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Charleston in 1860.

BY EDWARD G. MASON.

The handsome city, rising proudly from the bay, between its twin rivers, with its Battery Square at their junction, reminded us in situation of the great metropolis we had just left; but its beautifully shaded streets, its quaint old houses,—with wealth of veranda and balcony, standing at an angle to the street the better to catch the sea breeze, and surrounded by high-walked gardens,—its semi-tropical air, were all its own, and had no parallel North.

So, too, the multitude of negroes was a distinctive feature; and there was to us a great variety and novelty about the Southern specimens of the article. It was the custom to visit the public market in the very early morning, to see to the best advantages one of the sights of the place. Few were more attractive or more picturesque than the long building, filled with stalls of fruit and flowers, presided over by portly colored women wearing gay turbans, each one of whom was invariably addressed as "auntie." Again, the household servants, fully three times as numerous as in similar establishments at the North, were an amusing study. Their phenomenal slowness may be illustrated by a single incident. Our host, as we were going to drive, found no whip in the carriage, and said to the groom at the horse's head, "Sam, go to the stable, and bring me the whip!" "Yes, massa!" replied Sam, as he leisurely disappeared. Hardly was he out of sight, when the master aldr s ag another negro, said, "Tom, go and stir up Sam!" "Yes, massa!" answered Tom as he slowly followed in the wake of Sam. No sooner had he faded from view than our friend, in the most matter-of-course way, called to one more of his people, "Jim, you go and stir up Tom!" "Yes, massa!" was the obedient response, as the third messenger shuffled along the stable path. After we had waited long enough for a Northern man to make a whip, the three negroes returned together, the last sent carrying the desired article. And yet, despite such experiences, which must have been the rule of their daily life, the patience of the masters seemed never to fail, and their care of their servants, as we saw it, was something wonderful. In almost every house we visited there was a group of old and utterly useless slaves, who were maintained by their owner in comfort. The relation between the family and the servants of the house was one of friendship, and seemingly almost of equality.

The term "abolitionist" had evidently been used to alarm the blacks, and the younger ones, especially, were firmly convinced that it meant a terrible creature, intent upon evil to them. Some waggish youths spread the story among the African members of the households in which we visited that we were what they called "Bobolitionists." For some time our appearance at the gateway of any of these houses was the signal for the instant disappearance of the crowd of young negroes who but a moment before had been basking on the steps or on the piazza, or in the doorway; and our entrance to the mansion was enlivened by the frightened glances of the sooty images hiding behind hat-stands, or peeping around corners. On one occasion, when a specially bright young darkey had been sent for to give us a specimen of a plantation dance and song, he bolted at the parlor door, and firmly refused to enter the room, lest the "Bobolitionists" should carry him "Norf."

Very earnest efforts were made by our friends to convince us that the patriarchal institution was absolutely the best possible arrangement for the black men. In fact we even suspected, sometimes, that picturesque tableaux had been arranged for our particular benefit. After a dinner party, for instance, at which slavery had been demonstrated, from Scripture and nature alike, to be wholly right, and just at the point when our eloquent host was asserting that his negroes were treated like his own children, an apparently accidental drawing aside of the cloth revealed his little son and a black boy, each about six years of age, fast asleep in one another's arms, under the table.

There was, however another side to this matter, which could not escape our attention, although we were left to find it out for ourselves. The city of Charleston had at this time a population of forty thousand, almost equally divided between the two races. There were several large stone barracks in different parts of the city, each one a fort in itself. These were manned by policemen, drilled and armed as soldiers. The men were mainly of Irish birth, and were required to be unmarried and to live in the barracks. After sunset each block was patrolled by one member of this force, and a mounted guard was assigned to each three blocks. The signals and communications were perfect. The officers were graduates of the South Carolina military schools, and their discipline was rigid. At night the whole city was under martial law, so far as the blacks were concerned. Any negro found in the streets after nine in the evening, without a pass from his master, was arrested forthwith. At ten minutes before nine, a drummer in front of each police station began to beat the long roll, and the streets were full of colored men, women, and children, flying to their homes. During the last minute a succession of sharp taps was given and as these rang out the confusion increased. This was the opportunity for young and active darkies to have a little sport at the expense of the police It so happened that the duties of scavengers, about the market and other parts of the city, were performed by useful but unsightly birds, called buzzards. The negroes used to apply this name to the policemen, whose fiercest wrath was aroused by the unsavory title. A juvenile African, having, with masterly generalship, provided a safe line of retreat, would sally from his entrenchment just at the forbidden hour, dancing, turning somersaults, and shouting the hated name of buzzard, as the patrolmen came in sight. The maligned officials, after securing the gateway whence the offender had emerged, would close in upon him, apparently leaving no chance for escape, but at the critical moment, a sudden rush for tree, or vine, or some footway known only to the boy, would carry him safely over the garden wall, from which, as he disappeared from view, a parting cry of "Good-night, buzzard!" taunted the baffled pursuers.—Atlantic.

Bismarck, Pork and Sympathy.

Herr Lasker is dead. Herr Lasker was a German statesman, or something of the sort. It being a little dangerous to say much about him, lest Bismarck get mad we append "something of the sort" as a precautionary measure. Well, when the American Congress heard that Herr Lasker was dead, it set itself to "resoluting." This vice of resolving will be the death of this people yet. The occasion furnished such a capital opportunity to get in a s t of whereases and resolves, that Congress chuckeled over its cold tea, and began to shed tears of sympathy, smiling, however through the tears. It sympathized with Germany—there are dead loads of sympathy for Germany in this country, about this time—and with Bismarck upon whose neck the American nation would love to fall in loving posture, there being but one thing else that it would like better and that is that Bismarck should fall on his own neck. But Congress passed its resolutions of sympathy, baptised them with tears, engrossed them upon dusky-edged paper, tied them with a black ribbon, enclosed them in a mourning envelope and sent them to Bismarck. But Bismarck was not pining for sympathy. If the presentation had been a keg of lager beer, harmonious relations between the two governments could have been maintained. But sympathy was too intangible; and American sympathy is too thin anyhow. Bismarck would have none of it, and he hustled it back "to the house in which it originated" with a veto. It is the first time that a measure of Congress has been vetoed by a foreign potentate. But the veto came, and the measure cannot be passed over it. So we have a lot of second-hand sympathy on hand, and are unable to decide what to do with it. The only practical way that presents itself of getting rid of it, is to preserve it in alcohol, until somebody in Spain or the Sandwich Islands dies, and then take it out and mark on the back of the paper: "There are our feelings in your great bereavement." As to Bismarck, he gets no more sympathy from this part of the world. We would not sympathize with him, if he was dead himself. We will just leave him to plod on through the brambles of life, without the least encouragement from our Congress. He may now stand beside his new made graves and weep till he is blind. Not a word of cheer shall come from us. He has done some pretty mean things by this country, but he never hurt our feelings until now. He damaged our pork interests without the least cause, but we could forgive him that. But to refuse our sympathy is unpardonable. We are for war now. Let our mighty army be called from Montana and placed en route for the Rhine. Call our navy home, and send it plowing the briny deep, headed for Germany. If we cannot get it there by water, carry it overland. Bismarck will laugh himself to death as soon as he gets his eye on the combined army and navy of the United States, and the world will get rid of him. Then somebody will throw a tub of lager beer on our navy and blot that out, and altogether vast good will be done.

The whole matter is so ridiculous, so far, that it is enough to make a horse laugh. Congress has no business to pass such a resolution. Tom Ochiltree offered it, and without any reference to committee, it went through with a rush. It is now discovered that it really was insulting, in some sentiments, to those who did not agree with Herr Lasker. But Congress did not sympathize at all. It has no sympathy for anybody, dead or alive, and altogether the passage of the bill was a great absurdity. But it was no more absurd than its return was. It is charged that Bismarck was drunk. It looks as if all hands were drunk, Congress and Bismarck. Bismarck's conduct was very boyish.

But they do say that there is a serious side to the matter, that Bismarck is trying to insult us, and to finally close his ports against American commerce. What is the use of acting so much like a school boy, if that is what he wants? If he does not want us, let him shut the door, and pull in the string. We can stand that sort of thing as long as he can. One of his purposes is said to be to prevent German immigration. We, of course, should regret to have this cut off but if with costly living among the people, and hundreds of thousands desiring to immigrate together with Russia threatening trouble, Bismarck does not have more on hand to worry him than a ton of Congressional sympathy could we miss our calculations. —The Western Rural.

Washington Letter.

From our Regular Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1, 1884.

The Democratic House of Representatives could not well furnish more satisfactory campaign capital for the Republican party than by maintaining the even tenor of its present idle way. Nor is there any reason to suppose it will depart from the beaten path it has followed so closely for the past two months. The business of the session is in a discreditable state of backwardness. It lags—it stands still. There is lack of unanimity, want of cohesion, and a general appearance of hesitating uncertainty in the ranks of the majority. Time is wasted in frivolous talk, and digressions are made from the legitimate subject on every possible occasion. This disposition has been markedly noticeable during the past few days, which have been devoted to the discussion of the bill for a "Bureau of Animal Industry" to prevent the spread of contagious diseases among cattle. Members have been diverted in various directions; some, by very circuitous paths, into fields of partisan attack, while others have indulged in personal discourtesies or an interchange of pleasantries.

One of the first moves made in the Senate this week was to appropriate $100,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the recent tornado in the southern states. Senators Ransom, Brown and Pugh thought it a case clearly calling for the interposition of Congress, but Senator Harris said he would not vote a dollar out of the treasury for any such purpose, as he believed he had no constitutional power to do so, upon which Senator Brown inquired if there was any distinction between this case and that of the sufferers by the western floods.

The Senate committee on Appropriations is considering the matter now. The Senate passed the McPherson banking bill and has begun the debate on the proposed reconstruction of the Navy. The bill authorizes the construction of eleven steel cruisers, rams and torpedo boats. The necessity for an improvement in the Navy was ably shown by Senators Butler and Hale, who presented the inefficient character of our naval power when compared with the formidable establishments of other great nations. Others are ready to oppose the bill on the ground that American commerce needs no protection and that while a Navy would be an ornamental attachment to the government, it would be useless farther than to float the stars and stripes in foreign waters and give naval officers opportunities for European travel.

Among new measures offered in the House this week was one for the establishment of a Preparatory School at West Point for candidates seeking admission to the Military Academy. These are to be known as Provisional Cadets, and are to be given such instruction and military training as will qualify them to fill vacancies occurring in the corps of cadets. Another bill provides for the women who gave their services in military hospitals during the late war. And one proposes a constitutional amendment making the Presidential term six years, and rendering the President ineligible to re-election for the next succeeding term. It provides for a direct vote for President in each State, abolishes the electoral college, and fixes the term of Representatives in Congress at three years. The chairman of the Ways and Means committee reported a resolution which was adopted directing the Secretary of the Treasury to inform the House how much money is now in the Treasury of the United States, under what provisions of law it is retained there, and how much can at this time be applied to the liquidation of that part of the National debt now payable without embarrassing the department. The Senate passed the House bill repealing the test oath, after modifying it by an amendment that no person who held a commission in the United States army before the war, and was afterwards engaged in the service of the so-called Confederate States, shall be appointed to any position in the army or navy of the United States.

The next convention to be held in this city will be by the lively Association of Woman Suffragists and will begin on the fourth of March. The delegates and speakers who have already begun to make their appearance, say they expect to do a little something with Congress, and think the Senate Committee on Suffrage will make a report favorable to them. The great leader of the Suffragists, Susan B. Anthony, who has spent the winter in Washington, says they expect to have a very enthusiastic convention, and will at least accomplish a great deal in the way of agitation and education.

A "Falls Route" at Last.

