



FOR PRESIDENT,
JAMES A. GARFIELD, of Ohio.
FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
CHESTER A. ARTHUR, of New York.

Electoral Ticket.
For Presidential Electors,
CHARLES B. PRENTISS, of St. Clair,
SAMUEL M. STEPHENSON, of Menominee,
EDWARD H. BOUTLER, of Washtenaw,
CHARLES T. MITCHELL, of Hillsdale,
DAVID H. COOK, of Barry,
CHARLES DEWOLFE, of Van Buren,
AARON B. TURNER, of Kent,
ISA P. BINGHAM, of Livingston,
WATSON REACH, of Washtenaw,
WILLIAM H. POTTER, of Alpena,
SAMUEL A. BROWN, of Oceana.

State Ticket.
For Governor,
DAVID H. JEROME, of Saginaw.
For Lieutenant Governor,
MOREAU S. CROSBY, of Kent.
For Secretary of State,
WILLIAM JENNEY, of Macomb.
For State Treasurer,
BENJAMIN D. FRITCHARD, of Allegan.
For Auditor General,
W. IRVING LATIMER, of Mecosta.
For Attorney General,
JACOB J. VAN RIPER, of Berrien.
For Commissioner of State Land Office,
JAMES M. NEWMAN, of Kalamazoo.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
CORNELIUS A. GOWER, of Saginaw.
For Member of State Board of Education,
EDGAR REXFORD, of Washtenaw.

Congressional Ticket.
For Representative—1st District,
EDWIN WILLIAMS, of Monroe.
Legislative Ticket.
For Representative in Legislature—1st District,
EDWARD P. ALLEN.
For Representative in Legislature—2nd District,
EDWARD J. DEWEY.
For Representative in Legislature—3rd District,
JAMES MCLEAREN.

County Ticket.
For State Senator,
JOE T. JACOBS.
For Sheriff,
W. IRVING YECKLEY.
For Judge of Probate,
WILLIAM E. DEWEY.
For County Clerk,
EVERETT B. CLARK.
For Register of Deeds,
ERASTUS N. GILBERT.
For Treasurer,
FREDERICK PFIZENMAIER.
For Prosecuting Attorney,
FRANK EMMERICH.
For Circuit Court Commissioners,
WILLIAM MCMANUS,
FRANK H. FINLEY.
For Coroners,
JAMES M. BRADLEY,
Dr. FRANK K. OWEN.
For Surveyor,
JOHN K. YOCUM.

Registration Notice.
Notice is hereby given that a session of the Board of Registration of the several wards of the city of Ann Arbor will be held in the respective wards of said city for the purpose of registering the electors on Tuesday, the 26th day of October, A. D. 1880, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m. and closing at 7 o'clock p. m., that day, at the following named places:
First ward.....C. Kraft's shop
Second ward.....Hutzel & Co's store
Third ward.....M. Rogers's store
Fourth ward.....M. Rogers's store
Fifth ward.....Huron Engine House
Sixth ward.....M. Rogers's store
JOHN KAPPE, Mayor.
Dated Ann Arbor, October 17th, 1880.

Registration Notice.
The board of registration of the town of Ann Arbor will be in session at Edmund's shop, in said township, on Saturday, the 30th day of October, 1880, at 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of registering voters.
Ann Arbor, October 18, 1880.
DAVIS, Township Clerk.

Capt. E. P. Allen's Appointments.
Oct. 23, Barr's hall, in Augusta.
Oct. 23, Morgan school house, in Augusta.
Oct. 27, Milan.
Oct. 28, Pittsford town house, in York.
Oct. 29, Tenanock school house, in York.
Oct. 30, Saline.

NOT DEAD YET.
We notice that some of the republican papers have already gone into the funeral business, and have all arrangements made for burying out of sight forever, the democratic party. This is all well enough for campaign talk, but it isn't best to put too much confidence in that way of doing business. Whatever else the democratic party may be remarkable for we must admit that it possesses wonderful elements of vitality. It has suffered defeat after defeat, year in and year out, and yet at the next election we find the same old party confronting us, plucky and game as before, clothed in green clothes of adverse majorities, which to any other organization would prove fatal. So we say, do not rely upon burying the democratic party, thinking it will stay buried any length of time, for it has proven a lively corpse upon too many occasions in the past. Furthermore, do not relax your energy because of the prospects. Our foe is a wily one, and if there be a gate open, a bar down, or a fence rail missing, you may be sure it will be seen and taken advantage of, however small the opening may be. The solid south will eventually kill that party if it remains solid, but do not flatter yourselves, brother republicans, that the organization has been fatally injured by the Ohio tumble or the Indiana fall. It will be at the polls on the 2d of November, and every nerve must be strained in order to give it a final overthrow.

THE STORM'S WORK.
Last Saturday and Sunday a terrific gale swept over the great lakes, doing an immense amount of damage to the merchant marine. From every port along the shore comes intelligence of crafts damaged, disabled or completely wrecked. But the saddest of all is the loss of the steamer Alpena, of the Goodrich line, plying between Grand Haven and Chicago, with all on board. Her list of passengers, as near as can be ascertained was about 30, besides the crew. W. S. Bonham, editor of the Grand Haven Herald, and wife, are among the lost. The majority of passengers were from Grand Haven, Grand Rapids and Chicago, though there was a family from Santa Fe, N. M., who had been spending the summer at Grand Haven, known to have been on board. Of all on board, not a soul remains alive. To tell the story of the disaster.
A greater amount of damage seems to have been done on Lake Michigan than on the other lakes. Danger signals were hung out at the different stations, yet the vessel owners seem to have disregarded them in the hope, undoubtedly, of the threatened storm not proving much of a storm. The loss of life, of shipping and of freight will be very great.
Each year the October gales bring their tales of destruction to shipping, and disaster to property and life upon our great lakes. Yet be forgotten by the people who traverse the waters, and the victims are always ready for the destructive winds.

