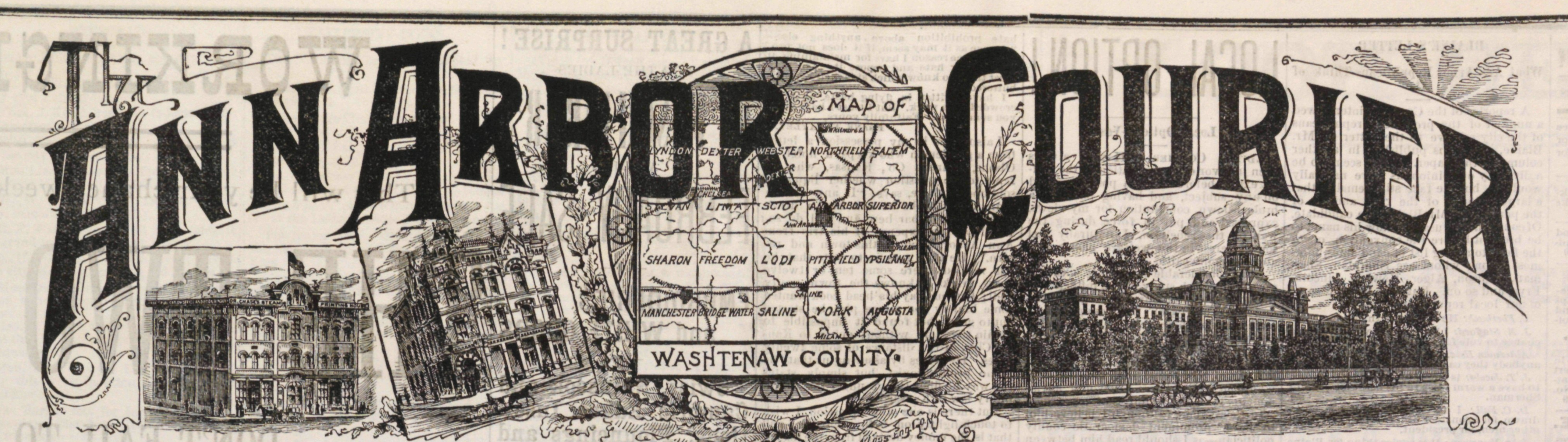

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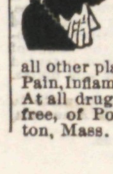
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[Last words of John B. Gough.]

"Boys, keep your record clean."
The lips of the speaker are mute,
But his words are still warning the boys
To stop in their mad pursuit;
To stop, I say, in their mad pursuit
Of wealth and honor and fame,
To think of the devious winding ways
By which they shall reach the same.

"Boys, keep your record clean,"
Your lips unstained by sin,
Your lips as the lilies are,
Fair as the virgin snow,
Spotless and undefiled,
Though around you the world is bright
Or the pitiless storms beat wild.

As you go out into the world,
Go with a purpose true,
Go with a sturdy, resolute will;
Be one of the manly few.
Ever do that which is right,
Scorn to do that which is mean,
And as you go through peace and strife,
"Boys, keep your record clean."

UNDER THE SNOW.

Under "the snow,
The beautiful snow,"
Many dear treasures
Are lying below.
Youth in its beauty,
Man in his prime,
Lie under the snow—
All done with time!
The mother who loved
And nursed us with care,
Lies low, but at rest;
How vacant her chair!
E'en the babe from the bosom
Of mother so warm,
Lies hid 'neath the snow,
Nor feels the fierce storm—
Which is naught but a drop
From the bucket of time,
Compared to the severing
Of th' ties that entwine—
Each loving soul
In one living embrace,
Heart unto heart;
Love's measures we trace!
The fallen, alas,
With nowhere to go,
May at last, find a rest
'Neath the beautiful snow!
The erring, who fall
By the wayside of life,
Drink deep at the fount
Of sorrow and strife!
Ah, bitter the draught,
More bitter the woe,
And may *they* not rest
'Neath the beautiful snow?
'Tis a comforting thought,
It lightens earth's woes—
There is rest for the weary
Where all may repose!
—[Evangeline.