There never yet has been, accurately speaking, a Niagara Falls route between the East and the West. There never yet has been a route by which the man from Kalamazoo, going back to see the folks "deown in Maine," could get a fair look at Niagara Falls from his train. We select the man from Kalamazoo for an illustration, not because we have any ill-will for the Gem City of Michigan; but because that euphoniously-named cross-roads happens to be situated on the Michigan Central Railroad. The Michigan Central is not the only road that has advertised all these years—ever since the Suspension Bridge was opened—to be the great and only Niagara Falls route. The public—up around Kalamazoo and Oshkosh, and thereabouts—is a confiding public. It buys its tickets for its annual Eastern trip "by the great Niagara Falls route," and starts for the East in happy anticipation of a view of the Falls that shall equal the pictures and descriptions which adorn the schedules of "the great Niagara Falls route." But, when it gets to Niagara River and finds that the only view of the Falls it has is a most unsatisfactory glimpse from a point a mile and a half down stream, little wonder that it feels its confidence has been abused, and that it comes to a unanimous verdict that Niagara Falls ain't no great shakes anyhow.

But at last—this very day—the Michigan Central Railroad Company opens a through east and west route which is honestly a Niagara Falls route, and which gives the tourist such full and leisurely opportunities to see Niagara Falls—without once leaving his seat—that a generous public may well accept the new provisions as ample atonement for all previous shortcomings. By the new route the traveler is not simply given a distant and obscure view of the Falls. He is taken down the river on the New York side. From Buffalo to Tonawanda he rides, much of the way, along the river bank, and can study the force and sweep of the great current. Then, as he rides along, he has a full view of the two great arms of the river that encompass Grand Island. Just before he reaches Niagara Falls village he can see the first break of the river into the upper rapids. He crosses the stream by the new cantilever bridge, and has a general view of the Falls which is better than that heretofore obtained from the old bridge, because it is a nearer view. Then he skirts along above the Canadian bank until "Falls View" is reached. This point of observation has heretofore been reached only by the Niagara City branch of the Canada Southern. It has not been on the East and West route at all. Now all through trains stop at "Falls View," which is really one of the finest views of the Falls anywhere to be had.

Certainly such a route may be honestly called a "Niagara Falls route," and the traveling public cannot be long in finding out the genuineness of its attractions. It only remains to add that by the new route, opened to-day, no through Michigan Central trains go directly East from the Falls, but come to Buffalo, thus securing the advantage of all the city connections, and at the same time making fast schedule time on the through route.—Buffalo Express, Feb. 14, 1884.

George W. Cable's Reading.

Gifted as Geo. W. Cable is as a novelist, and delightful as his writings always are, it is questionable whether both the author and his books are not more charming still, when, as a reader, the former gives additional life and color to his characters upon the stage. The second reading of the series which Mr. Cable is giving to New York audiencies took place last night at Chickering Hall. * * The scenes taken from "The Old Creole Days" and "The Grandissimes" in their author's hands were brimful of the most delicate humor, and the Creole-African songs were weird yet subtly tuneful, and needed not the apology the singer tendered for them. The first part of the programme, where the New Orleans novelist gave a delineation of "Jean-Ah Poquelin," the quaint old Creole, was hardly as enjoyable as that which followed. Later the reader seemed to warm to his work, every moment gathering more of the southern atmosphere around him, until at length the hearers too were away upon the bayou's sunlit waters and could hear the swish of the water as it parted before the bows of "Raoul Innerarity's boat The impersonation of the well-known, laughing, conceited but captivating Creole was perfect. The ready, quick wit and boundless impudence of "Innerarity" was desperately funny. Still more richly humorous, though of a quieter tone, was the discussion of civilization and the climate by "Aurora," "Clotilde" and "Frowenfield," taken also from "The Grandissimes." The picture was perfectly drawn. Each sentence filled in a new detail of color, each turn and twist of the triologue glittered with some irresistibly laughable conclusion. How Mr. Cable managed to be three persons at once is a mystery but the illusion was perfect, and the three Creole ladies and the druggist were as actually on the platform as if they had been there *in corpore* and not mere brain pictures presented with exquisite vocal skill. It was the same with other scenes. Mr. Cable took his characters bodily out of the mute print and breathed life into them; alluring landscapes filled the background, the lights and shadows fell evenly and in just proportion, so that no figure stood out too boldly, no perspective was faulty, but all was perfect harmony, and, in a word, nature itself. Mr. Cable is unique but not odd. The flexibility of his voice enables him to give infinite variety of expression. Though not of great power or compass, his voice is sweet and musical, whether it be heard in the reading of plain prose or in the singing of quaint "patois" songs. It is, to conclude, impossible to hear Mr. Cable and not be enchanted with him.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

In all ages and all countries the scales have been the emblem of justice. From this it is painfully evident that the fellows whose business it has been to get up emblems have never traded much at groceries and provision stores.—Lowell Citizen.

A Remarkable Parrot.

At Windsor, Vt., in the possession of Colonel M. K. Paine, there is a parrot whose story may be interesting to the boys and girls who read the *Journal*. It is a gray, African parrot, and at the time it was purchased in Boston was warranted to say a hundred words. But now he goes far beyond that, and has learned to vary sentences to suit the occasion. In the morning he greets the family with "good morning—pleasant morning," and then if no one pays any attention to him, he repeats it, in a gruff and imperative voice, until he gets a response. He imitates every sound that he hears, even the tones of the voices of individuals, so that members of the family in another room are often puzzled. His cat-fights are wonderful imitations. He picks up snatches of tunes, very easily, and learns to whistle whole tunes with good expression. Every luxury he calls a peanut. One day he lost a peanut through the wire floor in his cage. He tried in various ways in vain to get hold of it, and, after storming around his cage, he came near to it as he could, and, in a wheedling tone, said: "Good morning, peanut. "Don't you want to come up?" He is fond of playing with an almond, using it as a boy would a ball, throwing it up and shouting "Hello" or "Oh" if it happens to hit him on the head. As he throws it he calls out 'Hello, peanut." At night the canary bird's cage is put on the table by him, and he comes down from his perch as close as he can and calls in a tender tone, "Poor little pussy." That is his term for any pet. He often whispers in a confidential tone, and laughs at his own joke. He says: "How do you do? Is Polly well? Is Polly cold? What is the matter? What ails you?" etc. He has a great deal of curiosity about the telephone, answering "Hello!" and often calls out: "Whats the talk?" He likes to have his poll scratched, and in a cracked voice rings all sorts of changes on the sentence. "Do you want mother to scratch your poll?" He was heard to say to the cat: "Poor little pussy; do you want me to scratch your poll?" He remembers the family that he lived with formerly, and calls their names and says: "Where is the little boy? Has he gone to school?" He let out the fact that he had been accustomed to be punished. Sometimes he bites the wires of his cage, and makes them ring, and shouts: "Naughty, naughty Polly! Do you want the stick?" When he is punished he cries: "Get out! Go away!" and stands on one foot, and holding up the other turns it over and examines it. He shows a great deal of curiosity about what happens in the house, and one day watched the opening of a box, and said: "What are you doing there?" He calls himself pet names, such as "Polly Wolly." "You rascal." "You old scalawag, Polly." In a thunderstorm he was frightened and at a very loud clap he jumped on his perch, and in a human frightened tone cried out: "What's the trouble?" These are only a few specimens of the words and sentences that he has acquired, and he is constantly learning, and is often overheard practicing the words by himself. No idea can be given of the wonderful variety of expressive tones that he employs. His range is beyond that commonly used by ordinary people.—*H. M. Morey, in, Indianapolis Journal.*

Praying and Preying.

"Is a man safe from these fellows any place?"

"Well, it seems not. When they have the cheek to go right into the Y. M. C. A. room to try their bold schemes it does look like bold work."

The last speaker was a prominent iron manufacturer in this city, and being known to the *Herald* reporter, who had happened to overhear the remark, he was asked for the story.

"I was at a temperance prayer meeting at Farwell Hall one evening, and while there I spoke on 'Faith.' At the close of the meeting two well-dressed chaps stopped me as I was about starting for home, remarking that they wanted to congratulate me on my address. They had conducted a meeting on Lake street a few evenings before, they said, at which the topic had been the one I had just spoken on—'Faith.' One of them told me a little incident to illustrate the power of faith. He said he had needed money to pay his rent but hadn't a nickel. In his extremity he prayed for help. The next morning as he went down street a man tapped him on the arm and gave him sixteen dollars, just the amount needed to pay his rent, remarking that he looked like a man who needed money. The tale was pretty 'fishy,'" continued the speaker, "but before I had a chance to say a word the other fellow chimed in with the remark that he needed some money. I don't remember now what he wanted it for, but he said he had prayed for it the preceding night, also that morning, and, although he hadn't received the money, yet would continue to pray for it until it came. At this the first fellow thrust his hand down into his pocket and hauled up a bond, which he forced into the other chap's hands, telling him to raise money by pledging that as security, if the cash couldn't be raised any other way. Of course, the fellow at once suggested that I let him have fifty dollars, retaining the bond as security, but I didn't accommodate him, and a few days later I heard of the arrest of these same fellows for playing a confidence game somewhat similar. This is what made my friend and myself ask if there's any place on earth where these fellows can't be found."

And the gentleman deftly jumped on the platform of his car as it rolled past, leaving the gatherer of news to wonder, like himself, if confidence men were not apt to try their wiles upon good old St. Peter keeping the heavenly portals.—*Chicago Herald.*

—A fortnight ago a man walked into a German jeweler's shop in London, whose wife only was at the counter, and pocketed (as he thought, unseen by her) a couple of watches. Presently her husband entered, and, while the thief stood unconsciously at the door, thinking of what he should steal next, she gave in German a description of what had happened, to her spouse. Whereupon, without the least fuss, or so much as an unpleasant word, he beckoned a policeman and gave the one-languaged individual into custody.

Strange Occupations.

Several days ago I was called to New York on business, and spent considerable time in the Eastern portion of the city. While riding on a Third avenue horse-car, one morning, I casually glanced through the steam-dimmed window, and a strange sign, swinging to and fro in a cross street, caught my eye. Upon it in large, bold letters was this inscription:

SOCIETY FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF THE WEARING OF CLEAN SHIRTS.

As I was near my journey's end, I walked out to the rear platform and said to the conductor:

"I suppose you have often noticed that strange sign in the street below?"

"Yes, and almost every observing person who rides on my car sees it, too, and asks me what the meaning of it is. Now, I think that the sign tells the whole story, and explains the object of the society. Is there really a society of that name? Why, of course there is, and it has a big field to work in. A queer-lookihg chap, with gold spectacles on, saw the sign a day or two ago, and laughed as if he would split. He came out here and talked with me about it. 'There's an Englishman over here now, named Matthew Arnold,' says he, 'and he was formerly of the opinion that Americans changed their shirts only once a week. If he should get on this car point that sign out to him, and tell him it was hung out as soon as his views of this country were published.'"

"I suppose that is not the only amusing sign you see on your trip," I queried.

"Well, no. When I first started in this business, about two years ago, I thought that almost every one was pretty much after the same general pattern. Never thought much on the subject, you see. But all the sights I observe, and the queer stories I hear told, have opened my eyes. If you ever have a day to yourself and enough money for 'fares,' just ride up Third avenue and the Bowery with me a dozen or so times. What would you see? Well, what wouldn't you? Lots of sin and suffering; but plenty that is amusing. You could get any number of "wrinkles" for making money if you were smart. How do you suppose the thousands of persons whose homes are on this avenue make a living? Perhaps ninety out of a hundred are engaged in some trade, business or profession that you are familiar with, but the other ten scrape the dollars together by methods you could never dream of. Do you read the New York papers? Yes? Well, then, you have often seen articles about those who follow queer occupations,—picking up cigar stubs, to be made over into cigarettes; killing and dressing sparrows, to be served up in restaurants as reed birds. The reporters are sharp, but of course there are many little secret trades that they cannot get hold of. There is one person, a little further up the avenue, that you should call upon. No. Here is the place. Jump off and have a talk with her."

The car stopped for a moment, and I followed the advice of the talkative conductor. In a stairway leading to the upper floors of a dingy brick building was a sign reading as follows:

MADAME BLANK
COSTUMER,
N. B.—Black Eyes Painted Out, Naturally.

I mounted up the steps and found a duplicate sign on the door of the second floor front room. A knock brought a cheery response, and I entered. Without revealing my errand I made a small purchase to adorn a fictitious costume and began a conversation with the proprietress, remarking that I had seen her strange announcement on the sign, and asked if she had much business in "painting out black eyes."

