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CANADIAN HORSES—A. Wallace & Co. will have a car load of Canadian horses...

FOR SALE—The farm of the late Jas. M. Smith, of Salem...

SPECIAL NOTICE—Parties having claims against the estate of Mrs. Lucy A. Howe...

WELCOME OATS—I have a quantity of welcome oats...

MARYLAND FARMS—Book and Map Free by C. E. Shanahan...

FOR SALE! A House and Lot on Thompson street (No. 1)...

THE BARRY HOMESTEAD For Sale or Rent whole or in part...

LOANING—Money to loan on first-class Real Estate...

FOR SALE OR RENT—Barry Homestead, No. 24 1/2 street...

PAY OFF THE DEBT.

It has always been one of the great maxims of the democratic party that "a national debt is not a national blessing..."

While the republican party was in power not a month passed by after 1870, we believe, that did not see at least \$10,000,000 of the public debt paid off.

WHERE DRAW THE LINE?

A story was related a few days since by the Detroit Evening News, if we mistake not, about a man of that city who met a gentleman on the street...

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The Knights of Labor.

ED. COURIER:—There seems to be a great deal of misapprehension in the public mind in reference to the aims and objects of the organization known as the Knights of Labor...

Uncle Sam has adopted English laws to a very great extent, has many English customs engrained in the body politic.

The banquet of the Michigan Club Monday evening was the greatest of its kind ever held in the state...

The object of this organization is not to interfere with any man or any firm's business, or to dictate to any person or corporation how they shall run their business...

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

ANOTHER BOOMER.

A Citizen Sees the Motion and Makes More Suggestions. TO THE EDITOR:—Dr. Breakey's suggestions are very practical...

The city of Ann Arbor contains plenty of subjects—a few examples will suffice here. Of course the University would be anxious to advertise itself...

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Here in Ann Arbor, the organization is growing rapidly, and its membership is composed of the very best laboring men in the community.

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upon dealing unjustly with its employes, and refuses to listen to the appeals of its laborers, then the Knights claim the right to use such measures as they may find the most effective to carry their points.

This organization asks nothing that is not fair and just, but it proposes to make a stubborn fight for that which is just and right.

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The Race for Congress.

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18 Pieces Dress Goods at 10c., worth 15c. New Corkscrew serges wide beautiful fabrics, at 50c., worth 75c.

40-inch French Cashmere in New Shades and Blacks at 50c. 52-inch All-Wool Canvas Homespun at 50c., worth 85c. A big Bargain.

25 Pieces All-Wool Tricots at 50c. 50 Pieces Spring Dress goods—in new mixtures—a cheap purchase at 12 1-2c. a yard, worth double.

New Styles in Buttons, Claps, Braids and Feather trimmings to match. Ladies, they are worth coming to see.

CUTTING DOWN PRICES IN SILKS.

All Silk Tricotine at 75c., worth \$1.00. All Silk Satin Rhodame at \$1.00 worth \$1.35.

15 Pieces New Spring Colored Silks would be cheap at \$1.00. Our Price, 75c. 3 Pieces Rich, Heavy, Black 24-inch Dress Silks at \$1.00, worth \$1.35.

A great Bargain. Ladies, be on time if you want them, for they will not last long.

Cutting down prices in Curtain Laces and Serims. 10 pieces Curtain Serim at 10c. a yard. 4 pieces Curtain Serim at 12 1/2c.

8 Pieces Nottingham Curtain Laces at 12 1/2c., 15c., 18c., 25c. to 50c. a yard. It is needless to remind our lady friends of the great success of our Embroidery Sale...

D. F. SCHAIRER.

Death of Mrs. Nichols. Last Saturday morning, Feb. 20th, Annie E., wife of Dr. W. W. Nichols, of this city, died after a lingering illness, with consumption.

Another Candidate. The Adrian Press seems to be interested in the republican candidates, but is silent as to its own.

Here's Hon. John K. Boies actually resigning a federal office! Last week he astonished the people, not himself, by sending in his resignation as an acting commissioner, a position he has held since April, 1881.

The following religious statistics may be of interest to some of our readers: "The average increase of membership in the Protestant churches of Michigan for 1885 has been about 3 1/2 per cent. The highest increase is in the Episcopal communicants, over 6 per cent, and the lowest the Presbyterians, about 2 per cent.

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Special attention given to collection of RENTS AND MANAGEMENT OF REAL ESTATE INTERESTS FOR NON-RESIDENTS. ENTIRE SATISFACTION TO OWNERS GUARANTEED. A. DeFOREST.

DIED.

LYSTER—Suddenly at her home in Chicago, Feb. 22nd, 1886, Mrs. E. S. Lyster, wife of Dr. W. C. Gooding and daughter of Mrs. E. S. Sinclair, formerly of Ann Arbor.

