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Two little hands a wee face try to screen,
Baby is hiding, that's plain to be seen.
"Where is my precious I've missed so all day?"

"Papa can't find me!" the pretty lips say,
"Dear me, I wonder where baby can be?"
Then I go by and pretend not to see.
The dear little rogue is now laughing outright;
Two little little arms 'round my neck clasp tight
Home will, indeed, be sad, weary and lone,
When papa can't find you, my darling, my own.

COUNTY ITEMS.

A 9-lb. son at Geo P. Sutton's in West Salem.

Ben. Bush and family have moved back to Whitmore Lake.

The Lima literary society has closed its doors for the summer.

Gardner W. McGill, one of Lima's old pioneers was buried on the 5th inst.

The school in the Van Atta district, Salem, will be taught by Hiram Sober.

The city fathers of Milan are without a chamber in which to counsel together.

Chas. Lockwood, of Salem, has sold his farm, and is going to Virginia to live.

Horace Rosier, recently of Dexter, had his house burned in Ingham county. Insured.

The University base-ball club is to play the Detroit league club next Saturday, at Recreation park, Detroit.

Here's a chance for the boys. York township has voted $100 for woodchuck scalps at ten cents each.—Milan Journal.

All people interested in Sabbath school work are requested to meet at the Baptist church, Chelsea, Sunday, May 10, at 3 o'clock p. m.

A piece of the Grand Trunk line near Gregory sunk to a depth of over 60 feet Tuesday night. Trains meet at that point on either side to transfer their passengers and then return.—South Lyon Excelsior.

A very valuable cow of the Aberdeen blood, belonging to R. C. Auld, died Sunday. Mr. Auld has just sailed from Scotland with thirty more choice cattle, which added to those he has here, will make him a herd of seventy.—Pinckney Dispatch.

There was an explosion in Dr. Sheldon's dental office on Monday. A gun cartridge had accidently dropped into the coal and during the doctor's temporary absence it took occasion to go off, blowing the doors off the stove and scattering the coal around the room but doing no further damage.—Manchester Enterprise.

The Ypsilanti paper company furnishes the Chicago Times 150 tons of paper a month, or 1,800 tons a year. At 5 cents a pound, the yearly paper bill of the Times would amount to $180,000, and this is only a small portion of the money that comes into our city from this souce, the Ypsilanti paper company and the Peninsular paper company's mills.—Commercial.

Thus, from the secret chambers of the Knights of the Macabees' Tent comes a tale how a muscular young man, whose surname is Timothy, introduced a feature not provided for in the ritual, while being initiated recently. When told to defend himself to the best of his ability, he mistook the meaning of the advice, and proceeded to cover the floor with his fraternal brethren. Explanations and sticking plaster were in order, and the initiation ceremonies were concluded without further interruption. If the above is not a statement of facts, Timothy is the prevaricator.—Ypsilantian.

Herald: At a meeting held at Odd Fellows' Hall last Monday evening, Chelsea Commandry of Order of Red Cross No. 21, was instituted by Grand Deputy Commander, M. Nielson, of Jackson. The following officers were elected and installed:

Past Com.—W. F. Hatch.
Com.—H. W. Champlin, M. D.
Lt. Com.—F. B. Wight.
Financier—C. Carpenter.
Scribe—H. E. Harrington.
Treasurer—G. H. Gay.
Prelate—E. Williams.
Sergeant—E. Clark.
Guard—W. Canfield.
Sentinel—E. Hammond.

We received a visit on Tuesday from Wm. Delamater, of Connerville, Indiana, a brother of Mrs Geo. S. Spafford, of Tecumseh. He went to England in 1859 where he enlisted in the English army and was sent to India. After 10 years of service, during which time he saw much of the eastern country and learned the habits and customs of the people, he returned to his native country, since which time he has traveled with Howe's London, and VanAmburg's circus. He is a fine singer and banjoist, and in the evening he favored us with several of his best songs. Friends at Chelsea and Ann Arbor were also treated to the music by telephone.—Manchester Enterprise.

When the workmen in the moulding department of McCullough Bros.' shop commenced work last Saturday morning, they discovered that their tools were missing—all had been stolen Friday night or early Saturday morning. Learning that a suspicious looking fellow, who had been noticed at the shop during the week, had been seen that morning going east on the Central railroad track, Aleck McCullough started in pursuit in a buggy and overtook the tramp at Denton's station. On being requested to deliver up the tools the fellow denied all knowledge of them; but when Aleck displayed a revolver and threatened serious results if he did not at once deliver the tools, the frightened culprit at once produced them. Having secured his tools Aleck treated the fellow to some very touching advice, and allowed him to continue his journey toward the metropolis.—Ypsilantian.

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From the Independent (N. Y.)

A Plain Talk on Temperance.

BY THEODORE L. CUYLER, D. D.

If any Christian Church should devote its chief energies, both on the Sabbath and during the week, to raising money for benevolent enterprises, it might effect a single good result, but it would commit a grievous mistake. This duty of feeding the channels of charity it ought to perform; but the higher duty of saving souls and edifying the body of Christ, it should not leave undone. The Temperance Reform is to-day in serious peril, from the same cause—viz., the absorption of its energies in a single direction. Personally, I have been an earnest advocate for legal restriction, and (where possible) the entire suppression of the dramshop, ever since I first heard the word "prohibition." At the ballot box last year, I cheerfully gave my vote for the candidate who represented hostility to the whisky oligarchy, and have never shed any tears of repentance for that righteous act. The logical meaning of the one hundred and forty thousand ballots cast for Ex-Gover nor St. John, was that the liquor traffic is a monster curse, the prolific source of untold mischief, misery and death, and, therefore, ought to be suppressed.

But as a Prohibitionist I feel entirely confident that Temperance Reformers are committing a most serious error in giving such excessive prominence to the civil and political aspect of the Reform. The temptation to do this is peculiarly strong. The drinking saloon confronts us on every side, as the visible embodiment of the drink curse; it flaunts its bloody flag in our faces, and it seems to be a very short and summary way of disposing of it, to pass stringent laws for its suppression. This temptation is made stronger by the specious assertion that Negro slavery was removed by a political party. The simple truth is that the Free Soil party, by the election of Lincoln, drove the slave oligarchy up to the point of committing suicide by armed secession. If the rum oligarchy were now confined to a single section of the land, and if it should, in sheer desperation, fire on the flag, and attempt to destroy the nation's life, then it would speedily be laid in the same tomb with the defunct institution of slavery. But there is really a very slight analogy between the political conflict with the drink traffic, and the political conflict which was waged under the banner of "Free oil, free speech and free labor." Negro slavery was essentially a temporary civil institution, the creature of unjust civil law. The dramshop is not a temporary institution created by statute; it is the creature of the drinking usages of society. No fool would ever open a liquor saloon, and get out a license for it in any community in which there was no demand for strong drink.

Set it down as an incontrovertible truth that liquor saloons are not the creations of license laws, or of any other civil enactments. (The original purpose of requiring a license was to limit the number and curtail the mischief of dramshops.) Drinking saloons do not owe their existence to a few lines on a statute book; no, nor are they to be entirely and permanently uprooted by simply enacting a few opposite lines on a statue book. If so, the problem would be very simple and manageable. The liquor traffic, whether it be conducted by the hogshead or the gill, whether in the marble hotel, or in the vilest cellar, is the creature of the drinking usages. To fight dramshops without any moral efforts to keep people from drinking intoxicants, would be as ridiculous folly as it would be to organize police forces and build jails without ever teaching a human being that it is a crime to steal. The only way to reach an evil is to go to its fount-head. The fount-head of liquor selling is liquor drinking. Deeper down than any civil enactments—whether high license, low license, or no license—lie the drinking usages, and every remedy is transient and superficial that does not reach them. I do not dispute that the saloon tempts thousands to drink intoxicants who might not be tempted otherwise; but it is also true that even the worst dram-seller does not open a saloon from sheer malice to kill off his neighbors. He opens it simply to make money by ministering to appetite, and by supplying his whiskies and wines to his customers, and commonly he has no scruples as to increasing the number of his customers. Those customers, be it understood, are sharers and partners in his crime. If he opens a hell, they feed its fires. It is time that temperance advocates ceased to denounce saloon keepers as fiends and to speak of their customers as poor, innocent people who never go voluntarily to a barroom counter. If dram selling is a sin, so is drunkenness, and so is any patronage of the dram shops.

The most effectual way to break up the liquor traffic is to get away its customers and starve it out. Here lies the wisdom of creating counter-attractions to the saloon, whether it be the attraction of home, or of a, "coffectavern," or anything else that tends to keep men or boys from the slaughter-houses. But it is certain as gravitation that if any large number of persons in any community are determined to have intoxicants they will somehow manage to get them, even if we pile our prohibitory laws as high as the Brooklyn bridge towers. They will get them either by stealthy evasions of law, or by importing liquors for their own private use, or by some other process. Righteous and beneficial as are laws of prohibition when well enforced, yet to rely on law alone, without any moral efforts against liquor drinking, would be as insane as to dam up a torrent at its mouth while neglecting to dry up its fount-head. That fount-head, we repeat again, is the drinking usages, which demand, which create, and which maintain the hotel bar and the dramshop. Prohibitory laws help us, and many good people claim that "high license" laws aid us also; but the one permanent cure for dram selling is to break up the habit of dram drinking. If nobody wants whisky, nobody will offer whisky. This is the happy case in the town of Bassbrook, Ireland, where four thousand sober, sensible people keep everything like a liquor shop out of their town. Prohibition is automatic in such a community.

