

FREDERICK H. BELSER,

county treasurer, who is just entering upon his second term. At Lowdensville, Ohio, February 28, 1869, this young man first saw the light of day. At the age of four months he removed with his parents to New Washington, Ohio, where he lived until October, 1875, when Ann Arbor became his home. He has attended school only one year, having received his education under the tutorship of his father, who is a Lutheran minister. His one school year was spent in the high school in this city where he obtained a knowledge of book-keeping. After quiting school he worked at the carpenter trade, in a planing mill, on a farm, and for a while was clerk in a boot and shoe store; for two years was clerk in the treasurer's office; two more deputy; in 1884 was elected to the office and in 1886 re elected, both times running ahead of his ticket. He recently was tendered the position of book-keeper in the First National bank, which position he will soon assume, having appointed a deputy to his office. November 22, 1882, he was married and is father to a boy and a girl.

WILLIAM WALSH,

who is just entering upon his second term, is a native of Washtenaw county, having been born in the township of Northfield, Jan. 20, 1845. His early days were spent on the farm, going to school in the winter, and besides a year in the High school in this city, got what education he is now in possession of. He enlisted in the the late war and served to the close; his discharge papers are always kept in a convenient place to show people that he was honorably discharged. He is the possessor of a fine farm in Northfield, a wife and two children.

JAMES KEARNS,

the efficient register of deeds, is another lucky one who had a lease on his office for another two years. The light of day first shown into his eyes in 1843, in this city; he went to school until 1860, when he was apprenticed to a blacksmith; in 1867 he became tired of metropolitan airs and moved to the more quiet little village of Dexter, where he was quite successful at his trade. Was first elected register of deeds in 1884, and re-elected in 1886. Ann Arbor life is more congenial to his habits now than it was twenty years ago, which means that he will probably make this city his future home.

E. D. NORRIS,

who is just entering upon the duties of his second term, refuses to divulge his early history, and as we dislike to tell what we don't know about him we will have to pass him by.

The Death Roll of 1886.

Following is a list of Ann Arbor citizens who passed away during the year 1886. Those who died at the hospital or infants are not included in the list. The figures preceeding the age is the date of death and those following the age in years:

JANUARY.

2, Mrs. A. Hammond, 57; 3, Simon Davis, 42; 6, John Quigley, 55; 17, Lucy A. Haive, 63; Dorothy Schotle, 33.

FEBRUARY.

1, Dr. Cyrus Backus, 73; 4, George Crawford, 42; 6, Dan Donavan, 33; 7, Mrs. Edward Bradner, 66; 10, J. Emmett Robison, 25; 16, Wm. Crosby, 2; 16, John Elster, 1½; 19, Rebecca Henion, 84; 20, Anna E. Nichols, 41; 25, Mrs Gen. C. Hunt, 47; 26, Ammanda Rice, 68.

MARCH.

6, Mrs. J. S. Hammond, 70; 14, Mary E. Martin, 32; 18, Adam Walz, 18, S. Kempf, 4; 19, Nancy C. Thomas, 6; 24, Egbert Randall.

APRIL.

1, Karl Conrath, 75; 2, Minnie Spencer, 2; 3, Bertha Spencer, 2; 4, Thomas Gale Stone, 72; 9, Catharine Donovan, 69; 13, Frank McConnel, 85; 20, Mary Golden, 36; 22, Robert S. Verner, 25; 22, Lewis Fritz, 73; 26, Lewis Moore, 41; 30, Bertha E. Braun.

MAY.

5 Mrs. J. W. Wood, 67; 5, Eliza Ann Case, 67; 19, Judson Cornwell, 36; 21, Mrs. Sarah Slattery, 42; 25, Anna Goetz, 62; 31, Etta C. Turner, 7; 31, Theodore Begalki, 48.

JUNE.

1, Peter B. Ingalls, 73; 5, Mrs. Captain Connett, 72; 14, Catharine Van Buren, 73; 20, David D. Storey, 23; 28, Ann Wossor, 75.

JULY.

22, Joseph Ellis, 57; 26, Mrs. Susan Brown; 26, Annie Climie, 1¼.

AUGUST.

4, Arthur A. Golder, 2; 5, Bertha Krump, 72; 6, Edwin Bradner, 67; 6, Charles S. McOmber, died in Iowa and brought here for burial, 43; 8, Lucy W. Strong, 77; 18, August Fischer, 19; 21, Sophie Hennequin, 64; 26, Phillip W. Slockbower, 64.

SEPTEMBER.

1, Mary Jane Howard ,60; 2, Eleanor C. Bibbins, 93; 9, Lizzie Wagner, 19; 13, Alma Sumner, 77; 18, Geo. S. Brush, 63; 28, Eliza Torrey, died at Wayne and brought here for burial, 58,

OCTOBER.

16, Barbara Teufel, 79.

NOVEMBER.

20, Eliza Burlingame, 75; 27, Peter Bassler, 56; 30, Mrs. Mary King, 84.

DECEMBER.

3, Sarah McDonald Millen, 61; 3, Fred Freeman, 17; 7, Geo. W. Effner, 67; 10, Lillie Schlicher, 3; 13, Paulina Braun, 15; 14, Catharine Sipley, 69; 15, Ellen Condon, 86; 14, Lucy M Arndt, 38; 28, Charles A. Chapin, 56; 30, Mrs. Daniel N. Ross, 34; 31, Charles E. Everet, 48; 31, John George Henne, 58; 31, Miss Caroline Gwinner, 55;

RECAPITULATION.

Total number of deaths in January, 5; February, 11; March, 7; April, 11; May, 7, June, 5; July, 4; August, 9; September, 6; October, 1; November, 3; December, 10; total number during the year, 82.

Fire Record for 1886.

The city has been exceedingly fortunate in the matter of fires during the past year. The fire department was called out only ten times. The total loss during the year was only $4,661. Following is a record of the number of times the department was called out, what for, and the loss incurred:

Jan. 29—Gas house, loss $50.

Feb. 26—Chimney in the old jail burned out. No loss.

May 3—E. W. Morgan's barn; loss, $100.

May 18—Mogk house, loss none.

May 21—Burning chimney.

July 7—Hangsterfer's ice house; loss, $1,500.

August 8—Mrs. Wilkin's barn; loss, $150.

April 22—J. Mumery's barn; loss, $100.

April 24—B. Green's two stores, cor. Fourth and Ann streets; loss, $561; Hendrick's & Wilson, grocers, $500; F. J. Schleede's book bindery, $900.

Dec. 27—Burning chimney, cor. Fifth and North streets.

Dec. 31—D. F. Allmendinger's organ works; loss, $800.

"Ann Arbor Whisker Total Abstainence Association."

A number of young men of this city have formed themselves into an association whereby each one pledges himself not to shave until after the first day of March, 1887. Usually when a young man begins to curtail his expense account the natural inference is that he is afflicted with the matrimonial fever. Sometimes he will let his beard grow to protect a diseased throat, and various other reasons. But we are informed that the object of these young men in letting their beard(?) grow, is to give them a more manly appearance. Anyone wishing to join this association should call on or address Barney Johnson. Following are their rules and regulations:

(INCORPORATED.)

We, the undersigned, by our signatures acknowledge ourselves as members of the A. A. W. T. A. A., and agree to abide by the following rules and regulations:

RULE 1st. No member is allowed to shave or permit himself to be shaved. Also must not permit his whiskers trimmed from Jan. 1, until March 1, 1887. The member breaking this rule is punishable by being obliged to buy an oyster supper for all of the members, time and place to be designated by the co-operative vote of any four of the remaining members.

RULE 2. Breaking rule first, by any member, does not release the responsibility of any of the remaining members.

Notice.

The A. M. E. church wish to express their sincere thanks to Dr. Ramsay for his lecture out of which they realized $51.50. From other sources they have raised $38.20 making a total of $90.00, which they paid on the church debt.

THE TRUSTEES AND REV. G. B. POPE.

January 3rd, 1887.

OUR OLD BACHELORS.

A Short History of them Compiled for the "Old Maids" by one of the Old Maids, Herself.

With the beginning of this year we think that a very appropriate thing to do is to write a short history of the "old bachelors" who abide in our city, and prepare the "old maids" for the event of leap year, which comes but once in four years, and thus give them a chance to investigate during 1887 and determine which of the manly ? hearts they shall lay siege to in 1888. Ann Arbor abounds in old bachelors and to write a complete history of each would take more space than THE REGISTER can devote; but we have endeavored to place their virtues before the public in a short, concise manner, hiding their faults (where they have any) and hoping that this article will assist them to a speedy and happy marriage. Among those who delight in their bachelorhood are

JOHN F. LAWRENCE,

who is one of the leading lawyers of the Washtenaw bar, a graduate of the University in 1866 and again in 1868, and possesses as fine a farm as lies near Ann Arbor. Mr. Lawrence is a man of fine appearance, good natured and enjoys a joke. He seemingly pays but little attention to the fair sex.

E. B. ABEL,

another of the fraternity and a close friend of Mr. Lawrence, is tall, good-natured and has a grip like iron. Mr. Abel differs from his friend in that he seems to have a special friendly feeling for the ladies, and it is a wonder that we have been able to find his name in the list of bachelors.

J. W. HUNT,

is one of whom little can be said that is not already known. He has been in the hardware business here for years, is large, a blonde and when seen riding on a toboggan last week might readily have been mistaken for the ancient Hercules.

ZACHARY ROATH,

like Mr. Hunt is too well-known to need an introduction. He is the picture of health and happiness, extremely fond of the ladies and during the summer made frequent, mysterious visits from the city, leading his friends to believe that he was "gone." He is a man of many virtues and few faults.

DR. GEORGE A. HENDRICKS,

is probably the hardest worker in the crowd. He is assistant to Prof. Ford and does a great part of his work, and pays especial attention to the education of the young ladies of the medical department. He sports a fine mustache and an elegant pair of whiskers, cut a la English.

CHARLES R. HISCOCK,

the gentlemanly cashier of the Savings Bank, is one of the highest prizes to be drawn, in both worldly goods and honest virtues. Yet like all good articles, he is hard to get. The ladies he seldom deigns to look upon, but marches to and from his business with an exact martial tread, gained by nine years actual service, (as an officer in Company A.)

EDWARD J. MORTON,

is a handsome blonde, whom the ladies have angled for during every leap year since time immemorial. He has a failing for brunettes, but the right one must be accomplished, medium height and possessor of a good farm. Politics she must have nothing to do with unless she be a greenbacker and prohibitionists, as Ed. will take care of the other two parties.

DR. J. W. MORTON,

has a fine practice and is a physician of undoubted ability. Singular it seems to his friends that he is not already married, but as he expressed it in confidence: "It is hard to decide when you have so many to choose from."

J. W. HAMILTON,

the Apollo of modern times, is a resident of our fair city and has been stormed time and again, but if any impression has been made upon his heart, he has taken great pains to conceal it.

GEORGE OSIUS,

the genial, gentlemanly George, even now we are afraid we are going to lose and it is doubtful if he waits for the maidens of this city to catch him in 1888 as he has disposed of his interest in the book store here and in all probability will remove from the city. We old maids mourn for him.

JOHN V. SHEEHAN,

who is now taking a course in the law department for the express purpose of running for prosecuting attorney at the next election, is still unmarried, and for this reason we believe secretly unhappy. Mr. Sheehan has been for years the proprietor of a bookstore on State-st, but his natural genius, eloquence and wit were here hidden from the public, and he determined to become a lawyer. That he is capable no one doubts who heard him rise and soar in making a nomination at a recent political convention. May his days of bachelorhood be few.

SAM LANGSDORF,

has caused many hearts to flutter and almost break their bounds, during the few years that he has been a resident here. He has a winning eye, a handsome moustache and is now growing a fine crop of whiskers. Sam is quite short and when appearing on the streets wearing a silk hat might easily be mistaken for the late Gen. Tom Thumb. His virtues are many and he does not even smoke, having "sworn off" seven different times within the past year. He is generous to a fault and may be numbered among the first prizes in the lottery of marriage.

There are many more whose names and histories should be added to this list, but space forbids. Among them may be mentioned: Charles Richards, J. J. Gibson, J. W. Keating, O. C. Jenkins, Junius E. Beal, Joe Preston and S. Rosenthaler, alias "Rosey." Ladies wishing the histories of these gentlemen can have them by leaving word at THE REGISTER office for,

ANN OLD MAID.

UNIVERSITY ITEMS.

College opened Tuesday.

The Argonaut will appear again Saturday as usual.

The college professors have all returned looking much refreshed.

The lectures on taxation will be taken up by Prof. Henry C. Adams, Jan. 11.

Those wishing to join Prof. Trueblood's elocution class will have to do so on or before Jan. 7.

Prof. Stowell presented the ladies in the hospital with a fine lot of house plants for a Christmas present.

Chas. Stewart, intern in the male ward at the hospital, spent his holiday vacation with friends in Deerfield.

Dr. Patterson, ward master of the hospital, spent his holiday vacation with friends in Detroit and Jackson.

Miss Mary Cutler, intern in the ladies' ward at the hospital, has returned from a visit to her parents near Grand Rapids.

During the year 1886 there were treated at the hospital, 1083 patients, and out of that number only nine deaths have occured.

Mrs. Ellen Bell, of Hart, was relieved of a thirty-five pound ovarian tumor, at the hospital, Dec. 13th, by Drs. McLean and Sullivan. She will return home today or tomorrow.

Up to date the following number of students have registered in the different departments: Medical, 327; law, 327; literary, 655; dental, 93; pharmacy, 66; homœopathy, 64; total, 1532.

Professor Rogers has received a letter appointing him one of the editors of the American Law Register, which is published at Philadelphia. The other editors are Judge Mitchell of Philadelphia, Judge Cooley of this city, Judge Bennett of Boston and Judge Hammond of Nashville. It is the oldest and best known law publication in the United States.

The Alpha Nu society give a Junior program Saturday evening, Jan. 8 The names of the following participants are sufficient pledge for an excellent entertainment. There will be an oration by Mr. J. M. McBride; a recitation by Miss E. S. Gastman; a story by Mr. Clyde Sloan; and a sibyl by Mr. J. H. Powell. The music is in charge of Mr. J. E. Hodge. Everybody is invited.

Prof. Winchell's Reply to "W."

EDITOR REGISTER:

Possibly the communication signed "W" in your issue of December 23, requires from me a few words of reply. I very rarely notice any criticism however unjust, and more rarely anonymous ones; but some of your readers may think "W" has quieted the claim that science has any bearing on religious faith, and I wish simply to state that "W" has valiantly overthrown a position I never assumed. THE REGISTER'S report of my lectures in Memphis I happen to have overlooked entirely; but it is evidently a reporter's condensed statement, with omission of certain things which prove to be essential. I have never taught that natural science in its own character and province proves anything beyond the realm of sensible things, and this seems to be the position of "W." I do teach, however, that *natural science puts us in possession of facts which philosophy is bound to interpret in a spiritual sense.* I teach that the science of natural things gives activity to only one department of our intelligence; another department ranges over the realm of supersensible truth; and both activities are equally legitimate, and equally necessary to a symmetrical development of the soul and a sound fabric of knowledge.

ALEXANDER WINCHELL.

January 5, 1887.

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THE REGISTER

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1887.

OUR LANSING LETTER.

Robert Burns, who was sometimes exciseman and sometimes poet, in his "Epistle to a Young Friend," discoursed after the subjoined fashion:

A free aff hand' yer story tell,
When wi' a bosom crony,
But still keep something to yourse'
Ye scarcely tell to ony.

Upon this good counsel I propose to act. While it is my purpose, in the series of letters of which this is the first, to keep the readers of this paper as fully informed as possible regarding such matters as seem to me may be of interest to them during the present session of the legislature, I shall endeavor to avoid tarnishing my epistles by the interpolation of defamatory tales or uncharitable reflections. With reasonable fair opportunities for acquiring information, I hope to be able to make every letter interesting to all classes of readers, and at the same time I shall endeavor to render them so entertaining that the reception and perusal of each succeeding letter may be an occasion as joyous as one of Col. Stockbridge's recherche wine suppers.

Here, as elsewhere throughout the state, the senatorial question dwarfs all others. Every candidate seems to be doing his utmost to secure the much-coveted prize. J. J. Woodman, ex-master of the state grange, received something of a boom during the late meeting of that body at the capitol city, but politicians do not give themselves much concern about him. His name has been brought forward more or less prominently in connection with that office at every senatorial election for the past decade, but his boomers never contrived to create any particular disturbance of the political atmosphere. The recent withdrawal of Gen. Cutcheon has not had a tendency to decide the contest. His supporters, it is thought, will divide so as to give none of the other candidates a decisive contingent. The retirement of Mr. McMillan from the contest is not considered as irrevocable as the laws of the Medes and Persians, and it is set down among the impossibilities that he may "in the interest of harmony" perhaps, be prevailed upon to patriotically step into the breach. His withdrawal is supposed to have somewhat augmented the boom of Jay A. Hubbell, whose prospects were erstwhile of a decidedly dark horse nature. Ex Congressman Lacey has been cutting a pretty wide swath in the senatorial meadow, and his supporters are pushing his claims to the place with unabated earnestness. It was thought less then a month ago, that Senator Conger's re election was simply an impossibility, and his candidacy was decried on all sides. There are, however, strong surface indications that "there is life in the old dog yet." Like Banquo's ghost, he will not down; and I have come in contact with those who profess the power of casting a reasonably correct political horoscope who are willing to wager their remotest nickle that the "great objector" from the Sylvan City will be able, when the proper time comes, to put in his thumb and pull out the senatorial plum. It has become apparent, with the developments of the last few days, that Grand Rapids proposes to stand right by Mr. Fitzgerald. Certainly his boom is one of more than ordinary vigor, and with proper irrigation and cultivation may fructify generously. The mention of the name of Henry A. Robison, of Detroit, as a labor candidate, has brought a derisive smile to many a countenance. I must confess the idea of a knight of labor in the U. S. senate is somewhat ludicrous. The dawn of the millennium is not yet visible. Since Mr. McMillan's withdrawal the friends of Col. Stockbridge have claimed for him a following that insures his election. His boom is in the hands of Sherman S. Olds and Wm. Van Buren, of this city, both indefatigable workers, and they are leaving no stone unturned under which may be concealed a doubtful or susceptible member of the legislature. That the colonel is in the van is evidenced by the fact that it has been Stockbridge against the field for some time. It is this very fact that renders his success somewhat dubious and makes speculation a soul-harrowing and altogether useless employment.

At the recent meeting of the state grange at this city a committee of three, consisting of A. C. Giddens, of Paw Paw, G. N. Trowbridge, of Pontiac, and R. W. Freeman, of Litchfield, was appointed to look after certain legislation which that body believes would be very beneficial. The grange has asked the legislature to provide for placing the liquor tax fund in the contingent fund of county treasuries instead of turning it over to the municipalities; to change the age of consent for females from ten to sixteen years; to provide for the better protection of persons traveling on highways from the traction engine nuisance; and to make adequate provision for the admission of female students to the agricultural college.

T. MAC.

LANSING, Jan. 3, 1887.

Prof. Cook heard from.