Book Reviews. PROBLEMS IN PHILOSOPHY, by John Bascom, author of "Science of Mind," "Growth and Grade of Intelligence," etc.

Philosophy, above most topics, calls for an explicit statement of a few fundamental principles, and a pushing of inquiry in reference to them. This volume aims to make, in the most direct way, a contribution to the more obscure topics of philosophy.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, Rev. W. W. Ramsey officiating. The remains were taken to Forest Hill cemetery for interment.

Dr. Payne's Reply.

The secretary of the Cocker League has received the following letter from Dr. Payne who recently delivered an address in this city, in reply to a resolution adopted by the League. The letter will explain itself:

OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, Delaware, O., Feb. 4, '86. Mrs. J. N. Martin, Secretary of the Cocker League, Ann Arbor, Mich.

DEAR MADAM—I am in receipt of your favor of the 28th ult., containing the resolution of your appreciation of my services while at your place. Please accept my thanks for the same.

The League seems to me to have auspiciously inaugurated a most worthy enterprise which promises great good for your church and for the university.

A Great Victory Hood's Sarsaparilla

"In the winter of 1870 I was attacked with Scrofula in one of the most aggravating forms. At one time I had no less than thirteen large abscesses over and around my neck and throat, continually exuding an offensive matter, and bloody matter discharging to behold, and almost intolerable to endure. It is impossible to fully describe my sufferings, as the case was complicated with Chronic Catarrh. After continuing to endure an offensive matter, having been treated by three physicians, I was worse than ever. Finally, on the recommendation of W. J. Huntley, druggist, of Lockport, I was induced to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. And now, after having taken twelve bottles, within the last two months, the scrofulous eruptions have entirely ceased, and the abscesses have all disappeared, except the unsightly scars, which are daily becoming smaller by degrees, and beautifully less. I do not know what I may have done for others, but I do know that in my case, Hood's Sarsaparilla has proved an entirely successful remedy. As an evidence of this, I enclose herewith a copy of a certificate of my cure, by personal correspondence with any one who doubts it." CHARLES A. HUNTER, Druggist, Lockport, N. Y.

This statement is confirmed by W. J. Huntley, druggist, of Lockport, N. Y., who calls the case a great victory for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Send for book giving testimonials of many cures.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Sold by all druggists, \$1; six for \$5. Made only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Lowell, Mass. 100° F. DeForest, One Dollar.

No Words PATENTS

Could express the agony I endured from Rheumatism, and it was all I could do to endure it. One day I was unable to walk or sleep. I took two-thirds of a bottle of ATALOPHORS and in a few days I was able to walk and sleep. I am ready to verify the authenticity of this cure, by personal correspondence with any one who doubts it." CHARLES A. HUNTER, Druggist, Lockport, N. Y.

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Weekly News Summary

INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

CONGRESSIONAL

In the Senate on the 16th Mr. Cullom reported a substitute for the bill to regulate commerce...

A bill was introduced in the Senate on the 17th, by Mr. Hoar, to appropriate \$250,000 for a monument to General Grant at Washington...

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Mrs. JOHN HIRZLA, a wealthy lady of Wash. Ind., fell dead at the supper table on the 17th. Her maids were heard screaming.

At Salt Lake, Utah, on the 17th three Mormons found guilty of illegal cohabitation were fined three hundred dollars and sentenced to three months imprisonment.

THOMAS M. JACKSON (colored), who died on the 17th from the effects of exposure in his cabin near Reading, Pa., was one hundred and forty years old.

At Nicolaus, Cal., on the 18th a mob of masked men compelled the Chinese residents, forty-seven in number, to leave the town.

HOPE shop-herders on the ranch of Holomon Luna, on the Little Colorado river in Arizona, were killed by Apaches on the 18th...

JOHN BURNS (colored) was taken from jail at Martinsburg, W. Va., on the 18th by a mob and hanged for criminal assault upon a white woman.

Eight prisoners escaped from the Carthage (Mo.) jail on the 18th through a tunnel which it took months of labor to dig.

JOHN BELL, aged sixty-five years, was drowned in the "banco" room at Pittsburgh on the 18th, knocked insensible and robbed of two thousand dollars.

REPORTS reached Little Rock on the 18th that a negro recently murdered the James M. Hill building in a remote section of Faulkner County, Ark.

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A mob of French Canadians and Indians gathered at Passaic, Ont., on the 17th and raided the principal stores, carrying off nearly three hundred barrels of flour.

BARBAR TAYLOR (colored) died on the 16th in Louth township, Ont., aged one hundred and twenty years eleven months and eight days.

THE British steamer Oxenholme lost fifty-two head of cattle on a recent voyage from Liverpool to London.

FOUR Jewish brigades in Russia on the 18th condemned three Jewish brigades to death and sentenced three others to fifteen years' imprisonment.

