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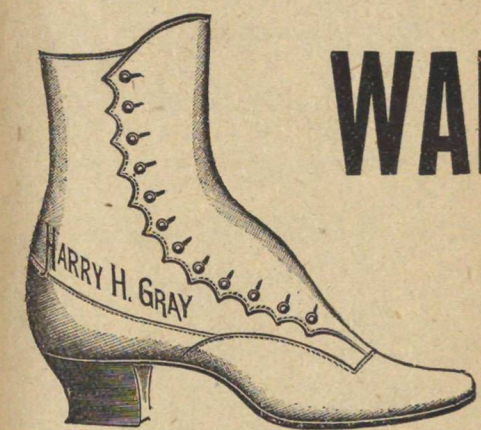
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OUR COUNTY PIONEERS

Hold an Interesting Session at Chelsea—E. B. Ponds Paper

THE HILLSDALE MUTUAL'S BAD FAILURE.

Cramer Wants an Apology—Mrs. Friend Wins the Sugar Cases—Col. Dean Surprised—Bryan Coming, etc.

Democratic Orators Coming.

One week from tonight the U. of M. Democratic club, assisted by the Democrats of Washtenaw county, will have a grand mass meeting in University Hall, at which time Hon. W. J. Bryan, the eloquent advocate of tariff reform, will reply to the sophisms which Gov. McKinley uttered on the same spot just a month ago. Mr. Bryan has secured an enviable reputation for himself as one of the ablest debaters in the present Congress, as an orator and as one of the ablest supporters of tariff reform. Besides Mr. Bryan several other noted Democratic orators will be present, among them being Hon. Frank Hurd, who will preside at the meeting and deliver a brief address. It is desired that a large crowd be present and it is hoped that all Democrats will turn out to hear the address.

A Dexter Damage Suit.

Mary E. Ball has entered suit against the Michigan Central Railway Company for \$10,000 damages for injuries caused by falling on the depot grounds at Dexter after alighting from the cars on the night of January 5, 1892. The accident, as described in legal phraseology, was as follows: "Wholly because of the fault and negligence of the said defendant, the plaintiff stepped, slipped, walked and did fall into said holes, excavations, pits and pitfalls against and upon said switches, frogs, tracks, ties, rails and grounds, striking upon her hands, arms, face, body and limbs, and thereby and by reason thereof said plaintiff then and there received and sustained severe temporary and permanent injuries, bruises, wounds, cuts, incisions, lacerations and contusions in and upon her arms, limbs, head, face and body and in consequence of said injuries became sore, sick, lame and languishing and suffered great pain in body and mind from thence hereto."

An Explanation.

The following letter received at this office last Saturday needs no explanation. It simply reminds our readers of some of the perils to which all papers are liable who comment upon matters of public interest and who use the pencil of the artist to more effectively convey information. Mr. Cramer seems to be of the opinion that his legs should have been made longer in our cartoon last week, so that the persimmons would be within easier reach, and to tell the truth, we are inclined to agree with him. The letter is as follows:

ANN ARBOR, Mich., June 3d, '92.
DEAR SIR:
I understand the law to be that where a paper makes a caricature of any person it must be true to life, or as near so as possible. Now, I think you got my legs too short and have thereby disgraced me before the public. If you see fit to call and settle and make due apologies in your next issue it will be all right. If not, I shall refer the case to my attorney for further dealings with you.
Respectfully,
D. CRAMER.

Against the Electric Sugar Refining Co.

The case of the Electric Sugar Refining Co. against Olive E. Friend was decided last Friday evening, the jury rendering a verdict of no cause for action. The judge charged the jury about 5:30 and one ballot was taken before supper, the result being 11 to 1 in favor of Mrs. Friend. After supper, all were unanimous in a verdict for the defense, and about 8:30 o'clock the verdict was rendered and the jury discharged. The verdict gave almost universal satisfaction to those who had heard the trial, with the exception of those who were prosecuting the case.

It is probable that no case has been more thoroughly tried in this circuit in years this one. The attorneys for both sides fought hard and brought out every possible point that would be of advantage. The arguments made by the Messrs. Sawyer and Knowlton for Mrs. Friend, and by Mr. Whitman for the company, were among the best ever made here. The New York attorney for the company, E. P. Wheeler, was a disappointment to those who heard him in the closing argument, which did not compare favorably with either of those made before.

The opening argument was made by Mr. Whitman, who claimed that the money paid by the company had been used by the Friends in extravagant living; that \$196,000 had been paid them, besides which \$90,000 had been expended by the company in equipping the factory. He contended that the money paid by Cotterill and Robertson was the money of the company, and that if Cotterill had been a party to the fraud, he would not have broken into the secret room and exposed the fraud until he and Robertson had had time to dispose of their stock.

J. C. Knowlton opened for the defense and in a clear, short argument, presented the facts to the jury as viewed by his side. His contention was that by the acts of Cotterill from 1884 to 1889, the corporation was cognizant of the frauds, and that it was Cotterill and Robertson who had paid the money and were now really seeking to recover, not the company.

A. J. Sawyer followed his colleague

for the defense and made by far the strongest argument made, and one which had an effect upon the jury as shown by their faces. He followed through the testimony from beginning to end and showed the many ways in which Cotterill had shown his knowledge of the fraud all the while. He scorched Cotterill roundly for the part he had taken, and included Robertson in some of his arraignments. He showed that Mrs. Friend personally had no knowledge of the fraud and that she received none of the money.

The closing was made by E. P. Wheeler, of New York, who made but little impression upon the jury. His efforts were directed to show that the testimony failed to connect Cotterill with the fraud.

Judge Kinne delivered a fair and impartial charge to the jury. His instructions were that if the jury believed from the testimony that Cotterill or Robertson were aware of the fraud, this would be acknowledged as the company's being acquainted with the fraud and they could not recover.

The Hillsdale Mutual Failed.

The Hillsdale Mutual Benefit Association has wound up its business, inflicting a serious loss upon a large number of families in this county. At one time this was one of the most popular insurance companies in this section. It had a large number of members in all parts of the county. In spite of recent heavy assessments, the membership here at the time of the failure was about ninety, of whom about fifteen are now past the insurable age, and a good many had no other insurance. The closing up of the company is a serious matter to these people, who have placed their reliance in it and have no other "anchor to the windward" for the support of their families after their death.

Since the organization of the company there have been 146 assessments. One of the prominent members here who has been in from the beginning has paid in \$584, his assessment on \$5,000 being \$4, besides \$3 a year dues. This may be taken as a criterion of what the company has cost the surviving members. At first the assessments were very light, but for the past two years there have been double assessments nearly every month. A good many members drew out, so that finally the company could not meet its losses.

Notices were sent out to the policy holders that a receiver had been asked for to close up the business of the company, and also that arrangements had been made with the Covenant Mutual Insurance company, of Galesburg, to reinsure all the members under the age of sixty who can pass the requisite medical examination, without expense to the members. Many are now being rewritten in the Galesburg company but many others are not now insurable risks.

It is said that the Hillsdale company has not paid out the last two assessments and that these with \$3,000 reserve will be used to pay the death losses not yet settled and it is thought that the beneficiaries not yet paid will probably realize about one third of the face of their policies. There are two death losses in this vicinity which have not yet been paid, viz.: Henry Paul, \$3,000, and Nelson Booth, \$3,000.

Surprised by His Comrades.

On Tuesday evening about 150 members of Welch Post and the W. R. C., with their invited guests, assembled in G. A. R. hall for the purpose of holding a social, but really to "get even" with one of their number who has been instrumental in the success of Welch Post and is now honored with the position of Department Commander of Michigan G. A. R., Col. H. S. Dean. After a light lunch had been served, W. K. Childs arose and presented Col. Dean with a handsome past commander's jewel on behalf of the members and comrades of Welch Post. The jewel is a beautiful example of the jeweler's art. It is of fine gold and consists of the regular G. A. R. badge with a pendant containing the corps badge of the army of the Tennessee, to which Col. Dean belonged. On each of the five points of the star is found a handsome diamond. On the back is the inscription: "Presented by Welch Post, G. A. R., No. 137, to Comrade Henry S. Dean."

The remarks of Comrade Childs in making the presentation were very appropriate and told full well the esteem in which the present department commander is held by his comrades of Welch Post. In closing he said: "In behalf of Welch Post, I present you this badge, knowing full well that it will be worn over a true and noble heart, a heart as true as the steel its owner drew in defence of his beloved country, a heart as tender as that of a child and as full of loyalty as on the day he marched forth under the folds of the old flag to fight for humanity and liberty."

The presentation was a complete surprise to Col. Dean and for once he found himself embarrassed and short of words as he arose to respond to the cordial words to which he had listened. He thanked his comrades heartily for their token of love. "I have numerous other badges and articles which I shall prize highly as this badge, coming from those I love. I shall wear this badge with more real pride than any badge I ever wore, and in wearing it, the motto of our order shall be ever uppermost. 'Fraternity among ourselves; charity for those who need it; loyalty to the old flag.'"

Col. C. V. R. Pond, Dr. W. F. Breakey, Conrad Noll and others made appropriate remarks and the evening was one of pleasure and enjoyment.

Annual Meeting of the Washtenaw Pioneers.

Over 200 of the old settlers of this county met in the Congregational church in Chelsea, on the 8th inst.

The president, Rev. Thomas Holmes, presided.

The meeting was opened with prayer and an anthem by the Chelsea quartet.

The report of the secretary of the proceedings of the last meeting was read and approved.

The report of the necrologist, Wm. H. Lay, of Ypsilanti, was read, which showed that since the last meeting in June last, nearly 200 of the old settlers of this county have died.

Of these one was 102 years of age. Eight were between 90 and 100, forty-four were between 80 and 90, fifty-eight were between 70 and 80, thirty between 60 and 70, and twenty-six under 60. The average age was 72.

It will be seen that the grippe and other kindred diseases have mowed a wider swath among the old settlers than in any previous year. The report was accepted and ordered printed.

The report of the treasurer, Edward Treadwell, of Ann Arbor, showed a balance on hand of \$21.45. The secretary was made the custodian of the pioneer room in the court house, and authorized to employ a suitable person to keep the room in order, and the relics properly arranged and labelled.

At noon the ladies of Chelsea furnished a bountiful and delicious dinner to all present. It is generally conceded that Chelsea ladies can beat the world in preparing and serving good dinners for the multitude.

After dinner, Mrs. Mrs. W. J. Knapp, of Chelsea, sang a pioneer song composed by her. The poem and singing were excellent. The audience then listened to three addresses prepared for the occasion. Mrs. Bowen, of Lima, gave a complete and very interesting review and description of pioneer life in this county. E. B. Pond described the trip of his parents and family to Michigan on the Erie canal and through the Black Swamp of northern Ohio to southern Michigan in 1835. Judge W. D. Harriman gave a graphic description of a trip from Vermont to California, by way of the Isthmus of Panama, in 1859, and ten years of pioneer life in the mining regions.

Mr. J. K. Yocum, of Chelsea, presented to the society an Indian hatchet, constructed so as to be used for a pipe as well as a scalper, and its history shows it once belonged to the noted Indian Chief Tecumseh.

Saline was elected for the place of next meeting, and the following officers were selected for the ensuing year:

President—S. R. Crittenden, Pittsfield.
Secretary—J. Q. A. Sessions, Ann Arbor.
Treasurer—Edward Treadwell, Ann Arbor.
Necrologist—Wm. H. Lay, Ypsilanti.

VICE PRESIDENTS.