Prof. Cook lately wrote: "Having studied man and his relations fifty years, and having read Dr. E. B. Foote's 'Plain Home Talk,' I say disinterestedly and emphatically, that it is worth its weight in gold; nay, gold cannot measure its value to humanity. It is such a book as only such a healthy, well-balanced magnificent brain can produce. Dr. Foote is one of the few doctors who, in his writings and practice, seeks to cure, not kill; to save and prolong life, not obstruct, poison or destroy it; to teach people the structure, functions, facts, forces and relations of the human brain and body, teach them the significance of life and how to make it healthy and happy also how to make the most of it.

The publisher of Baltimore, Md., Every Saturday, Mr. T. J. Wentworth, says his child aged six months, was suffering from a severe cold, and he gave it Red Star Cough Cure, which acted like a charm. No morphia.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

MR. EDITOR:

Although it was generally known that Senator Logan had for several days been somewhat indisposed and in consequence unable to attend to his official duties, it was not thought that his illness was of a serious nature, and it was expected that he would soon be out again. Such being the case, the people were little prepared for the announcement which appeared in the Sunday morning papers, to the effect that the senator was "in a very critical condition," followed as it was by the notice of his death which appeared in the papers of the following day. The announcement was a complete surprise, and was received with universal sorrow, and probably no one aside from the personal relatives of Mr. Logan, was more sincere in his expressions of regret than was President Cleveland. Since the commencement of the present administration Mr. Logan had been a frequent caller at the White House, and a warm personal friendship had grown up between Mr. Cleveland and himself. Although differing from him in political opinion the president admired him for the bold and fearless manner in which he expressed his views, and the honest candor with which he treated questions under discussion. Before his recent illness Mr. Logan was frequently closeted with the president for hours at a time, and it is said that he frequently discussed with him questions of great importance before deciding upon his course of action. The rotunda of the capitol, during the time that the remains were lying in state, was transformed for the time being into a vast tomb for the nation's honored dead. The walls were heavily draped in mourning emblems. The bier on which rested the remains of President Lincoln, Chief Justice Chase, President Garfield and Thaddeus Stevens was used for the occasion. At the conclusion of the funeral services, which were held in the senate chamber, the remains were followed to their temporary resting place in Rock Creek cemetery, where a guard of honor will be maintained until arrangements have been perfected for final interment in the South Side Park in Chicago.

The president's condition continues to improve, and although he has remained quietly in his apartments most of the time during the past week and has received few callers, it has been solely out of respect to the wishes of his physicians and friends. He has been considerably amused at the sensational accounts of his condition, which have appeared in the papers of late, which have compared the symptoms of his attack with those which proved fatal to General Logan. He was also surprised to learn through certain papers that he does not take exercise enough. The fact is he takes much more exercise than is generally supposed.

H.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 27, 1887.

LITERARY NOTES.

IT is believed that the success of Scribner's Magazine is unique in the history of magazines. The first (January) number was published on December 15th, the first edition being 100,000 copies. It was exhausted on the day of publication. On Saturday, December 18th, a second edition of 25,000 appeared, which was at once consumed, and an additional 15,000 was put to press—140,000 copies having been already sold. The demand was so great that it was impossible to keep the dealers supplied. On the day of publication 2,000 copies were sold upon the news-stands of the elevated railroads; at the news-stand of one of the New York hotels, nearly 500 copies were disposed of on the first afternoon of its appearance, and several of the dealers at the ferries leading from New York sold 600 copies on the first day.

"THE Popular Science Monthly," for January, is unusually rich, even for that magazine, in articles bearing upon social and educational topics. Professor W. G. Sumner holds the leading place with a discussion of the question: "What makes the Rich richer and the Poor poorer?" and gives the answer to it which he has reached. Sir John Lubbock, who is eminent for the personal attention which he gives to the discharge of his duties as an inspector of schools as he is in scientific research, considers the subject of "Manual Instruction," particularly with reference to English schools, but developing principles which are applicable to our schools too. Mr. Frank P. Crandon gives his attention to the "Misgovernment of Great Cities," in an article in which an endeavor is made to expose the source and study the nature of the difficulties with which honest and orderly municipal administration is beset. The portrait and sketch are Nicholas Prejevalski, the great Russian explorer, whose achievements are comparable with those of Cameron and Stanley, and others who rank among the greatest of the world's travelers. The editor at his table talks of "Political Skepticism," or symptoms of weakness in convictions of political principles, and answers a new but not very creditable argument which has been broached against spelling reform. New York: D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, $6 a year.

Amid the frantic gyrations at a recent dance a woman's bustle fell on the floor. Her partner essayed to convey it deftly to one side of the room with his foot, but the kick miscarried, and dispatched it to the middle of the hall. From there other dancers set it spinning, and it gradually unrolled, revealing what it was, a woman's skirt. Some confusion resulted for a while, as each fair dancer had to find out if she hadn't lost her bustle, but finally the bustle ceased and all resumed their former state of mind.—New England Homestead.

Yes, my son, there is a great difference between the crowned heads of Europe and such men as Sullivan and Ryan. The former are much more respectable. They get other men to do their fighting and they fight to the death.—Boston Transcript.

OUR CITY FATHERS.

Mrs. Gilbert's and Dr. Sukey's Claims for Damages Referred.—Peanut Stands must go.—Bills Passed.

The regular monthly meeting of the council met in the council chamber Monday evening, Mayor Robinson in the chair.

Recorder Pond called the roll and the following aldermen responded: Alds. Robison, Allmendinger, Walz, Herz, Kearns, Neithammer and Martin. Alds. Keating and Swift came in afterwards.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The recorder presented a petition from Dr. P. G. Sukey, asking that the city pay him $51. He bases his claim on the fact that while he was crossing the new rail road bridge about two months ago the steam from a locomotive passing under, came up through the floor of the bridge and scalded his horse in such a manner as to render him useless for some time; that he paid out money for doctoring, extra horse hire and divers other expenses. The petition was referred to the city attorney who reported adversely on the request.

Dean & Co. were granted permission to tear up the alley in the rear of their store for the purpose of running a pipe into their warehouse.

The Finance Committee through their chairman, Ald. Almendinger, reported the following amounts correct and moved that orders for their payment be ordered by the council, excepting the water bill, which was referred to the street committee:

First ward, $14.00; second ward, $8 38; third ward, $13.25; fourth ward, $18 66; fifth ward, $2 00: sixth ward, $5.46; general street fund, $6.50; general fund, $584 03; contingent fund, $525.97 water fund, $2,316.67; total fund, $3,469.86. The street committee after considering the water bill reported in favor of witholding $150, which amount would be necessary to repair certain places that were torn up by the water works company, which was passed.

City Attorney Kinne presented an ordinance relative to amending the hack ordinance as per resolution passed last month, which was adopted. It was as published in proceedings of the last meeting.

The petition of Mrs. Gilbert which was presented at the last meeting, asking for damages sustained by falling through a defective side walk, was brought up and considered. The city attorney who was present said that he was informed by Judge Cheever, Mrs. Gilbert's attorney, that they would settle for $500, and from his knowledge of the case he considered it an exhorbitant price and recommended that they should not pay her that amount.

The Recorder then read the City Marshal's report of the amount he had expended in the several wards from the poor fund, which was adopted: First ward, $21.88; second ward, $20.92; third ward, $47 64; fourth ward, $84.43; fifth ward, $60 91; sixth ward, $15.25; total, $251.03.

A motion was made and carried that the Mayor appoint a committee of three to investigate the recent action of certain city officials.

Mayor appointed Alds. Martin, Keating and Robison.

Ald. Martin presented the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the City Marshal be instructed to remove the peanut stands on the corner of Huron and Main street and on the corner of Washington and Main street within three days after the passage of this resolution.

Adjourned.

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ENTOMBED.

The Remains of General Logan Temporarily Laid Away.

Impressive Funeral Services in the Senate Chamber—Dr. Newman's Eloquent Tribute to the Warrior-Statesman.

THE LOGAN OBSEQUIES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The sleet-storm of Thursday night, which thickly enameled the pavements, gave place this morning to a heavy fog, almost a rain-fall. The two inches of thawing snow and ice which covered the ground made marching and all out-door exercise a thing to be dreaded. However, great crowds made their way from early morning toward the Capitol to view the remains of the dead statesman, and the time of the lying in state was too short to give an opportunity for all to pass by.

At 12:10 the pall-bearers took their places and conveyed the casket to the Senate Chamber. The hall of the Senate was tastefully, though not elaborately, draped, and the chair of the dead Senator, the second of the innermost row from the center aisle, was covered with crape.

The Senators came in singly or in pairs and took the seats assigned them on the left of the presiding officer's desk, leaving the three front rows vacant. At a quarter before twelve o'clock, clad in their silken robes of office, entered without formal announcement Chief Justice Waite and Associate Justices Bradley, Gray, Field and Matthews, together with the officers of the Supreme Court and took the seats assigned to them to the right of the presiding officer's desk. Behind them came the members of the House of Representatives, headed by the officers of that body, and were conducted to their seats in the rear of the chamber. The members of the diplomatic corps, many of whom came in dress uniforms, were ushered to seats upon the right and behind them came the representatives of the Aministration, Secretaries Bayard, Endicott, Whitney and Attorney General Garland, who were placed in the first row upon the right. The President was not able to be present.

The seats reserved for the family of the President were occupied by Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Folsom, Mrs. Vilas, Mrs. Manning and Mrs. Lamont. At twelve o'clock

A HUSH FELL OVER THE ASSEMBLAGE,

and as the procession of mourners entered the north door of the chamber, every occupant of a seat upon the floor rose to his feet. Mrs. Logan, heavily vailed, was supported by her son, John A. Logan, Jr. Major and Mrs. Tucker and their son, Logan Tucker, Cornelius and James V. Logan, brothers of the General; Miss Andrews, affianced of John A. Logan, Jr., and Mary Brady, a cherished friend of the family, and for years a member of the household, composed the mourning procession. They were ushered to seats upon the left front. Following the mourners came

THE FUNERAL PROCESSION,

headed by Rev. Dr. Newman, the officiating clergyman; Rev. Dr. Butler, Chaplain of the Senate; Bishop Andrews, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Rev. Dr. O. H. Tiffany, of Philadelphia, former pastor of the Metropolitan Church, of this city.

THE HONORARY PALL-BEARERS

were General Sherman, Hon. Roscoe Conkling, Senator Stanford, Postmaster-General Vilas, General Lucius Fairchild, Mr. C. G. Andrews, Colonel Fred D. Grant, Dr. McMillan and General John C. Black. They wore sashes of black with shoulder knots of black and white ribbons. They formed in two lines as they came within the bar, and between them passed the members of the G. A. R. men bearing the casket. The Congressional committee wore wide sashes of white. The honorary pall-bearers and the committee were conducted to seats on the left center. Senator Sherman and Speaker Carlisle occupied chairs at the President's desk, and the clergymen at the desk of the secretary.

The solemn services were begun by the reading of the Ninetieth Psalm by Bishop Andrews. Dr. Butler read, as the burial service, a portion of the Fifteenth Corinthians. Prayer was offered by Dr. Tiffany, and the funeral sermon was delivered by Dr. Newman.

Dr. Newman finished his sermon at one o'clock, and those occupying seats on the floor of the Senate Chamber arose while Bishop Andrews pronounced the benediction.

Mr. Sherman, the presiding officer, then announced that the cortege would form according to programme. Mrs. Logan, escorted by her son and brother-in-law, and followed by the other members of the family, left the chamber. The guard of honor lifted the casket and proceeded from the chamber, followed by the honorary pall-bearers, Cabinet officers, Senators and others on the floor.

When the casket was carried from the Capitol by the east front and placed in the hearse a magnificent military display was presented. Several companies of artillery and cavalrymen, on foot and mounted, were drawn up in line extending the entire length of the east Capitol front, while members of the G. A. R., Loyal Legion, Knights Templar, etc., etc., all in uniform, added to the concourse of soldiery. The rain fell lightly, the atmosphere was dark and murky, and the surroundings intensely unpleasant, but the procession was one of the largest and most impressive that ever moved on a like occasion in this city. It moved for Rock Creek cemetery at 1:20 o'clock.

THE PROCESSION MOVED

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Senators; Representatives.
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Committee of Mexican War veterans.
Committee of Military Order Loyal Legion.
Committee of Grand Army of the Republic.
Committee of the Army of the Tennessee.
Citizens of Illinois.
Clerks Pension Bureau.
Other organizations.

Down Pennsylvania avenue to Fifteenth street the procession moved, then to Vermont avenue, to Rhode Island avenue, to Seventh street road, and to the cemetery, where the casket was deposited in a vault, to remain until General Logan's final resting place shall have been decided upon.

President Cleveland determined at eleven o'clock not to attend the Logan funeral ceremonies at the Capitol yesterday because of the inclemency of the weather.

Chinamen Forswear Pigtails.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The 375 Chinamen employed in Newark, N.J., met Friday night and resolved to cut their pigtails, dress like Americans, and appeal to the public for recognition. They have sent word to the Chinese Consul in New York of their action.

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AN INTERESTING PROGRAMME.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The National Board of Trade will meet in this city Monday, January 19, and following days, when a number of important subjects will be discussed. The principal ones will be the Agricultural Bureau reports, and the necessity for the bureau reporting on the acreage as soon as it is definitely ascertained, and on the yield of grain and cotton only at the end of the year; that Congress be memorialized to make the central system the lawful standard of grain measure in this country; that the national adulteration act drafted five years since be enacted, it being the best act to prevent the adulteration of food and drugs; the enactment of an equitable and uniform bankrupt law; the consideration of commercial credits, with a view to abandoning the policy and abolishing the system; the establishment of a National railway commission and making of a just and proper law for the regulation of inter-State commerce; the prevention of navigable waterways from obstruction; the improvement of the Columbia river; the encouragement of American shipping interests; the extension of the usefulness of the post-office in the direction of telegraphic communication; an enactment of a law making it unlawful for common carriers to limit their liability in any receipt or bill of lading issued for the transportation and safe delivery of property from one State to another, either by land or water, statutory exemptions of navigation only excepted; the validity of bills of lading; the necessity for legislation to control and suppress contagious diseases in animals; a revision of the coinage laws and the suppression of the coinage of standard silver dollars. A basis for national banking; the appropriation of any part of the excess revenue toward strengthening the coast defenses and increasing the power of the navy until both shall be in more efficient condition, and any remaining surplus to be devoted to educational purposes and needed internal improvement; the promoting of reciprocity treaties with Canada, Mexico and San Domingo, provided that they are duly reciprocal in their provisions; revision of the tariff and the abolition of all taxes now collected by the internal Revenue Department. The defense of the harbors of New York and San Francisco; the abolition of exaction on commercial travelers by the different States and Territories; the relations between labor and capital, and the means to be adopted to harmonize them; the abolition of certification of invoices by the United States consuls; the amendment of the United States bonded warehouse act; on return duties on imported materials used in the manufacture of goods for export; permission to importers to swear to entries before any duly authorized notary, instead of personally appearing at the custom-house to do so; that the proposition to amend the constitution of the United States so as to allow the President to veto separate items in an annual appropriation bill is one which should be adopted, and that it is the duty of the Government to endeavor to make treaties with foreign governments that will secure the extradition of all fugitive criminals.

Death of Bishop Potter.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Rt.-Rev. Horatio Potter, Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New York, died at his residence in this city Sunday afternoon of pneumonia.

[Bishop Botter was born in Dutchess County, N. Y., in 1802. He graduated from Union College in 1826, and for five years was a professor in Trinity College at Hartford, Conn. In 1833 he became rector of St. Peter's Church at Albany, N. Y. He was made provisional head of the diocese of New York in 1854 upon the deposition of Bishop Onderdonk and in 1861 assumed the full title and power of Bishop. In 1883 an assistant Bishop of the diocese was appointed to relieve him from the burdens of the office.]

Ravages of Hog-Cholera.

MARION, Ind., Jan. 1.—A careful estimate of the cases of hog-cholera from the returns received places the number of animals that have died at between 19,000 and 20,000. The ravages of the disease were signally heavy in the adjacent counties of Wabash, Blackford, Miami, Wells, Adams, Huntington and Howard.

Lumber Business on the Saginaw.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., Jan. 3.—During the last year the mills on the Saginaw river have manufactured 789,000,000 feet of lumber, 75,000,000 shingles and 10,000,000 bunches of lath. There are now 30,000,000 feet of logs in the booms.

Ten Men Killed in an English Mine.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—A cage at one of the coal mines at Houghton-Le-Spring, near Durham, fell yesterday, killing the ten men who were in it.

THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.		
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	$2 60	@ 5 50
Sheep	3 50	@ 5 50
Hogs	4 40	@ 4 80
FLOUR—Good to Choice	3 10	@ 5 35
Patents	4 75	@ 5 15
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	95½	@ 95¾
No. 2 Spring	91	@ 91½
CORN	47⅞	@ 49¼
OATS—Mixed Western	32½	@ 36
RYE	52	@ 59
PORK—Mess	12 25	@12 75
LARD—Steam	6 85	@ 6 87½
CHEESE	12½	@ 13
WOOL—Domestic	30	@ 38
CHICAGO.		
BEEVES—Extra	$5 19	@ 5 20
Choice	4 55	@ 4 80
Good	4 15	@ 4 30
Medium	3 60	@ 4 00
Butchers' Stock	3 00	@ 3 65
Inferior Cattle	1 00	@ 3 00
HOGS—Live—Good to Choice	4 00	@ 5 00
SHEEP	3 00	@ 5 15
BUTTER—Creamery	13	@ 30
Good to Choice Dairy	10	@ 24
EGGS—Fresh	24	@ 26
FLOUR—Winter	3 75	@ 4 00
Spring	3 50	@ 4 00
Patents	4 25	@ 4 60
GRAIN—Wheat No. 2	77½	@ 79¾
Corn	37⅝	@ 37¾
Oats	26½	@ 27
Rye, No. 2	53	@ 53½
Barley, No. 2	52	@ 52½
BROOM CORN—		
Self-working	3	@ 5
Hurl	3	@ 5
Inferior	2½	@ 3
POTATOES (bu.)	35	@ 48
PORK—Mess	12 20	@12 25
LARD—Steam	6 55	@ 6 60
LUMBER—		
Common Dressed Siding	19 00	@21 50
Flooring	32 00	@34 00
Common Boards	12 00	@13 00
Fencing	10 50	@13 50
Lath	1 25	@ 1 75
Shingles	1 70	@ 2 40
EAST LIBERTY.		
CATTLE—Best	$4 80	@ 5 00
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HOGS—Yorkers	4 50	@ 4 60
Philadelphias	4 70	@ 4 80
SHEEP—Best	4 50	@ 6 00
Common	2 50	@ 3 00
BALTIMORE.		
CATTLE—Best	$4 75	@ 4 87½
Medium	3 25	@ 4 00
HOGS	5 50	@ 5 62½
SHEEP—Poor to Choice	2 00	@ 4 37½

THE BOYS IN BLUE.

Dedication of the State Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids.

On Thursday, December 30, 1886, the dedication of the State Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids took place, with a large audience present. The exercises at the home began at one o'clock. Upon a temporary pavilion erected in the central vestibule sat Governor Alger and his staff, Governor-elect Luce, Department-Commander Northwood and his staff, ex-Senator Ferry, Governor Blair, Congressmen Allen and Cutcheon and other distinguished guests. The pavilion was appropriately decorated, among its ornamentations being a tattered old battle flag of General Grant and a draped picture of General Logan. After the song "America" was rendered, Commander Northwood said:

In the name of the Grand Army of the Republic I dedicate this home to the memory of those who in the navy guarded our inland seas and ocean coasts; of those who in the army fought for our hillsides, valleys and plains and fell in defense of the flag; of those who on land and sea fought for the Union, for the authority of the Constitution and for their country. Governor, our service of dedication is ended. In the name of my comrades I thank you and those you represent for your courtesy in permitting us thus to dedicate this home.