By this time, my readers will understand, why—even as a Prohibitionist—I insist that it is fatal folly for us temperance reformers to direct our efforts entirely, or even chiefly, in the line of civil enactment or political action. Votes and laws are the product of human convictions of duty; neither votes nor laws are efficient without conscientious convictions behind them. To awaken, to solidify, and to maintain these convictions, is the sure key and the only key to permanent success in the great conflict against the bottle, whether that bottle stands on a private table or on the counter of a gin shop. We must address ourselves, therefor, to the individual conscience of people, old and young, and ply them with arguments and persuasions to let the bottle alone. The best days the temperance movement ever saw were the days in which its chief effort was to make people conscientious abstainers from every kind of intoxicants, to make them unwilling to enter a drink-shop, or to let the drink from the shop enter them. Fundamentally, the temperance reform is not a political movement; it is a grand moral and social reform, which only invokes the aid of civil law to accomplish its beneficent results.

Right here comes in the prodigious power and responsibility of the Christian church. Drunkenness and grog-selling are sins; it is the province of God's church to lay the ax to the root of all sins. The Church has no more right to blink at these sins than it has to blink at Sabbath-breaking, blasphemy, adultery, falsehood or dishonesty. Nor can ministers or Christian people shirk their duty and relegate this vital question to the politician and the policeman, without treason to God. The bottle damns immortal souls! Let the pulpit, therefore, make no truce with it; let conscientious parents banish it from their tables and social gatherings; let every boy and girl in our Sunday-schools be instructed to practice total abstinence. Prevention of drinking is vastly safer, stronger, surer than prohibition of selling. It goes to the root, because it cuts up the drinking usages. I rejoice also that temperance school-books are being introduced into public and private schools, to warn every child against the serpent of alcohol. This, too, goes to the root; save the children, and you, in time, save the nation. Brethren and sisters in this glorious reform, let us use civil law as a powerful auxiliary; but let us not forget that deeper down than legal penalties lie conscience and custom. When conscience is reached and custom reformed, the reform is permanent. Above all we need God's help, God's gospel, and God's Almighty spirit. Death to the bottle is the only sure death to the dramshop; and the bottle can only be broken by appeals to the consciences, hearts and habits of our fellowmen. You may build only a political castle in the air, if you will. I, for one, prefer to build solid results on a solid rock.

The Hotel Colfax.

This summer resort near the "Old Magnesian Chalybeate" and "Colfax" mineral springs, at Colfax, Iowa, 24 miles east of Des Moines and 333 west of Chicago, on the the Rock Island & Pacific railway, will be opened on May 6, for the season of 1885. This splendid hotel can accommodate 300 guests. All its appointments are first-class. Its tables are supplied with all the substantials and delacacies, and its parlors, reading and sleeping rooms with every convenience. Croquet, billiards, bowling alleys and other facilities for recreation. Thayer's orchestra engaged for the season.

The grounds include the "Old M. C." and Colfax springs, which are unequaled for their remedial virtues. Thousands certify to their efficacy; they are a powerful alterative and tonic, and an infallible cure for rheumatism, dyspepsia, indigestion and other ailments.

The Hotel Colfax furnishes the water fresh from the original fountains for drinking and bathing, hot or cold. Its charges are moderate, $10 per week and upward, Parties desiring quarters for the summer should secure them at once.

Literary Notes.

A thorough article discussing the game of whist, and the recent papers on that subject by Mr. R. A. Proctor, appears in the Outing for May. It is from the pen of one of the first authorities in the country, and will not fail to attract the attention of the rapidly increasing number of people who are interested in this scientific game.

Another of the charming illustrations to Wordsworth's sonnets by Mr. Alfred Parsons will appear in the May Harper's. The Pall Mall Gazette characterizes M. Parsons as now "the first landscape painter of England." He is still a young man, and is known to many Americans through the Damon and Pythias friendship between Mr. E. A. Abbey and himself.

It is a curious fact that one of the most famous poems in our language appeared originally in a magazine that seldom touches poetry at all, and the same periodical, after an interval of sixty-six years, now brings out another poem very similar in theme. Bryant's "Thanatopsis" was first printed in the North American Review for September, 1817. The May number of the Review, just out, has a poem by Robert Buchanan on "The New Buddha." The critics found fault with the Bryant's poem on the ground that it was un-Christian; it remains to be seen what they will say of Mr. Buchanan's. The question, "Has Christianity Benefited Woman?" is ably discussed in this number by Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Bishop J. L. Spalding. President J. L. Pickard writes on "Why Crime is Increasing," and David Dudley Field on "Industrial Co-operation," while Prof. Andrew F. West, of Princeton, contributes an article of great clearness and strength on "What is Academic Freedom?" James Payn, the English novelist, discusses "Success in Fiction," and T. F. Thiselton Dyer "Superstition in English Life." The new department of Comments keeps well up to the standard with which it started.

Real Estate Sales.

Delos Showerman to I. N. Conklin, Ypsilanti	$2,500
James Smith to C. and J. Smith, Dexter	3,000
Charles Darling to John E. O'Brien, Augusta	2,600
J. and J. C. Backers to Henry Koch, Webster	5,500
J. F. Jenter to M. Wurster, Manchester	930
Thos. Wilkinson to Helen M. Smith, Chelsea	650
G. Schneider to John E. Waugh, Delhi	950
Wm. D. Allen to Jacob Hassenzahl, Sharon	5,650
L. D. Hiscock to W. E. Bennett, Lodi	1,280
A. B. Derbyshire to H. S. Day, Augusta	1,000
John Schumacher to O. O. Sorg, Ann Arbor	225
William Jarvis to Patrick Rigney, Ypsilanti	150
Edson Clark to William Bush, York	350
Wm. Noble, by heirs, to Ross & Armstrong, Ann Arbor	3,500
Albert C. Hurd to W. R. and A. A. Lewis, Ypsilanti	150
Jacob A. Polhemus to Peter Long, Scio	7,600
Peter Long to Jacob A. Polhemus, Ann Arbor	7,000
DeForest M. Litchfield to Benj. Roper, Dexter vil,	50
John S. Pacey to S. Gage, Dexter	400
Wm. Beach to E. Beach, Lima	4,700
E. J. Beach to Wm. Beach, Lima	4,800
Emanuel Mann to Michael Stebler, Ann Arbor	400
Mary A. Stofflet to Isaac N. Aldrich, Ann Arbor	1,125

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The Ann Arbor Courier

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1885

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.

WANTED---ROOMS.

I wish to secure either furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, for the college year of '85 and '86. Address box 326 Ann Arbor, giving location and description of rooms.

FOR SALE—House, lot and barn, 89 Washington Street, on easy terms. Apply to J. H. Peebles, on the premises.

FOR SALE—Ten acres of land on Miller Ave., good for gardening or small fruits. To be sold cheap. Apply to Jas. Kearns, Register of Deeds office.

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LOST—Between Bach & Abel's corner and Maynard's Store on Ann Street, on Saturday last, 2 Lace Collars, of feather-edge braid. Return to this office, or to Mrs. GEO. BYCRAFT, High street.

WANTED—A German salesman also an American salesman, sales-lady and lady cashier—all experienced—for new Dry goods store in Ann Arbor. References required. Address Tuomey Bros., Jackson, Michigan.

2,000 wanted on first-class farm, five years, at 6 per cent. Those desiring to loan or borrow money, apply to O. L. Matthews, Ann Arbor, Mich.

WANTED—I will give one dollar each for the Michigan Manual of 1840, 1843 and 1849. Must be in good condition. Address O. A. Jenison, Lansing, Mich.

WANTED. All surviving soldiers of the Mexican war are entitled to three months extra pay. Also many pensioners entitled to increase. Apply to O. L. Matthews, Pension Attorney, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

FOR SALE—A first-class farm containing 91 acres, situated 2½ miles west of Dexter, good buildings, good fences, and a thrifty young orchard. Everything in tip-top shape about the premises, a reasonable payment on sale, and time on balance to suit purchaser. Enquire of A. R. BEAL, at COURIER office, Ann Arbor, or G. S. SILL, of Dexter.

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WATER-WORKS.

A new phase of this important question has come to the front, inasmuch as the governor has vetoed the amended city charter. He did it by reason of a pledge to the laboring men to help their interests and to secure to them the power of voting on all municipal questions of tax-raising whether they own taxable property or not.

Hitherto there has been a very proper safeguard in our charter making the electors on tax-raising questions those who pay the taxes. That clause is usually in city charters, and it has been the experience of cities which have not had it that they were not long in being so heavily in debt as to make taxes enormously high. For it stands to reason that if a large class do not have to pay for large works under the name of public improvements, and at the same time will get a good job thereby, they will not hesitate to vote it through, no matter how much the paying for it may embarrass the tax-payers.

Now THE COURIER would like to see water works in Ann Arbor, but it believes that we can better afford in the long run to go safely and carefully than hastily and pell-mell. We understand that the company which proposes to put in the works is a good one, but why should their proposition be rushed through the council at first reading and without allowing any other company to bid? Their proposition is open to some serious objections, since it practically proposes to give us water for drinking and cooking taken out of a frog pond. They charge $40 per hydrant and then allow water to be taken from it only for fire purposes, whereas that amount will not annually come in value to $10 per hydrant. We cannot use it for flushing sewers, supplying street sprinklers, public buildings and fountains or anything without paying the company whatever it may choose to ask. It is true, they have a proviso that we shall not pay higher than other cities in the state, but our nearest neighbor, in water works, Adrian, is at this very time in the midst of an expensive litigation with its water company over excessive water rates. Its experience should be valuable to us.

A special meeting of the Council was called Monday night to decide what to do about this new emergency, and owing to the extreme and unaccountable haste of some parties to rush the plan through at all hazards an attempt was made to have the charter amended so that every Tom, Dick and Harry of a tramp who comes along can vote taxes on the regular property—owners who have built up the city and propose to live here the rest of their days in peace, plenty and comfort. The bars were to be let down completely and the mob were to be invited to rush in for public spoils.

