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He Gets Our Order

And it was the biggest order Santa Claus was ever called upon to honor. You can have no idea of the display we are making in

Neckwear, Mufflers, Silk Umbrellas and Smoking Jackets

Unless you come and look at them. Don't stand on ceremony—the time at your disposal is getting limited. You can take your pick now; come before the cream has gone. Nothing nicer than a pair of

GLOVES, SUSPENDERS, NECK SCARF, MUFLER, SMOKING JACKET, SILK UMBRELLA.

For one of your brothers, father, or gentlemen friends. That little boy would also be tickled to death with one of those

STYLISH HANDSOME SUITS

—AT THE—

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE

And his bigger brother would stretch an inch should he be permitted to don a new suit.

A. L. NOBLE,

33 SOUTH MAIN STREET. LEADING CLOTHIER AND HATTER.

KEEP FEET WARM.

LADIES' BEAVER LACE SHOES	.90	LADIES' BEAVER FOXED BUTTON	2.00
LADIES' BEAVER FOXED BUTTON	1.25	LADIES' BEAVER BUTTON, HEAVY WOOL LINED	2.50
WARM SLIPPERS	50-75		\$1 00-25

GOODSPEED'S.

"Luck is ever waiting for something to turn up. Labor with keen eyes and strong will, will turn up something."—CORDEN.

We did not wait. Ten days ago we went East, and this is what we turned up:

Seven Thousand Dollars' Worth of

SUITS AND OVERCOATS

At our own price. We never saw anything like it. Fine Suits and Overcoats at cheap Prices. We are going to stir up the clothing business of this county and give the people

Better Styles, Better Fits and Better Values Than They Have Ever Had.

When you have a garment offered to you at $\frac{1}{2}$ or $\frac{1}{3}$ off this time of the year, look out for it. Examine it closely and you will find that it is an old resident of the town. The vintage of '76. Everything in our stock is new and you take no chances in buying of us. Call on us and you will see the largest and best selected stock in the city.

Wadhams, Kennedy & Reule,

HANGSTERFER BLOCK. 28 S. MAIN STREET.

CORNWELL-SWIFT CASE

The Supreme Court Affirms the Decision in this Case.

DEATH OF TWO PROMINENT CITIZENS.

Hon. D. M. McIntyre and Henry Paul Pass Away.—The December Crop Report.—News from the East and the West.—First Year Book of St. Andrew's Church.

The Cornwell-Swift Case Affirmed.

An opinion was handed down in the supreme court, Wednesday, affirming the decision and damages given in the Cornwell-Swift case.

The case was started by the Cornwell Mfg. Co., four years ago against J. M. Swift et al. to compel the defendants to lower the flash boards on their dam. The defendants then commenced a cross-suit to compel the Cornwells to remove the dam which they had erected. On these suits an alternative verdict was rendered, which has now been affirmed by the supreme court. The Cornwell Mfg. Co. was to pay J. M. Swift & Co. \$15,500 and the Ann Arbor Agricultural Co. \$5,000 or else remove the dam at the pulp mill, and the defendants were allowed to raise the flash-boards on their dam to four feet.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

Martha L. Smurthwaite et al. vs. Mary A. Thomas. Verdict of \$643.60 for plaintiffs.

Adolph Kemper vs. City of Ann Arbor. Continued by consent.

Julie E. Shankland vs. Elexis Renwick. Suit to recover money and note paid for a horse which complainant claimed was not as represented and returned. Verdict of \$167.64 for plaintiff.

Fred Schable vs. L. S. & M. S. Ry Co. Continued by consent.

Regina Switzer vs. George Switzer. Suit for slander. Verdict for plaintiff, damages \$1,000. Proceedings stayed until first of next term to allow defendant to move for new trial.

The Pitts Agricultural Works vs. Joseph Wagner and Charles Wagner. Suit to recover value of a threshing machine which plaintiffs claim was not as represented. On trial.

Keep Their Stables Locked.

A number of our most prominent farmers throughout the county complain that they have been taken in by a sharper who has been here recently. A few weeks ago, a young, well-dressed man appeared here and announced that he wanted to purchase horses to be sent to the lumber camps. He visited the farms about the northern part of the county, selected the very best horses that he could find, and agreed to purchase. He would then go to another farmer and do the same, in this way visiting a dozen or more and arranging to purchase as many teams. He always enjoyed the hospitality of the farmers. He suddenly disappeared and has not been seen since. What his motives were is not known, but those whom he made bargains for horses with have concluded that they were not good ones at any rate, and they have placed extra locks on their stables and keep a watch on their stock.

News From a Washtenawian.

Christian Fritz, of Lima, has recently received a letter from his son, Reuben Fritz, who went west a couple of years ago. He is now foreman at the lumber yard at Clatskanie, Oregon, and has recently taken up 160 acres of government land on which it is estimated that there is from twelve to fifteen million feet of standing timber. He sends a photograph and description of probably the largest stick of timber ever cut. The piece is to be used as a bar at Chicago during the World's Fair, by a prominent brewing company, but was cut and dressed by the company for which he is working. It is square, four feet and five inches on each side, and 111 feet long. The piece of timber weighs 90,000 pounds and was loaded on three 34-foot flat-cars for transportation. It will be polished and decorated in the finest style, before being placed in the big beer-hall for which it is to be permanently located. Before being taken to Chicago, the timber will be exhibited at all the eastern cities as one of the greatest products of our country, of which it certainly must be a worthy representative.

The December Crop Report.

The December crop report, the last to bear the official signature of Dan'l E. Soper, the ex-secretary of state, has been received. It shows returns from 603 correspondents who reside in 510 townships. These reports show the condition of wheat better than in November, but still far from satisfactory. In the southern counties damage by the Hessian fly is reported. The total amount of wheat marketed in the state in November was 1,638,968 bushels, making the total for the past four months 7,010,955 bushels.

In Washtenaw county, the showing is above the average. The condition of wheat is 98 per cent, as compared with average years; horses, 99 per cent.; cattle, 96 per cent.; sheep, 98 per cent.; swine, 98 per cent.

The number of bushels of wheat reported marketed at fifteen mills and elevators in the county during November was 45,448, which with the 149,608 bushels before reported makes 195,056 bushels marketed since Aug. 1st.

The number of acres of improved land in the county is 278,538, and unimproved 109,317, making a total of 387,855 acres. This is divided into 3,416 farms averaging 113.54 acres each.

News from the East.

The following is taken from the Ypsilantian, regarding a young man well known in this city, who is now on an exploring trip in the Philippine Islands:

"We notice that Mr. F. S. Bourns, whose father was once pastor of the M. E. church here, and who is one of the party now among the Philippine Islands collecting natural history specimens, is writing some very interesting letters to the Minneapolis papers. The party is visiting the different islands and find much to instruct and many specimens which will be sent home. The following clipping refers to an interesting interview he had with a priest on the island of San Antonio Siquitor and shows that the boys are not entirely destitute of amusement. Here is what the priest told him:

First I was informed that Columbus discovered America. Fortunately he did not know the date of the discovery so I was spared that pain. Then I was told of a few of the settlements that were made by the Spaniards in America. Then he took a skip and came down to the time when, as my instructor told me, England was busy imposing taxes on tea, etc. Then he told us a very interesting little story in which a cherry tree, a hatchet and a small boy named Washington figured. Then he told me that the Spaniard would always remember with gratitude Washington's visit to Spain and his campaign with the allied troops in 1814! He spoke of the size of our country and told me that we had 24 states. At this point my national pride overcame my discretion and I ventured to remark that the number had recently been increased somewhat so that we now had 44 states. But I was rebuffed for my presumption and was told that I had been misinformed. I was completely crushed and did not again attempt to display my ignorance."

Death of Ex-Regent McIntyre.

Donald McIntyre died at his residence on W. Huron street, Monday evening, of general debility and old age. For several years past he has been breaking down and his mind has been failing, until for some months past he has been as helpless as a child.

Mr. McIntyre was born at Johnstown, N. Y., in 1807. He came to Ann Arbor in 1845 and opened a bank in this village soon afterwards. He continued in business here until 1871, when the retired and went back to his birthplace, Johnstown, N. Y., and spent the next ten years of his life. In 1881 he returned to Ann Arbor and has since lived a quiet and retired life in this city.