Ann Arbor City—Philip Bach.
Ann Arbor Town—J. J. Parshall.
Augusta—Watson Barr.
Dexter—Thomas Birkett.
Bridgewater—George Patterson.
Freedom—Jacob Breining.
Lima—E. A. Nordman.
Lodi—Harrison Bassett.
Lyndon—Thomas Young.
Manchester—J. D. Corey.
Northfield—E. E. Leland.
Pittsfield—H. Preston.
Scio—Morrell Goodrich.
Sylvan—C. H. Kempf.
Webster—Solomon Sears.
Ypsilanti City—Erastus Sampson.
Ypsilanti Town—A. R. Graves.
Executive Committee—Chas. H. Wines, Chelsea; Nathan Sutton, Northfield; F. A. Nordman, Lima; Florus S. Findley, Ypsilanti, and W. D. Harriman, Ann Arbor.

Resolutions were passed thanking the ladies of Chelsea and vicinity for the sumptuous dinner, and the Congregationalists for the use of their church, and all who had furnished music for the occasion. The meeting closed with a pioneer song by the school girls, composed by one of their number.

J. Q. A. SESSIONS, Sec'y.

A Pioneer Journey to Michigan.

Hon. E. B. Pond, of this city, read a very interesting paper at the county pioneer meeting at Chelsea, Wednesday, which will be read with interest by our readers. It is given in full below.

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Washtenaw County Pioneer Society:

I do not appear before you today as one of the pioneers of this favored, prosperous, and wealthy county, for when, in 1854, I came to make a home among you, a full generation

had preceded me. The men and women—the real pioneers—who had made its forests give place to broad fields of grain and bountiful orchards, stocked its hills and plains with cattle and horses and sheep, filled barns and granaries, builded happy homes where before they came the Indian had pitched his tent, founded villages and cities, schools, colleges, and churches, had gone over the river, to a country where they were not pioneers, or were resting from their labors and reaping a well-earned reward.

I am here because, in an unguarded moment, I promised you, Mr. President, to briefly tell the story of my coming to Michigan, as illustrative of the "hard road to travel" which then connected the territory with the states to the east from which its immigrants were to come. I will keep that promise, the story shall be brief.

It took my father, Jared Pond, who settled in Branch county in 1835, about two and one-half years to make the journey from his old home in Essex county, New York, in the heart of the Adirondacks, to his first stopping place in Michigan, near Adrian. Let it not be understood that during all that long period he was continuously "on the road." For something more than two years he halted by the way, or the family did, down in Central Ohio, while he made an exploring trip to the counties of the southern tier. The journey to Michigan is made to cover so wide a space of time that I may pass in review the early immigrant's methods of travel. No railroads gave easy or rapid transit to the large body of immigrants who poured into Michigan from New York and the New England States between 1832 and 1837. In the former year, from which this story dates, there was not a single mile of railroad in Massachusetts and but 38 miles in New York. The immigrants came through New York by canal—the then luxurious and aristocratic mode of travel, if by packet—or with their own conveyances, across Lake Erie by the small and slow steamers of those early days, by wagon along the south shore route through Pennsylvania and Ohio, over no macadamized roads, or through Canada.

It was in the early autumn of 1832 that my father started for Michigan, the family consisting of his aged mother, himself, my mother and ten children, the oldest being twenty and the youngest two years old, six of these being the children of a first wife. An eleventh child was born en route, at the home of a relative near Cleveland, Ohio. Accompanying the party also came a widowed sister of my father with four children. I well remember the excitement attending the breaking up of the old home, the parting with relatives and friends, the last look at "old white face," almost under the shadow of which I was born, the ride by wagon down along the rapid running Au Sable, the standing on the landing at Port Kent and watching the lights of the incoming steamer—the first I had ever seen—which was to bring us to Whitehall at the head of Lake Champlain. At Whitehall family and household goods were stowed aboard a line of freight boat and the long trip of 429 miles entered upon.

The cabins, dining room and sleeping rooms of a freight canal boat are neither spacious nor richly furnished; nor is fast speed made, but it was found a much easier and more comfortable trip than one by wagon would have been. Taking now and then to the tow-path gave plenty of exercise, and working through the more than four score locks kept the eyes of the younger ones wide open. An occasional jam added interest. Some of the party divided their time between fishing and foraging in the numerous well loaded orchards which stretched away on either side, this last diversion being rendered both interesting and exciting by occasional threatening demonstrations made by some lord of the herd, or by a race now and then with or from the big dog which had been commissioned to keep off intruders, though generally no objections were made by the hospitable farmers to the boys eating all the apples they could hold and bringing their hats full aboard, to be shared with those not able to participate in the sport.

In due time Buffalo was reached, and family and effects were transferred from the canal boat to a small steamer, billed for Cleveland. The steamer was crowded with emigrants and their belongings, the weather was stormy and cold, the lake was rough, and once out of the harbor

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COUNTY.

The Milan schools have closed. Lima wants a band, a brass band. Wampplers lake is overflowing its banks. George Thompson, of Augusta, is barn building. A. F. Kishpaugh is building a cottage in Clinton. Fred Kloss is building a new house in Whittaker. Wm. Hanke has built a boat house on River Raisin. Mosquitoes like rain. They are more numerous than ever. Clinton is raising money for a Fourth of July celebration. George Conger, of near Clinton, is building a new residence. Ypsilanti has done away with all her police except the marshal. The Clinton teachers have been requested to remain another year. The "Temple of Fame" has reared its lofty columns in Cherry Hill. Chelsea is sitting down on ball playing on her fair grounds on Sundays. Dell Dwelle is building a very fine residence on his farm near Grass Lake. George Reusink, of Clinton, died May 29, of typhoid fever, aged 21 years. Green Oak township is disturbed over the appearance of small pox there. The Stockbridge cornet band is said to contain some promising talent. Prof. G. A. Shartau has been elected superintendent of the Dexter schools. Frank Reason, of Pinckney, raised a large barn one of the rainy days last week. George Thumm, of Ypsilanti, has been arrested for keeping his saloon open Sundays. Fernando Bowdish is building a large addition to his residence in Stockbridge. Milan is just recovering from a ten cent show which struck town last Thursday. The horse of Wm. Gadd killed two sheep while running in the big marsh, last week. Prof. F. H. Pease, of Ypsilanti, is going to Europe to attend the Bayreuth Wagner festival. W. Barr, of Augusta, had three ribs broken recently by a board breaking under his weight. Thirty-six grand army veterans, of Stockbridge, attended memorial day exercises in Waterloo. The boat house of H. D. Morris together with the boats burned up last week, at Portage lake. John Heininger, of Saline, was thrown out of his wagon last week and had his collar bone fractured. Frank Sweetland has been elected president of the Chelsea fair association, and Orrin Burkhardt, secretary. The Dexter Leader in speaking of the recent illness of Rev. Mr. McMahon, says "a high fever clung to him." Mrs. Emil Staebler, nee Haab, died near Four Mile Lake, May 30, leaving a husband and three small children. Cren Baldwin and wife, who have been spending the past five years in California, are back in Manchester for the summer. Mrs. William H. Butler died in Dexter, May 29, aged seventeen years. She had been married less than four months. The Saline Observer asks, "will someone name the next president." Certainly. The next president will be Grover Cleveland. The barn of F. J. Comstock, in Saline, was struck by lightning the other day but happily no damage was done to the stock. The Grass Lake Farmer's club discussed Woman's Influence and Country Road Making at M. L. Raymonds, Wednesday. In how many ways do we use the little word "nice." The Stockbridge Sun says their new cemetery presents a nice appearance. Ypsilanti has decided that bicycles must keep off the sidewalks, and what Ypsilanti decides goes, until the marshal's back is turned. The Grass Lake News says that the water in Grass Lake is being materially lowered by the large number of fish taken from it. The South Lyon Picket has very much improved since Callahan & Chilson got possession of it. Here's wishing them the best of luck. An Eastern Star chapter was organized in Clinton last week with thirty charter members by the wives, sisters and daughters of the Masons. Joseph Beard, colored, has been tried twice for slander in Ypsilanti, the jury each time disagreeing. The third trial is fixed for next Tuesday. Rev. Mr. McMahon, of Dexter, has attended seventeen funerals dur-

ing the past eight months. During the previous year he attended but six. The young ladies of the T. J. T. appeared this week in club hats. They are very pretty.—Dexter Leader. Which, the hats or the ladies? George Nuoffer, of Waterloo, stepped on a rusty nail and is having considerable trouble with his foot since. He will look out for nails hereafter. J. C. Bemiss reports to the Ypsilanti that the rainfall for May was 8.92 inches, the heaviest in this section for any month in twenty years. In May last year the rainfall was 2.04 inches. The Saline Observer in good faith and without any idea of humor is lamenting because no arrangements have yet been made to keep the streets of Saline from being dusty this year. Let the Observer be of good cheer. Nature is sprinkling the streets in fine shape this year. Wm. Doty's house on east Liberty street was struck by lightning in the storm of last Tuesday afternoon. The chimney was demolished and shingles torn from the roof in several places. Luckily those in the house escaped injury.—South Lyon Picket. Frank Lawson of the South Lyon band became a father last week and the South Lyon Picket drops into poetry over it as follows: Blow the cornet, beat the drum, And everybody shout with joy; For Frankie Lamson smoles a smile, Because he's daddy to a boy. Misfortunes come not singly. Fred Croman, of Waterloo, has several frisky colts. They got into the wrong field the other day and one of them got badly cut on a barbed wire fence. In chasing them around the field and across a marsh Fred lost a valuable watch. Ypsilanti sportsmen have organized a society to protect fish and preserve game. To show that they meant business they elected Fred Fisher president, W. L. Pack vice-president, and put W. L. Marquardt, J. B. Colvan, E. P. Rorison, Guy Davis and W. H. Judd on the board of directors. The boss gum chewer of the age has been located in Chelsea. Talk about the inveteracy of some gum chewers of the female persuasion, we've got one whose proclivities in that direction would make a stick of gum blush with pride at being so much sought after.—Chelsea Herald. Must be a man. Can't be the editor of the Herald? About the middle of May, hand bills were seen on our streets announcing that 300 men were wanted to go to St. Paul, Minn., and work on a railroad at \$1.50 per day, transportation paid. About 150 applied at 423 South Adams street, and were obliged to deposit \$1.00 each with Otho Taylor as a guarantee of good faith. They were to ship June 1st, but Monday Taylor departed for parts unknown. The scheme has been worked in other Michigan cities.—Ypsilanti Commercial. The terrific rain storm of last night so filled the gutter on the south side of Cross street, just west of the river, that it overflowed its banks and cut a new channel for itself, tearing away the bank to a depth of over 15 feet, letting two rods of sidewalk fall into the gulch, and covering the whole lower portion of the Pattison garden to considerable depth, with stones and gravel. It was feared for a time that the washout had weakened the western approaches to the bridge, but this fear proved unfounded. It will cost the city some hundreds of dollars to repair the breach.—Ypsilanti Commercial. Last Sunday Mrs. Betsey Gregory, wife of John Gregory, took Paris green with suicidal intent. The home of the family is between Nineveh and Fishville, about four miles southeast of this village, where they have lived for years. Some time ago Mrs. Gregory was relieved of a large tumor through surgical means, but whether this attempt at self destruction can be attributed directly or indirectly to that cause we are unable to say. She took so much of the poison that her stomach would not retain it and the application of antidotes as quickly as possible prevented a fatal issue. However, she is said to be still very sick.—Grass Lake News. During the big storm Tuesday afternoon the home of Chas. Goodwin, known as the John Rosier farm, was the scene of unusual confusion. A bolt of lightning struck the eaves and evidently run up the roof to the chimney, and down beside the brick, tore out the partition beside the sitting room, where Austin Goodwin was comely reading, tearing up the carpet almost beneath his feet. The place of egress is not discernable. Mrs. Goodwin and son were in an adjoining room, and, strange to relate, no one of the three received a shock, notwithstanding a ball of fire was plainly seen by Austin, as the carpet near where he sat was torn up.—Dexter Leader.

