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| Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc., | | |
| Due from banks in reserve cities | 75,253 | 59 |
| Due from Other banks and bankers Due from Treasurer School District | | 20 |
| No. 1, A. A. Furniture and Fixtures | | |
| Current expenses and taxes paid, | | |
| Checks and cash items, | | |
| Nickels and pennies, | | |
| Silver,U. S. and National Bank Notes, | 2,065 | |
| U. S. and National Bank Notes, | 23,002 | - |
| COLUMN OF MICHIGAN | 8777,870 | 62 |

Capital stock paid in, 50,000 00 Surplus fund,.... 100,000 00 Undivided profits, 31,675 79 Dividends unpaid, 385 00 Commercial deposits,..... 152,237 07 Savings deposits, 416,843 47 Due to banks and bankers, 338 92 Certificates of deposit..... 26,390 35

I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above tement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. Charles E. Hiscock, Cashier. CORRECT—Attest: Christian Mack, Daniel Hiscock, David Rinsey, Directors. Correct—Attest: Christian Maca, Daniel Albert Albert December, 1890.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of December, 1890.
MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public,

| Capital stock paid in, | \$ 50,000 Total assets, | - | \$761,291 |
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THE DEMOCRATIC CITY TICKET ELECTED.

Prof. Cooley has over 200 for President of the Council.-William J. Miller has 35 for Clerk .- E. B. Pond has 200 Majority for Justice.

The election yesterday was the closest in the history of the city. By a trick of the republicans many democrats were induced to vote the citizens' ticket, which in nearly all the wards was simply the straight republican ticket. The only democrats indorsed were ward candidates who were known to be sure of election. In the doubtful or republican wards only republicans were indorsed. The prohibitionists also turned in and worked the republican ticket. A large organized gang of workers turned out for Allmendinger and worked with a vim early and late. In spite of all this, William G. Doty was elected mayor by one plurality. A dispute arose in the for Doty would have been nine. E. B. Pond, a democrat of the old school, was on the citizens' and republican tickets, but was not indorsed by the democratic convention. Many democrats, however, voted for him and he had 199 majority. The rest of the democratic city ticket was elected. Patrick O'Hearn for assessor was re-elected

without opposition. The vote on mayor was as follows: Doty. Allmen-First ward...... 163 Second ward 233 Third ward 184 Fourth ward.... 167 Fifth ward..... 102 Sixth ward..... 71 Total..... 920 Doty's plurality, 1. The vote on president of the

council stands: Cooley. Spokes. First Ward..... 185 Second Ward 259 Third Ward..... 174 Fourth Ward..... 183 Fifth Ward..... 95

Sixth Ward 119

Cooley's majority, 216. Miller's majority for clerk is 35.

The vote by wards is as follows: Miller. O'Keefe. First Ward..... 173 Second Ward..... 243 Third Ward..... 193 Fourth Ward..... 147 Fifth Ward 93 Sixth Ward 99

Total 928 Miller's pluralty, 35.

The vote on justice of the peace

Kline. Pond. First Ward 121 Second Ward 151 Third Ward..... 211 Fourth Ward..... 165 Fifth Ward 98 Sixth Ward

Total 798 998 Pond's plurality, 200.

jority. Judge Champlin's majority, with the fifth ward to hear from, is

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| | lin. | gomery. |
| First ward | . 186 | 203 |
| Second ward | 239 | 79 |
| Third ward | . 190 | 139 |
| Fourth ward | . 182 | 97 |
| | | |
| Sixth ward | 89 | 134 |
| | 7 1 | |
| | 886 | 652 |
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largest in the city. His majority is

THE COUNCIL.

citizens, whichever they may call men yesterday resulted as follows: First ward:

John V. Sheehan, D... 172 Second ward:

Christian Martin, D..... Third ward, long term.

Ariel H. Fillmore, R. & C. 167-1 William G. Snow, D.... 166 Short term:

Geo.D.Allmendinger R.&C. 172-5 William Clancy, jr., D.....167 Fourth ward: A. P. Ferguson, R. & C... 143-26

Daniel J. Ross, D Fifth ward.

Ernest Rehberg, D. . . 3 majority. Sixth Ward.

Arthur Kitson, R. & C., 163-81. W. D. Harriman, D..... 82

SUPERVISORS.

The republicans gain one supervisor in the fifth ward. John R. Miner, R. & C. has 118 majority second ward polls and if it had in the first ward, Eugene Oesterlin, been otherwise decided the majority D., has 72 in the second, James Kearns, D., has 58 in the third ward, John Baumgardner, D., has 64 majority in the fourth, Thomas Speechly, R. & C., has 34 majority in the fifth ward and John W. Bennett, R. & C., has 104 majority in the sixth ward.

NOTES.

Kitson, who carried the sixth ward for alderman, is not a citizen, not having taken out his second

At the second ward polls when the votes in the city box were counted, they were eight short of the tally sheet. In the state box were found eight republican city tickets and two democratic city tickets. The eight republican tickets were counted and the two democratic tickets thrown out. When the amendment box was opened two or three democratic city tickets were found there and destroyed. The legal question raised is this: Under the general election iaw of the last legislature, the excess of ballots are destroyed. Un der the law previous to that, the ballots were put together and the excess drawn out and destroyed. The board chose to proceed under the new law. The attorney-general of the state recently decided that this new law did not apply to municipal elections. The tickets were not printed according to the new election law, but under the old law. The city attorney, last night, gave the board his opinion that either the excess of ballots should be drawn out or all the ballots found in the wrong box destroyed, as counting the ballots in all the boxes permitted a man to vote two city tickets, instead of a city ticket and a state ticket.

The Board of Supervisors. The towns of Augusta, Superior

and Northfield not having been heard from, the board probably stands, however, 15 democrats and 13 republicans.