Mr. McIntyre when in his vigor was an incessant worker for educational development of the state. He was a representative in the state legislature in 1855 and was the father of the bill providing for the present union school system of Michigan. From 1858 to 1864 he served as a regent of the university and in this service helped materially to shape the future policy and success of that institution. When co-education was but a dream he was interested in this matter and worked for it for years. While a regent he wrote and worked for this end, corresponding on this subject with Horace Greeley and the other leading men of the time, and when his term as regent ended he continued in this work until he saw the University of Michigan, the first institution of note to throw open her doors to women. From 1864 to 1872, Mr. McIntyre was treasurer of the University. He antagonized Pres. Tappan in his charge of the University affairs and was instrumental in his resignation, the reason given for

his opposition being that the president served wine on his table, Mr. McIntyre being a strict temperance man.

He was always a public man, although taking but little interest in partisan politics. He was a leading member of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. McIntyre was married twice and was the father of a large family. His second wife and four children survive him—Mrs. J. H. Burleson, Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. W. W. Wetmore, Ann Arbor; Mrs. A. B. Pomeroy, Westmoreland, Ks.; Donald D. McIntyre, Cadillac.

Death of Henry Paul.

Died, at his residence in Pittsfield, Sunday evening, Dec. 20th at 9:45 o'clock, Henry Paul, aged 51 years and 6 months.

Mr. Paul had been suffering for about two years of cancer of the stomach and his death was not unexpected, the only thing which kept him alive for some time past being his rugged constitution and strong will-power. He suffered greatly, but on Saturday became unconscious and remained so until his death.

Probably no more popular nor more prominent farmer than Mr. Paul resided within the borders of Washtenaw county. He was born in the township of Scio, June 3rd, 1840, his parents being Jacob and Mary Paul, who came to this country from Wurttemberg, Germany, in 1830 and took up the farm from the government on which the subject of this sketch was born. He worked on the farm for his father and by frugality and economy was able to purchase the homestead of his father in 1862, continuing to occupy it until 1866. In that year he moved to Ann Arbor, which he made his home for the succeeding twelve years. He was engaged in various enterprises here, among which was the furniture manufacture, originating the Michigan Furniture Co., which succeeded him. In 1877, he gave up a mercantile life and again returned to farming, purchasing and moving upon the farm where he died in Pittsfield township. His educational advantages were meagre, being only those offered by the district schools, yet he attained an education in practical life which served him far better than books.

Mr. Paul was a democrat in politics and served the public in various offices, having been elected supervisor of Pittsfield, although that township was strongly republican, and he was also a school trustee for thirteen years. He has also been treasurer of the Washtenaw County Agricultural and Horticultural Society and of the Washtenaw German Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co., and at the time of his death held the position of secretary of the latter organization.

On May 29th, 1862, he was married to Miss Catherine Koch, who with three children survive him.

The funeral was held at the residence in Pittsfield, Wednesday morning, services afterwards being held at Bethlehem church in this city. The remains were interred in the German cemetery on the Jackson road and were followed to the grave by a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends.

The St. Andrew's Year Book.

The Year Book of St. Andrew's church for 1891 has just been issued from the Argus presses. It was carefully prepared by the rector of the church, Rev. Henry Tatlock, and presents an imposing array of facts and figures, showing the many diverse interests which come under the rector's charge, and the work which the parish has been doing. Rev. Mr. Tatlock, as rector, is assisted by two assistant ministers, Rev. Robert A. Holland, Jr., curator of Harris Hall, and Rev. Louis P. Jocelyn, in charge of Geddes Mission, and one lay reader, Mr. Ernest J. Dennen, in charge of Foster's Mission.

In the past two years, the number of communicants has increased from 364 to 504, and the number of families in the congregation from 226 to 351, and the number of souls in the congregation from 680 to 1,014.

The vested choir, under the charge of John Howard Allen, organist, consists of twenty sopranos, six altos, four tenors, eight basses.

The parish property is valued at \$80,000, including \$2,500 endowment fund. The parish has no indebtedness. The endowment funds are the Seaman fund, \$1,000, for maintaining the Sunday school and parish libraries; the David Henning fund, \$500, for Sunday-school and county house festival, one-half each; the Chambers fund, \$500, for parish expenses; the

Rebecca Henriques fund, \$500, for parish expenses.

The receipts for the financial year were \$7,380.90 and the total disbursements, \$6,893.80. Not included in this was \$2,416.29 received and expended for church improvements.

The fund for missions and charities received \$819.35 from 108 subscribers. The trustees of this fund are Rev. Henry Tatlock, H. Soule, Mrs. V. C. Morris, Mrs. E. A. Rathbone, H. J. Brown and J. M. Wheeler.

The parish statistics show many interesting features, among them the following: Baptisms, 36; whole number of baptized persons in the parish, 881; confirmed during the year, 69; whole number of confirmed persons in the parish, 530; communicants reported last advent, 411; admitted, 69; received from other parishes, 63; total added, 132; died, 7; removed from parish, 32; total lost, 39; present number, 504. Marriages, 8; burials, 21; public services, Sundays, 150; other days 152, total 302; celebrations of holy communion,—public 70, private 11, total, 81; congregation—families and parts of families, 351; number of souls, 1,014; students not included, 300; total number about 1,300; Sunday-schools, teachers and officers, 36; scholars—337.

The parish has charge of the mission Sunday-school at Geddes, which meets each Sunday afternoon, and has 72 scholars. The rector or assistant minister holds services at Geddes the second Sunday of each month. The Foster's mission Sunday-school has 45 scholars and the rector or assistant holds services at this mission the third Sunday of every month. Services are also held at the county house on the first Sunday of every month. The parish Sunday-school, which meets Sunday noon, is now studying the life of St. Paul. At four o'clock each Sunday afternoon, Prof. F. N. Scott conducts a seminary and Bible study in Harris Hall, and he is now lecturing on "The Book of Job."

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew's, organized for work among the young men of the church, contains nineteen members, with Geo. H. Pond as director, M. Duke as secretary and Geo. H. Snow as treasurer.

The society of Women Workers, recently organized for work among women, contains forty members, the rector being president, and Mrs. V. C. Morris secretary.

The Ladies' Aid Society was organized in 1866 and the present officers are Mrs. B. M. Thompson, president, and Miss Annie Condon, secretary and treasurer. It includes all the ladies of the church and has charge of the socials given, its object being to raise funds for parish purposes.

The Chancel Society, organized in 1876, cares for the chancel and its furnishings. During the year its receipts were \$542.67. The officers are Miss Annie Condon, president; Miss Minnie Drake, secretary; Miss Elizabeth L. Beckwith, treasurer.

The Woman's Auxiliary was organized in 1891 for missionary work. Its officers are Mrs. L. M. Palmer, president; Mrs. C. S. Millen, secretary; Mrs. J. M. Wheeler, librarian. Its funds are divided between the salary of a missionary in the upper peninsula, a school in West Virginia, a teacher in Japan, and the Harris memorial medical scholarship in St. John's College, Shanghai.

The Junior Auxiliary was organized last September and numbers thirty members. Its officers are Margaret L. Tatlock, president; H. J. Brown, Jr., vice-president; Edith D. Nancrede, secretary; Elsa G. Stanley, treasurer. They have just filled a Christmas box to be sent to the Indians in South Dakota, and are now preparing to furnish a room in a missionary school to be named the Urania Voorhees Brown room.

The Hobart Guild is officered as follows: Rev. Henry Tatlock, president ex-officio; Rev. R. A. Holland, Jr., curator; Miss Katherine B. Camp, vice-president; E. C. Nichols, recording secretary; A. Andrews, corresponding secretary; Ross C. Whitman, treasurer. The Guild has two endowed lecture-ships.

The Ideal Spring is the most comfortable and luxurious bed made. For sale at Martin Haller's.

The Michigan Central will sell round trip tickets on account of the holidays at one and one-third fare for the round trip, on Dec. 24th, 25th and 31st, and January 1st, limited until January 4. 71-73.