"Well, I cannot say that I have a large business in that line, but still a number of persons with damaged optics apply to me in the course of a year. Those who receive black eyes, as a general rule, are not the people who are careful of their appearance. With many, a green shade will serve their purpose, and those whose eyes are blackened by accident frequently receive other injuries at the same time, and are compelled to remain home until the bruises are no longer visible."

"What class of people do you most often treat?"

"That is a question which I hardly know how to answer. I think, however, from the conversation of those who come here, that they are generally respectable young men, clerks, lawyers, and even gentlemen of leisure. My theory is, and it is pretty well borne out by the replies I receive to the few questions I propound, that a young man who is about to be married is compelled by the custom which has obtained in this city to go upon a sort of a "spree" with his bachelor friends just before the day of the ceremony. This is very wrong, of course, but the young men, now-a-days, have a way of doing things they should be ashamed of. A party of jolly fellows going from saloon to saloon, and often drinking to excess, are not unlikely to get into trouble. If they receive black eyes only, they are fortunate, for I have heard of cases where they lose their lives as well. When the groom wakes up on the morning he is to be married and finds one of his eyes in deep mourning, his feelings are not to be envied, I suppose. It is too late to postpone the ceremony and he does not care to walk up to the altar looking as he does. Then he comes to me and implores me to disguise his injury. I have frequently had young men in this condition offer me large sums if I would paint out the marks, but when I have done what they ask they forget their promises and try to beat me down on the small charge I make."

"Did you ever paint out black eyes for women?"

"In two cases only. Both of these women had been beaten by drunken husbands and tried to shield the brutes from the indignation of their friends." —*N. Y. Cor. Albany Argus.*

—A big man in San Francisco was asked what size in boots he wore. He grinned and said: "The last shoemaker that measured me said I wore one size smaller than the boot-box."—*San Francisco Call.*

The Ann Arbor Courier

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1884.

Short advertisements not to exceed three lines, of Lost and Found, Houses for Sale or Rent, Wants, etc., inserted three weeks for 25 cents. Situations wanted, free.

LOST—On State street, between Jefferson and Liberty, Thursday afternoon, a Delta Theta Phi pin. Finder is requested to leave the same at this office. 1185-1188.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Wishing to leave Ann Arbor I offer my place, 16 Packard street, very cheap if sold by April 1st, if not will rent the same.
1185 1189 JAMES W. HULBERT.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—A house on Miller avenue and 5 acres of land. Inquire at the house. JAMES KITSON. 1185-1191

FOR RENT.—Two story frame house and barn, No. 59 E. Huron street.
1185-1188. C. MACK, 54 S. Main St.

FARM FOR SALE.—Four miles west of Ann Arbor, on Dexter road. M. J. ST. CLAIR.

FOR SALE—House and Lot a store and lot separate or together very cheap. Good location for a German trade. Address T. H. Carson, Salem, Mich.

SITUATION WANTED—By a competent Engineer, of steady habits. Box 757, Ann Arbor.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Two houses, one new with furnace on cor. Ingall and Monroe streets; one near M. C. R. R. depot. Terms easy. S. D. ALLEN.
1183-1186

Chicago has both the Republican and Democratic National Conventions this year, the former on June 3, the latter July 8th.

At a recent meeting of the Republican State Central Committee in Detroit, it was decided to call the State Convention at Grand Rapids, April 24, when delegates will be selected to the National Convention at Chicago.

SOME TRUTHS.

Some level-headed editor has evolved the following, which is floating about among our exchanges. It is so exceedingly well put and will be of so much interest to many of our contributors that we are constrained to publish it entire:

"It is an unwritten law, well understood in journalism, that no editor is under the slightest obligations to give a reason for acceptance or non-acceptance of a manuscript. He is not called upon to write a private critique on the article to the author of it. His acceptance or rejection is an absolute and unquestionable fact. Among amateur writers this does not seem to be understood. All sub-editors and reporters understand that it is an unjustifiable impertinence to ask the managing-editor for reasons for not publishing any matter submitted to his judgment. Outside writers and aspiring amateurs rarely seem to comprehend this truth, and their transgressions are largely from ignorance rather than inattention. The nature of editorial work requires absolute power of decision in order to preserve the unities of the journal the editor conducts."

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

NEW ORLEANS, March 1, 1884.

Upon leaving Cincinnati the ride to Chattanooga is a pleasant one over the new road built by the city of Cincinnati as a commercial investment to bring southern trade. It cost twenty-one millions, yet the city has leased it for more than that, besides having the immense benefit of increased commerce. The scheme showed great foresight. It passes through some charming scenery, and along its line are many objects of note, such as the highest pier bridge in the world, the lovely blue-grass region about Lexington, the numerous tunnels and deep gorges in the mountains of lower Kentucky and Tennessee.

Our car running through to New Orleans is by day, a parlor car; by night, a sleeper and at meal-time, a hotel car, where is served almost everything, even to venison "jest shot right out hyar in the mountings by a right smart little niggah," as the porter informed us. This latter delicacy would have delighted an epicure, however, unfortunately we were not all epicures, and would have liked it better were it fresher.

Along the road, when we came to the small towns, all the female population would be standing in their doorways to see us pass and the male portion for miles around would be lounging about the depot "chawin' 'backer," whittling and staring. Their horses or mules would be standing saddled and tied along the fences. It was always a curious and numerous collection of quadrupeds, as everyone rides horseback.

A light snow-fall was observed as far down as the Tennessee line. In the latter state but little tillable land was seen from the cars because the land is too rocky along the road.

A day was pleasantly passed at Chattanooga in the ascent of Lookout mountain and viewing the National cemetery. I hired an intelligent colored boy to take me to the top of the mountain, six miles distant from the city. The road winds up the mountain side and is quite steep in places. On the summit are several hotels and a look-out house, from which the country for many miles can be seen. At the base winds the Tennessee river making a great bend nearly two thousand feet below us. From this lofty altitude one can see into seven states, viz: Tennessee, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Virginia and Kentucky. In this respect it is more wonderful even than the view from Mt. Washington, in the White Mountains.

In connection with this mountain it will be remembered by some of the older people of Washtenaw county how Mr. Southwick, then of Dexter, bought all of the top of Lookout for a speculation. Since then events have shown that it would have paid had he not taken in too much in his purchase.

The usual way is to come down by a different road from the one ascended. This passes some picturesque little cascades, and grottoes, while the view down the Tennessee river valley below is quite a little like that down the valley of the Rhone in Switzerland on the road from Chamounix to Matigny. To heighten the resemblance we could see snow on the Cumberland mountains just as in the latter case it is seen on the Alps.

A short distance out of Chattanooga is one of the many National cemeteries which are only too common in the South. The gate-way is lofty and constructed of stone like the arches of triumph in European cities. Below the frieze is the inscription:—

"Here rest in peace 12,956 citizens who died for their country in the years 1861 to 1863."

The grounds are spacious and well cared for. About the trim lawn and around the tomb-stones, (which are in line as were their tents at their former camping grounds), neat gravel roads wind and they are shaded by northern and southern trees.

The government owns and keeps this beautiful spot and thereby seems to say to her honored dead:—

"Your own proud land's heroic soil
Must be your fitter grave,
She claims from war his richest spoil;
The ashes of the brave."

They are the martyrs of Chickamauga, Lookout Mountain and Mission Ridge.

It is a night and day ride from Chattanooga to this city. For the most part the road runs through pine forests which are so open and clear as to be like groves in a park. The fires do not run through them, so the trees are green and flourishing, thus affording a strong contrast to the charred dead trunks in the pine districts of northern Michigan and Wisconsin. The plantations being large, houses are widely scattered and towns hardly have a chance to exist. In these open woods grass grows abundantly, and it would seem to be admirably fitted for stock and sheep raising. At a venture I had rather take the risks in the groves of Alabama and Mississippi than on the prairies of Iowa or Kansas, where the severe winter kills almost as many as a late spring can bring forth.

Much of the soil is red clay and the country is generally level, although where the railroad crosses the Tombigbee river there are chalk cliffs some twenty or thirty feet in height and as white as those of the south England coast. Few fences enclose the lands and game roams at pleasure, deer being not at all uncommon. Fields begin to be ploughed; birds to sing; flowers to blossom; overcoats to be thrown aside and windows to be left up to let in the soft, warm and fragrant breeze. "Spring, gentle Spring!" Turn loose the poet.

As the day ends we near the close of our journey and as we are crossing Lake Ponchartrain the sun sinks into the waters on the farther side. In connection with this setting of the sun I have noticed that on the North Atlantic it was often between three and four minutes from the time it seemed to touch the water before it was out of sight, while in this latitude it was gone in two minutes. Thus twilight here is not long and darkness comes quickly. With it we reached the Crescent city and at once started on the hunt for comfortable quarters. When we say it was Mardi Gras week we do not have to add that the city was full of strangers and the few hotels were crowded. There was no room at the inns so we fortunately found pleasant lodging in the quaint old French quarter of the city, within a stone's throw of Jackson square and in sight of the house of "Madame Delphine" and "Madame John," of which George W. Cable has so charmingly written and will soon tell you.

The Mardi Gras carnival is too much to describe in such hastily written notes as these. I leave it for my return home. Next week I hope to tell about the city and its sights.

JAY BEE.

The Common Council.

At the regular meeting Monday night the usual monthly reports were presented. From the city recorder's report amounts as follows are on hand of the several ward funds: First ward fund, $946.76; Second, $1,028.66; Third, $202.53; Fourth, $260.10; Fifth, $256.37; Sixth, $29.55. *Contingent fund on hand, $7,253.47; general fund, $729.72;* general street fund, $162.46.

A petition for acceptance of the new Union Hook and Ladder Company was referred to the committee on fire department.

A resolution to the effect that solar time be adopted as the official time of this city was carried.

The Council passed an ordinance relative to inflamable goods, which in substance is as follows: Section I. provides that no person or persons shall keep within the limits of the city of Ann Arbor naptha, benzine, gasoline or other like inflammable goods of an amount exceeding four gallons, excepting in such place or places as designated by the chief engineer of the fire department. Such articles shall be kept in closed metallic vessels in a secure place away from the fire or any burning light. Section II prescribes the penalty for violating or refusing to comply with the provisions stated, on receipt of written notice from the chief engineer of the fire department. On conviction, persons are liable to a fine not to exceed $50 and costs, and in default of payment imprisonment in the county jail for a period not exceeding 90 days is enforced.

Coming Events.

At the Opera House on Monday night, the 10th inst., G. W. Cable, under the auspices of the Bicycle Club, will give one of his charming readings. Prof. Geo. S. Morris, of the University, had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Cable in Baltimore, and has the following to say of him: Mr. G. W. Cable is a delightful reader of his own delightful works. The entertainment he gives is at once refined and charming. With rare dramatic ability he renders his impersonations or his own characters startlingly full of life. In the Eastern cities he has achieved an instant and extraordinary success."

Real Estate Transfers.

Michel Staffen to Hiram Lighthall, Chelsea, lot	$1,500.
Densmore Cramer to Mary E. Stevens, Ann Arbor, lot	3,800.
Mary E. Stevens to Densmore Cramer, Saline lot	1,200.
Owen Gallagher to Richard C. Dolson, Ypsilanti, lot	1,200.
Chas. H. Smith to O. T. Leland, Northfield, 40 acres	1,700.
Wm. Burtless to Victor Markle, Manchester 40 acres	1,100.
Eva Sondheim to Warren W. Tozer, Ann Arbor, lot	2,000.
A. M. Doty to Henry Brown, Ann Arbor, 100 acres	8,000.
James R. Liddel to James Barney, Saline, 80 acres	4,800.
Geo. P. Glazier to Frank P. Glazier, Chelsea lot	6,251.
Casper E. DePuy to Geo. P. Glazier, Chelsea lot	2,083.
Eva E. Blake to Merrit W. Blake, Ann Arbor lot	2,500.
Geo. W. McCormick to Christian Tackemann, Salem, 15 acres	1,050.
Henry Merkel to Michael Merkel, Sylvan, 80 acres	6,000.
Henry Gothardt to Michael Klager, Saline, 50 acres	3,500.
E. M. LeBaron to Jno. M. Gaklee, Saline, 38 acres	3,000.