William Burtless, rep., was elected supervisor of Manchester by 15 over Horatio Burch; Fred Widenmayer, rep., is elected supervisor of Lima by 21 majority. Sylvan elects The democrats carried the city on James L. Gilbert, rep., by 89 majorthe state ticket by a good sized ma- ity. James Forsythe, dem., had 147 majority in the second district of Ypsilanti. David Edwards, rep., is elected in the first district of Ypsilanti by 137. J. L. Hunter, rep., is re-elected in Ypsilanti. Thomas G. Burlingame, dem., is re-elected in Ann Arbor town.

Ypsilanti City.

Henry P. Glover, rep., was elected mayor of Ypsilanti by 110. The republicans elected three aldermen and the democrats two. Champlin Regent Clark's majority is the carried Ypsilanti city by 91.

Pittsfield.

The democrats just missed electing a supervisor in Pittsfield. They The next council will stand seven elected a treasurer. The rest of the democrats and six republicans or ticket is republican. Frank E Mills, dem., received 107, Morton themselves. The election of alder- F. Case, rep., received 108 votes the closest call of his life. James H. Webb, rep., had one majority Levi D. Wines, R. & C. 246 — 74 for clerk over Herman W. Reyer John E. Fiegel, dem., majority for treasurer was 22. I. D. Allison was elected justice by 20, A. D. Crittenden, school inspector by 25; Reuben Armbruster, highway commissioner by I majority; drain commissioner, George E. Sperry by 21; Milton H. Begole, board of review by 24.

The Kempf Concert.

The concert under the direction of Professor R. H. Kempf, given at A. O. U. W. Hall, last Friday evening, was a very successful affair and was listened to by an audience that completely filled the hall. Miss L. Hazard, soprano, of Ypsilanti, and Mrs. R. H. Kempf, alto, of Ann Arbor, were the soloists of the evening. They were assisted by the well-known Shremser Society Orchestra, of Detroit, and a mixed chorus consisting of the following persons: Soprano, Misses E. Eberbach, F. Koch, C Koch, O. Laubengayer, B. Goetz, A. Meuth, L. Wahr, E. Weinmann; Alto, Misses K. Diehl, S. Koch, E. Lutz, O. Eberbach, C. Wahr and Mrs. R. H. Kempf; tenor, Messrs. Hildner, Koch, Oesterlin, Rentschler and Swain; bass, Messrs Allmendinger, Dieterle, Koch, Meuth and Stanger.

A program of twelve numbers consisting of instrumental music, vocal solos and choruses was given and the efforts of their various performers were received with great enthusiasm by the large audience.

The University of Michigan as Described by the Chicago Graphic.

cause of the large sale is the four lar dances were as follows: page illustrated article on the Uni- Waltz "Santiago" versity.

Mr. Brown, a writer on the Graphic, was in the city some time ago and made a careful examanination of the workings of the University and the report he has made will be a splendid souvenir of Michigan's big school. The article is the first of a series, running under the head of "Representative Schools of the West." It contains a short resume of what the University has been in the past, and also a complete description of the workings of all the departments, the various literary and other societies and the fraternities. The first page is given up to a well executed cut of President Angell. and the article is illustrated with pictures of University hall, the law department, medical department, chemical laboratory, the observatory, engineering laboratory, Newberry hall and the library. There are also views of various parts of the campus and other places of interest and interior views of some of the fraternity houses. The article covers almost everything of interest in connection with the University and will be of great interest to everyone who is familiar with the institution. The paper has been placed on sale in almost every available place in the city and the demand for it has been very extensive. The Juuior Hop.

The boys of '92, having the pre-

parations for the Junior Hop in charge, early resolved to make the Hop this year the most successful ever held, and they succeeded most admirably. Not only were the preparations more elaborate, but everything was more carefully arranged and systematically carried out than heretofore. The Hop is given by the juniors in the nine leading fraternities. The fraternities are as follows, Chi Psi, Alpha Delta Phi, working now and know there is money in the business.

Delta Kappa Epsilon, Sigma Phi, Zeta Psi, Psi Upsilon, Beta Theta Pi, Phi Kappa Psi and Delta Tau Delta. The committee having the preparations in charge was composed of the following: G. G. Prentis, general chairman; W. M. Johnstone, G. M. Wisner, G. J. Bunday, H. T. Smith, committee on invitation: A. D. Rathbone, H. C. Bulkley, H. O. Statler, W. C. Tichenor, W. B. Larrabee, D. R. Anthony, Jr., H. E. Candler, committee on arrangements; J. Van Inwagen, C. C. Warren, D. C. Morgan, D. W. McMorran, C. C. Warden, reception committee. The decorations of the Rink sur-

passed anything of the kind ever attempted here. The work of decorating was in charge of a Detroit firm. The background on the walls was a dark red, relieved by frequent groups of fraternity emblems, and flags. The overhead decorations were the finest, yellow and blue being the prevailng colors. While the aesthetic taste displayed in the use of some of the colors was not very good, the general appearance of the room was quite pleasing. The south end was set apart for refreshment booths and the spectator's space occupied a part of the east side. Potted plants in different portions of the Rink added greatly to the appearance of the room.

Gibson's art parlors were used as reception rooms and a covered passage admitted the guests to the Rink. The grand march started shortly after 10 o'clock and was led by Mr. James Van Inwagen, Jr. and Miss Bertha Baker, of Toledo. The music for the evening was furnished by Schremser's Society Orchestra, of Detroit. One orchestra furnished the music for the dances, the other for the promenaders. This was an innovation that added much to the pleasure of the even-It is seldom that a paper in Ann ing, the music throughout delight-Arbor has had a greater demand ing everybody. There were on the than the last issue of the Chicago programs 24 regular dances, 12 ex-Graphic is now experiencing. The tras and 4 extra extras. The regu-

| ١ | Schottische | "McGinty" | Flynn |
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| | | "Electric Sparks" | |
| | | "Visions of Love" | |
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| | Polka | "Rush" | Fancher |
| | | "On the Minute" | |
| | | "Maid Marian" | |
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| | Waltz | "Gondoliers" | Sullivan |
| | | "Etiquette" | |
| | | "Carrie" | |
| | | "Nadjy" | |
| | | "Skirt Dance" | |
| | | "Vienna Woman" | |
| | | "Rose Bud" | |
| | | "Town Topics" | |
| | | "Vienna" | |
| | | "Holter Polter" | |
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The programs were the most unique and tasty ever used here. They were of the customary form, with chamois-skin covers, embossed with a finely designed U. of M. monogram in college colors. There were present about 350

guests and 100 spectators. So large a number crowded the Rink very much. This was the only unpleasant feature about the Hop. The number of guests from out of town was unusually large. A gentleman who has attended every Junior Hop in the past ten years, remarked that the dancing and the costumes were the finest he had ever witnessed here.