Milan. Mr. Will Barnes is quite ill. A few more cases of diphtheria in a light form. The Zera show is still in Milan drawing small crowds. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fuller entertained guests at tea, Monday. Rev. Jay Huntington left for Detroit Tuesday morning on business. Rev. Jay Huntington preached his farewell sermon at the Baptist church, Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, of Quincy, Mich., are the guests of their son Mill Barnes, for a few days. The horsemen in this vicinity are making great preparations for the 11th of June matinee at the Milan driving park. H. Hack lost a valuable horse Friday, which died from the effects of a severe wound it received from a barbed wire fence the Tuesday before. The members of the Baptist church, the B. Y. P. U. and the Mission Band and many of the Milan outsiders gave Rev. Jay Huntington and daughter a complete surprise, Monday evening. Mr. A. D. Jackson, in behalf of the people made two very fine presentation speeches, first presenting Rev. J. Huntington with a beautiful gilt tourist's umbrella and secondly he presented Miss Grace with an elegant gold watch and chain. Both gifts were responded to in an interesting manner and all adjourned well pleased with the event. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' pills speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles, constipation. Unequalled for men, women, and children. Smallest, mildest, surest! 50 doses, 25 cts. Samples free at Eberbach & Son's. Lima. Simon Winslow is building a new hay barn. Frank Leach has his new house nearly completed. E. B. Freer cut 860 lbs. of wool from 77 sheep this year. Mrs. John Wade is visiting her children in Minneapolis, Minn. The Boynton and Storms reunion was held at George Boynton's, last Tuesday. Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by Eberbach & Son, Ann Arbor, and Geo. Haussler, Manchester. Dexter Township. Mrs. Vernon is entertaining friends from Waterloo. Mike Fohey, of Pinckney, spent Sunday in this place. Decoration day was observed at the Hudson cemetery. Jay Shehan, of Hamburg, spent Sunday with Nick Reid. George Reade is erecting a fine new windmill on his farm. Nicholas Reid was in Pinckney on business the last of the week. Miss Kate McCabe spent the latter part of the week in Ypsilanti. Dexter village has a new barber shop, with Wm. Potter proprietor. James Hall and wife, of Putnam, were among Dexter friends, Saturday. John McGuinness, of Pinckney, made a short call on friends Monday. James Hooker and sister, of Pinckney, spent Sunday with friends here. Miss Etta Stevens, of Stockbridge, is spending a few days with friends here. Henry Flemming and sister, Miss Nellie, were Ann Arbor visitors, on Monday. Mrs. Wm. Birkett, of Petoskey, is staying with her mother, who is quite sick. Rev. Wm. Galpin, of Ishpeming, preached in St. James' Episcopal church in Dexter village on Sunday. E. H. Carpenter left last Wednesday for a trip through the northern part of the state to seek a position as a book-keeper. Mrs. Emil Staebler died at her home on Monday afternoon. Funeral services were held at the Lutheran church in Dexter village, Thursday morning. Drunkenness, or the Liquor Habit, Positively Cured by Administering Dr. Heins' Golden Specific. It is manufactured as a powder, which can be given in a glass of beer, a cup of coffee or tea, or in food, without the knowledge of the patient. It is absolutely harmless, and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases and in every instance a perfect cure has followed. It never fails. The system once impregnated with the Specific, it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to exist. Cures guaranteed. A price book of particulars free. Address, Golden Specific Co., 185 Race St., Cincinnati, O. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE GREAT HAT SALE Of the Season.

Commencing THURSDAY, May 26, we we will give you the choice of all \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Derby Hats for \$1.97. This sale will continue for a few days only. Any one in need of a first class stylish hat will do well to examine these goods and prices.

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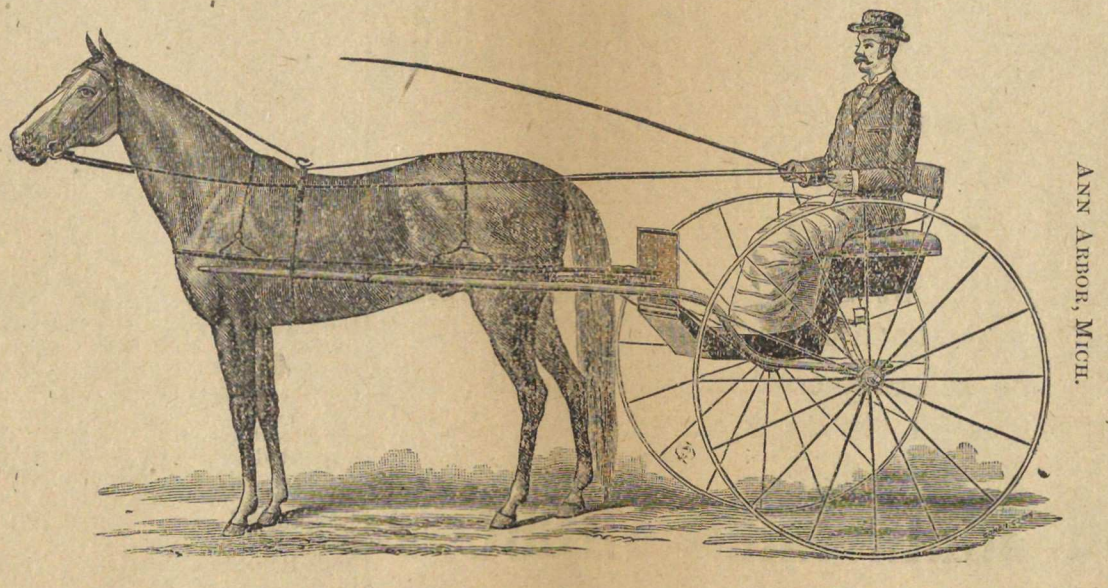
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After three years' study at the "Stern Conservatory," Berlin, Germany, under eminent teachers in Solo, Ensemble, and Theory; also under professors of the "Berlin High School" is now prepared to take pupils at his rooms in the Ann Arbor Organ Company's Building, Cor. Main and Liberty Sts., ANN ARBOR. Terms made known on application.

The New York World on Tuesday said editorially: "The nomination of Mr. Cleveland would seem to be pretty well assured." It made the statement also that if Blaine should be the republican candidate "the purpose to nominate Cleveland will be intensified. It will be regarded as a challenge that the Democrats cannot afford to decline."

Something of the deep seated harmony existing in the Republican ranks this year may be seen cropping out in little incidents. The train which carried the Republican delegation to Minneapolis and also Mr. Pingree and Mr. Rich was flooded with circulars bearing the heading "Pingree the Man, Rich Very Unpopular." What Mr. Rich thought when he first saw one of these will never be recorded.

The Republican party often claims to be a temperance party. Like many of their claims, their temperance is probably for outside use only. The following little item from the Minneapolis correspondent of the Republican Detroit Journal will be entertaining reading to the real temperance Republicans who believe the superior sobriety of their party:

W. C. Colburn, of Detroit, arrived late Friday afternoon and was astonished at the size of the bar in the West house. The counter upon one side is 90 feet long and upon the other 50 feet, with an annex in another room 30 feet long. At the 50-foot bar nothing but champagnes will be served. The price is \$4 a quart bottle. At the other bars only straight liquors and beer will be dispensed. There are 40 bartenders on duty, but it is expected they will be too busy to prepare mixed drinks.

The republicans have been having a regular Kilkenny fight at the Minneapolis convention this week of unexampled bitterness. The fight was made more intense by the unexpected resignation of Secretary Blaine, last Saturday, in a very curt note, and its acceptance by the president in an equally curt note which seemed to say, "Well, you've gone and I am glad of it." The fight in the convention has been to the death. The credentials committee, which was appointed Tuesday, did not report until last evening. A contest over the report followed, in which the Harrison men were victorious by a vote of 423 1/2 to 463. This victory on a preliminary skirmish may or may not be followed out on the balloting today. The most bitter talk is being indulged in. The Blaine men carry a banner stating that Harrison will lose Indiana by 20,000. The Harrison men have no opprobrious terms too bitter to apply to Blaine. It's anybody's fight as yet, with a chance for a dark horse.

If the Register has been correct in its utterances within the past two years, the laws regarding the closing of the saloons have not been enforced in this city, but on the contrary the saloons have run wide open after closing time. And yet, now, that the saloon keepers have petitioned that the closing hour be changed from 10:30 to 11 p. m., and have agreed to remove all screens, and afford every passing citizen a sight at the bars after hours and on Sundays, so that it would be impossible to break the laws, the Register breaks out in a long tirade, the burden of which is contained in this question: "Can we afford to double the evil effects of the liquor traffic by removing restrictions?" We do not care at present to go into the merits of the proposed ordinance. But we wish to ask candid thinkers if the Register's present course does not indicate that it had not adhered most strictly to the truth in its previous articles, and that its zeal to condemn a democratic administration had moved it to try to mislead its readers. If allowing the saloons to remain open half an hour longer would double the evils, it must be that they have been tightly closed hitherto.

Miss Fannie Holden, of Duluth, Minn., arrived Monday to visit Mrs. F. C. Brown. Finding that Mrs. Brown is visiting at Sioux City, Ia., she continued her journey to that place on Wednesday evening.

PERSONAL.

F. G. Graupner was in Detroit, Tuesday.

Miss Annie Condon is visiting friends in Kalamazoo.

Wesley Hicks spent Sunday at Holland visiting his son.

Mrs. B. F. Watts, left Wednesday to visit her sisters at Flint.

Miss Helen Terry, of Toledo, is visiting Miss Josie Henion.

James Monahan, of Denver, Col., was in the city this week.

Miss Lottie Jackson left Saturday for Manistiquet to visit friends.

Mrs. J. M. Lee, of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. J. C. Wood.

Miss Grace Jennelle, of Detroit, is the guest of Miss Florence Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Miner are visiting their grandson in Chicago.

Oscar Schmid, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his parents in this city.

J. Wm. Hangsterfer, of Detroit, was in the city Saturday and Monday.

Dr. James C. Stevens, of Detroit, spent Monday with relatives in the city.

Rev. Fr. Fierle, of Ionia, visited his old friends in this city, Monday.

Mrs. O. B. Hall gave a musicale to a number of friends, last Friday evening.

Geo. A. Gilbert left Monday for Minneapolis to see the fun in the convention.

Mrs. P. Lichtenberg, of Detroit, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. Rosenthaler.

Dr. J. M. Lee, of Rochester, N. Y., has been the guest of Dr. J. C. Wood this week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Hannan, of Hoosac Falls, have been visiting at Rev. E. D. Kelly's.

James Clements and daughter, Miss Mary Clements, left Monday for New York City.

Miss Matilda S. Brown, who has been visiting in Manistiquet and Petoskey has returned home.

Fred Parsons, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Mackinac, has been visiting his mother in this city.

Dr. Chas. Gatchell attended the National Republican convention at Minneapolis this week.

Michael Brenner returned Saturday from a business trip to the northern part of the state.

Hugh R. Jenkins returned Monday from a five weeks' trip in the northern part of the state.

Fred C. Brown, of the Times, left Tuesday night for Sioux City, Ia., to spend a couple of weeks.