COUNTY ITEMS.

DEXTER.

At the charter election held at Dexter on Monday the entire Democratic ticket was elected as follows, excepting recorder, for which office Frank F. Taylor, on the citizens' ticket, was elected: President, C. S. Gregory; treasurer, H. C. Gregory; trustees, E. Jedele, L. H. Jones, and J. Kearns; assessors, H. Ide and B. C. Whitaker.

MANCHESTER.

From the Enterprise.

Charles Sanford is getting ready to start a creamery.

The Soulsville dam came near washing out on Monday morning, but prompt action saved it.

Entertainments.

When Geo. W. Cable gave a reading in Brooklyn last December Rev. Henry Ward Beecher in announcing the same from his pulpit on Sunday morning preceding the lecture said: "I give notice of this, not because it is for any charitable purpose, but because I am very glad to mark, and to ask you to observe, the fact that our literary treasures are not confined to the North, nor to the Middle States, nor are they all Yankee blood. Next Friday and Saturday evenings are to be given to the New England Societies of Brooklyn and New York, when we shall prove that there is nothing good on the face of the earth that did not come from New England blood. But until this is proved it is worth your while to believe that God has made some smart men somewhere else besides in New England and the Middle States. After the period of separation between the North and South, now happily passed, it ought to be a pleasure to every generous man to greet every returning sign of amity and friendship. When a man, born and bred in the South, has, under the providence of God, developed great literary talent, especially given to America an entirely new vein of dramatic interest, and brought it out with delicacy and richness, and with very great power, as Mr. Cable has—all of whose works I believe I have read, and read with the utmost relish and delight—when such a man appears among us, our hospitality ought to be so marked that there shall be one man, at any rate, from the South, who will admit that Yankees have got hearts, and that they are not cold. Besides all this, if you want to know what an enjoyable evening is, go, just for the sake of enjoyment." The citizens of Ann Arbor, through the Ann Arbor Bicycle Club, will have an opportunity to hear Mr. Cable at the Opera House next Monday night, when as part of the entertainment he will give readings from "The Grandissimes," "Old Creole Days," and "Dr. Sevier," his own works.

In Memoriam.

The following came to hand too late for last week's issue. By request we give it space this week:

Many of the older graduates of our High School will be saddened to hear of the death of one of their number, Mrs. Della A. Dickinson, formerly Miss Della A. Hotchkins, of this city. Miss Hotchkins graduated from our school with honor in the class of 1863 being not only a fine scholar, but also particularly noticeable for her poetical talent, which manifested itself during her school days in a variety of poems both grave and humorous, many of them of much merit.

Her graduating poem entitled "Chivalry" was greatly admired, and of such marked excellence, that, by special request, it was published in one of our leading city papers of that time, "The Ann Arbor Journal."

Not long after leaving school Miss Hotchkins was married to Mr. C. S. Dickinson, and has since resided in Shiawassee county, where her death occurred.

Since her marriage, though necessarily much occupied with domestic cares, she has yet found time for occasional literary work, her poems appearing from time to time in the journals of the county where she lived.

At its last meeting held in June, 1883, the alumni association of the High School chose Mrs. Dickinson to deliver the poem before them at their next meeting, to be held the coming June; and it was hoped she would respond to the invitation and be present with them on that occasion. This hope, however, is frustrated by the sad intelligence of her death.

In her death, also, our school loses one of its most talented lady graduates, and one of whose scholarship and attainments it may ever be justly proud. COM.

Honor immortalizes more than glory. Lesgillon.

When You Feel Blue

and your back aches, and your head feels heavy, and you wake unrefreshed in the morning and your bowels are sluggish or costive, you need Kidney-Wort. It is nature's great remedy and never fails to relieve all cases of Diseased Kidneys, Torpid Liver, Constipation, Malaria, Piles, Rheumatism, &c. It operates simultaneously on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, strengthening them and restoring healthy action. Sold by all druggists.

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NEW CUSTOMER.—"I don't so much care what the things are made of, you know. All I want is to look like a gentleman." Tailor (with uncalled for diffidence)—"Well, sir, I can assure you that I will do my very best."—Punch.

Sugar in New Guinea is dirt cheap. Here it is sand dear.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the window, and I got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did her everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested. C. L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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THE PROSTRATION which follows Diphtheria, and the persistency with which it clings to the patient, are well known to all who have had any experience with this terrible disease.

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"Kidney-Wort has done me more good than any other remedy I have ever taken." Mrs. J. T. Galloway, Elk Flat, Oregon.

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Gents—I feel it my duty to recommend your wonderful medicine—"Rheumatic Syrup"—to all who are suffering with rheumatism, neuralgia or kidney difficulty.

I have been a great sufferer with rheumatism, caused by kidney difficulty, and have been treated by our best physicians, but they failed to reach my case or benefit me in the least.

I saw in the Auburn papers the names of a number who had been permanently cured by the use of Rheumatic Syrup and being acquainted with many of them, I was induced to try it, and to my surprise I found that all pain had left me before I had finished the first bottle. I continued its use for a time and to-day, I am as well as ever and feel no more pain or trouble with my kidneys. It has been several months since I discontinued its use, so I know it is a permanent cure in my case.

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'Tis Castoria.

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What cures their colic, kills their worms,
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March 1st, 1884. 6m

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AT ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN,

At the close of Business Jan. 7, 1884.

Made in accordance with the General Banking Law of Michigan.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$107,116 09
Overdrafts	248 08
Furniture and Fixtures	3,377 00
Expenses	150 00
Checks and other Cash Items	1,317 56
Due from Banks and Bankers	33,307 16
Legal Tender and Bank Notes	7,306 00
Bonds, U. S.	3,500 00
Bonds, Local	885 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	530 25
	$157,588 64

LIABILITIES.

Capital paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus Fund	666 39
Profit and Loss	38 19
Due Depositors	104,424 06
Dividends unpaid	2,500 00
	$157,588 64

I do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM A. TOLCHARD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this eighth day of January, 1884.
WM. W. WHEDON, Notary Public.

Knee plus ultra—the ballet girl's skirt.—Life.

Cause and Effect.

At times symptoms of indigestion are present, uneasiness of the stomach, &c., a moisture like perspiration producing itching at night, or when one is warm, cause the Piles. The effect is immediate relief upon the application of Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which costs you but 50 cents and is sold by Eberbach & Son.

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When you have the Itch, Salt Rheum, Galls, or Skin Eruption of any kind, and the Piles, that you know without being told of it. Eberbach & Son, the Druggists, will sell you Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy for 50 cents, which affords immediate relief, and is a sure cure for either of the above diseases.

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"How much better you look, Mr. S." "Yes, I have gained 32 pounds on Hall's Catarrh Cure. Have not felt so well in 20 years. It has made a complete cure and is worth $50 a bottle to any one that has the Catarrh. Sold by Eberbach & Son.

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"Rough on Rats." Clears out rats, mice, roaches, bed-bugs, flies, ants, moles, chipmonks, gophers. 15c.

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Infallible, tasteless, harmless, cathartic, for feverishness, restlessness, worms, constipation. 25c.

Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, Francis Roney, and Malvina Roney, of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, on the twenty-third day of November, A. D., 1882, executed a mortgage to Catherine Ryan of the same place, to secure the payment of certain principal and interest money therein mentioned, which mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw aforesaid, in Liber 64 of mortgages, on page 75, on the day last aforesaid. And whereas, default has been made for more than twenty days in the payment of an instalment of interest which became due on the twenty-third day of November, 1883, by reason whereof, and pursuant to the terms of said mortgage, the principal sum named in said mortgage, of two hundred and fifty dollars, with all arrearage of interest thereon, at the option of the above named mortgagee, became due and payable immediately thereafter, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, became operative. And the said mortgagee does hereby declare it her option, and does hereby elect to have the principal sum named in said mortgage and all interest therein become now due and payable. And whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable as aforesaid, upon the said mortgage and the note accompanying the same, at the date of this notice, the sum of two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and twenty cents, (269,20), in addition to all the other legal costs provided for in said mortgage. And no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover the aforesaid sum, or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given, that said mortgage will be foreclosed on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the east door of the Court House in the city of Ann Arbor, in the county aforesaid, (said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said county) of the mortgaged premises, described in said mortgage, or so much thereof, as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of principal and interest remaining unpaid upon said mortgage, with the costs of foreclosure aforesaid, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate and being in the city of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan and described as follows, to wit:

All that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Brown and Fuller's addition to the said city of Ann Arbor, according to the recorded plat thereof, known, bounded and described as follows:

Commencing on the easterly side of Wall street, one hundred feet from Broadway, thence northeasterly at right angles to Wall street, thirty-four and one-half feet, thence easterly parallel with Wall street twenty-six feet, thence at right angles with Wall street to Wall street, thence north-westerly on Wall street twenty-six feet to the place of beginning. CATHARINE RYAN, Mortgagee.

E. D. KINNE, Attorney for Mortgagee.
Dated, Dec. 28, 1883. 1176-88

Real Estate for Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Schnabel, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of of the estate of said deceased, by the Hon. Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1884, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased in the Township of Saline, in the County of Washtenaw, in said State of Michigan, on Wednesday, the fifth day of March A. D. 1884, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased), the following described real estate, to-wit:

The north-east quarter of the south-east quarter of section number thirty-six, in town four south, range four east, (Bridgewater) in Michigan, containing forty acres of land, be the same more or less. Also a strip of land of uniform width to be taken from the south end of the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter of the said section thirty-six in town four south, range four east in Michigan, containing five acres and three fourths of an acre (5¾) of land, and lies north of and adjoining the parcel of land above described. Also the west half of the south-west quarter of section number thirty-one (31), and the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter of said section number thirty-one (31), excepting thirty acres from the north end thereof, heretofore sold and deeded to John Sutton, leaving of the two last mentioned parcels 84 and 50 100 acres of land, be the same more or less, and being in township number four south, range number five east (Saline) in Michigan.

PAUL SCHNABEL,
Administrator.
Dated, January 12, 1884. 1178 84

Estate of Aaron F. Gay.

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 Saturday, the sixteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four. Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Aaron F. Gay, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary L. Gay, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to herself Edwin W. Gay, or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the seventeenth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Ann Arbor, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor *Courier*, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy.) WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, Judge of Probate.
WM. G. DOTY Probate Register. 1183-1186

BOOTS AND SHOES!

Ladies' Dongora Kid Hand-turned Shoes. French and Curco Kid Balls at all prices. French Goat, Tampica Goat, and in fact everything new in the shoe and slipper line.

HANAN & SON'S

Celebrated Gent's Shoes, in all the newest shades of cloth tops, seal and patent leather trimmed, with Needle, Toothpick, and Opera Toe. A Large and Stylish line of Medium Grade Gent's Shoes. Also a light easy Shoe adapted to middle aged gentlemen. Kid and Patent Leather Dancing Pumps. Rubbers of all kinds, Kip Boots, Children's Shoes, Boy's Shoes and Pumps.

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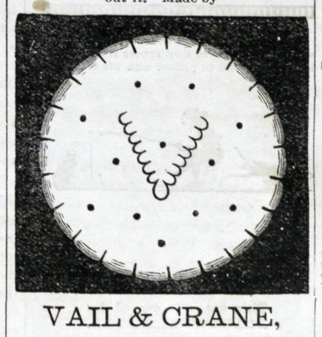

VAIL & CRANE,
DETROIT, - MICH.

Real Estate for Sale.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Archibald Scott, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1884, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the late residence of said deceased, in the township of Lima, in the county of Washtenaw, in said State, on Saturday, the first day of March, A. D. 1884, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day (subject to all incumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased) the following described real estate, to wit:

The north half of the southwest quarter of section two (2), and all that part of the west half of the northwest quarter of said section which lies south of the Michigan Central Railroad, excepting from the last named parcel one and one-half acres in the northeast corner thereof, occupied by the Michigan Central Railroad Company. All in town two (2), south range four (4) east (Lima) in Michigan.

GEORGE S. SILL,
Administrator.
Dated, Jan. 18, 1884. 1175-84

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Three per cent. interest is allowed on all Savings Deposits of one dollar and upwards, according to the rules of the Bank and interest compounded semi-annually. Money to Loan on unincumbered real estate and other good security.