The chaperones were Mrs. J. B. Angell, Mrs. James Van Inwagen, of Chicago, Mrs. J. C: Rolfe, Mrs. A. E. Warden, Mrs. J. H. Wade, Mrs. Maxwell, of Cincinnati, Mrs. Geo. H. Prentis, of Detroit. The booth for the chaperones occupied the northwest corner of the room. It was tastefully furnished, and decorated with yellow and blue, and was the center of attraction throughout the evening .- U. of M. Daily.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 1891

PERSONAL.

Pierce Cassiday, of Lyndon, was in the city Saturday.

The grip has its hold on Charles B. Davison, of West Huron street.

M. M. Green, of E. Washington street, is confined to his home by

Mrs. Maxwell: of Cincinnati, friends here.

J. H. Stevenson, of Paris, Ont. is the guest of Robert Hunter, of West Huron street.

from Oberlin on account of the illness of Mrs. George Smith. H. E. Riggs, chief engineer of

the T. and A. A. railroad, was in the

Miss Louisa Smith has returned

city on business yesterday. Miss Wood is the guest of her brother, Dr. Wood, on her way to

her home near Chicago, Ill. Miss Jessie Williams, of Webster, is visiting Dr. W. W. Nichols and family in the St. James block.

Miss Bulkley and Miss Tryon, of Monroe, have been the guests of Mrs. Dr. Wood the past week.

Mrs. W. R. Henderson, of South Main street, left for Bay City yesterday to visit friends in that city.

Judge Kinne left this morning for Monroe, where he will hold the spring session of the Circuit court.

Miss Dora Wall, of Dixter, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Seabolt, of Lawrence street.

C. W. Sawyer and wife, of Chel sea, spent part of last week with their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Cole-

J. A. Polhemus and grand-daughter, Miss Jennie, left Monday for a visit in Chicago and Hot Springs, Arkansas.

was called by the sudden illness Knowlton. and death of his father. Mrs. M. H. Stanley has returned

Prof. Andrew McLaughlin has

home from her visit at Tackson. While away from home she suffered with an attack of the grip.

Miss May Webster, of Owosso, has returned home after visiting her grand-father, Charles Spoor, of S. Fourth street, for some time past.

Miss Flo. Bourns, of Detroit, not ling ngo one of the belles of Ann Arbor society, is visiting the Misses Dunster, on South Division street.

Charles Mann, an old Ann Arbor boy, now a druggist in Detroit, spent Sunday with his sisters, the Misses Mann, of south Main street.

Fred Carr, of Lansing, once a resident of Ann Arbor, stopped in the city for a day, last weuk, while on his way to visit a sister in Ypsilanti.

Dr. C. G. Darling, of South University avenue, has returned from New York. He was called East on account of the serious illness of his mother.

C. G. Liddell, of Miller avenue, is down with the prevailing illness. He is vice-president of the Peninsular Soap Company and is home on a visit from Indianapolis.

The condition of John G. John son, of Hall street, is becoming very alarming. He has been suffering with the grip for some time past and

the disease has settled in his brain. Miss Faith Helmer, formerly of this city but now of La Grange, Illinois, has been visiting at the Gamma Phi Beta society house. She returned to her home Sunday evening.

Mr. A. D. Allport, of Cork, Ireland, is visiting Junius E. Beal, of South Fourth street. Mr. Beal became acquainted with his guest during his journey through the Emerald Isle some years ago.

Wm. B. Gildart, of Stockbridge, with Mrs. W. J. Colegrove, on West | "Shortening the Undergraduate morning.

Second street. Mr. Gildart returned Course," "The New General Cata children stay a few days longer.

W. D. Gildart, editor of the Stockbridge Sun, accompanied by his four children, was the guest of street over Sunday. He returned research and study. home yesterday and his children will follow to-morrow.

Take good care of your beard and keep itclear f gray hairs so as to retain your young looks y using Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers.

The Castalian.

The annual publication of the senior Independents of the Universiiy, the Castalian, which will be placed on sale to-morrow morning, promises to be one of the best literary efforts of the present college year. The book will contain about three hundred pages, given up to articles of interest to the University, lormerly of this city, is visiting among which will be "Henry C. Adams," by Prof. Calvin Thomas, "John Dewey," by Professor Scott, "Jerome C. Knowlton," by Professor McLaughlin, "Alexander Winchell," by President Angell, "William P. Wells," by Professor Knowlton and "Henry P. Tappan," by Professor D'Ooge. In addition to the biographical matter, there is a large amount of readable literature contributed by various persons connected with the University.

The prize story, "A Winter Night's Tale," is written by Miss Ethel Fountain, while Miss Elsie Jones Cooley's name appears in connection with the prize poem. prize song, written to the air of "Glory Hallelujah," is by Prof. Scott, whose name is connected with all the popular U. of M. songs. The book contains several other poems, some of them receiving honorable mention from the judges.

There is a complete history of each of the various University organizations, written by some prominent member of the organization, and complete lists of the officers of the various societies and organizations, run in connection with the University.