OF the reassembling of the British Parliament on the 18th Mr. Gladstone stated in the House of Commons that the Government had no intention of renewing, cordoned off, and, at the same time, proposed a method for its future government.

GREATER is the only nation that has offered to take part in the Paris exposition proposed for the 18th and the project will probably be abandoned.

THE Dominion Government on the 19th decided to raise the price of liquor licenses to three hundred dollars in cities and two hundred in the rest of the Dominion.

ADVISED of the 19th say that the steamer Saxon was recently lost near Jamaica, captain, two crew members and three of the passengers were killed.

THE Great Rock Island route guarantees its patrons that sense of personal security afforded by a solid, thoroughly ballasted road-bed...

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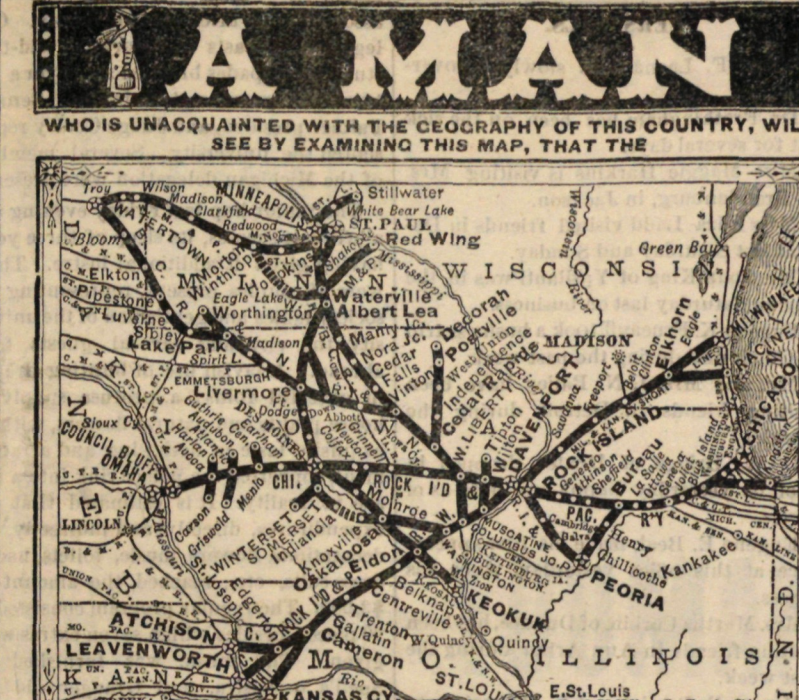
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MICHIGAN CENTRAL. The Niagara Falls Route. Central Standard Time. Time table taking effect Nov. 29th, 1885.

Table showing train schedules for Michigan Central, including routes to Chicago, Detroit, and other cities.

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Success is the word describing the celebration of the first anniversary of the Michigan club, and its aggressive members may be proud of its holiday.

The Michigan club of one hundred and thirty members, representing the fighting element of the republican party. It was born on Washington's birthday, 1885, nearly four months after the presidential election, thus evincing the true spirit of never-say-die.

There were a dozen active workers, and it might be unjust to say just who was the leading spirit, especially as nobody claims that honor, each modestly giving the honors to his fellows.

Such men as Col. Atkinson, Mayor Grummond, C. H. Buhl, J. L. Edson, and the number of twenty-five, signed their names to the charter. It grew from the start under good management, and toward the close of 1885 it was so thriving that it determined to celebrate its first birthday, and it has now entered on its second year with the brightest of prospects.

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GOV. FORAKER ARRIVES.

Ohio's Magistrate Received by the Michigan Governor.

The reception of Gov. Foraker of Ohio was the first prominent feature of the day. Judge Foraker's famous debate with Gov. Hoadly, and the overwhelming defeat of the latter at the polls, has given him a name and a place among the most prominent men of the country.

Gov. Foraker telegraphed Gov. Alger that he would arrive via the Michigan Central railroad Monday morning at 11:40 o'clock. It had previously been determined to give the governor such a military and civil reception as would do the distinguished visitor honor, and its projectors credit.

The public having been informed through the press that his excellency of Ohio would arrive at 11:40, a large number of spectators assembled at the depot to witness the reception and demonstration.

The waiting rooms were crowded with people, and around the ticket gates they were huddled together in a perfect jam. Among the crowd were several aldermen and other city officials, the city hall being closed as Washington's birthday was a national holiday.

The employees of many of the stores which cluster about the interior of the depot were also present in force. Numerous visiting republicans from the state at large deserted the corridors of the Russell house for the time being and repaired to the depot. All watched the clock and looked for the appearance of the military.

About 11:25 o'clock the eagle eye of the ubiquitous newsboy caught sight of the company of gray-coated militia marching down Jefferson avenue.

