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## DEXTER BANK ROBBERY

Young Orla Gregory's Insane Freak Comes to Light.

### THE MONEY RECOVERED BUT A MIND LOST.

He Lies in a Delirium and in a Precarious Condition—But Before All Reason Leaves Him He Confesses the Deed—There Were No Masked Burglars.

The Dexter bank robbery mystery has been solved and the solution is a peculiarly sad one, bringing sorrow to the hearts of many. From the beginning there were various things developed tending to discredit the story told by young Orla C. Gregory, the assistant cashier of the bank, who, according to his own story had been confronted by two masked men with revolvers who compelled him to open the safe and afterwards sandbagged him and locked him in the vault. It was early discovered by Deputy Sheriffs Peterson, Stebbins and Dwyer, who have been in charge of working the case that both the front and back doors of the bank were locked. The burglars did not make their exit from the front door within seven minutes of the time that Cashier Newkirk arrived, as the man who had first wanted his check cashed that morning had been standing across the street that length of time and saw no one come out. According to the time Gregory arrived at the bank as given by others than Gregory himself and the time required to unlock the safe, the reputed masked burglars must have left within that time. They could not have gone out the back door, as that was not only locked but a coat was thrown up against on the inside to keep out the wind. These facts clearly printed to the fact that the story of masked robbers was a myth.

These facts were made known to the bank officials who were urged to allow search warrants to be secured and have Gregory arrested and confronted with the facts. Sheriff Brenner, from his sick bed, sent for one of the bank directors and urged the same course. But the bank directors who had known Gregory all his life would not credit the, to them, astounding suspicion. The deputy sheriffs could find absolutely no other clue and finally told the bank directors that they would have to return to this city and attend to the trial of cases in the circuit court, the sheriff being unable to leave his bed. Deputy Sheriff Peterson advised Director Chase of the bank to call in a Detroit detective and recommended officer Baker. Baker arrived in Dexter, Monday night and spent most of the night with Peterson, Chase and Stebbins. The local officers told Baker the various clues and he at once agreed with them that everything pointed to the fact that it was clearly impossible for two masked men to have robbed the bank in the manner described by Gregory. It was agreed also that the heavy bags of coin must be about the bank building.

On Tuesday, Detective Baker and Dr. Chase made a very thorough search of the back room of the bank and behind a washstand, Dr. Chase found the two bags of silver. Cashier Newkirk sent for Gregory and he was taken to Dr. Chase's office, where Detective Baker accused him of the crime and confronted him with the bags of coin. He turned deadly pale, reeled and exclaimed: "I did it myself." He then told where the bills were hidden, a big roll being in a coat at his house and the balance in his secretary at the house. The gold was found hidden behind some papers in the vault. The amount covered was \$3,160.50 or just five cents less than the amount missed.

Gregory then made a full confession in which he said he had contemplated the deed from Monday until Thursday and just before Cashier Newkirk arrived he had hidden the money and struck his head against the vault door, producing a bruise.

The people, when the story began to get out around the village, at first, absolutely refused to believe it. Gregory had been born and had always lived there. He had always been a good character, had lived an exemplary life and had no vices or bad habits. He was treasurer of the village, treasurer of the Congregational church and treasurer of the Knights of Maccabees. He was a little over twenty three years old and had married a daughter of

Charles VanRiper, of Webster, and had a happy home.

The strange thing about it was the apparent lack of motive on Gregory's part. When his sorrow stricken father asked him why he did it, he replied, "I don't know." "If you wanted money, why didn't you come to me?" he asked. "I didn't need money," Orla replied, "I had money in the bank." His reply was correct as he had quite a sum of money to his credit. His father and father-in-law are both well-to-do and his father was about building him a new house. He was the favorite grandchild of his grandmother, who, also, has abundant means and had he needed money, he could have had it for the asking. His life in Dexter was open and no one knows of any reason why he was in need of it.

His mother fainted when the sad news was told her and his young wife has been in hysterics much of the time since. His grandmother and father were also prostrated with grief.

Gregory was taken home and officer Bell left to watch him. He recognized his mother when he first entered the house but since that time has recognized no one. He is in a terrible state physically. Every nerve quivers. Not for a moment are his hands, feet, head or body quiet. His mind wanders and he is in a very precarious condition. Dr. V. C. Vaughan was called to see him and said last night that it was very questionable whether he ever recovered his mind. At first it was supposed by some that he might be shamming, but Dr. Chase said yesterday that there was no question but that his mind was wandering and that it was utterly impossible for there being any sham about his dangerous physical condition.

The only explanation that can be given for the robbery was that Gregory was insane at the time. His grandmother on the mother's side, it is said, was in that condition at the time of her death.

It is a sad sequel to the story of the bank robbery, and the sorrow stricken families, who have always stood high in this county, have the heartfelt sympathy of everyone in their sad affliction.

Hon. J. V. N. Gregory and Charles Van Riper united in a note of \$1,000 to protect the bank from any expences growing out of the discovery of the money, so that the only ones to suffer are the relatives of the unfortunate young man.

Cashier Newkirk thinks that the rewards offered belong to Deputy Sheriff Peterson and the other local officers.

### Junior Laws Meet.

The junior law class held a meeting after the lecture Wednesday afternoon to consider the recent cases of disorder and bolting among members of the class. A motion was made that a committee of seven be appointed to look after the conduct of the members and reprimand anyone guilty of misconduct in the law department. The motion was very unpopular and was laid on the table.

Mr. J. N. Davis offered a motion to submit to the dean a resolution asking that the law library be open from 8 o'clock a. m. until 9 o'clock p. m. This motion was adopted unanimously.

The matter of the disorders in the lecture room was settled by the adoption of a resolution declaring "that it is the sense of the class that better order should and will be maintained in the lecture room." It was also voted that the class express its confidence in Prof. Griffin and also its thanks for his leniency to the class.

### The Republican Club.

The meeting of the U. of M. Republican club Wednesday evening was a very quiet one, in marked contrast to stormy elections of the club in former years. The only contest made was for the office of president, the other officers and delegates being elected without opposition.

James J. Sheridan, '94 law, of Grand Rapids, was chosen president by 57 votes to 44 for Mr. Burnham, '95 law. The secretary was then instructed to cast the vote of the society for the remaining officers as follows: Vice-president, H. M. Zimmerman, '95 law; secretary, John Q. Adams, '94 lit; treasurer, J. W. Dasef, '95 lit.

The election of delegates to the convention of the American College Republican League, soon to be held at Syracuse, followed. The following delegates were chosen by unanimous vote: F. C. Kuhn, H. H. Patterson, G. W. Fuller, F. W. Newton and G. H. Leonard.

### Death of Emil Baur.

Prof. Emil Baur was found dead in his wood shed about four o'clock yesterday afternoon. He had been sick all winter suffering from an aggravated attack of the grip and heart trouble. He was a prominent fruit grower and had much interest in horticultural matters. He was well known, was a refined man, and a great student. He had in previous years been in the ministry and lived at the time of his death on the Dexter road in the part of the city just taken into the city limits. An inquest will be held today to determine the cause of his death.

### St. Patrick's Banquet.

A St. Patrick's banquet will be held at the Palace rink in this city, Saturday evening, March 17, and will be given under the auspices of the St. Thomas congregation for the benefit of the church. All are invited to participate. The program is as follows:

Music.....	Orchestra
Grace.....	Banquet.
Toastmaster, The Hon. T. D. Kearney	
The Harp.....	Miss May Clarken
Flute.....	Al. Hoelschler
"The Day We Celebrate".....	Col. John Atkinson
Song, selected.....	Miss Josephine A. Gaffney
"Michigan".....	F. G. Campbell
Wearing of the Green.....	Rev. L. P. Goldrick
"Our City".....	His Honor, Mayor Thompson
Song.....	Bruno St. James
"The Ladies".....	M. J. Cavanaugh
My All.....	Bohn
Miss Josephine Gaffney.	
The Harp of Tara.....	Harp Variations
Rev. L. P. Goldrick.	
Miss May Clarken.	

### Three Colored Men Go to Jackson.

In the circuit court this week three criminals were sentenced to Jackson. John W. Robison was convicted Tuesday of assault with intent to do great bodily harm. The assault was committed in May 1892, on an uncle, who had badly pounded the defendant's father. The defendant hit his uncle with a stone and afterwards drew a revolver on him. After the assault he disappeared but was arrested near Chicago last November by Deputy Sheriff Peterson. He will be sentenced today.

Thomas Jones, the Ypsilanti man concerned in the Bowdish & Matteon burglary, who shot Officer Peterson, was tried Tuesday and Wednesday and convicted of assault with intent to murder, after the jury had been out half an hour. He was immediately sentenced to twenty years in state prison.

After the conviction of his brother, Irving Jones withdrew his plea of not guilty of larceny and plead guilty. He was sentenced to four years and seemed to be agreeably surprised at the sentence after that received by his brother.

The sentences meet with general approval.

### Ann Arbor High School.

The final reports of the physical laboratory work for the term will probably be called for today, or the first of next week.

The S. C. A. meeting last Friday was well attended and was enjoyed by all present. The meeting today will be led by Miss Marguerite Knowlton, subject: "Encouragement to Prayer," Ps. 86-5. The reports of the delegates will also be made.

The efforts of some of our students to organize an athletic association have been successful, and there is no doubt that we will have an organization that will be a credit to the school. The interest shown in the movement is greater than ever before, and quite a neat sum has been subscribed to make it successful financially. The constitution was adopted yesterday afternoon and the election of the president will take place today. There are at least two candidates for the position and the chances for election seem to be about even. Mr. H. I. Weinstein and Mr. George L. Shanks are making great efforts to make their man the most prominent. Athletics is having a sudden revival in our school and it is to be hoped that the interest will be kept up.

The senior class held a meeting last Tuesday and transacted a large amount of business. The committee who were to obtain designs for a class pin reported; and on a motion, Mr. Howlett and Miss Kittredge were added to the committee, which was empowered to select the design for the pin. Messrs.

McCandless, Waterman, and Danforth, were appointed to make arrangements for the annual senior and junior social and "Hop." The committee, to decorate for the Junior Exhibition, had Messrs. Engelhard and Vorheis, and Misses Kittredge and Clark, added to its list. A tax of twenty-five cents was also voted on to defray the decorating expenses. Messrs. Van Tassel, D. H. Trowbridge, and Miss Beman, were appointed to get out a class yell. These meetings are a disgrace to the senior class. Even at elections there are only about half of the class present. It is strange that we cannot have a respectable class meeting. The next one that is called the officers will expect to see some of the persons who have heretofore been the ones to get out of the building quickest when a class meeting is appointed.

### Prof. Stanley on Wagner.

A good sized audience listened to a lecture at Unity club Monday evening by Prof. Stanley, on Richard Wagner, the renowned artist of operatic composition.