If you do not care to have the business of the country broken up, vote the republican ticket.
In a speech in Chicago in 1864, Thomas A. Hendricks called President Lincoln "a sturdy old tyrant."
The past record of the democratic party, to which it pointed with pride, didn't seem to take well down in Indiana and Ohio.
If Landers' defeat in Indiana is due to his unpopularity, will the still greater unpopularity of English retrieve the loss in November?
If you are anxious to have another administration as pure, and free from all corruption as is the present one, vote for Garfield and Arthur.
We don't hear as much as we formerly did about Hancock's cabinet. What's the matter? Have you given up all hope of carrying the "superb" to victory?
Give us enough opposition to make the campaign interesting, brother democrats. Don't be so easily discouraged. You know you have 135 electoral votes to start with.

The Marshall Statesman published three columns of names of former democrats who have broken away from that party and united with the democracy in its late issue. And still they come. Every day adds to the list.
The N. Y. Sun practically throws up the sponge, and says "the democratic campaign has been a series of blunders from the beginning." Just what we have told the party all the time, but they wouldn't believe us.
Adversity seems not to conquer E. R. Powell & Sons, of the Montreal Herald, for although completely burned out a few days since at the big fire at Stanton, they are on deck once more, and the Herald is again given to its readers.
Immediately after the Maine election United States bonds dropped nearly three per cent, and as soon as the result of the elections in Ohio and Indiana was announced they advanced again nearly two per cent. The reader may draw his own conclusions as to the probable cause.

Congressman Fry says: According to the votes now in, Plaiisted has a plurality of thirty. The mistakes in the spelling of Plaiisted name will not be taken advantage of by the republicans in case they are shown to be merely clerical errors. We will not imitate the tricks of Garfield.
The Southern States, a Hancock paper, says: "The day is not far distant when the Lincoln cause will be the lost cause; when monuments to Booth will be built in every southern city, and when a painting representing Booth in the act of assassinating Lincoln will grace the capital at Washington."
It is possible, with the present buoyant feeling pervading the ranks of the republicans, and the dark cloud of gloom surrounding the democrats, to carry Washtenaw county. We have faith to believe that there will be still greater surprises in store for the democrats on the 2d of November, and one of them may be the election of the republican ticket in Washtenaw county.

There is a regular stampede down in Ohio, to the republican ranks. Richard J. Fanning, the recent candidate upon the democratic ticket in Ohio, for clerk of the supreme court, has renounced his allegiance to the democratic party and declared for Garfield. What puzzles the democracy about this business is that he is an Irishman and a Catholic. Fanning says of his late party: "They are a set of d--s rascals."
The venerable and pious author, Lydia Maria Child, died at her home in Wayland, Mass., Wednesday Oct. 20th, aged 78 years. Her maiden name was Francis, and she was born at Medford, Mass., Feb. 11, 1802. In 1828 she married David L. Child. She was one of the earliest writers against slavery, and is the author of many works which are prized by literary people.

A vote for the republican ticket, is a vote for the prosperity of the nation; a vote for continuing a sound financial policy; a vote for a free ballot and the counting of that ballot; a vote for the perpetuation of the legislation which grew out of the war; a vote for the right; a vote for good men and a pure and honest administration of the affairs of this nation. Will you not cast your vote?
The democrats might as well recognize the situation and submit gracefully. They are as dead as when Horace Greeley led them to defeat. They have no possible chance for victory, and it is a pretty big question if the November war doesn't completely sweep them out of even their former famous strongholds. Washtenaw county can be carried by the republicans by proper work and management.
Willard Stearns, of Adrian, the democratic candidate for secretary of state, attempted to interrupt the Hon. Omar D. Conger, while he was making a political speech in that city, a few nights since. The result was that Stearns got nicely "combed down" for his impudence, in calling Mr. Conger a liar. Conger told him that "he had fallen from the dignity of a gentleman to the degree of a blackguard."

Democrats have always howled vociferously over the 8 to 7 fraud, which was a game of their own concocting, and have grown terribly indignant over the manner in which Mr. Hayes secured the presidential chair. Not one of them, however, can deny but that his administration has been pure, honest, and in every way so shaped as to secure the best interests of the entire people. Many of them confess that it has been the purest administration for many years.
Latest advices from New York states that business men without regard to party, are pouring out wealth by the bushel, all most, in aid of the republican cause, and that those who have been democrats all their lives are giving astonishing amounts rather than suffer a change to be made in the policy of the government. New York politicians confidently predict that Garfield will have 40,000 majority in New York alone, and that Hancock will not carry a northern state. Whoop'er up.

A gentleman living in Garrard county, Kentucky, adds to a business letter the following: "Hancock sent a congratulatory dispatch to Plaiisted, the greenbacker, of Maine. What kind of a dispatch did he send the greenback orator, Randall, who was driven from Alabama by the violence and force of democrats? Did he congratulate Kimberly, of Mississippi, whose life was threatened by the Tweeds and Booth's of that despotism called a state? If Hancock congratulates one nation, he ought to congratulate another."
If the exodus of democrats, disgusted with their party for its instability, venality, and lack of principles, continues without interruption up to the 21 day of November, the managers of that party will have to get out an affidavit to prove that they had a ticket in the field. The ranks of the republican party is daily being swelled by the better class of democrats who have become tired and disgusted with the vacillating policy, blundering leadership, and entire lack of principles which for the past few years has characterized this once glorious organization.