Those desiring handsome presents for their friends, and who wish to make their dollars go a long ways, can find some bargains at Mrs. Pond's State St. Store. Hand-painted articles. Decorative articles. Call and see for yourself.

COUNTY.

The Chelsea schools have 371 pupils on the rolls.

Wm. Culy and Mrs. B. C. Whitaker, both of Dexter, died last week.

The annual New Year's ball will be held at the Lake House, Whitmore Lake, Jan. 1st, '92.

A Good Templar lodge has been organized at Stockbridge with eighteen charter members.

W. J. Knapp has been elected superintendent of the Chelsea Congregational Sunday-school.

The next meeting of the Saline Farmers' club will be held at the residence of Geo. J. Nissly, Jan. 8th.

Thos. W. Barnes, cashier of the bank at Dundee, was married at Milan, December 16, to Miss Kittie E. Knight.

Sharon expects a postoffice to be established there. C. C. Dorr also expects so—he expects to be postmaster.

Henry Franklin, of Sylvan, had to have a thumb amputated because he run a fusing peg into it a short time ago.

Wm. Sott, of Sharon, recently cut his leg with a butcher knife. He died on Tuesday of last week of blood poisoning.

Waddell Post, G. A. R., of Howell, held a service Friday evening, in memory of their comrades who have died during the past year.

The Ypsilanti creamery is to commence business about February 1. The profits above seven per cent. are to be divided among those who bring milk to the establishment.

Half a hundred Tecumsehites are trying to get rid of their awkwardness and learning to dance under the supervision of Eugene Smith, of Hill d. l., who writes "Prof." before his name.

Frank Divens does not seem to consider his neck very valuable. We understand he has settled with James Halladay for \$40. The general opinion is that Halladay paid more than his whole body was worth.—Clinton Local.

Tuesday last, Adam Kalmbach met with quite a serious accident. He was coming to town with a load of turkeys when the team became frightened, throwing Mr. Kalmbach out, and injuring him quite seriously.—Chelsea Standard.

Milan feels proud of the fire-fighting outfit which she bought of Ann Arbor, last week, and has already organized a full-fledged fire department with E. C. Hinckley as chief. The department is holding public drills, much to the admiration of the villagers.

Thursday evening as the passengers were alighting from the Grand Rapids train, the North Shore Limited, which was late, came tearing down the track and but for timely warning a terrible accident might have occurred. The only damage done was to the American Express Co.'s truck, which was badly smashed.—Chelsea Standard.

J. S. Bray tied a rope around the smoke-stack of the water tank engine house at Milan, and attaching himself to the other end, went to work painting the building. The smoke-stack end of the rope became untied and Bray fell to the ground, a distance of seventeen feet. It was a hard fall, but no bones were broken, although he is pretty nearly broken up in all other particulars.

It is said that May White, the Stock-bridge sleeper, who has now slept about all the time for the past 180 days, seems to be slowly recovering, although Dr. Brown is not sanguine that she will be completely cured. It takes her physician less than 20 minutes to awaken her now, and during the past week she has been awake eight hours at a time. During her sleep she has lost over 70 pounds in weight, tipping the beam at 50 pounds. Of late she has gained four pounds, however. When sleeping, she still remains perfectly rigid, but when awake she possesses full mental powers, converses with friends and reads.—Jackson Courier.

Commendable.

All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the Cal. Fig Syrup Company. It acts gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually, but it is not a cure-all and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

The great Cromwell left the university at Cambridge at 18.

A Leader.

Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popular favor, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c. per bottle. Sold by Eberbach & Son, Ann Arbor, and G. Haussler, Manchester.

Emery.

Mr. Valentine, of Brighton, spent Sunday with friends here.

R. S. Coy, of Mason, spent Sunday with J. B. Laraway and family.

Lizzie Brundage is reported on the gain and in hopes to be out again in a short time.

Dr. Breakey, of Ann Arbor, was upon our streets on Wednesday evening of last week.

The young people are all trying to raise money enough to have a term of singing school.

The social at Mrs. T. Renwick's, on last Friday evening, was well attended. Proceeds netted over four dollars.

Forty-Five Years of Bondage.

Gents: For forty-five years I have been afflicted with blood poison, liver and rheumatic difficulties. Part of the time confined to my bed. My blood was badly diseased. Six bottles of Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup did me more good than all the other medicines I have taken. My friends have used it and in every case it has proven a wonderful remedy. I have known of some wonderful cures of dyspepsia and neuralgia.

MRS. MARY BIDDLE, Mitchellville, Iowa.

Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup and Plasters are remedies of great merit. I believe they have no equal in the cure of rheumatism and all blood diseases.

Dr. H. REICHARD, Druggist, Mitchellville, Iowa.

The spring is the time to take Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup for the blood. For sale by all druggists. Prepared only by the Charles Wright Medicine Company, Detroit, Mich.

Lima.

Mrs. Geo. English, of Gilead, is visiting her father, J. E. Cooley.

The young folks danced in disguise at the town hall last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freer, of Dansville, spent Sunday with his uncle, Lewis Freer.

Miss Ida Eisenbach, of Freedom, died Friday morning, the 18th, at her sister's, Mrs. C. Kline.

Lafayette Grange has elected officers as follows: Master, H. Baldwin; O., W. E. Stocking; L., Mrs. H. Baldwin; chaplain, T. Baldwin; S., Jay Easton; A. S., J. J. Wood; L. A. S., Mrs. J. J. Wood; treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Stocking; secretary, O. C. Burkhardt; G. K., W. H. Dancer.

For } MR. HIRAM TBWEATT, AN
35 } aged and prominent citizen
Years } living near Troy, Alabama,
says that for thirty-five years he was
sorely afflicted with Eczema on his
face. The eruptions were of a large
and cancerous nature. That he tried
a number of experienced physicians,
but with little result, and then re-
ceived only temporary relief. After
having used only seven bottles of S. S.
S., he feels like a new man. The pain-
ful trouble is all gone, and now at
sixty years of age he is once more in
good health, and restored to his fam-
ily. He states that his cure is en-
tirely due to S. S. S. He says that
he is a member of the Methodist Epis-
copal church, South, and that his
postoffice address is Olean, Pike Co.,
Alabama, and that as he wishes all
sufferers to know the good that he
has received from the medicine, he will
take pleasure in answering any in-
quiries that may be sent him. Our
treatise on the blood and skin will be
mailed free. Address,
SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

WANTED.

Fouring Mills at Reynolds, N. D., (\$2,000 bonus); and Maynard, Minn. (Free site and half of stock will be taken.)

Jewelry Stores at Buxton and Neehe, N. D.

Banks at Ashby, Minn., and Williston, N. D.

Hotels at Wahpeton and Grafton, N. D., (Stock will be taken); Crystal, N. D., and Waverly, Minn. (Bonus offered or stock taken).

General Stores, Creameries, Harness Shops, Drug Stores, Shoe Shops, Lumber Yards, Tailor Shops, Hardware Stores, Banks, Carpenter Shops, Saw Mills, Soap Factories, Blacksmith Shops, Meat Markets, Bakeries, Barber Shops, Wagon Shops, Furniture Factories, Machine Shops, etc., needed and solicited by citizens in new and growing towns in Minnesota, the Dakotas and Montana. Free sites and water-power for factories at various places. No charge whatever for information which may lead to the securing of locations by interested parties.

Farmers and stock-raisers wanted to occupy the best and cheapest vacant farming and grazing lands in America. Instances are common every year in the Red River Valley and other localities where land costing \$10 an acre produce \$20 to \$30 worth of grain. Finest sheep, cattle and horse country in America. Millions of acres of Government Land can still be homesteaded convenient to the railway.

Information and publications sent free by F. I. Whitney, St. Paul, Minn.

A watch and chatelaine of black enamel is covered with Egyptian ornaments.

Good and Reliable.

A good and reliable family medicine is Sulphur Bitters. Every Spring for six years I have been troubled with boils. Since I began using Sulphur Bitters, I have not had a single one. You can rely on Sulphur Bitters every time.—Editor Weekly News.