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CHRISTIAN MACK, WM D. HARRIMAN,

The Ann Arbor Courier

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1884.

Closing and Opening of Mails.

Mails leaving Ann Arbor, East and West, will close as follows:

GOING WEST.

Through and Way Mail.....8:10 and 10:25 a. m.
Way Mail between Ann Arbor and Jackson.....4:25 p. m.
Night Mail.....7:35 p. m.

GOING EAST.

Through and Way Mail, Night Line, 7:35 p. m.
Through & Way Mail, 6:40, 10:00 a.m., 4:25 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

Toledo Pouch.....6:50 a.m., 2:15 p.m.
Toledo and Way.....2.40 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

South Lyon and Northern.....9.35 a. m.
Wabash, Whitmore Lake & Hamburg 9.05 a. m.

MAILS DISTRIBUTED

Eastern Mails distributed at 7.20, 10.50 a.m., and 6:50 p. m.
Western Mail distributed at 9.00, 11.20, 7.20 p. m., and 6:50 p. m.
Jackson Mail and Way Mail between Jackson and Ann Arbor distributed at 11:15 a. m.

Fraternity Lodge No. 262 F. & A. M.

Regular communications held in Masonic Hall on Wednesday evenings on or before the full moon.

Visiting Brothers cordially welcome.

C. B. DAVISON, W. M.

W. F. STIMSON, Sec.

Friends of The Courier, who have business at the Probate Court, will please request Judge Harriman to send their Printing to this office.

LOCAL.

15,740!

Circuit Court convened yesterday morning.

Yesterday was pension day at the Clerk's office.

Goodrich & Guinon open out about the middle of the month.

Seventeen persons united with the Congregational church last Sunday.

Considerable wood is coming over the Toledo road to this city from Dundee.

A new lumber yard will be started soon at the corner of Main and Madison streets.

The witnesses in the Sophie Lyons case have been summoned to appear on Monday next.

But a single arrest made during February as per Mr. Nowland's report to the Council Monday night.

The room on Huron street recently occupied by the Imperial Tea store is being occupied by a new firm.

J. L. Stone, of the St. James, will rent the Leonard House and manage it in connection with his present location.

On to-morrow evening Golden Rule Lodge presents Mr. B. F. Watts with a beautiful Knight Templar's jewel.

On the seventh of last month the Savings bank received $511,533.50 in deposits, the largest of any one day this year.

Titus Hutzel & Co., secured their stolen horse and bobs in Detroit, and brought them home Thursday. Nothing yet as to the thieves.

On the lot on the corner of Fifth and Liberty streets recently purchased by Messrs. J. G. and J. Koch, only the former will build the coming summer.

About $800 of the Ann Arbor city tax is uncollected, most of which will probably be returned by Treasurer Schuh this week. Some $59,000 have been collected in all.

Amounts as follows were distributed among the poor in the different wards during the last month: Frst ward, $36.-88; Second, $15.27; Third, $80.68; Fourth, $53.33; Fifth, $42.88. Total, $229.04.

Monday night Washtenaw chapter, No. 6, of Royal Arch Masons, presented Mr. W. G. Doty with a handsome past high priest's jewel valued at $100. The present is a beauty.

The old black horse so long on the express wagon here was purchased by Fred Hutzel, about three miles in the country, for $70, and was not transferred to Chicago as anticipated.

The committee reporting last week as to contributors to the Ohio fund from the first ward are informed that the name of Prof. W. W. Beman should have appeared in place of Prof. Demmon's.

Who saw Col. McLaughlin win two falls out of three, and the championship, over H. M. Dufur at Detroit Monday night? The Colonel received $3,200, this amount being the house receipts of $2,-495.50, plus $1,000 from Mr. Dufur less the expenses.

Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 4 P. M., have been fixed upon as the times for holding regular services at St. Andrew's church during Lent. The confirmation class will be met on Saturdays after the four o'clock services instead of on Sunday, as stated last week.

The death of Charlie Ross last Saturday on N. Main street was supposed at first to have been from typhoid fever, but a post-mortem examination on Sunday morning led the physicians to believe that his death resulted from being hit on the forehead, in play, by a snow ball one day last week.

Harry F. Sayles, the Evangelist and singer who has been conducting meetings of late in Detroit, Battle Creek, Mason and other places, with much success, commences a period of labor in the Baptist church here Sunday next. There will be meetings during the week each afternoon at 4 o'clock and each evening at 7:30. All are invited to attend and participate in these services.

If the weather permits, our citizens may expect a bicycle parade Monday afternoon in anticipation of Mr. Geo. W. Cable's appearance at the Opera House the same evening, under the club's auspices. By the bye, a twenty-five dollar silver-plated bugle is on the way for the use of the club's bugler. If it arrives in time, it is to be used on the Monday parade. There are thirty or more wheels in the city, and they will make a fine display if they are able to appear.

In conversation with one of our citizens yesterday we were asked concerning some difficulty that has arisen in the High School now pending action and decision. Perhaps it is apropos to remark in this connection that if a pupil should publicly declare one of his teachers to be a liar, and if the same teacher should be referred to somewhat similarly in public by one in authority, it would suggest that public sentiment may expect an investigation.

Extract from a conversation between two strangers one day last week on the Detroit evening express, as the train pulled out of the city: "Isn't that a horrible depot for a place that has as much passenger business as Ann Arbor?" "Yes. I wonder why the Central doesn't put up a decent structure at that point." Everybody else wonders about the same thing. If any city along the line is in great need of a first-class depot, it surely is Ann Arbor. Will it ever come!

At St. Andrew's Episcopal church last Sunday evening Doctor Pitkin delivered the introductory discourse of a series of six Sunday evening lectures on the general subject, "Jesus before his Judges." Beginning next Sunday evening the remainder of the series will be given in the following order of subjects: "Jesus before Annas," "Jesus before Caiphas and the Sanhedrim," "Jesus before Pontius Pilate," "Jesus before Herod," and "Jesus before Pontius Pilate the Second Time".

The Bicycle Club of this city contemplate holding in Ann Arbor, in May probably, a Grand Bicycle Tournament, when some splendid and costly prizes will be offered for the contests, in order to bring quite a number of first-class wheelmen from a distance. For the purpose of securing a fund to meet the heavy expenses of such a tournament, which, indeed, is a matter of no little interest to our citizens from several points of view, the club has secured Mr. Geo. W. Cable for a reading in this city next Monday night.

Something over one hundred were in attendance at this morning's meeting in the court room of the county mass convention in the interests of the Union party. O. R. L. Crozier, of Ann Arbor town, was made temporary chairman, and R. C. Reeve, Dexter, secretary. On resolution committees were appointed by the chair as follows: Permanent organization, Levi S. Miller, Dexter, R. Gates, J. B. Saunders, Ann Arbor, Samuel Parsons, Ypsilanti, and Alfred Miller, Saline; Order of Business, B. J. Conrad, Ann Arbor, Wilford Thompson, Salem, and Jacob Hicks, Lodi; Resolutions, D. B. Taylor, Chelsea, M. F. Guinon, Ann Arbor, and Rev. Schank, Dixboro. The committee of five on county organization was not announced by the chair at this morning's session. A resolution was adopted "that women be invited to take seats in this convention and to take part in its deliberations." The convention then adjourned until 1:30 this afternoon.

There were probably three hundred people on hand Saturday afternoon to learn the result of the guesses on the jar of beans at Blitz & Langsdorf's. The committee consisting of M. C. Peterson, Dr. Darling, B. B. Morgan, J. Benedict, J. Bohn, A. Reynolds and C. W. Kellogg was appointed by those in attendance for the purpose of making the count, about thirty-five minutes being occupied in the same. The count showed 15,740 the number of beans in the jar. C. P. Carey, guessing 15,739, got the buggy, and G. W. Harrell, whose estimate was 15,750, received the wagon. Both gentlemen are residents of this city and both took away their property Monday. The wildest guess wass 200, 500, but the beans were not turned over to the person making the same. General satisfaction is expressed on all hands by the interested parties. The committee counting the beans was tendered a supper by Messrs. Blitz & Langsdorf Saturday evening.

The Toledo and Ann Arbor railroad have this week favored us with one of their new and very nicely illustrated cards. It is framed in maple making a picture about 25x35 inches. In the central portion of the group is a full length picture of a train going into Toledo over the long approach bridge. In the upper right-hand corner we find a trio of buildings, the University Museum, the Main Building, and Gov. Ashley's residence in this city. The upper left-hand corner is devoted to a cut of a train passing over the Huron river bridge. Between these two corner groupings are three vignettes, representing "Miss Ann Arbor," Pontiac and Uncle Remus. In the lower left-hand corner we have illustrated "The meeting of Dilsey Ann and Uncle Remus," in the Toledo depot. Balancing this, in the opposite corner to the right, Miss Ann Arbor is introducing Uncle Remus to Uncle Sam. The lower center of the card is occupied by the time table and a cut of the tri-state elevator at Toledo. The picture is well adapted to the purpose for which it is published.

The Circuit Court.

TUESDAY.

Harrison H. Ballard vs. Almeron S. Mathews et al., petition that cause be removed to U. S. circuit court. Order granted.

D. C. Griffin vs. Lewis P. Moore et al., judgment for plaintiff.

The People vs. Oliver Rose, larceny, leave granted prosecuting attorney not to file information.

The People vs. Frank Sharpey, perjury, leave granted to file reasons for not filing information.

In the appeal of Mary C. Emerson concerning the admission to probate of will of William Morton, continued on motion of appellant.

Agatha Helber vs. Augustus Bond, judgment for $323.80 by consent.

Wm. P. Owans vs. Rebecca W. Owans, divorce. Decree granted.

Joel W. Hamilton vs. Geo. E. Frothingham, assumpsit. Order that security for costs be filed.

The People vs. Geo. Near, forgery, three cases. Plea, not guilty.

The People vs. Wm. Smith, larceny. Plea, guilty.

The People vs. Wm. Loranger, larceny, three cases. Plea, not guilty. E. B. Norris assigned to defense.

The People vs. James Eaton, larceny, three cases. Plea, not guilty. E. P. Allen assigned to defense.

The People vs. Wm. H. Brooks, larceny. Plea, not guilty. J. T. Honey assigned to defense.

The People vs. Patrick Welsh, malicious injury to dwelling. Prosecuting attorney files reason for not filing information.

The People vs. Jacob Fischer, assault and battery. E. B. Norris assigned to defense.

The People vs. John Doe alias John Perry, obtaining money under false pretenses. E. D. Kinne assigned to defense.

WEDNESDAY.

August Hutzel et al. vs. Joel W. Hamilton. Judgment, $282.55.

Studebaker Bros. Mfg. Co. vs. George Armstrong. Judgment, $2,005.70.

Court adjourned until 9 o'clock Thursday morning.

PERSONALS.

Miss Ella Daniels is visiting friends in Alpena.

A. T. Bruegel, of Manchester, is in the city to-day.

F. A. Travis left Friday on a business trip to Ohio.

A. B. Henion, of Dundee, was in the city yesterday.

C. E. Holmes, of Toledo, spent Sunday in the city.

Ben. Martin, of Bay City, was in the city over Sunday.

Miss Walker, of St Johns, is visiting relatives in the city.

Rev. S. Reed and Mr. Shier, of Flint, were in town Monday.

John Keck is in New York, having left on his eastern trip last Thursday.

Levant Heckley, of Batavia, N. Y., is visiting George Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Hall left the early part of the week for New Orleans.

Miss Puckett on Monroe street entertained the Unity club Monday night.

A lady from Windsor, Ontario, is visiting at Mrs. Sheehan's on Madison street.

G. M. Monroe, for some time in Virginia, is home for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. G. T. Jenkins and daughter, of Flint, are the guests of Mrs. B. F. Watts.

Mr. Witherby, of Andrews & Witherby, was in Dexter Monday on business.

Dr. Breakey attended the commencement of the Detroit Medical College last week.

J. C. Stevens is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Burdette, at Fowlerville, this state.

Mrs. C. F. G. Meyer and son, of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting Christian Mack and family.