His Speech at the Court House—An Able Plea for the Party of Progress and Purity.
On Friday evening last week the court house was filled to overflowing with people—men and women—eager to hear ex-Gov. Austin Blair, of Jackson, discuss the present political issues of the day. And not one of the number were disappointed, for they heard a live, wide awake, able representation of republican principles.

In introducing the speaker, John F. Lawrence, Esq., paid a glowing tribute to his worth and reputation, which he said was not confined to our state alone, but was as broad as the nation. In our great peril, for his intelligent, patriotic, efficient management of the affairs of our state, we owe him a debt of lasting gratitude.
The governor commenced his speech by congratulating the audience upon the favorable aspect of affairs, and said "it almost seems to me that this campaign has passed out of the domain of discussion or energetic action. The drift of public opinion is in the direction of right, patriotism and justice, as we believe it to be." The news from the great states of Ohio and Indiana was still grandly rolling on, and encouraging the party as it did in the perilous years of the past. The speaker then referred in sarcastic terms to the democratic dirty job of plastering 329 over walks, doors, and buildings, in seething terms. The American people are an intensely practical people. The voter does not like to put his vote where it will do no good. We are an intensely constructive people who can not show us any practical results; the people ask what results we can accomplish and the means used in securing them. All parties are founded upon ideas, and though it is asserted that the distribution of public plunder and pap is the main idea of every party, there is not cohesive power sufficient in that alone to hold any party from falling to pieces. These great ideas are continually directing the movement and policies of parties. He referred to the old friend Charles S. May, who asserted that "he didn't believe in this nonsensical business of hunting up the records of parties." He couldn't blame May much for those words. A record that is good does not fear being brought out and rehearsed. If a party says to the people, trust us, but not our adversaries, we naturally look to see what the record of that party has been; and we ask about its past conduct, and if it is all right we give our confidence, if not, we don't. So the record of a party is the most important thing to be considered, and he felt disposed to look at the record of the two great parties. The democratic party is nearly as old as the government itself; it has survived all changes, all shocks of defeat, all disasters, and is still before the people. The republican party is comparatively young, but it has made such a record that it should be dissolved to day, its record could not be blotted out. It was organized in 1856 to antagonize the democratic party at that point, which at that time was asserting that we had no right to secede, no right to think, even, of human slavery; it said slavery was protected by the constitution, and any one who attempted to question that right was not a friend to the republic. The speaker then read one of the famous Kentucky and Virginia resolutions of 1798, which embodied the Jeffersonian doctrine, on which the democratic party was founded. He thought the unit rule had been broken within its ranks for all time to come, and that hereafter every congressional district would be represented by its own delegates. Every candidate put up by a wing was defeated. If he had had the nomination to make he would have done just what was done, and selected Gen. Jas. A. Garfield. There was no better public man in the United States in his opinion. None attack him for lack of ability, none deny his statesmanship. In regard to the credit mobiler and De Golyer pavement, so persistently and viciously slung at him by the democrats, he would say, that he was present at the time of the investigation, and would state, without any fear of contradiction, that nobody ever supposed that Jas. A. Garfield was ever mixed up with those things. Thurman, the most princely democrat of them all, had his attention called to the charges, and replied: "I know Garfield well, and I am bound to say that he has been as true as steel in every one of those accusations." His neighbors elected him to the house; his people elected him to the senate; and a few days ago they again said he was innocent, in thunder tones. The republicans were all united now; the old party of liberals—and they were considerable—were all together again, and they were marching on to another great victory. The flag of our nationality and universal liberty is in the hands of James A. Garfield, and he will plant it at the national capital.

The speech was frequently interrupted by applause, often long continued, and the audience proved itself in full sympathy with the speaker. What he said did good, and we venture to assert that not one present felt sorry that he came.

And now the name of the Hon. D. Darwin Hughes, of Grand Rapids, is to be added to the long list of democrats who have come out for Garfield and Arthur. Mr. Hughes was at one time a candidate for congress, and at another time a candidate for justice of the supreme court, and on the democratic ticket, and has ever been looked upon as one of the shining lights of that party. He has ability and good sense, and it is presumed does not desire to see the government thrown into the hands of a party controlled by the rebellious element of the southern states. The country is prosperous and happy under republican rule, and such people desire that it should continue so rather than be given into new hands with different ideas. Mr. Hughes, and all such as he, are welcome to our ranks. We want such men.

AN APPEAL TO MICHIGAN WOMEN.
To go to the Polls and Help Nullify the Liquor Dealers' Efforts.
The following address has been pronounced by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Michigan:
To the women of the state of Michigan:
The issue before you at the next state election is one of vital importance to our country. The only alternative is to yield our most precious rights to an open market, and to the liquor traffic, or to elect such a legislature as will listen to the demand of the people and to the laws of God. We have no other alternative. We must either elect a legislature that will free themselves from this terrible burden, or we must elect one that will continue to be a curse to our country. We are your only friends, and we will speak for you in your organized and individual capacity. Your husbands and sons will speak for you at the polls. See that they do not believe your prayers. They are to be distributed, and they are to be distributed. We are using your presence there will not only prove the cause of temperance, but will also prove the cause of your own salvation. We are your only friends, and we will speak for you in your organized and individual capacity. 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Closing and Opening of Mails.