Maid of Texas ere I go,
Tell me if your clock is slow;
For I have a train to catch,
And must quickly raise the latch,
Ere I dart into the night,
Tell me, is your time piece right?
Hark! I hear the bulldog's bark,
And the night is cold and dark,
Maid of Texas, I must git.
Yet, before I rise and flit,
Tell me, maiden, tell me true,
What number is your papa's shoe?
—[Jacksonville Critique.

A SOUND OF RIVALRY.

The Ypsilanti Chicken Show, and what Our Reporter Saw and Heard There.

It may not have been generally known that our sister city of Ypsilanti enjoyed last week the full benefit of an out-and-out simon-pure chicken show, and from the slim crowd in attendance, it could not have been generally known. But the show was there all the same. Friday last your reporter thought he would go due east and ascertain if tidings could be found of the great "crow" that was said to be in progress at our sister city. Ex-Mayor Robison was met at the depot searching for jubulum, and had concluded to go down to the grand cackling tournament also, as the best place to make his search successful. Upon reaching Ypsilanti we were met at the depot by Mayor Cornwell and tendered the freedom of the city. A thing entirely superfluous, on our individual part, but we noticed that the courtesy touched a tender chord on the part of our Ex-Mayor, to which he responded. We were then escorted directly to Hewitt hall, where the male portion of the fowls were each striving, by fair means or foul, to outcrow each other, and they all seemed to succeed admirably. Upon entering the place Ex-Mayor Robison stood for a few moments gazing upon the scene—and crow—in apparently wrapt enchantment. So intense was the spell that threw its glammor about him that the vulgar multitude hushed for a time their jabberings, out of respect for the thrilling thoughts that seemed to be coursing through his brain, and stood motionless, with doffed hats. Finally Mayor Cornwell timidly approached and essayed to speak of the grandeur of the sight, hoping by word painting to add to our Ex-Mayor's delight, who finally found words, opened his mouth and spake: "Grand? Magnificent? Why sir, if I had those birds during the coming campaign I could win such a victory as would be heard away down the (c)ages." This broke the spell and everything assumed its normal condition once more.

But all jesting aside there was a fine display to be seen, and the fowl fancier who failed to see it missed a treat. There was every color, size, variety and hue, and every pitch of voice known to domestic fowls, from the many toned crow of the roosters to the shrill cry of the hawk-scaring guinea hen, and beautiful screech of the peacock. As one walked backward and forward before the long rows of birds, it was impossible not to admire their clean, handsome appearance. Through the kindness of Mr. S. G. Rowley, of Ypsilanti, in whose charge the affair was, the various points of excellence were shown up. The excellent points of some of the chicks could have been appreciated much better had they been dressed and cooked.

Among the most noted exhibitors was G. J. Nissly of Saline, who had about 100 chickens on exhibition, and some of them were beauties, too, in Plymouth Rocks, Langshans, Minorcas, etc., the two latter a black feathered fowl, very handsome. Andrew McKinney, of York, had a great variety of fowls, of all kinds, chickens, ducks, geese, and turkeys, one of the latter bringing down the 40 lb. notch on the scales. Geo. Olds, of Saline, also had some fine birds. S. G. Rowley of Ypsilanti, made a specialty of light Brahmas, as did Jones Bros. of Detroit also. Prof. Bellows, of Ypsilanti showed a number of Plymouth Rocks. Z. A. Hartsuff, of Unadilla had buff Cochins, brown Leghorns, etc. F. C. Wagner, of Monroe, showed black Sumatras, white and laced Wyandottes, etc. Keyes & Kisbaugh, of Clinton, also had a great variety of Leghorns, black and silver spangled Hamburgs, white Dorkings, mottled Javas, etc. Then J. G. Lambert, W. S. Carpenter, S. Post, Jr., Mr. Rogers, Harry Simons all of Ypsilanti, Ira Keller, of Tiffin, O., E. J. Kirby, of Marshall, C. D. Richards, of Millbrook, A. G. Weston, of Unadilla, L. B. Smith, of Hanover, and others, exhibited all breeds, and swelled the display to great proportions.

FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

How Prof. Steere and his Party are Progressing.

[From a letter written by Prof. J. B. Steere, to his wife, in this city, we are permitted to copy the following copious extracts, which will interest a large number of people in this vicinity who are familiar with the entire party of explorers.]—ED.

ZAMBOANGA, Nov. 26, 1887.

We came to this place on Thanksgiving day, and had for our dinner Spanish little-breads, hard and tough and bitter!!! and bananas. We have been receiving since and I packing up. Some of the party will probably start for Cotobalto tomorrow, but I have concluded not to go, but to collect and pack here for the next three weeks, and then go on up to Ilo Ilo and await the party there. I think I can make my time profitable here in collecting corals and other sea life. I am in the best of health of any one of the party, and much better than when I left home. Mr. Mosley was attacked at Basilau with a light form of fever and ague, and at first was determined not to take any quinine, but finally gave in and I broke the fever the first time trying. He is terribly yellow and bilious, but is gaining in health and strength every day now. Mateo is sick now, and I had to laugh over the request to him to care for me and my health, for the care has been all the other way. He has gone down to Ayala to wait until the party is ready to move again. He can be with his relatives and at the same time be doing something for the collection. Mateo and I got in Basilau 336 birds, among them the species which I found here before, and several other new ones; also 20 mammals, among them three deer, a wild boar, several galeopithews, monkeys, squirrels, bats, and a curious little tanager. Then I got a few good sea shells and a good collection of corals. I never saw so many corals. I went with a boat at low tide, put on an old pair of boots and waded over a reef of living corals for half a mile selecting such as I wanted, with which I filled the boat three times, and collected between 50 and 60 species. Oh such a sight, great groves of branching madredoras and hemispheres of articulates and mussas, and leaf like pavonias, some of them are thin as paper, and the funny flat toad stool corals lying around among the rest with here and there a great mass of organpipe coral; the coral itself dark red, but the polypes of the species found here straw yellow. Some of the species we have got are so fine and delicate that I don't know how I am to be able to pack them, but will try some way. I brought them across in open boxes with green leaves among them to keep them from breaking. The boys also collected a fine lot. * * * * I overheard Frank Bourns saying he wished he had a part of what would be left over on the home Thanksgiving table. Frank and Worcester are just now suffering very much from the heat and ulceration. Worcester can hardly walk. A few day's rest will straighten them out. I suffer some in the same way, but not so much as formerly. I will have to tell you what we had for dinner to-day. First we had hot bread, soup flavored with garlic, then (el plato) a dish with some pork and beef and cabbage and *garbonsos*, (a kind of field pea) boiled together and served together. Then tough tongue stewed in oil, then tough buffalo beef fried, then some salad of lettuce and a few little tomatoes and and slices of radish in oil and vinegar; coffee without milk, and bananas.

Sunday, Dec. 4.

Well here I have been in this old *fouda* for over a week. Meantime I have packed the boxes for home, mostly with corals, some with sea shells, skeletons, etc. I prevailed on the boys to give up the trip we had planned to Cotobata, as looking at the thing in all lights I did not think it best. I was especially governed by the question of health. The rest or the party is near Ayala, Mateo's old home, and I shall probably follow tomorrow. I received a letter recently from Dr. J. G. Reves, at Canton, you will remember my description of him and his wife. He has married again a missionary lady, Miss Noyes, whom I knew. He invites us to visit him on our return; I also got a letter some time ago from Mr. Mackay, of North Formosa. He is well and prospering in his work. Gave us all an invitation to come to North Formosa and stop with him. He says the Chinese preachers remember me and invite me to return.