At the time of Wagner's birth, May 10, 1813, the opera needed reformation, as it had become of such a character that people severely criticised it. This great genius of musical art was born to raise the then low standard of musical drama, but for a time his hopes were dashed. His early productions were not of a nature to become works of art. However, he did not despair, but carried out his ideas of a nationalized drama, in which he saw a great future. His productions dazed his contemporaries, who looked upon Beethoven as the greatest of composers, but who realized from the artistic skill of Wagner's accomplishments that he was destined to become a wonder of musical ideal. He did for dramatic art what Beethoven did for symphony.

It was his idea that the opera must be made something more than amusement and his whole attention was directed to bringing the dramatic art to a higher standard.

At the conclusion of his lecture Prof. Stanley played a number of selections from Wagner and explained their relationship to nature and man's conception of humanity.

### St. Andrews Vested Choir.

On Thursday evening next the 15th Inst. St. Andrews Church vested Choir will render "The Holy City" a sacred Cantata by Gaul, in St. Andrews Church.

This work was composed for, and conducted in person by the composer, the Birmingham Triennial Musical Festival in 1882, which Festival is, undoubtedly, second to none in England. The Birmingham Festival Mendelssohn wrote and conducted in person, The Elijah, the crowning Oratoria of his life. Gounod wrote and conducted in person The Redemption—and also wrote Mors et Vita.

The popularity of The Holy City is such that it has been performed dozens of times monthly on every continent, and especially popular is it still in New York or Boston where it is being continually performed by the Musical Societies and leading Choirs.

It has also been produced by the leading Detroit Choir—St. Johns, under Theodore G. Beach, from whose choir, soloists have been engaged.

Mr. A. H. Bagley, Tenor, has a very fine pure Tenor voice, well cultivated capable of producing clear resonant tones to the upper Tenor C—one of the very few in Detroit.

Mr. H. H. Ellerton, Baritone, has an usually sympathetic voice, and clear articulation; being well adapted for oratoria work.

Mr. Theodore G. Beach will also sing Alto parts. The Soprano Solo will be divided among St. John leading boy Soprano and Master Gerald Brown of Ann Arbor.

The Holy city will be under the director of A. S. Houghton organist Choristor of St. Andrew's Church.

The attention of all students and teachers is called to the series of lectures to be delivered by Prof. A. C. McGiffert, D. D., on "The Apostolic Age," at McMillan hall, Friday and Saturday evenings, and Sunday afternoon, and at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. Dr. McGiffert is one of the professors in Union Theological Seminary of New York city, and comes under the auspices of the Tappan association. The lectures are open to the public and all are invited.

Manchester.

Miss Ina Achile, of Brooklyn, is visiting her parents.

Messrs. Arnold and Mensing, of Tecumseh, visited friends in town.

Dr. Will Reed and Geo. Field, of Tecumseh, spent Sunday in town.

Miss Alice Lazell went to Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti to visit friends.

Miss Ella Lehr entertained the jurors at her home last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Kuebler, of Watkins Station, spent Sunday in town visiting Mrs. M. Kuffess.

V. Kern, of Adrian, spent Sunday in town visiting his father-in-law, C. Schwab.

J. Kelly went to Detroit last Sunday and on Monday returned, accompanied by his wife.

Mr. Kirchhofer and daughter, Julia, went to Sharon last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hulburt.

There is great joy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spafard over the advent of a son, born Saturday, March 3d.

Mrs. Eugene Schweikle and brother Will, of Chicago, have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Senger, who is very ill.

Miss Anna Weger left Saturday for Cleveland, where she expects to spend the summer visiting her sister, Mrs. Krinkle.

Miss Becca Bollinger, who has been in poor health for some time, went to Ann Arbor last week for medical treatment.

The Epworth league gave an ice cream social at the Methodist church parlors last Wednesday evening which was largely attended.

N. Schmid, who received the appointment as deputy revenue collector for this district, has been very busy the past week visiting the different places in the district.

Barret Robison, who has been clerking for some time at Ann Arbor, was at home a few days last week visiting his parents, before going to New York, where he has accepted a position in a wholesale silk business.

Mrs. J. D. Field, who for some time has been suffering with a cancer, died last Saturday, and was buried Tuesday afternoon. She was a resident of this place for many years and was much loved by all who knew her.

The physics class are at present taking the subject of electricity and Monday they visited the electric works in East Manchester, to get a more definite idea. The works, etc., were very clearly explained by Mr. H. Kingsley.

Last Monday the Alpha Sigma had a very good meeting. The debate "Resolved, That the invention of the steam engine has been of greater service to the country than the press," was decided in favor of the affirmative.

Considerable moving has been going on the past week. Mr. Henry Filbert moved into the house formerly occupied by V. Gray, who moved on a farm in Sharon, and Mr. Parr, of Freedom, moved into the house vacated by H. Gilber.

Mrs. Geo. Paine has rented the house of Mr. H. Stark, on City road, and will move with her children in the same in a few weeks. Mr. Stark and family have moved on the farm of Elmer Stark, two miles north-east of Manchester.

A gloom of sadness was cast over the entire community last Monday on hearing of the sudden death of Mr. Frank Gillett, of Sharon. Mr. Gillett was troubled with heart disease but was able to be around until Sunday. He was much respected by all, and a faithful member of the Methodist church. He leaves a wife and three children. Mrs. Bert Smith of Chicago, Nettie, who is teaching the intermediate room of the Union school and Arthur, the only son. Mr. Gillett leaves a large circle of friends who will mourn the loss. To the bereaved family we extend words of condolence and sympathy.

Monday the news of the death of Mrs. S. W. Dorr, of Hillsdale was received and on Tuesday the remains were brought to Iron Creek. Mrs. Dorr was 62 years old. For many years she was a resident of Iron Creek, after which she moved to Manchester. After the death of her husband, which occurred about four years ago, she remained at this place two years longer, when she moved to Hillsdale in order that her youngest son, Albert, could attend the college. She was a devoted mother, and has a great many relatives and friends who will mourn her loss. She leaves four children, two sons, Frank, who is living in Detroit, and who with his wife attended the funeral, and Albert, who was living with his mother; the two daughters, Mrs. Mattison and Mrs. Pease, both of Iron Creek. Bessie, the grand-daughter of Mrs. Dorr, has lived with her for many years. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved.

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Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida street, San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching consumption, tried without result everything else since bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficiency of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co.'s and George J. Haessler, Manchester.

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Milan.

Guy Coe has returned from his Missouri visit.

C. M. Fuller spent Sunday with Ann Arbor friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Barnes and son are away on a visiting tour.

The F. M. hold their quarterly meeting Saturday and Sunday.

Wesley Robison received his notary public commission Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Clark is in Detroit on business for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. J. C. Harper returned from her Grass Lake visit Saturday.

Mrs. O. A. Kelly gave a tea party to a few friends Friday p. m.

Robins, wild geese and blue birds gave Milan a call this week.

Miss Susie Knight is visiting her sister, Mrs. K. Barnes, at Dundee.

Miss Cady was the guest of Miss Ella Murray, Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Trussell has recently returned from a business trip to Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Vincent entertained guests from Stony Creek the last of the week.

The W. R. C. are billed for a box social at the G. A. R. hall Friday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Wilson, of Cleveland, is repairing her residence on West Main st.

Mrs. W. W. Watts, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Whitmarsh this week.

The croquet grounds are in good order, having been cleared and rolled ready for business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ford, who spent the winter at Mt. Clemens, returned to their home in Milan, Monday.

The Chautauqua circle will meet at Mrs. G. R. Williams residence on County st., Saturday afternoon.

The Baptist ladies will give an evening social at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Whitmarsh on West Main st., Wednesday.

Rev. J. Ward delivered an interesting address at the union gospel temperance meeting at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

Married, March 1st, at the residence of the bride's parents on West Main st., H. W. Holcomb, of Detroit, and Miss Della Holcomb, of Milan, Rev. J. Ward officiating.

The tickets for the Milan village election are as follows: People's ticket—President, A. D. Jackson; trustees, J. L. Marble, C. Pullen, W. Robison; clerk, M. Hitchcock; treasurer, G. F. Minto; assessor, J. H. Ford; street commissioner, C. Davis; constable, E. Farrington. Citizens' ticket—President, M. Barnes; trustees, J. Gump, A. Hayden, J. Doyle; clerk, M. Hitchcock; treasurer, G. F. Minto; assessor, J. H. Ford; street commissioner, P. Edwards; constable, E. Farrington.

Cured cough left after lung fever, with two bottles. Mrs. Lizzie Burns, Barclay, Sangamon Co., Ill., writes as follows: "I think Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is truly an excellent remedy for coughs left from lung fever, as two bottles entirely cured my daughter."

The Postmaster.

Winchester, Mass., says: I am personally acquainted with Mr. and Mrs. Carleton, and was astonished at the remarkable effects of your Sulphur Bitters in curing their son, and its large sale is undoubtedly due to the fact that it is an honest medicine. I know of many others who have been cured by its use, and I do not think too much can be said in its praise.

Yours truly, GEO. P. BROWN, P. M.

Dixboro.

Mrs. Freeman Galpin is under the doctor's care.

Lysias Kimmel is lying very low with heart, lung and bronchial troubles.

Miss Edith Judson is home again, after an absence of several weeks at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Johnson, of Carleton, Monroe county, are visiting his parents here.

School closes Friday, with rhetorical exercises. Miss Clara McCormick, the teacher, has given excellent satisfaction.

Miss Mamie Stuart closes her second term of school in the Hiscock district Friday. Miss Alice Moore, of Ypsilanti, is to teach the spring term.

Good crowds and interest at the revival meetings, in spite of bad roads and weather. Twenty-four—mostly heads of families—have thus far started on the Christian life.

The Ladies Aid Society meeting at Arthur Covert's, sr., last Thursday, was a grand success. The house was filled, all had a pleasant afternoon, and the proceeds for the pastor were \$10.

The people of this community expressed their esteem for the M. E. pastor, Rev. J. L. Newkirk, by presenting him with a \$20 overcoat last week. He is correspondingly thankful and happy.

For Over Fifty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, lays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

Mrs. N. Meyette, the Genesee county treasurer of the W. C. T. U., and a very influential worker in the cause of women, says: "I have used Parks' Tea, and find it is the best remedy I have ever tried for constipation. It requires smaller doses and is more thorough. I shall use nothing else in future." Sold by Eberbach & Sons.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Dexter Township.

Miss Rose Cope spent Sunday with her cousins.

Fred Stabler, of Delhi, was in town on Thursday.

School closed in the Harris district last Monday.

Mr. Leach, of Chelsea, called here on Thursday.

Mr. Heininger entertained friends from Adrian.

Miss Coyle is the guest of her sister near Hudson.

Mr. Wallace, of Adrian, spent the past week here.

Mrs. Vernam spent last week with Chelsea friends.

T. Stanton spent several days of last week in Chelsea.

D. Sterley spent Wednesday near Four Mile Lake.

E. Farnham, of Pinckney, was here one day recently.

John Mason, of Northfield, was in Dexter, Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Reason made us a pleasant call, Tuesday.

John Gallagher and wife entertained friends last week.

Earl Mann and chum, of Pinckney, spent Sunday here.

E. Stabler was among Chelsea friends one day last week.

James Reilly, of North Lake, visited friends, Thursday.

John Walsh was an Ann Arbor visitor last Thursday.