Adrian Press Washtenawisms.

Lawrence J. Damm is the R. S. of Otsenango lodge, I. O. O. F., of Ann Arbor. Damm! pretty name, isn't it?

Dead eels are clogging the wheels of industry at Ann Arbor. One of the mills grinds out about two bushels of them per day.

Under the general heading of "All Danger Removed," the Ann Arbor Argus announces "A new plan of Religious Works," and gives an account of another killing by the cars.

The way Ann Arbor men patronize home industry, is to buy doors for their dwellings in New York. And the Courier approvingly notes the same as a beautiful improvement. Ah!

The Ann Arbor Register speaks of it as the congressional "comic opera." And to add to the comicality, the folds of the late speaker's erstwhile bloated sides will be flapping about "like a Reed shaken by wind."

Some totally depraved person, without fear of the law in this world or fire in the hereafter, kindled a blaze on the Bridgewater bridge, last week. It was discovered by a man who made a bucket brigade of himself and put it out with water carried in his hat.

Philander Perkins, of the Adrian Press, has this much to say of Washtenaw County happenings:

Adolph Kemper sues Ann Arbor for \$1,000 damages, for cutting down the grade of a street, since which he has felt like the "kite," "giddy with his elevation."

Rev. J. T. Sunderland, of Ann Arbor, has issued 80,000 copies of "What Do Unitarians Believe?" This was hardly necessary, as it is generally known that a Unitarian believes in letting every other man believe whatsoever he darn please, without being kicked out of the church for it.

A ladies' class in gymnastics has been formed at Ann Arbor, and young misses who before had barely strength enough to walk from the piano to the dining room table, can easily do an hour of del sarte kicking and not get out of breath. It does not take the tuck out of them at all like helping mother in the kitchen.

The railroad commissioner, the Ann Arbor council and Czar Ashley of the T. & A. A., held a high joint session last week and a system of protection against killing any more of the University city people was agreed upon. It is very rarely that such august bodies come in perigee, and a radical change of weather is looked for soon, if not earlier.

The Ann Arbor Argus points to Conrad Bessinger as "one of the oldest if not the oldest inhabitant of the county;" and yet Mr. Bessinger is not quite turned ninety. In Lenawee county a man of ninety is spoken of as a young man, or at most, middle aged, while in Washtenaw, ninety years is considered a remarkable age. Well, it is written, "The wicked shall not live out half their days."

Frank Feiner, of Ann Arbor, was engaged the other evening in mending a gasoline can by lamplight. Before the job was finished he was interrupted by the explosion of the can, and through a singular coincidence, lost his hair, eyebrows and patches of skin from his face, at or about the same hour. If anyone knows of a better remedy than flax seed poultice, for re-hairing a bald head, Mr. Feiner would greatly esteem the person who would forward the recipe.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

Webster was in college at 15, gave evidence of his great future before he was 25 and at 30 he was the peer of the ablest man in congress.

Remarkable Facts.

Heart disease is usually supposed to be incurable, but when properly treated a large proportion of cases can be cured. Thus Mrs. Emira Hatch, of Ekhart, Ind., and Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., were cured after suffering 20 years. S. C. Limburger, druggist at San Jose, Ill., says that Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, which cured the former, "worked wonders for his wife." Levi Logan, of Buchanan, Mich., who had heart disease for thirty years, says two bottles made him "feel like a new man." Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is sold and guaranteed by Eberbach & Son. Book of wonderful testimonials free.

Washington was a distinguished colonel in the army at 22, early in public affairs, commander of the forces at 42, president at 57.

"BUSINESS IS BUSINESS."

IN ORDER TO MOVE A LARGE NUMBER OF

ULSTERS AND OVERCOATS

during the few unseasonable days that we are having, we will make a great cut on the same

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK.

At Ann Arbor, Michigan., at the close of business May, 4, 1891.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$431,333 71	Capital stock.....	\$ 50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc., ..	244,316 24	Surplus fund.....	100,000 00
Overdrafts.....	10,643 26	Undivided profits.....	33,339 47
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,930 83	Dividends unpaid.....	358 00
Current expenses and taxes paid.....	2,238 13		
CASH.....		DEPOSITS.	
Due from banks in reserve cities ..	101,140 00	Commercial deposits.....	159,786 82
Due from other banks and bankers ..	1,785 83	Savings deposits.....	455,535 90
Checks and cash items.....	229 80	Certificates of deposit.....	23,548 53
Nickels and pennies.....	141 53		
Gold coin.....	15,000 00		
Silver coin.....	2,800 00		
U. S. and National Bank Notes.....	15,958 00		
	\$827,567 27		\$827,567 27

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
County of Washtenaw. ss.
I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHARLES E. HISCOCK, Cashier.
CORRECT—Attest: Christian Mack, L. Gruner, W. D. Harriman, Directors.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of May, 1891.
MICHAEL J. FRITZ, Notary Public

Capital stock paid in, ..	\$ 50,000	Total assets, ..	\$761,291.31
Capital security, ..	100,000	Surplus, ..	100,000.00

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Receiver—Jacob Blum,
Guide—Lewis Kuebler,
I. W.—Jas. Yerdon,
O. W.—Thos. Morschheuser,
Trustee—Ernst G. Haarer,
Representative—Ed. E. Root,
Alternate—B. G. Lovejoy,
Examiner—Dr. C. F. Kapp.

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H. P.—J. H. Kingsley,
K.—Frank Spafard,
S.—B. G. Lovejoy,
C. of H.—Mat D. Blosser,
P. S.—E. M. Conklin,
R. A. C.—Fred Spafard,
M. 3rd V.—Sam McCord,
M. 2nd V.—A. G. Case,
M. 1st V.—T. B. Bailey,
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Sec'y—Joe A. Goodyear,
S.—S. Hammon.

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V. G.—Fred Steffin,
Sec'y—Elmer Toncray,
Treas.—D. H. Jones.

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Mooreville:
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R. K.—J. N. Lawrence,
F. K.—J. M. Clark,
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1st M. of G.—A. Davenport,
2nd M. of G.—J. Clark,
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P.—F. E. Reese,
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S. V. C.—J. H. Fish,
J. V. C.—J. A. Dunn,
Q. M.—A. H. Howard,
Serg.—S. H. Moore,
Chap.—L. S. Pierce,
O. D.—O. Parsons,
O. G.—A. Actin.

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G. M. of 2nd V.—W. H. Sweet,
G. M. of 1st V.—F. H. Barnum,
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F. K.—C. E. Lewis,
C.—F. P. Maginn,
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Serg.—D. Stringham,
M. at A.—Jacob Bauer,
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S. W.—J. H. Kingsley,
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V. D.—John Shoeppler,
A. D.—Mathias Wurster,
R.—John Wuerthner,
F. R.—G. A. Fausel,
Treas.—Wm. Mayer,
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Guardian—Jacob Kalmback,
Sentinel—John Schaefer,
Chaplain—Richard Weiss,
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S. W.—Frank Bay,
J. W.—David Mulligan,
Treas.—Wm. Doty,
Sec.—O. M. Bentley,
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smashed, so as to be hardly recognized
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TIMETABLE (REVISED) NOVEMBER, 15, 1891.
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EASTWARD.									
STATIONS	Mail	Day	Shore	N'th	N'th	Atl.	Exp.	Kal	Acc.
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Ann Arbor, Lv.	7:03	9:00	12:30	3:10	9:25	10:10	4:56		
Jackson,.....	8:55	4:25	5:50	8:47	4:15	6:15	9:25		
Detroit,.....	3:39	.....	.....	.....	5:08	7:10	10:36		
Detroit,.....	4:14	.....	.....	.....	5:53	7:56	10:58		
Detroit,.....	4:30	.....	.....	.....	5:52	7:53	.....	
Wayne Junction	4:42	5:25	6:22	9:45	5:45	7:43	10:55		
Ypsilanti.....	4:52	5:30	.....	9:56	6:01	8:56	11:10		
Wayne Junction	6:27	.....	.....	.....	6:27	8:56	11:30		
Detroit, Ar.	6:15	6:45	7:20	10:45	7:15	9:20	12:10		
Buffalo,.....	8:01	.....	.....	.....	4:00	7:55	8:15	6:05	9:15

WESTWARD.

