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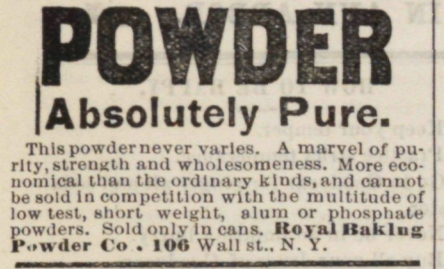
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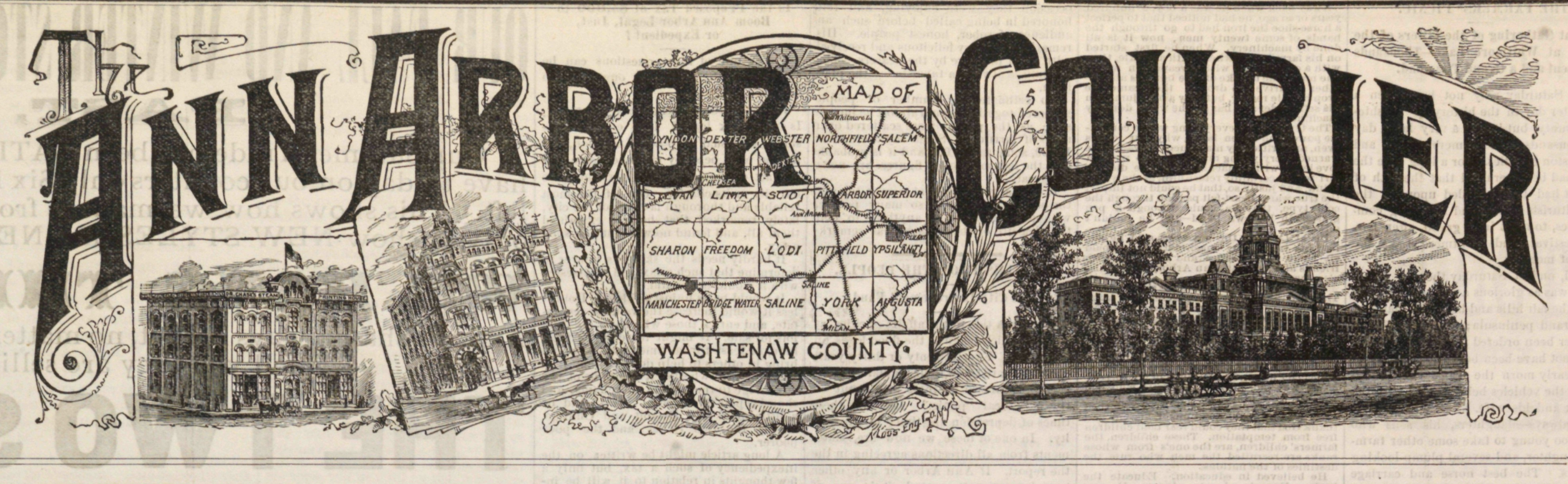
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THE KNIGHT TEMPLAR.

The following beautiful poem was written for St. Elmo Commandery, No. 6, of Michigan, Conn., by the Rev. Wm. H. Wheeler, D. D., and read at the public installation of its officers.

Sir Knight of the world's oldest Order, Sir Knight of the army of God, You have crossed the bridge of mystic lore.

As you stand in this new realm of beauty, Where each man your promise is your friend, Think not that your promise is your friend.

Who died amidst the fogs while voicing His noblest thoughts, and his noblest words.

Will you stand by his side as no other, Will you honor him as no other will.

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THEFT AND MURDER.

Characteristics of Crime in California in Early Mining Times.

Hubert Howe Bancroft's Popular Tribunals, I just published, will be regarded as perhaps one of the most interesting volumes of his "Pacific States" that has appeared.

Then the rattling noise of the wheels of the train, as it passed over the track laid by the great and good man, who was blowing for road crossings and stations.

People sitting at their windows or on the porches of their houses a mile away, conversing in an ordinary tone, could be distinctly heard.

Another more satisfactory test was made, Mr. Cox taking a skull at the feet of the man, and a conversation was had.

Who Was Cinderella? Cinderella's name, it appears, was Rhodope, and she was a very beautiful Egyptian maiden.

The English Sparrow. Many years ago we made the acquaintance of the sparrow, and we were fascinated with his spry, contented drollery.

The Great Toledo Fair. Occurs this year, September 8th to 10th, with \$20,000 in premiums.

In Brief, And To The Point. Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature.

The Verdict Unanimous. W. D. Sutt, druggist, Eppus, Ind., testifies that he can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy.

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COUNTY AND VICINITY.

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Dr. Brucker has removed from South Lyon to Lansing. Wm. G. Gardner, of Ypsilanti, has been granted a pension.

The Methodist of Saline ice-cream sold \$11 worth last week. The Dr. of England mill near North Lake was commenced last week.

Erle V. Colby of Ypsilanti, and Miss Alice M. Burrill, of Deontons, were married Aug. 17, 1887.

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Let me tell you an anecdote of Garfield's power of memory, said ex-Postmaster-General James to a Des Moines (Ia.) Register correspondent. He related it to me himself. It seems that when President Garfield was in the White House, he was very much interested in the voluntary action of the people of Washington City, and before it became a legal celebration, Garfield was chosen to deliver the address at the celebration.

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