Messrs. Andrews and Stoll spent Sunday in Putnam.

E. M. Fohey and friends of Pinckney were here last week.

Miss Nettie Mowers spent last week with Dexter friends.

H. Ball, of Ann Arbor, spent Tuesday with old friends.

Dr. Paige, of Chelsea, was in this vicinity, Wednesday.

T. Birkett was in Detroit on business last Wednesday.

Mr. Lamberson, of Hamburg, stopped here last Monday.

Mr. Boyden, shook hands with his many friends Tuesday.

Alex Mallion, of Scio, was in Hudson one day the past week.

Mr. Bell was looking after old Pinckney friends, Saturday.

Hugh McCabe and family entertained friends Sunday.

S. Teeple, of Hamburg, made a flying trip here Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Walsh spent Monday with relatives in the village.

Robin Redbreast has made his appearance in these parts.

R. Soulier, of Detroit, was the guest of his mother last week.

Mr. Dinkel and family spent Sunday with relatives in Marion.

Geo. Clark, of Putnam, made us a pleasant call Wednesday.

Sam Tucker, of Lima, was on our streets one day last week.

A. Taylor and son were in Pinckney on business last Saturday.

Wm. Cobb was the guest of his sister near Chelsea last week.

Mr. Campbell, of Livingston Co., spent Sunday with friends.

Miss Sarah Johnson spent Sunday with the Misses Stroth, in Scio.

L. Rodman has returned, after several days' stay at Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, of Webster, called here the first of the week.

Business called J. Gregory and friend to Pinckney the last of the week.

Mr. Schmitt and family have moved on the Sullivan farm near Podunk.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Carpenter and son visited the county seat on Friday.

Mr. Mackinder, of Henrietta, is spending a few days with old friends.

Mr. Waite, of Grand Rapids, will soon move on his farm east of the village.

A Reason and wife passed here Wednesday on their way to the university city.

Eugene Sly returned home last week after several months' stay in Ingham county.

W. Shehan, of Pettysville, was entertained by his Dexter friends over Sunday.

Burt Carpenter was quite seriously hurt while hauling ice at Zukey Lake, last week.

Messrs. John Ledwedge and J. McCabe were in Pinckney with friends Wednesday.

Mrs. Soulier will leave in a few days for California, to make her home with her daughter.

Miss C. Carpenter and nephew were the guests of friends in Livingston county last week.

Miss Sarah Taylor has finished her third semester of work in the University School of Music.

It is reported that John Foran and mother will move on Michael Ryan's farm near Silver Lake.

The Misses Dolan, of Pinckney, passed through here, Thursday, on their way to Ann Arbor.

The sportsmen of Pinckney had a fine run of foxes on the Birkett Plains last week and captured but one.

Miss Cope closed the winter term of school in W. D. Smith's district last Friday, and has returned to her home in Ypsilanti.

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North Lake.

This has been a favorable winter for bees.

R. S. Whalain drives a fine pair of iron-gray colts.

Bunker, the meat peddler, has gone home to Munith for a visit.

C. W. Watts wants to buy a young horse, weight about 1,200 pounds.

Mrs. Fred Glenn caught some nice perch in the lake here, Saturday last.

A large flock of wild geese flew over here, Saturday, looking for open water to soak their feet in.

The roads are about as bad as they have been this winter. In some places the frost is out of the ground.

Little Blanche M. Glenn, now visiting at her grandmother's, has pieced a cradle quilt of nine blocks. She is a little less than seven years old.

Your scribe had the misfortune to break another toe, this making the second toe on the same foot, as it is only about a year ago that he broke his great big toe.

Quite a number of the farmers about here have hired men for the summer at a little reduction from last summer's high prices.

Now is the time to rinse out the pig troughs and place them under the maple trees, preparatory to sap gathering and sugar making.

Thursday of this week John Palmer, R. S. Armstrong, and S. Guering and brother fished here, catching a large number of perch and about a dozen fine pickers.

C. W. Watts is moving his effects to his new farm near Dansville, Ingham county. He has a fine sugar bush on the farm, and will try his skill at sugar making this spring.

Geo. Cook arrived in Chelsea, Saturday evening, from Detroit, where he had spent a few weeks with nephews and nieces McCormick. Mr. McCormick is manager of the McAlpine shoe factory at Highland Park.

Mrs. Smith, living here, will be 88 years old next week. She is a sister of George Cook, the only one left of a large family. Mrs. S. has lived with your scribe's family nearly two years, and in this time has pieced several tidies and three or four silk quilts of beautiful and difficult patterns and designs, besides keeping her own and her brother's wardrobe in order, besides almost innumerable other pieces of needlework. In all the time she has never missed a meal, and with one or two exceptions taking them at the table with the family. She seems to enjoy life as well as the average young person; walks as spry as a miss of twenty; is now engaged on quilts and tidies for the fall fairs, at which she took first premiums last season. She does not get about worrying herself and others about dying, but rather is interesting herself in right living, thinking that as good a preparation for death as any she can make. She is about to join the M. E. church here, as it is too far to any of the churches of the denomination of which she has been a life-long member, the Presbyterian. She loves to tell of things away back in the past that sounds like ancient history to the young of today.

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**CONSUMPTION**

Chelsea.

L. E. Sparks is on the sick list.

C. E. Betts, of Detroit, was here on Tuesday.

Drummers are numerous now, placing goods for spring trade.

The whooping cough is in the school here and rapidly spreading in town.

No one here is much surprised at the outcome of the Dexter bank robbery.

Frank McNamara, of Jackson, was among friends here the first of the week.

John Laing, of Detroit, purchased hides and pelts here the first of this week.

Work is to go on as soon as the weather will permit moving the stock yards.

A. W. Wilkinson is spending a little time in Detroit as a change for the benefit of his health.

John J. Robison, of Sharon, shook hands with old friends in this village one day last week.

Next Sunday is quarterly meeting at the M. E. church, and Presiding Elder L. P. Davis will officiate.

The Japanese Medicine company has been holding forth all this week to crowded houses at the town hall.

Death, taxes, burglars and bank robbers wrought sad havoc among the people of this county, last week.

Frank Broderick, of Detroit, visited his mother here the last of the week, and left for Chicago Monday morning.

All the attorneys from here and many litigants attended the opening of court at Ann Arbor on Monday last.

O. W. Blain, of Grand Rapids, was here last week Wednesday to try to revive the Good Templar's lodge of this place.

The M. E. church Sunday school will give a musical and literary entertainment at the town hall Tuesday evening, next week.

C. E. Foster, of Frnitridge, has been selling boots and shoes at auction here all this week in the store lately occupied by Geo. H. Kempf.

Robins and other birds are here which would indicate that spring is near, but winter is likely to linger in the lap of spring more than a month yet.

The mumps are quite prevalent about here in places. If someone will bring along the measles and scarlet fever the list of calamities will be complete.

The average urchin is already out with his bag of mibs on the war path to play for keeps with anything that has any confidence in his ability to shoot.

Town Treasurer G. W. Beckwith made his return to the county treasurer last Saturday. In spite of the depression in business about the usual amount of the taxes were collected.

The coroner's jury, called to determine the cause of the death of Henry Franklin, said on their oath that he died of heart failure, aggravated by exposure to the inclemency of the weather.

Those who wish to vote next Monday should see that their names are registered on Saturday. It is time this village was run in the interest of the village and not, as for several years, in the interest of the county.

Subscriptions are being taken for the new Congregational church to be built here next summer. Work will be commenced in the early spring, and a house that will be a credit to the society and town will be built.

All petty offenses such as misdemeanors, fights, quarrels and drunks should be punished under local ordinances, that the fines may go into the village treasury, rather than under the state law where the fines go into the county treasury.

Corra Wiley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wiley, living two miles north-east of here, died last Saturday of Pneumonia. She was about ten years old and her departure was very sudden. The family has the sympathy of the community in their great loss.

The market has held its own the past week, but arrivals have been small on account of bad roads. Wheat now brings 52 cts.; rye, 45 cts.; barley, \$1.05; oat, 28 cts.; beans, \$1.30; clover seed, \$5.50; dressed pork, \$6.00; chickens, 6 cts.; eggs, 13 cts.; butter, 15 cts.

Next Monday the charter election will be held. A people's and citizens' caucus was called for last Monday night. The people's caucus nominated J. D. Schnaitman for president, John Cole for clerk, G. W. Beckwith for assessor, Lew Freeman for treasurer and W. F. Reimenschneider, J. P. Foster and A. C. Pierce for trustees, Wm. Lemich for constable. The citizens' caucus nominated the same as the above except to put John Cook for president. Somebody nominated a so-called union ticket afterwards without any call for a caucus, putting Wm. Bacon for president. Under the law of '93 that ticket is illegal and it remains to be seen whether or not it will be placed on the official ballot.

**PENSION BILL PASSED**

IT CARRIES AN APPROPRIATION OF \$151,000,000.

All Amendments to the Measure, Save One, Were Defeated on Points of Order That They Were Not Germane—An Exciting Debate in the Senate on the Seigniorage Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—After five days of debate the pension appropriation bill carrying \$151,000,000 was passed Wednesday without division. Throughout the debate there had been no criticism of amount carried by the bill, debate being, on the one hand, confined to an assault on the manner in which the present commissioner of pensions had administered the office and his alleged unauthorized suspension of pensions and, on the other, to a defense of the attempt of the commissioner to purge the rolls of those who were not entitled to a place upon them. There were several very spirited speeches, those by General Henderson of Iowa, Mr. O'Neil in closing the debate and ex-Speaker Grow.

All the amendments to the bill, save one, that of Mr. Pickler, to make the reports of the examining surgeons open to the inspection of the applicant or his attorneys, were defeated. They all fell under points of order that they were not germane. The one which attracted most attention was that of Mr. Enloe to repeal a portion of the provision included in the act of last December to prevent the suspension of any pension except on 30 days' notice so as to permit the suspension in case of plain prima facie evidence that the pensioner had procured his pension by forgery, perjury or other palpable fraud.

This amendment was offered at the suggestion of Commissioner Lochren himself, who, under the opinion of the attorney general, declared that if the act of last December stood, over \$500,000 would have to be paid out to suspended pensioners who were proven, beyond all question, not to be longer entitled to the pensions they had been drawing. Mr. Outhwaite, the chairman of the committee of the whole, however, ruled the amendment out on Mr. Martin's point of order that it was not germane.

**SILVER SEIGNIORAGE BILL.**

A Motion For the Second Reading Caused a Spirited Debate.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—An exciting and interesting debate was precipitated in the senate Wednesday by Mr. Harris' motion for the second reading of the seigniorage bill. This was opposed by Mr. Sherman, who moved its reference to the finance committee and in the course of a strong speech in opposition to the bill, said that its object was to divert a trust fund from its legitimate purpose—a thing which in Ohio would be a penitentiary offense.

His motion was defeated, however, and the bill taken up as unfinished business, and almost before anyone was aware of what had happened it passed its third reading and was on the point of passing the senate. Then its opponents recovered from their surprise and endeavored to prevent its passage, and on request of Senator Sherman it went over until today.