STATIONS	Detr	Chi	Chi	Eve	N'th	Pac	Mail
	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp	Exp
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Buffalo,.....	12:00	6:30	9:45	3:40	12:50	6:00	
Detroit, Lv.	8:2	7:40	1:20	8:30	9:25	9:15	4:45
Wayne Junction	9:30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5:12
Ypsilanti.....	9:22	8:25	2:05	9:00	.....	10:15	5:40
ANN ARBOR.....	9:35	8:40	2:10	9:15	10:19	10:32	5:52
Ypsilanti.....	9:45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Detroit,.....	9:55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6:07
Chicago,.....	10:10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6:18
Jackson,.....	11:00	9:35	3:14	10:40	11:15	11:55	6:55
Chicago, Ar.	7:51	3:55	9:00	6:50	4:50	7:55	11:15

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No. 4. Mail Express. 8:40 p. m.
No. 6. Passenger, Toledo Accom. 7:00 a. m.

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Railway.

Time table taking effect October 4, 1891.

Leave Ann Arbor from Court House at 6:15,
7:30, 9:20, 10:50 a. m., and 12:50, 2:20, 3:50, 6:20,
6:50, 8:20, 9:50, 11:20 p. m.

Leave Ypsilanti at 6:00, 7:15, 9:00, 10:30, a. m.,
and 12:30, 2:00, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30, 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 p. m.

SUNDAY TIME TABLE.

Leave Ann Arbor from Court House at 2:20,
3:50, 5:20, 6:50, 8:20, 9:50 p. m.

Leave Ypsilanti at 2:00, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30, 8:00,
9:30 p. m.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

FARMERS' & MECHANICS' BANK

—AT—
ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN.

At the close of business, September 25, 1891.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....	\$249,767 93
Real estate and mortgages.....	77,746 07
Overdrafts.....	2,891 99
Furniture and fixtures.....	3,000 00
Expenses and interest paid.....	2,597 02
Due from Washenau Co.....	27,578 82
Bills in transit.....	4,689 50
Due from banks in full.....	26,732 64
Cash and cash items.....	18,753 17
Total.....	\$423,587 14

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund.....	10,000 00
Undivided profits.....	12,659 58
Deposits.....	351,927 56
Total.....	\$423,587 14

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

Of the many charges against ex-Secretary Soper, and there are no excuses to be offered for him, the worst is that he followed the practices that had been carried on by the republicans for thirty years.

The Hudson Gazette can be relied upon to come to the front every year about holiday time, and to stay there during the coming year. The Gazette's Christmas number was sixteen pages, on handsome paper.

On Saturday, Senator Plumb, of Kansas, died at Washington, from a stroke of apoplexy which was brought on by overwork, and there was removed from this august body one of the fairest and hardest working members of the republican majority. Senator Plumb antagonized the obnoxious force bill in the last congress, and did much toward defeating this unjust measure of the republican party.

The Detroit Tribune has endeavored to make great political capital out of the Soper escapade. It has taken special pains to make all sorts of groundless charges against the administration and all connected with it, and against many prominent democrats throughout the state who are not connected with the administration. None have escaped its spleen, but as is usual in such cases when left to run their course, the Tribune overstepped its bounds and found itself in a net. Referring to what they claimed was the manner of L. E. Rowley's obtaining the appointment of deputy secretary of state, the Tribune spoke of D. J. Campau, Hon. O. M. Barnes, Hon. Richard Montgomery and several other prominent democrats in most disparaging terms, and made charges of a drunken carousal which this unreliable paper claimed these gentlemen had participated in, with Messrs. Soper, Rowley and others. This statement appeared in the Tribune on Saturday, and the managers of the paper supposed that it would be passed by unheeded as have many of their malicious and unreliable "items" of political news. But in this they had gone too far and the ink was not dry on the issue of the Tribune before the attorney of D. J. Campau appeared on the scene and demanded an immediate and public retraction of what had been said. Mr. Scripps, already having a libel suit on trial on the News end of the combination, and not relishing the idea, decided that an apology was the best way out of the scrape. The retraction was an humble one, clear and concise, and to show how meek a republican can be when his pocketbook is in danger, we give the following which appeared in the Tribune just twenty-four hours after the original had been given to the public:

AN APOLOGY DUE AND MADE.

The Tribune yesterday morning republished from the columns of the Grand Rapids Press an article concerning the Soper scandal and certain alleged influences which led to the appointment of L. E. Rowley as deputy secretary of state, which it takes the earliest occasion to now disavow, and for which it promptly apologizes both to its own readers and to those reputable gentlemen of the state whose names were mentioned in that article. The matter in question was inadvertently published in careless violation of established rules in this office, and the Tribune unhesitatingly expresses its regret at the unfortunate occurrence. Messrs. D. J. Campau, O. M. Barnes, Richard Montgomery and Frank L. Dodge are too well known in Michigan as upright citizens and honorable gentlemen to be injured by the screed of the Grand Rapids paper referred to, and no one of these gentlemen has communicated with the Tribune concerning it. But this apology for its reproduction in these columns is due to the Tribune itself, which intends to make no statement in its columns unfavorable to the character of any good citizen, of whatever political party. The Press article, so far as it relates to the gentlemen named above, is undoubtedly false, and the Tribune unreservedly and frankly apologizes for the accident by which the offensive article got into its own columns.

Even in the apology the poor Tribune, as unreliable as ever, tries to convey the impression that the apology is made of its own free will and accord, but 'tis safe to say that the talk of Mr. Otto Kirchner, the attorney for Mr. Campau, and the fear of a libel suit had much more to do with the printing of the apology than the consciousness that it had done a wrong.

A CLOSED MILL.

"We are compelled to close our works,"—says a circular issued by the Gilmore-Enstis rolling mill located at Cambridgeport, Mass., and one of the largest plants of the kind in New England—"on account of the fearfully high

taxes levied by the republican party on raw material and the high price we are compelled to pay for old rails. There was a time when iron rails were plentiful. They are now wiped out of existence and steel ones have taken their place. The last lot of iron rails we bought cost us \$6.72 per ton duty, which scarcely paid us for the labor of converting them into rods. Then there is the tremendously high tariff on pig iron. The inter-state commerce law works greatly to the disadvantage of the New England manufacturers. Under these circumstances we could not continue business, for, to tell the truth, while we were not losing money, we were unable to make it profitable."

Of course there are a few people in some states, like the Carnegie combine in Pennsylvania, who can make millions of dollars a year out of American and imported foreign labor through protective taxation, but they are very few when compared with the vast number who are injured. It is because many New England manufacturers are damaged by the enormous taxes levied on the materials they use that protection is changing their politics, and making tariff reformers of their most intelligent citizens. They are learning that taxation is destruction, and is closing many mills and factories.—Jackson Patriot.

THE PRESIDENT AND MICHIGAN.

In accordance with its constitutional rights the state of Michigan has decided to select by districts its presidential electors. As in this way the minority secures something like fair play, Mr. Harrison calls the attention of congress to the subject and asks for remedial legislation.

The choice of presidential electors is a matter which the constitution commits specifically to the state, and it no more comes under the supervision of the president than does an election of members of the legislature.

In discussing the question the president should not have confined himself to Michigan.

New York at the recent election gave a democratic majority of nearly 50,000, but the republicans still, even at a risk of riot, refuse to surrender control of the legislature to the representatives of the people.

The president knows that the republicans control the senate by means of infamous gerrymanders.

He knows that in New Hampshire, in Connecticut, in Nebraska, republican usurpers refuse to surrender the executive control to men chosen for these places by the people.

Yet the president is silent concerning these offenses, while joining in the hypocritical outcry concerning the action in Michigan. Yet the actual justice of the Michigan plan is indisputable. If it has an effect at all it will merely prevent in 1892 a repetition of the frauds and outrages of 1876, by means of which the republican party seized the presidency, disregarded the will of the people as expressed at the polls, and rewarded the tools of the conspirators with office and emolument.