Mails leaving Ann Arbor, East and West, will close as follows: GOING WEST. Through and Way Mail, 10:50 a. m. Way Mail between Ann Arbor and Jackson, 11:00 a. m. Night Mail, 11:30 p. m.

Travellers' Guide.

Trains arrive and depart from the Michigan Central Depot in this city as follows: TRAINS EAST. Atlantic Express, 2:05 a. m. Grand Rapids Accommodation, 8:40 a. m. Grand Rapids Express, 9:00 a. m. Evening Express, 10:00 p. m. Local Passenger, 11:15 p. m.

LOCAL.

Register your name. Next Tuesday court will convene. Register! And don't you forget it.

Dr. A. R. Wheeler has been appointed jail physician.

When yesterday I asked you, love, one little word to say; Your brother's name was my name; So please say yes to-day.

Salt river is 320 miles long, so the democrats will think before they get through with the business.

A freight engine ran into a caboose, near Dexter, Tuesday, on the M. C. R. R., doing slight damage.

Last Saturday, on state street, B. Green, of this city, was thrown from his carriage and slightly injured.

The German band, as will be seen by the notice elsewhere, have reorganized and are ready for business.

At the Jackson tournament last Wednesday, the team of C. A., of this city, made a score of 162 points.

If you want to vote, your name must be registered, and the board meets in the several wards next Tuesday.

Herbert B., the little son of Henry L. and Emily F. Cole, died last Friday, aged 2 years, 4 months, and 13 days.

Tuesday, Oct. 26th! Remember the date, and see that YOUR NAME is on the registration list of your ward.

The wife of Wm. G. Snow, of Superior, Martha M., died last Sunday, of typhoid fever, in the 41st year of her age.

We are informed that wheat is bringing \$1.00 per bushel at Delhi, a better price than Ann Arbor dealers are paying.

If you are a republican, and have moved from one ward to another since last election, don't forget to register next Tuesday.

Rev. J. T. Sunderland will lecture at the Unitarian church next Sunday evening, to young men, upon "Choosing a vocation."

The supervisors have passed a rule, we understand, to the effect that no member shall receive pay except for actual time given.

Seven votes were given to Moses Rogers for superintendent of the poor, in the election by the board of supervisors last Tuesday.

Let every man constitute himself a committee of one to work for the success of the republican ticket from now to November 2d.

No written or printed cards but the United States postal cards can be sent through the mails for one cent after Jan. 1, 1881.

The roof of the new Baptist church begins to loup up. It is hoped to get the structure entirely enclosed before cold weather sets in.

James Monahan, a former resident of this city, in the employ of the Well's, died suddenly last week Thursday, at his home in Chicago.

A small brick building is being erected on Detroit street, between Zachman's meat market and Elsie's marble works, for a dress-making shop.

E. E. Kellogg, of Ann Arbor town, a milkman, had several of his cows made very sick from eating apples, a few days since. One of them died.

Every man on the republican ticket is worthy of the support of every republican voter in the county, and by hard work each candidate can be elected.

Allan H. Frazier, of Detroit, brother of R. E. Frazier, of this city, is to address the people of Ypsilanti next Sabbath afternoon upon the temperance question.

Miss Frederika Perry and Miss Ellen Martyn, who form the only ladies' law firm in Chicago, are both graduates of the law department of the University of Michigan.

C. E. Pickett, township drain commissioner of Pittsfield, advertises to let a contract for clearing out and digging out certain ditches in that township, on Tuesday, Nov. 4th.

The state military rifle association, at their meeting at Jackson, chose Capt. Chas. H. Manly, of this city, as vice-president, and Sam. B. Revenagh, as one of the board of directors.

Our advice to republicans is not to be as the democratic editor gave, to "vote early, vote often, vote all the time," but it is to be sure and vote, and see that your republican neighbor votes.

Prof. Charles E. Greene, of this city, has been chosen president of the Michigan Unitarian association for the ensuing year, and Rev. J. T. Sunderland has been made chairman of the missionary committee.

A democrat of this city speaking one to Jackson to hear R. E. Frazier going; on his return, when asked what he went to Jackson for? replied: "I went forty miles to catch him Columbia."

He had just returned from the Milford fair—last night. Say, Abe, I've been a looker in through the keyholes of Puggass for that we Ann Arbor comers, and goldarn it, I've 'em gittin' cross-eyed—South Lyon Sentinel.

By the number of "boys" who have to get out between the acts to "see a man," whenever there is an entertainment at the opera house, it would seem that there was still a missionary field for the red ribbon club of this city.

Things a man never forgets—his first snout, the first girl he ever kissed, his first night at the theatre, his first pair of pantaloons, his first cigar, and how much letter he might have done in the world had he followed some other occupation.

The new flag stone walk in front of Elsie's marble works, on Detroit street, and the flag stones in the crossing leading from thence over Catharine street, are improvements of great excellence, and like those in a desert to the pedestrians of that street.

The Wadley guards indulged in some free fighting Saturday evening. To say the least, their conduct was very unbecoming, and very ungentlemanly—Blissful Advantages.

The "boys" must be taught not to display their naughtiness away from home. It may injure the prospects of their chief-tain.

The Evening News states that Mr. Waldby was not a candidate at the time of letting the contract for the building of the new state reform school at Adrian. Very true, but hundreds of deeds are done in this world, with a view to future probabilities.

One thing, quite noticeable in this campaign, is the entire lack of democratic philosophy composed of workmen. The laborer is in harmony with capital, this year, just where he belongs. Labor and capital work hand in hand, each for the benefit of the other.