Happily some sober-minded citizens saw the dager and circulated a petition against it. This was numerously signed by leading men, *who wanted water-works and had voted for it election day.* But they did not want water-works at the expense of danger of ruining this fair city of ours. So, backed by this strong petition, when a resolution to amend the charter by removing all property qualifications was offered it very properly was defeated by the resolution of Alderman Martin. The vote, 8 to 6 was a signal triumph of good sense and safe measures. Those who voted for retaining the charter as formerly were Aldermen Hudson, Keating, Poland, Ware, Martin, Biggs, the Mayor and Recorder.

Every man who owns a house or bit of ground in the city is interested in this and will keep his eyes open. For if schemes are carried which make heavy tax burdens it affects the value of his property by just so much and tends to make it unsalable. Those who have gone this far for water-works will not stop now, and while the people desire it they must remember that "Eternal vigilance is the Price of Safety."

Ann Arbor ought to have a system of water works. It is of considerable importance to the city, and it is still more important to have the interests of the city properly protected in so great a matter. If a company is to do it, which plan seems the most feasible, the city does not want to give a valuable franchise without first securing itself from future embarrassments and extortions. To secure this protection there should be a board of water commissioners elected by the people, whose duty should be to look after the construction of the works, the sewerage, the adjustment of rates, etc.

Gov. Alger is making a big mistake in requiring of every city charter that comes under his approval the wiping out of the clause submitting propositions to raise money to a vote of the electors instead of to the tax payers. Such a theory is false and dangerous.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

For once in her life Canada has Riel trouble.

THERE is so much fault found about Arbor Day freezing up, why couldn't Gov. Alger give the forest culturists another chance?

Mr. Conkling must have a good deal of sympathy with the Canadians just now. It was the half breeds that drove him to retirement.

THE Coldwater Sun has made the following discovery: "We notice that Bishop Gillespie says ay-men instead of ahmen in his prayers."

IF A FEW other counties would adopt the swift justice that Jackson county did in the case of the murderer Halstead, there would be fewer crimes committed in Michigan.

"GRANT'S victory over death, is his latest and his best," says the Detroit Post. How about his victory over the doctors that attend him? Isn't it quite as grand and good?

The Howell Republican, which entered its 31st volume with the last issue, is a paper that our Livingston county neighbors ought to be pleased with. It is a clean, neat, able journal.

WONDER what the Lordly Roscoe thinks now about his assertion that "anybody can carry Michigan?" But with the right sort of leaders and leadership Michigan is surely republican, nevertheless.

THE present congress is made up so largely of democratic political accidents that the men of brains like S. S. Cox, of New York, are glad to accept a foreign mission and get out of it.

FROM agricultural reports to the bureau at Washington the conclusion has been reached that the wheat crop, this year, on account of less acreage sown, and winter-killing, will be about 100,000,000 bushels less than last year.

It is quite amusing to hear some of our esteemed exchanges tell "the reason why" the republican party got left in its recent engagement. It can be told in few words: Lack of votes. And lack of votes was caused by lack of enthusiasm, that's all.

GEN. SHAKESPEARE seemed to have a peculiar way of his own to make money out of the cloth furnished the soldier boys for their uniforms. Our democratic exchanges that are so horrified over the action of Supt. Gass better "look to home" for nasal exudation.

THE solid south and New York are the only sections solid with President Cleveland, judging by his appointments. Two-thirds from the south and one-third from New York. The great central and western states have none worthy of honoring, even with postoffices.

Pension Agent Post, being politely requested to resign his position by Congressman Maybury, so that the latter might place one of his henchmen therein, just as politely refused to accommodate the suave Billy. And the general opinion is that Congressman Billy made a bad mistake.

Tom Navin is in prison and has been put to work as book-keeper for the Webster wagon contract. The position he was given proved to be much better than he expected would be given him. He keeps up good spirits.—Chesaning Argus.

Now the question naturally arises, why should Navin be treated any better than any other thief confined in the state prison?

THE Three Rivers Tribune don't give up the battle yet: "Monday's battle proved a regular 'Bull Run' to the republicans of Michigan, and the 'rebel yell' of victory is loud and tantalizing. But never mind. We are only repulsed, not vanquished. There will be a 'Gettysburg' and an 'Appomattox' next."

IF YOU are among the number who have a great fortune of several million dollars or less in Europe somewhere, just trade off your claim for a good buck saw and saw buck with some body, and you will be that much ahead, while the fellow you traded with will go down in sorrow to a pauper's doom—just as like as not.

FRANKLIN FISHER, fifteen years old, and Frank Ables, another boy sawed and corded twelve cords of hard wood in one day this week in Woodbridge.—Hillsdale Leader. The Leader man leaves us in dense darkness as to the kind of saw the boys used. Was it a hand saw or cross-cut? Don't let the suspense last any longer.

THE Lansing Republican thus speaks the minds of many Washtenawians: "Captain E. P. Allen of Ypsilanti was in the city on Friday and made the Republican office a friendly call. He is the same genial gentleman as ever, and if the citizens of the second district know their interests, will have congressman written before his name one of these days.

THE way wheat went up the scale when it looked as if war between England and Russia could not be averted, is only equaled by the way it has slid down the scale since more peaceful news comes from these two great powers. But if, as the agricultural bureau at Washington predicts, the wheat crop in this country should be 100,000,000 bus. short this year, stronger prices would necessarily rule.

THE following incident shows how deep and permanent is the hold of Gen. Grant upon the affections of his people, especially the old veterans who served under him: "A poor old man in seedy garments, who said he had traveled on foot from Galena, Ill., and had known and fought under General Grant, paused in front of the general's house at 6:30 Saturday morning and, doffing his weather-beaten hat, praved loud and fervently for his recovery. When he turned to go the tears were coursing down the veteran's face."

AS BETWEEN England and Russia the sympathies of the people of the United States can but be with England. Her civilization, her near kindship, her every feature draws the American people to her in such a struggle as a war between those two great nations would be. Although not sympathizing in the least with England's cruel treatment of Ireland, yet when it comes to a choice between the semi-barbarous nation of Russia, and England, it will not take an American long to make up his mind.

GRADUALLY is the idea of cremation becoming popular, and the establishment of new crematories in different sections of the country is occasionally announced in the press. Scientists claim that when this method of disposing of the dead shall overcome the prejudice grown up by hundreds of years of custom, and become universal, a great step will have been taken in the way of annihilating disease, especially contagious and epidemic, and that the length of human life will be materially extended. But that will not be in our day.

THE tendency of newspaper men to stick their nose into the private affairs of people and publish things which the public have no business to know, is reprehensible and contemptible. The story that Mrs. Garfield was to be married soon, is a case in point. The story was a base lie from beginning to end, without any foundation of truth, and it was no one's business particularly had it been true. There is a legitimate field for newspaper men to cultivate, and when they step outside and make public the private affairs of any person or family they are doing wrong.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has issued a proclamation restoring to the Winnebago and Crow Creek Indians the lands in Dakota known as the Winnebago reservation, on the east bank of the Missouri river, which was opened up to settlement by President Arthur. This action has caused intense indignation throughout Dakota, and it is asserted that much hardship will ensue among the many settlers who have just completed seeding, and have all they possess invested in the claims they took in good faith from the government. The action of President Cleveland is quite generally condemned as being unwise and uncalled for.

"CLEANLINESS IS NEXT TO GODLINESS."

EDITOR COURIER:—In the first inaugural address, delivered March 4th, 1861, our martyred President Abraham Lincoln whose consumate knowledge of men, of the hidden springs of human actions, of their motives and methods, has been the wonder and admiration of the world, he said:

"Nothing valuable can be lost by taking time. If there be an object to hurry any of you in hot haste to a step which you would never take deliberality, that object will be frustrated by taking time; but no good object can be frustrated by it."

And Henry Word Beecher,—whatever may be said of him in many respects,—whose abilities and knowledge of men were never questioned, in his great speech for the union at Liverpool, England October 16th, 1863 said:

"I have always held it to be an unfailing truth that where a man had a cause that would bear an examination he was perfectly willing to have it spoken about."

In the light of the above would it be pertinent to ask why the voice of inquiry into the main features of the Goodhue & Birnie contract was stifled in the council chamber before election, and the whole matter rushed through without descussion. And why, at the first meeting of the new, present council, when six new members had just taken their seats; when a new contract differing in material points from the former, and less favorable to the city had been presented and time asked to examine it; their wish were overriden and the thing, which gave away a valuable franchise *without any protection whatever of the interests of the city,* was put through under whip and spur. But not satisfied with that, only last Monday night, it was attempted in the common council to place the city still more firmly under the feet of this corporation by the adoption of a resolution requesting the Legislature to repeal that greatest safeguard in our city charter of the taxpayers from fraudulent and burdensome taxation—viz. that no extra taxes shall be levied without first obtaining the consent of the *taxpaying* electors. To repeal this would put it in the power of any designing rascals to colonize a horde of vagabonds in the city and vote taxes upon the property owners which would ruin them forever. All thanks to the vigilant guardians of the people's interests who stood in the council as a wall against those who rushed the iniquitous water contract in "hot haste" refusing all investigation and examination, and now seek to remove from the poor man with his small house the only protection against the taxation of powerful and grasping monopolies.

It is greatly to be feared that the cleansing to be accomplished by the water contract consists chiefly in cleansing the pockets of the taxpayers of their ready cash and leaving godliness as their only worldly possesion. Truly under this benevolent scheme "cleanliness is next to godliness"—taxpayers to be completely "cleaned out" with only godliness to fall back on. The devious ways of men are past finding out. Yea, verily.

GOTTLEIB MERGLE.

One of Washtenaw's Pioneers.