In the morning hour Mr. Morgan introduced a resolution calling on the president for information as to the occupancy of Bluefields, Nicaragua, by the British. This was agreed to. The house bill appropriating \$45,000 for saving the Kearsarge was also passed, as did the bill permitting General O. O. Howard to accept from the French government the decoration of commander of the Legion of Honor.

**THE RECORD IN BRIEF.**

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The Bland bill passed the house Thursday by a vote of 168 to 129. Senate: Bill for the erection of a government printing office was debated.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—House: Consideration of appropriation bills was entered upon.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Little business of importance was transacted in the senate Monday. House: Debate on the pension bill continued all day.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Senate: The Bland bill came up for discussion. House: The pension bill was debated.

**EDISON'S NEW INVENTION.**

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**Explosion at Cripple Creek.**

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., March 8.—A terrific explosion occurred at the corner of Bennett avenue and Second street, causing rocks to fall in showers from First to Third streets. James Vaumling, a recent arrival from Larimer county, received a bad scalp wound from a falling piece of rock. A dozen buildings were damaged and a score of persons had narrow escapes from death. Workmen who caused the explosion by using an overcharge of giant powder in excavating for a new building were arrested.

**Death of Mrs. Moonlight.**

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., March 8.—Mrs. Ellen E. Moonlight, wife of ex-Governor Moonlight, minister to Bolivia, died Wednesday afternoon at her home in this city, after one day's illness. Mr. Moonlight has been telegraphed at New York. He expected to take a steamer for Bolivia Saturday. Mrs. Moonlight was 60 years old and has lived here since 1858.

**May Not Recover.**

CHICAGO, March 8.—Potter Palmer, the millionaire hotelkeeper, is seriously ill with the grip. Mr. Palmer is nearly 70 years old, and fears are felt that he may not recover.

**Tennyson on Spring.**

We have the word of Alfred Tennyson for it that in the spring the young man's fancies lightly turn to thoughts of love. It is singular that the great laureate omitted to mention the fact that it is in the spring that a considerable portion of the human race turn to taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Probably nothing but the difficulty of finding a good rhyme for that invaluable remedy deterred him. Certain it is that the old-time domestic remedies are generally discarded in favor of the standard blood purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has attained the greatest popularity all over the country as the favorite Spring Medicine. It purifies the blood and gives nerve, mental, bodily and digestive strength.

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From A. E. Townsend, Benville, Ind.: I have been so much benefited by the Pyramid Pile Cure that I enclose \$1 for which please send a package which I wish to give to a friend of mine who suffers very much from Piles.

From John H. Wright, Clinton, DeWitt Co., Ills.: I am so well pleased with the Pyramid Pile Cure that I think it but right to drop you a few lines to inform you its effects have been all that I could ask or wish.

From P. A. Bruton, Llano, Tex.: Gentlemen:—The Pyramid Pile Cure has done so much good for me that I will say for the benefit of others that after using only two days I am better than I have been for months.

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$410,724 48	Capital stock.....	\$ 50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Mortgages, etc.....	373,161 58	Surplus fund.....	150,000 00
Overdrafts.....	125 45	Undivided profits.....	18,275 43
Real Estate, Furniture, Fixtures and	892 09	Dividends unpaid.....	360 00
Safety Deposit Vaults.....	37,373 64		
Current expenses and taxes paid.....	4,466 43		
CASH.		DEPOSITS.	
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	101,902 07	Certificates of deposit.....	66,156 65
Due from other banks.....	170 00	Banks and Bankers.....	3,285 79
Checks and cash items.....	1,114 55	Commercial deposits.....	165,986 98
Nickels and pennies.....	125 45	Savings deposits.....	541,083 28
Silver coin.....	2,800 00		
Gold coin.....	27,000 00		
U. S. and National Bank Notes.....	29,418 00		
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I, Charles E. Hiscock, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.  
CORRECT—Attest: Christian Mack, W. D. Harriman, David Binsey, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21st day of December, 1893.  
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**Crushed by a Train.**

LUDINGTON, March 8.—John Chipman, an aged and respected resident of this city, while attempting to board a moving passenger train here, missed his hold, fell beneath the trucks and had his right arm and leg crushed. His injuries are undoubtedly fatal.

**Arrested For Perjury.**

KALAMAZOO, March 8.—Robert C. Burns has been arrested on the charge of perjury. He swore he had not signed a certain contract, but two witnesses testified that they saw him do it.

**Pawned His Stealings.**

BENTON HARBOR, March 6.—Ora Straley, the man wanted at Lyons, Ia., for burglary, and arrested here last Saturday, goes back to Clinton county accompanied by S. C. Woolenberg, deputy sheriff of Clinton county, Ia. Several of the articles stolen by him were found in a pawnbroker's shop here.

**Fire at Marshall.**

MARSHALL, March 6.—W. W. Cleveland's residence and flourmill were partially destroyed by fire which started from a defective chimney in the residence at 11:30 a. m. Monday. The fire spread rapidly to the mill adjoining and nearly ruined both mill and residence. Loss, \$4,000; no insurance.

**Wanted by the Law.**

Wanted by the law, for the crime of kidnapping, the following persons: J. H. Smith, John Doe, and John Q. Public. Reward offered for their apprehension.

**Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.**

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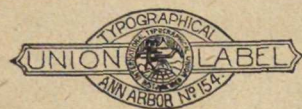
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FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1894.

According to Washington reports it looks as though the tariff bill may become a protection measure after all. Various "herring" interests are clamoring for a duty for private revenue only.

That there is a considerable degree of irresponsibility in our whole scheme of national legislation is quite apparent from the drift of affairs at Washington. Every business consideration and party interest as well demands speedy action by the senate on the Wilson tariff bill. The sentiment of the country and the needs of business are perfectly understood by this body and yet these things seem to have no influence in hastening action.

On the 7th inst., Gov. Foster, of Louisiana, appointed Newton C. Blanchard to the seat in the senate vacated by the elevation of Senator Edward D. White to the supreme bench. Mr. Blanchard is an able man and has had long experience in the house of representatives where he at present holds the chairmanship of the committee on rivers and harbors. He is a radical free silver man and opposed the free sugar schedule of the Wilson bill and did all he could to have it changed; but failing in this he did not go with majority of the Louisiana representatives in voting against the bill. The position he will take on the question in the senate is, therefore, of much interest at this time. It is to be hoped that he will vote right.

According to Henry Clwes in the Weekly Financial Review of March 3rd, there is now an unmistakable improvement in the tone and volume of general trade. Recovery has been going on slowly and almost imperceptibly, it is claimed, since the beginning of this year; but it is now perceived to be an established fact, and is made manifest by a diminution of complaint and a more confident feeling and freer buying. The improvement is said to be most marked in the dry goods trade which is largely representative of most lines and in which complaint has been most general. The volume of business, estimated by quantity, is now said to be about equal to that of average years. Another noteworthy feature of the business situation is the fact that collections are made with promptness which shows a healthy financial condition among dealers. These are some of the indications that the worst stage of the business depression are passed and that we are again approaching normal conditions. There is now less complaint, he says, of the anticipated disturbance of production through the new tariff, and yet the greatest need of the hour, in the way of an established recovery in the general trade of the country, is a speedy end of tariff legislation.

### CAUSE OF THE PANIC.

The distinct and unmistakable cause of the panic of 1893 was the McKinley bill, the most infamous of all the acts of protectionism, by which the industries, the commerce, and the politics of the republic have long been corrupted; the very delirium tremens of an industrial system by which American labor has been degraded and the ballot debauched; a system that has demoralized production and debilitated the national character. The measure was dictated by the men who raised the enormous corruption fund, by means of which the republican party was carried to victory in the campaign of 1888, and who saw in the operations of such a law immeasurable gains for themselves which would more than compensate

them for the "fat frying" to which they had been subjected. The passage of so odious a measure, however, was doubtful even in the house of its friends, and to make it sure it was deemed necessary to enter into a corrupt bargain with the mine owners of the silver producing states of the west. By the conditions of this bargain, by which the support of these western members was secured for the bill, the government was bound to purchase four and a half millions of silver per month, and to base thereon silver certificates payable in gold, thereby fastening upon the treasury an obligation which it could not long meet. While the McKinley act cut off the revenues, the billion dollar Congress continued to pile up the expenditures until the keen and intelligent holders of our securities abroad, saw that the time was close at hand, when, if there was not a change of policy, we would not only be unable to pay in gold, but unable to pay at all. Suspicion was cast upon the nation's honor and its vile breath was felt in every money center of Europe. Right here were sown the seeds which ripened into the panic of '93. All these preparations for a panic, be it remembered, had been arranged with consummate skill before the democratic victory of '92, in fact, they were the veritable cause of that victory. The danger of a money crisis, of a depreciated currency, had become so imminent long before President Harrison, who signed the McKinley bill and the Sherman makeshift, left the White House, that it is said that his secretary of the treasury had had bonds engraved and ready to place on the market at a moment's notice to keep intact the gold reserve.

Our securities began to come home and gold to flow steadily out of the country. The purchases of silver continued and the volume of out-standing paper certificates, which must be paid in gold, continued to mount up. Secretary Foster tried by all the arts of the book-keeper to show a good balance sheet, but it was all to no purpose. The people penetrated the subterfuge and began to prepare for the inevitable. Importations dropped off, time contracts were made requiring gold payments, people became alarmed and withdrew their money from the banks and from business and hoarded it. The panic followed upon the heels of the retiring administration which was saved from utter ruin by getting out of power just in the nick of time. That the panic would have followed just the same had the Harrison administration continued in power, there can be no doubt. It was the outcome of protectionism gone mad, for which the republican party and that party alone is responsible.

### WOOL VS. SUGAR.

For a pretty tall piece of cuckoo singing commend us to yesterday's Argus, which in one column argues that sugar ought to be protected by one cent per pound duty, while in its next column argues that wool ought to be made entirely free. This, in the face of the fact that not a pound of sugar is made in Washtenaw county, but on the other hand 800,000 pounds of wool are raised here. This is jumping at the crack of southern whips with a vengeance, as all the Louisiana papers are crying for sugar protection, but say that they want free wool. Now we would expect our northern democratic friends would stand up for northern sheep and wool, but go for free sugar. The poor sheep are in hard luck when those who should be their friends stand shoulder to shoulder with their enemies. It only illustrates how the northern democrats are falling into the old ante-bellum custom of being the beast of burden of the southern democrats to be struck down, yet to lick the hand which smites.—Courier.

Our contemporary is wrong again as usual. The Argus is not advocating a sugar tax, although there is much to be said in its favor, should such a tax become necessary in order to supply a sufficient revenue to meet the needs of the government. But under no circumstances should the duty be placed for protection purposes. A small duty on sugar would yield \$30,000,000 a year revenue and would scarcely be felt by the consumer and is defensible on such grounds, and anyone who can-

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not see any distinction between such a tax and the tax on wool is blind indeed. When a tax is laid for the only legitimate purpose, viz., raising needed revenue for the support of government, it makes not the slightest difference whether a pound of the product taxed is produced in Washtenaw county or not.