The usual number of "grinds" will appear and the book will close with a complete city directory of the students at work in the University. There are fifteen insets in the book, among which are well executed photo-gravures of Professors Winreturned from Xenia, O., where he chell, Wells, Dewey, Adams and ANN ARBOR MARKET REPORT

The Board of Editors are W. E. Healy, managing editor; H. Sheldon, business manager; Marguerite B. Cook, secretary; Clara M. Meiser, Mary C. Butler, Sallie T. Szold, H. B. Shoemaker, M. B. Hammond, D. B. Cheever, J. Lowenhaupt, W. B. Kelly, and R. P. Lamont.

The University Record.

The University Record, the official quarterly published by the faculty, made its first appearance yesterday morning. It is a journal of about 25 pages, given up to articles of interest connected with the university and edited by a committee chosen from the members of the faculty under the authority of the Board of Regents, in the present instance Professors Thomas and

Previous to its appearance there has never been a pulication devoted exclusively to faculty purposes, and GRAND OPERA HOUSE in inaugarating the new movement, the faculty have hit upon a convenient means of communicating its ideas and information to students and other interested persons outside of its own circle.

The present issue contains editorials, stating the ground intended to be covered by the quarterly, which will include a record of the educational and scientific work going on under the auspices of the university, outlines of lecture courses which are being offered in the university, mention of contributions made by members of the faculty to the current literature of scholarship, research and discussion, meritorious work conducted independently by students at work in the university and maiter bearing on the relation of the University to the secondary schools.

The president's report to the Board of Regents is included in the present number, as well as several and four children, spent Sunday other articles, among which are Post Office News Stand, Friday

nome Monday morning, but the logue," and "The University and the High School." Under the head "The University in Recent Scholarship" aro included the reports of the various clubs and societies of W. D. Colegrove of South Second the University whose objects are

A complete list of the publication of the various members of the faculty from October, 1889, to October, 1890, is also to be found. A description of the more important lars are needed to keep up the refund. lecture courses offered by the University follows, and the number is concluded with a number of departmental notices.

The "Record" is carefully edited and is destined to fill a long felt want in the faculty. The price will be fifty cents a year or ten cents a number.

Banquet of the U. of M. Daily.

The first annual banquet of THE U. of M. Daily was held at the Occidental Hotel in Ypsilanti on Saturday evening. The invited guests were President Angell, Professors Kelsey, Scott, Dewey and Thomas, Mr. Geo. S. Curtiss, of the Chronicle-Argonaut, Mr. H. B. Shoemaker, of the Inlander, and representatives of the Yale News, Harvard Crimson, Cornell Sun and Princetonian. The last four journals sent regrets and their best wishes for the success of the DAILY. Frank B. Tibbals was toast-master. In response to his toast, Professor Scott gave some reminiscences of early days at the University and recited the attempts of himself and others to establish a daily newspa-

The menu was a handsome souvenir. The cover was a finely en graved card, and the toasts and menu were printed upon four yellow and blue silk pages. On the inside cover were printed the names of the guests. Messrs. Elliott and Shutts of the Occidental did the catering in first-class style. The banquet was a pronounced success, and if THE DAILY is as prosperous hereafter as it has been this year, the banquet will undoubtedly be made an annual fixture.

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| Beans | 1 60 | (a) | 1 75 |
| Chickens, per fb | | (a) | 121 |
| Calf Skins | 5 | (a) | 61 |
| Corn in cob per bu | 25 | (a) | 30 |
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| Lard per Ib | 7 | (a) | 8 |
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| Oats | 40 | (a) | 45 |
| Pork Dressed per cwt | 3 50 | (a) | 5 00 |
| Potatoes per bu | 65 | (a) | 90 |
| Rye | 60 | (0) | 65 |
| Sheep pelts | 1 25 | (a) | 1 40 |
| Tallow | 1 00 | (a) | 31/2 |
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CITY AND COUNTY.

Prof. M. E. Cooley was in Kala- prise successful. mazoo, Saturday

There is talk of starting the Mooreville creamery again.

George Hazelwood has a telephone in his wood office.

John Sanders, an aged resident of

Ypsilanti, died last Friday. Miss Ruth Durheim, of the Ver-

million, Ohio, schools, is visiting at

church, Sunday. There will be a social at the Pres-

byterian church Thursday evening. All are invited.

Mayor Manly goes to Grand Rapids to assume his duties as commandant, to-day.

Michael Brenner left Friday for Minneapolis, where he will sell harvesting machines.

The annual meeting of the First Baptist church society was held at the church parlors, last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Malloy have returned from Grand Rapids and Mr. Malloy will open a harness shop

John Warden had a finger cut off, Thursday, while showing the working of a machine in his shop in Ypsilanti.

Slips came into general use in some of the townships yesterday judging from the number printed in this office.

A hundred-foot-wide boulevard will be one of the attractions of the College Hill addition to the city made by Corliss and McLaughlin.

Adjutant W. E. Walker is build-Lake, near Grand Rapids, while he is employed in the Soldiers' Home.

City Marshall Murray is vainly endeavoring to ward off an attack of the grippe. He manages to put in an appearance on the streets as usual, however.

The editor of the Argus has the grippe, at least we judge so from an item in his Tuesday's issue.—Saline Observer. Right you were, when your item was written.

The condition of Mr. Sam Blitz is so much improved that he is able to be down stairs again. It will be several weeks, however, before he will be able to attend to business affairs.

L. Gruner, treasurer of the school board reports that the tuition fees of the present yearwill be in excess of the receipts of any time previous. They will probably aggregate \$7,500 or \$8,000.

about the Cooking School to be held at Hobart hall next month, Clements, South State St.

The work of placing the new glass front in Bach, Abel & Co.'s store the city

Zukey Lake is about to receive a consignment of 250,000 lake trout. Charles Hiscock, of the Keystone Boating and Fishing Club has received notice from the U.S. Fish Commissioner of their shipment, and it is expected that they will arrive sometime to-day.