The following sketch of one of the old pioneers of this county was prepared by Mrs. R. C. Whiting, of this city:

Mrs. Abby Warner Hayes Smith, was born in the seaport town of Gloucester, Massachusetts, in the year 1811. Her father, Elias W. Hayes, was captain of a brig sailing the ocean, being a privateer in the year of 1812—capturing many prizes from the enemy, being twice taken prisoner by pirates, sometimes gone four years at a time. In his fifty-fifth year he removed with his family to Michigan, locating on a farm about two miles east of Dexter, where he lived for three years when he removed to Ohio for a short period, then returned to Michigan making his home with the subject of this sketch; he and his wife both dying at her home. Her grandfather, John Tucker, was a captain in the revolutionary war, under General Lafayette.

In 1824, a cousin of Miss Hayes, married, Captain John Dix, of Lowell, Massachusetts, who had previously come to Michigan and bought of the government four hundred acres of land at ten shillings—$1.25 per acre, embracing that portion named in honor of him Dixboro, and of which he was post-master nine years.

Mrs. Dix, when she left as a bride to come to her far off home, extracted a promise of Miss Hayes that she would come and make her home with her, but her father for a long time objected, not caring to have her leave her home—she being a great pet—but Abby, fond of adventure, would give him no rest till she had obtained his consent; so embracing the first favorable opportunity, at the age of fourteen—although so petite she was taken for ten—in company with Mr. Lewis Cook and wife of Detroit, who had been east on a visit, and also the brother of Mrs. Dix, she set out on her perilous, tedious journey, in the month of March, 1825, arriving here June 27th. The way was fraught with many difficulties—most of the way by stage, and at that day the roads especially after reaching Michigan, were rough crossways, some in process of construction—so that Miss Hayes often alighted and walked in preference to riding. About fifteen miles this side of Detroit, it occupying two days to accomplish the journey, they stayed at a tavern over night, the occupants numbering thirty with only one room below and another above.

The ladies who numbered about half, slept below and the gentlemen above. In the morning, when the ladies wished to make their toilet, the gentlemen were politely invited to repair to the bar-room, which, of course, was out under the shade of umbrageous trees on the lovely June morning.

Miss Hayes made her home with her cousin till she married, seven years subsequently.

In 1827, Miss Mary Page, sister of the Rev. William Page, pastor of the Presbyterian church, opened a select school for young ladies in Ann Arbor, and Miss Hayes availed herself of the opportunity of attending, boarding the first three months with Lawyer Marcus Lane and his sister, who afterwards married Robert Geddes, well known to many of our citizens. They lived near Justice Edward Clark, with whose daughter, Lucy Ann, afterwards Mrs. Judge Kingsley, she was very intimate. Mrs. Dr. Denton, Mrs. Olney Hawkins, and Mrs. John Maynard were among her schoolmates.

The second quarter she boarded at John Allen's. Judge Dexter, who carried the mail on horseback to and from Dexter to Ann Arbor, stopped at Mr. Allen's, and from time to time while waiting to refresh himself and horse, being a good mathematician, helped Miss Hayes solve many a difficult problem.

Whenever Miss Hayes wished to go home she had to ford the Huron, many times tumultuous and boisterous, and it was usually on horseback.

The fourth of July after her arrival, was the first public celebration in Ann Arbor, and she with her cousin's husband, Mr. Dix, went horseback, she riding behind, with her arm about his waist to secure safety. She said, 'Oh! how my arm ached next day.' A bower of bushes was erected in which an oration was delivered, a table spread and a good substantial dinner laid and partaken of with gusto by about fifty or sixty celebrants.

Her version of the naming of Ann Arbor is, that it was named for Mrs. John Allen, whose name was Ann and Arbor added because the whole place was an arbor, it being oak openings and prairie, which would conflict with the story of the three Anns taking tea in the arbor theory.

In 1831, a company of thirteen went over to Jackson on horsback to celebrate the 4th of July. Among whom were Colonel Jewett, Clonel Wilcoxson, Judge Clark, Captain Dix and his cousin, Sherman Dix, Miss Hayes, and Miss Frances Trask. Col. Wilcoxson delivered the oration. On the way over Col. Wilcoxson in fording Spoon creek, riding a small horse, and he being tall with long limbs wet his feet, so the party halted on a bluff or rise of ground near by to take refreshments and give the Col an opportunity for drying his socks. He took them off, rung them out and hung them on a bush to dry, but probably did not wait to give them a long enough sunning; at any rate, he took a severe cold, resulting in his death soon after. The party rode over on the third, remained over the fourth, returning the fifth a right merry calvacade. The tavern, a log one at which they stopped, was put up just before to accommodated expected guests. There was one house which they passed between Ann Arbor and Jackson, and that was about eight miles out from Ann Arbor. The party thought the location of Jackson was low and unprombising, but the morning of the fourth they mounted their steeds and took a scamper of about eight miles' circuit and decided the country was very pleasant. On the way home, it being a very warm day Miss Trask became quite thirsty, and seeing some children carrying a pail of water, drank so profusely that dangerous illness ensued, but from which, more fortunately than the Colonel, she recovered. Jackson was then called Jacksonburg.

Miss Hayes was married to Earl Sydney Smith, at the house of Captain Dix, on the first day of May, 1832, a young farmer near Scio village, where they lived 25 years and reared a family of six children, then went to Buffalo where they remained three years, then removed to Canada, Middlesex county, where they lived 25 years, finally returning and settling near Reed City, celebrating their golden wedding about one year prior to Mr. Smith's death. Since his decease, Mrs. S., a hale, hearty, old lady of seventy-four, as full as ever of activities, cheerful as a young person, known and beloved as Grandma Smith, has alternated between her children's homes, staying part of the time with Mrs. Foster Litchfield, of Dexter, and with her sons James and Will am Smith near Reed City, her only surviving children.

WE notice that Hon. C. P. Black, of Caro is a candidate for U. S. district attorney for the eastern district of Michigan. Well, Mr. Black, is not near as black as his name would indicate. In fact he is a pretty white man for a democrat, and his party would honor itself by making so excellent a choice.

ABOUT THE WEATHER.

REMINISENCES CONTINUED.

In 1842, the State Journal of Ann Arbor, of November 23d said:

"The weather for a few days past has been extremely cold for the season. Winter seems to have come upon us in good earnest. The prophecy of a New Hampshire editor has thus far been fully verified."

Edwin Lawrence, one of our respected citizens was editor of the Journal at that date. The same paper says, January 4th, 1843:

"Monday—New Year—was spent by many of our citizens in an interchange of good feeling, by making the merry New Year call. We undertook the business about noon on foot (the times being so hard that we could not procure a conveyance), but the weather was so extremely boisterous and cold, that we soon concluded that any further efforts on our part to discharge so agreeable a duty would cost more than it was reasonably worth, and we have only to say, that if any one feels in the least neglected, we herewith tender him or her our most profound regrets."

Same paper of February 15, '43, says:

"It is said by our oldest inhabitants that there has not been for many years a winter in which so much and so good sleighing was experienced in Michigan. It will compare very well with a down-east winter excepting two things—we can't get but about one foot of snow and the theremometer won't go much below zero. If the snow were seven feet deep, and the thermometer down to forty degrees below zero, as they sometimes have them in New England, we might complain a little. But as things are here, we don't see why we may not call this an excellent winter—adapted alike to business and pleasure."

The same paper January 31, 1844, says:

"Wheat is now worth 70 cents. Last year at this time it was worth 44 to 50 cents.

"Rochester, New York market, February 3. Flour, $4; beef, $1.50 to $2.00 per 100 pounds. Pork, $3 to $4.

"New York—Flour, $4.75 per bbl.; pork, $7.75 per bbl."

The same paper, February 21, says:

"We presume finer apples were never raised than were produced in this county last season, 1843, after the long and severe winter."

Same paper of March 13:

"Steamboats are running between Detroit and Cleveland."

The same paper of March 27, says:

"Lake Erie is free from ice, and the Ohio and Pennsylvania canals are already in operation."

The spring and fore part of the summer of 1844 was exceedingly wet. The excitement in politics in 1844 overshadowed all other interests, and the papers almost entirely neglected local matters.

The same paper of November 13, says, that the

"Wheat crop of 1843, following the hard winter, was greater by some millions of bushels than was ever before raised in the United States."

Polk elected president 1844. Large crops every where that year.

The winter of 1842–43, was remarkable for its length, and an almost uninterrupted snow storm from the 17th day of November, 1842, until April, 1843. The winter was one of comparative mildness, the mercury, except a very few days, never falling below zero, and, but for the suffering and loss of stock, would have been regarded as rather a pleasant winter. This loss was caused by the inadequate provision made for them in the fall. Farmers not having had comparatively any experience with such winters, provided only such supplies as had been amply sufficient for previous winters, did not save their straw and coarse fodder, and the result was that before March, nearly all food for stock was exhausted, and starvation in many of the newly settled counties was the sad experiment. I think it safe to say that the suffering and loss that spring was greater than from all other causes combined for the whole time the country has been settled. In this county, though there was considerable difficulty in carrying the stock through, the loss was not so great as in many other parts of the state.

Some of our oldest and best farmers, however, were put to great inconvenience to save their stock. Col. Orrin White, one among the first settlers in Ann Arbor, purchased some timbered land in Ingham county. He was obliged to drive all his young cattle to that county and cut timber to browse them, and thus save their lives. Gen. Edward Clark, informs me, that some time in February or March, he went with his team to St. Joseph county, to procure food to keep his horses from perishing. In many instances straw beds were emptied to furnish food for stock. Straw from stacks, two and three years old, was devoured with a relish.

Mr. John Cowan, a rich farmer of Sharon, told me a few days since, that he went with a team to St. Joseph county for grain, and was only able to procure a part of a load, and on his way home bought at Marshall 40 bushels of wheat screenings for which he paid a high price, and with that kept his stock through.

The snow furnished good sleighing for town meeting.

But the spring came, and better crops were never raised in the state than in 1843. I think I may truthfully say that that was the longest winter, and 1884–85 the coldest one ever experienced in Michigan by white people.