Miss Kittie Fohey succeeded Miss Mary Kennedy at the central telephone office last Saturday morning.

H. M. Woods, R. S. Armstrong and H. S. Holmes represented Chelsea on the Cook House register yesterday.

S. Crawford, who fell last week and received injuries on the face, was "repaired" by Dr. Darling and is now O. K.

J. J. Goodyear and wife visited Dexter one day last week, Mr. G. to estimate a stock of drugs in the interest of Dr. Lee.

Mr. Moon, of Muskegon, and Miss Weeks, of Napoleon, visited with Mrs. Tuttle Monday, returning home on yesterday.

Mrs. Louis Blitz and Miss Pauline Kaichen, of Detroit, are expected here soon to make a short visit with Mr. Blitz and family.

Mrs. L. A. Howe left Monday morning for Findlay, O., to visit her sister Mrs. Morgan, who fell recently and sustained quite an injury.

From an exchange we notice that Miss Lizzie Hunt, of this city, who is teaching at Tecumseh, paid Mrs. Corbin, of Dundee, a visit recently.

Jacob Berolheimer, formerly in business in Ann Arbor, was here last week in the interest of a Kalamazoo house. Mr. B. is a resident of the latter place.

Joe. T. Jacobs and son leave to-day for Florida and will probably be away several weeks. Mr. Jacobs expects to meet J. E. Beal Sunday in Jacksonville, Fla.

Rev. Geo S. Hickey, of Iowa, has sold to Joseph T. Jacobs, of Ann Arbor, lot 22 on Jay street, between Cass and Second, for $4.500.—Detroit Evening Journal, Mar. 4.

Mrs. Chapin, of Detroit, is stopping with Mrs. Chapin on William street for a short time, on her way home from a nine days' visit with relatives in Chicago.

Louis Blitz, of Detroit, who attended the Phi Delta Phi banquet at the St. James Friday night, remained over until Monday, paying a visit to his brother S. S. Blitz and family.

Harry Hawley and Emmet Robison went to Detroit Friday night to see Fanny Davenport in "Fedora." The former returned Saturday and Mr. R. on Monday.

C. A. Fellows, who will be remembered as formerly with H. J. Brown & Co., but now of Big Rapids, reports the arrival of a baby girl at their home recently.

Mr. Smalley, whose hand was severely injured some time since by being caught in cog-wheels at the city mills, is reported as getting on very nicely, though he hasn't made up fifteen pounds' weight yet which he lost in the effect of the accident upon him.

We learn that Dr. Williams is moving to Ann Arbor. While here he has been a useful citizen, an active member of the Baptist church, and at present Superintendent of the Sunday school. There will be much regret at his going.—Ypsilanti Commercial.

Miss Mary Kennedy, who has been an operator in the Ann Arbor telephone exchange for over three years, retires this week. She has been a great favorite with all who had business on the line and we regret that we are to lose her.—Manchester Enterprise.

R. E. Frazer, formerly of our city, is one of the counsel for defendants Daniel S. Holcomb and Jud Crouch, arrested last Saturday afternoon at Jackson for the murder of Jacob D. Crouch, Henry White and wife, and Moses Polly, November 21, 1883. The examination of the defendants will be held on Friday next.

UNIVERSITY ITEMS.

Will '84 call on Maggie this week?

The Argonaut appeared in a new colored cover last Saturday.

The Tennis club is preparing for a gay time on the opening of spring.

Mr. Porter, who sprained his ankle wrestling a few weeks since, is out again.

Emery Storrs disappointed the Lecture Association last week in not filling his date.

The Pharmacy class of '84 have ordered their class pins from Roehm & Wright, of Detroit.

Seventy law students will be examined in about two weeks for admission to the State bar.

President Angell addresses the Christian Association in chapel Sunday morning next at 9 o'clock.

The second Chamber Concert will be given Friday evening by the Beethoven Quintette Club of Detroit.

Mr. Smith, of Curtiss & Smith, the senior photographers, begins work today at Mr. Revenaugh's gallery.

"Bad Lands Cow Boy" is the name of a new paper at Bismarck, Dakota. A. T. Packard, '83, is editor and proprietor.

The regular essays, etc., on Shakespeare's plays in Prof. Demmon's English Literature course begin next Monday.

Miss Minna Wright, who with the Swedish Quartette was in the city last week, has a brother in the University.

C. E. Lowrey, '77, studying for Ph. D. in the University, was called home some days since by the illness of his father at Hacketts town, N. J.

Ben. P. Brodie was among the members of the graduating class of the Michigan College of Medicine at Detroit Monday night. The class numbered 27. At the meeting of the Alumni Association Ben. was elected secretary and treasurer for the ensuing year.

Prof. Geo. S. Morris has written a notice commending very highly Mr. Geo. W. Cable, who lectures at the opera house next Monday night under arrangement with the Bicycle Club. From Mr. Cable's fine reputation his audience will doubtless include many professors and their families.

A charming and select leap-year party was given at Sheehan's hall last Friday evening, in which quite a number of University folks participated. Mrs. Gen. Hunt received the arrivals in her most delightful way, assisted by Profs. C. N. Jones and C. S. Denison. About fourteen couples were present.

The final installment of English Shakespeare purchases made from the McMillan fund, arrived recently at the library. There are about seventy-five volumes in all, among which is an edition privately printed in forty-three small quarto parts, only fifty sets altogether being issued, the last important work of John Payne Collier, who died last year at the age of ninety-four. His "Trilogy" is another one of the volumes. There is also a volume entitled, "Cento Novelle di Geraldi Cinthio," printed at Venice in 1608, and containing the original of Shakespeare's Othello. The final invoice of French and German Shakespearian works, which will add some two hundred volumes more to the collection, is expected daily.

Business Locals.

After this date, March 5th, the price of our White Loaf brand of flour will be $6.00; of the Jumbo Patent flour $7.00.

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Mr. A. F. Martin, a well known citizen in connection with a heavy lumber house of the Saginaw Valley, is about to open a new lumber yard at the corner of Main and Madison streets, one of the best locations in the city for such purpose, and on the line of the Toledo & Ann Arbor Railroad. They will keep a stock, when it arrives, sufficient to meet all demands of the city and vicinity, and will make a specialty of furnishing special bills and car load lots. Their stock is already on the rail and headed this way. Look for their ad. when it arrives which will be soon. Then Mr. Martin is an old citizen, born in the county and a practical builder, and though they will not follow building, can offer practical suggestions to those contemplating building. The new house will be known as A. F. Martin & Co., and will endeavor, by square dealing, to merit the patronage of the people of Ann Arbor and vicinity. 2w1184

DIED.

ROSS.—In the Third Ward, March 1, 1884, Charles H. Ross, aged 6 years, 8 months and 7 days, from injury. Funeral yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the house on North Main street.

DOTY.—In this city, Feb. 27, 1884, Samuel R. Doty, aged 81 years and 2 months. Funeral last Friday at 2 o'clock.

Samuel Rosecranz Doty, who had been a resident of this town for nearly half a century died at noon, Wednesday, February 27, at the age of 81 years and 2 months.

To old residents here this announcement will recall one of the most familiar figures upon our streets for many years, though latterly withdrawn, first on account of declining health and then because of severe sickness.

Mr. Doty was a man of genial nature, great kindliness of heart, credulous of good, incredulous of evil, helpful to those in need of help, stable and constant in the character of relative, neighbor and friend.

His physical strength was spared to him in a remarkable degree, until the death of his wife, which occurred September 6, 1882. Then his faithful steps began to show signs of failing. In his young manhood he was of such athletic physique that it was said of him by one who knew him well, that "nothing but a deer could outrun him."

His spirit was buoyant as his body. He was fond of mirth, full of anecdote, with a wit bright as lightning yet never used to destroy. He knew Nature well, not alone from books, but from his own fine perceptions and habits of thoughtful observation. His house in which he lived 46 years, and which was burned just a year before his death, was a little out of the city, and he traveled many thousands of miles back and forth over the familiar road, year in and out, on his round of daily duties. Yet, he said, he never went that routine path without seeing something new, something interesting.

He never harmed in thought or deed the humblest of God's creatures.

He was an eager reader, and never lost his interest in the active affairs of the world. His best energies were given to the education of his children, and he spared nothing for their advancement.

He had the happy power of making the simplest duty an attractive thing. The thought of death was by no means unfamiliar or unwelcome. He said, "To me death is only the opening of a door." In his last sickness there was much suffering, yet, as with the patience of his entire life, it was all borne with meekness and without complaint.

His children survive him—Duane Doty, of Pullman; Mrs. Helen D. Compton and Mrs. Clara D. Bates, of Chicago; Miss Eliza Doty and Mrs. Charlotte D. Finley, of this city. Out of affection and reverence for him they could never go far from him, nor stay long away without seeing him, and they were all present at his funeral.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1884.

THE NEWS.

Compiled from Late Dispatches.

CONGRESSIONAL.

BILLS were reported in the Senate on the 26th to prohibit the mailing of newspapers containing lottery advertisements, and for the relief of Fitz John Porter, the latter being made the special order for March 12. A joint resolution was passed expressing the appreciation by the Nation of the generosity of Great Britain in presenting the Alert for the Greeley Relief Expedition....In the House Mr. Cobb asked unanimous consent for the passage of the Senate joint resolution of thanks to Great Britain for the gift of the Arctic steamship Alert, but Mr. Robinson objected. The Pleuro-pneumonia bill was discussed to the hour of adjournment, it being argued that the measure was full of unconstitutional provisions, and was in the interest of a ring now being formed to control the cattle trade.

IN the Senate on the 27th Mr. Van Wyck asked immediate consideration for a resolution which he offered directing the Post-office Committee to inquire whether at any time the Western Union and the Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph Companies had negotiated for consolidation; after debate the resolution was referred. Mr. Blair introduced a bill to extend the time for the completion of railroads west of the Mississippi River to which grants of public land had been made, which were in good faith prosecuting the work of construction, without the forfeiture of such grants. A long debate took place on the bill to construct eleven vessels for the navy.....In the House the bill to repeal the iron-clad oath (previously passed by the Senate) was passed. A resolution was adopted directing the Secretary of the Treasury to state how much money there was in the vaults, and to report what amount could at present be applied in liquidation of the public debt. Mr. Bingham, from the Committee on Post-offices and Post-roads, reported adversely on the bill to prevent the use of the United States mails to advertise noxious medicines, food and compounds. The Pleuro-pneumonia bill was further considered.

MR. INGALLS introduced a bill in the Senate on the 28th to remove the injunction of secrecy from the members of the Fitz John Porter court-martial. Debate on the bill to authorize the construction of steel vessels for the navy occupied the remainder of the session....In the House the Pleuro-Pneumonia bill was passed—155 to 127. It provides for the creation of a Government Bureau of Animal Industry. Eulogies upon the late Representative Haskell, of Kansas, were delivered.

IN the Senate on the 29th ult. a favorable report was made on the original bill for the admission of Dakota. Mr. Ransom reported back adversely the joint resolution for an appropriation of five hundred thousand dollars for the cyclone sufferers in the South, the distress having been overstated. The bill for the construction of steel cruisers was passed—38 to 13. Adjourned to March 3....In the House, in Committee of the Whole, it was resolved that General Pleasanton be retired with the rank of Colonel. The Post-office Appropriation bill was reported. An evening session was held, at which about twenty pension bills were passed.

DOMESTIC.

VIGILANTES at Spearfish, D. T., on the 27th took from the hospital a wounded desperado named Harry Tuttle and hanged him to a tree.

AT Toledo, O., a few days ago Robert Bailey (colored) was convicted of marrying a white girl contrary to the statute of 1840, and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and $100 fine—the full penalty.

THE Cunard steamer Cephalonia on the 27th ran down and sank the tug Glen Island near New York, and the engineer and a deck-hand were drowned.

EDWARD RERCEN, of Minneapolis, Minn., was found frozen to death in his door-yard on the morning of the 27th. He had been drinking. He left a wife and nine children.

THE Government has put a stop to the gilding of the recent issue of the five-cent nickel by cheap jewelry manufacturers.