The social and supper given by pronounced success notwithstanding the unpleasantness of the weather. joyed by those present and the accordingly.

Jacob Polhemus' livery business passed entirely into the hands of his grandson, Joseph Polhemus, the well-known mail carrier, yesterday. The new proprietor has a large acquaintance in the city and with his long experience in the business, he cannot help but make his new enter-

Captain Manly, the new commadant of the soldiers' home at Grand Rapids, returned home from his new charge last Saturday. He has received a letter frnm the Rev. Charles N. Carrick, of West Branch, an old army comrade, applying for the chaplaincy of the home. Caponce since the close of the war.

The work of placing electric lights in the offices of the court Prof D'Ooge occupied the pulpit house is progressing rapidly and it of the Ypsilanti Congregational is expected that before the end of tem and the occupants of the variwith a great amount of satisfaction.

> On to-morrow, Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock, a high mass for the dead will be said in St. Patrick's church, Northfield, for the recently deceased Mrs. James McKernan. The body has been in the vault at the church cemetery for the past month, and will be consigned to mother earth after final services. Friends desirous, are kindly invited to be present at the interment.

.Thayer street has been greatly imwalks at the intersection of the cross streets. Thayer street has been one of the worst streets of the city in respect to street crossings and the improvement will be viewed with a great deal of satisfaction by property owners in that part of the city.

George J. Nissly has sold his half interest in the Saline Observer to his partner, A. J. Warren. Mr. newspaper men, and we regret to lose him from the ranks. His parting a steam yacht to place on Reed ner, Mr. Warren, has proven a good newspaper man, and he has our heartiest wishes for his success. The Observer under their management has been one of the best conducted papers in the county.

day morning while trying to get in airs of the millionaire, and, reasonhis buggy on Main street, his horse ing from a quantity standpoint, if became frightened at some passing | not from the quality, he could make dashboard.

soon experience another change. At speak of the English navy, and with the last meeting of the directors it sorrow in his heart and a tear in each was decided to straighten the road eye, he counted the few hours that somewhat at the Ypsilanti end of still remained between present glory the line and thus leave the middle and future oblivion and tried to road clear. At present, persons reap some comfort out of the coming into Ypsilanti on any of the thought that the future still had Any ladies desiring to learn more roads from Ann Arbor are liable to some bright spots in the shape of intercept the trains and it is thought election days when he again could the slight change will do away with smoke his "Ben Hur" and ride in can obtain information by applying accidents and at the same time make his covered carriage at the expense to Mrs. George S. Morris or Miss the middle road more acceptable for of some political election commitgeneral use.

Another real estate boom is about to be instituted in Ann Arbor. James is progressing rapidly, and when it Bach, agent for McLaughlin and is completed the store will be one Corliss, reports that the land on of the finest placec of business in Washtenaw avenue owned by the firm is being platted out as College Hill addition to the city. A buolevard, one hundred feet wide, with ample room for a double drive way, a street car track and a row of trees is being provided for, and Mr. Bach is confident that it will some day be

the handsomest portion of Ann Ar-

No one who has ever heard that great comedian, Stuart Robson, will the ladies of the First Baptist miss the oportunity offered at the church last Friday evening, was a Opera House, Tuesday eve., April 14th. Robson is to the comedy what Booth is to tragedy. And A very pleasant evening was en-strange as it may seem, these two great stars were playmates and coffers of the society were enriched schoolmates in their youth and both seem to have been inspired by the same ambition and both have been eminently sucessful. "The Henrietta is Bronson Howard's best comedy and Robson's impersonation of Bertie, the Lamb, is unexcelled.

Vigorous measures should be taken to prevent persons from making the vicinity of Cascade Glen a general deposit for the refuse of the city. Not long ago two dead horses were thrown into the glen, at the head of the stream, polluting the otherwise clear water and rendering the vicinity almost useless for picnicing or other pleasure purposes. Cascade Glen has long enjoyed the reputation of being one of the most beautain Manly has only seen his friend tiful places around Ann Arbor, and everything that will tend to make it a dumping ground for garbage should be strictly prohibited.

The Independent Association met in Room A at 10 Saturday, to elect the week the current can be turned editors for the U. of M. Daily. Some on. The new lights will prove a time was spent in discussing a progreat improvement over the old sys- posed amendment to the constitution providing for the election of editors ous offices are awaiting the change at the end of each semester. The of editors resulted as follows: Literary-S. W. Curtiss, F. D. Green, G. L. Chapman, W. H. Dellenback, J. C. Travis, '92; W. P. Parker, F. E. Jannette, G. B. Dygert, '93; C. W. Ricketts, Charles Weller, '94; D. B. Cheever, '91. Law—H. D. Jewell, '91: L. I. Abbott, 91; Ralph Stone, '92. Medics \$Ruggles, '92; J. Arneill, '92.

Yesterday was a particularly dull day in Ann Arbor. The city and proved by the board of public works county offices were almost entirely during the past few weeks, by the deserted during the day and the occonstruction of a number of cross cupants gave themselves up to the more pressing duties of election. The ward worker was in his element and at his post from the opening until the closing of the polls, and "vote as early as you can and as often as you can" was his maxim and advice. The saloons were all closed—that is to say, the front doors were-and all excitement was transferred from the streets to the vicinity of the polls. Election day Nissly is one of the brightest of is never conducive to excessive business, and yesterday was no exception to the general rule.

Yesterday was the day when a man's income could not be judged by the number of cigars that he smoked. In fact constant use of the weed on election day is a pretty good sign that the man using it has Daniel O'Keefe, the republican no income at all. But it gives the candidate for city clerk, came un- poor man, the stingy man and the comfortably near being unable to man who ordinarily smokes a clay run for office yesterday. Last Satur- pipe the chance to put on all the object, and plunging forward, threw just as good appearance around the Mr. O'Keefe violently to the ground. polls as the man who was furnishing The horse ran for a short distance, the money to hold his favor. He but was captured after doing no could ride in a hack also. No, further injury than breaking the not on the box, but in the inside. He made his way "from poll to The A. A. & Y. street railway will poll," as the London newspapers tee.