The duty should be placed where it will be least burdensome and will at the same time yield the greatest returns to the treasury.

The Argus believes the tax on wool should be removed because it is intended to be protective rather than a revenue duty. It yields but a comparatively small amount of revenue to the treasury, and utterly fails to keep up the price of the farmer's wool as is conclusively shown by the whole history of the subject of wool tariffs in this country. At the same time that it fails to benefit the farmer, it enables the woollen manufacturers to add to the price of their product, thereby fleecing the farmer through the very protection alleged to be laid in his interest. The tariff fails to check the importation of foreign wools, as is shown by the fact that in the past ten years our imports have increased 124 per cent. That it fails also to build up the wool growing industry in this country is also shown by the fact that during the ten years in which the foreign importations have increased 124 per cent, our own clip has increased but 7 per cent. During the same time our consumption of wool has increased 30 per cent, and nearly the whole of the increase has been in the consumption of foreign wool. The duty on wool, therefore, instead of being an advantage to wool growers or to the Treasury, is chiefly advantageous to the manufacturers, who are enabled to enhance the price of their products to the consumers. There is this notable difference, therefore, between a revenue sugar duty and the protective wool duty: the sugar duty would turn a large revenue into the treasury for the support of government, while the wool duty turns a large revenue out of the pockets of the wool growers and into the pockets of the wool manufacturers and a small revenue into the treasury for the support of government.

If, however, even a protective duty were placed on sugar, we fail to see why it would be any worse than to retain protective duties on products of the North. If the principle of protection is extended to the products of one section, why is it not quite as just to extend it to those of other sections as well?

It is very evident, however, that the Courier is so accustomed to the parrot-like McKinley cuckoo singing, and its antediluvian spleen towards a great section of our common country, that it is utterly unable to apply the same course of so-called reasoning to the industries of the South that it so fawningly applies to those of the North.

### A GREAT CAREER CLOSED.

William Ewart Gladstone, incomparably the greatest Briton of the century, if not of all time, after an almost unbroken public service of sixty years, has voluntarily laid down the burdens of his high office of premier of Great Britain, and closed, in all probability forever, the book of his public career. His has been in many respects the most remarkable parliamentary career in British history. While there are others who have seen longer service, none have had so arduous, varied and distinguished a career. It is not without deep feeling, therefore, that the passing of such a man from the stage of his country's service, and the service of humanity as well, for the beneficent influences of this grand life have extended round the

earth, is to be contemplated. From early manhood to the great age of fourscore and five he has had more influence in shaping the history of a great and progressive nation than any other individual, and to him civilization as well as his own country owes a greater debt of gratitude than to any other British statesman. During the span of his public career, no people of Europe have made greater advancement in every department of thought and action than have Englishmen, and yet his name is indelibly associated as originator or defender with every great reform effected, every advance in religious and political liberty, in education and general thought. Entering the house of commons in 1832, for the borough of Newark, he held the post of Lord of the Treasury, and afterwards, in 1835, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies; in 1838 he published a work on "The State in its Relations with the Church"; in 1847 he entered the commons as a representative of the University of Oxford, and continued to sit for the same for eighteen years; he advocated the cause of Italian independence in many eloquent speeches in 1858 he was sent on a mission to the Ionian islands, and the same year published a work in three volumes on "Homer and the Homeric Age"; in 1860 he carried through parliament a commercial treaty with France; in 1869 he disestablished the Irish church; in 1870 he carried the first Irish land act and an act establishing a system of common schools throughout the kingdom; in 1871 he abolished the sale of commissions in the army; in 1872 he enacted the Ballot Reform law; and in 1881 he carried the second Irish land act. By this series of great reforms he secured the removal of sectarian disabilities and brought about the enfranchisement of men's consciences; the enlargement of the suffrage and the right and practice of self-government to the masses; provided for a system of public education; greatly ameliorated the condition of the Irish land tenants; and during the entire time of his public service, with the burdens of government resting heavily upon him, he found time to devote himself to literature, and became a critical and voluminous writer upon a wide range of subjects. He always wielded a powerful influence with the people, because they justly regarded him as one of themselves. All of his great reforms were in the direction of their interests, in securing for them better justice, more humane methods of government, and a broader recognition of human rights. In diversity of genius and fertility of resource he is the marvel of modern times. Rarely in the history of the world has such mental power been associated with such physical endurance. Most of the great men who have been largely instrumental in shaping the history of their times have completed their life's work and retired from active service long before reaching his years. And yet we find him at the age of more than fourscore years called to lead his party and direct the legislation of his country on one of the greatest issues in her history. The determination and tenacity of purpose with which he has labored to secure home rule for Ireland should alone immortalize his name. Although he has been forced by the infirmities of age to leave this great work uncompleted, the end is almost in sight, and the harvest for which he sowed the seed is ready for the sickle. Although it is to be regretted that he was not permitted to finish this labor of love, his fame and his place in history are established, and are in no sense dependent upon the final solution of this question. He has an enduring place in the popular heart, where he will become more and more enshrined with the flight of time. He retires from the arduous labors of public life followed by the blessings of his countrymen and the admiration of the world. Time will unquestionably write his name in bolder characters, and his fame will never grow less.

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The Argus has the contract for printing the Castalian this year.

The fancy dance to be introduced in Pinafore is in charge of Ross Granger.

Prof. B. A. Hinsdale lectures at the Church of Christ next Sunday evening.

Bishop Davis will confirm a large class in St. Andrew's church, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Granger will give an Easter party on Wednesday evening, March 28.

The old pensioners were made happy this week by the receipt of their pension certificates.

The smug mugging craze is growing. More and more of our young men are going whiskerless.

Washington dispatches announce that Congressman Gorman started for home Wednesday evening.

Last evening the Ann Arbor L. O. T. M.'s gave a spider-web social in their hive over the postoffice.

The cellars for two new stores have been dug on Liberty street between State and Maynard streets.

The Aetna Insurance company has adjusted the loss on Robert Hunter's building, on West Huron street, at \$300.

A regular meeting of Schiller Council, No. 595, R. A., was held last night. New candidates were initiated.

A car load of goods was shipped to St. Louis, Missouri, Monday, by the A. P. Ferguson Carriage and Cart Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marty, of West Washington street, entertained the members of the Gesang Verein Lyra, Tuesday evening.

The loss on the Ann Arbor Manufacturing Co.'s plant, which was recently damaged by fire, has been adjusted, and the company receives \$836.

Mr. Farmer, the historian, lectured in the M. E. church last evening, on "A Tour Through Linguistics or Wit and Humor in Words."

Rev. Chas. Little, of Wabash, Ind., will act as judge in the intercollegiate debate between Northwestern and U. of M. on April 6th in this city.

Rev. Charles E. Perkins, of Iowa City, Iowa, will preach at the Unitarian church next Sunday morning and evening in exchange with Mr. Sunderland.

Prof. A. B. Stevens gave a stereopticon entertainment in the rooms of the association, Thursday evening. A male quartette furnished music for the occasion.

"What Can We Young People do—Play Pedro?" will be the topic of the next lecture on popular amusements to be given at the M. E. church next Sunday evening.

W. H. Clearwater, champion pool player of the world, will give an exhibition game at Billiard hall, No. 3 N. Main street, at 8:30 p. m., Saturday evening, March 10.

Mrs. Celia Jaycox was re-elected president of the Charitable Union, Mrs. Sleete and Mrs. Butts, vice-presidents; Mrs. D'Ooge, secretary, and Mrs. Philip Bach, treasurer.

A pile of lumber fell on Fred Essenloeff's foot badly smashing that member last Tuesday. The accident occurred at Luick Bros.' planing mill where Fred is employed.

The Methodist church was crowded last Sunday evening to see "The Dance Weighed in Silver Balances." Many went away unable to get in and others stood through the lecture.

Mrs. Marcia Minnis died at her home on Division street, Tuesday, aged eighty-six years. She was taken suddenly ill on Monday, previous to which she had been quite active.

The Columbian organ has been stored in the wool house of Mack & Schmid, on S. First street. The work was under the direction of Charles C. Way, of the Farrand & Votey Organ Co.

A. A. Crozier, of Ann Arbor town, has been made assistant agriculturist at the United States Experiment Station by the board of agriculture. He returned from the Agricultural college, Wednesday evening.

At the Unity club next Monday evening, Mrs. Elsie Jones Cooley will give a lecture upon six months of travel in Italy. This lecture promise to be very interesting and it is hoped that all patrons will be present.

The County Board of school examiners are holding a teachers' examination today in the court house.

Mrs. Geo. Crocker, of Cherry st., met with a painful accident Tuesday. She had been cleaning clothes with gasoline and while they were saturated with it, she put them into a kettle to boil, when they exploded, burning her face.

The new pastor of the First Baptist church, Rev. Gorham Easterbrook, is expected in the city today. He comes from Massachusetts and will occupy the parsonage on E. Ann street which has been renovated and newly papered.

Mr. and Mrs. Granger will give an Easter party to their pupils, former pupils and friends, Wednesday, March 28th. Mr. and Mrs. Granger have given some fine parties to their pupils and no doubt this one will be a great affair.

Gen. Neal Dow's 90th birthday is to be observed by the Prohibitionists and Temperance people of this city. A meeting for the planning of the celebration is called to meet in Good Templar hall, over Calkins' drug store at 4 o'clock today.

At their meeting Tuesday night, the Young Men's Christian league reorganized into a Young Men's Christian association, and twelve directors were elected. State Secretary Clark, of Detroit, was present and assisted in the reorganization.

Walter C. Mack is in New York this week attending a great sale of imported dress goods brought about by the failure of a large importing dress goods firm. A telegram to his firm announces large purchases at very favorable prices. This is of especial interest to the ladies.

Mrs. Fannie Sumner, wife of Edward J. Sumner, of 85 South State street, died at about ten o'clock last night, of peritonitis, aged fifty-one years, eleven months and seventeen days. She was the daughter of the late Capt. Baker, and was a very popular woman. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, at the house.

Beginning on Friday, March 9, a series of four lectures will be delivered at McMillan hall, on the subject of "The Apostolic Age," by Prof. A. C. McGiffert, D. D., of Union Theological seminary of New York City. These lectures will be delivered Friday and Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon at McMillan hall and Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church. The public are invited, and all are welcome.

A few nights ago a farmer returning home from Ann Arbor under the influence of liquor in crossing the Michigan Central railroad track two miles east of Delhi turned in on the track and drove on the same until arriving in Delhi, where he was side-tracked by the operator. In this distance his horse and buggy had to cross two bridges over the Huron river. It was about 10 o'clock at night. No sober man could have taken this ride without having had a serious accident.—Washtenaw Times.

Ann Arbor Commandery, No. 13, Knights Templar, elected the following officers last Tuesday evening: Commander, P. W. Carpenter, Ypsilanti; Generalissimo, A. R. Nichols; Capt. General, W. W. Watts; Prelate, Rev. M. M. Goodwin, Ypsilanti; Treasurer, Chas. E. Hiscock, Recorder, J. W. Bennett; Sr. Warden, J. R. Bach; Jr. Warden, A. W. Gasser; Standard Bearer, W. A. Moon; Sword Bearer, J. F. Hoelzele; Warden, C. L. Stevens, Ypsilanti; Sentinel, Thomas Taylor; Trustee, W. L. Pack.