Governor Alger then spoke as follows:

VETERANS—This occasion which we had looked forward to, anticipating a joyous gathering, has been turned to one of sadness. One of our great leaders, the idol of the volunteer soldier, and chief among them all, has passed from earth through the golden gates to his reward. How fondly and with what pride we called the name of John A. Logan! Instead of having his presence here to-day, as was expected, and listening to his fiery eloquence that would carry us, in imagination, throught that mighty struggle, when the life of the Nation was at stake, his body lies cold in death and the Nation is in tears. * * * * Great heart! Gallant soldier! The truest of friends! "The bravest of the brave," farewell! Very soon the veterans here and everywhere in this great land, who to-day bow their heads in grief over their irreparable loss, will join you on the other side! To the grief-stricken wife who stood by the side of this grand soldier in prosperity and in every trial until the end, we tender our heartfelt sympathy. May a stronger hand than earth can give bear her up as she journeys through life alone. * * * *

Soldiers, the part assigned me here to-day is to welcome you to this beautiful home, provided for you by a grateful people who are glad to care for you when you are unable to care for yourselves. You do not come here as paupers. The great State of Michigan does not name you thus, but in her gratitude that in the hour of our country's peril you with brave hearts and in the vigor of youth volunteered to face the enemy that no one of them should set foot upon her soil, she welcomes you here. * * * * Here is and shall continue to be your home until, one by one, you are mustered out. And, while this poor clay may be laid upon the hillside, the soul that buoyed you up and carried you through that mighty struggle will burst its bands and be carried triumphant to its reward. Comrades, again I welcome you to this home. To you it is dedicated by our State.

War Governor Blair was next called for. He dwelt tenderly on the memory of General Logan, and eulogized the departed hero. Then turning to the scene around him, he said the home was the fulfillment of the promise made by the State to the soldiers when they enlisted. The State promised her 90,000 defenders, if killed, that their widows and orphans would be cared for and that monuments would be erected over their graves, and that if disabled they would be cared for in old age and misfortune by the people. This home was established to fulfill this last promise—Michigan's disabled veterans would be tenderly cared for and sheltered during the remainder of their life.

Governor-elect Luce, Congressman Cutcheon, ex-Senator Ferry and others also made addresses. Interspersed with the speaking were the following songs by the quartette, assisted by the audience: "Michigan, My Michigan," "Marching Through Georgia," "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," "When the Civil War is Over" and "Consolation," in memory of General Logan.

The Soldiers' Home covers an area of 24,000 square feet, and is three stories high, with a basement—an entire floor area of 80,000 square feet. The walls are of white brick stained red. The Legislature in June, 1885, appropriated $100,000 to build the structure, and $50,000 to maintain it two years. The work has been done in a thorough manner, and all the comforts of a home are provided. The home may be seen by passengers on the Chicago & West Michigan road and the Grand Rapids & Indiana trains across the river, and whether far or near it presents a most attractive appearance. A life-size figure of a soldier "at rest" stands guard over the premises from the point of the roof on the west side of the building. The figure cost $500. In the spring work will be commenced upon the grounds, and they can easily be made beautiful.

INSURING INFANTS.

A New York Judge Decides that This Branch of the Business Is Illegal and Must Be Enjoined.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—Deputy Attorney General Poste recently moved before Justice Barrett, in Supreme Court Chambers, to have the Globe Mutual Benefit Association restrained from carrying on its business, upon the ground that the company was insolvent, and that the insurance of infants, as practiced by the association, is unauthorized by law. Judge Barrett has handed down a decision in the case. He says: "The business of this company is limited to that of life and casualty insurance upon the co-operative and assessment plan. Only members who accept the contract obligations of such membership can be thus insured. Infants are not eligible, as they can not make a contract. Their parents can not insure their children's lives as members in such co-operative or assignment companies. Only members can be insured, and an infant can not be a member of a society and vote. The company's regulations are illegal on the subject of insuring children," was the conclusion of the Judge. Judge Barrett concluded by saying that this branch of the company's business must, therefore, be enjoined.

Fargo Business Houses Burned.

FARGO, D. T., Jan. 4.—Chalmen's grocery store and the Time block, the upper part of which was occupied as sleeping apartments of the Sherman House, was burned yesterday. Chalmen's loss is $30,000. The loss on the Time block is $10,000 and the Sherman House loses $2,000 on furniture. All were insured.

—Nowadays people nod; they used to bow. That is to say, in the hurry and contempt for forms which this generation rather affects there is a disposition to do away with ceremoniousness. There is a quick recognition and a rushing on to attend to business, which seems to show more greed than graciousness.—*Boston Record.*

—A railroad porter knocked a man down the other day and the latter sues for $80,000. If he wins he will take all the porter's profits for an entire trip.—*New Haven News.*

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For Week Ended Jan. 4.

Omaha erected 1,600 buildings last year at a cost of $5,024,000.

It is reported that 15,000 Jews have been expelled from Kiev, Russia.

A. E. Small, president of the Chicago Homeopathic College, expired Friday.

Bartholdi has been promoted to the rank of Commander of the Legion of Honor.

By the burning of an inclosure at the People's Park, in Madras, 275 natives lost their lives.

Judge Claudius B. Grant, of Houghton, has come out as an aspirant for Senatorial honors in Michigan.

Charles Godfrey, a son of the chief of the Miami Indians, living near Wabash, Ind., killed himself with a shot-gun.

The orange-crop of Louisiana is said to be but one-tenth of an average, and none will be shipped to the Northern States.

Returns from Victoria show that the yield of gold in that colony during the last year was 130,000 ounces under that of 1885.

The Laird House and nine other buildings at Greensburg, Pa., were burned Wednesday morning. The losses aggregate $100,000.

A square of business buildings at Girard, Pa., was burned Friday morning, causing a loss of $50,000. The insurance is less than $5,000.

There is a growing belief in Vienna that Russia is determined on war. The Czar has ordered the massing of 300,000 troops at Kief.

Mary Baker, aged eighteen, an ailing girl living at Monroe, Ind., is reported to have not eaten or drank for the past sixty-three days.

Business failures in Canada during 1886 numbered 1,252, with $10,386,000 liabilities, against 1,256 failures in 1885, and liabilities of $8,881,000.

The new soldiers' home at Grand Rapids, Mich., which cost $100,000 and will accommodate 500 persons, was dedicated Thursday afternoon.

Rev. Dr. Truman A. Post, the father of the Congregational denomination in St. Louis, expired in that city Friday at the age of seventy-six.

On an order by Judge Gresham, Mr. Perkins, the contumacious witness in the Indiana election fraud cases, was released on bail Friday evening.

The Milwaukee Ship-Yard Company is said to be making arrangements for the construction of a mammoth dry dock, to cost about $75,000.

The iron and steel industries of the United States enjoyed during 1886 a year of exceptional prosperity. The prospect for 1887 is very encouraging.

A proposition was put on foot to impose a tax of £5 per year on all foreigners working in England. It would increase the revenue £500,000 per year.

In the products of South Carolina cotton now takes a subordinate place. The crop of potatoes last season was the most profitable grown in the State.

The eightieth anniversary of the entry of Kaiser Wilhelm, when a boy of ten, into the army was celebrated with great rejoicing at Berlin Saturday.

The *Medical Record* says the case of the late General Logan appears to be one of those rare ones in which acute rheumatism causes a rapid and fatal issue.

About 30,000 people in Northwestern Texas are on the verge of starvation, their destitute condition being the result of poor crops and long-continued drought.

Governor Oglesby is said to have made the positive statement to certain Illinoisans at Washington that he would not be a candidate for the vacant seat in the Senate.

Officers of several Pittsburgh natural gas companies, in interviews, admit the truth of the current statement that the supply of natural gas is likely to fail within a few years.

John S. Newberry, whose death at Detroit is reported, was interested in railway, steamboat and banking enterprises to the extent of $3,000,000. He served one term in Congress.

The Dolores Land and Cattle Company, of Texas, chartered during the last year with a capital stock of $2,000,000, has made an assignment. The liabilities are $500,000, assets $450,000.

Pliny Nickerson, one of Boston's foremost merchants and an extensive ship-owner, made an assignment Friday. His liabilities are about $200,000, with nominal assets of $250,000.

The shipping trade of Liverpool during 1886 fell off 100,000 tons as compared with 1885. The decrease was wholly in foreign trade, coastwise shipping having somewhat increased.

The growth of Milwaukee during the year shows gratifying progress, while that of Kansas City has been phenomenal. The business of St. Louis, on the other hand, shows a considerable decrease.

George W. Hill, who killed J. D. Potter, a draughtsman in the navy yard at Norfolk, Va., was acquitted Friday. Potter had pretended to be a single man and had deceived the daughter of his murderer.

The clearings of the Chicago banks were $41,533,766 for the past five days, and $2,604,762,912 for the year. The banks of New York report the possession of $12,271,300 in excess of the twenty-five per cent. rule.

Colonel W. H. Bolton, formerly superintendent of second-class matter in the Chicago post-office, was on Friday brought before Judge Blodgett, where he pleaded guilty to an indictment for embezzling $12,602.

James Kenmore, an orphan lad sent West by a charitable society of New York, hanged himself in a barn near Peotone, Ill., because he was not remembered when the farmer's Christmas tree was filled with presents.

The report of the Scotch Crofters' Commission shows the existence of a system of rack rents in the Highlands as deplorable as any known in Ireland, and recommends a reduction in rents of from fifteen to fifty per cent.

The buildings erected in Chicago the past year would make a straight line for ten miles, and cost $20,000,000. About $5,000,000 was spent on buildings just outside the city limits. The real estate transfers for the year aggregated $75,000,000.

The residence of the Chilian Minister at Washington was during Thursday night robbed of $7,000 worth of jewelry and considerable money by a discharged servant named Silva, who was arrested while boarding a train for New York.

Thomas Stephens, the bicyclist who has for the last three years been on a tour around the globe, has reached the end of his journey, and will be in San Francisco within about two weeks, where he will be banqueted by the local bicycle clubs.

Representative Springer, after a careful study of the Pacific railroad question, has decided to offer an amendment to the Outhwaite Refunding bill requiring the companies to discharge their debt to the Government in twenty-six years, by annual installments, of $3,877,419.

William Poole and Joseph Fort, serving life sentences at Sing Sing for the murder of John Ryan, in New York, have been pardoned by Governor Hill. The policeman upon whose testimony they had been convicted had on his death-bed confessed that he committed perjury on their trial.

How Sweet.

A young and pretty girl stepped into a shop where a young man who had been enamored of her, but dared not speak, stood behind the counter. In order to remain as long as possible, she cheapened everything. At last she said: "I believe you think I am cheating." "Oh, no," said he "to me you are always fair." "Well," whispered the lady, "I would not stay so long bargaining if you were not so dear." She did not have to cheapen when the druggist only charged her 25 cents for "Pomeroy's Petroline Poroused Plaster," for her mother's Rheumatism; she did not grudge this small sum, for they had found them a sure cure. For Sale by H. J. Brown, Dist. Agt. for Ann Arbor.

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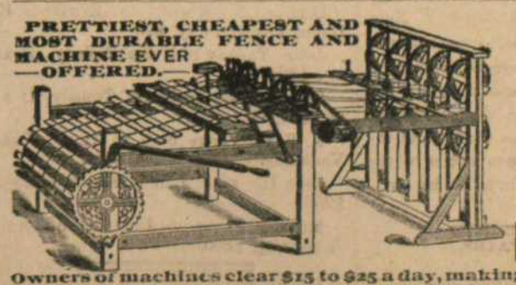
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HERE goes for 1887.

JEFFERSON DAVIS, the leader of the rebellion, may yet live to see all the generals who fought against him and defeated him in his attempt to destroy the union conqured by the invincible warriors, Death, who has most singularly spared him so long.

THE death of General Logan will impose upon the Illinois legislature the duty of electing a successor to the dead senator. Among the names most prominently mentioned as candidates are Robert T. Lincoln, Gov. Oglesby, and Charles B. Farwell, all of whom are worthy men.

L. E. ROWLEY, the talented young editor of the Lansing Journal, will this week commence the publication of the second daily in Lansing. Of course it will be democratic. Harry Stitt, the clever young journalist who has occupied the city editor's chair of the state Republican since its inception, will do the same effective work on the new daily.

BAILEY & CRAWFORD'S new literary venture, the Saturday Telegram, published at East Saginaw, appeared on our streets last Saturday. It is the same size as THE REGISTER and a very readable sheet; but we doubt if Crawford's high flown, incomprehensible literary effusions will be sufficiently appreciated by the busy laborers of the Saginaw Valley to draw their nickels in numbers sufficient to lengthen its existence over six months at the longest. It is really "too good to live."

THERE is to be a great reform party started in Cincinnati in February, the design of which is to right all the evils of our government, especially those pertaining to our labor interests. It is not expected that the majority will be composed of great capitalists and millionaires. It is said that a state convention of the new party will be called to meet at Lansing soon. It is a question worthy of at least a single thought, how to carry on this government without having as many parties as there are men of ideas.

THE State Teachers' Association closed a successful meeting at Lansing last Thursday. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. W. Ewing, Ionia; vice presidents, D. A. Stevens, Adrian, and J. A. Stuart, Monroe; secretary, C. W. Pickell, Ludington; treasurer, E. L. Briggs, Grand Haven; members of the executive committee, L. McLouth, N. N. French, L. R. Halsey; members of the Reading Circle council, Mary E. Tilton, Lansing, L. C. Hull, Detroit; representative to the University Semi-Centennial celebration, J. M. B. Sill, Ypsilanti.

HERE is practical sanitation well-defined. Dr. Henry F. Lyster, a member of the Michigan state board of health asks: "While the germs and species will be preserved in nature, what can be done to save the individual and enable him to attain his highest degree of perfection, physically and mentally?" Then he answers his own question by saying: "It is here that a science is applied, known as sanitary science. The discoveries in this science are nothing more than translation and application of natural laws to the preservation of health and the prolongation of life. A young man is in no way responsible for his inheritance, but sanitary science can teach him much that will profit him, and can do much to protect him. Suppose that his father had died at thirty of consumption, and that his mother at forty was in feeble health, very nervous and a victim of various neuralgias, and came from a comparatively short-lived family. Sanitary science would say to this young man, choose your occupation from among those which will enable you to be in the open air a large portion of the time; where exercise would insure good sleep at night; where

Good digestion waits on appetite, and health on both.

He should prefer the saddle to the office desk, the broad field of the farm and the smell of new-mown hay to the narrow streets and the lowering clouds of smoke and dust that hang over the crowded city. He should turn his back upon the tempting offer of a clerkship in an insurance office or store, and herd sheep in New Mexico, cattle in Montana, or manufacture lumber in Northern Michigan, or farm it in Washtenaw or Oakland county. Let him do anything under the sun rather than insure himself in the shadows of indoor life. Sanitary science comes to the aid of this young man in all of his environments.

STATE AFFAIRS.

The ostensibly wise law makers of Michigan have again gathered at headquarters and the Lansing hotel and boarding house keepers are busy. It takes a great deal of solid food to nourish the great mental strain of a session of our state legislature; yet one might be deceived who would compare the food devoured with the sensible intellectual achievements of the statesmen who gather at Lansing to look after the interests of this great state. The formal opening of the legislature occurred at 12 o'clock noon, yesterday, and the following officers elected: House-Speaker, Daniel P. Markey, of Ogemaw; *pro tem.*, E. S. Bates, of Allegan; clerk, Daniel L. Crossman, of Ingham; sergeant-at-arms, John P. Austin, of Gratiot; engrossing and enrolling clerk, Clarence H. Leonard, of Wayne; assistant, H. M. Rose, of Kent; chief janitor, Chas. A. Lee, of Wayne; postmaster, Mrs. N. E. Randall, of Wayne; assistant, Miss Minnie Rice, of Ingham. Senate—President *pro tem.*, Chas. J. Monroe, of Van Buren; secretary, Lewis M. Miller, of Muskegon; assistant, Geo. A. Royce, of Baraga; sergeant-at-arms, P Q. Stoner, of Ingham; assistants, E. F. Coon, of Oceana, J. A. Dockery, of Montcalm; engrossing and enrolling clerks, F. M. Howe and Mrs. J. R. Jamison, of Ingham.

The senatorial contest is the all-absorbing theme of conversation at present and will be until it is settled. Thre are only four candidates in the field, Lacey, Stockbridge, Conger and Fitzgearld. Stockbridge will lead in the number of votes at first, but will not be able to command enough on the first ballot to elect. A combination may be made that will prove too strong for him, although his chances at the present time seem to be rather the most favorable.

Coming Events.

Alpine Choir—Feb. 11th.

Revs. Dr. Ramsay and Haskell will exchange pulpits next Sunday forenoon.

The regular monthly meeting of the Cocker League will be held next Monday evening. The time will be devoted to music, recitations, etc.

Mrs. Patton Taylor, M. D., of Chicago, will address the temperance meeting Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at Cropsey's hall. Good music provided.

The following interesting program has been arranged for the next meeting of the Unity club, in the Unitarian church parlors, Monday evening, Jan. 16th: "Taffy social," with a paper on "taffy" by Miss Nettie Brown, and Mrs. Prof. Burt will read a paper on "Elizabeth Barrett Browning."

W. J. Scanlan's new song, "Gathering the Myrtle with Mary," which is already being whistled on the streets, was suggested by the name of his young guide, Mary O'Grady, who showed him some of the romantic spots near the Lake of Killarney during his recent tour in Ireland. Mr. Scanlan has sent the young woman several copies of his song, and within a few days it will be heard on both sides of the Atlantic.—Sunday Courier. At the opera house, Jan. 13.

Next Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Sunderland will begin a series of sermons on "Practical Christianity, or Important Philanthropies and Reforms," treating such subjects as "Crime, its Causes and Prevention;" "Intemperance, its Causes and Prevention;" "Poverty, its Causes and Prevention;" "Prevention of Cruelty to Dumb Animals and Children;" "Better Homes for the Poor;" "Child-saving Work," etc. In the evening he will speak on, "The Infallibility of the Bible."

Swiss Singers at University Hall.

The first appearance, last night, of Herr Andre's Alpine Choir and Tyrolese Company, at Association Hall, was a success. A crowded house repeatedly encored the efforts of the performers. The solos and duets by Mlle. Violette, a soprano with a rich, sweet voice, and Miss Emily Major, a powerful mezzo-soprano, were well rendered. There were choruses and performances on the zither, guitar, Alpine viola, mandolin and xylophone, by Herr Pitzinger, Herr and Frau Haupt, Herr Pfister and Fraulein Therese. A very un-American feature was the transacting of the stage business in sight of the audience.—Daily, (N. Y.) Telegram.

Proceedings of Probate Court.

Monday—The will of J. L. Hallock admitted to probate, Louisa J. and Elsie A. Hallock were appointed administratrix. Zina P. King was appointed administrator of the estate of Mrs. Mary King. February 1st was fixed as the day for settling the accounts of Duncan McMillen, administrator of the estate of Margaret Simpson.

Thursday—January 31st was fixed as the day for proving the will of the late Samuel Cushman. Final settlement of the estate of Laura St. John.