I do not say that the mercury has never been so low before, for that would not be true, for a record of the weather before me shows that the mercury has often recorded as low a condition of the weather, and even lower than on any day of 1885, but only for a day or two in succession, whereas in 1885, the severe cold continued for many days with scarcely a change. I will continue this subject in future numbers of the COURIER.

LORENZO DAVIS.

Common Council Proceedings.

A special session of the council was held Monday evening, with a full council present.

On recommendation of City Marshal Fall and the police committee, Fred Sipfley, Homer B. Henderson and Wm. Campion were appointed patrolmen for the coming year.

Petitions were received from Noah W. Cheever, Moses Seabolt, W. B. Smith, Chas. Spoor, F. G. Schleicher and 42 others, asking the council not to change the city charter so as to allow all of the electors of the city to vote in the raising of money, instead of the tax payers only, as it now reads, which were received and filed.

Ald. Lawrence offered the following:

Resolved, That E. B. Pond be directed to prepare an amendment to the charter striking out the works tax payers and inserting electors in sec. 2, title V. of the charter.

To which Ald. Martin offered the following substitute:

Resolved, That the common council of the city of Ann Arbor do most respectfully submit to his excellency, the Governor of Michigan, its protest against amending the charter so that money for municipal purposes shall be raised by vote of electors instead of by vote of tax-payers of said city.

The question recurring upon the amendment, it was adopted, by a vote of 8 yeas and 6 nays.

Discussion upon this point was had by Alds. Lawrence and Hiscock in opposition to the substitute and by D. Cramer, Esq., in favor of the same.

Ald. Hiscock, from committee to whom was referred bonds of city officers, etc., reported favorably upon those of the Recorder, constables Sutherland and Gidley and Mann Bros. druggists, and returned several others for correction.

George Campbell, Hopkinsville, Ky. says Burdock Blood Bitters is the best preparation for the Blood and Stomach ever manufactured.

DIED

SMITH—At Detroit on Sunday, April 20th, Mildred B., infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Smith, formerly of Ann Arbor.

OUR GREAT SILK

AND

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Fire Department Officers.

The following are the officers recently chosen by the fire department, for the coming year, the same to be approved by the common council at its next regular meeting:

Chief Engineer—Moses Seabolt.
First Assistant Engineer—R. F. Sanford.
Second Assistant Engineer—P. Dignan.
Treasurer—C. H. Worden.
Secretary—N. D. Gates.
Steward—J. McIntyre.

WARDENS.

1st ward—Fred Schmid, Casper Rinsey.
2nd ward—Wm. Henz, John Lucas.
3d ward—John Dow, W. E. Walker.
4th ward—M. Clark, John Fogarty.
5th ward—G. H. Rhodes, W. Porter.
6th ward—E. B. Gidley, P. D. Woodruff.

The treat which our musicians are to enjoy on Saturday evening next at University hall, is thus spoken of by the New York Times: "Mme. Carreno, of course, carried off the honors of the evening. The more she is heard, the more evident it is that this accomplished artiste is a pianiste of rare ability. She always plays with force, yet with feminine grace. Her reading is technically accurate, but, modified by taste and sentiment, and is almost beyond criticism. Last night she played in her best manner, and the verdict of the audience evidently was, that in Mme. Carreno they had listened to an artiste of the first rank. There are only a few pianistes who have any right to claim rivalship with Mme. Carreno."

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There is not a household in which this invaluable remedy has once been introduced where its use has ever been abandoned, and there is not a person who has ever given it a proper trial for any throat or lung disease susceptible of cure, who has not been made well by it.

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The Chelsea Art Loan.

ED. COURIER:—The M. E. Art Loan, which was held at Chelsea, during the past week, was well attended and a success in every way.

Lewis & Gibson, of Ann Arbor, gave a fine display of photographs, paintings and artistic goods.

Randal & Burnham also gave some very fine exhibits in the same line.

Among the private collections that of Mr. J. E. Beal, of Ann Arbor, was universally admired.

Maj. Ives, of Mason, exhibited a table of soldier equipments &c. which delighted the boys. COM.

M. L. Blair, Alderman 5th ward, Scranton, Pa., stated Nov. 9, '83, he had used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for sprains burns, cuts and rheumatism.

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The Late Mrs. Brigham.

At St. Andrew's church last Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, was held the last sad rites over the remains of Mrs. Sophronia Brigham, widow of the late Dr. Philip S. Brigham, and mother of Miss Jane E. Brigham, and Mrs. Moloney, of Detroit, all former residents of this city. Deceased was in the 89th year of her age, and was one of the pioneers of this county, having come to Ann Arbor to live in the year 1829. She was beloved by a large circle of friends in this city. Following is a brief sketch of her life:

Mrs. Sophronia Brigham, who died in Detroit on Friday morning at the age of 89 years, was one of the oldest, if not the oldest, in point of residence, of any living white person in Michigan.

Her husband was Dr. Philip S. Brigham, with whom she settled at Ann Arbor, in the then territory of Michigan, in the year 1829. Dr. Brigham died in the year 1850. In his lifetime he was widely known in Michigan. After his death Mrs. Brigham lived on the old homestead at Ann Arbor, and generations of students from all parts of the country knew and loved her.

She was the oldest communicant of the Episcopal church in the state, and probably had as large an acquaintance with the people of Michigan as any citizen now living.

Mrs. Brigham was a woman of remarkable vigor of mind, and until her last illness was fully informed on all the current events and topics, discussing them with rare intelligence and originality.

Even at her great age she was one of the most entertaining and winning of women.

Of a family of nine children but three survive her—Mrs. Molony and Miss Jane E. Brigham of Detroit, and Mrs. John G. James of Texas.

Of grand-children, John B. Molony, S. B. Sinclair, Mrs. Don M. Dickinson, Mrs. Geo. T. Olmstead, Miss Marguerite Sinclair, Miss Kate B. Molony and the Misses Kathleen and Annie Trowbridge, all of Detroit, survive her.

The enervation and lassitude of spring time are but indications of the sluggish action of the blood, over-loaded with carbonates accumulated by the use of heating food in winter. This condition may be remedied by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier known.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1885

Ann Arbor Post Office.

Ann Arbor Time. Office Hours:

General.....7:30 a. m to 8:00 p. m
Sundays.....9:00 to 10:00 a. m.

Closing and Opening of Mails.

Mails Close—GOING EAST.

Lock pouch to Detroit..... 7:15 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids R. P. O..... 10:35 a. m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 5:00 p. m.
" " " R. P. O..... 8.00 p. m.

GOING WEST.

Detroit, Jackson & Niles..... 8:00 a. m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 10:10 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids..... 5:00 p.m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 8:00 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 9:40 a. m.

GOING SOUTH.

Lock Pouch to Toledo..... 7:15 a. m.
South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 2:40 p. m.

MAILS DISTRIBUTED

(Eastern.)

Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 9.45 a. m.
Detroit mail..... 9:20 a m.
Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 11.80 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids..... 6:30 p. m.

(Western.)

Detroit & Chicago R. P. O..... 7:45 a. m.
Detroit & Grand Rapids..... 11,12 a. m.
Detroit & Chicago R.tP. O..... 6:30 p. m.

(Northern.]

South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 3:30 p.m.

(Southern.)

South Lyon & Toledo R. P. O..... 11:00 a. m.
Lock pouch from Toledo..... 7:45 a. m.

Ann Arbor & Whitmore Lake mail closes 9:30 a. m., and is distributed 6:30 p. m.

J. C. KNOWLTON, P. M.

Dated, Dec. 1, 1884.

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

LOCAL.

The frogs, even, have not croaked much over the weather this spring.

The building vacated by F. Rettich, Jr., is to be occupied by Adolph Hoffstetter.

The Huron cornet band is an Ann Arbor institution that is coming to the front.

Larry O'Toole will hereafter be found in the store with C. M. King, on Washington st.

There will be several opportunities to see the elephant this summer. Three circuses coming.

The first Monday in May is when the Auditor General sells the lands advertised for taxes.

The order of Sons of St. George is to give a supper and entertainment to-morrow evening.

Representative Sutton, of this district attended the governor's reception at Detroit last week.

Frank Hangsterfer will have sixteen boats in his Huron river flotilla as soon as navigation opens.

Geo. B. Alexander has been appointed agent for the Grinnell Bros. in this city, and will make the sewing machine business hum.

J. H. Peebles has sold his house and lot corner of Washington and Ingalls sts., to Edmund Clancy, formerly of Northfield, for $3,000.

Martin Clark says that in the late contest for the judicial ermine he had the consolation of being left with his Honor, Judge Cooley.

The assertion that Washtenaw county is out of debt and has $15,000 in her treasury, is another whopper. If such be the fact, why vote $12,000 for a new jail?

Henry Cornwell on North Division st. is the boss calf raiser. He lately sold to Butcher Meuth, on Detroit st., a calf only four months old which weighed 400 pounds.

The high school building will be furnished with water for $25 per annum, and the city hall and various engine houses for $20 each. A figure very reasonable, to say the least.

The lawyers of the state have decided to secure a portrait by Ives, of Judge Cooley, to be hung in the supreme court room. A sufficient amount has already been subscribed therefor.

Ottmar Eberbach and Conrad Schneider are delegates from the Turn-Verein Society of this city, to the state convention which meets in Kalamazoo on the 25th, 26th and 27th of May.

To the everlasting credit of Ann Arbor be it said, that not a copy of either the Police News or Gazette are taken here. That is a thing to brag about. Much evil is done by vile literature.

Evart H. Scott has orders for 175,000 strawberry, and other small fruit plants. Orders from as far south as Georgia, as far west as California, and as far east as Massachusetts and Canada have been received.

The Delhi mills included in the assignment of Frank Goodale, have been rented to Allmendinger & Schneider, of this city. This firm is composed of wide-awake, enterprising gentlemen, and they will make a success of it.