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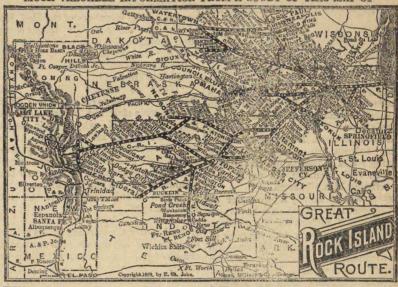
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ECHOES FROM THE OLD FARM.

When the crop is on the market and the cash

O, it's then's the time a feller is a-feelin' at his

When he rises from his supper, then downward pulls his vest;
And he smokes his pipe in comfort and then
goes and winds the clock,

When the crop is on the market and the cash is in his sock.

There's something kind o' cheerful like about

There's something kind o' cheerful like about the farmer's eyes

When he knows the summer's over and he doesn't have to rise

About the time the daylight's a-peepin' through the gloom,

And work until the moon's up 'mid the grain that's all in bloom;

But instead he sorter calcalates he'll hook his old "Buck" and "Jess"

To his cutter in the evenin', and put on his

To his cutter in the evenin', and put on his

Sunday dress, Then go a-courtin' Lizer, with her apron and new frock,

When the crop is on the market and the cash is in his sock.

Oh, the huskin' and the spellin' bees-the winter's harmless fun;
The raspin' of the fiddle when the dancin' is begun;
The jingle of the sleigh bells, your best gal in

the sled;
The kissin' and the huggin' when the old folks

are in bed;
The roastin' of the chestnuts, the neighbors droppin' in;
The eatin' of the apples, drinkin' cider from a

tin. Oh, it sets my heart a prancin', like a struttin' turkey cock.

When the crop is on the market and the cash is in the sock. -Boston Transcript.

TIMMY'S RALLY.

Little Timmy Mulligan was very sick. Some of his chums said in an awed whisper, "He is dyin' dis time, sure

No more would his 9-year-old war whoop resound around the corner. No more would the lake front know Timmy, his bare feet, and his stone bruises. Never again would he occupy the pitcher's box and captain the "Red Hots, de champeens uv all de 9-year-olds on de wes'-side"—a nine which, through Capt. Timmy's masterly inshoots, had attained proud pre-eminence. Never again would Timmy refresh his jaded spirits by throwing rocks at the Italian on the corner, who had incurred his enmity by once refusing him a banana.

Timmy was as sturdy a youngster as ever the west side turned out; he was as manly and self reliant as the average Chicago 9-year-old. He was the cock of the walk among all his companions—the best swimmer, the best fighter and the best pitcher in the ward. The neighborhood was lonesome without Timmy. People could not imagine "what was on the boy," once so hearty and vigorous, to keep to his bed.

The little invalid lay stretched out on his couch as flat and pallid as a pancake, in the front room away up in Sylvester Mulligan's ten story flat building. The neighbors were coming in droves to cheer up the ailing youngster.

"You're not goan to lave me, yer poor ould mither, are ye, Timmy ashore?" wailed his mother, rocking from side to side in her frenzy of grief, like a ship in a storm, her voice choked with grief, her eyes drowned in tears.

"Ye were allus a dutiful child to me, Timmy alanna, and ye wud not be afther lavin' yer poor old mither to fight the warld alone, now wad ye? You're the only boy I have left, Timmy, and ye'll not lave me now afther raisin' ye as long as I have. Sphake to him, Father Murphy; plase do, yer rivirince—he'll moind you. He waz allus a good hearted boy, ough a trifle wild. Rayson wid him, father. The fayver has rached his brain, and he turns his face to the wall from me. He won't sphake to me. Oh, it's heart scalded I am!"

"What's this I hear, Timmy, about your talking of dying?" cheerfully sung out the good Father Murphy, approaching the bedside of the little sufferer and taking the boy's wasted hand in his own. "Why, you're worth a dozen dead men yet. I could never spare you in the world. Who could I put in your place as monitor in the school? Who else could I get to run my errands and to bring me my Evening News, eh? Why, Timmy, my boy, you are indispensable to the parish—you're a little pillar of the church—all by yourself. You're only pretending to be sick-you who were always so strong and hearty, with the rosiest cheeks and the brightest eye of all the lads for squares around. Brace up, and leave all thoughts of dying to old folk like your mother and myself. Do you hear, Tim?"

Tim did hear, nodding his head feverishly upon his clammy pillow. His eyes burned with an unnatural fire. They had the appealing glance of a wounded deer; it would melt your heart but to look at them.

The little invalid tossed uneasily upon the bed; his curling hair, damp with perspiration and pain, strayed uneasily o'er the pillow; his thin hands beat the coverlid with the petulance of a sturdy youngster unused to such close confinement. Yet he spoke not a word.

"Haven't you a word for your old teacher, Tim, my boy?" asked Father Murphy, softly.

"Where's Corkey O'Neill?" yelled out Timmy suddenly, heedless of the worthy priest's entreaty. "I wanter see Corkey; bring 'im up 'ere immejiate.'

Corkey was instantly produced, shufffing shamefacedly across the room to the bedside of his stricken comrade. Tim's brow was knitted in meditation. His fingers played a tattoo on the blanket. He had a load on his mind he wanted to dump. Turning restlessly, he unburdened himself thus: "I done ye up two weeks ter day,

Corkey admitted the "doing up. "But I fout ye fair, Corkey; I didn't use brass knuckles!"

Corkey was forced to declare that brass knuckles took no active part in the youthful encounter.

"Ye sed I wuz a 'snide,' Corkey, didn't

It appeared that Corkey had said so.

"I t'umped ye pretty hard. I blacked both o' yer eyes--or wuz it ony one?" It was "ony one," for Corkey still bore

is in your sock.