Wednesday—In the estate of Sarah McDonald Millen, deceased, January 31st was fixed as the day for proving will. In the estate of John Keeland, deceased, an order was fixed for proving will February 1st.

Real Estate Transfers.

Wm. Kent to N. VanDerwalker, Manchester, $120.

N. VanDerwalker to Rudolph Stockwell, Manchester, $200.

Jacob Shaver to Henry Hagan, Chelsea, $300.

Hudson T. Morton to Elizabeth E. Dunn, Ypsilanti city, $25.

James Tiplady to Nellie Tiplady, Dexter, $800.

Frank Tiplady to James Tiplady, Dexter, $11,500.

K. T. VanVankenburg to H. T. VanVankenburg, Manchester, $500.

John Hoelzel to John G. Kenchler, Lodi, $950.

Michael Frank to Jacob Frank, Ann Arbor city, $800.

Mr. B. Buchter, a well-known citizen of Lancaster, Pa., has used St. Jacobs Oil, and considers it an excellent remedy in cases of swellings, bruises and burns.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Belle Cook is visiting in Detroit.

Albert Sorg was in Detroit Saturday.

W. W. Watts is doing the local on the Argus.

Miss Sarah Cady is the guest of Detroit friends.

Mrs. Muir returned to Grand Rapids, Monday.

Joe T. Jacobs and E. B. Abel are in Detroit today.

Bishop Harris of Detroit, was in the city Monday.

E. B. Lewis, of St. Louis, Mich., was in the city over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robeson returned to Port Huron, Monday.

Wm. J. Olcott, of Hurley, Wis., is visiting friends in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. E. McLaren, of South Main-st, is seriously ill with lung fever.

Dr. S. A. Jones was called to Muskegon, last Thursday for consultation.

Ed Jolly has returned from a week's visit to his sister in Pentwater.

Mrs. E. Hudson, of the Cook House, spent the past week in Lansing.

James Duffy and Fred McOmber spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

Miss. Carrie A. Roe went to Battle Creek, Monday, to visit relatives.

Titus Hutzel returned Wednesday morning from a visit to Chicago.

A. L. Huss, of Monroe, spent New Years' day with relatives in the city.

Prof. Chas. H. Stowell and wife were the guests of Detroit friends last week.

Prof. C. N. Jones, who has been spending his vacation in Detroit, has returned.

Prof Merle A. Breed, of the Coldwater public schools, was in the city Wednesday.

Sam Langsdorf and J. J. Quarry journied to Detroit last Friday for a short visit.

Mrs. J. R. Bach and child spent New Years day with relatives in St. Louis, Mich.

Miss Bertha Christman was the guest of Miss Emma Gardner, in Detroit, New Years.

Mrs. M. Campbell and children, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. M. Green and family.

E. S. Crawford, of the Saturday Telegram, East Saginaw, was in the city over Sunday.

Miss Anna Villhauer, of Toledo, was the guest of the Misses Hangsterfer's over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allaby, spent New Years and Sunday, with relatives, in Hastings, Mich.

Miss Charlotte Hutzel, of W. Washington-st, left Tuesday morning for East Saginaw to visit a sister.

Master Eddy Hudson entertained a number of his little friends to dinner, at the Cook House, last Friday.

Jacob Wile, medic '86, practicing at La Port, Ind., was the guest of Ann Arbor friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Hoffman and Mrs. Eckerman, of Detroit, were the guests of Mrs. John Muehlig over Sunday.

Miss Ella Mueth, of Detroit-st, was very happily surprised last evening by a number of her friends calling upon her.

Mrs. Wm. Kulencamp, of Sharon, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Diehl, of South Ingalls-st the past week.

A. L. Noble and family have returned from their eastern trip. Mr. Noble has been slightly indisposed since his return.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Watts were called to Holly, Monday to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, Dr. T. B. Johnson.

Miss Luella Brush gave a very delightful party New Year's eve. Dancing and card playing was the order of the evening. Refreshments were served.

Chas. H. Manly went to Lansing Tuesday. He will be in Adrian Saturday with the committee to try and secure the next meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' association.

Burt J. Lamb, formerly of this city, but for the past year in Portage, Wis., was in the city last week visiting friends. He has accepted a position with a Sandusky house for the next year.

Mrs. N. G. Phelps, of Bancroft, was the guest of D. Cramer's family the first of the week. Her husband was the founder of the village of Bancroft and is still largely interested in its progress.

A party of young people of the first ward went out to Hamburg, Saturday evening, to a social. Besides a breakdown, a tip over in the snow, a runaway etc., everthing passed off very pleasantly.

P. H. Dolan, of Williamston, Ingham county, has been in the city the past few days renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Dolan was formerly threasurer of Northfield township and moved to Ingham county but a few years ago, but during that time he made friends enough to elect him coroner nex: fall.

Mayor Robison, Recorder Pond and Ald. Herz, of the council, and Col. Dean, Capt. Manly and others are in Adrian today trying to induce the executive committee of the Sonthwestern Soldiers' and Sailors' Association to select Ann Arbor as the next place for holding their reunion. The committee took with them a guarantee of $1,000, from ten of our leading citizens as an extra inducement.

Dr. Winchell, returned last Thursday from a trip to Massachusetts and Connecticut, and reports a very enjoyable time. At Melrose, Massachusetts, he was tendered two receptions, one by the C. L. S. C., and one by Mrs. Col. Hesseltine, at both places many distinguished literary persons being present from Boston and other places. A reception was also given in his honor at Lynn, Mass., and one at Melrose, N. Y., his home.

Going out in the car the other day I saw a bright little miss of my acquaintance with a library book in her dainty gloved hand, and, noticing the title was that of a rather abstruse subject I said, "Why, my dear, you select very deep literature for your reading; I had no idea you were so studious." She answered. "Oh, is it? Well, I did not knew what to get, and so took this, as the cover compared so beautifully with my hat. Did you ever see a more perfect match?"—New England Homestead.

OVERCOATS MUST GO!

UNDERWEAR MUST GO.

Gloves and Mittens Must Go

OUT OF THE

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE

We are not going to wait until after the

HOLIDAYS

But these Goods are in the

SLAUGHTER PEN!

Now to be Sacrificed at any Price.

We Shall Close	Overcoats	From	$1.91	Upwards
We " "	Underwear	"	.20	"
We " "	Mittens	"	.17	"

Bring your Cash and purchase a year's supply.

A. L. NOBLE,

Leading Clothier and Hatter.

Ann Arbor, Dec, 21, '86.

The Ann Arbor Savings Bank.

Among the Savings Banks in our state there is none outside of Detroit that has taken a more solid and prominent position than the Ann Arbor Savings Bank. Its growth has been steady and of the kind that makes it one of the *best* banks in the state. The list of depositors embraces our citizens occupying all different positions, but mainly among the farmers, mechanics and laborers, and these are the classes whom they especially seek.

Deposits are received from one dollar up and interest paid.

Nothing as sensible offers itself to fond parents and friends as to deposit a small amount on New Year's time for some child, who will be prouder with a bank account than with any other gift. Saturday, the Bank will be open for savings deposits from 7 to 8 p. m.

The Co-partnership

heretofore existing between Geo. Osius and Geo. Wahr, as Geo. Osius & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by Geo. Wahr.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 3, 1887. GEO. OSIUS,
628-30 GEO. WAHR.

The Best Shoe ever Offered for the Money. Fine Imitation French Kid, Wears Soft and does not Crack; Made on Opera and Com. Sense Lasts. Every Pair Warranted.

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17 South Main St., Ann Arbor, Mich

REINHARDT & CO.

The acknowledged Low Priced

SHOE DEALERS

Down them all for low prices.

Ladies' Fine K'd Button Shoes $1.25 and upwards.

Gents' Fine Calf Buttoned Shoes $1.25 and upwards.

REMEMBER THIS.

No matter what others may offer, it will pay you to see our goods, and get our prices, we can and will give better bargains.

Sole Agts GRAY BROS. Ladies Fine Shoes, LILLY, BRACKETT & CO'S Gents Fine Shoes. 42 S. Main-St.

GREAT BARGAINS

IN

FURNITURE & CARPETS

$25,000 STOCK

Was thrown on the Market Monday, Last

Having purchased the entire stock of Furniture, Carpets, etc., now in the Keck Stores on Main Street, Ann Arbor, the store will be opened on Monday, December 20th, and this immense stock will be sold at prices for **Cash**, that will close it out in the next sixty days.

Ann Arbor, December 18th, '86.

RICHMOND & TREADWELL.

The Palace Grocery,

NO. 9 NORTH MAIN ST.,

STIMSON BROS.

PROPRIETORS,

Have on hand a Fresh and Complete Stock of Every thing in the

Grocery Line

TEAS, COFFEES AND SUGARS

In Large Amounts and

AT CASH PRICES!

And can sell at Low Figures.

The Large Invoice of Teas they Buy and Sell is good proof that in

Quality and Prices

THEY GIVE BARGAINS.

Fresh Roasted Coffees every week and none but Prime Articles are used; Also a Large Line and Fine Assortment of

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE & LAMPS.

Call and See Them!

Closing Sale

OF THE YEAR.

Cutting Down Prices

All Around At

TUOMEY BROS.

Noteworthy opportunity to get

Genuine Bargains!

This Sale will last until the end of the year.

We are Cutting down Prices on Cloaks and Shawls, Dress Goods, Flannels, Blankets, Hosiery, Underwear, Bleached and Unbleached Cottons, Denims, Tickings, Shirtings, Cotton Flannels; Everything Cut down to reduce our Stock to the lowest possible point by Janary 1st.

TUOMEY BROS.

THE REGISTER.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1887.

COUNTY NEWS.

Northville has a toboggan slide.

Manchester's new iron bridge cost $3,924.

The enterprising little village of Stockbridge wants to be incorporated.

J. H. Miller and family, of Manchester, have taken up their residence in Ypsilanti.

Sixteen persons were baptised and admitted to the M. E. church, South Lyon, last Sunday.

John Geddes, of Geddes, who has been very sick and not expected to recover, is on the gain.

W. H. Pottle, one of Manchester's enterprising merchants, has announced his intention of retiring from business.

Miss Ina Scoville, of Stockbridge, who has been spending the past year at Martha's Vineyard, Mass., has returned home.

Caroline, wife of Albert Close, of Whitmore Lake, died Dec. 31, of general debility, aged 56 years. Funeral was held Sunday.

"Ten Nights in a Bar-room," will be produced at the Milan opera house Friday and Saturday evening of this week, for the benefit of the Milan cornet band.

The good citizens of Norville presented their pastor, the Rev. J. J. Phelps, with about $10 in cash for a Christmas present, together with a quantity of grain and a choice selection of vegtables.

Dexter Leader: Two of the ice sawers who were playing "sailor" last Wednesday, were treated to a cold bath; both, however, through the prompt assistance of their fellow workmen were rescued.

The South Lyon Sunday school exhibited a true Christian spirit last Sunday by taking up a Christmas contribution from its members amounting to $13.50, which will be sent to some needy and worthy religious institution.

The following list of officers were elected by lodge No. 65, F. and A. M., of Dexter at their last meeting: W. M., A. Lathrop: S. W., Chas. Coy; J. W., John Edwards; S. D., F. Lathrop, J. D., E. Doane; sec., L. C. Rodman; treas., H. M. Ide.

The South Lyon Excelsior boastingly remarks: Visit all the adjoining villages within a radius of 20 miles, then return to South Lyon and you will find better streets, cleaner walks, brighter lights and a better regulated village than any of 'em.

List of officers elected at the annual meeting of Saline lodge, No. 272, I. O. O. F., last Monday evening: N. G., Henry Collum; V. G., O. E. Hawkins; Sec'y, J. H. Fish; Treas., L. L. Kilby; Representative of Grand Lodge, J. H. Bortle; Trustee, J. G. Ehnis.

A large bank barn belonging to the Arnold estate, about four miles west of the city, caught fire last Friday evening and burned to the ground, consuming a quanity of hay and some farming implements. A cow and a pig also perished in the flames. The loss is estimated at $1,200, which is partially covered by insurance.

The M. E. Sunday school, at South Lyon, have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Superintendent, L. S. Allen; 1st ass't., M. Hodgeman; 2nd ass't., Mrs J. Wilson; sec., Elma Wilson; ass't., sec., Cora Dunlap; treas., Mrs. H. Jones; librarian, B. Hodgeman; ass't librarian, G. C. Allen; organist, Mrs. H. Jones; ass't. organist, Etta Doty.

Stokbridge Sun: Stockbridge has never had an inmate of the county house. Only three and they very old people receive any assistance from our poor fund. We have not had an inmate of the county bastile in almost two years, and only one assault and battery case within a year. Everybody is busy at something and every child wears a cheerful, happy face. Good enough!

South Lyon Excelsior: Among other advancements that South Lyon boasts of none are more satisfactory or note worthy than the present condition of our religious enterprises. Churches and pastors are sustained with fervent Christian unity and each Sabbath brings full houses of church goers. An average estimate of 600 people would not be in excess of the number attending church at this place on the Sabbath day.

Manchester Enterprise: There was a large crowd of people in town today to witness the starting of the Manchester roller mills. The Geo. T. Smith Purifier Co., of Jackson, with their excellent band of 15 pieces, and a number of ladies, making a party of some sixty persons, arrived on the afternoon train. Our citizens will give them a banquet at the Goodyear House this evening and the band will give a free concert at Goodyear Hall.

Saline Observer: The meeting held yesterday forenoon in the G. A. R. hall, was well attended by the representative farmers of this section. The organization was perfected, a constitution and code of rules and by-laws adopted, and officers elected as follows: President, J. S. Wood; vice president, J. F. Avery; sec., B. N. Smith; treas., Chas. R. Cobb; executive board, A. A. Wood, G. L. Hopt, Jos. R. Kyte. The club starts out with 14 charter members. The next meeting will be held at the residence of the president, J. S. Wood, in Lodi, on Friday, Jan. 24, at 10 A. M. The special subject for discussion will be "wintering and care of stock."

Our Ypsi. Friends.

Ernest Lodeman returned to his school in Indiana, Monday.

Miss Mary Miner has been spending a few days in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowling and family spent New Year's in Detroit.

Prof. Cleary, of the business college, spent Saturday in Detroit.

Normal teachers and students took up work again on Wednesday.

Geo. W. Hough, the news dealer, has moved his family and belongings back to Detroit.

The sons of temperance gave their sisters and sweethearts a fine sleigh ride, Tuesday evening.

The chapel guild of the Episcopal church, met with the president, Miss Nan Sewell, Wednesday afternoon.

E. E. Ferguson has been dismissed from assisting American expressman Vail, and a handsomer man appointed in his place.

E. P. Goodrich filled the Presbyterian pulpit Sunday, in absence of Dr. McCorkle, who has been at Howell on church business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bovee gave a reception Monday evening, in celebration of the twentieth anniversary of their marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Amsden and daughters, Misses Lou and Kittie, attended the Amsden-Culver wedding at Brooklyn, Wednesday.

Prof. Lodeman, of the Normal, returned from Baltimore, Monday, where he attended a meeting of the Modern Language Association.

Mr and Mrs. Andrew Campbell gave a large reception, last Friday evening, in honor of their son Robert and bride, who were down from Jackson during the New Year holidays.

Mr. and Mr. Addison Fletcher started for Kansas City, Wednesday evening. They intend going farther south, shortly, to find some place where Mr. Fletcher can spend the remainder of the winter and try to recruit his ill health.

Saline Items.

Good bye, 1886.

Mrs. E. W. Ford is very sick.

Arda and Eda Clark spent the holidays at Hudson, Mich.

Ed. Ruckman and A. Rheinfrank did Hillsdale New Year's.

Mrs. Julia Turner, of Detroit, visited Mrs. L. S. Pierce last week.

Mrs. Wm. Farmer of Norfolk, Ohio, visited friends here for the past week.

Mart Reynolds and A. B. VanDuzer took in Detroit the fore part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Warner visited Mr. Reaves' people, of York, a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Helber were made happy January 1st by the arrival of a nice baby.

Mrs. M. A. Hazlett is expected to give her popular lecture, "The Boys in Blue," in the near future.

Miss Mille Camo, of Lansing, formerly teacher in the Union School, visited friends over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Russell, of Mason, Mich., visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Marsh, during the holidays.

The Farmer's Club which was called to meet in G. A. R. Hall, Dec. 29th, was well attended and the following officers elected: President, J. S. Wood; Vice President, J. F. Avery; Secretary, B. N. Smith; Treasurer, Charles R. Cobb; Executive Board, A. A. Wood, G. L. Hoyt and Jas. S. Kyte. The next meeting will be held at J. S. Wood's, Lodi, on January the 14th, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

ANN ARBOR MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE REGISTER, January 6, 1887.

These quotations are corrected weekly. Under the head "wholesale" we quote prices as paid to farmers bringing their products in, and under the head "retail" are prices to consumers as sold over the counter. We are under obligations to the Central Mills, Rinsey & Seabolt, John Heinzmann and M. Weinmann for favors rendered.

Wholesale Market.

Wheat—75c per bu.
Apples—50@60c per bu.
Beans—80@125c per bu.
Beef—5½@6c per lb.
Chickens—8c a lb.
Clover seed—$6.50 per bu.
Butter—16c per lb.
Calf Skins—7@9c green.
Corn—22@25c per bu.
Eggs—20c per doz.
Hay—$12 a ton.
Hides—7c per lb.
Live pork—3½@3¾c per lb.
Maple syrup—$1 25 per gal.
Mutton—6@7c per lb.
Oats—28c per bu.
Pelts—10c@$1 50.
Pork—5@6c per lb.
Potatoes—45c per bu.
Tallow—3½c per lb.
Turkeys—10@11c per lb.
Veal—7c per lb.

Retail Market.

Apples—70c per bu.
Bacon—10c per lb.
Beans—5c per qt.
Beefsteak—10@12½c per lb.
Butter—18c per lb.
Cherries—dried, 20@25c per lb.
Cornmeal—2c per lb.
Eggs—23c per doz.
Flour—at the mills, $2.38 per cwt.
Grapes—3@5c per lb.
Ham—12½c per lb.
Hominy—4c per lb.
Honey—20c per lb.
Lard—10c per lb.
Lemons—25@30c per doz.
Mutton—6@12½c per lb.
Oatmeal—4c per lb.
Pickles—10c per doz.
Pork—10c per lb.
Potatoes—$60c per bu.
Prunelles—20c per lb.
Prunes—10@15c per lb.
Veal—8@12c½ per lb.

PURE IS THE ABSOLUTE NECESSITY OF HEALTH. **BLOOD**

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA

THE marvellous results of HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA upon all humors and low conditions of the blood (as proven by the cures effected) prove it the best BLOOD MEDICINE. Such has been the success of this article at home that nearly every family in whole neighborhoods have been taking it at the same time. It eradicates scrofula, vitalizes and enriches the blood, thereby restoring and renovating the whole system. Hood's SARSAPARILLA purifies the blood. Hood's SARSAPARILLA cures dyspepsia. Hood's SARSAPARILLA cures biliousness. A peculiar point in Hood's SARSAPARILLA is that it builds up and strengthens the system, while it eradicates disease, and as nature's great assistant proves itself invaluable as a protection from diseases that originate in changes of the seasons, of climate and of life.

SCROFULA.