A scamping of numerous small boys to the point of view attracted general attention, and the sidewalks were instantly crowded with numerous and more dignified spectators.

The squad of soldiers was the quick-moving, handsome Detroit cadets. The bright barrels of their guns and slender polished bayonets flashed in the sunlight and gleamed above the snow.

The cadets were formed in line on the platform inside the gates at parade rest. As the train was near rolling into the depot Gov. Alger, the Hon. Isaac Marston, Maj. George H. Hopkins, Mrs. Fred E. Farnsworth and Frank E. Snow advanced down the platform with the reception committee.

A large number of passengers proceeded the gubernatorial party down the platform into the depot. Attracted and interested by the demonstration they halted and waited the development of events.

Gov. Alger and his friends were among the last to leave the coaches. Gov. Foraker was accompanied by his wife. When the party was seen advancing down the platform Gov. Foraker and Gov. Alger were escorted by Mrs. Foraker between them.

The all-commanding presence and handsome face of the Ohio governor was not more noticeable than the full and rosy and vivacious countenance and elegant appearance of his wife.

Both seemed pleased with the reception. As the party neared the gate the command "Attention!" rang out loud and clear, followed by "Present arms!" which was repeated down the line.

The company stood motionless, holding their guns in front of them as Gov. Alger, his guests, and the reception committee passed in front. Gov. Foraker raised his hat with dignity.

Mrs. Foraker smiled and bowed. The squad wheeled around and followed their guns in front of them as Gov. Alger, his guests, and the reception committee passed in front.

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prison garb has not been wholly abandoned. "What are the prospects for conviction in the Cincinnati election-fraud cases?" "Excellent, I think. Dalton, clerk of Hamilton county, you remember, was ordered by the legislature to appear before the investigating committee and produce the voting records of precinct A in the Fourth ward, where the frauds were committed. He appeared, but did not produce the records.

He was then committed for contempt, but released on habeas corpus. Dalton's attorneys claimed that he had no right to take the records out of his own county." "I just received a telegram a few minutes ago from my private secretary," said the governor, producing the dispatch, "saying that Judge Wylie, of the common pleas, before whom the arguments were made, had just decided with the investigating committee. Dalton will now have to produce the records or go to jail."

"The republicans have got Ohio permanently reclaimed." "There is no better evidence of that than the majorities of last fall. Ohio is a republican state."

GOV. ALGER'S RECEPTION.

Citizens Generally Accept His Public Invitation.

The popularity of Michigan's chief executive received a fresh tribute at the crowded reception Monday in the gubernatorial mansion. Standing within the portals of that hospitable residence during the reception an observer could not fail to be impressed with the personal qualities which have made Gov. Alger a favorite with the rank and file of Michigan republicanism.

The governor's receptions have always been largely attended by democrats as well as republicans, and Monday was no exception to the rule. Men of all parties, public officials and private citizens, crowded to the spacious rooms to do honor to the governor and his distinguished guests.

Precisely at four o'clock the callers began to arrive. At each swing of the massive door groups of from two to half a dozen gentlemen passed in and were at once ushered into the reception room on the east side of the hall, where the governor and party stood to receive them.

From this hour until after six a steady stream of visitors passed in and out, the estimated number being about 2,500. At the door of the reception room Mr. Henry A. Newland and Maj.

Mrs. Alger, who wore a plain black silk dress with jet ornaments, was assisted during the afternoon by Mrs. Foraker, Mrs. Col. Duffield, Miss Carrie Foraker, Mrs. Fay Alger, and Mrs. Platt. Mrs. Foraker, who came from Cincinnati with her husband, Gov. Foraker, Monday, wore a handsome black dress of broad velvet with jet ornaments and carried a bouquet of roses. Mrs. Duffield wore a black satin dress trimmed with jet ornaments. Miss Fay Alger wore a very dark-green silk dress with a very dark-green silk dress trimmed plainly.

Mrs. Alger and Mrs. Foraker stood in the center of the room to receive their guests, the introductions being made by Col. Duffield and other gentlemen. As the visitors passed out of the ladies' room their places were quickly filled by others, and for upwards of two hours both rooms were crowded to their utmost capacity.

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READY FOR THE BANQUET.

The Club and the Guests Gather at the Princess.

It was something before 8 o'clock when the guests began to arrive. They came on foot, on cars, in private carriages and hired hacks, but they came in a stream and they came close together. This was a good thing. It made promptness reasonably possible, although it filled the street with a grumbling crowd who, impatient of delay, swore in soft, low undertones, and asked questions as to the cause which nobody could answer and to which they expected no replies.

One would think that at a banquet, or rather with a banquet in prospect, people could come in something like a good humor. It is true the tiger grows most ferociously as it draws near its food, but there is no accounting for the human growth.