Miss Mabel Corson returned Saturday evening from Petoskey, where she visited her parents.

C. M. Fuller, of Cleveland, who had been visiting M. C. Peterson, left Saturday for Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Lottie Eastman, of Chicago, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Israel Hall, returned home Monday.

Chas. W. Mellor left Monday evening on a business trip through Indiana for the Egan Imperial Truss Company.

C. A. Fellows, of Three Rivers, who clerked for H. J. Brown about ten years ago, visited friends here last week.

L. T. Limpert left Monday for Saulte Ste. Marie and other northern points, expecting to be gone about three weeks.

Mrs. James R. Bach and daughter, Lois, returned Saturday evening from a visit of several weeks to her sister in Howell.

Mrs. J. C. Stevens is here visiting her mother. She will probably spend a part of the summer in this city and vicinity.

Miss Eva Jenkins, of Flint, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. F. Watts, for several weeks, returned home Wednesday.

Richard Mason, who has been spending the week with his family on Washtenaw avenue, returned to Gladstone, Monday.

Dr. V. C. Vaughan attended the conference of the State Board of Health at Lansing this week. Dr. F. G. Novy also attended.

Miss Louise Walsh, who has been visiting in Detroit six weeks, returned home Saturday night. Estella Walker returned with her.

Chas. E. Hiscock, alternate delegate from this district to the National Republican Convention, left for Minneapolis, Sunday afternoon.

Lyman D. James has been in the city part of the past week looking after his real estate interests. He returned to Williamsburg, Mass., Monday evening.

Prosecuting Attorney H. W. Newkirk, of Luther, formerly editor of the Register, was in the city last Friday on his way to Minneapolis to attend the Republican convention as a Blaine delegate.

IT WILL BE ON JUNE 25.

The Allotment of the Miller Addition.

It Will be Either at the Opera House or at the Rink.—Some of the Big Purchasers.

There are few people who will not be interested to know that the sale of lots in the Miller addition to Ann Arbor has progressed so well that the day of allotment has been set and that at a time only three weeks distant.

When the announcement was first made that this property was to be placed in the market it was the almost unanimous belief that it would take but a short time to close out every lot, as this was the only available residence property left in what had become the very finest part of the city. The lots were placed at a low price in comparison with the prevailing prices on lots in the adjoining additions. The result has been as was predicted and with very little effort all but a very few of the lots have been sold, many of them to people who contemplate building handsome residences during the coming year. While about one-half of the sales have been made to individual parties who wish to have homes of their own one deal which covers 26 lots is worthy of a little extra mention. Realizing the fact that there are many people in Ann Arbor who would prefer to own homes of their own, and who could not afford to pay from \$2,000 to \$3,000 for a residence lot, which is the prevailing price in the city, some Ann Arbor business men thought that it would be a good plan to buy a block of these lots, and place them on the market in such a way that everyone who wished could own a home in the very best part of the University city. By owning a large block of lots in this way the chances are that after the allotment it will be possible to suit the taste of everyone as to location and price of lots and by loaning the money with which to build a house at a low rate of interest it is more than likely that at least 20 of these lots will have fine residences on them during the next year. Every effort will be made to improve this part of the city so as to increase the desirability and value of the lots, and the chances are that everyone who has bought a lot will make from 25 to 50 per cent profit within the next year. The gentlemen who are associated in this deal are A. L. Noble, C. E. Hiscock and H. P. Glover, gentlemen whose names are associated with many successful business enterprises in the Twin Cities.

Of course, there is a good percentage in favor of the house being drawn by this syndicate, but as such things generally go it is the man with one chance who draws the prize, and it will probably be so in this case. One of the gentlemen said that he was going to have one lot out of the pool on this very account, for he had never known a big pool to draw a prize, and he would like to draw that house.

When the allotment is made the managers want to have the place where it is held chock full, and a good representation of responsible business men on the stage to see that everything is carried out fairly. The allotment will be made in the manner decided upon by the individual lot owners the day before the allotment, and then some one will draw that lot with the \$15,000 house. There are still a very few lots which will be sold singly, but if not closed out in a short time they will be put into another pool.

Wants \$5,000 from the City.

Florence V. Smith, a daughter of Dr. Smith, of Schoolcraft, desires the city of Ann Arbor to pay her the sum of \$5,000 and has filed a petition with the city council with that object in view. She relates that on the 11th day of last October, while a student of the Normal school in Ypsilanti, she was visiting in this city and was walking on E. Ann street, across the tressle near the Observatory. A couple of ladies were walking ahead of her and she suddenly stepped through a hole in the sidewalk, which she was unable to see because her dresses covered it. Her knee was injured and she fears that the injury may prove serious and asks for \$5,000 damages.

Another Change in Time.

The Michigan Central time table, which went into effect May 15th, did not prove satisfactory and another change has been made which will go into effect on Monday. Under the new arrangement trains will leave Ann Arbor as follows:

East—Detroit Night express, 5:38 a. m.; Atlantic express, 7:47 a. m.; Grand Rapids express, 10:47 a. m.; Mail, 4:25 p. m.; Detroit Day express, 5:25 p. m.; North Shore Limited, 6:28 p. m.; Fast New York express, 9:45 p. m.; Niagara Falls and Buffalo Special, 11:27 p. m. West—Chicago Special, 3:07 a. m.; Chicago express, 8:39 a. m.; Mail, 9:37 a. m.; North Shore Limited, 9:59 a. m.; Fast Chicago express, 2:19 p. m.; Grand Rapids express, 5:50 p. m.; Chicago Night express, 9:18 p. m.; Pacific express, 10:27 p. m.

In Memoriam.

Ann Arbor, Mich., June 5, 1892.

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father, in the mysterious workings of His Providence, has seen fit to remove from our number Miss Jessie Lyle Hodgkins, be it

Resolved, That we, the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Congregational church of Ann Arbor, Mich., do express our grief for the loss of one of our faithful workers, whose sweet influence convinces us that her Christian life has not been lived in vain. Though the dark messenger, Death, has removed from her the possibilities of this life, yet there are laid up for her many treasures in Heaven. To those who remain, her life will serve as an incentive to higher and nobler efforts; her death will be a warning to us to be prepared when the Master calls. Be it also

Resolved, That these resolutions be printed in the city papers, and a copy of the same sent to the bereaved parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hodgkins, Bay City, Mich. W. A. CUTLER, Chairman Com.



A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report, August 17, 1889.

Sealed Proposals Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned Commissioner of Highways of the Township of Ann Arbor at my office in said said township until the 15th day of June, A. D. 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m., to furnish five thousand nine hundred and forty feet of plank (3940 feet) to be delivered at Iron Bridge on Whitmore Lake road in said township. Said plank to be sound white or swamp oak, three inches in thickness (3 inches) and from six to ten inches in width (6 to 10 inches).

Reserving the right to reject any and all proposals. Dated this 25th day of May 1892. J. J. PARSHALL, Commissioner of Highways, Ann Arbor Township.

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A FEW WORDS TO PARENTS.

We desire to say a few words as to our CHILDREN'S CLOTHING DEPARTMENT, possibly the largest in the city, where we carry a complete stock to satisfy your wants. We have them in 2 piece suits, as also three piece—vestee suits and in fact all the desirable styles used. If you are not as yet among our long list of customers, why not call and see what we are offering? As to price we know we have reached the bottom mark and that we can save you money. A personal inspection will convince you.

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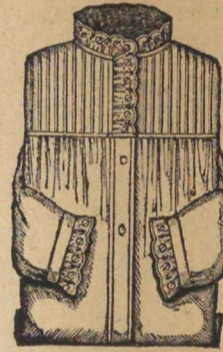
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- One case 5c Challies selling at 3 1/2c a yd.
- One case 7c New Dress Prints selling at 5c a yd.
- 50 pieces Plaid and Check 10c Gingham selling at 5c a yd.
- One bale All Linen Crash Toweling selling at 5c a yd.
- 25 pieces 10c Outing Flannels selling at 5c a yd.
- One case Soft Finish 8c Bleached Cotton selling at 5c a yd.
- Two bales Yard Wide 6c Unbleached Cotton selling at 4 1/2c a yd.
- Pretty Styles Seaside Flannels selling at 5c a yd.
- One bale Cotton Huck Toweling selling at 3 1/2c a yd.
- 100 pieces 10c Embroideries selling at 5c a yd.
- New Silkoline for Curtains selling at 5c a yd.
- Window Shades with Fixtures worth 50c selling at 25c each.
- 50 pairs \$1.00 Lace Curtains selling at 75c a pair.
- 25 pairs \$1.50 Lace Curtains selling at \$1.00 a pair.
- 100 Fancy Down Pillows worth \$1.25 selling at 90c each.
- 10 pieces Stripe Ticking worth 10c selling at 6c a yd.

SPECIAL.—500 lbs. White Star Carpet Warp, worth 22c, selling at 15c a lb.

500 lbs. Colored White Star Carpet Warp, worth 25c, selling at 20c a lb.

Hosiery, Boys' and Misses' Black Ribbed Cotton Hose worth 15c selling at 10c a pair. 50 dozen Ladies' 10c Fast Black Cotton Hose selling at 5c a pair. 100 dozen Ladies' Smith & Angell's Fast Black Cotton Hose selling at 25c a pair.



MUSLIN UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT.

Ladies' Fruit of the Loom Drawers, worth 35c, selling at 25c a pair. Ladies' Fruit of the Loom Skirts, worth \$1.00, selling at 75c. 10 dozen 75c Night Robes selling at 49c each. 40 dozen Ladies' 15c Ribbed Vests selling at 10c each.

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- 100 PIECES PLAIN WHITE India Linens, all prices from 10c to 40c a yard.
- 40 PIECES FINE QUALITY Choice Styles, Fast Black Organdies, in Stripes and Plaids, 10c to 40c a yard.
- 20 DOZEN WINDSOR TIES China Silk, Hemstitch Ends, 25c each.
- BLACK SILK UMBRELLAS and Fancy Parasols in great variety and low prices.
- FANS IN SATIN, GAUZE and Japanese Paper. An immense stock, novelties in style and cheap in price.
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- REAL CHINA SILK AND Crepe de Chines, all the popular shades and tints.

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- ALL OF OUR \$12 AND \$14 French Dress Patterns reduced to \$9.
 - ALL OF OUR \$10 PATTERNS reduced to \$8.
 - \$9.00 PATTERNS REDUCED to \$7.00.
 - \$8.00 PATTERNS REDUCED to \$6.00.
 - OUR 90c BEDFORD CORDS marked down to 75c.
 - OUR 60c AND 65c SERGES to go at 50c.
 - ONE LOT OF FANCY WOOL Suiting marked from 50c to 25c.
- Plenty of Bargain Prices at the Old Reliable.
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- BLACK DRESS LACES WILL be slaughtered in price. \$1.25 and \$1.50 Nets at the bargain price of \$1.00 per yard. This is nowhere near what they cost, but go they must.
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LOCAL BREVITIES.

A new flag staff has been placed on the top of the Cook house.

See Goodspeed's new advertisement of their tailoring department.

Miss Sperry has been engaged as a teacher in the Adrian schools.

A small steamer has been placed on the river above the Sinclair dam.

J. P. Judson is building a new residence on East University avenue.

J. M. Reinhart has laid the foundation for a new house on Packard street.

The Ann Arbor Extract Co. is moving into the Wilsey store on S. Fourth avenue.

The Ann Arbor Banjo and Guitar club played at Brighton, Wednesday evening.

Fred S. Gakle returned, yesterday morning, to his old position in the Two Sams.