135 HOWARD STREET, LOWELL, MASS., Jan. 17.

MESSRS. C. I. HOOD & CO.: Gentlemen—I have used HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA in my family for scrofulous humor with wonderful success, and am happy to tell you that it is the best medicine we ever used. I do sincerely advise any one who is troubled with scrofula to give this valuable remedy a trial, and assure them they will not be disappointed. Very truly yours,
(Coburn Shuttle Co.) C. C. PICKERING.

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA is sold by all Druggists. Price $1 per bottle; six for $5. Prepared by C. I. HOOD & CO., Lowell, Mass.

THE FUR FLIES

Last year we closed out all of our Overcoats except 28, we know what it took to accomplish it, NAMELY, awful LOW PRICES. We are going to try and do the same thing this year, and hence the knife goes DEEP into the prices. **Winter Caps, Cardigan Jackets, Cloves and Mittens** are in the BOAT.

J. T. JACOBS & CO.,

27 and 29 Main St. Famous One-Price Clothing House.

HOLIDAY

Mufflers,

Elegant Neckwear,

Gloves and Mittens.

The Finest Line Ever Shown in Ann Arbor.

Overcoats Must Go

Regardless of Cost.

WM. W. DOUGLAS & CO.

On March 1st I Will Retire From Active Business

In order to do this I will close out my entire Stock of

CLOTHING and FURNISHING GOODS

At what the Goods will bring.

OVERCOATS, MEN'S SUITS, UNDERWEAR, BOY'S SUITS.

Everything must go. The Goods will be sold without regard to cost.

During this Sale all Goods will be marked in plain figures. One Price to all.

WM. WAGNER, - 21 S. Main-St, Ann Arbor.

NEW YEAR'S. NEW YEAR'S.

SLIPPERS, SLIPPERS!

Cheaper than ever and a complete assortment of Children's Rubber Boots. The prices are let down on our Goods. Gents' Slippers for $1.00 worth $1.50; Women's Kid Shoes, $1.25, worth $1.50; Gent's Button, Lace or Congress Shoes, sold for $2.00, worth $2 50.

No trouble to show goods.

SAMUEL KRAUSE,

48 South Main Street, - - Ann Arbor, Mich.

DOORS CLOSED!

THE TWO SAMS

Will close their Clothing Store next Thursday, Jan. 6th, for the purpose of marking down every article of Clothing and Overcoats in the House.

OPEN FRIDAY, JANUARY 7

AT USUAL TIME.

Our Customers will remember we are the Only Clothing House in Ann Arbor that have a Legitimate

MARKING DOWN SALE

All the old Prices remain as heretofore, and the marked down Prices

IN PLAIN FIGURES!

Every Overcoat, every Suit, every Pair of Pants, every Hat, every Cap, every Glove and Mitten.

TELL YOUR NEIGHBORS WHAT

THE TWO SAMS

Are doing. Bring them to town.

Let every Merchant make it a point to inform their Customers of this great Sale.

We know our Store will be crowded. So do not delay; the first come always get the best.

THE TWO SAMS,

The Only Strictly One-Price Clothiers.

FURNITURE

AT COST

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS!

We can not carry our Stock over until next Spring on account of a a Bankrupt Sale, and therefore conclude to sell our Goods at any price regardless of Cost.

It is a pity to see such a new and carefully selected Stock as ours sacrificed in such a way.

KOCH & HALLER

MOVEMENT OF GRAIN.

Report on Transportation Routes to the Seaboard.

Extraordinary Growth of the Food Product of the United States—Comparison with Other Lands—Interesting Facts About Freights.

A VALUABLE REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The report of the Senate committee on transportation routes to the seaboard on the subject of railroad freights in the United States and other countries makes 500 pages of printed matter and contains many valuable tables and much information on the subject of transportation, gathered from nearly every country in the world. The first table presented indicates the progress of the United States for a generation. Thirty-three years ago we produced 100,000,000 bushels of wheat and about 600,000,000 bushels of corn. Twice in recent years we have reached 500,000,000 bushels of wheat, and in 1885 the corn crop reached 1,800,000,000 bushels—a five-fold increase in wheat and a three-fold increase in corn. The increase in other cereals has not been so rapid. In the export trade wheat ranks first in value, and in fifty-eight years has added $2,600,000,000 to the value of our National production, a sum equivalent to four times the value of exported corn and corn-meal during the same period.

The report shows that the difference in the prices of corn between the Atlantic ports and the lake ports has steadily declined from 21 cents per bushel in 1873 to 10 cents per bushel in 1883; between the Atlantic ports and the Western river ports from 19 cents in 1873 to 11 cents in 1883. This in a measure shows the tendency of freight rates to decrease.

Regarding the question of long and short hauls the committee came to the conclusion that local freight rates "are evidently levied on the somewhat general principle of what the traffic will bear." The report says the cost of transporting a bushel of wheat is more nearly equitable in Massachusetts than in any other State represented, although there it finds a lesser rate for thirty-six miles than for fifteen. The report continues:

"In Pennsylvania local rates are higher than in Massachusetts. In Ohio the rate is about the same on 60 miles as it is on 90, while the long haul of 216 miles, instead of being relatively less, is relatively greater. In Massachusetts in 1883 it cost 4.6 cents to transport a bushel of wheat 64 miles; the cost in Connecticut for transporting the same quantity of grain 62 miles was 7 cents; in Pennsylvania, 60 miles, 4.2 cents, and in Ohio, 60 miles, 5 cents. Of course the conditions may not have been the same. Farther west we find Kansas paying 4.2 cents per bushel for transporting a bushel of wheat 40 miles, and Massachusetts, for the same service, 36 miles, 2.2 cents, while California pays 5.3 cents per bushel for 50 miles."

The committee finds that there has not been the same reduction in local rates as in through rates; in a majority of cases the local rates have not been reduced at all. In Massachusetts and Connecticut rates have steadily declined since 1874. In Ohio they declined from 1.446 cents per ton per mile in 1868 to .8750 of a cent in 1883. In Michigan the average rate per ton per mile in 1874 was 1.37 cents, and in 1882 it had declined to 1.09 cents per ton per mile. On the principal railroads of Iowa, Wisconsin, Missouri, Minnesota, Nebraska and California there has also been considerable decrease since 1874.

Turning to foreign countries the committee finds that during the seven years from 1836 to 1842, inclusive, the United States supplied less than one per cent. of the wheat imported into the United Kingdom; in the period from 1843 to 1882, inclusive, it supplied nearly fifty-four per cent.; from less than 1,000,000 bushels it increased to about 503,000,000 bushels, or about two-thirds the total wheat exported from the United States during the latter period.

One of the most important features of the report is the showing in tabular form of the prices of wheat for a series of years in the principal countries of the world. The average yearly prices of wheat was lowest in India, ranging from 85 cents per bushel at Calcutta to $1.02 at Bombay, between 1878 and 1883. Russia comes next, the average for the decade being $.128 per bushel at Warsaw, $1.17 at St. Petersburg and $1.15 at Odessa. Austria ranks third in the following order: Buda Pesth, $1.18 per bushel; Vienna, $1.29; Trieste, $1.36, and Prague, $1.38. The average price of wheat at Algiers was for the entire period covered in the inquiry $1.28 per bushel; at Smyrna, $1.29, and at Beirut, $1.41. In Germany, Bremen enjoys the lowest price, $1.36 per bushel; Stettin, $1.70; Aachen, $1.60; Cologne, $1.50; Breslau, $1.49; Leipsic, $1.42; Stuttgardt, $1.45. The average price at the principal grain port of England was $1.50. In France, Rouen and Nantes are the cheapest wheat ports, the average prices being $1.48 and $1.50 per bushel respectively, while Bordeaux reaches $1.54 and Marseilles $1.61.

BILLS APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The President has approved the bills to extend the free delivery system at the Post-Office Department, and to modify the postal money order system; also, the act providing for a public building at Springfield, Mass., and the act for the relief of the survivors and relatives of victims of the Jeannette artic expedition.

The Vanderbilts Win.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 4.—In the Federal court the decision was yesterday made that the first mortgage on the Nickel-Plate road is illegal, the bond-holders being only general creditors to the amount of $15,000,000. The road was therefore sold under the second mortgage for $10,000,000. The validity of car-trust certificates for $4,000,000 was affirmed. The consolidation of five State corporations into the company was pronounced illegal. The decision is a complete victory for the Vanderbilts.

An Alliance.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—The Paris correspondent of the London *Times* again affirms his recent statement that Russia and Germany have concluded a direct alliance. Russia binds herself to remain neutral in case of a war between France and Germany in consideration of German neutrality should Russia and Austria come together.

Minnesota's Vote.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 4.—The official count for State officers was made Monday, giving McGill, Republican, for Governor, 107,064, and Ames, Democrat, 104,664. Mr. Ames was present, but made no attempt to be sworn in, and declines to state what his intentions are.

Shocks of Earthquake.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 4.—Earthquake shocks and loud rumblings early Monday morning disturbed and excited the inhabitants of towns in Western Maryland. As the country is mountainous, a volcanic upheaval is feared.

So firm is the ice in the St. Lawrence that teams are crossing between Kingston and Cape Vincent, a distance of twelve miles.

THE COST OF LIVING.

Statistics Show That There Was a Slight Reduction During the Past Year.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—From tables prepared by the *American Grocer* it appears that the wholesale cost of staple articles of food were, with one or two exceptions, lower than in 1885. Higher prices have ruled for some of the luxuries, such as coffee and canned goods, but as the advance was made mostly during the last quarter of the year, it has not, to any appreciable extent, influenced the cost of living. Consumers never before commanded a greater variety of food, and of such high quality, as in 1886. Wages are good, and the buyer can get more for them to-day than at any previous time in a generation. Certainly there is no cause for grievance so far as the food supply is concerned.

Sugar has declined 1 cent per pound; rice, 1 to 1¼ cents; tea, 2 to 3 cents; butter has averaged 4 11-15 to 2¾ cents per pound higher; cheese, 1½ cent higher on medium and lower grades; eggs, 1¼ cents per dozen lower; pork, $1.50 per barrel lower; lard, ¼ cent per pound lower. Flour has averaged $4.43 per barrel for straight winter wheat, being the lowest average price on record. Wheat sold at an average of 1 to 2 cents per bushel above the cost for two preceding years. Canned goods range from 10 to 20 per cent. higher for most sorts.

FOREIGN COINS.

The Secretary of the Treasury to Issue a Circular Declaring Their Value in the United States.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The Director of the Mint has estimated, and the Secretary of the Treasury will proclaim on January 1, the values of the foreign coins of the world, to be taken in estimating the value of all foreign merchandise imported into the United States on or after January 1, 1887. The changes from the circular of last year are in the value of silver coins, the price of silver having declined from an average of $1.03 per ounce fine to $1, the latter being the average price of silver in London for the three months ending December 31, 1886, a decline of over three cents an ounce.

The values of the coins are fixed as follows: Austria, florin, 35.9 cents; Boliver, boliviano, 72.7 cents; Ecuador, sucre, 72.7 cents; India, rupee, 34.6 cents; Japan, silver yen, 78.4 cents; Mexico, dollar, 79.0 cents; Peru, sol, 72.7 cents; Russia, ruble, 58.2 cents; Tripoli, mahbub, 65.6 cents; United States of Colombia, peso, 72.7 cents.

THE FAILURE RECORD.

A Slight Falling Off in the Number of Unlucky Ventures in Business During the Past Year.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The weekly review of a commercial agency in this city says:

The statistics of failures for the entire year of 1886, up till noon of the last day of the year, show a slight falling of as compared with 1885. The number of business failures in the United States is 9,834, as compared with 10,637 in the year 1885, a decrease of 803 failures. The total liabilities of the failures of 1886 are $114,000,000, as compared with $124,000,000 in 1885, a decrease of $10,000,000. The number of traders reported in business in 1886 in the United States is 969,841. Of these one trader in every ninety-eight failed. In 1885 there were 919,993 traders, and of these, in that year, one trader in every eighty-six failed. The average liabilities per failure in 1886 is $11,651, as against an average in 1885 of $11,678."

"Jim Cummings" Jailed.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 3.—Fred Wittrock, alias "Jim Cummings," the Adams express-car robber, was turned over to the chief of police of this city Saturday by Robert Pinkerton, after a sachel containing $40,000 of the stolen money had been handed over to the Adams Express Company. Wittrock claims to have carried out the robbery alone, and maintains that Fotheringham is innocent. There is still some $7,000 or $8,000 missing, of which the Pinkertons expect to recover the greater portion. Oscar Cook was placed under arrest Saturday at Kansas City on charges of receiving money and valuables obtained in the express-car robbery.

Products of Indiana Mines.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 31.—The State Mine Inspector made his annual report Thursday. The product of the Indiana coal mines for the year has been 3,000,000 tons, an increase of 25,000 tons over last year. The mining capital has been increased $125,000, and is now $1,975,000. Seven fatal and eight non-fatal accidents in mines have occurred, against a total of thirty-two last year.

A World's Fair for the Negroes.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 3.—A memorial to Congress has been forwarded to the Alabama Senators at Washington for an appropriation for the Colored People's World's Fair, to be held in Birmingham in the autumn of 1887. The memorial is signed by all classes of white people in the city, including those of every important business interest of the community.

Slowly Passing Away.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The family of John Roach, the ship-builder, authorizes the statement that Mr. Roach is dying of epithelioma. The development of the disease has been very similar to the case of General Grant, the location of the cancer being, however, the roof of the mouth instead of the throat.

New Gold at the Mint.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 31.—The report made Thursday by Chief Clerk Tallant, of the United States Mint, shows the value of new gold received during 1886 to be $1,444,706.29. This amount does not include the value of mint bars redeposited.

A Site Offered.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—The City Council has prepared an ordinance ceding to Mrs. Logan a portion of the Lake front as a burial site for her late husband and herself, provided the offer be accepted within six months.

Quick Time.

HAVRE, Jan. 4.—The steamer La Champagne sailed from New York on Christmas and landed her passengers at this port on New Year's Day. The feat is an unprecedented one.

Strike Statistics.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 31.—A Milwaukee statistician computes that there were 5,000 separate strikes during 1886, and that the loss to the country, labor and capital was near $25,000,000.

Shot Himself and His Wife.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—Fred Spactx, of 66 Charlton street, Newark, shot his wife dead Sunday evening and then shot himself, but will recover. Jealousy was the cause of the tragedy. Spactx is a hatter, and his wife was employed as a cook.

Fatal Explosion.

AKRON, O., Jan. 3.—Two boilers in the Empire Mower and Reaper Works exploded Friday forenoon. One of the employes is dead, another is fatally hurt, and three or four others are badly injured.

A Palace Destroyed.

ROME, Jan. 4.—The fire in the Odescalchi palace Sunday was caused by the lights on a Christmas tree. The loss was $1,000,000.

BOREAL BLASTS.

The Country Experiencing the Coldest Weather of the Season.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—The thermometer Sunday ranged from 5 to 15 degrees below zero. At four o'clock this morning it was 8 below. At other points in Illinois the degree of cold reached was as follows, each being below zero: Mattoon, 25; Shelbyville, 27; Hillsboro, Geneseo and Bloomington, 25; Tolono, Paris and Decatur, 24; Peoria, 26; Atlanta, 30; Springfield, 22; Centralia, 15.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—The heavy snowfall just east has seriously interfered with travel, and the delay of the trains on the great trunk lines has been both protracted and most inconvenient. The western trains were nearly all on good time yesterday, not varying more than thirty minutes from schedule. The eastern ones, however, were all late from two to eight hours. This provoking and trying train blockade is due to the great snow-drifts encountered in Michigan, a heavy snow having been succeeded by high winds, in turn succeeded by piercing cold.

TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 4.—A cold spell prevails throughout Ontario, the mercury ranging from 10 to 33 degrees below zero.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Jan. 4.—In several places in this county yesterday morning the thermometer registered 40 degrees below zero, which is the coldest weather of this season.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 4.—A cold wave from the United States struck the valley of Mexico early yesterday morning. Thin ice formed in several places in the city. There was a remarkably sudden change in the temperature within a few hours.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Jan. 3.—Prof. Snow, State Meteorologist, sums up his report for December as follows: This was the coldest December since 1878, its average temperature being usually low. There have been two colder Decembers in the last nineteen years—1872 and 1878. The rainfall was only half the average amount, thus fitly closing the dryest year on our record.

DELAVAN, Ia., Jan. 3.—The mercury stood at 34 degrees below zero at six o'clock Sunday morning, being the lowest for several years.

Another Disaster at Sea.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The British steamer Cranbrook, which left Newport, Eng., November 30, for New York, is believed by her agents in this city to have been lost with all on board during the December gales. She was commanded by Captain Smith, formerly of the British steamship Beaconsfield, and well known in maritime circles, and had a crew of thirty men. She was valued at $50,000, and her cargo of steel rails at $85,000, all of which is covered by insurance.

The Bank Is Liable.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—In the case of Prather and others, doing business as the Nodaway Valley Bank, against Preston, Kean & Co., Judge Gresham held that the defendants were careless in keeping $12,000 in United States Government bonds with which Ker, the defaulting cashier, ran away to Peru. The bonds are worth about $18,000 now in principal and interest. Preston, Kean & Co. are ordered to pay the amount.

Cooley's Appointments.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4.—Receiver Cooley has appointed William Duncan general traffic manager of the Wabash lines under his control; K. H. Wade, general superintendent and G. W. Stevens assistant; S. W. Snow general passenger agent, F. I. Whitney auditor and W. B. Corneau treasurer. The general offices will be located in Chicago.

The Ship Duke of Connaught Sunk.

LONDON, Jan 4.—The name of the ship sunk in the collision with the steamer Dragoman off Bardsey was the Duke of Connaught. She had a crew of twenty-one men and seventeen of them were drowned. The Dragoman had her bows stove in and is otherwise injured.

A Month's Losses by Fire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 4.—The New York *Daily Commercial Bulletin* estimates the December fire loss in the United States and Canada at $11,200,000, and the loss during 1886 at $116,600,000. This is largely in excess of previous figures, both as regards the month of December and the year.

An Appeal to the Press.

LONDON, Jan. 4.—Mr. Gladstone, Cardinal Manning, the Earl of Selborne, the Duke of Westminster, Cannon Farrar, Prof. Tyndall, the Archbishop of Canterbury and others have signed an appeal to the press not to publish the details of divorce and criminal trials.

The Express Robbers Indicted.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 4.—Indictments for highway robbery were yesterday found against Wittrock, Haight and Weaver, and it is expected that they will to-day plead guilty and receive sentence. The plunder still unrecovered is $12,000.

Pleas of Not Guilty.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 4.—Arensdorf and five others, charged with murder and conspiracy in the Haddock affair, appeared in court Monday and entered pleas of not guilty.

Michael Davitt and Miss Yore Married.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Michael Davitt, the famous "one-armed patriot" of Ireland, was united in marriage to Miss Mamie Yore at Oakland yesterday morning.

The vault in the bank of Wick Brothers & Co. at Youngstown, O., became filled with gas during Sunday. When a match was struck there occurred an explosion which tore out the front and side of the building and seriously burned the bookkeeper.

Falley & Hoes, extensive boot and shoe manufacturers at Lafayette, Ind., made a transfer of their assets Monday to James B. Falley, as trustee. The liabilities are $150,000, while the available assets are scheduled at $227,000.

A man dressed in a dark suit of clothes committed suicide at Niagara Falls Monday evening, by jumping from the railway suspension bridge into the rapids, a distance of 195 feet.