Well, the carriages came in streams, moving into Second street and discharging their cargoes onto the sidewalk just at the northeast corner. A carpet or matting stretched to the door-way, and the swinging doors of the vestibule or lobby were held open, so that, barring the obstructive throng, the way was easy. Of course the usual crowd of lookers-on were there. Lots of old soldiers among them, too, hungry for a look at John A. Logan, and at last when he stepped out of Gov. Alger's carriage and stood erect in the little space that was made for him he looked the soldier and chieftain, and the lucky cheer that went up was as hearty and cordial as it was spontaneous and enthusiastic.

"Hurrah, boys, for our next president," cried out a cheery voice. "Yes, three cheers for him," sang out another, and the voices went up with a roar. Meanwhile the crowd pressed closer, and a hundred hands were stretched out to grasp that of the senator.

He raised his top hat and bowed and smiled, and looked as pleased as Punch on the cover of a holiday number. "Lily enough his mind went back to the 18th of May, when in his rooms in the Leland house, in Springfield, Illinois, he received the congratulations of his supporters. In front of him stood Senator Billy Mason, his face flushed with excitement, and stained with the effort of the oratorical delivery with which he was nominating "Gen John A. Logan of the glorious state of Illinois" as the presidential candidate of the republican party for 1888. It may have been a little previous on the part of Mason, but Logan smiled then just as he smiled this night, and the grip of his hand was as firm and manly as that which he closed upon the waving fin of Billy Mason at the end of the fierce senatorial fight which let Lambert Tree into Belgium as minister, and opened the way into the senate for John A. Logan.

If the general had any reminiscences of this sort they were briefly entertained, for a moment later he was ushered into the hall, and the eyes of the people were turned upon Everts, who looked out of the carriage and skipped a blithely across the sidewalk as though he were nearer 16 than 60, Mr. Duffield following him with fine dignity and good composure. Then came Ohio's handsome governor—recognized by a few and cheered by the lot—and Senators Conger and Palmer and the rest, while the crowd that held the spaces at the intersection of High street and Second was all in a fine state of excitement and glow with enthusiasm. Why, an overflow meeting without bread and meat would have been hailed as a splendid incident by the throng that pushed and jostled each other in mad desire to see the distinguished guests of the Michigan club, and the Michigan club! How did it feel? Well, we might as well understand each other right here. If the public must know that they will have to get another boy to tell them, for the journalistic pen is not held over this sacred that can reveal a part of their pride and delight. Why should not its members feel good? They stood upon the threshold of realizing the reward of months of earnest endeavor, they were the hosts of the most distinguished men of the great party of which they are such an important element in this state, and the glow of self-satisfaction settled into lines of complacency on their faces and they were happy. It is just as easy to jump the intermediate incidents to make the statement that having stood for a moment at the threshold of reward they crossed it with firm step and grasped it firmly. They met with no untoward accident, their arrangements resulted in complete success, and they have the earnest and hearty congratulations of all their guests, the people of the state and the republican party generally.

After this brief excursion this narrative takes up the movement of the guests who, until now, have stood patiently at the door and filtered past the ticket takers into the hall. There again they were congratulated by the republican party. The statement of Mr. Black of the reception committee, that a handsome banquet had never been spread in this state, and few if any in the country, was a beautiful scene. The decorations and the caterer, starting with the best foundation for effective work—ample spaces framed in graceful lines—had lost no opportunity. One hundred-thousand square feet of multi-colored flags caught up in graceful festoons and draped in waving lines of color, swayed upon the walls and hung from the ceilings. On a raised dais was the table of the guests, back of it the

open stage set in a parlor scene. Over it the proscenium arch-curtain, and floating down on each side two great flags of the United States. A great bold dash of color circled the hall on the balcony rail and framed the tables below, while it set off the gay costumes and pretty faces of the ladies, who sat above and smiled with animated faces on the scene below.

Around the guests' table, where sat Senator Tom Palmer as chairman, flanked by Logan, Everts and Foraker, stood pots and hot-house boxes of palm, cactus, fern, trailing vines and oleanders. Rich flowers in delightful profusion hung over the great silver *epyrne* in the center, and the sheen of the damask linens, the flash of the crystal glasses, the softer tones of color of the china and the silver gave a sense of luxury almost oriental in its first impression, but beautiful simply in the taste with which it was arranged, and effective because of the occasion and surroundings. Then on the floor below the other tables stood, every one in line at end and direction with its fellow, every castor in range so that to cast the eye upon one was to include a number in perfect order—every salt dish, every butter plate, every celery urn, every knife and fork, every piece *monte*, standing just in the same relation to each other on every table. There, too, were the waiters, as fine a lot of swallow-tailed men as you could find in a day's ride, every one erect, arms folded and heads up. The fine head waiters, too, their authority indicated by *boutonnieres* on the lapels of their coats, and their position at the ends of the tables.