Wheat is coming in quite freely at 94 @ 96c. per bushel, though some of the farmers having secured $1 per bushel, others are waiting for the same figure Flour is quoted at $5.75 for family grade, and $6.75 for patent process.

Married at Leadville, Col., on April 6th by the Rev. Dr. Hayes, Miss Nellie Stebbins, and Mr. Jessie K. Truman. Miss Stebbins formerly lived in this city and is the daughter of the late Frank Stebbins, and grand-daughter of Wm. S. Maynard.

A man who credits another man with dishonest purposes and intents because he thinks and votes differently from himself on questions of public policy, will bear watching. Such a man is undoubtedly actuated by private gain more than the public good.

Adrian Times: "Prof. Lovejoy, of Ann Arbor, has been here endeavoring to secure a class in pipe organ and piano practice. The gentleman's deft handling of the keys unlocked sweet music from the Baptist church new pipe organ last Sunday morning."

The Lansing Republican pays one of our city fathers this compliment:

"Herb" Hudson, a former Lansing boy, now the genial landlord of the Cook house at Ann Arbor, was chosen alderman on the republican ticket at the recent election in the first ward of that city, by 60 majority. As the ward is reliably democratic it shows that "Herb" has lost none of the good graces which gained him so many friends in the home of his boyhood.

There will be another entertainment of the Juvenile Temperance School about six weeks from now to be held at the Opera House. All children are invited to become members of this school, which meets every Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 5, over Mr. Noble's clothing store.

The Presbytery of Detroit met at Milford last week, together with the woman's board of missions. Rev. Dr. Steele and John Moore, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whiting, Prof. Payne, and Mrs. M. Gelston represented the Ann Arbor church. The occasion is reported to have been one of great excellence.

Ann Arbor, having from 1,500 to 2,000 young people, from all parts of the nation, and in fact all parts of the world, constantly in attendance upon her schools, will be in position to advertise her water works grandly if they are properly put in and all right. And the same if they are not all O. K.

W. E. Boyden attended the sale of short horns held by A. S. Brooks, of Wixom, a few days since, and reports that every thing went off in good shape. The average for 21 females sold was $144 each and 8 males brought $100 each. This included the entire herd, including several calves. The animals sold went into the northern part of the state mostly, and the prices were considered excellent. Mr. Boyden bought one heifer, but sold it again at an advance

Thermometer 84° in the shade on Tuesday.

The Cook house is being repainted and renovated inside.

Jack Loney prides himself upon his spanking nice team.

The storm-houses at the court house have been taken down.

E. B. Freer has been appointed deputy for Lima, by Sheriff Walsh.

Three special meetings of the council have been held this month.

Judge Joslyn did not go to Howell as advertised to exchange with Judge Newton.

Forepaugh announces that his show will be in Michigan from the 8th to the 30th of June.

The Ann Arbor agricultural works shipped a $2,300 car load of machinery to Milwaukee last week.

Where's our street cleaning and leveling machines? Now is a good time for them to commence business.

Walter S. Hicks of this place is general manager of a new Hoptonic company just organized at Grand Rapids.

An Ypsilantian has bought the northern brewery of the Frey estate for $11,000. N. B.—His name is not Chaspatison.

Cascade glen is fast becoming a victim to the cupidity of man. The beautiful spot will soon be shorn of its beauty.

On the 18th inst., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beuham (nee Amelia Jacobus) of Hamburg, rejoiced in the advent of a daughter.

The M. C. depot is one of the most picturesque and quaint old landmarks of a former civilization in the state—so stated.

The workmen tearing down the old Devaney block have had to stop because of the danger of the side walls tumbling down.

Richard Stubbs, of Ann Arbor, died April 21st, at the age of 85 years, of paralytic stroke. He was born in Dublin, Ireland.

An inspection has been ordered for Welch post No. 137, G. A. R., by Inspector General Hampton, for Friday evening, May 8th.

Sunday was the first spring day that has beamed upon us so far. But then, people never make garden much until into May any way.

The new style shirt is a daisy. Front, cuffs and collar of colored goods, the rest white, warranted not to bite, kick, cuff or scratch.

When one firm can pile up over 100 rolls, 8,000 yards, of carpeting in one lot in front of their store, it don't look much like hard times.

Jacob A. Polhemus has traded his farm in Scio for the block of stores just north of the postoffice, owned by Peter Long. The price paid was $7,000.

Geo. P. Wright, of Bridgewater, will address the temperance meeting next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Main st. over Noble's clothing store.

A serious accident occurred at Delhi last Saturday, by which a man named John Card, of Wayne county, lost his life—being run over by the cars.

Next Saturday, the 25th, the Ann Arbor Water Company is to hold a meeting at the office of Goodhue & Birnie, in Springfield, Mass., for the election of officers.

The question of water works never should have been allowed to have interfered with the city charter. It should have come up as a distinct and separate proposition.

Next Monday night the Beethoven Gesang Verein of this city, assisted by the the Gesang Verein's Harmonie, of Jackson will give its sixth annual concert at Beethoven hall.

The May meeting of the Pomological society will be omitted on account of the pressure of work. A strawberry exhibit will be one of the principal features of the June meeting.

Cannot Ann Arbor people afford to buy a good lot up town somewhere for the new jail, and trade it with the county for their lot way down on the flats? Or can they not? Whatchersay?

The position and standing of the Hon. A. J. Sawyer in this community, if nothing more, should have shielded him from the publicity given his recent unfortunate illness, by the public prints.

The home missionary society of the Detroit Presbytery, which met in Milford last week, elected Miss Kate M. Hall, president, and Mrs. M. B. Gelston corresponding secretary. Both residents of this city.

A broken-axle on a freight cars caused a slight smash-up on the M. C., a couple of miles east of this city Sunday, and a lot of tramps on board got a bad shaking up, and two of them got in jail by the operation.

Courtney Burlingame, a seven year old son of Thos. Burlingame, of Ann Arbor, broke his right forearm yesterday by falling out of a hammock. The same little fellow had his leg broken two or three years since.

Down near the second railroad bridge scavengers have dumped the dead bodies of horses, dogs, etc., and the crows are doing the work that man ought to have done. cleaning the carcasses of superfluous flesh.

Land has been bought, surveys made, and prospects are excellent for a new M C. R. R. depot. In case the improvements are all made which are in contemplation by the M. C. people, there will be much rejoicing by the traveling public hereabouts.

A fine exhibition of water color paintings is now being held at Randall & Burnham's art gallery on Huron street, and will continue for several days. The exhibit is really a beautiful one and any lover of art can find much food for thought, and a real feast for his eyes in looking it over.

"Our charter is right." "It is built on the correct principle," "Those who have the taxes to pay should vote the money." And yet every man who voted last Monday night to retain the charter as it is is a rascal, and every one who voted to change it is an unusually safe and honest man. Queer, isn't it?

The Detroit Post having just put in a plant of the Edison electric light, naturally feels pretty well over the improvement from gas, and in its enthusiasm it claims to be "the only newspaper office in Michigan illuminated by the Edison incandescent light." Not so, good friend, THE COURIER office was the first in the state to use it as it has been running successfully here since the first of last December.

The Manchester Enterprise pays Judge Harriman the following compliment, through its Ann Arbor correspondent: "Judge W. D. Harriman, on resigning the mayoralty of our city, was courteously accorded the unanimous thanks of the common council for the able and impartial manner in which he has conducted the sessions of that body for the past two years. Our citizens, foe and friend, are pronounced in their assertions that the Judge has been the most competent wielder of the gavel the city has had for years."

The sad intelligence is received that Isaac Wynkup died at his home in the 5th ward this morning, at 1 o'clock, a. m., of inflammation of the lungs. He was born in Bucks county, Pa., in 1817, and was consequently 68 years of age. He came to Michigan in 1837, settling upon a farm in Salem, where he has resided until a few years ago, when he moved to Ann Arbor. Mr. Wynkup was one of Washtenaw's best known men. He had been supervisor of Salem several years, and was a person who had strong convictions of right and a great fund of good common sense. Among the people he was always beloved for his nobleness of character and strict integrity. His death will cause a feeling of sadness in many a home in Washtenaw, where he was known and esteemed.

PERSONALS.

Hon. A. J. Sawyer, is rapidly improving, we are happy to state.

Miss Sarah Henriques, of Philadelphia, is visiting he sister on Fifth st.

Miss Helen Steere of Saginaw, has been visiting her brother, Prof. Steere.

Prof. C. M. Gayley contemplates going abroad during the summer vacation.

C. E. Wyman, owner of the Palace Rink, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city.

Miss Viola Bliss was called to Howell last week by the death of her grandmother.

Robert E. Frazer is to remove to Detroit soon to enter the firm of Barbour & Rexford.

Mr. Calkins of this city, fills a prescription clerk's position in a Pontiac drug store.

Rev. R. B. Pope left yesterday for a trip to New Orleans and other southern cities.

Mrs. Dr. Breakey went to Detroit Saturday and remained with friends until yesterday.

Henry M. Tabor left Ann Arbor Saturday last for Dakota, to look after his land interests there.

Mrs. Julina Bemis of Owosso, and Mrs. Jane M. Root of Detroit are visiting at Mrs. O. B. Church's.

Rev, Miss Augusta Chapin of Ann Arbor, preached at the Universalist church, Lansing, last Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Smith, *nee* Miss Belle Earl, of Detroit, is visiting for a few days at the the home of Will A. Hatch, Jr.

County Treasurer Fred H. Belser and wife are spending a week in Chicago, taking in the musical festival, etc.

Mrs. O. Collier, of Liberty st., who has been visiting her daughter for several months at Owosso, has returned.

News has been received in the city that Dr. A. W. Chase is very sick, in fact, dangerously ill, at his home in Toledo.

B. B. Morgan (the artist) and family have returned from a several day's visit among friends and relatives in Howell.

Thos. Wynkup of Grand Traverse is visiting his brother, Isaac, in the 5th ward, called here by the latter's serious illness.