Washtenaw Chapter, R. A. M. meets next Monday evening to confer the M. M. degree.

Patrick Toban, of Scio, died at the county house, Sunday night, of paralysis, aged eighty-one years.

Ann Arbor is getting its share of conventions. The dentists of the state meet here next year.

Charles S. Ackerman was given a decree of divorce from Elizabeth Ackerman, on the ground of desertion.

The sermons of Rev. Dr. R. A. Holland in St. Andrew's church last Sunday, were finished gems of eloquence.

The Gesang Verein Lyra will give a lawn social at the residence of Herman Hutzei, on W. Huron street, next week.

Ex-Governor Alpheus Felch was elected president of the Michigan pioneer and historical society last week.

The state militia are expected to live on plainer fare than usual at the state encampment at Island Lake, August 18 to 22.

The sink hole on the T. A. & N. M. railroad, near Whitmore Lake, gave the road considerable trouble the first of the week.

Jacob Marcus, of Kalamazoo, is spending the week in jail by request of Justice Pond, Monday. He was drunk when arrested.

The season of dancing will close at Granger's Academy of Dancing with a hop, tomorrow evening. Former pupils and friends invited.

E. E. Hallett has been appointed sergeant major on the staff of the division commander of the Sons of Veterans of this state.

Complaint has been made against Martin Ryan for using indecent language. His trial will take place before Justice Pond, June 17th.

Daniel E. Crawford has filed a bill in the circuit court asking for a divorce from his wife, Nellie Crawford, on the ground of extreme cruelty.

The Ann Arbor Keystone's were to have played a game of base ball with the Ypsilanti Juniors at Ypsilanti, Friday, but rain intervened.

Dr. A. B. Prescott read a paper Tuesday, before the American Medical Association in Detroit on Caffeine and the question of its isomerism.

The races at Milan which were to have occurred tomorrow have been postponed on account of the heavy rains until Saturday, June 25.

The Ann Arbor Guitar and Banjo Club, with J. E. Harkins and Ross Granger, gave an entertainment at Brighton, Wednesday evening.

"How to Study the Bible" will be the subject of the discourse to be delivered at the M. E. church, Sunday evening, by Rev. C. M. Coburn.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the English Lutheran church will hold a social next Monday evening at the residence of F. H. Belsler, on S. Thayer street.

The Savings Bank have purchased of Lyman D. James a half interest in Masonic block for \$18,500. The bank quarters will be entirely remodelled.

Fred Weinman was fined \$1 and \$2.70 costs by Justice Pond, Monday, for shooting inside the city limits. The complaint was made by a neighbor.

Herman F. Miller, who graduates in pharmacy this month, has accepted a position in the drug store of Eberbach & Son, and commenced working Monday.

The large share of lots in the Miller addition have been disposed of and the allotment of lots to purchasers will be made June 25th. A syndicate of four business men has invested in 26 lots and think it a pretty good investment.

Dr. J. Taft read a paper on The Progress and Needs of Dehtistry before the dental section of the American Medical Association in Detroit, Tuesday.

John M. Wheeler has been made a member of the standing committee of this diocese of the Episcopal church, on Christian Education and Literature.

The saloon-keepers have paid County Treasurer Brehm \$14,483.90 for liquor tax so far, and on Saturday he paid one-half of this amount to the city treasurer.

The artists employed on the Argus and the U. of M. Daily desire to thank Messrs. Travis and Erdlitz, of the Daily, for a liberal supply of cigars last Saturday.

In the June Forum, Dr. Henry C. Adams, of the university, has a very lucid explanation of the startling record of deaths and accidents to railway employees.

Rev. Mila Frances Tupper, of Grand Rapids, will preach at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning in exchange with Mr. Sunderland. No evening service.

Jane N. Heazlit, wife of the late Henry Heazlit who died suddenly about ten days ago, died on Wednesday evening of pneumonia, aged 55 years and 7 months.

The closing hop of the dancing school which has been conducted for the benefit of the members of Ann Arbor Commandery, K. T., was given last Saturday evening.

Children's Day will be properly observed at the M. E. church, Sunday morning. The service will include recitations, addresses and musical selections by the children.

Remember Mr. Pickwick's reception Friday evening, June 10, at the Congregational church. Ice cream and strawberries for nothing. Admission, 25 cents. Doors open at 7 p. m.

Mrs. Augustina Ratti died Saturday evening, aged thirty-two years. She had just moved to this city with her husband and young child. Her remains were taken to Pontiac.

Dr. W. H. Howell was one of the eminent specialists down for papers before the American Medical Association this week. His paper was on Nerve Regeneration after Suture.

Esau Mitchell, of South Lyon, was given the alternative by Justice Pond, Monday, of contributing a fine of \$10 and paying \$5.15 costs or spending twenty days in jail for being drunk.

Mrs. Martha Jane Hunt, of Ypsilanti, has filed a bill for divorce from Josiah Hunt on the ground of desertion for four years. Both parties are colored and they have two daughters, just of age.

Mrs. James B. Angell addressed a meeting of Detroit ladies, Saturday, telling how she proposed to raise \$2,500 from the women of Michigan, towards the Women's World Fair Building at Chicago.

Catherine E. Millsbaugh, of Ypsilanti, has begun suit in the circuit court against the city of Ypsilanti for \$1,000 damages for grading Cross street in such a manner as to throw the water on her premises and into her cellar.

The annual convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Michigan opened in session at Detroit, Wednesday. Those present from St. Andrew's parish are Rev. Henry Tatlock, Rev. Robert Holland, John M. Wheeler and H. J. Brown.

Death extinguished the family of Lewis Cunningham, colored, of Ypsilanti, last week. First his only child died. A week later, or last Saturday, his wife died. In the afternoon of that day he was taken with an epileptic fit and expired.

Dr. Herdman read a paper on the Newer Medical Education in the United States before the American Academy of Medicine, last Saturday, in which he described the great changes which have taken place in the medical department.

H. Randall has been awarded the \$25 prize offered by Wilson's Photographic Magazine for the best illustration of an enticing offer. The photograph of Mr. Randall was that of an Ann Arbor young lady in a hammock, making room for a young man.

The A. O. H. held their annual election, last Thursday evening, Edward Duffly, president; John V. Sheehan, vice-president; Chris. P. Carey, recording secretary; Morgan J. O'Brien, financial secretary; D. J. Mallory, treasurer; and Morgan Williams, sergeant.

Miss Jennie E. Hascall, of Ypsilanti, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. L. Moore, on S. Division street, Saturday morning at 5:30 o'clock, after several months of suffering. Her remains were taken to Ypsilanti where the funeral was held Monday afternoon.

Mayor Doty has attained a state reputation as a speaker and when Damascus Commandery, K. T., of Detroit, conceived the idea of presenting Past Commander Hayes with a magnificent past commander's jewel, they immediately requested Mr. Doty to make the presentation speech. The affair took place last evening, and Mr. Doty went to Detroit and made one of his characteristic speeches according to programme.

Dr. V. C. Vaughan read a paper entitled "To what extent should Laboratory Instruction be Afforded Students in Medicine in Regular Course" before the annual convention of the Association of American Medical Colleges.

Miles Standish, Longfellow's beautiful drama, will be given in the auditorium of the Baptist church this evening by leading elocutionists in the university. Mrs. Prof. A. B. Stevens will give illustrations of the drama by the best artists by means of the stereopticon.

The election of officers in Otselego lodge, No. 295, Tuesday evening, resulted as follows: James H. Otley, N. G.; Lawrence J. Damm, V. G.; Charles H. Major, R. S.; Chase L. Dow, treasurer. Their installation will take place at the first meeting in July.

Marshall Murray made a trip up the river, Monday, to catch nude bathers. He found fifteen or twenty boys in swimming but all wearing tight. The boys on learning that some young ladies wished to make some sketches up the river, agreed to make themselves scarce.

The Annual Address before the Baptist Young People's Union will be delivered next Sunday evening at the First Baptist church. It will be delivered this year by one of the ablest and most successful young ministers of the denomination, Rev. L. D. Temple, of Lansing.

Mrs. Bishop, formerly a member of the Ann Arbor board of education, died at her home in Kansas City, June 1, of paralysis. She was prominent in the M. E. church while in this city and was the only lady ever elected to the school board in this city. A husband, son and daughter survive her.

The Ann Arbor Rifles contemplate building an armory and are laying their plans to secure a fund for this purpose. With this object in view they are arranging for a bazaar to be given at the Palace rink, Oct. 16th to 27th, and expect to get a good start for their building fund from this.

The presbytery of the Presbyterian church will meet in this city next Friday. Among the other business to come before the presbytery is the ordination of George J. Rea. Mr. Rea was to have been ordained in Detroit last Monday, but forgot the day and got to Detroit the day after the presbytery had adjourned.

A lecture on the U. of M. from '59 to '65, the war events connected with the university, an account of the exciting meetings of Wendell Phillips and others, stories of professors and students, etc. during this period, will be given by N. W. Cheever before one of the literary societies, next Saturday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, in the law lecture room.

A peculiar accident occurred at the funeral of Augustina Ratti at Pontiac, whose remains were taken from this city. The casket was placed on planks over the grave. One of the planks broke letting the undertaker and one of the pall-bearers into the grave, the casket falling on them. Neither was injured by the accident.

One of the fast horses belonging to George A. Gilbert, driven by his trainer, became frightened at a car on Packard street, Tuesday afternoon, and jumped over a fence, carrying with it the cart to which it was attached. The driver and a little girl riding with him were thrown off and the cart broken, but the damage was slight.

Eugene S. Gilmore, of East Saginaw, and Miss Mae Banghart, of this city, were married at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. Banghart, on E. Ann street, Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. Rev. C. M. Coburn performed the ceremony in presence of the relatives and a few immediate friends of the parties. The young couple left yesterday for their future home at East Saginaw.

Dean & Co.'s delivery team ran away Tuesday morning, down the alley west of Main street, tipping over Baumgartner's bread wagon and throwing the bread all over the muddy alley, destroying a wagon load of chemicals for Eberbach & Son, worth \$150, and coming out on Huron street, where the horses fell one on top of the other and slid across the street like base runners reaching the home plate.

Frank Irwin Muir, a post graduate student of the literary department, died Wednesday afternoon of peritonitis, after being sick but a few days. Muir was a particularly bright student. He took a B. A. degree in 1888 and was then principal of the Battle Creek schools for three years. He returned here last fall to take a master's degree and was only waiting for commencement. He was a strong, athletic young man and his death was unexpected. His parents reside near Erie, Mich., and his remains were taken there yesterday.

At the meeting of the State Dental Association in Saginaw, last Saturday, Dr. N. S. Hoff, of this city, was elected president for the ensuing year. Dr. J. A. Watling was made supervisor of clinics. Dr. Taft was made chairman of the committee on permanent location. Dr. J. L. Williams, of Sault Ste. Marie, was made a member of the University visiting committee. Dr. W. H. Dorrance was continued on the legislative committee. Ann Arbor was selected as the next place of meeting.

Rev. Mr. Carman will deliver an address to the senior law class, Sunday evening, June 19, in the Baptist church, on the subject of Incorporal Hereditaments.