And you hear the clink and jingle of the key turned in the lock.

And the clinking of the "pennies" and the clanking of the "tens,"

And the grocery man is paid up and no more his bill he sen's:

It was "ony one," for Corkey still bore the echo of it on his tinted left optic.

"Well, wot I wanter say, Corkey, is I'm sorry I bunged you up so bad. I don't believe I could whip you the way I am here, but ef you want satisfaction ye can take it out o' me now-if you

bear enny hard feelings." "I wouldn't hit a dying kid, not fer de hull west side," cried out Corkey, sob-bing as if his heart would break; "ye only guv me wot I deserved, Timmy. had no right roastin' you de way I did."

"Who duz the Red Hots play a Sunday?"
"We wuz a goan to play de Hard

Times, Timmy, but now dat you're sick an' can't pitch we've declared the match off; we'd git skunked."

"Wot did ye do dat for?" savagely exclaimed Timmy. "I've a good mind to black yer other eye for ye."

"Well, we all made up we wudn't play till ye got well, Tim; it's no use going out on de dimund unless you're pitchin'." Mr. Mulligan appeared to see matters

in the proper light. "Well, I guess you're about right, Corkey," he was moved to admit. "I guess I'll hav ter get well. I wanter

skunk dat crowd of Hard Times wid me inshoots and me new snake curve that I've been studying out here the last two weeks while I've been rastlin' wid de blankets. Wot duz de gang say about me, Corkey, layin' here in me bed on the flat o' me back, like an old granny-me who wuz never sick before?"

"Say, Tim, dey're orful sorry; they'd cum up here themselves to see ye, ony yer ole 'ooman wudn't let 'em."

"Stick yer hed out uv the windy and yell for 'em to come up," commanded the prostrate pitcher.

Corkey thrust his Bulwer Lytton brow out of the window, emitting a yell that caused all the members of the Red Hots to file into the room on tiptoe, wiping their mouths with their coat sleeves, and hanging their heads. "Hello, fellers!"

"Hello, Tim!"

"Wot's de matter wid ye, Philly Burke? Wot are ye snivellin' for? Didn't ye ever see a sick kid before? An' you, too, Patsy Carroll—why, I nivir see sich weakeners as you kids before in all me life. You're a nice gang to let yourself be bluffed by them Hard Times crowd. Ye have no more sand in yer craw than a chicken. I've a good notion to sick me poodle on de hull gang o' ye. Cum up yere, Danger!"

The little black and tan that had retreated under the bureau, where he kept up growling and showing his teeth at the crowd of strange visitors, jumped up on the bed and began licking his youthful master's hand. Then, turning round, he glared fiercely at the roomful of sympathizers, his tail lashing the bed, his little black nose uplifted defiantly. He showed his teeth in a subdued and dangerous snarl, as if looking out for the shins of the undertaker. All through little Tim's sickness the dog had hung around his master's room in a subdued and listless manner. When not squatting on the sick boy's pillow, licking Tim's hot and feverish hand and vigilantly guarding his restless slumber, the dog would slink away under the bed, as if the boy's illness had affected him also, and had cowed his honest bark and native pluck into a cowardly snarling and showing of his vicious teeth.

"If that dood of a doctor comes a-monkeying around here enny more a-pizening me with the medicines he makes me swaller, we'll giv him hydrophobywon't we, Danger?"

assent.

"Sind out the kittle for a quart o' beer. gang as has called on me. I guess it'll be about square. Whin ye go over with the growler to Danny Shay's, Corkey, mind ye scoop in all the free lunch ye can crib. I guess I could go a little cheese sandwich meself. Be sure you tell Danny Shay to pack the growler as tight as he can, Corkey," was the latter part of the languid yet hospitable injunction of the stricken Timmy, as he turned over on his side for a refreshing slumber, the vigilant Danger snugly perched on

Mr. Mulligan, I am pleased to state, recovered in time to give the Hard Times the worst skunking they ever got.

In that match, digging his toenails in the pitcher's box, his cap cocked rakishly over his left eye, and Danger coaching "on de side" and howling like a demon when his master struck out any of the opposing batsmen, Timmy ladled out to the demoralized Hard Times those justly celebrated curves of his, reinforced with the famous snake shoot which he had acquired while tossing oranges on a feverish bed.

Timmy was carried home to the Nineteenth ward in triumph, Danger bringing up the rear, leaving in his trail the vibrating air churned to a white heat by his wagging tail.—James E. Kinsella in Chicago News.

Saved Health and Penny, Too.

Amusing incidents often are met with Amusing incidents often are met with other way. This particular section is on the streets, in which those who are admirably adapted for country homes the central figures are totally oblivious of the part they are taking. A night or two ago a poorly clad child, with her mother, was gazing anxiously into a confectionery store window on Broadway, Camden. The mother was endeavering to break a piece from a pretzel which the child held in her hand. The little one, about 6 years old, was appealing to the mother for a penny with which to buy some candy. The woman dropped the basket on her arm, and the world had learned that driving in startled the child and those around by exclaiming:

"No, no, my tear child, dot will not do for you; your mammy loves her little When you eat dot candies it makes you feel so bad yust like when you takes dot castor oil." The child did not require a second warning, and with a smile the woman picked up the basket, munched the pretzel and walked up the street.—Philadelphia Press.

A MODERN INSTANCE.

John Gilmer Speed Writes of the Roads of an Isolated Township.

As age in America is reckoned, Mendham, N. J., is an old settlement. The church which stands on the hilltop and is a landmark for miles around was established in its present location 152 years ago. In the churchyard there are tombstones commemorating worthies who passed over to the great majority ten, twenty and thirty years earlier. Until after the war this, an exclusively agricultural section, was prosperous in a moderate and quiet way, though there has probably from the beginning never dwelt within the township a man who could really be called rich. During all this time and up to the present there has never been a mile of railroad in the township, and the farmers have been absolutely obliged to depend on the highways and country roads to get their surplus products to market. It is seven miles from here to the county town, though only about four miles of this distance is within the township. This is the chief highway, and every man in the neighborhood is obliged to use this highway more or less.