It would appear that the president remembers with exultation the success of the conspiracy of 1876; that he recalls with admiration the construction and the work of the electoral commission, and that he is especially desirous of again dragging the supreme court into politics. He concludes his lecture on the unpardonable sin of Michigan with this suggestion:

"I believe it would be possible to constitute a commission, non-partisan in its membership, and composed of patriotic, wise and impartial men, to whom a consideration of the question of the evils connected with our election system and methods might be committed with a good prospect of securing unanimity in some plan for removing or mitigating evils. The constitution would permit the selection of the commission to be vested in the supreme court, if that method would give the best guaranty of impartiality. This commission should be charged with the duty of inquiring into the whole subject of the laws of election, as related to the choice of officers of the national government, with a view to securing to every elector a free and unmolested exercise of the suffrages, as near an approach to an equality of value in each ballot cast as is obtainable."

That the supreme court should have anything to do with such a revision is out of the question. It is in no sense a representative body. It has never been chosen by the people. Its functions are entirely distinct from that of the legislative department, and neither its character, its position, its decisions nor its history encourages the belief that it is in any way fitted for the work of such a commission. The mere suggestion is preposterous, and indicates on the part of the president strange mental confusion concerning the fundamental principles of American institutions.

This recommendation taken in connection with the implied threat that if Michigan's divided vote should, in 1892, prevent the consummation of a conspiracy similar to that of 1876, "the public peace might be seriously and widely endangered," should arouse the people to new diligence and to new devotion to constitutional rights.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Peel was in parliament at 21, and Palmerston was lord of the admiralty at 23.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Middlecoff died Monday.

Six clerks at Mack & Schmid's store are down with the grip this week.

Ex-County Clerk Howlett is at his old station this week. County Clerk Brown being on the sick list.

The new list of subscribers of the Ann Arbor telephone exchange has been issued. There are 150 names on the list.

The Argus is issued on Thursday this week in order to allow the entire force, from editor to "devil," a chance to enjoy a holiday.

Cards have been issued announcing the marriage of Arthur Mummery, of this city, and Miss Jennie E. Fitzgerald, of Geddes, to take place next Tuesday.

The Landwehr Verein elected the following officers, Monday evening: Pres., William Kuhn; vice-pres., Julius Loerke; sec'y, William Feldheusser; fin. sec'y, Conrad Schneider; treas., Christian Wiegand; sec. of sick, Carl Krumm; trustees, Jacob Schanz, Carl Raab and John Berger; steward, Adolph Betke; committee on widows and orphans, Ernest Gutekunst, sr., and Gottlieb Maulbetsch; ensign, William Koebnek.

Ellen G. Watson, widow of the late Eltham Watson, a brother of Prof. J. C. Watson, died at her residence on S. University avenue, on Saturday, of cancer. She was 47 years of age and had made her home in Ann Arbor for a number of years. She leaves one daughter, a student in the University. The funeral was held at the residence on Tuesday.

Considerable notice has been given throughout the state to the fact that a Jackson man had performed the feat of eating thirty quail in thirty consecutive days. This is a very trifling affair when compared with that of Frank Vanderwarker, of this city, who on Tuesday ate his fortieth quail in as many days, and was willing to make the number larger.

The January meeting of the Washtenaw Horticultural Society will be held Jan. 2, 1892, at the usual place in the court house at 2 p. m. Topics: "To Increase the Interest in our Society," by Pres. Scott; "Nut Culture," paper by Mr. Ganzhorn; "Reviewing the errors of the Past Season," paper by W. F. Bird; "Entertainment of the Next Annual Meeting of the State Society and the Citizens of Ann Arbor," by A. A. Crozier. Exhibit of fruit and jellies.

Want More Salary.

The fourth class postmasters all over the country are organizing for a united effort on congress to get that body to change the laws so that the smaller offices will pay an increased salary. On Dec. 15th the postmasters of that class who live in Washtenaw county held a meeting in the council chamber in this city for the purpose of organizing, the following officers being elected: Mrs. Ella E. Marsh, of Safford, president; Harris Ball, of Dexter, secretary. Mrs. Marsh was chosen to represent the local organization at the state convention which is to be held at Lansing next month. The various phases of postoffice duties and compensation were discussed, and suggestions made for changes. There are many postmasters who receive but little pay, and the money order department, which requires in some offices a third of the official's time, pays as low as \$30 a year.

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Is that of Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. It is prepared with greater care and accuracy, from finer and more expensive materials, competent chemists test every ingredient nothing is left to chance. No ammonia, alum or other adulterant taints this purest of human food products. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is the embodiment of all the excellence that it is possible to attain. It is always uniform and reliable and retains its full strength until used. It is not only more economical because of its wonderful raising power, but by reason of its greater bulk, the cans being much larger than the ordinary kind; it will go farther and do better work. It never disappoints. Dr. Price's is the only baking powder that contains the whites of eggs.

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Unknown and Ridiculous Prices. Invest your Xmas Moneys.

Great Cut in Dress Goods.

Beginning Saturday, December 26, to Saturday, January 2, inclusive.

5 pieces 27 inch all wool Nun's Veiling, regular price 25c, this week 20c per yard.
7 pieces 40-inch all wool Stripes, regular price 50c, this week 37½c per yard.
10 pieces 40-inch all wool, silk finish, Henrietta, regular price 65c, this week 50c per yard.
10 pieces 40 inch all wool Alma Serge, regular price 65c, this week 50c per yard.
5 pieces 42-inch all wool A. A. Henrietta, best make, regular price, \$1.00, this week 75c per yard.
5 pieces 46-inch all wool Alma Serge, regular price \$1.00, this week 75c per yard.
4 pieces 44-inch silk warp Henrietta, regular price \$1.40, this week \$1.15 per yard.
3 pieces 40 inch silk warp Henrietta, regular price \$1.00, this week 75c per yard.
3 pieces silk and wool Batiste (pretty as silk) this week 85c per yard.
One Lot of Imported Camel's Hair Suitings at 75c.

COLORED DRESS GOODS.

15 pieces \$1.00 all wool 42-inch Coin Spots, choice winter colorings, 47c per yard.
25 pieces fancy 40-inch Plaids and Stripes, worth 25 to 30c, this week 15c.
75 pieces fancy French imported novelties in stripe, plaids and mixture, worth \$1.00 to \$2.00, this week 75c.

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House Jackets, Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes,

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The greatest REDUCTION SALE ever known in the Sewing Machine World. Commencing Dec. 16th, I will sell Sewing Machines at the following running prices:

Low Arm Singer Pattern, worth \$25 00.....	for	\$16 00
High Arm Singer Pattern, worth \$30 00.....	for	18 00
Victor, No. 4, worth \$35 00.....	for	20 00
Favorite, worth \$35 00.....	for	22 00
Crown, worth \$35 00.....	for	23 00
Eldredge, worth, \$40 00.....	for	24 00
New American, worth \$40 00.....	for	26 00
New Home, worth \$45 00.....	for	28 00
New Davis, worth \$45 00.....	for	30 00
Improved White, worth \$50 00.....	for	34 00
Domestic, worth \$50 00.....	for	34 00

These machines are all the very best of their respective kinds, with 3 drawers and a complete set of all attachment and latest designs. Wood work in either oak or walnut. This sale is for one week only. After Dec. 23, machines will be sold only at regular price.

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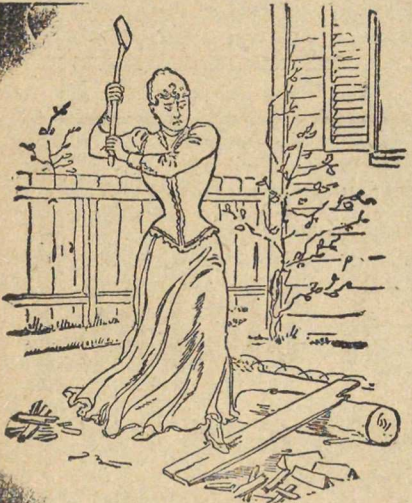
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Hot Coffee,
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Sandwiches, Etc.

Ice Cream Soda During the Winter.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

John Taylor, drunk, paid Justice Pond \$2 fine and \$4.91 costs, Monday.