The concert given for the Inland League last Monday by Mr. E. N. Bilbie, violinist, Mr. Felix Lamond, of Detroit, pianist, and Miss Minnie Davis of this city, pianist, was very much enjoyed by a good audience. Mr. Lamond has a most brilliant technique and interpreted Chopin, Liszt, Beethoven and Roff in a just and sympathetic manner. Mr. Bilbie upheld his reputation as a violinist in his rendering of a concerto by Vieuxtemps and other numbers. Miss Davis played the accompaniments and in them gave evidences of her knowledge of this difficult art.

Walter S. Hicks, of Ann Arbor, Mich., has been looking the ground over very carefully between this city and Niagara Falls for the last 10 days and said to the News reporter this morning: "The citizens here or the public generally seem to have no conception of the growth of this locality, unless they have made a personal inspection. I believe that they will see an increase in population of at least 200,000 a year for the next five years to come." Mr. Hicks has negotiated for some good property in the direct line of expected improvement from the new power.

Butcher—Shall I cut you off an eight pound roast, madam?

Mrs. Fewbrains—No; that's too heavy. My doctor says I must have a light diet.

A four pound roast will do.—Texas Siftings.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Wm. Schatz of Chelsea, is visiting friends here.

Frank J. Hammond, of Whittaker, was an Argus visitor this morning.

Mrs. Geo. Walker of Detroit has been visiting friends in the city this week.

Rev. John Neumann and family, attended the wedding of his son at Romeo, Tuesday.

C. P. McAllister left Tuesday for Chattsworth, California, where he will go on a fruit farm.

Geo. F. Robison of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents, Hon. John J. and Mrs. Robison of Sharon.

Mrs. J. W. Bennett has been entertaining her mother Mrs. T. M. Crocker, of Port Huron, this week.

The wife of Chancellor W. H. Payne, of the University of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting in the city this week.

Mrs. James R. Bach has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. O. J. Parker, from Howell, this week. Mrs. Parker returned home yesterday.

DISHONEST CLAIMS.

A tremendous effort has been made by the protected manufacturers all over the country to make it appear that the Wilson bill has been the cause of the reductions in the wages of their employes. That they are not honest in their position on this question has been shown repeatedly by examples from various posts of the country.

The latest to come under our observation is given in a communication from a business man to the Pittsburgh Post, and commented upon by the Louisville Courier-Journal as follows:

"The merchant in question had a call from the representatives of a queensware manufactory at East Liverpool, O. He made the usual report of dull times, which, he said, were caused by the Wilson Bill. Some of the factories at East Liverpool had reduced wages 25 per cent.; his own had made a reduction of 45 per cent.

When the time came for discussing business the Pennsylvania merchant asked the agent of the factory whether prices had been reduced to correspond with the cut in wages. The agent said he was still selling by the old pricelist. Thereupon the merchant told him that he would not buy a dollar's worth of goods from an establishment that would practice such a fraud as that upon its employes.

If these protected manufacturers choose to make their agents' political missionaries, and instruct them to try to influence public sentiment by false statements as to their reason for reducing wages, they should be held to the logical consequences of their own positions. If wages have been reduced, prices should come down in a corresponding ratio. The reduction of wages without change of prices is a fraud both on the workmen and the public."

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REVENUE ACCOUNT.	
Received for Premiums.....	\$1,082,853 68
Received for Interest and Rents .....	205,041 85
Total Income .....	\$1,288,895 53
Disbursements for Death Claims, Dividends, Matured Insurance, Surrender Values, and all Expenses.....	809,057 26
Balance to Investment Account .....	\$ 479,838 27

ASSET ACCOUNT.	
Cash in Bank .....	\$ 193,303 79
First Mortgage Liens on Real Estate.....	8,025,315 66
Real Estate, including Home Office Building .....	323,154 43
Loans to Policy Holders secured by Reserves .....	440,278 77
Agents' Balances.....	4,357 02
Bills Receivable.....	40,825 09
Bonds and Collaterals.....	46,023 75
Interest and Rents Accrued .....	66,919 79
Interest and Rents Due .....	46,555 67
Outstanding Premiums, secured by Reserve Fund (20 per cent. loading deducted).....	343,297 57
Deferred Premiums, secured by Reserve Fund (20 per cent. loading deducted).....	39,100 89
Total Assets .....	\$4,569,632 34

LIABILITIES.	
Amount of Reserve Fund, American Table (4 1/2 per cent.).....	\$4,005,148 95
Deposits of Policy Holders .....	3,512 10
Death Claims not due .....	32,893 91
Surplus.....	521,077 38
Total .....	\$4,569,632 34

New Risks assumed in 1893 .....	\$ 7,175,918 15
Increase of Assets .....	515,390 93
Increase of Surplus .....	24,112 70
The total amount paid to Policy Holders by this Company to date is.....	\$4,670,614 65

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS' & MECHANICS' BANK. ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN. At the close of business, July 12, 1893.

Table with columns for RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Resources include Loans and discounts, Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages, etc., and various deposits. Liabilities include Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, and Dividends unpaid.

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

CORRECT—Attest. AMBROSE KEARNEY, W. F. BREAKER, EDWARD DUFFY, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of July, 1893. H. A. WILLIAMS, Notary Public.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(OFFICIAL.) Council Chamber. Ann Arbor, March 5, 1894.

Regular session. Called to order by Pres. Watts. Roll called. Full board present. The journal of the last session was approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Common Council: The board of public works would recommend and ask for the following appropriation of \$200, for the construction of the following cross walks: On E. Liberty street, north and south sides, crossing Fourth ave. On E. Ann st., north side, crossing Fourth ave.

We find that the bridge over the M. C. R. R. wants replanking at once. We would therefore ask that an appropriation of \$350 be made from the bridge, culvert and crosswalk fund to replank said bridge with 3 inch oak plank.

By order of board of public works. W. J. MILLER, Clerk. That part pertaining to crosswalks was referred to sidewalk committee, and the balance of the report to the street committee.

The board of public works submitted to the council a report made to them by City Engineer Key, as to the construction of the main sewer.

Ald. Manly moved that the communication be referred back to the board of public works until the sewer is completed in the 5th ward. Adopted.

A petition of Jerome A. Freeman, as administrator of the estate of George William Henry, deceased, makes the petition in behalf of said estate, that on the 1st of January, 1894, John William Henry was in the employ of the city, as a laborer, in constructing the main sewer and upon the premises of Heinzmann & Laubengayer, the said George William Henry was buried in said sewer, causing his death. The petition represents that the said George William Henry left surviving him a widow and three minor children, that they were wholly dependent upon him for support and maintenance. Petition asks damages to-wit the sum of \$5,000.

Accepted and referred to Sewer Committee and City Attorney.

REPORTS 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.

Table listing various bills and their amounts, including W. J. Miller salary, E. B. Norris salary, P. O. Heun salary, Geo. H. Pond salary, etc.

CONTINGENT FUND.

Ann Arbor Savings Bank, accounts assigned them as follows:

Table listing names and amounts for the Contingent Fund, including Fred. Schumacher, Alfred Cook, J. F. Gross, etc.

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Table listing names and amounts for various funds, including Theobald Martin, Christian Walz, Joseph Glaser, Albert Steffen, etc.

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND.

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WATER FUND.

Table listing names and amounts for the Water Fund, including Ann Arbor Water Co., Wm. Fletcher, etc.

RECAPITULATION.

Table summarizing various funds and amounts, including Contingent Fund, Sewer Fund, Street Fund, etc.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED.

WALTER L. TAYLOR, FRANK WOOD, WILLIAM HERZ, Finance Committee.

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The balance of the report was accepted and recommendation concurred in and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated, as follows:

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STREET COMMITTEE'S REPORT. To the Common Council: Your committee on streets, to whom was referred the petition of the Ann Arbor Gas Company, asking permission to erect a coke and coal storage building...

Respectfully submitted, CHRISTIAN MARTIN, A. P. FERGUSON, W. G. SNOW, H. L. TAYLOR, H. G. PRETTYMAN, Street Committee.

REPORT OF LIGHTING COMMITTEE. To the Hon. Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor: The undersigned members of your committee on lighting beg leave to submit the following report:

We first ask your attention to a tabulated statement of the cost of street lighting by electricity in twelve cities of Michigan, viz: Big Rapids, Ypsilanti, Adrian, Marshall, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Flint, Battle Creek, Jackson, Bay City and Ann Arbor.

The data for this statement was established by your clerk, from the various municipalities and show some interesting facts. You will notice that the price per light of 2,000 C. P. ranges from \$35.70 in Marshall to \$190 in Flint for all night and every night in the year, or from \$17.85 to \$84.48 for midnight lighting per moonlight schedule.

Three of the twelve cities mentioned pay more than we do, eight pay less. In three of the cities the municipality owns the plant, in nine a private corporation. Of the twelve cities, eight are decidedly of the opinion that municipal control is the best, but one favors private corporate control and three do not express an opinion.

Your committee have taken pains to obtain a conservative estimate of the cost of a 100 light plant of 2,000 C. P. each, and find that such a plant can be installed for not to exceed \$21,275. This includes the cost of erecting a building, a chimney and in fact a complete plant.

The expense of operating such a plant until midnight and every night in the year will not exceed \$3,625. Allowing 10 per cent. for interest on the investment and for depreciation on same will make an annual expense of \$5,752.50 of \$57.52 per light.

Ten per cent. - - - \$2,127.50 Running expenses, - - - 3,625.00 Total - - - \$5,752.00 This is on a basis of using steam for power. If water power could be had the cost would be much less.

If the city can install a plant and light its streets for \$57.52 per light, a private corporation ought to be able in connection with commercial lighting to light our streets for \$65 per light of 2,000 C. P., running until 12:30 and on the moonlight schedule, and net 25 per cent. in the operation.

Your committee also have a proposition from the Ann Arbor Gas Co., to light our streets. (See bid.) Their bid is \$5,698 the first year, \$4,792 the second year, and \$4,092 the third year, or an average of \$4,861 as against \$7,047 which we are now paying, and it is an open question whether the streets would not be as well lighted as by the present system.

In view of the fact that the depreciation in electrical machinery during the past two years has been large, and that the next two or three years will probably see a corresponding depreciation, we deem it unwise at present for the city to erect its own plant.

Respectfully submitted, C. W. WAGNER, W. G. SNOW, Lighting Committee.

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To the Lighting Committee of the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Gentlemen—The Ann Arbor Gas Company make the following proposition for lighting the streets of your city: We will furnish two hundred or more gas lamps of the most improved pattern, will light, extinguish and clean the same for a term of one or more years at prices hereinafter mentioned.

Resolved, That the City Clerk is hereby directed to ask for bids from local dealers and manufacturers of awnings and submit the same to this council at its next meeting.

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FRED SIPLEY, Chief of Fire Dept.