The Wisconsin State officers were quietly inaugurated Monday at Madison, there being no festivities, as a mark of respect to the late General Logan.

The ice in the Straits of Mackinaw is strong enough to bear horses. It is reported as the earliest freezing of the Straits in years.

Upton & Co., farm implements at Cedar Rapids, Ia., failed Monday for $75,000. The assets are estimated at between $40,000 and $50,000.

The decrease in the public debt during December was $9,358,202. The interest-bearing bonds now amount to $1,130,494,462.

Calmen's grocery and the *Times* block at Fargo, D. T., were gutted by fire Monday, entailing a loss of $42,000.

An explosion of gas at the barracks in Portsmouth, Eng., killed four men and injured many others.

William Stemmer, proprietor of the Montgomery Oil Works at Norristown, Pa., failed Monday for $5[illegible],000.

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"What is a hero?" asks an exchange. A hero is a man who can pass a crowd of boys engaged in making snowballs without turning his head to make sure that they have no designs on him.—New Haven News.

A woman is bound to have the last word. When the editor of The Peavine remonstrated with the principal contributor to the Poet's Corner of his valuable sheet for writing on both sides of her paper, she quietly retorted. "Well, and don't you print on both sides of yours?"—Boston Transcript.

A New York paper speaks of "a dangerous highwayman," and the inference is to be drawn that highwaymen are innocuous. What an amount of information one acquires by reading the newspapers!—Boston Transcript.

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Lady—Why so, Mary Ann?
Nurse—Well, mum, the baby's gettin' old.
Lady—I don't see what difference that makes.
Nurse—Why, ye see, mum, the baby's gettin' to be a blonde, an' oi'm a brunette. We don't look well together. Yez'll have to dye the baby, mum, or I must leave yez.—Chicago Ramble.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$ 272,771 59
Bonds and Mortgages	175,237 91
U. S. 4 per cent. Registered Bonds	11,400 00
Overdrafts	441 22
Furniture and Fixtures	1,930 85
Due from National and State Banks	87,098 01
Cash on hand	35,983 74
	$ 581,863 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 50,000 00
Surplus Fund	50,000 00
Profit and Loss	15,388 72
January Dividend	2,680 00
Due Depositors	466,794 60
	$ 581,863 32

I do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of January, 1887.
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Michigan Central

Time Table.—Taking effect Nov. 14, 1886.

GOING EAST.—STANDARD TIME.

Stations.	*M'l	*D'y Ex.	†N.Y L.Ex	†Atl. Ex.	†N gt Ex.	*Pac Ex
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Chicago	6 50	9 00	3 10	8 15	9 10	
Michigan City	9 15	11 11	4 58	10 18	P. M. 11 23	
		P. M.			A. M.	
Buchanan	10 20	12 03	.....	.....	12 37	
Niles	10 38	12 15	5 49	11 13	12 55	
Decatur	11 27	12 58	.....	.....	1 42	
	P. M.			A. M.		A. M.
Kalamazoo	12 17	1 50	6 58	12 33	2 35	6 45
Battle Creek	1 12	2 27	7 33	1 30	3 20	7 31
Marshall..Arrive	1 40	2 50	.....	.....	.....	.....
" Leave	2 00	3 10	7 54	1 58	3 43	7 57
Albion	2 25	3 32	.....	2 23	4 05	8 20
Jackson	3 10	4 18	8 47	3 10	4 45	9 15
Grass Lake	3 38	.....	.....	.....	5 13	9 34
Chelsea	3 50	.....	.....	.....	5 38	9 53
Dexter	4 12	.....	.....	.....	5 50	10 07
ANN ARBOR	4 33	5 30	9 45	4 35	6 08	10 25
Ypsilanti	4 50	5 45	9 56	4 52	6 24	10 40
Wayne Junction	5 15	6 05	.....	5 15	6 47	11 03
West Detroit	5 50	6 35	10 35	5 50	7 20	11 45
Detroit....Arrive	6 00	6 45	10 45	6 00	7 30	11 45

GOING WEST.

Stations.	*M'l	*D'y Ex.	F. W. Ex.	*GRA K ex	†Evg Ex.	†Pac Ex.
	A. M	A. M.	P. M	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Detroit.....Leave	7 00	9 10	1 30	4 00	8 00	9 15
West Detroit	7 10	9 20	1 40	4 10	8 10	9 25
Wayne Junction	7 40	9 53	2 03	4 45	8 37	9 55
Ypsilanti	8 01	10 12	2 20	5 12	8 58	10 20
ANN ARBOR	8 16	10 25	2 32	5 30	9 12	10 38
Dexter	8 35	.....	.....	5 50	9 32	.....
Chelsea	8 48	.....	.....	6 05	9 52	.....
Grass Lake	9 10	.....	.....	6 27	10 15	A. M.
Jackson	9 35	11 32	3 32	7 10	10 52	12 08
Albion	10 15	12 10	4 03	7 53	11 27	12 42
		P. M.			.....	
Marshall..Arrive	.....	12 30	.....		11 47	1 04
" Leave	10 38	12 40	4 22	8 20	A. M.	
Battle Creek	11 03	1 12	4 40	8 52	12 12	1 35
Kalamazoo	11 52	1 50	5 15	9 45	1 20	2 35
	P. M.			P. M.		
Decatur	12 40	.....	.....		2 12	.....
Niles	1 40	3 22	6 27		3 03	4 18
Buchanan	1 53	3 34	.....		3 18	.....
Michigan City	2 58	4 35	7 32		4 32	5 40
Chicago	5 15	6 40	9 30		7 00	8 05
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Canada Division.

GOING EAST.—DETROIT TO BUFFALO.

Stations.	Pac. NY.EX	N. Y. L. Ex	M'l & Ac'da.	Atl Ex.	B&NY Ex.
	P. M	P. M	A. M	A. M.	P. M.
Detroit.....Lv.	†7 15	*10 55	†5 00	*6 10	*12 05
St. Thomas, Ar.	11 05	2 07	10 10	9 40	3 25
" Leave	11 10	2 12	1 00	9 50	3 30
Welland	1 53	4 42	5 12	12 44	6 06
Falls View	.....	.....	Runs	1 14	.....
Niagara Falls	2 22	5 08	via Ft	1 23	6 35
Susp. Bridge	2 35	5 20	Er. D.	1 40	6 50
Buffalo .....Ar.	3 35	6 15	6 25	2 45	7 50
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

Canada Division.

GOING WEST.—BUFFALO TO DETROIT.

Stations.	Chi. Ex.	Fast W.Ex	M'l & Acc.	Amer Ex.	Pac. Ex.
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Buffalo..... Leave	*11 30	*5 45	†6 05	†9 00	*11 35
Susp. Bridge...Ar	12 30	6 43	Runs via		12 38
Niagara Falls	12 45	6 55	Ft. Erie		12 56
Falls View	.....	7 04	Division.		1 05
Welland	1 10	7 26	7 10	10 05	1 33
St. Thomas....Ar.	4 10	9 55	11 15	1 10	4 35
" Lv.	4 15	10 00	3 00	1 15	4 45
Detroit.....Arrive	8 05	1 05	8 45	5 20	8 45
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan R'y.

Time Table going into effect Sunday, Nov. 28, '86.

Going North. 4. Ex.	6. Pass.	2. M'l.	STATIONS. Standard Time.		Going South. 1. Ex.	3. Pass.	5. M'l.
P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	LV'E	[ARR	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
3 15	6 10	5 15	.....Toledo.....		9 20	1 30	11 30
4 00	7 42	6 05	Monroe Junct'n		8 45	12 45	10 33
4 10	8 02	6 15	.....Dundee.....		8 32	12 36	10 22
4 31	8 44	6 35	.....Milan.....		8 06	12 13	10 00
4 52	9 40	7 00	.....Pittsfield		7 37	11 43	9 40
5 10	10 02	7 13	..Ann Arbor..		7 13	11 30	9 30
5 30	10 30	7 30	.....Leland's.....		6 45	11 12	9 10
5 45	P. M.	7 48	Whitmore Lake		A. M.	10 58	8 58
5 58	.....	7 55	..... Hamburg.....		.....	10 52	8 53
6 28	.....	8 30	.....Howell.....		.....	10 20	8 15
7 20	.....	9 30	.....Durand.....		.....	9 30	7 00
7 45	.....	10 03	.....Corunna.....		.....	9 08	6 38
7 55	.....	10 15	.....Owosso.....		.....	9 00	6 32
9 15	.....	11 35	.....Ithaca.....		.....	7 46	5 15
9 33	.....	11 52	.....St. Louis.....		.....	7 27	4 57
9 41	.....	11 59	.....Alma.....		.....	7 20	4 50
10 30	.....	12 45	...Mt. Pleasant.....		.....	6 30	4 00
P. M.		P. M.				A. M	P. M.

All passenger trains run daily except Sunday. Connections at Toledo with railroads diverging. At Manhattan Junction with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R. At Alexis Junction with M. C. R. R., L. S. & M. S. R'y and F. & P. M. R. R. At Monroe Junction with L. S. & M. S. R'y. At Dundee with L. S. & M. S., and M. & O. Ry. At Milan with W., St. L. & P. Ry. At Pittsfield with L. S. & M. S. R'y. At Ann Arbor with Michigan Central R. R., and at South Lyon with Detroit, Lansing and Northern R. R., and G. T. Ry.

H. W. ASHLEY, Superintendent. W. H. BENNETT, Gen. Passenger Agent.

Detroit, Mackinac & Marquette R. R.

Only direct route between the East and South and the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

WEST. Read Down.		TIME TABLE, In effect June 21, 1886.		EAST. Read up.	
†A. M.	†P. M.	L'VE	[ARR.	†A. M.	P. M.
9:00	6:05	.....Detroit.....		10:45	9:00
†P. M.	†A. M.	L'VE.	[ARR.	P. M.	A. M.
10:30	6:50	.....St. Ignace 1.....		8:30	6:00
2:56	9:40	.....Seney.....		5:15	1:38
7:00	12:40	.....Marquette 2.....		*2:15	†9:30
		ARR.]	[L'VE.		
A. M.	P. M.	L'VE.	[ARR.	P. M.	P. M.
8:00	12:50	.....Marquette.....		2:00	6:10
8:35	1:40	.....Negaunee.....		1:25	5:32
8:50	1:55	.....Ishpeming.....		12:58	5:20
.....	5:30	.....Houghton.....		9:20	.....
.....	5:50	.....Hancock.....		9:01	.....
.....	6:35	....Calumet.....		†8:15	.....
A. M.	P. M.	ARR.]	[L'VE.	A. M.	P. M

Mixed train leaves St. Ignace at 7:00 a. m., arrives Marquette 5:30 p. m.; leaves Marquette 7:00 a. m. arrives St. Ignace 5:55 p m.

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Report of the condition of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank at Ann Arbor, Michigan, on Saturday, July Third (3) A. D, 1886, made in accordance with Sections 18, 19, and 67 of the General Banking Laws as amended in 1871.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$ 165,992 57
Overdrafts	549 32
Furniture and Fixtures	3,497 00
Due from Banks and Bankers	24,225 36
Legal Tender and Bank Notes	4,975 00
Bonds, U. S.	4,400 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	735 25
Bonds, Local	2,836 07
Specie	3,350 00
Frac. Currency, Nickels and Pennies	67 15
	$210,627 72

LIABILITIES.

Capital paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus Fund	3,485 88
Undivided Profits	86 13
Due Depositors	155,355 71
Dividends	1,750 00
	$210,627 72

I do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM A. TOLCHARD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Sixth day of July, 1886.

O. L. MATTHEWS, Notary Public.

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ANOTHER SUDDEN DEATH.

Hardly a week passes without the mention by the newspapers of sudden deaths, and of late the alarming frequency of the statement that death was caused by rheumatism or neuralgia of the heart cannot fail to have been noticed. In all probability many deaths attributed to heart disease are caused by these terrible diseases, which are far more dangerous than is generally considered. Is there any positive cure? The best answer to such a question is given by those who *have been cured* by the use of Athlophoros.

Mrs. Carrie Lee, Kenosha, Wis., says: "I don't believe any one ever suffered with rheumatism as I did and lived; in fact neither I nor my people expected to see me walk about again, and at times despaired of my life. I was stricken during the month of January. I had taken a severe cold in the cars on my way to Chicago; I had returned home, when one evening I was taken so suddenly that in a few minutes from its first appearance I was so prostrated that I had to be carried to my bed-room, where I remained until the following May. During the interval of January and May the suffering I bore could not be described. I was treated by the best physicians, also had different ones in consultation without any material change. My arms and limbs were drawn in such shape that I could not lie down, and was helpless to assist myself in any way. I was in the constant care of a nurse both night and day. One of the nurses I had applied magnetism, but that was a failure. I commenced taking Athlophoros, and could feel its effects upon me as soon as I commenced taking it. It was certainly marvelous. I was soon able to straighten my limbs, and when I had taken five bottles I was free from rheumatism."

Every druggist should keep Athlophoros and Athlophoros Pills, but where they cannot be bought of the druggist the Athlophoros Co., 112 Wall St., New York, will send either (carriage paid) on receipt of regular price, which is $1.00 per bottle for Athlophoros and 50c. for Pills.

For liver and kidney diseases, dyspepsia, indigestion, weakness, nervous debility, diseases of women, constipation, headache, impure blood, &c., Athlophoros Pills are unequaled.

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PHILIP H. WELCH.

The subject of the above illustration is known as the "Queer Wrinkle" man of The New York Sun. Mr. Welch was born in Angelica, Allegany county, N. Y., in 1849, and now at the age of 37 years, and after but five years of journalistic service, is at the head of his special line of work. He was commercially educated and for twelve years was connected with the hardware business in New York, eight years of which time were spent as a commercial traveler through the west and south. His entry into journalism was through the last door by which a funny man is looked for—that of plain dry statistics. Leaving New York through business changes, he located in Oil City, Pa., and thence quite by chance sent oil market reports to Bradstreets. One or two other brief connections with newspapers followed till the fall of '82. But a little over a year from the time his maiden manuscript was printed Mr. Welch went on the Rochester Post-Express as associate editor. Here he developed his gift for humorous writing. In a short time "The Present Hour" department of the Post-Express began to be largely quoted by the press. In September, 1883, the Philadelphia Call wanted and got him. He became a member of the initial staff of that paper, and from the first issue its "Accidentally Overheard" column was widely recognized. A few months later, in the June following, the transfer to The New York Sun was made, since which time his "Queer Wrinkles" have achieved a national reputation.

Mr. Welch's humor has a fine, dry flavor, and the chestnut bell is rarely rung in his face. His work is characterized by a touch of human nature which elevates it above mere joking and gives it more than a transitory effect. He possesses to a remarkable degree the quality of conciseness of expression and leaves enough to the imagination of his reader to pay him the subtle compliment of penetration.

For something over a year Mr. Welch had been troubled with cancer of the tongue, and was finally compelled to undergo a severe surgical operation. The greater part of his tongue was taken out. The operation was successfully performed last July, and while his speech is somewhat impaired he can make himself plainly understood.

The following are a few of Mr. Welch's paragraphs that have been published by The New York Sun:

A CAREFUL HOUSEWIFE.

A woman was in a grocery store looking at roller pins.

"You may give me two of them," she said.

"Two of them?" queried the clerk.

"Yes. I want to keep one of them clean for bread.

TWO OF A KIND.

A slim youth, accompanied by a pug dog and chain attachment, met a young lady on Fifth avenue whom he knew. He walked by her side until her residence was gained, when she invited him in.

"Aw—thawnks awfully; much pleased I'm suah," he said; "but—er—the dog, y'know——"

"Oh, the dog won't make the slightest difference. Dear little fellow. Mamma will be glad to see you both."

FORTUNATE FOR GEORGE.

"Do I love George," mused Clara, softly, "or is it simply a sister's affection that I feel for——"

Just then Bobby burst noiselessly into the room and interrupted her sweet meditations.

"Get out of here, you little brat!" she shouted, and seizing him by the arm shot him through the door.

"Ah, no," she sighed, as she resumed her interrupted train of thought, "my love for George is not a sister's love. It is something sweeter, purer, higher and holier."

ANXIOUS TO BE ENTERTAINED.

Bobby (to young Featherly, who is making an evening call)—Will you speak a little French for me before you go, Mr. Featherly?

Featherly (smiling)—Certainly, Bobby, if you wish it.

Bobby—I do. Ma says your French is very amusing.

An interesting point about Mr. Welch's work is that he is paid by the piece for it, his pay being from $2 to $3 per item—never less than $2. Another illustration of the way in which his humor is appreciated is the fact that nearly all of his work is translated into the French papers and published there as original. Some American papers translate it back into English under the title of "French Fun." When the jokes get back into English the second time "then," Mr. Welch says, "they are funny."

Republican Nominee for Governor of Michigan.

Cyrus G. Luce, nominated by the Republicans for governor of Michigan, was born in Ohio in 1824. His parents moved to northern Indiana in 1836, where he was educated in the common schools and at the Ontario seminary. When 24 years of age he was nominated to the Whig legislature and was only defeated by a small majority. In 1849 he removed to Gilead, Mich., where he settled down as a farmer. He was elected to the Michigan state legislature.

CYRUS G. LUCE.

At the outbreak of the civil war he was commissioned colonel of the First regiment of Nebraska volunteers. For meritorious services at Fort Donelson and Shiloh he was promoted to the rank of brigadier general of volunteers. Having distinguished himself at Vicksburg and Chickasaw Bayou he was raised to the further rank of major general of volunteers. On the admission of Nebraska as a state he took a seat in congress as senator for the term ending in 1871. In 1875 he was appointed governor of Wyoming territory.

I am just beginning to be aware of the extreme desirability of inviting as little attention as the exigencies of life will allow.—Signor Max in Detroit Free Press.

THE WYANDOT MISSION CHURCH.

The First Mission Church of Episcopal Methodism in the World.

One of the most interesting landmarks in the country is situated near Upper Sandusky, Ohio. It is said to be the first mission church of Episcopal Methodism in the world. It was built in 1824 by James B. Finley, the missionary to the Wyandots. The money with which it was constructed, $1,333.33, came out of the United States treasury through the influence of John C. Calhoun, then secretary of war. It was a substantial building of blue limestone and oak, with walnut trimmings. Taken altogether it was said to be a model church.

In 1842 a treaty was effected by which the Wyandot Indians were removed to a reservation west of the Mississippi, the United States government agreeing that the mission church and the ground around it containing the graves of its dead congregation should remain forever consecrated to the purpose for which it was originally designed. "In order, therefore," the agreement read, "that the object of the aforesaid reservation may be secured and carried out, we request that the Methodist Episcopal church take possession thereof and appoint trustees over the same according to its rules and regulations."

THE WYANDOT MISSION CHURCH, 1860.

What have the trustees of the church done to preserve this most interesting relic? One of our pictures shows the condition of the church in 1860, from a picture copyrighted by N. B. C. Love, and used here by permission. Our second picture is from a recent photograph, and shows what time and the elements have been permitted to do with the edifice. All visitors to Upper Sandusky go to see the ruins of the old mission, which may be said to be the oldest monument to the work of the foreign missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, and the remark is often made that a society which raises so many millions of dollars for missionary work might appropriate a few dollars annually to the care of this relic.

THE WYANDOT MISSION TO-DAY.