The Bethel A. M. E. church netted \$112 from the fair held last week.

Mrs. D. C. Fall has been appointed D. G. M. of the Rebecca lodges of Michigan.

It is expected that the new T. & A. A. bridge will be completed by February 1st.

Justice Pond sentenced Harry Foster to five days in jail, Monday, for being drunk

The January meeting of the Pomological society will be held on Saturday of next week.

Wm. Bender was sentenced to jail for twenty days by Justice Butts, Monday, for being drunk.

Morning services, sermon and holy communion will be held in St. Andrew's church to-day at 10:30.

W. E. Boyden, of Webster, has been elected president of the Michigan Shorthorn Cattle Breeders' Association.

The Christmas festival of the Geddes mission will be held at the Geddes school house, Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

Monday evening the newly elected officers of Fraternity Lodge, No. 262, and Golden Rule Lodge, No. 159, were installed.

It is reported that Judge C. B. Grant is to be invited to visit Ann Arbor and agitate the law and order movement.

The annual Christmas festival of St. Andrew's parish at the county house will be held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

One of our citizens quietly remarks that it is a bad idea to have taxes and Christmas gifts come at the same season of the year.

George F. Lutz, of S. Main street, was badly bruised by a fall he received while alighting from a carriage at Dexter, Friday.

The Christmas festival of St. Andrew's Sunday school and the Foster mission was held at Harris Hall, last evening at six o'clock.

Edward, an infant son of David Shenk, of Pittsfield, died on Monday and was buried at the German cemetery, Wednesday afternoon.

Three hundred and thirty-six happy children received presents from two huge Christmas trees at the Zion Sunday school festival, last evening.

Prof. H. C. Adams will deliver a course of lectures on "Political Economy" before the Detroit University Extension branch, commencing Jan. 5.

The case of James Tolbert vs. Wm. Burke, in which a verdict of no cause for action was given in the circuit court, was affirmed by the supreme court, Monday.

W. E. Beach, of Howell, has taken Eugene Gilmore's place as cashier at the T. & A. A. depot. Mr. Gilmore has accepted a position with the F. & P. M., at East Saginaw.

Lucy A. Seranton has asked the circuit court to grant her a divorce from her husband, Don S. Seranton. Chas. S. Ackerman also asks the same relief from Elizabeth Ackerman.

The superintendent of the sewing school requests that all donations for the holiday festival of the school be sent in before January 1, as the entertainment will be given Jan. 2nd.

Prof. M. L. D'Ooge delivered a lecture on "Ezekiel, His Times, Personality and Work," at the Biblical Institute at Detroit Saturday, the press referring to it as a deep and scholarly address.

Fred Schaible died on Tuesday, of consumption, at the home of his mother on W. Liberty street, near the city limits, aged 26 years. The funeral will be held at Bethlehem church this afternoon.

Thos. Smith and Frank Howard were arrested Friday for begging and were let off on suspended sentence. They afterwards stole two pairs of mittens from Goodspeeds' and were again arrested.

The School of Music project has progressed so far that it is now an assured success. The subscription committee to the guarantee fund has already the signatures of about sixty who will guarantee \$65 each, and it will be an easy matter to secure the hundred names needed.

Housekeepers Should Remember

The great success of the Royal Baking Powder is due to the extreme care exercised by its manufacturers to make it entirely pure, uniform in quality, and of the highest leavening power. All the scientific knowledge, care, and skill attained by twenty-five years' practical experience are contributed toward this end, and no preparation can be made with a greater accuracy, precision, and exactness.

Every article used is absolutely pure. Chemists are employed to test the strength of each ingredient, so that its exact effect in

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Late Chemist U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

John Fordham, alias Smith, and Frank Howard were sentenced to the Detroit House of Correction for sixty days each, by Justice Pond, Saturday. They stole a couple of pairs of gloves from Goodspeeds'.

A cage of monkeys, a real live Santa Claus and handsome automatic figures are among the attractions which several of our merchants have displayed in their show windows this week to attract attention to their goods.

Special Christmas music has been arranged at the M. E. church, next Sunday. In the morning, Rev. Camden M. Coburn will preach on "A Christmas Idyl—The Madonna." In the evening the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. Dr. Ryan, of Adrian.

The handsome Wells memorial window in St. Andrew's church is an exact duplicate of one in a large London church. The Argus made an error in stating some time ago that the design was originally made for a London church and not used.

Late last Thursday night, two brothers, Tom and Will Jones, colored, got into a quarrel in rear of the Arlington House and drawing revolvers, began shooting at each other. Six shots were fired but fortunately both were poor marksmen and neither was seriously hurt.

A Christmas tree will be held in the audience room of the Presbyterian church, Monday evening at six o'clock, for the benefit of the scholars of Miss Brown's Industrial School. Good speeches, good music and a heavily laden Christmas tree will be among the attractions.

Last Friday evening, Ann Arbor Encampment, No. 7, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers: George Scott, chief patriarch; Eli S. Manly, high priest; John J. Ferguson, senior warden; Herman Krapf, scribe; Jas. H. Ottley, junior warden; Christian Schlenker, treasurer.

Mrs. May Jenkins, the wife of Geo. P. Jenkins, of Jackson, died suddenly at Toledo on Sunday, of peritonitis, aged 27 years. She had been at Pittsburg, Pa., for some time, and arrived in Toledo on Friday. Her maiden name was Murray, her mother being Mrs. Fall McDivitt, but she was brought up by Mr. and Mrs. Herman Krapf and lived with them until her marriage. Her remains were brought to this city and buried from Mr. Krapf's residence on Detroit street, Wednesday afternoon. She leaves a son, ten years of age.

On Saturday, three young boys, Wm. Bowen, Fred Garlinghouse and Adam Ritz, were arrested for stealing from the store of P. Donovan, about a week ago. Justice Butts let them off on suspended sentence upon the payment of the costs and the value of the goods stolen from Mr. Donovan.

Arthur Tent, No. 296, K. O. T. M., elected the following officers, Friday evening: P. C., N. J. Kyer; C., W. S. Banfield; Lt. C., E. F. Mills; R. K., J. Geo. Lutz; F. K., W. F. Stimson; Chap., M. H. Mills; Med. Ex., W. F. Breakey; S., Chas. Esslinger; M. at A., F. J. Muehl; 1st M. of G., W. E. Allen; 2nd M. of G., N. F. Estabrook; Sen., John Lutz; Picket, G. P. Stauch; trustee for three years, Wesley E. Howe.

A request has been made for a new trial by the defendant in the case of Martha L. Smurthwait et al. against Mary A. Thomas, which was so hotly contested last week. The jury was out all night and the claim is made that all the files, papers, etc., in the case were left in the court room, which the jury occupied during the night, and that the jurors had access to them, even going so far as to hold a mock court.

At three o'clock Saturday afternoon Gilbert C. Rhodes and Miss Clara G. Woodman were quietly married at the residence of George Rhodes, on Broadway, the Rev. H. Tatlock, of St. Andrew's church, performing the ceremony. Only the immediate families of the contracting parties were present. The groom is one of the popular young men of this city and for several years has been book-keeper at Ferguson's cart works. The bride has been a teacher in the third ward school and is very popular with her scholars and colleagues. The couple left for an eastern trip.

The Biographical Sketches of Washtenaw County, for which orders were taken several months ago has been completed and is now being delivered to the subscribers. The volume is really a handsome piece of work. The cover, paper and typographical work are of the finest. The book contains interesting sketches of all the presidents of the United States and of the various governors of the state. Besides these short biographies are given of 411 of those with whom our citizens are better acquainted, residents of Washtenaw county. The book is embellished with numerous portraits. The only objection that has been made to the volume is that it is not as complete and does not give as many sketches as was expected.

William ("Peewee") Johnson died Wednesday night, of consumption, at the home of his father, on N. Fifth ave. He is the young man who was arrested a few weeks ago for breaking into J. R. Bach's office and taking \$53, the case being settled and prosecution stopped because he was in such poor health.