Marriage Licenses.	
Martin A. Snook, Chicago, Ill.	24
Lenora Phillips, East Liverpool, O.	21
Ora C. Gregory, Dexter	19
Rosa M. VanRiper, Webster	20
Henry Evers, Stockbridge	30
Kate Schill, Saline	28
C. J. Riemenschneider, Sylvan	29
Anna Kaimback, Sylvan	24
Walter H. Roost, Scio	24
Carrie L. Davis, Scio	31
John Eder, Chelsea	25
Rosa Stoll, Chelsea	26
Eugene S. Gilmore, East Saginaw	25
Mae M. Banghart, Ann Arbor	23
Charles Begole, Ypsilanti	27
Minnie Moore, Ypsilanti	26
Wm. H. Evans, Denton	23
Elizabeth Green, Ypsilanti	23
H. Willard Schwab, Ann Arbor	24
Mary J. Kauske, Ann Arbor	19

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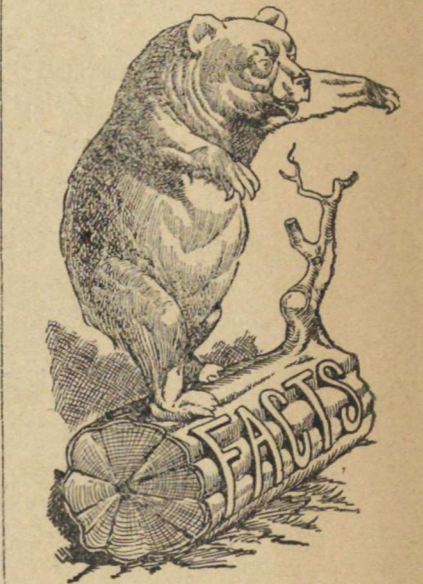
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Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages, etc.	98,006.07
Overdrafts	7,007.09
Due from banks in reserve cities	58,887.72
Due from Washenaw Co.	4,115.29
Bills in transit	4,092.00
Furniture and fixtures	3,000.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	2,291.48
Interest paid	3,343.17
Checks and cash items	255.29
Nicks and pennies	182.29
Sold coin	5,145.00
Silver coin	1,882.85
U. S. and National Bank Notes	10,432.00
Total	\$474,560.24

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits	16,587.65
Individual deposits	\$ 170,635.58
Certificates of deposit	106,101.36
Savings deposits	61,255.65
Total	\$474,560.24

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. County of Washtenaw, ss. I, Frederick H. Boiser, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. BEISER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of May, 1892. WILLIAM W. WHEATON, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest: CHAS. E. GREENE, JUNIUS E. BEAL, D. F. SCHAEFER, Directors.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[OFFICIAL]

COUNCIL CHAMBER, ANN ARBOR, June 6th, 1892.

Regular meeting. Called to order by President Cooley. Roll called. A quorum present. Absent—Ald. May 16th meeting approved.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR.

City of Ann Arbor, Mayor's Office, May 21st, 1892.

To the Honorable the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN, Pursuant to the resolution of your honorable body passed in Common Council, May 2, 1892, authorizing the appointment by the Mayor of an additional patrolman to the regular police force of said city, and the detail of the said patrolman as truant officer, I hereby appoint, subject to your confirmation, Thaddeus Thompson to the regular police force of said city, and detail as provided by law; it being expressly understood, nevertheless, that the service of the said Thompson under and by virtue of this appointment and this detail are to be without expense to the City of Ann Arbor.

WILLIAM G. DOTY, Mayor.

Referred to Police Committee.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Common Council:

We, the Board of Public Works, respectfully recommend and ask the Common Council to appropriate the sum of \$50 to grade at the junction of South University avenue and Linden street.

By order of the Board of Public Works. W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

Referred to Street Committee.

A petition signed by Mrs. Ernestina Kauska and nineteen other residents and property holders in the Second ward of the city of Ann Arbor, asking that a sidewalk be ordered built on the east side of First street from Liberty street to Carl Joerndt's north line.

Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

A petition signed by Paul Snauble and seventeen other residents and property holders in the Second ward of the city of Ann Arbor, asking that sidewalks be ordered built on the north and south sides of Williams street—north side from Ashley street to Fourth street; south side from Ashley street to third street.

Referred to Sidewalk Committee.

To the Common Council:

Your Board of Health respectfully represent that there is urgent need for a general inspection of the sanitary condition of the whole city; that is, to make a house to house inspection of all privy vaults, cesspools, etc., in this city. We would therefore petition your honorable body to permit the Board of Health to engage a suitable person to perform this work at once, at a cost not to exceed \$100. The Board of Health have the power to employ some suitable person to do this work, but wish to consult your honorable body first before taking this step. We therefore pray your honorable body will cause the necessary order therefor to be passed.

The Board of Health organized by electing Eli W. Moore, president, Dr. John Kapp, health officer, and Martin Clark, inspector.

Dated May 25, 1892.

By order of the Board of Health. W. J. MILLER, City Clerk.

Received and filed.

To the Honorable City Council of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich.:

The undersigned has examined the books and vouchers of the City Treasurer, the books of the City Clerk, and the interest account between the City Treasurer and the city depository, and find the same correct.

Respectfully, JOHN R. MINER.

June 4, 1892.

Received and filed.

A communication from the Soldier's Relief Commission, which included a list of aids and soldiers' widows entitled to aid under the provisions of the Soldiers' Relief Act.

Received and filed.

A quit-claim deed of Edward A. Gott et al, to the city of Ann Arbor, conveying Brook and Gott streets.

Referred to City Attorney.

A communication from the Ann Arbor Water Co., was read and referred to Water Committee.

A petition signed by thirty-five saloon keepers asking for permission to keep their places of business open to the hour of eleven o'clock p. m. legal time, and stating that they were all willing hereafter and will keep and maintain closed their respective places of business on each week day night after such hour of 11 o'clock, the curtains and screens to be drawn, to the end that their bars may be seen from the sidewalks in front of their respective places of business, also that on Sunday all of their places shall be closed.

Referred to Ordinance Committee.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

FINANCE.

To the Common Council:

Your committee on Finance respectfully report that they have had the following bills under consideration and would recommend their allowance at sums stated.

CONTINGENT FUND.

W. J. Miller, salary	66 66
J. H. Stark, janitor	6 25
Sid W. Millard, supplies	2 00
Michael Staehler, coal	13 40
H. Randall, frames	5 00
W. J. Miller, supplies	2 05
Louis J. Liesemer, notice	1 75
F. C. Dorr, typewriting	1 00
Josephine Henion, typewriting	2 00
E. B. Norris, salary	2 05
Frederick J. Schiede, supplies	6 00
P. O'Hearn, salary	163 00
William Herz, lettering ballot boxes	3 00
Ann Arbor T. H. Electric Co., street lighting	588 90
Ann Arbor T. H. Electric Co., office	2 00
Total	\$ 887 62

STREET FUND.

Nelson Sutherland, salary	66 66
Gordon Wallace, labor	18 50
William Lamborn, labor	12 42

Amos Drake, labor	3 10
Gottlieb Schneider, labor	6 10
Gordon Wallace, labor	5 55
Frank Sutherland, labor	9 12
August Tessmer	21 75
Michael Williams, labor	41 83
William Kuehn	29 78
Andrew Zeigler	18 75
Henry Schulz	3 00
Michael Kenny	15 15
Christian Dieterle, labor	1 95
Guarav Walters	25 80
Gordon Wallace	4 35
Joseph Hutzel, labor	39 90
Christian Bonnie, labor	7 75
Patrick Welch, labor	1 75
Sam Dett, labor	8 85
William Nimtz, labor	30 15
Charles Joerndt	4 50
John Baugman, labor, crossing stone	25 80
Glen V. Mills, 25 city maps	2 50
Jonathan Drake, labor	11 40
William Lamborn	21 75
William Clark, labor	22 75
Douglass Bycraft, teaming	24 85
August Birk	4 50
P. D. Rogers	15 40
Israel Clark	73 15
Richard Burns	24 85
M. Schnerle	27 30
Andrew Pupploff	37 02
Albert Petreys	8 75
Hiram Kittridge	7 50
Nelson Sutherland, horse and cart	24 02
Hiram Kittridge, teaming	7 00
Jacob Michelselder, labor	5 93
John Finnegan, seed	3 10
Geo. Wahr, engineer supplies	3 20
William Clark, labor	7 60
Eberbach & Co., supplies	7 95
Geo Weeks, building sidewalk	7 50
Wagner & Co., repairs	9 00
Louis Rhode, agent	2 00
Washenaw County, stone	11 00
A. M. Clark, repairs	15 31
S. Wood & Co., supplies	170 15
S. S. Brown, building cement crosswalk	20 00
Hutzel & Co., piping	4 45
Total	\$ 956 66

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.

Fred Sibley, salary	60 00
C. A. Edwards, salary	50 00
Henry McLaren, salary	46 46
Louis Hoelzie, salary	45 00
Herman Carroll, salary	40 00
Max Wittlinger, salary	40 00
Alexander D. Imus, salary	40 00
S. F. Granger, salary	25 86
Israel K. K., salary	8 93
John Kenny, salary	8 00
Sam McLaren, salary	8 00
Morgan Williams, salary	8 00
Louis Rettich, substitute	12 64
Louis Weinmann, salary	8 00
Mrs. B. Ream, washing	4 00
H. C. Clark, 1 bale hay	4 00
Heinzmann & Laubengayer, bran	24 15
H. D. Edwards & Co., 500 feet fire hose	400 00
Bach, Abel & Co., supplies	6 75
William Herz, supplies	6 39
Total	\$ 844 72

POLICE FUND.

James R. Murray, salary	65 00
David Collins, salary	50 00
Noble C. Tice, salary	50 00
Frank Campion, special police	2 00
John Manning	50 00
W. G. Snow, horse hire	1 00
Total	\$ 168 50

POOR FUND.

H. C. Clark, wood	2 75
Fred Sibley, salary	10 00
Hiram Kittridge, groceries	2 00
Mrs Ann Evans, aid	5 00
Eberbach & Son, medicine	4 20
John Goetz & Son, groceries	4 45
John Goetz, jr., groceries	5 00
J. Henne, groceries	4 00
W. F. Lodholz, groceries	15 53
William H. McIntyre, groceries	8 68
E. P. Mason, horse hire	1 50
O'Hara & Boyle, groceries	1 59
Rinsey & Seabolt, groceries	9 97
C. Kinsey, groceries	5 27
M. P. Vogel, shoes	1 00
M. P. Vogel, meat	1 03
Ann Arbor Brick Co., wood	17 25
Total	\$ 94 05

RECAPITULATION.

Contingent Fund	\$ 887 62
Street Fund	956 66
Fire Fund	844 72
Police Fund	168 50
Poor Fund	94 05
Total	\$2,931 55

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER L. TAYLOR,
A. H. FILLMORE,
WILLIAM HERZ,
Finance Com.

Ald. Kehberg moved that the report be accepted and adopted and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated therein, which motion prevailed by a ye and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Martin, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, O'Mara, Rehberg, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman and Pres. Cooley.—12.

Nays—None.

Ald. Wines moved that the bill of Geo. F. Key, City Engineer, be allowed and a warrant ordered drawn for the sum of \$30, which motion prevailed by a ye and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Martin, Ferguson, O'Mara, Rehberg, Kitson, Prettyman and Pres. Cooley.—9.

Nays—Ald. Fillmore, Snow, Taylor.—3.

Chairman Taylor, of the Finance Committee, presented the claim of S. Krause for erroneous assessment on lot 21, Krause addition, without any recommendation.

Ald. Martin moved that the claim be referred back to the Finance Committee for a report, which motion prevailed.

STREET.

To the Common Council:

Your Committee on Streets to whom was referred the petitions of John Krause and others, Adolph B. Covert and others and a recommendation from the Board of Public Works, asking for grades to be established and when grades are established to grade the streets to the grade, respectfully report that they have visited the different localities and fully inspected the same, and would recommend the following, namely:

That the Board of Public Works report to this Council memoranda for grades on the following streets: On Vine street from Huron to Liberty streets, on Madison street from Main to Seventh streets, on West Summit street from Main to Brooks streets.