Received and filed.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING FEB. 16, 1894.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor:

Balance on hand as per last report - \$27,602.10

MONEY RECEIVED. Contingent Fund - Interest A. Sav. Bank - 541.52

MONEY DISBURSED. Contingent Fund - Street Fund - 134.35

BALANCE ON HAND. Contingent Fund - Street Fund - 28,005.50

Respectfully submitted, GEO. H. POND, City Treasurer.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor: DEAR SIRS—This will certify that Geo. H. Pond has on deposit with his credit as City Treasurer, the sum of Forty-five Thousand, Seven Hundred and eighteen and 93-100 Dollars, (\$45,718.93).

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS. By Aid. Kitson: Resolved, That the sum of \$150.00 be appropriated from the Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk fund, to build two crosswalks, one on the east side of Thayer street crossing Washington and on the north side of Washington crossing Thayer street.

By Aid. Ferguson: WHEREAS, it is necessary that awnings be placed on the windows of the City Clerk's office, therefore

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WM. J. MILLER, City Clerk.

DANGER AHEAD.—HEED THE WARNING.

A Simple Case of Piles the Forerunner of Incurable, Fatal Rectal Troubles.

An ordinary case of piles is one of the commonest afflictions of humanity. While they are extremely annoying, yet men and women will endure them for months and years, off and on, because they are not immediately fatal, and as long as they can get around and perform the daily duties of life they suffer on in the hope that in some way or other the trouble will pass away of its own accord, without any other treatment than a little salve or ointment occasionally.

It is absolutely certain to grow worse, passing away for a time and returning, until before you are aware of it, an ulcer has formed and the much dreaded fistula has been made and then, what was at first simply a case of common, everyday piles becomes an even chance between life and death.

Although the Pyramid Pile Cure is just as valuable in the advanced stages of rectal disease, yet the time to use it is at the beginning. A single package will then affect a complete cure in nearly every instance, in fact, two or three applications often do the work.

I have used Pyramid Pile Cure and consider it a perfect remedy for piles. If you want an agent write me your terms and I can do some good work for you as everybody here knows bow badly I suffered and they also know I am now entirely cured.

From Mrs. S. E. Dietzler, Union Deposit, Pa.: Please accept thanks for your Pyramid Pile Cure. It has done me such great good in so short a time and at so little expense.

From Mrs. Nancy W. Shaw, La-Crosse, Wis.: I am more than pleased with the benefit I have received from the Pyramid Pile Cure, I needed but one package. I shall write you again soon.

From R. Witherell, Shoreham, Vt.: The package of Pyramid Pile Cure I received last November has entirely cured me of itching piles, I have tried various remedies for over forty years. I shall always keep a package of this splendid remedy on hand.

Letters like these are daily received by the Pyramid Pile Co. of Albion, Mich., who manufacture this remedy. It is sold by druggists everywhere and every druggist has a good word to say for it as they know better than anyone else the satisfaction it always gives to their customers.

Iron Works Burned at Wyandotte. WYANDOTTE, March 6.—Monday morning the large plate mill at the south end of the Eureka ironworks plant was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was turned in and the fire company quickly responded. They were greatly handicapped for want of hose. Only two streams could be utilized.

Bank Keys Stolen at Church. WEST BAY CITY, March 6.—The book-keeper and teller of the Lumberman's State bank attended the Presbyterian church Sunday and left their overcoats in the vestibule. In the coat pockets were bunches of keys belonging to the bank, and someone went through the pockets and stole the keys, evidently with the idea that they would assist in making a raid on the bank.

Electric Bitters. This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise—A pure medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove pimples, boils, scurf, rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.

Read This. Mr. W. H. Butler, with Mr. Chas. R. Whitman, has money to loan upon Real Estate security, in sums of \$100 to \$3,000, at low rates of interest and easy terms.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Notice of Suit in Attachment. THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF Washtenaw.

George Devine, plaintiff, vs. John Devine, defendant. Notice is hereby given, that a writ of attachment, was on the ninth day of February, A. D. 1894, duly issued under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in the state of Michigan, at the suit of George Devine, as plaintiff and against the lands and tenements, goods, chattels, moneys and effects of John Devine, the defendant therein named, for the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars and fifty-six cents which said writ of attachment was returnable on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1894, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said date.

Estate of Richard Walsh. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF Washtenaw, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Monday, the fifth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

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ANN ARBOR BREWING CO. EXPORT BEER LAGER BEER. Having purchased the interest of Herman Hardinghaus, shall make a special effort to produce That shall equal anything on the market. We respectfully request the people of Washtenaw County to give us their patronage.

WE WILL HELP THE POOR! How will we do it? WHY, BY SELLING THEM WOOD. Cheaper than they ever before bought it in Ann Arbor. Just look at these prices and will see. This is no bluff. Best Beech and Maple Blocks per cord \$2.20, best Beech and Maple four foot per cord \$5.00.

UNIVERSITY NOTES.

W. A. McAndrew, lit '86, is principal of the high school department of Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Supt. W. S. Perry, of the High School, will speak at Newberry hall next Sabbath morning on "Teaching."

Mr. and Mrs. Granger will give an Easter party to their pupils, former pupils and friends. Easter Monday, March 26.

The Alpha Nu will hold its postponed meeting for the adoption of constitution and election of officers next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

An attractive program is being arranged for the sophomore social at Newberry Hall tomorrow evening. A class tax of twenty-five cents is being collected by the committee.

At the meeting of the Engineering society next Saturday evening in room 10, of the engineering building, Prof. Ziwet will speak on "Governors." At the meeting a special election for president will be held.

S. V. Weil, '95 law, met with a painful accident Monday evening, which resulted in the loss of one of the fingers of his left hand. He was sharpening his pencil for work on drawings for To-Wit: when the accident happened.

At the Unity Club on Monday evening next, Mrs. Elsie Jones Cooley, of this city, will give a lecture upon Six Months of Travel in Italy. This lecture promises to be very entertaining and we hope that all of our patrons will be present.

The freshmen independents at the coming class meeting will attempt to pass a resolution removing all officers who do not attend the regular freshman banquet. As the fraternity banquet occurs the same evening, this would mean that fraternity men must go.

The debate with Northwestern will occur on the evening of April 6, in University hall. The question will be on the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands, Michigan having the affirmative. Michigan's debaters will be the winners of the recent contest debate, Messrs. Mays, Marlett and Lindley. Northwestern will be represented by Messrs. Campbell, Goshen and Hedley.

SUICIDE AT PONTIAC.

Richard Dawson, a Well Known Business Man Hanged Himself.

PONTIAC, March 8.—This city has not been so shocked in years as it was at an early hour Wednesday morning, when it was learned that Richard Dawson, a member of the firm of Dawson Brothers, engaged in the milling business and patentee of Dawson's pearl wheat flakes, had committed suicide by hanging himself in the packing room adjacent to his office. He was found at 6:20 by Jimmy Scott, an employe of the firm, who immediately gave the alarm. When cut down Dawson was pronounced dead by Dr. F. H. Galbraith. He was seen on the street shortly after 5 o'clock, so that he could not have been dead long when found.

He leaves a widow and two young children. He had a large life insurance. He was 40 years of age. Temporary insanity is supposed to be the cause of the rash act, induced by financial embarrassment.

ARRESTED FOR CRUELTY.

A Genesee County Man Charged With Starving His Horses.

FLINT, March 8.—Henry Benson, one of the wealthiest farmers of Genesee county, who resides near this city, has been arrested for cruelty to animals. His neighbors aver that two or three horses owned by Benson have died within a short time past of exposure, lack of food and water. At least two of the dead animals have been deposited on a neighbor's land, who has caused Benson's arrest on the further charge of depositing dead animals unburied within a mile of any residence. Benson was arrested about a year ago for starving his horses, pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$40. The utmost indignation prevails here at the man's inhumanity, and it is likely that the extreme penalty of the law will be imposed upon him. Benson is reputed to be worth from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

Alleged Murderer Discharged.

BAY CITY, March 8.—William Sweeney was placed on trial in the circuit court Tuesday charged with fatally stabbing John Markel last September. Wednesday morning the prosecuting attorney submitted the testimony of three witnesses and while others were waiting to be heard Judge Maxwell announced his belief that the people had not made a case sufficiently strong to convict and ordered the jury to return a verdict of not guilty, which was done without leaving their seats, and the prisoner was discharged. The action of the judge caused great surprise and the prosecution protested, but in vain.

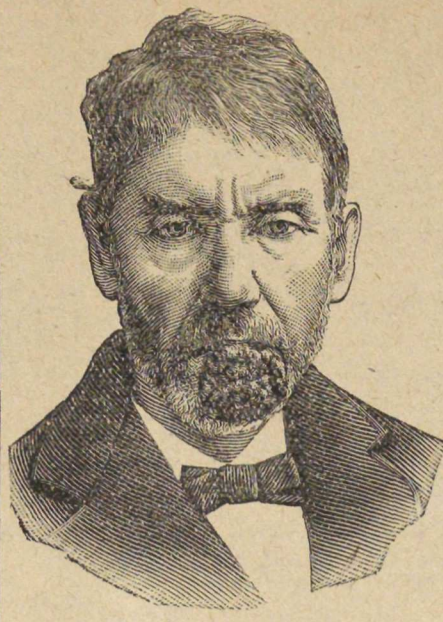
PAID THE MORTGAGE.

Wellington R. Burt's Munificent Gift to a Hospital Association.

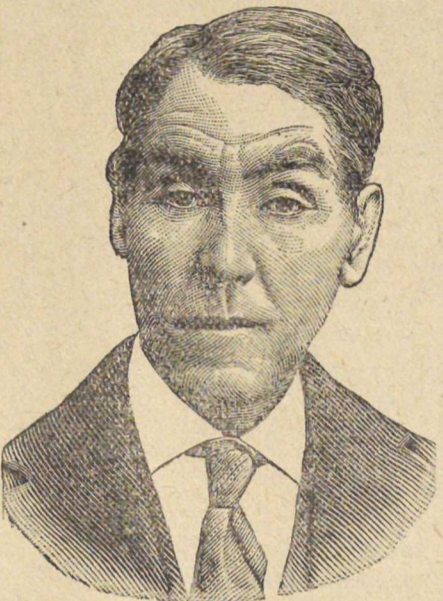
SAGINAW, March 7.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Woman's Hospital association Mrs. H. A. Forrest, president of the association, announced that the \$3,000 mortgage which has worried the members so long had been paid by Wellington R. Burt, leaving them practically out of debt.

The women have made several attempts to lift the mortgage, but have progressed slowly. One of the events of the season was the reception and banquet given by them last week. They managed at that time by the profits and subscriptions to raise \$1,000. Mr. Burt said then that if enough subscriptions were taken he would give \$500, but the gift of \$3,000 shows the interest and generosity of a public-spirited citizen.

CANCERS TREATED.



MR. JAMES NEWMAN, Of Malta, Ohio, applied to the Surgical Hotel the latter part of September, 1892, to be treated for a cancer of the lower lip, as shown by the above cut, figure 1.