Assistant Engineer G. W. McElroy, of the United States navy, is visiting his old shipmate, Prof. M. E. Cooley, for several days.

Don M. Dickinson, Elliott T. Slocum, John B. Moloney, and Sam B. Sinclair, of Detroit, were up to Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Conover of S. Fifth st. has returned home from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hamilton of Bucyrus, Ohio.

S. P. Jewett who has been a great sufferer from an affection of the throat during the winter, is about once more. Mrs. Jewett is seriously ill from heart tronble.

Miss Francie M. Breakey who has lived with her brother, Dr. Breakey, for several years, left Ann Arbor Saturday for Detroit, after which she will return to her home in the east.

G. M. Monroe who has been representing the house of Everts & Kirk of Philadelphia, in Nebraska for the past year, came home Friday for a few weeks before returning.

Harry Morse and wife gave a farewell reception to their friends Wednesday evening. He goes to Alpena a short time before starting for Dakota where he will take charge of several farms.

Nelson B. Beers of Thayer street, is laid up from a sprained ankle which he got in one of the many holes in the sidewalk on State street near the n. w. corner of the campus. Some one should be stirred up to repair sidewalks all over town.

Mrs. A. Howe of Chicago, after attending the meeting of the woman's foreign missionary society at Toledo, where she was reëlected president, returned to Ann Arbor, and addressed the juvenile meeting Saturday and the ladies society Sunday afternoon.

Robert D. Fowler and wife of Chicago visited Rev R. B. Pope and family Sunday and Monday. Mr. Fowler is the head of the Anglo-American Pork-packing Co. of Liverpool, New York, Chicago and Kansas City, one of the largest firms in this country and is quoted over a million.

Sarkis H. Tufenkjion, the Armenian medical student, who by selling oriental goods is making his way through college, has left for the east on a business trip. His father's trade is that of a gunsmith, and from that his curious name, translated into English means, "a son of a gun." Although he came here a year ago scarcely knowing a word of English he is now well up with his class and a good student.

UNIVERSITY ITEMS.

Prof. Ford returns May 1st.

The sophs will not hold a class supper this year.

C. H. Johnson, lit '80, medic '52, was in town on the 18th.

Two university students will never get married in fun again.

Prof. Payne's people entertained a tea party Saturday evening.

Henry Ward Beecher has canceled his Ann Arbor engagement.

The Chequamegon band is in great demand in the neighboring towns.

The co-eds constantly kick on Kingsley's cranky quizzing in Algebra.

And now it is said that the prof's will purchase a portrait of Mr. C. H. Buhl.

The Beta Theta Pi is to give a German at its chapter house Friday evening.

J. J. Comstock, lit '83, who is practicing law in Cleveland, was in town last week.

Van Valkenburg, '84, was in town on the 16th, having recently come up from Florida.

Prof. Wrampelmyer's lecture on "Coal-tar-Products," has been postponed until the 24th.

Fourteen couples danced the german at the Phi Kappa Psi chapter house last Friday night.

Hodge, Killea, and Rosenthal went to Lansing this morning in the interest of the gymnasium.

The law lecture room is said to resemble a live board of trade with bulls and bears on a rampage, quite often of late.

A noted wedding is soon to be held at the Congregational church, in which the principal participants are students.

D. M. Angus, a junior medic from Toronto, has been ordered to join his regiment and go the front, and has gone.

The Rugby association has appointed a committee to arrange for representation at the coming intercollegiate contests.

The Salvation Army fiasco at the rink on the 17th was conducted mainly by students of the professional departments.

There are about 300 active Christian Association students in the university this year, 140 having joined since last September.

The progress toward securing a picture of Mr. Buhl for the walls of the law department is much like unto a snail's progress.

Five students of the university have been subpœnaed in a slander suit between Messrs. Wiley and Dickinson, book publishers, of Detroit.

It has been estimated by an amateur Newton, that the books in the general library standing all in one row would reach nearly one mile. This is an important discovery.

A select program will be given this evening in the general lecture room at the university. It will consist of selections from the opera "Der Freischütz," and essays on the author and his works.

The Y. M C. A. of the University, which has several lady members, has refused to separate its membership, and is threatened with excommunication therefor by the National Y. M. C. A.

The new base ball suits,—eleven in number, arrived from Chicago last Saturday. They are of a bluish-gray color, with cardinal trimmings and stripes. A U. of M. monogram ornaments the right breast of the shirts. Cost $125.

Our esteemed contemporary was a trifle premature in its assertion that the university appropriation bill had passed the legislature, when it had only passed the senate. But then, you know, mistakes will happen.

The Jeffersonian society has elected officers as follows: President, T. F. Drew; vice-president, D J. Rose; recording secretary, T. J. Adams; corresponding secretary, J. C. Cross; treasurer, J. W. Work; senior critic, F. P. Hettinger; junior critic, T. R. Kune.

HIGH SCHOOL ITEMS.

The seniors will finish geometry next Monday and take a six week's review of algebra.

There will be a senior social at the residence of Mr. Douglas, on Huron st. Friday evening.

The proofs of the catalogue were in the session rooms for the inspection of the pupils Tuesday.

Ten seniors will graduate in Knickerbocker suits which have been made by Winans & Stafford.

AMUSEMENTS.

The great musical critic, of Chicago, W. S. B. Mathews, has this to say of the great pianiste, Teresa Carreno, who is to appear in University hall, Saturday evening, April 25th: "It is true that every great artist has a style of his own, by reason of which his playing leaves an individual flavor in the memory. Thus, of Rubinstein I remember, first, his headlong fury in the "Earl King," and his deep tenderness in some selections from Schumann and the Adagio of the Beethoven fith concerto; of Buelow I remember the intelligence and masterly repose of his interpretations; of Sherwood, a similar intelligence and greater warmth; of Joseffy, a dazzling perfection of finish; of Essipoff, an exquisite grace and poetry of conception. Each of these qualities at times Carreno has, but the most notable trait of her public appearances is the one that I have before mentioned—its air of spontaneity."

THE LAUGING SUCCESS OF MODERN TIMES —SKIPPED BY THE LIGHT OF THE MOON.

The famous Harrison & Gourlay company and their phenomenally successful and universally conceeded most humorous of all plays known to the annuals of the modern stage, "Skipped by the Light of the Moon," will be seen at the Opera House next Tuesday night. This production has been the most pronounced of all comedy successes of the past two years, and in all the principal cities from New York to San Francisco, it has created a veritable furore, everywhere being witnessed by enormous audiences, and the recurrent echoes of their ecociferous laughter. The performance here will be complete in every particular, all the original company appearing and all the details and effect of the performance as given at the principal theatres of New York city for 150 nights will be seen. The sale of reserved seats commences Friday morning. The New York Herald describes the performance in the following words:

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RINK NOTES.

After this week, the Palace Rink will be open only on Friday and Saturday afternoons and evenings. The prices for afternoon sessions have been reduced to 20c.

Private parties can rent the rink on any of the first four days of the week and during July, August and September for parties, balls banquets etc., by applying to the manager.

On Friday evening April 24th, Hartman, law, will walk one mile against an unknown skater's two miles. This will be very interesting, as Mr. Hartman has made a mile in 7:50 practicing during the past week.

The benefit for the U. of M. Ball Club takes place on Thursday eve. An interesting program is offered including an exhibition game of ball, one mile race for championship of U. of M., and a 200 yards dash, by F. N. Bonine against the winner of the mile race. A. A. Terry will present the winner of the mile race with a fine new hat. Turn out and help the boys.

The exhibition by Master Lawrence Sweeney on Saturday evening, was a success in every way. A large crowd was out to see Master Sweeney make his debut and we venture to say that a more pleased audience has not been present this season. He was dressed in a handsome, red velvet suit, and did some very graceful and difficult movements. He was frequently applauded and the audience seemed loath to have him stop. Mr. Wyman of the Princess was so well pleased that he made arrangements with Manager Watts to have him skate three evenings at Detroit, in a couple of weeks. We perdict that Lawrence will make one of the best skaters in the profession next season.

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Poor Katie! A great sufferer she was, and most patiently did she endure in the hope that at last her sufferings would come to an end. She was just budding into womanhood; a fine-looking girl of nearly nineteen, who had, previous to her attack of illness, enjoyed robust health.

Let her mother tell the story, as she told it to two of our editorial friends who recently spent an evening at the house.

"Katie's illness came on slowly, with great pain in her thigh and hip. For a while she kept on going to school, but the pains became so severe that she had to stay at home, and most of the time lie down on a little lounge here in the sitting-room. We tried the best physicians we could get. The disease baffled them all. One said it was ulceration of the thigh bone, and wanted to have the poor child undergo a terrible operation. It turned out to be sciatic rheumatism. Poor child! how she did suffer! About four o'clock in the afternoon she would begin screaming with pain. She couldn't help it. She would scream and moan till about four in the morning. Then she would fall asleep from weariness, and sleep for some hours. This went on for about eight months. During the nights neither she nor I could sleep.

"Katie was a great reader. One day, in a paper, she saw an advertisement of Athlophoros. She asked me to get it and see if it wouldn't cure her. We had tried a good many different things, but I thought we would try this. And I went and got a bottle. I gave her a dose of it towards evening. It was simply wonderful how it quieted the poor child's pain and put her into a gentle sleep. She slept nicely until ten. Then she was in a great perspiration. She waked, and I gave her another dose, for the first one had done her so much good. Then she fell asleep again and slept till morning. Her pain was gone. She had hardly any returns of it. The Athlophoros did the work for her most completely.

"But the terrible sciatica had drawn Katie's leg up, and made it shorter than it had been, by several inches. She was lame for life, although the rheumatism was all driven out of her. She had to walk on crutches. One day she fell down stairs and was so badly hurt that she had to be taken to the hospital. There she suffered a great deal, and after some weeks she died.