We further report and recommend that the following appropriations be made: For grading Vine street, \$125; for grading Madison street from Fourth to Seventh streets, \$250; for grading Summit street, \$200.

Respectfully submitted,

CHRISTIAN MARTIN,
WALTER L. TAYLOR,
L. D. WINES,
A. P. FERGUSON,
H. G. PRETTYMAN,
W. G. SNOW,
Street Committee.

Ald. Wines moved that the report be accepted and adopted and filed, which motion prevailed by a ye and nay vote as follows:

Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Martin, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, O'Mara, Rehberg, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman and Pres. Cooley.—12.

Nays—None.

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SIDEWALK COMMITTEE.

To the Common Council:
Your Committee on Sidewalks, to whom was referred the resolution of our last meeting to construct a crosswalk along Detroit street, across Division street, would respectfully report that the appropriation be made of \$15 to build said crossing, as said crossing is a necessary public improvement. Respectfully submitted.

ARTHUR J. KITSON,
ERNEST REHBERG,
J. O'MARA,
D. F. SCHAIRES,
A. H. FILLMORE,
Sidewalk Committee.

Ald. O'Mara moved that the report be accepted and adopted and filed, which motion prevailed by a yeas and nays vote as follows:
Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Martin, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, O'Mara, Rehberg, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman and Pres. Cooley—12.
Nays—None.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES.
To the Common Council:
Your Special Committee to whom was referred the proposition to do away with the mill race along Allen's creek, would respectfully report that they have examined the mill race and find a condition, which in the opinion of your committee is little less than an intolerable nuisance, we have interviewed Messrs. Kyer and Peterson who claim to own the right by deed to maintain the said mill race, and find that they are willing to sell their right and consent to an abatement of the mill race for the sum of four thousand dollars.

Your committee feel that the payment of any such sum by the city is wholly out of the question, but that if the persons whose property would be benefited by the abatement of the race were willing to pay a reasonable part of the said sum asked it might be prudent for the city to contribute to the fund required for that purpose.
Your committee would therefore recommend that the President do appoint a committee of five persons among those interested in the abatement of such race, and that such committee do report to the Council at its next meeting what sum of money can be raised by voluntary subscription for that purpose.
All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. G. SNOW,
H. G. PRETTYMAN,
L. D. WINES,
Committee.

Ald. Taylor moved that the report be accepted and adopted, which motion prevailed.
Pres. Cooley thereupon appointed the following committee: Charles E. Hiscock, W. E. Walker, A. J. Sawyer, Reginald Spokes and Z. Sweet.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS.
CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING MAY 31, 1892.
To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include 'Balance on hand as per last report', 'MONEY RECEIVED' (Contingent Fund, County Treas. Liquor Tax, Miller, Licenses, Street Fund, Cemetery Fund, Police Fund, Delinquent Tax Fund), 'MONEY DISBURSED' (Contingent Fund, Street Fund, Cemetery Fund, Police Fund, Poor Fund, Bridge Fund, Soldiers' Relief Fund), 'BALANCE ON HAND' (Contingent Fund, Street Fund, Cemetery Fund, Police Fund, Poor Fund, Bridge Fund, Dog Tax Fund).

Respectfully submitted,
S. W. BEAKES,
City Treasurer.

ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK,
ANN ARBOR, MICH., June 6, 1892.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:
This will certify that S. W. Beakes, City Treasurer, has to his credit in this Bank the sum of Sixteen Thousand, One Hundred, Twenty-eight and 12-100 dollars, (\$16,128.12).
Yours respectfully,
CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.

THE MONTHLY REPORTS OF TREASURER, CITY CLERK, MARSHAL AND SUPT. OF THE POOR WERE READ AND ORDERED FILED.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.
By Alderman Kitson.
WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the north side of Huron street ought to be changed and fixed and established, to the end that such street may be made suitable and safe for public travel, therefore
Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the north side of Huron street from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:
830-850 feet at east line Hamilton Block.
830-82-100 feet at west line of Engine House.
830-85-100 feet at northwest corner Huron street and Fourth ave.
The elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of sidewalk and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Which resolution prevailed.
By Alderman Kitson.
WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the south side of Washington street from Main to Ashley streets be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:
829-83-100 feet at southeast corner of Washington and Ashley streets,
831-83-100 feet at middle of alley between Main and Ashley streets,
834-83-100 feet at southwest corner Main and Washington streets, the elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of sidewalk and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Which resolution prevailed.
By Alderman Kitson.
WHEREAS, In the opinion of the Council the grade of the sidewalk on the east side of Fourth avenue ought to be changed, fixed and established, to the end that such street may be made suitable and safe for public travel, therefore
Resolved, and it is hereby ordered that the grade of the sidewalk on and along the east side of Fourth avenue from Huron st. to Catherine street be, and the same is hereby changed, fixed and established, so that the grade of said sidewalk on and along the street aforesaid shall be as follows, that is to say:
830-85-100 feet at northeast corner Huron street and Fourth avenue,
832-83-100 feet at southeast corner Ann street and Fourth avenue,
831-83-100 feet northeast corner Ann street and Fourth avenue,
829-83-100 feet at south line of Zachmann's Meat Market.

The elevation given being above the official city datum and along the center line of sidewalk and the grade lines to consist of straight lines between the several points or stations above stated.

Which resolution prevailed.
By Alderman Wines.
Resolved, That the street committee do examine the grade of the proposed extension of Huron street to the old cemetery grounds, that they have power to fix the same and report the same at the next meeting.

Which resolution prevailed.
By Alderman Snow.
Resolved, That the communication from the mayor be received and placed on file and the appointment of Thaddeus Thompson as trustee officer be confirmed.

Which resolution prevailed.
By Alderman Taylor.
Resolved, That the thanks of this Council be and are hereby tendered to Mr. J. C. Baugher for his kindness in placing a stone drinking trough at the corner of Miller ave. and First street, without expense to the city.

Which resolution unanimously prevailed.
By Alderman Rehbberg.
Resolved, That the report and recommendations of the Soldiers' Relief Committee be adopted and ordered placed on file, and that the list of persons therein contained be certified to the city clerk, pursuant to law.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nays vote as follows:
Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Martin, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, O'Mara, Rehbberg, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Cooley—12.
Nays—None.

Whereas, trespassing on the public parks is frequent in plain sight of warning signs to the contrary, therefore be it,
Resolved, That the mayor appoint such special police as are necessary to arrest and make complaint against such trespassers, such special police to receive one half the fines assessed.

Ald. Rehbberg moved that the resolution be referred to the park committee.
Ald. O'Mara moved as an amendment that it be referred to the police committee.

Ald. Wines moved that the original resolution be amended so as to include the arrest of all ball players.
Which amendment was accepted.
Ald. Wines moved as a substitute for the motions of Ald. Rehbberg and O'Mara, that the resolution be referred to the ordinance committee.

Which substitute prevailed.
By Alderman Wines:
Resolved, That Huron street be extended east to Observatory st., and parallel with Ann st., said extension of Huron street to be four rods in width, and that Thirteenth st. be extended south to Huron st., said extension of Thirteenth st. to be four rods in width, provided however that before said streets shall be extended, the full right of way for the same shall be conveyed to the city without charge for the same.

Which resolution prevailed by a yeas and nays vote as follows:
Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schairer, Martin, Fillmore, Snow, Ferguson, O'Mara, Rehbberg, Taylor, Kitson, Prettyman, Pres. Cooley—12.
Nays—None.

By Alderman O'Mara:
Resolved, That the chair appoint a committee of three, to report to this council the cost of a safe to be needed for the city clerk's office.

Which resolution prevailed and the president thereupon appointed the following committee: Ald. O'Mara, Taylor, Fillmore.
Ald. Wines introduced an ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance Relative to the Closing of Saloons and Bars in Restaurants and Elsewhere"
Ald. Martin moved that the said ordinance be referred to the ordinance committee.
Which motion prevailed.
On motion the council then adjourned.

WM. J. MILLER, Clerk.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN. SUIT PENDING in the Circuit Court for Washtenaw County in Chancery, wherein Emma Guillon is complainant and Michael Guillon is defendant. Satisfactory proof appearing to this Court by affidavit on file that defendant's residence is unknown to complainant. It is ordered that defendant appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in this cause within five months from the date of this order.

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Estate of Henry Krause. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the twentieth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

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Real Estate For Sale. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. In the matter of the Estate of Peter M. Burlingame, deceased.

CHANCERY NOTICE. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss.

Estate of Courtney T. Burlingame. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

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Notice to Creditors. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the 25th day of April, A. D. 1892, six months have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Elizabeth E. Royer, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 25th day of October next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on the 25th day of July and on the 25th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

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Estate of John Beahan. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the seventh day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

CHANCERY SALE. In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw in Chancery, State of Michigan, made and dated on the 23d day of October, A. D. 1891, in a certain case therein pending, wherein Frederick R. Fronzier is complainant and Stephen C. Merrihue, Condace Merrihue and Frank Davis are defendants.

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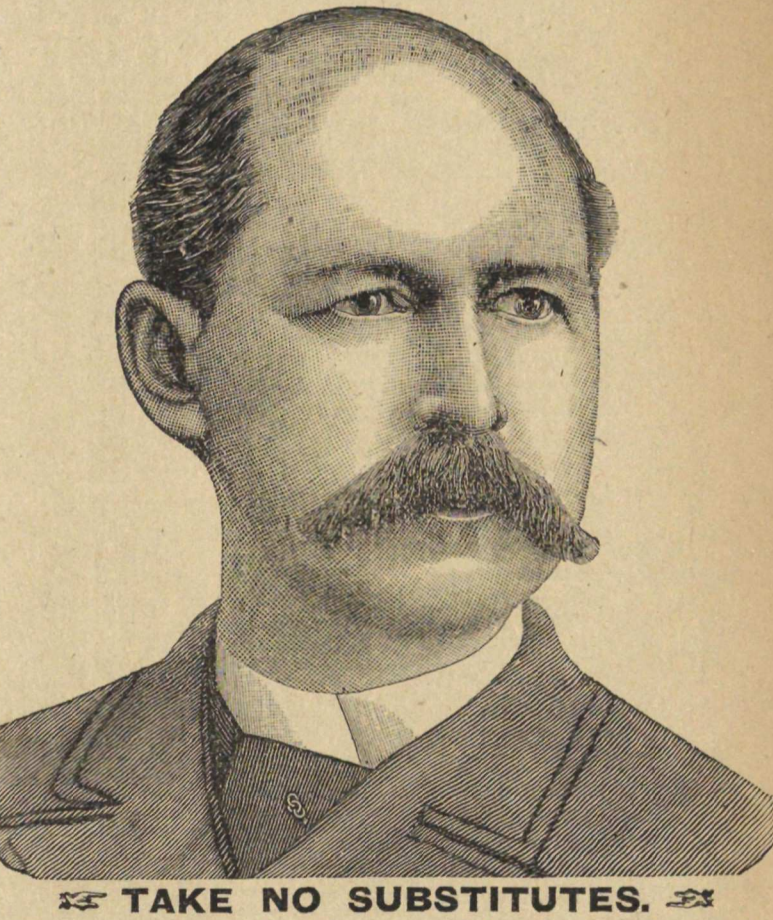
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the stomachs of most of the passengers were in a rebellious state. I have to this day a vivid recollection of my own vain efforts to gratify hunger, and the final success in disposing of an apple dumpling of generous proportions. Never since did apple dumpling fill such a void or taste so deliciously. Somewhere, near Dunkirk, if I remember correctly, a piece of machinery was broken, and it became necessary to lay to, send a messenger ashore in a small boat, and give a blacksmith a job. This done and the damage repaired, the voyage was resumed and Cleveland reached near the close of the third day.