The church, it appears, is waiting for the state to act in the matter, as Congressmen Geddes and Finley, aided by Senator Sherman, have endeavored to obtain government aid to the extent of $6,000 to rebuild the church. A bill appropriating that amount passed the house, but was swamped in the senate. Between the apathy of congress and the neglect of the church this beautiful ruin is likely to crumble into further decay until there will not be left even the walls for vandals to desecrate, as they now do with anything but Biblical inscriptions.

Republican Candidate for Governor of New Jersey.

Benjamin F. Howey, the Republican nominee for governor of New Jersey, was a member of the Forty-eighth congress from the Fourth district, the adjoining one to Congressman Green's, his Democratic opponent. He, too, is a native of the state, and was born in Gloucester county in 1828. His uncle was the first governor of New Jersey elected under the constitution adopted in 1846. After completing a common school education, he went to Philadelphia, and was engaged in mercantile pursuits for a number of years. In 1855 he made his home in Warren county, and engaged in quarrying slate—a business in which he is yet interested. Mr. Howey was captain of Company G, Thirty-first regiment of New Jersey volunteers. His political career began when, in 1878, he was elected sheriff of Warren county as a Republican. He was the first Republican ever elected to an office in the county. In 1882 he was elected to congress, and served one term.

BENJAMIN F. HOWEY.

Brant Memorial Celebration.

The flourishing town of Brantford, Ont., Dominion of Canada, has had a notable week. It was about the Brant Memorial, and the visit of the Blackfeet chiefs Crowfoot and Three Bulls to the town.

The Blackfeet tribe are a fine old race of Indians, pets of the Canadians, especially Crowfoot. Joseph Brant was the especial pet of the Canadians about 100 years ago. He was chief of the Mohawk tribe, and took the side of England during the revolution. He dealt the Yankee side some stalwart blows, and was as bloody a savage in those days as ever whirled a tomahawk. He was born in 1742, and his Indian name was Thayendanega. He was a leading spirit in the frightful massacre of Cherry Valley, Oct. 11, 1778. His celebration at Brantford took place exactly 108 years afterward. In the Cherry Valley massacre all the women and children were killed. British officers were at the head of the band of Indians.

BRANT MONUMENT.

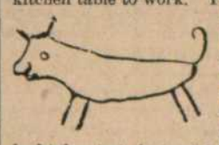
After the war, however, Brant got awfully good and pious. He used all his influence to maintain peace, became a red hot teetotaler and prohibitionist among Indians, and translated the Prayer Book and part of the Testament into the Mohawk tongue. The county of Brant, in Ontario province, and the flourishing town of Brantford were named for him.

EASY LESSONS IN ART.

Brush Work Should Be Studied While Ready Mixed Paint Is Cheap.

Next to thumping a piano and being able to speak twenty-one different words in French, every young lady should know how to draw and paint. Nothing makes a house look more homelike than 150 elegant oil paintings hung on the walls. While the art of painting furnishes more or less amusement, it can be turned to a source of profit at any time. The tea stores will always pay $3 a hundred for works of merit, and leading citizens are ever ready to catch up anything which is sold by the yard at a bargain.

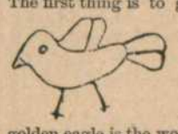
It is a mistake to suppose that one must be born an artist. All that is needed to draw a good picture is a lead pencil and room at the kitchen table to work. You don't even have to press it with a hot flatiron when completed. We hereby append a sample of etching produced by a young lady who had taken but forty-eight lessons. It is entitled "A Scene in the Alps," and has received the unstinted praise of scores of critics. The idea of becoming an etchist was suggested to the young lady by her mother, who realized that she might marry a man earning $8 or $10 a week and would see the need of those things.



It is just as easy to paint as to draw or etch. Brushes can be had for from five cents up to $1, and ready mixed paint is only $2 a gallon. This picture is entitled, "A storm at Sea," and was drawn and painted by a girl only 28 years old. Her teacher, who has been giving her lessons for the last seventeen years, says that she is a natural artist. The picture was painted in three different colors—green, black and carmine—and the effect was grand. When the light of a kerosene lamp is flung upon it at just the right angle it would be taken for a Rubens.

In painting a picture care should be taken not to inscribe the title on the canvas. In case this is done it will have to pass for one thing alone. If the title is left off it can represent a dozen different things.

The rage for plaque and plate painting still continues. One can buy a set of white china dinner plates on Monday and have them all ready for the table by Wednesday, if desired. The first thing is to give them a couple of coats of sky blue or bright red paint for a ground, and then decorate them with game, birds or fish. This picture of a golden eagle is the work of a young miss of 24 summers, who took up painting simply to amuse herself, while her mother was splitting the wood and doing the washing. She was offered $50 each for the plates when finished, but indignantly spurned the offer.



A rabbit is a favorite picture for decorating dinner sets, principally because the average family has rabbit for dinner once in about fifteen years. Many amateurs are bothered to find a good engraving of the cunning little animal, and we therefore append one. He is supposed to be gamboling on the green, and in transferring him to a dinner plate great care should be taken not to change his position, which is everything in a rabbit. The same picture, if one desires to kill two birds with one stone, can be turned upside down and called "The Dying Gladiator."—A. Raphael in Detroit Free Press.

Not Admitted to the Lime Kiln Club.

The chairman of the committee on membership of the Lime Kiln club reported that his committee was obliged to report against the following candidates for the causes herewith appended:

Professor Digitalis, of Alabama, for suddenly appearing among his friends with about forty bird shot imbedded in his back, and for being unable to explain their presence in a satisfactory manner. He claimed to have been run over by an ice wagon, but this committee never saw an ice wagon loaded with that kind of ammunition.

The Hon. Castigation Pomfret, of Richmond, Va., was found in a smokehouse belonging to a citizen of the suburbs, and claimed to be studying architecture. While this committee seeks to encourage all professions, it believes in the eternal fitness of things. No burglar should go about doing business by daylight, and no architect should take midnight to post himself on the internal arrangements of a hamhouse.—Detroit Free Press.

A Dakota Contemporary.

"By an unfortunate typographical error," says a Dakota newspaper, "we were made to say last week that our distinguished townsman, Prof. Kennedy, was about to rig up a nobby balloon for the comfort and enjoyment of his daughter on her wedding trip over the prairies. What we meant to say was a nobby balloon. We write this with our left hand while lying on our spare bed, with one eye entirely closed and the other hand painted, and an inverted chair across our stomach for a writing table. The extent of our regret for the blunder may be measured by the difficulties we have surmounted in penning this explanation."—Hudson Register.

Resemblances

Lieut. George Monroe had a day off and went to Nantasket. On the boat, with several friends, there was a talk about personal resemblances.

"Wohl! I have been daken for Bismarck, in Berlin," said a German gentleman.

"Aussi, of a time in Paris, I was, as the Count de Paris saluted, so like him I resembled," said a teacher of French.

"That's nothing," said George, "a fellow came up and slapped me on the back, right on Tremont street, the other day, and cried out: 'Great Cæsar! Is that you!'"

He Drew the Line.

The late Dr. Kemper, the theologian, once commenced carving at the table a boiled ham that was doing duty for the second or third time.

"Why, my dear!" exclaimed his wife, in surprise, "you have forgotten something. You have not asked the blessing."

"Yes, I have, too," bluffly responded the doctor. "I've asked the Lord to bless this old ham all I'm a going to."—Chicago Tribune.

A Laconic Letter.

"In the days of '49" a member of a party of miners strayed away from his companions and was destroyed by wild beast. The friend upon whom it devolved to "break the news gently" to the bereaved parents showed himself equal to the occasion by writing the following letter:

MISTER SMITH DEER SUR the Kiotes has ete your sun's hed off Yurs JOHN JONES.
—Harper's Monthly.

Opening of the Bowling Season.

A TEN STRIKE. —Life.

Every-Day Rules for Barbers.

1. "First catch your hair."
2. Place him in the chair and manipulate the tiller wheel until he is screwed down into a position at once uncomfortable and barbarous.
3. Remark about the weather.
4. If the patient wants a shave, lather him.
5. Having lathered the subject, rush to the hydrant and wash your hands.
6. Lather the patient again.
7. Seize your razor and sharpen it.
8. Rub patient's jaw for five minutes. This sends the soap inside the pores and produces a tranquility of the flesh that even a fine tooth razor cannot disturb.
9. More lather.
10. If the patient's pores are not thoroughly stuccoed with soap by this time, read your morning paper until the required stuccodity is attained.
11. Seize your razor once more and flourish it three times on the strop, and then inquire if the patient is particularly tender in any particular spot.
12. If he is scrape that spot until the subject shows signs of dissolution, then soothe him with lather.
13. Scrape both jaws with the razor, and if musically inclined whistle in the patient's ear during the ceremony.
14. After he is entirely flayed ask if the razor hurts.
15. If he says yes, continue the process until he swears that it does not hurt.
16. Inform patient that a little shampoo might not hurt him.
17. Soak his face with bay rum, putting an especially large quantity on all raw spots.
18. Comb patient's hair on wrong side, scrape magnesia over his black tie, let a drop of lather fall on his boots, hand him his hat, give him the address of a convenient undertaker, and
19. Yell "Next!"—Life.

Some Pretty Hard Pills.

He went home a few nights ago and not feeling well took what he supposed to be four pills, and then slept the sleep of the just. When his wife awoke in the morning she began a search for four shoe buttons which she intended to sew on baby's shoes before the little one awoke. She could not find them, and the husband joined in the search. Finally he remembered where he had found the pills and said:

"Good heavens! I swallowed them buttons."—Detroit Advertiser.

I think very highly of Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer. Father used it five years and I have very often heard him recommend it as the best cough remedy he ever saw. C. C. Keeney, New London, Ct.

"I hear your little boy is sick, Mrs. Hitormiss."

"Dear me, yes; the Charlotte russe broke out all over him, and if he hadn't wore the Injun beads as an omelet it would have calumniated fatally, I fear."—Washington Post.

Dr. Seth Arnold's Sugar Coated Bilious Pills unequalled for costiveness, jaundice and liver troubles. 25 cts

"Is that a Landseer, Mr. Crœsus?" asked the visitor pausing before the painting. "No," replied the host, "reckon its a Durham; see how broad it is between the horns, and see the color and the curl on its forehead. That's a genuine Durham, sure. That ain't no Landseer."

Doctor Yourself

and save money, and perhaps your life. Send three 2 cent stamps to pay postage to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., and receive a copy of Dr. Kaufmann's great Medical Work, 100 pages, elegant colored plates.

"Is me wife in here, do you know?" asked a caller at the police headquarters yesterday of Sergeant Martin.

"She is not!"

"Thank Heaven! but that's a relief to my mind! If she isn't in here she must have tumbled into the river!"—Detroit Free Press.

A Much Married Woman.

Mrs. Fowler, of this city, was married last January to her sixth husband, and strange as it may seem, five of them died exactly two years from their marriage day. Her present husband has been sick for the last four months with chronic jaundice, and was given up by four of our best physicians; as a last resort he began using Sulphur Bitters, and yesterday told our reporter that they had saved his life, smilingly saying that he guessed Mrs. Fowler would be unable to take a seventh better half for some time to come.—Exchange.

A Philadelphia oil broker received the following business like note from a woman the other day: "Please buy me 10,000 barrels of oil at 99 cents and sell at $1 10. Remit me the difference less your commission. Upon the promptness with which you execute this order depends my future patronage."

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Johnson—By Jove, Jackson, that baby looks the very picture of your father.

Jackson—Well! when that baby has a set of false teeth, a red beard and the rheumatism, I'll believe you. In the meantime, excuse me.—Lowell Citizen.

HALE'S HONEY is the best Cough Cure, 25 50c., $1.
GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP heals and beautifies, 25c.
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HILL'S HAIR & WHISKER DYE—Black & Brown, 50c.
PIKE'S TOOTHACHE DROPS cure in 1 Minute, 25c.
DEAN'S RHEUMATIC PILLS are a sure cure, 50c.

A Hint—They had been sitting for a long time in silence. Suddenly she woke up from a reverie and said:

"It is an age of progress after all, George."

"Yaas," he replied, after drawing the head of his cane from his mouth, "but what led you to make the remark?"

"Well, not much," she gurgled, "but I saw in this evening's paper that you can buy wedding rings on installments."—Boston Courier.

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JOHN MOORE, Druggist.

This is the way it looked after the election to a democratic orator in San Francisco. "Gentlemen," he said, "the renown of this glorious victory will re-echo in golden letters through the corridors of the river of time." His candidate for supervisor had pulled through.

The distressing disease, Salt Rheum, is readily cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. Sold by all druggists.

"Young man," said the stern parent to the applicant for his daughter's hand, "are you sure you can support a family?"

"I—I wasn't making any calculations on that," stammered the young man, "I only want the girl, you know."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

For Colds.

For Croup.

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"Spent Fifty Dollars
In doctoring for rheumatism, before I tried *Thomas' Eclectric Oil.* Used a 50-cent bottle of this medicine, and got out in one week. For burns and sprains it is excellent." Jas. Durham, East Pembroke, N. Y.

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"Have tried *Thomas' Eclectric Oil* for croup and colds, and find it the best remedy I have ever used in my family." Wm. Kay, 510 Plymouth Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Special Sale of

CLOAKS,

Shawls and Dry Goods

During this Month.

A Great Reduction from Regular Prices. An exceptional opportunity for Shoppers. We propose to make business hum during January. We sell good reliable goods as low as you can buy trash elsewhere

It is the custom of shopping people everywhere to delay making purchases at this season until the annual clearing out movement is in operation among the different stores.

Bargains, Bargains!

The word has power at such a time. Every one is familiar with it and all prepare for it. That time is now at hand and we present to-day the beginning of an eventful year, we think, for the ladies, an array of figures necessarily interesting and acceptable to all.

ASTRACHAN WRAPS

That were selling the first of the season

No. 9,268 at $32,00, now going at $23 50
No. 2,601 at $23,00, now going at $16 00
No. 22,077 at $28,00, now going at $20 00
No. 1,111 at $20 00, now going at $14 00
No. 770 at $25,00, now going at $18 00
No. 730 at $14,00, now going at $ 9 00
No. 934 at $12,00, now going at $ 8 50
No. 422 at $11,00, now going at $ 7 50

CLOTH WRAPS.

No. 352 that were $16 are now $12.
No. 8,289 that were $20, are now $15.
No. 16 055 that were $16 are now $12.
No. 2,595 that were $18 are now $13.

PLUSH WRAPS

That brought at the opening of the season

No. 426—$30, selling for $21.
No. 688—$35, selling for $25.
No. 553—$25, selling for $18.

FRIEZE WRAPS.

No. 4,855 formerly at $33, now selling at $24.
No. 625 formerly at $20, now selling at $14.
No. 428 formerly at $30, now selling at $22.
No. 490 formerly at $22, now selling at $16.
No. 618 formerly at $32, now selling at $23.
No. 1,128 formerly at $18, now selling at $13.

SILK CIRCULARS.

No. 73 that were $12, now $7.
No. 453 that were $20, are now $14.
No. 456 that were $23, are now $16.
No. 452 that were $15, are now $11,50.

☞ We have in stock 10 Russian Circulars, that were selling the first of the season at $10, $12, $15, and $18, now going at $6, (your choice).

Double Shawls, the very best quality made, that were $8, are now $6.

Beaver Shawls that were $3,50, $4 and $5 are now $2,75.

Himalayan Shawls that were $10 are now $7,25.

Dress Goods

Those who have Dress Goods to buy prepare to buy them now.

34 inch Tricots that were 40c are now 30c. 36 inch Tricots that were 50c are now 43c. 40 inch Homespuns that were 50c are now 40c. 40 inch Camel's Hair that were 60c are now 43c. 42 inch Cameletts that were 65c are now 50c. 42 inch Mecrane Checks that were 65c, are now 43c. 44 inch Pin Strips, Checks and invisible Plaids that were $1,15, $1,25 and $1,60 are now $1,00. Combination Suitings that were 30c are now 25c.

Our prices on Table Linens, Linen Sets with Napkins to match toweling, Bleached and Brown Cottons, Indigo Blue Prints and Robe Prints are worthy your attention.

5 Pieces Bleached Table Linen that were $1.00 are selling at 75c.
25 Linen Sets with Napkins to match, plain white and colored borders, that were $5.00 are selling now at $3.75.
8 Bales, all Linen Toweling that were 7c are selling now at 5c.
3 Cases Bleached Cotton that were 10c are selling now at 8c.
1 Case good bleached Cotton that was 8c, now selling at 6c. 1 yard wide.
10 Bales of the Best Standard Brown Cottons that were 8c and 9c are now selling at 7c.
3 Bales Brown Cottons that were 6c are now 5c.
1 Case Cocheco Robe Prints that were 8c are now selling at 6c.
3 Cases of Best Standard Prints that were 7c and 8c are now selling at 5c.
3 Cases of the Best Indigo Blue Prints that were 8c are now selling at 5c.

Ladies from the surrounding country are cordially invited to look through the store and notice our doings. It is not our intention to ask you here for a trifling or incomplete occasion but to make it come profits or come losses worthy of your time and thought. And worth your money too, worth buying now for next summer. It must not be supposed that everything we have in the store will come to the under price; the loss would then be too great. Give this deliberate consideration. When you come let it be in a leisurely fashion. A hurried glance through will not tell the story of this occasion; thoughtful looking will pay. No goods charged during this sale. Can't charge at these prices.

Bach & Abel.

THE CITY.

K. T. party tomorrow night.

Isn't it pretty coal-ed weather? Wood say it was.

Coming—Herr Andre's Alpine choir and Tyrolese Co.

Eight persons united with the Methodist church, Sunday.

The telephone in Dr. George's residence has been taken out.

At the A. M. E. church a watch meeting was held New Year's eve.

Died, for the want of breath, the Ann Arbor city railway company.

Mr. Sheehan's dancing class meets in Hangsterfer's hall this evening.

The city band will give a grand masquerade ball Friday evening, January 14th.

Geo. A. Gilbert has sold his sorrel pacer to Dr. McClean, of Detroit, consideration, $400.

John J. Robinson is gracefully performing the duties of deputy county clerk.

The Two Sams will re-open their store Friday morning when their great Cut Sale begins.

Golden Rule lodge, No. 159, F. & A. M., will hold their regular monthly meeting tonight.

Workman are engaged cutting armory hall up into rooms for offices and living purposes.

Joe T. Jacobs has a personal letter from the late Gen. Logan, which he prizes very highly.

The dance at Whitmore Lake, New Year's eve, was well attended by Ann Arbor people.

Circuit court was in session Monday long enough to be journed until Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1887.

At a meeting of the Keck Furniture Co., held last evening, a dividend of 7 per cent. was declared.

The Farmers' and Mechanic's bank declared their usual semi-annual dividend the first of January.

Sunday morning the thermometer was eight degrees below zero and on Tuesday morning eight above.

Prof. C. H. Adams is having a work on political economy published by Appleton & Co., of New York.

The Knights of Pythias will install their newly elected officers in their castle hall, next Monday evening.

Welch Post, No. 137, G. A. R., of this city, was the first in the state to contribute to the Logan fund.

H. Gundert, formerly with Hutzel & Co., has accepted a position with Oscar Sorg, for the year 1887.

F. H. Belser has accepted the position of book keeper in the First National Bank, tendered him last week.

D. F. Shairer has inaugurated a slaughter sale of everything in his store. Read his new advertisement.

The date of the annual meeting of the funeral directors has been changed to the 19th and 20th, of this month.