MR. JAMES NEWMAN. In four weeks he was discharged, cured, as shown by figure 2. Both these engravings were made from photographs taken at the time he was received and discharged. For pamphlet descriptive of his case see our Cancer book. Sent free to any address by the Surgical Hotel, Columbus, Ohio.

TWO WOMEN KILLED

Horrible Accident at a Railroad Crossing In Battle Creek.

BATTLE CREEK, March 5.—A horrible railroad crossing accident happened here Saturday afternoon. Michigan Central express train No. 16, struck a carriage containing two ladies at the Tomkins street crossing, which is two blocks west of the depot.

Both women were killed. Mrs. Charles Richfield's death was instantaneous, her skull being broken. Her mangled remains were carried one block on the pilot of the engine before the train came to a standstill.

The other woman, Mrs. J. Frank McCuen, was thrown violently to the ground and was terribly injured. Her back and shoulders were broken and both arms and one leg bruised. She died two hours after the accident.

Will Be Tried This Month.

LANSING, March 5.—The March term of the circuit court, which will convene in this city Monday, March 12, will be by far the most important and sensational ever held in Ingham county. The first week of the term will be uneventful as the jury has not been ordered to report until the 19th inst., but from that time on for several weeks the trial of some of the persons recently indicted for complicity in the salaries amendment will be under way.

Prosecuting Attorney Gardner said Sunday that those 10 cases will all be noticed for trial and furthermore that he was ready to proceed with them without delay. He also said that he should vigorously oppose continuances and expressed his belief that Judge Person would grant none unless unusually good reasons were given. There is little doubt that the four state officials, at least, will be tried.

Cremated In a Barn.

COLDWATER, March 8.—Miles Nixon went to the barn on the Charles Pierce farm in Batavia township to do his chores. A few moments later the barn was found to be on fire, and when neighbors arrived they saw the body of Mr. Nixon lying on the floor so surrounded by flames that he could not be rescued.

The theory is that he had fallen in a fit or was stricken with heart failure and overturned the lantern, setting fire to the barn. To all appearance he was dead when first discovered. He was a member of the G. A. R. Five cows, 36 sheep and other contents of the barn were burned.

Appropriate.

Outfitter—See here, Appletti, those apples I bought here last night were too hard. Appletti—I know, I know, but zey was up to ze times.—Boston Courier.

Out of Place.

Author—I don't think the papers treat my farce comedy right. Friend—I notice they mention it under the heading "Amusements."—Pack.

Commotion.

Passenger—What in thunder is all that whistling for? Conductor—We've caught up with those darned cows again.—Yale Record.

A Dream.

I dreamt I was an eagle once, Full soaring on the wing, And as I passed my lady's door I dreamt I heard her sing. I dreamt I heard my lady sing As I was passing by, And then I dreamt how glad I was That I had learned to fly. —Brooklyn Life.

A PACIFIC CABLE.

Australia In Favor of One to the United States.

WELLINGTON, N. Z., March 8.—The delegates who have been attending the conference called to discuss the inter-colonial postal and telegraph service, have passed a resolution in favor of a Pacific cable to America, the route to be via Samoa, Fanning island and Honolulu to Vancouver. It is said that this route is likely to be supported by the governments of the United States, Germany, France, Great Britain and Canada.

Interest Expressed in Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Much interest was expressed at the Capitol concerning the news from Australia that the authorities there are moving to secure cable connection with the United States. The importance of this has been emphasized by occurrences of the past year in the Hawaiian islands. There is now a proposition before congress looking to the establishment of such a line, but Senator Morgan, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, said he had no doubt this government would be willing to co-operate with the Australian authorities in an effort in this direction.

Centenarian Dead.

BIDDEFORD, Me., March 8.—Captain Benjamin Thompson of Kennebunkport is dead, aged 100 years and 2 months.

STATE ITEMS.

Friday, March 2.

While Mrs. Cornelia J. Boost of Grand Rapids was walking along the streets a few nights since she fell and broke her left arm.

Miss Myrtle Armstrong of Niles, about 16 years old, while returning from St. Mary's school, was thrown out of a sleigh and seriously injured.

It has been decided to build a high school at Menominee. The city is to be bonded for \$45,000. The ladies did effective work toward carrying the proposition.

Saturday, March 3.

The German Lutheran society at Custer has decided to erect a handsome church during the coming summer.

Alexander R. McKenzie, a grocer at Alpena, has been held for trial on the charge of selling oleomargarine as butter.

A pesthouse has been erected at Menominee. It is intended to place all smallpox patients in it if the disease becomes prevalent in this city.

A local branch of the Ladies' Centenary association has been formed at Bay City. This is a national organization of the Universalist church.

Monday, March 5.

The council of Manistique has decided to make all tramps locked up in the village jail work for the town during their terms of imprisonment.

Horace Kelly, a well known citizen of Oxford, died on Sunday morning. He was a shoemaker by trade and had lived in Oxford for a number of years.

Plans are under consideration at Little Prairie Rondo for developing power to light the towns of Marcellus and Decatur by electricity, from the water power at the place.

Tuesday, March 6.

The Gray Shingle company of Muskegon is about to remove its plant to Sault Ste. Marie.

The new female cottage at the Northern asylum, near Traverse City, will be completed this month.

V. W. Monroe was arrested at Kalamazoo charged with burglarizing Harry M. Bunnell's residence at Coldwater.

Oliver Breed, a railroad employe at Marshall, was struck by a piece of timber and will probably die. He was operating a circular saw.

Wednesday, March 7.

It is expected that five business blocks will be put up at Manistique this spring. The outlook is brightening considerably.

Several cases of scarlet fever have broken out at Carleton. Precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

The South End Lumber and Salt company have commenced making extensive repairs to their plant at Bay City. They will start up on full time shortly.

The sheriff of Genesee county has offered a reward of \$25 for the arrest of the thieves who broke into the store of A. Morehouse at Fenton recently.

Thursday, March 7.

Barnham, Manistee county, is excited over the finding of the body of a girl baby sunk in a creek with a stone tied to its neck.

Orlando Devereaux, a veteran of Company F, Twenty-second Michigan infantry, died at Romeo at the age of 53 years.

The directors of the Flushing Fair society have elected the following officers: President, M. B. Halliwell; vice president, Horatio R. Green; secretary, C. A. Fox; treasurer, A. E. Ransom.

News from Alpena states that Thunder bay is entirely free from ice, the fishing tugs are out setting nets, and navigation would be open if there were any vessels arriving or departing.

THE MARKETS.

Detroit.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, 58 3/4c; May, 60 3/4c; July, 62 1/4c; No. 3 red, 56 1/4c; No. 1 white, 58 3/4c. CORN—No. 2, 37c; No. 2 yellow, 37 1/2c. OATS—No. 2, 31c; No. 2 white, 33 1/2c. RYE—49 1/2c. CLOVERSEED—\$5 25.

Chicago Livestock.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,200; prime steers scarce, a trifle higher at \$4 70/4 90; good to choice, \$4 25/4 60; others, \$5 25/3 75; Texas, \$5 00/3 45.

HOGS—Receipts, 21,000; slow; rough heavy, \$4 50/4 60; packers' and mixed, \$4 70/4 90; prime heavy and butcher, \$4 70/4 90; \$4 95/5 05; assorted light, \$4 95/5 05.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; active; tops, \$8 00/3 80.

LAMBS—Tops, \$4 00/4 25.

Chicago Provisions.

WHEAT—March, 58 3/4c/58 3/4c; May, 60 3/4c/60 3/4c; July, 62 1/4c.

CORN—March, 35c; May, 37 1/2c; July, 38 1/2c.

OATS—March, 30c; May, 31 1/2c; July, 29 1/2c.

PORK—May, \$11 62 1/2c; July, \$11 70.

LARD—March, \$6 95; May, \$6 90; July, \$6 85.

RIBS—May, \$6 07 1/2c; July, \$6 05.

New York Grain.

WHEAT—March, 62 1/2c; May, 64 1/2c; July, 66 1/2c; December, 72 1/2c.

CORN—March, 43 1/2c; May, 43 1/2c; July, 44 1/2c.

OATS—March, 36 1/2c; May, 35 1/2c; No. 2 white, 33c.

Toledo.

WHEAT—Active, higher; No. 2 cash and March, 59c; May, 60 3/4c; July, 62 1/4c.

Health of the State.

LANSING, March 8.—Reports to the state board of health show influenza, rheumatism, bronchitis, neuralgia and tonsillitis in the order named causing the most sickness in Michigan during the week ending March 3. Scarlet fever was reported at 53 places; diphtheria, 22; measles, 14; smallpox, 3 places. Consumption was reported present by 34 per cent of the observers making weekly card reports.

Loss of Confidence.

The ability of the average colored servant in the south to steal with impunity from his or her employer, as the case may be, is truly phenomenal.

"How's yer comin on in yer new place?" asked Jim Webster of Matilda Snowball.

"I've done laid up moah den \$20, and I hain't drawn a cent ob wages yet."

"Ain't yer afeered dey will hold back yer wages when dey comes ter pay you?"

"No, I've got puffed' conference in 'em." —Texas Sitings.

A Story of Everts.

When Mr. Everts was called to Washington by President Hayes as secretary of state, his predecessor, Secretary Fish, gave a dinner in his honor. Mrs. Fish was seated at Mr. Everts' right hand. During a lull in the conversation Mrs. Fish turned to Mr. Everts, speaking so clearly as to be heard even at the foot of the table, saying, "Mr. Everts, I understand that you have sent two of your sons to college."

"Yes, Mrs. Fish."

"They are twin brothers, are they not, Mr. Everts?"

"Yes, and they have been playmates and schoolmates until now."

"But is it true that you sent one to Harvard and the other to Yale, although you are a Yale graduate yourself?"

"Yes, it is quite true."

"Then I suppose you have done that, Mr. Everts, so that each of them can take first honors?"

Here Mr. Everts looked curiously at Mrs. Fish for an instant and then said very earnestly, "Mrs. Fish, you have divined correctly."—Philadelphia Press.

Mother, reprovingly—Every doll you have has lost an arm, or a leg, or a head, and some have nothing left but the body. Now what are you going to do? Little Ethel, thoughtfully—I don't know, unless I play dime museum.

Lady, engaging servant—Have you any references? Raw Country Girl—What be them, marm? Lady—Why, can you tell me any people who know your character? Raw Country Girl, grinning—Yes, surely; but I bean't so silly as to tell ye!

Hazel had been to missionary meeting. Her prayers were apt to mirror the impressions of the day, and this is what her mother heard at bedtime: "Oh, Lord, I 'spose you know 'bout these missionaries, and, Oh, Lord, please don't let 'em learn any bad habits from the heathen."

Quarryman, commissioned to break the news gently—Did ye hear that foine blast, mum? Woman—Indade I did. It frightened me. "Would Oi had been near ye to protect ye, mum. It's just such a fine lookin' woman as you Oi loik to protect, mum. It's me yez ought to marry." "It's you ought to be kilt entoirely for tolkin' that way an' me married to a foine mon like Micky Finnegan." "Och, ye naden't moind about him, mum. He was kilt by th' blast."

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