If you are given to poetic effusions take the words orange, kilt, silver, month, gulf and bliger; put at the end of alternate lines, and endeavor to construct rhymes for them. At the end of a few years—or your patience—just send your local paper an account of your success.

Patrick Kearney, of Webster, had 1,710 bushels of wheat from 45 acres, an average of 38 bushels to the acre. He also raised 390 bushels of barley from 12 acres and 500 bushels of oats from 29 acres, and had 48 acres of corn which yielded an average of 180 bushels to the acre. Good farming that.

The auditor general has apporportioned to the several counties in this state their portion of the state taxes for the coming year. The total amount to be raised in the state is \$1,067,153.25, on an equalized valuation of \$630,000,000.

Major Emil Pifer, the great German orator, will expound the principles of the republican party, to the people of Bridge-water and vicinity, at the town hall, on Saturday evening, Oct. 23d. He will also speak at Lodi town hall, on Monday evening, Oct. 25th. Both speeches will be in German. Do not fail to hear this great German orator.

There was quite a decided change in the weather last Saturday, and the cold breath of the north wind reminded us all of the near approach of old winter, with his freezing presence. Sunday it tried hard, though to the west and north of us heavy snow storms lasted during the day. It made the coal and wood men smile.

The supervisors of Washtenaw county have appointed Lorenzo Davis, of this city, as superintendent of the poor in place of Edward Duffy. A better nomination could not have been made. He is an old resident, a man of decided ability, and unswerving integrity. In Mr. Davis the poor will have a kind and faithful friend, and the county an efficient officer.

Christian Grossman and Henry Grossman, cousins of this city, left last Saturday for the great west, in search of a cli mate better suited to their health. They expect to go to Socorro, New Mexico, and locate permanently. Both young men are temperate and industrious, and are entitled to the good will of any community in which they may make their future home.

The electric light invented by Prof. W. J. Langley, of the university, has proven a success. Thursday evening, of last week, an exhibition of its workings was given at the machine shop of Allen & Gretton—where it is manufactured—and its complete success demonstrated. The lamps burned steadily, without flicker, a difficulty which has been hard to overcome.

The senior law class held a meeting in the law lecture room, last Saturday, and elected the following officers: President, T. R. Shaw; vice president, Edward McNamara; secretary, J. E. McGill; treasurer, Alfred Graber; orator, J. W. Lounsbury; poet, Miss Laura R. Taylor; toast master, G. M. Nelson; historian, N. M. Fogler; foot-ball captain, H. G. Holmes.

There is a strong disposition on the part of the barbers of this city to raise the price of shaving. They say the faces of the democrats have lengthened out to such an extent that it is worth fully five cents more to shave them, since the October elections; while the republican faces have broadened, fattened, grown full of dimples and are generally so jolly that they wouldn't mind in the least the extra price.

R. E. Frazier, of this city, made ten republican speeches last week. The last of the number was delivered at Jackson, on Saturday evening, to a very large audience. A number of gentlemen who went there from this city for the purpose of hearing him, report themselves as well repaid, and state that it was the most convincing, instructive and interesting address they have heard during this campaign.

The Hon. Edwin Willis, nominee for congress upon the republican ticket in this district, is announced for a speech at the Sharon town hall, on Friday, Oct. 23th. He will also speak at Bridge-water town hall the same evening. Bridge-water democrats and republican alike, should turn out and hear their representative in congress. He has much to say that is of interest to all, and he says it in calm, gentlemanly way. Go and hear the record.

This is the kind of "raffy" political correspondent of the Free Press gives that paper from this city: "Thomas W. Perry addressed a small audience at the opera house, Tuesday evening, and was more than fair in his denunciations and was offered that a canvass of the voters present would show a majority for Hancock and English; with no takers. The election returns from Ohio and Indiana have no discouraging effect on the invincible democracy of Washtenaw county. They are going to win, and don't you forget it."

It was a noted fact that the opera house was filled, and well filled. There might have been a few democrats there, and doubtless was, as several persons got up and left after the senator had made it too warm for them. As to the last sentence, it is freely admitted by all candid democrats that the late reverses have damaged their prospects in this county to a great extent.

The workmen upon the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northeastern railroad, while at work on a portion of the road running through a tamarack swamp in West Bloomfield, Oakland county, were surprised one morning recently to find that the entire road bed had sunk out of sight. It appears that a lake 30 feet deep was under the marsh, and the weight of the earth had broken through the crust. To fill up the hole it is estimated will require an expenditure of several thousands of dollars.

The Rev. Arthur O. Brickman, of the New Jerusalem (Swedenborgian) church, commenced at the Unitarian church last evening, a series of three lectures. His subject last evening, was "The soul and the eternal world—what is the soul composed of? What is its essence and form? and what where is the eternal world?" This evening his subject will be "The resurrection, or the spirit's entrance into the eternal life, and the book of life opened." To-morrow evening it will be: "The divine trinity explained."

Edward L. Boyden, of Webster township, one of Washtenaw's most prominent farmers, died last Sunday of heart disease, aged 50 years. Mr. Boyden had been ill for a long time previous to his death, so that the event was not entirely unexpected. He leaves a wife and three children. The latter are Mrs. Otis Cushman, Mrs. Austin Kimberley, and Wm. E. Boyden. The deceased has been identified with the growth and progress of our county from an early day, and will be missed from the ranks of its pioneers, farmers and business men.