"Father Tscheider, of the Paulist Fathers, saw much of Katie during her illness, and knows all about us. Go and ask him, and he will tell you all about it.

Some time ago we gave a letter about Katie's case, and it was published. We have had numerous inquiries in reference to it, all of which we promptly answer.

"I must tell you," continued Mrs. Gill, "of our neighbor, Mrs. Summers, and her eleven-year old boy. The boy had one of the most terrible attacks of rheumatism I ever knew a boy to have. I had a little Athlophoros left in the bottle from which Katie had taken. I gave it to Mrs. Summers, and she gave it to the child who was screaming with pain. When Mr. Summers came home, he was surprised to find the boy sitting up, free from pain, and cheerfully singing. I wish you would go and see them. They live not far from here, on West 12th street, No. 905."

Mr. Gill added in his own behalf:

"I have had a good deal of rheumatism myself, chiefly in my shoulders and arms. But I took Athlophoros and I got rid of the trouble. I did not have to take much either. I found the medicine acted very quickly."

The Rev. Father Peter Tscheider, assistant pastor of the Church of the Holy Family, was found at his pastoral residence, No. 417 West 12th street, Chicago. Father Tscheider took pleasure in saying that he knew Mr. and Mrs. Gill, and that he esteemed them highly; also that he had seen Katie frequently during her illness, and knew all about her wonderful recovery from sciatica, and her subsequent injury and her illness at the hospital.

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"What, ho! Andromeda!"

"Judged by the tone Jehuic of thy voice, methinks, Henrico, 'twere the tally-ho."

"Whereat I tally one for thy sweet wit. But list thee, seraphim. Hast heard the news that late hath tattled of Beatrice Marcia?"

"Me rival i' the choir? What of her? If thou hast news that villifies the jade, then feed me, my boy, the very dregs of it."

"She hath betrothed her to the Count Persimmons."

"What! he that owns the peanut mart below, and daily sops the shekels of the just in change for pop-corn, taffy, and the like?"

"The same, Andromeda, the very similar!"

"What, he? And she? Nay, nay, it cannot be! Plutonian furies crush it i' the bud! For will she not to fair Italia hie and ride gondolas i' the market place, sit for her portrait to Sir Michael Angelo; swap garlic with the fragrant Genoese, and homeward come with voice with foreign timbre so veneered that she may sell her ditties by the quaver, and count her ducats as we count her faults?"

"Go to, thou jealous jabberer, go to! Thy fears do make but corpses of thy wits. There do be ways of circumventing ill, if this thine Illiad of woes should come. I have an uncle, girl."

"As wondrous news as if thou'd'st told me thou'd'st a father once!"

"But whist thee, wanton! "Tis a man of gold, this goodly uncle that I tell thee of, and death hath even now a mortgage on the same. Thine own Henrico is the coming *heir*, and when, on tongue of joy, doth come the tidings of his dear demise, then will us twain across the waters speed and purchase this Italia that thou speak'st——"

"But, good Henrico——"

"Nay! withhold me not, for iron is not stronger than me will. Each jot and tittle of this fabled land I will secure me with me uncle's gold—Florence, Lombardy, Sicily and Rome, with all their piles of lore and bric-a-brac, shall be but ours and only ours, me love; and this Persimmons and his cackling mate will meet their doom in Como's limpid tide, or forced to live in circumstance as lean as is the tower to Pisa consecrate."

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Weekly News Summary.

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS.

DOMESTIC.

AN extremely sensational murder was discovered at the Southern Hotel in St. Louis on the 14th, where a trunk was found to contain the partially-decomposed corpse of a man known as Arthur Preller, of London, Eng. A note placed on the body read: "So perish all traitors to the great cause." The present theory was that the man was killed by a companion named Maxwell, who was constantly with him, and who disappeared Apr 16.

ANDREW HOFFMAN shot and killed John Gallahan at Chandlerville, O., on the 14th. The murderer then requested his son to kill him, but the boy refused and the father fled.

THE carelessness of a lad in Chicago caused a fire on the 14th in the Reed building, 79 to 85 Wabash avenue, which was extinguished after a loss of $150,000 had been incurred. Several of the occupants and firemen barely escaped with their lives.

A PLATFORM collapsed a few days ago at Toledo, O., precipitating twenty-five children twenty feet to the ground. Three boys were seriously hurt, and several others were more or less injured.

ROLLER-SKATING rink proprietors organized an association at New York on the 14th, the purpose being to elevate the tone of the rinks.

A WELL in the Thorn Creek oil district of Pennsylvania, after having been torpedoed, commenced to flow on the 14th at the rate of 3,500 barrels per day.

A FIRE in a New York piano factory on the 14th destroyed $150,000 worth of property. A number of men were injured by the falling in of the second floor and one of them at least was expected to die.

THE town of Mann's Landing, on Puget Sound, was destroyed by fire a few nights ago.

FOURTEEN buildings were destroyed by fire at Kinston, N. C., on the 14th, two at Wilmington, N. C., and two colored churches at Baton Rouge, La.

IN a duel in a hotel at Lancaster, S. C., on the 14th W. D. Curtis was shot to death by Charles Emanuel.

THE wholesale boot and shoe firm of Fellows, Shaw & Raymond, of Boston, failed on the 14th for $100,000.

GOVERNOR MARTIN, of Kansas, on the 15th issued a proclamation establishing quarantine against several of the States at the present time said to be afflicted with *pleuro-pneumonia*.

AT Diamond Island, in the Ohio River, Mrs. Mary Draper and two children were drowned a few days ago by the capsizing of a canoe.

NEAR Mount Zion, O., the other night burglars broke into the house of Andrew Coleman, bound the whole family hand and foot, and secured $1,300.

TWELVE children and one man were bitten by a mad dog at Milwaukee on the 15th.

EDMUND MCCURTIN, Chief of the Choctaws, calls upon all freedmen residing in the Nation and entitled to citizenship to register themselves before June or suffer exclusion as intruders.

GEORGE R. HUMPF, residing in Herkimer County, N. Y., killed his wife and child a few days ago, while insane, and then cut his own throat.

WILLIAM CLARK, living in Holt County, Mo., a few days ago shot and killed Mrs. Hardin and her daughter Annie, whom he had betrayed, and then shot himself. The murderer was wealthy, and leaves a wife.

THE Marine Hospital Bureau at Washington was on the 15th taking precautions against the introduction of cholera into the United States. Two quarantine stations were already in operation, and others would be opened need.

S. A. DUNHAM, cotton factor and dealer in naval stores at Charleston, S. C., failed on the 16th for $125,000.

A PARTY of twenty-five men from Blunt and Harrold, D. T., forced the jail at Pierre early on the morning of the 16th, and hanged James H. Bell, the murderer of Forest G. Small, to the flag-staff of the court-house.

A WORK-TRAIN on the Denver & South Park Road was buried in an avalanche of snow near Kokomo, Col., on the 16th, and of the fifty laborers on the cars one was killed, five were probably fatally injured, and the others were more or less bruised.

A FIRE at an early hour on the evening of the 16th entirely destroyed the new Buffalo (N. Y.) *Morning Express* block, with all its contents, causing a loss of $233,000, with an insurance of $224,000. A printer named James Ross was fatally injured.

AN old woman called Granny Galloway, with two grand-children, girls, aged eight and ten years, were found dead in their beds on the 16th in their house four miles from Mount Pleasant, W. Va. The three evidently starved to death.

THE section near Hamlet, N. C., was swept by a cyclone on the afternoon of the 16th, timber, fences and houses being leveled, but no lives were lost.

AT the Barbour flax-spinning works at Paterson, N. J., fourteen hundred spinners struck on the 16th for an increase of ten per cent. in wages.

EMANCIPATION DAY (the twenty-third anniversary) was celebrated at Washington on the 16th by a parade of about five thousand colored people.

ESTIMATES of the losses to farmers in West Virginia, by reason of the starvation of cattle and the depreciation in prices, placed the loss on the 16th at one hundred thousand dollars.

THE overseers of Harvard College have refused to grant the petition of undergraduates that attendance at morning prayers be made optional.

MR. SWANK, of the American Iron and Steel Association, states his belief that prices of those staples have reached bottom, that business is slow and the demand at low ebb.

A BILL passed the New York Senate on the 16th providing for a perpetual park around Niagara Falls, and for an appropriation to purchase the land. The measure awaited the Governor's signature.

IN Toledo the other day a Federal Commissioner sold to an agent of the bondholders, for $1,000,000, the main line of the Ohio Central Road.

SENATOR STANFORD'S stable on his Vina (Cal.) ranch were fired by tramps early on the morning of the 16th, one hundred and eleven horses and mules being burned to death. The loss was placed at $30,000.

AT a Cabinet meeting in Washington on the 16th it was decided to issue a proclamation notifying settlers on the Winnebago lands in Dakota that the country was illegally opened to settlement and that it must be vacated. It was also determined to remove the fences on public lands.

THE President on the 17th issued a proclamation declaring Preslident Arthur's order opening the Winnebago Reservation in Dakota to settlement inoperative and void, and notifying all persons on such lands to remove their effects within sixty days, settlers failing to do so to be removed by force.

THE following executions took place on the 17th: Thomas Simon, at Lacomb, N. H., for killing Mrs. Ford and John Reddy and his child; William Phillips, at Fort Smith, Ark., for the murder of his father-in-law; Keaton and Peter Johnson, both colored, at Camilla, Ga., for a triple murder; Gus Finley, at Prestonburg, Ky., for the murder of James Hunt, and Capone and Sanctore, two Italians, at Thomaston, Me., for murdering a fellow-workman.

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THE Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette has a report from Washington that the Secretary of the Treasury has decided that the Government will not be a purchaser of the Pittsburgh Exposition building, and that the Exposition will be a success without Government aid