Upon inquiry I found that the total mileage of the township roads is thirtyfive. If this total were divided into three classes we should have five miles in the first class, ten in the second and twenty in the third. These three classes

I should define about in this way:

1st Class—The main highway over
some part of which all the people of the township must drive in order to transact business at the township village and postoffice and the county seat.

2d Class—Boads over which, to reach the main highway, the dwellers in certain sections must go.

3d Class-The roads subsidiary to those of the second class and necessary to very few persons.

How any of these roads came to be located as they are I do not know. Certainly they were not laid out with reference to the topography of the country. During the century and a half in which many of these roads have been opened there has been first and last a good deal of stone put in the center of the roads, but it is true also that there never has been a mile of road constructed in a method any engineer or skilled road builder would commend. The worst feature, however, is the method of maintaining these highways. For many years past the tax levy for roads has been \$1,600 per year. Such a sum could not be expected to go very far with thirtyfive miles of road.

But, then, the one principal highway across the township is only five miles long, and upon it, I think, fully one-half of this sum should be expended, while one-half of the other half should be expended on each of the other classes. There seems to be no system, however, regulating the expenditure of this money, which by the way, is not money. But as to that directly: The township committee apportions the levy among the various districts, each in charge of a road overseer. In this, kissing goes very much by favor, notwithstanding the fact that every man on the committee, and indeed every man in the township, has a direct personal interest in bettering the condition of the roads. But as they lack the knowledge without which roads can neither be built nor maintained-it does not make much difference how they divide up the

When the spring planting is over the overseers summon the farmers to come and help work the roads. They know that all of them mean to work out their tax, and their labor is accounted for at men out, and then it is bad time for the I wanter do the right thing and treat degang as has called on me. I guess it'll hansted. Were it not for these two traveler. They don't work very hard, merciful facts the roads would be impassable nearly all the time. Their method is simplicity itself. They plow up all the sod along the sides of the road and throw it into the center, together with what mud they can find in the ditches. All stones are carefully thrown against the fences on either side. This surface an abundance of loose stones, which only need to be broken slightly to make the best kind of road material. Besides this there is an abundance of limestone easy of access and gravel as

highways. It would sicken me to go into the computation. Now as to what it would cost to thor-

oughly equip this township with excellent roads. I estimate that \$10,000 per mile would build the roads of the first class; \$5,000 per mile those of the second class and \$2,000 per mile those of the third. This would make a total of \$130,-000. That seems an enormous sum when it is taken into consideration that the assessor only found \$850,000 in the township last year. But look at it in anfor city people. The lovely hills rise gracefully and green one over the other in groups and stretches, until one can easily imagine while here that it is an Italian sky above him and that he is sojourning in picturesque Tuscany. If the experience of Mr. Nevin, of Summit, be of value, the assessor would find at least \$2,000,000 worth of property as the roads hereabout was a pleasure instead of a pain. This is, I fancy, a picture of the con-

dition of thousands of neighborhoods in the United States, and I have only drawn it because while local it is also typical. JNO. GILMER SPEED.

The new raspberry Gladstone originated with Charles Carpenter, Kelly's

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TO INVESTORS AND HOMESEEKERS.

The University of Michigan have purchased ten acres of land opposite

HAMILTON, ROSE AND SHEEHAN'S

ABBITION

TO THE CITY OF ANN ARBOR,

On South State Street. A new Gymnasium will be built on this ground.

We believe Ann Arbor is the best city in Michigan in which to live. The educational advantages here are unsurpassed. The streets are broad and well kept. Ann Arbor has a low rate of taxation. It has the best system of water works in the west. Our addition is just

BLOCKS FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

It has a front of one hundred rods on State street, the best residence street in the city. Its location is unsurpassed for health and convenience. The levels taken by our engineer, Geo. W. Sanborn, show the lowest point on our addition to be higher than Main street in front of the Savings Bank. The slope of the ground is such, that the drainage is perfect, having a fall of from six to ten feet. We have laid six inch drain pipe across our land. We have filed our plat and have given eight and one-half acres for a park. We have paid fitty dollars for a handsome and attractive plan for a Park. Work has been commenced on the streets and Park.

Seven New Houses Already Contracted For

\$1.50 per day, when the regular rate of to be built upon our addition this year. New sidewalks have been laid, 1100 (eleven Danger showed his red gums in fierce hiring is only \$1.25. No one pays his road tax in money except those who are non-resident owners, and one or two University have already purchased lots in this addition and will soon build good houses on We have mode the their lots. All the lots have an alley sixteen feet wide in the rear. We have made the

PRICE OF LOTS VERY LOW.

method of working the roads is in a sec- If you buy a lot we believe you will double your money in three years' time. The investment is as safe as a savings bank and the gain in value much more rapid. Ten new houses will be built on South State Street this year.

well.

Who can compute the amount of loss the various generations who have dwelt here in the last century and a half have sustained by reason of these ill constructed and wretchedly maintained

We will sell lots for cash. We will sell lots on time payments. We will sell lots to parties who wish to build houses at once and will help them to furnish money to build. Firty thousand dollars in new buildings on State Street this year.

BUY A LOT.

MONEY MADE.

Payments may be made by the week, by the month or by the year to suit purchasers. Call at Sheehan's Store or at Hamilton Block to see the plat. We have the Park Plans. We desire those intending to purchase lots to examine them. The new buildings on State street this year will amount to Fifty Thousand Dollars.

INVESTIGATE WHAT WE HAVE

soon as the roads had been built and then judge for yourselves. This is better than a Loan and Investment Association.

YOUR MONEY IS KEPT AT HOME. Look over our Addition and investigate for yourselves.

Two New Houses, with modern improvements, to Rent. Appy to

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