On the circuit court calendar for the October term, which is to commence next Tuesday, Oct. 26th, are 87 cases, divided as follows: criminal 15; issues of fact 45; imparance 3; obscenity, 1st class 12; 2d class, 2; 4th class, 10. The following are the criminal cases: The people vs. Geo. W. Clark, and John Clark, embezzlement; Patrick Carl, assault with intent to commit rape; John Innis, larceny; Henry P. Boylan, embezzlement; Chas. A. Myers, false pretenses; Sarah McConnell, larceny; Chas. G. Collins, larceny; Wm. C. Ayer, liquor case; John H. Ortman, liquor case; John Keegan, robbery; Wm. Boyse, manslaughter; John Keegan and Jerry Killey, larceny; Joseph Graves, larceny; Emory Aldrich, larceny; Clark Woolsey, assault.

The reception given Dr. Steele, the new pastor of the Presbyterian society last Friday evening, in the basement of the church, was one of the brilliant events of the season. The ladies deserve credit for the unique and tasteful manner of the decorations. The gilt banners on the walls with appropriate mottoes, the oil paintings and engravings, the hanging evergreen wreaths interspersed with the charming coral berries of the bitter sweet, and the grand pyramid of choice house plants in bloom, baskets and vases of flowers, most exquisite in colors, all made a very pleasing impression. The supper was a superb affair. The clergy of the other churches and a large number of invited guests were present. Dr. Steele was made happy by the many introductions and congratulations he received.

The superintendents of the poor presented their annual report to the board of supervisors last Monday, from which we glean the following statistics: The total receipts for the year were \$20,321.28; amount expended \$20,955.77. The county farm and buildings are valued at \$30,000. The products of the farm for the year ending Sept. 30th, 1880, were valued at \$2,388.50. Estimated value of pauper labor \$250. The personal property is valued at \$4,485. Whole number of paupers maintained during the year 1,120; under 16; 20; idiots, 5; blind, 1; mutes, 1; 651 were American; English, 84; Irish, 191; Scotch, 44; German, 74; French, 2; Swedes, 4; Canadians, 60; Negroes, 8. The average number of persons supported at the county house during the year was 93, at an average cost per week of \$1.40. The estimated expenses for the year ending Sept. 30th, 1881, are \$7,665.

Perhaps some of our young readers will recognize the young person spoken of: There was once an awful little girl who had an awful way of saying "awful" to everything. She lived in an awful house, in an awful street, in an awful village, which was an awful distance from any other place, and she was awful glad of it, in fact she wished it was an awful sight farther. She went to an awful school, and had an awful teacher, who gave her awful lessons out of awful books. Every day she got so awful hungry, that she ate such an awful sight of food, that she looked awful filthy. [It should not be omitted that she ate [awful fish.] Her hat was awful small, and her feet were awful large. She went to an awful church, and always got awful sleepy because the awful preacher, preached awful long dry sermons. She took awful walks, and when she got awful tired, as she was awful apt to do, she sat down under an awful tree to rest. She was an awful talker, and some of the neighbors thought her an awful girl.

The Indian summer business is again being dug up and thrown out to the readers of newspapers by local scribes. Indian summers, in the early days of this country, never came until late in November, and consisted of some ten days or two weeks of mild, smoky weather, supposed to have been caused by the burning over of woods by the Indians. This they did late every fall, for the purpose of clearing the earth of all underbrush growth or other obstructions to sight, that they might readily see the wild game, which was their chief food. But this age has got to be a fast one. Everything is way ahead of olden times, and so, if we have a few days of warm weather in September or October, it is immediately termed "Indian summer," and short squibs, long articles describing its beauties, and frequently poetry is written upon the same. The truth is, Indian summer is a thing which the Indian never had. We may have a faint imitation occasionally of it, but the pure article vanished with the noble red man, from whom it received its name.

Parents, do not forget that you were once young yourselves. Almost daily we can note instances wherein the mirth, the life, the joy of a child is suppressed wrongfully, by some older person, who is entirely forgetful of the days of his own youth. He governs with a rod of iron, finds fault unnecessarily, or chides without reason. Children are given a surplus of life which must have vent, it is a better way to so guide them that this surplus vitality will be worked off in a harmless way, rather than in an evil manner. Govern by love, not by brute force; appeal to a child's reason, pride or affection, and do not arouse the evil that is in him by severity or cruelty. He who breaks a child's spirit, crushes the ambition, the love, is afflicting his child, and though it be at a fearful cost to the child's future. Human nature is the same in children as it is in older people. We

gladly make sacrifices and obey the wishes of those we love, never moving grudgingly; but it is impossible to drive us to acts of love. How often we hear the expression: "I can be coaxed easily, but do not attempt to drive me." Isn't the same sentiment as firmly imbedded in your child as in yourself? Be firm, but gentle. If you err at all, do not let it be on the side of cruelty. More children are ruined by the rod than have ever been spoiled through leniency and love.

Lizzie Kuhn, aged 21 years, was buried in this city last Tuesday, afternoon, her remains having been brought from Jackson. The deceased had been a resident of this city since childhood, but had for some little time been employed in Jackson. The cause of her death as related by herself, was: Being troubled with severe nervous spells she had procured some medicine for the purpose of allaying them, and she also had a vial of orosy sublimite and carbolic acid mixed, which she used for corns. Saturday morning at about three o'clock, being very nervous, she arose in the dark and took from a vial a dose of what she supposed to be the medicine for nervousness, but what was in reality the sublimite and acid. Her room was far removed from any member of the family where she lived, and no alarm was given until the next morning, when she was found nearly dead. Physicians were summoned and she was rallied sufficiently to tell her story, but the poison had worked destruction, and at midnight of Saturday, she died. This is the girl's story as she told it herself. There are those who think it might have been a case of suicide, but as no known reason existed for such a fearful step, the theory is not generally accepted. The father of Miss Kuhn died last spring, and her mother had long been dead. A step-mother resides here, and other relatives, who took charge of the remains, brought them to this city and had them appropriately interred.