It would require something more than a passive glance to grasp the details that went to form the whole picture, but if the unfortunate people who were absent could only understand that it was a combination of tasteful colors in a splendid interior, that handsome well-dressed men had gathered there—that there was the indication of a strong appeal to the palate, and the promise of a heap of gratification to the stomach, that woman numerous in quantity, glowing in beauty and fine dress looked down from the galleries, that delightful music gave its entrancing influence to the scene, and that the lustre of half a dozen electric lights were shed over all, he may catch a passing reflection of the beauty of the picture, which even as a *tableau vivant* has had no rival in this city.

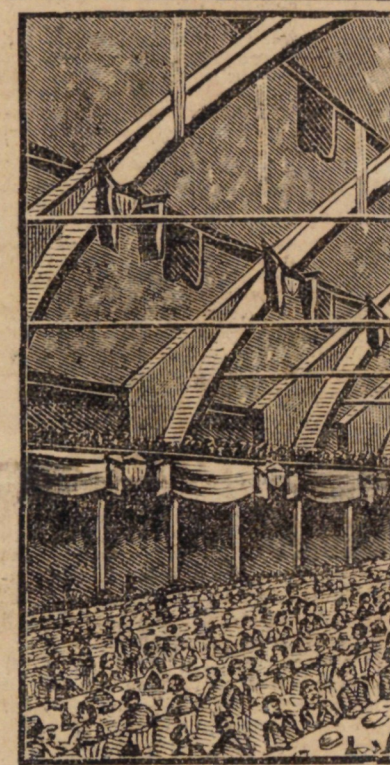
As the guests filed in at the door they were directed to the left, along the north end of the hall. Here the music-stand had been built, under which they had to pass. It was embowered in flags, and the "unseen melodies" that floated out from it were of the best Prof. Spell could furnish. The program fits neatly in just here.

March, "Lead On".....Boyer  
Overture, "Pique Dame".....Suppa  
Selection, "Mikado".....Snyder  
Gavotte, "Golden Stars".....Ellenberg  
Fantasia, "Parole d'Amour".....Zithoff  
Introduction and Waltz from "The Polka Captive".....C. Major  
This program was added to by several selections appropriate enough; for example, when Logan stood up and faced his own picture high above the music, what power could silence the mighty song of "Marching Through Georgia." Why, Logan knows that tune almost, if not quite as well, as Sherman himself, and then other national airs were given, and Spell and his band was at his best.

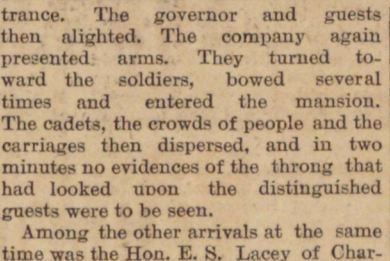
The cloak-rooms were too limited in space for the great number of coats and hats and umbrellas and canes, so that many guests carried their possessions to their places and put them under the chairs. The cadets gave great aid in ushering, and in that it can be said, transposing Shakespeare, "At ushering match them who can; the ladies called them sweet." Of course the reception committee, and indeed, all the members of the club, greeted them heartily, and gave their hospitable efforts to aid every one to be at home.

The city it was that the ladies who filled the gallery could not have come down and helped those ushers. More than that, it is fair to think they would like to have done it—some of them at least. There is nothing that lacks chivalry so much as politics, but if a vote could have been taken last night of the guests whether the ladies should be asked onto the floor, there would have been a tremendous aye, to shake the roof of the Princess, and a step would have been taken towards removing the stigma upon the social consciences missed out of the swirl of politics.

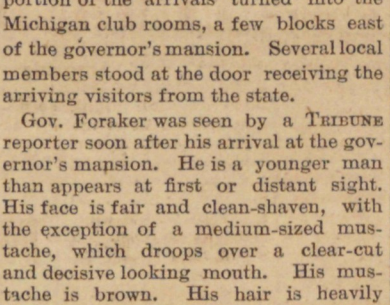
SEATED AT THE TABLES. The Dinner Itself and How It Was Enjoyed by the Diners. It was only a little after 8 o'clock when the guests were all in. The construction of the hall is such and the demands of the spaces for the tables were so exacting that nothing could be spared for reception rooms, so as fast as possible upon entering every guest was hurried off to his seat. The route to each table was around by the passage under the music stand, forward by the cloak-room, and then along the west side and back of the railing that separated the tables from the observation chairs when the building is used as a rink. There is a passage that cuts this railing and leads directly opposite the door on the Second street side of the house. Through this the guests were admitted to the tables. These were placed with ample room between each and with the chairs as close as possible to secure any degree of comfort. The chairs were easily reached. Every table was lettered and each place was numbered, and access to each place was as direct and ready as could be wished. Besides that the ushers, helped by the well-trained servants from the Brunswick and Russell houses and the best hotels and the restaurants, gave every assistance and untangled every confusing knot that threatened to entangle the guests. It was just here that Caterer Hangsterfer got in his fine work. His executive force was seventy-five waiters with five headwaiters, and himself at the head of all. But at his base of