At Cleveland a new and serious trouble stared us in the face. News had preceded us that the Cholera had broken out in Buffalo and was prevailing to an alarming extent, and Cleveland tavern-keepers — there were no hotels in those days, at least none so far west—refused admission to any and all persons coming through the infected city. After two or three hours anxious search up one street and down another, the family meanwhile remaining on the wharf, a good Samaritan was found and we were taken in and given shelter for the night. The next day a relative came and took us to his home a few miles distant in the country, and after a goodly season of rest and an enjoyable time hunting bee-trees, going "cooning" and gathering chestnuts and hickory nuts, we made our way to Knox county, where we sojourned until in the early spring of 1835, when the journey to Michigan was resumed.

This was in mid-March if my memory serves me right. The heavier effects had been previously taken to the nearest Lake Erie port and shipped to Monroe. Two yoke of heavy oxen constituted the motive power, and a covered wagon of liberal dimensions furnished riding quarters for such members of the family as could not, by reason of age, youth, or for other cause, make good time by walking. Everything went well for two or three days, but after crossing the Sandusky river, at Lower Sandusky, now called Fremont, trouble began. It was at, or near that point, that we entered the famous and dreaded black swamp, through the heavy and gloomy forests of which the so-called road ran straight as an arrow for some thirty miles. Crossing the river by ferry about noon, at dark five miles had been made. The next morning the heavier articles of furniture—everything in fact not absolutely necessary for daily use—were stored in the spacious tavern barn, and we moved forward with the caravan of emigrants—some of them headed for Michigan, and others for Northern Indiana, Illinois, or further west. As far as the eye could see, to front or rear, the procession of covered wagons stretched out, wagons drawn by horses, by oxen, by horses and oxen, heavy wagons and light wagons, all overloaded with both living and dead freight, and all making haste slowly. The frost was just out of the ground, the spring settling had not taken place, there was no bottom to the road, and every wheel on every wagon was down in the black, sticky mud hub deep. Occasionally some disgusted and experimenting driver would take to the canal-like gutter by the roadside, but was soon glad to get some fellow traveler to unhitch his team from his own wagon and help draw him back into the road. To relieve horses and cattle men walked, boys walked, girls walked, and even mothers, with babes in arms took their turn at walking, utilizing in many cases the logs lying along the gutters. An old fashion Michigan railroad, and if there is a real, simon-pure pioneer here, he or she will know what sort of a railroad that was, would have been a God-send.

There was a tavern every mile—in fact about every house was a tavern—in which the women and children, and such men as could not bunk in the wagons, found shelter. This slow movement continued day after day. The first day after entering the swamps my father made arrangements with a fellow-mover to aid each other in their off-occurring times of need, by doubling teams and drawing first one and then the other wagon out of any extra deep hole in which it might become stalled. From one of these holes the four yoke of oxen succeeded in drawing the other fellow's wagon out, but our wagon was "in it" to stay. The doubled-up teams could not start a wheel, with a rail under each wheel and a man or two at each rail. So there it remained for the night, the most of the family walking to and finding quarters at the next tavern, a half-mile or so ahead. The next morning my father hired a teamster, who was daily raking in a liberal number of dollars by aiding unfortunate emigrants, to draw him out to Stony Ridge, about ten miles from Perrysburg. This was done, Perrysburg was reached, the Maumee crossed by ferry and a tie-up made on a high bluff just at dark.

Two or three weeks later my father went back over the same route with a single yoke of oxen, making the passage of the swamp in a single day, and back again with his load of goods in the same time. Today the voyage of the swamp may be made in less than an hour, and in the five and one-half days one may easily make the distance from New York to San Francisco.

At Perrysburg we saw the fort and barracks occupied a few days before by the Ohio troops which had been called out to meet the Michigan boys in battle—the bone of contention being the boundary line and the ten mile strip claimed by both the Buckeyes and the Wolverines. The flag was still flying, but the brave and blustering soldier boys had gone home. We had met squad after squad of them tramping through the mud of the Black Swamp. Having been denied the opportunity to exhaust their ammunition in shooting at their Michigan brothers, they made targets of calves and pigs, turkeys and chickens and succeeded in shooting to pieces the eagles, bears, lions and other birds and animals doing duty on tavern sign-boards. One day one of these patriotic and over-loaded Buckeye soldiers hurrahed for Ohio, and an older brother, now a resident of Oregon, responded with a cheer for Michigan. This brought a call to the Buckeye's zealous comrades to help duck the Wolverine for daring such profanation on Ohio's sacred soil. Fortunately hostilities were declared off, and the ducking did not take place.

From Perrysburg we came around Toledo—Ohio's future great—to Monroe, and from that place through Tecumseh to Adrian, thus avoiding the Cotton-wood swamp, then a limited edition of the Black swamp. The family was placed in a vacant farmhouse of a primitive type, about four miles from Adrian, while my father prospected for a location. Having been a surveyor, he was employed by an eastern capitalist to go into Hillsdale county and select and locate a site for a county seat, he putting in his money and to have the second choice of 80's purchased. The selection was made and the land purchased from Uncle Sam; but the agent of the capitalist refusing to carry out the agreement, my father drew out his money, took pay for his time, went into the next county west, — Branch — selected, and proceeded to the land office at Kalamazoo and entered 200 acres situated on the banks of a beautiful little lake near the Indiana line, in the present township of Kinderhook, so named for Martin Van Buren, — "Sage of Kinderhook"—president of the United States at the date of its organization. In the latter part of August or first of September the family started, full of hope, for the place where a home was to be founded. We got as far as the village of Branch, then and until 1842 the county seat, where a supposed temporary halt was made, with the expectation of going upon the land the next spring. We never reached it, and two years later it was sold; the larger share of the proceeds going to pay accumulated doctors' bills and the necessary expenses of living meantime. But for this untoward turn in affairs the writer of this sketch might have been bred a farmer and become a granger. Who can tell what else might have happened to him? The adjoining township, Gilead, has turned out a granger governor.

Branch county had then been organized but two years and had a population below 3,000. Its first settler came into it in 1829, and the census of 1837 gave it 4,016 inhabitants. Large numbers of Indians yet had a home within its borders, and well do I remember their processions to and from the old trading post "Wabskokias," on the west bank of the Coldwater river, at the point where that stream is crossed by the Chicago road, about half a mile west of Coldwater. They usually went down loaded with venison, cranberries, maple sugar, etc., each in season, and as usually came back loaded with whisky—"fire-water." On one of these down-the-river excursions the band halted in front of our house to water their ponies and barter off part of their truck. One of them proposed to buy the writer, then a lad of ten years. In addition to the tempting price offered, he promised to give pappoose a pony, teach him to ride and shoot, and pa-ma (by and bye) bring him back. Suffice it to say that a watchful mother speedily gathered four boys into the fold, three of them younger than the one sought to be purchased, and kept them safely under cover until tucked away in bed for the night. About midnight the door of the house was quietly opened, bolts and locks were not in general use those days, and the step of a moccasined foot heard inside. To the awakened father's call "who's there?" came the answer, "Indian," and to "what do you want?" "Pappoose." He was persuaded to leave without me, and my chance of becoming a "big chief" was lost. About four

years later Nottawa Sepe reserve in the adjoining county west, was ceded to the "Great Father" at Washington, and the Pottawatomies of Branch and St. Joseph counties were removed to new hunting grounds in Kansas, but not until after in a drunken pow-wow held on the east bank of the Coldwater river just north of the Chicago turnpike, the chief, who was mainly instrumental in making the sale, had been murdered by one of the dissatisfied band. The murderer was arrested, confined in jail at Branch, and the jail placed under guard. In large numbers the Indians pitched their tents on the commons near by, and there remained until the exodus to the west took place in 1840, in charge of United States officials. The fragrant odors of their daily feasts, muskrat stews being their principal article of diet, still tickle my nostrils. The murderer was not put on trial, but was released from confinement and taken west with his brethren. In 1867, as I stood on the platform of the Kansas Pacific Railroad station at St. Mary's Mission, a few miles west of Topeka, I had pointed out to me middle-aged Indians who were among those removed from Michigan thirty years before. Their lands were again being sold and a removal to Indian Territory was then near at hand. And not a few Michigan men—not content with the lands wrested from these Indians in Michigan—were on the scent, ready to succeed to the possession of their Kansas homes.

And now, Mr. President, having made the journey to, and located my party of emigrants in Michigan, and crowded the Indians out, my promise is fulfilled and my allotted time exhausted. To proceed further and unload upon the audience any reminiscences of early days in Michigan, would be to trespass upon good nature, so permit me to close with thanks for the indulgence shown me.

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Real Estate For Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTEENAW—ss.

In the matter of the Estate of Elizabeth E. Royer, deceased. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1892, there will be sold at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder, at the East front door of the County House in the City of Ann Arbor in the County of Washtenaw, in said State, on Monday, the 25th day of July, A. D. 1892, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased) the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

At a point on the East line of Division street, and being in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the East line of Division street, two hundred and thirty-three (233) feet from the center of Huron street, thence northerly on the easterly line of said Division street one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet and nine (9) inches, more or less, to the southern line of Ann street, thence easterly along the southern line of Ann street two hundred and five (205) feet to the land of the estate of Henry W. Rogers, thence southerly along the westerly line of the land of said estate one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet and nine (9) inches, more or less, to the northerly line of land conveyed by William M. Sinclair and wife to said Henry W. Rogers, and thence westerly along the north line of the land of said estate and the land of Eliza A. Hutchins two hundred and five (205) feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, and being the same land conveyed to Elizabeth E. Royer by a deed dated April 2nd, 1880, and recorded in the Register of Deeds for said County, in Liber 96 of Deeds, on page 82.

Dated June 7, 1892.
EDWARD D. KINNE,
Executor of the last will and testament of Elizabeth C. Royer, deceased.

Estate of Nathan Wooster.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTEENAW, 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 Monday, the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two. Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Nathan Wooster, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Anna Donovan, formerly Anna Wooster, praying that her dower in the real estate of said deceased, may be ascertained and assigned to her. Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 15th day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the date of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the ANN ARBOR RECORD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.
A true copy. Wm. G. DORR, Probate Register.

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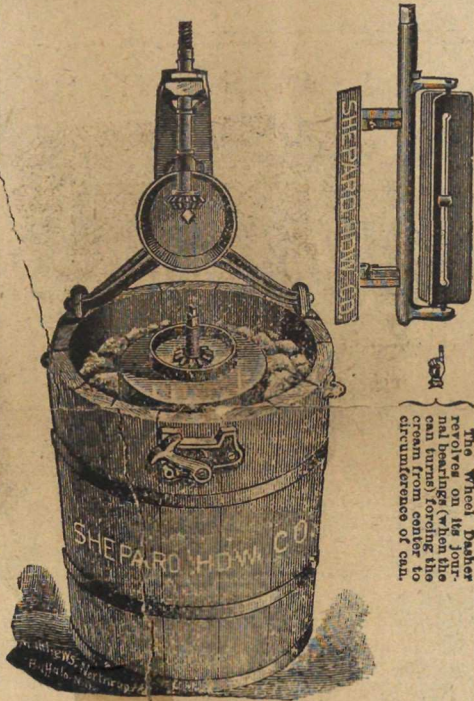
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