Personal Notes. Dr. W. S. Ziegenfuss, of Dexter, dropped into our sanctum, sanctorum, day-before-yesterday.

Mrs. John F. Miller, formerly of this place, but now of Washington, D. C., is in the city.

Dr. Q. C. Lyon, of Jackson, was in the city last Wednesday, and a caller at the COURIER office.

John W. B. Crins, of Detroit, called at this office last Wednesday. He reports the republicans of Wayne county in high spirits, and confidently predicts the election of the Hon. Henry W. Lord, to congress, from Wayne county.

A FEW FIGURES.

What Everett B. Clark has Saved to the Tax-payers of this County. It seems proper at the present time to call the attention of our citizens, and especially of tax-payers, to the economical administration of the county clerk's office during the past two years. Mr. Clark has conducted the affairs of his office upon the same principles that a good, careful business man would his own private business. The result has been a considerable saving, and shows that honesty, fidelity and experience are a good investment for the tax-paying portion of the community.

For the purpose of laying before our readers some of the facts which go to sustain the above remarks, we paid a visit to the office of the county clerk a few days ago. And we want to say right here that a more obliging man never held office in this county than the present county clerk.

At the meeting of the supervisors in January, 1879, the board ordered the county clerk and judge of probate to arrange the files and records in the purchase of about 20,000 file covers. Mr. Clark sent samples of the file covers desired to several large houses dealing in that class of goods for the purpose of getting bids for furnishing the same.

The result was a great saving as will be seen by an inspection of the figures: There has been purchased to date, 19,391 file covers at a cost of \$247.16. Previous to Mr. Clark's time, and under the former manner of doing business, the same goods had cost the county \$30 per thousand, which would amount to \$581.73, a net saving of \$334.57 in favor of the present way of doing business, this, too, notwithstanding paper products have been unusually dear for the last eighteen months.

The arranging of the files necessitated the purchase of several hundred pigeon-hole tin boxes, and 570 boxes at 26 cents each, cost \$148. Formerly the county paid nine shillings each for the boxes which would amount to \$641.25. It will be seen that the sum of \$493.25 was saved in this one item.

Until last winter, wood had been used for heating the court house. A year ago last summer, Mr. Clark got bids from several dealers in coal, and made a contract by which 89 tons were delivered in the bin at \$4.30 per ton, costing in all \$384.55. There was also used in starting fires, etc., wood to the amount of \$229.60. By careful experiment it has been estimated by several qualified persons that the wood necessary to heat the court house for the same period would have cost the sum of \$1,125, the saving by using coal being \$740.45 for the past year alone. This year, owing to the much higher price of coal, the saving only amounted to \$320.

It was of his own motion that Mr. Clark substituted coal for wood, and he is therefore entitled to the credit of saving the county \$330.55 for the two years in the matter of fuel.

County Items.

CHELSEA. The Taylor Bros. have shipped several carloads of apples.

Dealers here have been paying 90 cents per bushel for wheat, and the market has been lively.

The Herald calls on the city marshal to protect the village from bad sidewalks by ordering new ones.

The Herald says that dealers are paying from 40 to 60 cents per bushel for apples. Wouldn't "per barrel" be better?

From one pound of corn seed there was raised, on the farm of John Clark of Lyndon, 21 bushels of ears of corn. Four of the ears were selected which weighed six pounds.

Herald: Messrs. Tuttle & Millspaugh have built an apple evaporator, and are drying apples on the latest and most approved plan. They employ several hands, and are doing a big business.

Dexter. Miss Minnie Costello has again gone to New York to stay a year with relatives.

Dr. Elmore Palmer and family moved to Hubbardston, Iowa, county, this week.

Mrs. Henry Cleveland nee Allen, of Detroit, is visiting her mother in this place.

Rev. W. J. Campbell, the new M. E. preacher is becoming deservedly popular.

Rev. W. J. Campbell will preach next Sunday night, on the subject "Recent confutations of the Bible." Don't fail to hear it.

Amusements.

On Wednesday evening next, Jane Coombs, known throughout the land as one of the best lady actors upon the American stage, is to present the play of Romeo and Juliet at Hill's opera house. The

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Beal have been visiting friends in Iowa for the past two weeks. The annual renting of the M. E. Church pews will take place at the church on next Wednesday evening.

J. A. Keith, for a number of years assistant on the Leader, has quit the office, and Rev. C. A. Clark has taken his place. The M. C. R. B. is building a bridge across Mill creek, west of the depot. A large gang of men are employed laying the foundation.

One man in this village has made about fifty bets on the elections—both October and November—and lost or is going to lose one or two.

H. K. Farrand, it is said, has gone to Georgia on a prospecting tour. "Hank" has been in the hardware business here for some years.

In consequence of the sudden cold snap there were few church goers last Sunday at all the churches. At the Baptist church so few assembled that no services were held.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. of Washtenaw county, will be held here on the 27th and 28th inst. Mrs. O. B. Schuyler, of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. W. McAndrews, of Ypsilanti, will address the public meeting on Wednesday evening.