ROBERT CRAIGHEAD, a well-to-do farmer of Fulton, Mo., was assassinated a few nights ago by an unknown person who called him from his house ostensibly to assist a stranger out of a mud-hole with a heavy wagon.

A REDUCTION of twelve per cent. in wages was announced on the 27th in nine hat factories at Reading, Pa., employing about one thousand hands, the reasons given being competition and exorbitant duty on wool.

IN a recent quarrel in Randolph County, Ala., between Wyatt Pate and William Littlefield, both were killed.

DURING a fire in New York on the 28th Mrs. Cornelius Van Riper, aged thirty-two years, was killed by leaping from a window, and her husband, aged forty, and three children, Jennie, aged ten, Albert, aged seven, and Frankie, aged two, were burned to death.

A HEAVY snow-storm in New York and Massachusetts on the 28th wrecked telegraph wires and delayed railway trains.

ADVICES of the 28th from the recently overflowed sections state that at Paducah, Ky., the distribution of rations continued, over 4,000 people being provided for. Hundreds of people were suffering who were getting along after a fashion before the cold snap. The banks between Memphis and Evansville, Ind., were lined with people, who were housed in open barns, out houses, etc., and with the mercury down to zero much suffering must ensue.

NEWS was received on the 28th at New London, Conn., of the death by drowning or starvation of seven men of the crew of the schooner Sarah W. Hunt while searching for seals near Campbell Island, in the Pacific Ocean.

THE citizens of Medina County, Tex., had, up to the 28th, hunted down and lodged in jail thirty-nine fence-cutters. A detachment of rangers was stationed at Castroville.

ABOVE and below Shreveport, La., for a hundred miles, the country was a shallow sea on the 28th. The planters would lose heavily in fences, stock and horses, and the colored population were in great distress.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED coal-miners in the vicinity of Pittsburgh, Pa., struck on the 28th for an advance of wages.

IT was reported on the 28th that the Apaches were again on the war-path in Sonora, Mex. Near Chipua they killed two men and stole several horses, and the dead bodies of several Mexicans were found on Mexican soil near the border. Large numbers of cattle had been stolen from Los Piedras and De Lumbre. A Federal force was in pursuit.

THE business portion of Iredell, Tex., was destroyed by fire the other night.

THE cedar-works buildings at Richmond, Va., and the shuck factory of G. B. Stacey were destroyed by fire a few days ago, the loss being $90,000.

W. R. MCDOWELL, a murderer under sentence of death, escaped recently from jail at San Bernardino, Cal., and reached Mexican territory on horseback.

THE Treasury Department at Washington on the 29th ult. issued warrants for about $11,500,000 on account of pensions for the month.

THE opera-house at Oil City, Pa., was burned a few nights ago. Loss, $50,000.

THE chemical-works of Powers & Weightman, in Philadelphia, the most extensive in the United States, were destroyed by fire early on the morning of the 29th ult., causing a loss of over $1,000,000.

THE Sheriff at Jackson, O., on the 29th ult. hanged Luke and William Jones (brothers) for the murder of Anderson Lackey; Ben Gilliam was hanged at Bayboro, N. C., for killing Henry Carter with a club, and William Moore, a negro, was executed at Franklin, La., for the murder of a Chinaman.

E. DETRICK & CO., dealers in bags and twine at San Francisco, failed on the 29th ult. for $380,000.

DURING the seven days ended on the 29th ult. the business failures throughout the United States and Canada numbered 275, against 251 the previous week. The distribution was as follows: New England States, 28; Middle, 54; Western, 79; Southern, 58; Pacific States and Territories, 18; Canada and the Provinces, 38.

A NEW ORLEANS dispatch of the 29th ult. states that the rivers above were still rising and the overflow spreading. At Helena, Ark., the situation was critical, the river rising ten inches a day. The Iron Mountain trains were stopped and the city cut off. A heavy force was strengthening the levees. Great distress was being experienced, but no loss of life had been reported.

THE excess of the value of exports over imports of merchandise into the United States during January last was $19,677,487, and for the twelve months ended January 31, 1884, was $104,370,280.

AN experiment for using a compound of water and alcohol as fuel on the tug Mattie Sargeant at Boston recently resulted in a conflagration, damaging the boat $15,000, which the experimenters would have to pay.

A NATIONAL bank, with $2,000,000 capital subscribed, to be called the Metropolitan, was organized in Chicago on the 29th ult.

SEVEN seamen of the United States steamer Michigan, now lying at Erie, Pa., on the 29th ult. volunteered to go out with the Greely relief expedition, and had passed the requisite examination by surgeons.

AT Boston the price of liquor licenses of all grades has been advanced.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

THE United States Senate Committee investigating the Copiah County (Mississippi) election outrages at New Orleans adjourned on the 27th, after examining 152 witnesses.

THE Indiana Democratic State Central Committee met at Indianapolis on the 27th and issued a call for a State Convention to meet in that city June 25.

R. D. HUBBARD, ex-Governor of Connecticut, died at Hartford on the 27th, aged sixty-six years.

W. H. HUNT, United States Minister to Russia, and Secretary of the Navy from March, 1878, to April, 1882, died at St. Petersburg on the 27th from dropsy.

IT was announced on the 27th that the late defendants in the Emma Bond trial were ostracised in their homes in Christian County, Ill. Merchants and business men declined to have anything to do with them.

FATHER SCHAUP, of Indianapolis, who contracted small-pox while at the death-bed of a parishioner, died of the malady a few days ago.

THE time for holding the New Jersey Republican State Convention has been changed to April 17.

THE Ohio Republican State Convention will be held in Cleveland April 24.

S. M. WEAVER, a disabled member of the Iowa House, was on the 28th taken to the clerk's desk in a reclining chair and wrapped in a buffalo overcoat, in order to record his vote on the Prohibitory Liquor bill.

WASHINGTON advices of the 28th state that the House Committee on Public Lands had decided to report in favor of forfeiting that portion of the Northern Pacific grant where the road had not been completed July 4, 1879. This would restore to the public domain about 3,500,000 acres.

THE Pleuro-Pneumonia bill which was passed by the National House of Representatives on the 28th ult. provides as follows:

The Commissioner of Agriculture shall organize a Bureau of Animal Industry and appoint a chief, whose duty it shall be to investigate and report upon the number, value and condition of the domestic animals of the United States, and also the causes of contagious diseases among them, and the means for their prevention and cure. He is authorized to appoint two competent agents, whose duty shall be to report upon the best methods of treating, transporting and caring for animals, and the means to be adopted for the suppression and extirpation of contagious pleuro-pneumonia. The Commissioner of Agriculture may expend so much of the money appropriated as may be necessary in paying for the animals it is deemed necessary to slaughter, and in such disinfection and other means as may be necessary to extirpate the disease. The authorities of the States shall pay one-half of the expenses of the animals it is deemed necessary to slaughter, and one-half of the cost of disinfection and care of herds or cattle. The transportation from one State to another of any live-stock affected with any contagious or infectious disease is prohibited, and provision is made for the prosecution of any person violating this prohibition.

THE Rhode Island Republican Convention will be held at Providence March 20.

M. T. POLK, the defaulting State Treasurer of Tennessee, died quite suddenly on the 29th ult. at East Nashville.

ORRIN A. CARPENTER, charged with killing Zora Burns, was taken from the Lincoln (Ill.) Jail on the 29th ult. to Petersburg, where it was expected the trial would begin March 10.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR on the 29th ult. sent to Congress the report of the Civil-Service Commission. The document admitted that there had been several violations of the law in regard to political assessments, but the amount collected was not one-fourth as much as formerly. The act was considered a success.

THE widow of the immortal John Brown, of Harper's Ferry, died on the 29th ult. at San Francisco.

CHIEF NIMMO, of the Bureau of Statistics at Washington, stated on the 29th ult., in reply to the charges of manufacturing emigration statistics, made by John Law, Secretary of the Department of Agriculture of Canada, that the statement was a fabrication of the basest sort.

THE Republican Editorial Association of Indiana, at its meeting at Indianapolis on the 29th ult., deprecated making prohibition an issue in the coming campaign.

RODNEY D. WELLS has been appointed postmaster of St. Louis.

THE National House Committee on Commerce agreed on the 29th ult. to report Representative Stewart's bill to regulate inter-State commerce and provide for the appointment of a Commission. An amendment prohibiting pooling had been added to the bill. As agreed to, the bill provides that in the transportation of property the charges "shall be reasonable for such service;" that there shall be no discrimination in the transportation of freight; that it shall be unlawful to allow any rebate, and that pooling, under any circumstances, will be unlawful. The bill also provides for the appointment of a commission, to consist of three members, one a lawyer, one a railroad man and one whose qualifications are not specified, to investigate complaints: if satisfied the act has been violated the Commission is required to notify the company to cease violation. If the company fails to comply with the decision of the Commission within six days it will be required to show cause why it should not be enjoined and restrained in the continuance of such violation.

THE lower house of the Iowa Legislature on the 29th ult. ordered engrossed the Senate bill prohibiting the manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors.

FOREIGN.

A MEMBER of the British Parliament stated on the 28th that two murders and sixteen suicides had occurred at Monte Carlo since the year opened, and that the local newspapers were paid to suppress the details.

THE United States Consul at Birmingham reported on the 28th that the foot-and-mouth disease in cattle existed in nearly every county in England. Instructions would be sent to American Consuls in Great Britain to certify no invoices of cattle until they had been found sound by veterinary surgeons.

JOHN LOWE, Secretary of the Canadian Department of Agriculture, was examined by a special Parliamentary committee at Ottawa on the 28th, and swore that the statistics issued from Washington as to the immigration to the United States from Canada were incorrect, and that American customs officers had been instructed to fraudulently augment the number of persons leaving the Dominion.

THE London police on the 28th found a large quantity of explosives under the Charing Cross Railway station, and a clerk discovered in the cloak-room a box containing dynamite. A statement was made in the House of Commons that an infernal machine of American manufacture had been found at the Paddington Railway station. Great excitement prevailed.

IN Ontario trains were delayed and abandoned on the 28th owing to the severity of a snow-storm, and in Nova Scotia, also, a storm raged fiercely.

THE Czar of Russia has decided to convene a council, composed of representatives of the ruling classes, to consider whether a powerful Nihilist party really exists, and how to crush it out or satisfy its wants.

THE steamer Norseman, which arrived at Boston on the 28th from Liverpool, reported having steamed along a solid wall of ice for one hundred and ten miles.

MR. GLADSTONE, in introducing a franchise bill in the House of Commons on the 28th, expressed the opinion that the United States recovered so rapidly from the late civil war because every capable citizen had a vote.

THE Irish Parnellites in the British House of Commons on the 29th ult. openly denounced the dynamite conspirators, who, they declared, had their headquarters in the United States.

ORDERS were on the 29th ult. cabled by the British Government to the English detectives in New York to inquire into the character and antecedents of all persons sailing from New York and Boston for English ports since February 1.

A GLASGOW cablegram of the 29th ult. chronicled the failure of Martin Turner & Co., engaged in the East India trade, with liabilities of £400,000.

LATER NEWS.

THE public-debt statement issued on the 1st makes the following exhibit: Total debt (including interest of $10,364,105), $1,869,430,479. Cash in Treasury, $396,293,451. Debt, less amount in Treasury, $1,453,501,133. Decrease during February, $2,582,586. Decrease since June 30, 1883, $67,590,074.

THE Prohibition bill passed the Iowa House on the 1st—52 to 41—all the Republicans and one Democrat voting for the measure. There being a Prohibition majority of twenty-four in the Senate, its passage in that body was considered certain.

ADVICES of the 1st state that in the recent cyclone in North Carolina one hundred persons were killed, two hundred and fifty were wounded, and property valued at half a million dollars was destroyed. Richmond, Anson, Chatham, Union, Shelby, Wake, Harnett, Johnson, Ashe, Nash, Robeson, Montgomery and Cumberland Counties suffered the most.

A FIRE on the 2d at Utica, N. Y., originating in the shoe factory of H. J. Holbrook & Co., spread until ten buildings were destroyed, including the City National Bank. The total loss was estimated at $1,000,000.