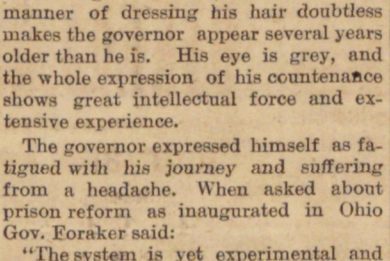
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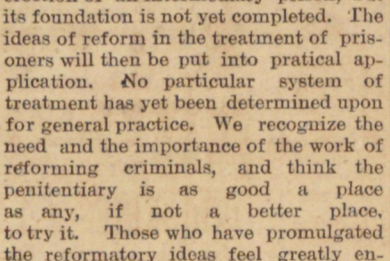
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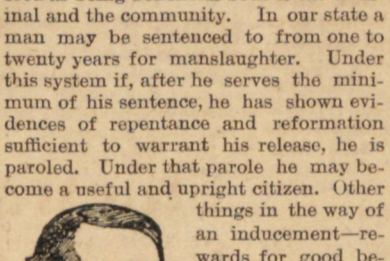
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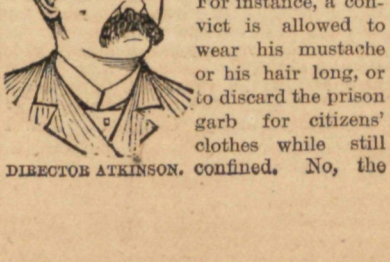
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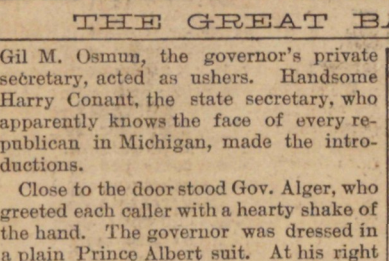
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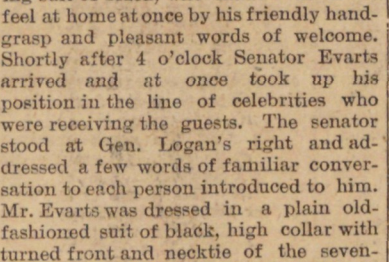
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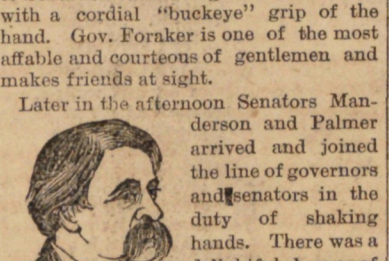
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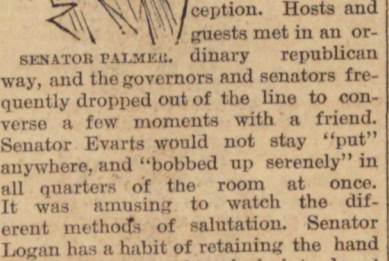
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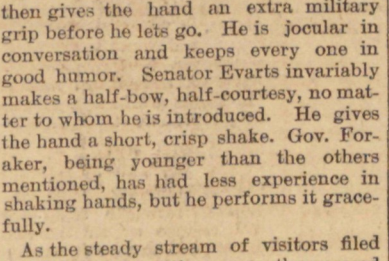
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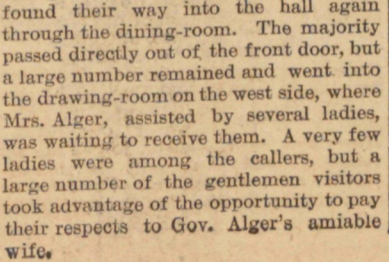
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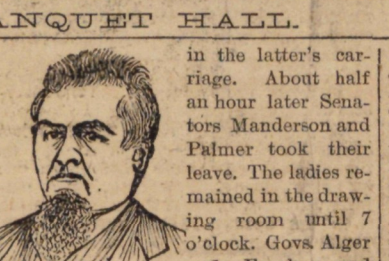
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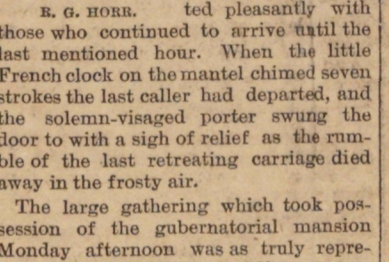
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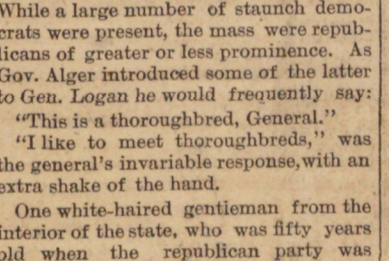
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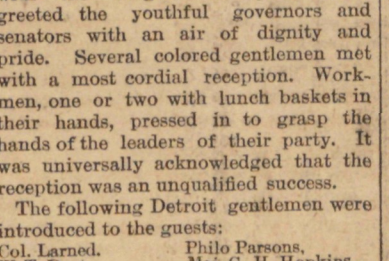
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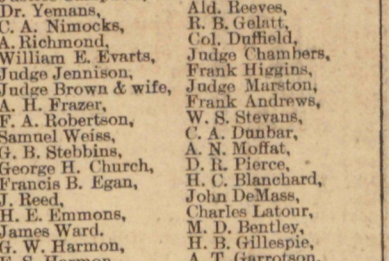
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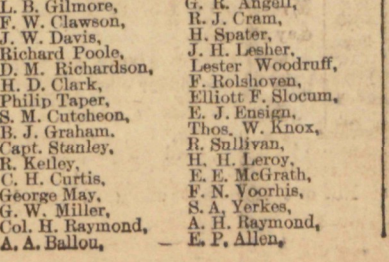