And still they come. The greenbackers nominated E. A. Nordman, of Lima, as a candidate for the legislature, at Chelsea last Saturday. The more the merrier. Gorman, McLaren and Nordman—"you pass your money and dakes your jice."

The ladies of this place being so successful with their leap year dance last winter, and also desirous of improving the fast fading leap year, have issued invitations for another dance at Costello's hall this evening. We are glad to see that the ladies appreciate this quadrangular privilege.

The musical entertainment given under the direction of Prof. W. A. Ogden, at Costello's hall last Saturday night, was not largely attended. Those who failed to attend missed something good, for it is highly spoken of by those who attended. It was for the benefit of the ladies library association.

We have in our midst a lady and genuine greenback club of 58 members, says the Leader. W. L. Keal, secretary of the D. W. G. C. (we won't stop to spell it out) says, in a card in last week's Leader, "that we are increasing in numbers here." Both the old parties try to make themselves believe that they are also increasing here. Some one must be losing or lying.

The Leader's editorial staff has been increased by the addition of James McNamara "as assistant local editor," as the Leader announces it. We are heartily glad to hear this. "Jim" has for some time contributed of his able articles to its columns. With two preachers in the office of the Leader, and a live reporter in town the paper should be all that could be asked.

Business Locals.

The German Cornet Band would like to inform their friends that they have reorganized, and are ready to furnish music on all occasions at a low price. The headquarters of the band will be No. 20 Washington street, and under the direction of the new leader Wm. Otto.

Agents and Canvasers. Make from \$25 to \$50 per week selling goods for E. C. Rippey & Co., 10 Exchange street, New York. Send for their catalogue and terms. 1000 1052.

WANTED.

To hire a teacher or business man of stamp and energy, 30 or 40 years of age or upward, to take orders for a thoroughly illustrated educational work having a large sale. Address, stating age and business experience, to W. B. STICKNEY, Publisher, 1010 Ann Arbor, Mich.

CHAMPION SHEET WAX.

Wholesale and Retail. Manufactured by MRS. E. A. BURLEY, Dealer in all kinds of WAXES, J. A. COOPER, 57 Michigan Avenue, opposite Central Station, DETROIT.

MONEY TO LOAN.

At seven per cent. Security must be on first-class farms in this county, or city property in Ann Arbor, in real estate, or in stocks and bonds.

FOR SALE.

A farm of twenty-one acres, with a good dwelling house on it, one mile from city limits. Require \$5000.

FOR SALE.

I have a good FLOURING MILL of four run of Weston, which I will sell or exchange for property in Washtenaw County.

FOR EXCHANGE.

I have a farm of 100 acres in the western part of the State, valued at \$6,000, which I will exchange for Ann Arbor City property.

ALL KINDS OF BLANKS.

PRINTED ON SHORT NOTICE AT THE COURIER JOB ROOMS.

Ditch Sale.

Notice is hereby given that whereas the work by me apportioned for clearing out the following described ditch or ditches has not been completed by the time prescribed by law, that the drain commissioner of the township of Trinidad, in the county of Washtenaw, will on Thursday, the fourth day of November, 1880, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, along the line of said ditch, near the residence of Wm. T. Morgan, in said township, let of the lowest responsible bidder or bidders the work of clearing out Miller's creek ditch, number one, and branches thereof, beginning on sec. three, and running southwest across sections nine, ten, (10), sixteen (16) and 17, to the north west corner of section (7), a distance of 715 rods. Also Norzate's branch of the north west 1/4 of south west 1/4, section sixteen (16), and running n. w. 1/4 corner of said Sec. 16, to the north west 1/4 corner of said Sec. 16, a distance of 340 rods more or less. The said ditch is 12 rods more or less. The depth of the ditch above mentioned ditches about one and one-half to one foot of depth. Profits and one cent shall be paid to the contractor. Profits and one cent shall be paid to the contractor. Profits and one cent shall be paid to the contractor.

It is now announced that Geo. J. Nisly of Saline, and Geo. H. Miles, of the Manchester Enterprise office, have entered into partnership for the purpose of publishing a weekly paper there. They expect to have the initial number out by the first of next month. That will make an even dozen papers in the county.

On Friday evening, Oct. 15th, a goodly number of the friends and relatives of the Clark Bros., gathered at the residence of Mr. A. M. Clark, to celebrate, not exactly the return of the "Prodigal Son," but the return of Mr. A. F. Clark, from a tour in the west, bringing with him a bride, the daughter of Dr. Wm. H. Rose, of Sioux Falls, Dakota territory. As she is a sweet little lady, accomplished, and withal a fine musician (from the St. Paul conservatory of music), all unite in wishing them all the joy and happiness that can be crowded into a complete home life.

Mr. Hermon has returned from his visit at the east.

A church social at Mr. Pestors on Wednesday the 27th inst.

Capt. E. P. Allen will speak at Barr's Hall next Saturday evening, 23d inst. All should hear him.

Mrs. Hemans who has been suffering with a cancer for some time was buried from the Methodist church last Wednesday. She was a woman highly respected and will be much missed outside of her family.

There will be union services of the Methodist and Presbyterian societies next Sunday when Rev. W. E. Dunning will present the temperance issue in its present attitude before the people. Voters especially invited.

Estate of Anthony Freeman.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the first day of October, 1880, the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty. Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Anthony Freeman, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Miranda Freeman, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that Jerome A. Freeman and John West may be appointed executors thereof, it was ordered, that said petition be read, and that said executors be appointed executors thereof, and that said executors be sworn to, and that they be qualified in due season.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Saturday, the twenty-third day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the said executors, legatees and