Judge Joslyn granted Mrs. Flora Yost a divorce from Alfred S. Yost, last Friday. They were from Ypsilanti.

At the prize contest, at Schützenbund park, New Year's day, Herman Armbruster secured the coveted honor.

Ald. Swift has withdrawn the suit be commenced in Justice Clark's court, a few days ago, against Policeman Amsden.

At a regular meeting of the superintendents of poor, Tuesday, John S. McDonald was re-elected keeper for another year.

We have made arrangements whereby we will have an interesting letter from Lansing, during the session of the legislature.

Jeff. Davis is being tried before a jury in Justice Pond's court today, for alleged libelous language against a colored woman of Jackson.

The African Baptist church was the scene of many glad hearts New Year's eve. The fruits of a New Year's tree were distributed.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the First National bank, last Tuesday, a semi-annual dividend of four per cent. was declared.

Mrs. Caroline M. Collier, an old resident of Ann Arbor died at Owosso, Tuesday, of this week. She was visiting her daughter there.

It seems to be quite generally understood that McCarthy is to lecture here next Saturday evening, January 8, but his date is January 28th.

Mrs. Daniel J. Ross, of the Fourth ward, died last Friday, aged 30 years, with pneumonia. The funeral was held Saturday in the Catholic church.

Thursday, Jan. 6th, the Two Sams close their store, re-open Friday, Jan. 7th. All Overcoats and Suits will be marked down. Bring everybody with you.

Miss Caroline Gwinner, of this city, died in Northfield, Friday, Dec. 31, of heart disease. The funeral was held in the Zion church Sunday afternoon.

Gustave Brehm has been appointed deputy county treasurer. Treasurer Belser, however, will keep the books and look after the workings of the office.

Married by Rev. Dr. Ramsay, at the residence of Mrs. Carman, Ingalls-st, Jan. 5th, James T. Millette, of Newcastle, Ind., to Miss Lola Josephine West. Miss West has been a student the past two years in the University. Mr. Millette is a lawyer of Newcastle.

At the annual meeting of the M. E. church society, Monday evening, P. B. Rose, A. L. Noble and E. J. Knowlton, were re-elected members of the board of trustees.

Between $13,000 and $14,000 city taxes remained uncollected the first of January. City Treasurer Sorg will get the benefit of an extra one per cent on the ballance.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Two Sams in another column. Their store is closed today, while they are marking down goods. They will be open to-morrow morning.

James Carey, of this city, was adjudged insane in the probate court last Friday, and sent to Pontiac, whither he was taken Monday by Sheriff Walsh. The loss of a son is attributed as the cause.

Bach & Abel take a column of our space this week to quote some extremely low prices they have put on cloaks, shawls, dress goods, etc. In fact everything in their store has been marked down.

The Detroit Tribune sends out very fine New Year's greetings this season. The Tribune has become a pride to the republicans of Michigan, since its present proprietors assumed the management.

Mathew Clarkens, a resident of this city for the past forty years, died at his residence in the third ward, Monday, aged 75 years. The funeral was held in St. Thomas church, Wednesday morning.

John George Henne, of West Liberty-st, died last Friday aged 58 years, of inflamation of the lungs. The funeral was held Monday in the Bethlehem church and the remains deposited in the cemetery.

"A job printer in the employ of K. Kittredge has done a bold thing; he has married a lady by the name of Speechly."—Mason News. Yes, but after being well Cook-ed she may become speechless.

Freddie the 14 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bell, of the First ward, died Dec. 31, of pneumonia. The funeral was held Sunday and the remains deposited in the vault in the Ypsilanti cemetery.

Charles E. Everest, of the First ward, died last Friday, at the age of 48 years, of dropsy. The funeral was held at the residence on Division-st, Monday afternoon and the remains diposited in the vault.

Company A elected the following board of directors last Monday evening: Geo. Dengler, John Burns, Chas. Roehm, John Fischer and John B Dawson. Civil and non-commissioned officers will be elected next Monday evening.

At the annual meeting of the Presbyterian society held last Monday evening, Philip Bach and S. W. Clarkson were elected members of the board of trustees. The annual report showed the society to be in excellent condition.

Mrs. Sarah Seabolt was taken before Justice Frueauff last Friday, charged with drunkeness, to which she plead guilty, and received a sentence of 90 days in Detroit house of correction, where she was taken Monday by Chief Sipley.

One of the most artistic New Year's greetings is received from the Detroit Evening Journal. That paper does everything it attempts in an able manner, and it is giving its large constituency one of the best papers ever printed in Michigan.

In a Bohemian oats note case, at Adrian last Monday, Judge Howell held that the bonds or contracts to sell double the number of bushels the next year, under the same scheme, are void and against the public policy. Cramer & Weaver appeared for plaintiff.

THE REGISTER is pleased to chronicle the the receipt of a goodly number of new subscribers within the past few days. Several are sending it to their friends with their compliments; and nothing more appreciated could be found for so small a sum of money.

Washtenaw Lodge, No. 9, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers last Friday evening, for the ensuing term: N. G., O. D. Royall; V. G., Geo. E. Apfel; R S., R. E. Babcock; P. S., Conrad Krapf; Treas., M. Stabler; Representative to the Grand Lodge, Geo. Scott.

The officers of the Pomological society are desirous of a full attendance at their regular meeting Saturday. Besides matters of general interest that will be discussed, Ald. Allmindinger, of the citizen's committee, will submit a proposition for organizing a fruit preserving company.

Hon. Lorenzo Davis, who retired from the board of the superintendents of poor, Jan. 1, 1887, retired with a record to be proud of. During his six years of service he was present at every meeting of the board, with one exception. His absence at that meeting was on account of being on a jury.

The Forrest Hill Cemetery Co. held their annual meeting in Zina P. King's office, Tuesday forenoon, and elected W. W. Wines, Emanuel Mann and Wm. Wagner members of the board of trustees. The board will hold a meeting next Tuesday to elect officers and transact other business.

The Schützenbund society elected the following officers, last evening, for the ensuing year: President, C. Krapf; vice president, J. Walz; secretary, A. Eisele; treasurer, Chris. Schmidt; shooting masters, John Mayer and John Armbruster; finance committee, Fred Gaekle, C. Martin and Fred Graf.

About eleven o'clock, last Friday evening, smoke was discovered emanating from the organ works of D. F. Allmendinger. The fire department responded promptly but fortunately their services were not required. Chief Sorg, with the assistance of a few others, secured half a dozen hand grenades which they threw on the flames, which had got quite a start in the garret, putting out the fire in a short time. Not much was burned but some damage was done work which was finished and ready to leave the factory. How the fire caught so near the roof is a mystery that will probably never be solved. His loss was about $800, which is partially covered by insurance.

The prizes to be given at the band masquerade at Beethovan hall, are on exhibition at Haller & Sons' jewelry store. Six prizes, three for ladies and three for gentleman. To the ladies a nice pair of opera glasses, a large silver pickle castor, salt and pepper set. For the gentlemen, a large silver card receiver, elegant napkin ring, gold lined silver cup.

Elsewhere will be noticed the dissolution notice of Osius & Co., the well known booksellers of this city. Mr. Osius went to Detroit, Wednesday, to accept a position as secretary of the Michigan Amonia works. He is a pusher and will do good work for his firm. Our readers will be pleased to learn that Mr. Wahr will continue the business as usual. Everyone likes to trade with Mr. Wahr, and he will hold up his end of the book business in this city.

We desire to call the attention of our readers to the statement of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank published in another column. This bank now has a surplus as guaranty fund of $65,000 and according to the last report of the state treasurer is the largest of any savings bank in the state outside of the city of Detroit. Their careful and conservative manner of doing business has gained the confidence of the public and given it a large patronage of which it is well deserving.

At a regular meeting of the council, Dec. 6th, a resolution was passed instructing the mayor to appoint a committee, whose duty it shall be to look after the interests of the poor living in this city, and to protect the city against professional beggars. The committee so appointed by the mayor held a meeting Tuesday evening with T. J. Keech, in the chair, and passed the following resolution:

Resolved, That it is deemed advisable that the marshall shall keep a book of record relating to people who apply to him for aid. This record shall state all available facts as to the worthiness of people so applying, and shall be accessible to any citizen of Ann Arbor for consultation. Also that the ladies' charitable union, or any other charitable society of the city, shall notify the marshall of any pressing case of need within the city and of any persons who are practicing fraud upon our citizens. Also that our citizens report promptly any cases of people coming to our city for the purpose of gaining a residence in order to draw upon our poor fund. The next meeting will be held Jan. 18.

Prosecuting Attorney Norris submitted his annual report to the attorney general the first of the week. Through the kindness of Mr. Norris we were permitted to make the following summary from it: Whole number of prosecutions, 180; of this number 53 were for assault and battery, which resulted in 37 convictions, 5 acquittals, and 11 dismissals upon examination. For assault with intent to kill, 3, of which 1 was convicted and the other two dismissed on application of the injured parties. Assault to do great bodily harm, 2, of which one is still pending and the other was dismissed upon examination. For robbery, 7, of which number 3 were convicted and 4 dismissed on examination; of those convicted 1 was sent to Ionia for 4 years and the other 2 each 2 years. There were 2 rape cases, both of who were discharged on examination. For larceny there were 32 cases, all of them being convicted but 2. One was sent up for 5 years; the balance were justice cases and they received various fines and imprisonments. Seven men were convicted of larceny from dwellings and offices, 1 of them got 3 years, 4 of them 2 years each, and 2 of them 1 year each. Disorderly cases 28, which resulted in as many convictions, and their punishment consisted of various sentences and fines. One was tried and convicted of murder. Burglary cases 4, of which 3 were discharged upon examination, and 1 still pending. Malicious injury to dwelling, 6, resulting in 3 convictions and 3 acquittals. Malicious destruction to personal property, 3, of which 1 was convicted and the other 2 dismissed upon examination. There were 11 liquor prosecutions, all of them resulting in convictions; 2 of them paid a fine of $40 and costs and 9, $25 and costs. The other 21 cases were for various offences and were disposed of in various ways.

High School Notes.

There will be a meeting of the senior class tomorrow afternoon.

An examination in arithmetic is given today for the benefit of those who wish to obtain a standing without taking up the work in full.

Mr. Rhodes has his classes in part of the chapel this week, the room formerly occupied by Mrs. Garrigues.

The second year class expect to take a sleigh ride tomorrow evening, and will probably go as far as George Waterman's, about two miles south of the city, before they stop.

A Card.

I desire to express my hearty thanks to the citizens and especially to the chief of police and fire department and to the firemen who braved the intensely cold weather of the New Year's night, and gave such generous assistance in rescuing my buildings and goods from destruction by fire. My wish is that the year commenced under such trying circumstances may be a prosperous one for all of you.

Very Respecifully,
D. F. ALLMENDINGER.

Proprietor of the Ann Arbor Organ Works. Jan. 1, 1887.

Closed Their Doors!

The Two Sams close their clothing store Thursday, Jan. 6th, for the purpose of marking down every article of Clothing in their house, every Overcoat, and Pants, every Child's Suit, Hat and Cap, and will re-open Friday morning.

This will be another chance for those of our customers who know what our Reduction Sale means. All goods with us are plain figures. We want every Man, Woman and Child to call on us. The first who come always get the cream, so come early.

Mrs. Wm. Caspary, proprietress of the restaurant, corner Fourth and Ann street, is prepared at all times to serve warm or cold meals, oysters in any style, and carries a fine assortment of candies, fruits, nuts, cigars, etc. 625x

The Candy Kitchen.

Mrs. Pratt is at home to her friends and patrons at the Candy Kitchen, next door east of post office, with a full line of both French and Home-made Candies, fresh and pure, for the Holiday trade.

N. B.—10 per cent off on all boxes of five pounds and over. Please call at the Little Kitchen and find that it is "multum in parvo."

One of those new and elegant Standard sewing machines would be a valuable present. Don't buy until you try a "Standard." Fine new stock at Wilsey's.

Thousands of new and beautifully illustrated Children's Books just in, at Andrews & Witherby's. Never before have such a bewildering variety of beautiful instructive and amusing books for the little folks been offered there.

Itch of every kind cured in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Use no other. This never fails. Sold by H. J. Brown, druggist, Ann Arbor, Mich; Synek & Co., Manchester, Mich. 656.

Everybody

Wants to shut out the cold and make their homes comfortable. All in need of Weather Strips, don't forget the Champion Weather Strips are *the best*; put on by M. J. Furnam, manufacturer and proprietor. And remember he makes no extra charge for repairs. "Live and let live," is his motto. Orders left at Eberbach's hardware srore, or No. 12, Lawrence street, will be promptly attended to. 622tf.

HICKORY TIMBER.

I will pay $12.00 per cord, Cash, for good second growth Hickory Butts, suitable for Axe-Handles, delivered at my shop, south of depot, Ypsilanti. Parties preferring to load on board cars at Ann Arbor, Address C. W. Dickinson, Ypsilanti. 620-32*

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw Fire Insurance company will be held in their office in the court house, on the second Wednesday of January, 1887, at 10 A. M., for the purpose of electing officers and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the company.

S. FAIRCHILD, Sec.

"Jack shall pipe and Gill shall dance" just as long out in the open barn as they please. The free born American citizens don't fear neuralgia with Salvation Oil to the front. Price only 25 cts.

Advertisements, such as To Rent, For Sale, or Wants, not exceeding three lines, can be inserted three weeks for 25 cents.

FARM FOR SALE—197 acres, said land is situated in the Township of Webster, four miles north of Delhi Mills. 100 acres on section 23, and 37 acres on section 10. Said Farm is first class in every respect. For further information address the undersigned at Dexter, or inquire on the premises. A. A. and R. O. Buckelew. 628-33*

NOTICE—In order to close an estate, I wish to sell what is known as the Whitlark Farm, consisting of 101 acres, five miles north east of Ann Arbor. Farm in good condition. Time will be given on a portion of the purchase price paid, if desired. Dated, Ann Arbor, Jan. 1st, 1887. E. Treadwell, Administrator. 628 33*

LEFT AT THE BAZAAR—A package containing a piece of Gingham and White Cotton Flannel; Also a pair of eye-glasses. 628 30

FOUND—A sum of money at A. L. Noble's Store Call and pay for this notice and get money. 628-30

TO LOAN—Money on chattels and real estate. Address Box 671, Ann Arbor, Mich. 628 30*

WANTED—A good girl for general house work, good wages offered, at 25 Thompson St. 627-7*

FOR SALE.—A good second-hand Coal Stove. Address, R, Box B, or this office. 627-9*

WANTED—Work by a reliable young man to take care of a horse and make himself useful about house, will work for board and lodging. Address W. C. this office. 627-29*

LOST—Red pocket-book containing a sum of money and papers. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at 56 E. University Ave.

LOST—A Mink boa last Sunday, between Ann Arbor and Boyden's. Finder will receive reward by leaving the same at Wm. Wagner's store. 627-29*

LOST on Liberty or Fourth Sts, Christmas, night Gent's Plaid Silk Muffler. Please leave at D. F. Schairer's store and get reward 627-9*

FOUND—A plain gold ring. Parties having lost such enquire at No. 17 South Thayer-st. 626-28*

FURNISHED HOUSE—The entire main floor furnished complete for housekeeping, and piano, woodshed and basement with furnace, will be rented to desirable parties wishing to keep house temporarily in Ann Arbor. Enquire at 45 South Ingalls-st. 626-8*

FOUND—A watch, owner apply C. W. T., Box 658, Ann Arbor, Mich. 626-28

WANTED—A young girl to work by the day. Family of three. No washing or ironing. Mrs. Finley, 45 South Ingalls st. 626-28

TO RENT—A very fine furnished house in very desirable locality. Apply to Zina P. King. 625-27*

FOR SALE—My house, No. 27 Ann street, or will exchange for smaller house, or well located vacant lot. H. M. Taber. 623-tf.

FOR SALE—A note, secured by a first mortgage on a good Washtenaw Co. farm, valued at twice the amount of the note. Address Box 644, Ann Arbor, Mich. 618-27*

FARM FOR SALE—160 ACRES, 2½ MILES southwest of Ann Arbor. A first-class farm well under-drained and improved. Address Israel Clark, Ann Arbor. 483-tf.

FOR RENT—The Waldron house, No. 13 Elizabeth st. In excellent repair and very convenient. Enquire of J. Q. A. Sessions over Express office. 619tf

TO EXCHANGE—A good 80 acre farm in western Michigan, 60 acres improved and buildings. Will exchange for city property. Inquire of J. Q. A. Sessions, over express office. 622tf.

FINE FARM FOR SALE—Two miles from Ann Arbor, consisting of 160 acres in a high state of cultivation. Has been used as a dairy farm for 13 years, consequently soil is very rich. Splendidly watered by creek and springs, large two story frame house, large basement barn, carriage house, large shed with hay loft, also grain barn; good orchard. Terms one-third cash, balance on long time to suit purchaser. Address, R. Watermann, Ann Arbor, Mich. 624tf

SPECIAL SALE—

One 7 octave square piano $85.00.
One 6 " " " $40.00.
One 6 " organ (fine) $65.00.
One Whitney organ (new) $60.00.
One Taylor & Farley organ $50.00.
One genuine Singer Sewing Machine $20.00.
One new Household Sewing Machine $25.00.

These goods are in good order, *some as good as new*. They must be sold See them at *WILSEY'S NEW MUSIC STORE*, 25 South Fourth Street. 620tf.

WEATHER STRIPS—Champion Best in the world. Exclude rain, wind and dust. Leave orders at Eberbach's Hardware store or No. 12 Lawrence-st. No extra charges for repairs. M. J. FURNUM, Prop.

LOANING—Money to loan on first class real estate mortgages at current rates of interest. Satisfactory arrangements made with capitalists desiring such investment. Every conveyance and transaction in abstracts of titles carefully examined as to legal effect. Zina P. King, Ann Arbor, Mich. tf

Important!

Save your money while you can and do not fail to attend the Great

$30,000

Slaughter and Green Ticket Sale of

DRY GOODS

—AT—

D. F. SCHAIRER'S

For a Season of 30 days,

We are Going to Reduce Our Stock

$10,000,

During the month of January. A Big Cut in Prices will do it.

So we have every thing marked plainly and every thing re-ticketed with Green Tags. Look for the Green Tag!

It will be impossible for us to give an extended price list of this Great Slaughter, as it embraces the entire stock of every department in our establishment. We mean business and are making it very interesting for our friends and customers. We never have taken a back seat for any house in the city, and you will always find our prices lower than any other house for clean, fresh, desirable Goods. No trash to close out, no old styles to give our friends, and we do not advertise goods not in stock.

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—IN—

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Last Golden Opportunity

FOR THE LADIES!

Absolute Slaughter of every thing in the Cloak line, remaining at prices less than raw material cost, to say nothing of making and trimmings, an opportunity which every one should improve immediately, as only a few Garments remain.

Ladies you can save money this month buying Black and Colored Silks, Satins, Rhadames, Velvets, Corduroys, Colored and Black Dress Goods, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves and Flannels. Housekeepers, Hotels and Restaurants, you can save money this month buying Blankets, Comfortables, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Quilts, Crashes and Lace Curtains. Come and see them it will pay you. We want our friends in the Country and our patrons living in surrounding towns to improve this the Greatest Bargain Opportunity of modern times.

We intend to divide a lot of money among our parent; so come on, and do not be too late,

D. F. SCHAIRER.