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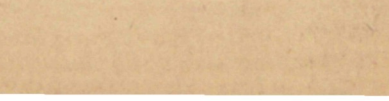
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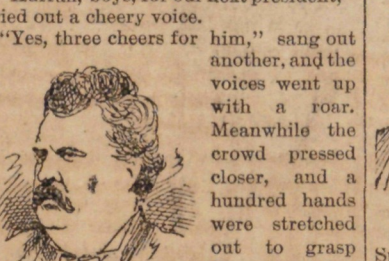
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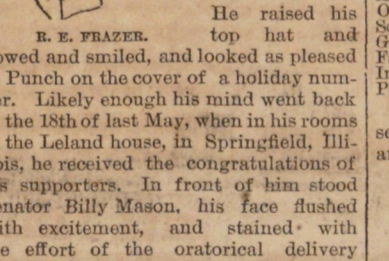
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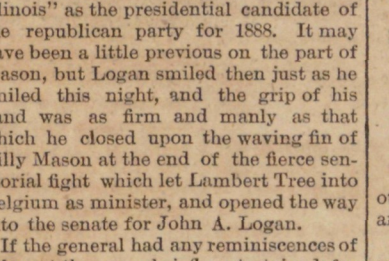
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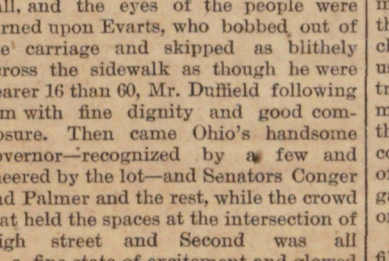
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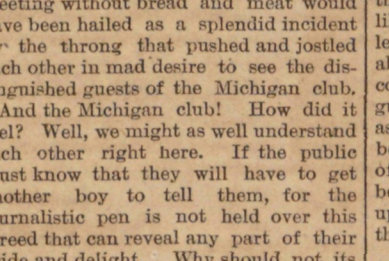
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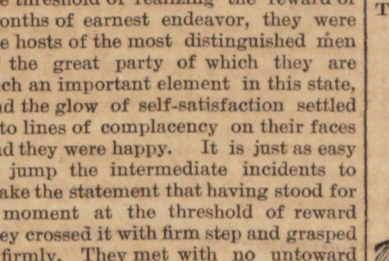
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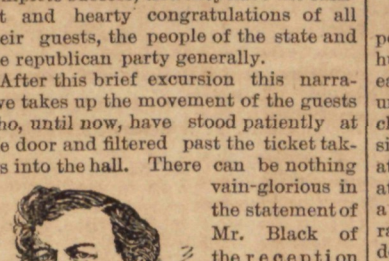
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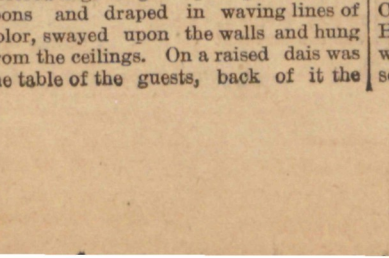
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Table of financial records for the month of May 1885, including entries for special services, salaries, and other expenses.

Table of financial entries for the first column, including items like 'J. Robinson, drawing hose cart', 'Harry Cole, labor, hose', 'Chas. Edwards, labor, hose', etc., with associated dollar amounts.

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Table of financial entries for the fifth column, including items like 'March 31, '85, transfer from firemen's fund', 'April 30, '85, license and hall tax', 'May 30, '85, license and hall tax', etc., with associated dollar amounts.