THE Maine Straight Greenback State Convention has been called to meet at Augusta on April 30, to select delegates to the National Convention.

THE works of the United States Stamping Company at Portland, Conn., employing five hundred men, were burned on the evening of the 1st, causing a loss of $500,000.

A STATEMENT made by the United States Treasurer on the 1st shows that the total coinage of standard silver dollars within the past five years was 166,125,119, of which amount only 39,302,720 are outstanding.

E. H. FUNSTON, Republican, was on the 1st elected to Congress from the Second District of Kansas, to succeed the late D. C. Haskell, by a majority of nearly four thousand.

ADVICES of the 1st from Cairo state that in a battle near Trinkitat General Graham repulsed the Egyptian rebels, killing one thousand of them and capturing some guns. The British loss was placed at twenty-four killed and one hundred and twenty-four wounded. General Graham advanced to Tokar, when the rebels fled to the mountains.

THE United States Senate was not in session on the 1st. In the House a resolution was adopted calling on the Secretary of the Interior for information relative to the unauthorized fencing in of public lands in several States and Territories. Bills were reported to provide for the issue of circulating notes to National banks, to establish a Board of Interstate Commerce, and to increase pensions.

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—Women around White Oaks, N. M., are like water claims—taken up as soon as discovered.—*Chicago Times.*

—Salem, Mass., has three bank cashiers whose united terms of continuous service have been over one hundred and seventy-two years.—*Boston Post.*

—Several valuable diamonds have been found in Montana, and many gold hunters are turning their attention to the precious pebbles.—*Chicago Herald.*

—A farmer of Warrenton, Ga., watched for the robber of his hens' nests and saw a half grown heifer go to a nest and eat its contents shells and all.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

—A roll of bills amounting to $2,000, supposed to have been washed ashore from some wreck, was picked up recently by a person living in Black Rock, near Bridgeport, Conn.—*Hartford Post.*

—The Supreme Court of Alabama has decided that the Inferior Court of Criminal Jurisdiction of Mobile is no court at all. The court declares the act of the Legislature providing for it, unconstitutional and void.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—Wing Lee, a hideous looking Chinaman, and Nellie Burton, a handsome girl, eloped from Louisville and were married by Justice Douglass, of Jeffersonville. The marriage created quite an excitement.—*Louisville Courier Journal.*

—The Baltimore *American*, speaking of the observance of New Year's, says egg-nogg has declined in favor as a refreshment, and apple-toddy has virtually disappeared. Simple wines are preferred. Coffee and chocolate grow in favor.

—Mr. Tyler, the Zulu missionary, says that when he first went to South Africa, thirty-four years ago, the people wore nothing but the skins of cows and other animals. Now few of them appear in town without civilized dress.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

—The ice crop of the Hudson River, in consequence of additional ice-houses having been erected during the past year, is now about 4,000,000 tons, and it takes from thirty to thirty-five days of good weather to house it. When all the houses are taking in ice, fully ten thousand men and boys, two thousand horses, and fifty steam engines are employed.—*Troy Times.*

—Fogs, pure and simple, says an English writer, are not caused by smoke, but by dust, not the dust of the streets or chimneys, but by the dust of invisible atmospheric molecules. Hence we must look upon our breath as seen on a cold morning as evidence of the dusty state of the air, and every puff of steam as it escapes into the atmosphere will remind us still more powerfully of the same disagreeable fact.

—Probably the largest oleander tree in the world is near Spanishtown, Fla. It covers a space of ground thirty-six feet in diameter; from the ground to the tip of the topmost limb is twenty-five feet; at the surface of the ground the trunk is divided into twenty or twenty-five separate stems, the group being at least five feet through and one single stem is, by actual measurement, fourteen inches thick.—*St. Louis Post.*

—We are informed by Deputy United States Marshal Ricketts that about three years ago a fortune, estimated at $1,500,000, was left John Spring, who died in this city a few days ago. The property and coin was left him by his cousin, Captain Arthur Spring, a merchant at Callao, Peru. Inquiries for John Spring were at once set on foot, but he was not found until about three weeks before his death.—*Virginia City (Nev.) Enterprise.*

—A request in the Boston *Post* for information respecting the whereabouts of old clocks has stirred up a number of correspondents in New England. One old gentleman has an eight-day clock, with brass dial, and at a running age of one hundred and fifty years is still keeping good time. Another has the record of one made in Bristol, England, in 1694, which is doing faithful service in a Western State. Hon. E. C. Moody, of York, Me., has a clock made in England in 1620, with the date and maker's name on the brass dial. It is still keeping good time. The case is handsomely inlaid with flowers and figures. This clock was brought over by Mr. Moody's ancestors in 1623.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD—MAIN LAIN.

Time table taking effect Feb. 17, 1884.

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Mail (Except Sunday) 2	Day Express (Ex Sun) 6	Kalamazoo Acc. (Ex Sun) 12	G. R. & D. Ex. (Ex Sun) 16	Atlantic Ex (Daily) 2	Night Express (Ex Sun) 8	N. Y. & Lim. Ex (Daily) 10
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Chicago dep	6 45	8 55	3 30		8 55	9 55	4 30
Twenty-sec'nd st	6 57	9 07	3 47		9 07	10 07	4 42
Kensington	7 35	9 45	4 25		9 45	10 45	5 20
Hammond	7 47		4 42				
Gibson's	7 53		4 50				
Tolleston	8 02		5 05				
Lake	8 13	10 23	5 25		10 22	11 27	
Porter	8 30		5 52				
Michigan City	8 58	11 06	6 38		11 03	12 10	6 32
New Buffalo	9 20	11 27	7 03			12 35	
Three Oaks	9 37		7 17				
Avery's †	9 40		† 20				
Galien	9 50		7 28			A.M.	
Dayton	9 56		7 35			1 07	
Buchannan	10 05		7 42			1 24	
		P.M.					
Niles	(ar 10 12	12 15	7 55		12 02	1 40	7 22
Pokagon	10 35		8 08				
Dowagiac	10 47		8 20			2 08	
Glenwood	11 03		† 8 34				
Decatur	11 13		8 45			2 35	
Lawton	11 20		9 02			2 53	
Mattawan	11 28		9 10				
Ostemo	† 11 33		9 22				
	P.M.				A.M.		
Kalamazoo	12 07	1 35	9 35		6 45	1 20	3 27	8 40
Galesburgh	12 22				7 05		
Augusta	12 38				7 12		
Battle Creek	12 57	2 10			7 33	2 02	4 12	9 17
Ceresco	† 1 13				7 50		
Marshall { arr	1 25	2 35					
Marshall { dep	1 45	2 55			8 00	2 28	4 35	9 37
Marengo	1 56				8 15		
Albion	2 10	3 16			8 25	2 53	5 00	
Parma	2 30				8 47		
			A.M.					
Jackson	3 00	4 00	7 00		9 25	3 45	5 45	10 29
Jackson Junct'n	3 04		7 05					
Leoni	3 18		† 7 17					
Grass Lake	3 27		7 23		9 45		6 07	
Francisco	3 37		7 33					
Chelsea	3 52		7 45	10 03			6 30	
Dexter	4 10		8 00	10 15			6 45	
Delhi	4 20		8 10					
Ann Arbor	4:35	5:02	8:20	10:28	4:35	7:03	10:49	

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail (Ex Sun day) 3	Day Express. (Ex Sun) 5	G. R. & K. Ex. (Ex Sun) 15	Jackson Exp (Ex Sun 13	Evening Exp 7	Pacific (Daily) 1
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Detroit dep	6 55	9 30	4 00	5 50	7 55	9 45
Springwells	7 10	9 45	4 15	6 05	8 10	10 00
Dearborn	7 50		4 28	6 20	8 25	
Wayne	7 48			6 23		
Wayne Junction	7 50	10 18	4 41	6 35	8 40	10 36
Denton's	8 07			6 40		
Ypsilanti	8 18	10 43	5 00	7 00	9 03	11 03
Ann Arbor	8:40	10:55	5:17	7:17	9 20	10:49
Delhi	8 32			7 27		
Dexter	9 03		5 34	7 58	9 40	
Chelsea	9 20		5 47	7 53	9 55	
Francisco	9 35			8 10		
Grass Lake	9 45		6 07	8 18	10 17	
Leoni	9 51			† 8 25		
Jackson Junct'n	10 05			8 40		
		P.M.				A.M.
Jackson	10 15	12 10	6 50	8 45	10 45	12 40
Parma	10 36		7 13		11 05	
Albion	11 00	12 45	7 35		11 23	1 17
Marengo	† 11 10		7 47		11 33	
Marshall { arr	11 25	1 05				
Marshall { dep	11 45	1 25	8 05		11 48	1 38
Ceresco	† 11 57		† 8 17			
Battle Creek	12 14	1 50	8 36		12 15	2 02
Augusta	† 12 38		9 02		12 38	
Galesburgh	12 48		9 12		12 50	
				A.M.		
Kalamazoo	1 08	2 31	9 30	4 45	1 20	2 42
Ostemo	1 25			4 57		
Mattawan	1 38			5 10	† 1 47	
Lawton	1 46			5 18	1 55	
Decatur	2 02			5 35	2 12	
Glenwood	† 2 11			5 45		
Dowagiac	† 2 22			† 5 58	† 2 37	
Pokagon	2 35			6 10		
Niles	2 48	3 55		6 40	3 03	4 10
Buchannan	3 12			6 54	3 17	
Dayton	3 10			7 03	† 3 26	
Galien	3 16			7 08	† 3 33	
Avery's	† 3 24			† 7 17		
Three Oaks	3 28			7 22	† 3 45	
New Buffalo	3 42	† 4 42		7 35	4 12	
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Tolleston	5 05			9 05	† 5 55	
Gibson's	† 5 17			9 19	† 6 10	
Hammond	5 32			9 27	† 6 20	6 43
Kensington	6 00	6 50		9 45	6 40	7 06
Twenty-sec'nd st	6 38	7 [illegible]		10 23	7 18	7 44
Chicago arr	6 50	7 40		10 35	7 30	7 55

† Stops only to let off passengers.
‡ Stops only on signal.

To'ed., Ann Arbor & G. T. R. R.

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Going into effect Sunday, Feb. 10, 1884.

Trains run by Central Time.

GOING NORTH. No. 2 Express	No. 2 Mail.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. No. 1 Express	No. 3 Mail.
P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.
5 40	7 05	Toledo	9 30	4 55
5 45	7 11	Manhattan Junction	9 26	4 48
5 53	7 23	Alexis Junction	9 16	4 3[illegible]
6 02	7 3[illegible]	Haw Ivene	9 10	4 30
6 10	7 46	Samaria	9 02	4 22
6 25	8 06	Lulu	8 47	4 04
6 30	8 15	Monroe Junction	8 42	3 59
6 43	8 30	Dundee	8 30	3 50
6 55	8 46	Azalia	8 20	3 40
7 08	8 59	Milan Junction	8 09	3 25
7 10	9 03	Milan	8 06	3 22
7 15	9 09	Nora		3 17
			7 59	
7 22	9 22	Urania	7 52	3 10
7 32	9 32	Pittsfield Junction	7 40	3 02
7 45	9 50	Ann Arbor	7 27	2 49
8 03	10 15	Leland	7 12	2 30
8 11	10 22	Worden	7 06	2 25
8 25	10 35	South Lyon	6 50	2 10

Connections: At Toledo, with railroads diverging; at Manhattan Junction, with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R.; at Alexis Junction, with M. C. R. R., L. S. & M. S. Ry. and F. & P. M. R. R.; at Monroe Junction, with L. S. & M. S. Ry.; at Dundee, with L. S. & M. S. Ry., M. & O. Ry.; at Milan Junction, with Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Ry.; at Pittsfield, with L. S. & M. S. Ry.; at Ann Arbor with Michigan Central R. R., and at South Lyon with Detroit, Lansing & Northern R. R., and Grand Trunk Ry.

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Ann Arbor, March 3, 1884.

This is to certify that I have this day received of Blitz & Langsdorf, The Two Sams, the Buggy they had on exhibition in their window, my guess having been the nearest to the amount of Beans in the Jar. The guess being 15,739.

C. P. CAREY,
Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County.

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