Some fourteen months ago, a three-year-old colt belonging to E. Moore, of Seio, got its leg fast in the barn and fractured the shin bone. Prout flesh set in. F. G. Schrepper, of this city, bought the colt, removed a piece of prout flesh 12 inches long and thirteen inches wide which contained fifteen slivers of bone and weighed six pounds and three ounces. He then removed two bony enlargements, one of which contained six small slivers of bone. The colt is at present doing well and bids fair to recover.

The Indian Mail Carrier.

The following is clipped from the Syracuse Standard concerning the actress who appears here on Tuesday:

"The Indian Mail Carrier" is the rather attractive title of a sensational play which is down for the entire week at the Alhambra. There were two performances of it yesterday, and large audiences saw them. Novelty is given the play, and its production, by the appearance in it of a full-blooded Indian, who adheres to her aboriginal name, Go-Won-Go Mohawk, and shows her native characteristics as part of the acted story. Miss Mohawk presents a striking and picturesque figure in the costumes she wears as a brave. She is tall in stature and lithe of limb, and commands the admiration which is always excited by the nobler specimens of the race. She acts, too, with earnestness, her very uncouthness of manner helping to keep up the illusion, and certainly not spoiling the pleasure of seeing her. A song or two introduced proves that there is such a thing as music in the savage breast.

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The success of this Great Cough Cure is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee, a test that no other cure can successfully stand. That it may become known, the Proprietors, at an enormous expense, are placing a Sample Bottle Free into every home in the United States and Canada. If you have a Cough, Sore Throat, or Bronchitis, use it, for it will cure you. If your child has the Croup, or Whooping Cough, use it promptly, and relief is sure. If you dread that insidious disease Consumption, use it. Ask your Druggist for SHILOH'S CURE, Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and \$1.00. If your Lungs are sore or Back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cts.

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LOST—On Sunday evening, between Hangsterfer Block and M. C. depot, a roll of bills amounting to about \$30.00. Finder will receive liberal reward by leaving them at the Argus office.

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The T. A. A. & N. M. Ry. take pleasure in announcing that on December 24, 25, and 31, 1891, and January 1, 1892, round trip tickets will be sold between all stations on its line at which tickets are on sale, also to all points on the following railroads, at one and one-third fare for the round trip:

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ONE MAN WHO DECLINES.

Congressman Culberson Does Not Want the Inter-State Commerce.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Congressman Culberson of Texas is going to make a reputation as a decliner. Last October he declined a tender of a place on the Inter-State Commerce commission to succeed Gen. Bragg of Alabama. Last Saturday, after a talk with his Texas friends and with Commissioner Morris, he formally accepted. A few days' reflection seems to have changed his mind, for to-day he with equal formality notified the President of his final declaration. Three years of Commissioner Bragg's term remain, and Culberson at the end of that period would undoubtedly have been reappointed for the full six years' term. He had, therefore, a certainty of drawing \$7,500 a year for the next nine years. His friends say that when he looked into the duties of the position he found there was too much routine, to many details about railroad management, and he thought in justice to himself and to the President he should not accept a place where he would not feel at home. The true reason was that he had decided to go into the Texas Senatorial fight and thinks he can win.

Culberson's declination will throw upon the President the duty of finding another Southern man. He will probably make short work of this, as the longer he keeps it open the greater the pressure will be. The three most likely men now mentioned are ex-Congressman Clements of Georgia, ex-Gov. Porter of Tennessee, and Judge Lindsay of Kentucky.

The declination of Culberson will not affect the chances of the candidates who want to succeed Commissioner Cooley. This choice will be made from west of the Mississippi, and the President's mind is poised pretty evenly between his old collegemate, Judge McMillan, and Judge Lambertson of Nebraska. But if he throws the Democratic appointment east of the Mississippi and north as far as Tennessee he will have a chance to go as far southwest as Kansas. Telegrams signed by all the State officers have been coming in to-day urging the selection of ex-Gov. George T. Anthony of that State. How far the opposition of Col. D. R. Anthony of Leavenworth to his kinsman's appointment will count no one knows. The idea is that if Gov. Anthony is not named it will be because somebody else has stronger claims.

CANAL AROUND NIAGARA.

Senator Davis of Minnesota Has a Unique Plan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Senator Davis of Minnesota has a plan for a ship canal around Niagara Falls. It is of importance to the whole lake shipping interest. The bill he introduced to-day provides for such a canal to be built, paid for, and controlled by the general government. The canal is to be big enough to enable the largest vessels on the lakes to pass through it. This measure is arrived at by requiring that it shall be able to carry vessels of the same dimensions, tonnage and draft as can pass the Sault Ste. Marie Falls and locks. The canal is to be in Niagara county, N. Y., and routes are to be surveyed under the direction of the War department. As a starter \$1,000,000 is appropriated for the work. No one is sanguine enough to think that the present Congress will pass the Davis bill. But the men back of the enterprise think it a good time to begin agitating the proposition, and they will try to see that it is not lost sight of when the improvement of the interior waterways is under discussion. They declare the scheme is entirely feasible and would make the United States independent of the Welland canal.

Change in Weather Report Service.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Department of Agriculture proposes to adopt an improvement in the Weather Bureau service. The predictions heretofore made were on the observations at 8 a. m. and for the twenty-four hours from the time the observations were taken. These predictions were necessarily a little belated, as it was several hours before they could be placed before the public. Those published in the morning papers were for a time which had already nearly half expired, and for the evening papers the case was still worse, as the portion of the time covered had already elapsed for which the predictions were of most value. The proposed improvement consists in having the predictions in each case cover the time until midnight of the next day. When this takes place, which will be on Jan. 1 next, the predictions printed in the morning papers will appear early in the day to which they apply, while those in the evening papers will be for the day after. The public will be informed on the evening before of the expected weather, and will be given an improved forecast the next morning if improvement is needed.

Another Claimant for the Blythe Millions.

ROANOKE, Va., Dec. 18.—A stone-cutter named Shelor has received a letter from California stating that his wife is the niece and heir of the late William Blythe and his, the Scotch millionaire, who died in California five years ago. The estate is valued at \$8,000,000.

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, \$344,225 61

Overdrafts, 2,230 16

U. S. Bonds to secure deposits, 25,000 00

Other stock, bonds and mortgages, 7,200 00

Due from approved reserve agents, 53,582 51

Due from State Bank and Bankers, 7,687 43

Premiums paid, 5,500 00

Real estate, furniture and fixtures, 13,950 00

Current expenses and taxes paid, 2,045 65

Checks and other cash items, 672 24

Due from other National Banks, 4,300 00

Fractional Currency (including nickels), 151 45

Specie (including gold Treasury notes), 13,967 15

Legal-tender notes, 3,679 00

Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation), 1,125 40

Total, \$473,628 60

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, \$100,000 00

Surplus fund, 47,000 00

Other undivided profits, 39,984 46

National Bank notes outstanding, 22,500 00

Dividends unpaid, 40 00

Individual Deposits subject to check, 198,372 23

Demand certificates of deposit, 95,541 91

Total Checks, 180 00

Total, \$473,628 60

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.

I, Sidney W. Clarkson, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. W. CLARKSON, Cashier.

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Washtenaw County ss. Upon due proof by affidavit that John Mathews, defendant in the above entitled cause, is concealed within the State, and that process cannot be served upon him, on motion of Cramer & Cramer, solicitors for the complainant, it is ordered that the said defendant, John Mathews, do appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in the said court, within three months after the date of this order, else the said bill of complaint shall be taken as confessed, and further, that this order be published within twenty days from the date in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper published in the said County of Washtenaw, and be published therein once in each week for twelve weeks in succession. Such publication, however, shall not be necessary in case a copy of this order be served on the defendant personally at least twenty days before the time herein prescribed for his appearance.

Dated this 21st day of December, A. D. 1891.

E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

Cramer & Cramer, Solicitors for Plaintiff.

Estate of Mary E. Smith.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the Tuesday, the eighth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Smith, deceased.

John Smith, the administrator of said estate, came into court and represents, that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the fifth day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing said account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, be required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Argus, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.

[A true copy.] WILLIAM G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Estate of James M. Halleck.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of