If I go on as I have done I shall have an enormous collection when I get back with notes of habits, etc., which will help much in working them up. * * * * I am trying to have all the party remember that they are not simply collectors but students as well. They are all doing well. We have now nearly 2,000 Philippine birds collected, and of this Mateo and I have a full 1,000, at this rate I shall probably take back over 3,000 birds alone.

On board Francisco Keyes Steamer, Dec. 18, 1888. I am undertaking to write on the deck of the steamer, and the wind is blowing, and I don't know how successfull I shall make it. Monday, after my last letter, Eiteban, one of Mateo's folk's, came after me with a boat, and I went down to the Recodo or Caldera, a little bay just a little toward Zamboanga from Dumalon. We found two or three houses of Chinese, one of which we hired, and I found the boys hard at work collecting coral, and on Tuesday was at it myself. Mateo remained with his brother Pedro after birds. I found the coral very abundant, and soon had a fine lot. There was a village of Moros along the Recodo, and when they found we wanted corals, they began collecting and I bought several dollars worth, and had a little point which extends down into the bay covered with half enough to load a big ship. Then Mateo came down and I began selecting and boxing, using *ipa*, which is rice chaff, for packing. I think the variety was greater than even at Basilau, at least the Moro's in their desire to make a little money scoured the place, so that with what we got ourselves we came close to 100 species. A good number of them I never saw before. The boys did not buy so many, but still got a fine collection. Mr. Mosley spent most of his time hunting. He was not strong enough to do a great deal, we got all packed we could, and I hired a big boat and put in my boxes and then enough Corals to fill 11 more boxes at Zamboanga. The boys hired smaller boats, and we returned to Zamboanga on the 15th. Worcester had been failing in health for some time, and came down just as we returned with an attack of congestion of the liver. Dr. Alla my old friend, gave him some medicine and he is now better, but still terribly yellow and weak. The rest of us have been putting in our time as well as possible in boxing, marking our collections, and last night we got everything on board, nearly a car load, and embarked and bade Zamboanga and the southern Philippines good by. We have had about three months and a half of collecting, and are now 5½ months from home—over a third of the time gone. When I think of what I have planned to do the time seems very short, but when I think of home it seems a great deal longer, and I am anxious for it to pass rapidly away. We shall probably be two weeks in Ilo Ilo and vicinity, and then move on to Zebu. I am in grand good health, have no trouble with my liver nor no signs of malarial trouble. Frank Bourns is also in strong health, and Mateo is now well again. Moseley is recovering and able to work, and Worcester is also getting better, but they do not seem to be calculated for this climate. This letter will probably reach you about Feb. 15. Just think of it! nearly spring. I can hardly realize you are now in the midst of storms and snow. I dream frequently of being with you. Do not be anxious on my account. The dangers of sea and land are not so great as painted, and the season for typhoon is over. Nine months is a good deal less than fifteen, and we shall soon be on our way home.

He is no Mugwump.

At the late meeting in Grand Rapids called for the purpose of organizing a Republican Club, some able speeches were made. The following short speech coming from an Irish republican, Capt. Patrick Walsh, will, no doubt, be quite interesting to a large number of our readers, not merely because it is republican talk, but for the reason there is embodied in it so many good sayings in so short a speech. He said:

"I suppose you are all well aware that I am no public speaker, but my heart in all its longings beats in unison with you to place James G. Blaine in the Presidential chair, or some other good republican, next November. Let there be no tomfoolery about the matter; let our nominee be a bold, fearless exponent of protection to our American industries, of protection to our citizens in foreign lands, of protection to our fishermen, and last, but not least, he should be a bold patriotic protector of the Monroe doctrine, now violated by England in South America. In fact he should be such a man as Blaine, Foraker, Ingalls, Frye of Maine, and a host of others of that stamp. Keep the mugwump at a respectable distance. Don't cater to him! His breath is bad, his counsel is pernicious, his doctrine is rotten. There are a great many sound protection democrats, but show me a mugwump that is not a free trader and I will show you a white blackbird. In my humble opinion there has never been a time in the history of this government fraught with more danger to the future prosperity of the republic than the present. If the teachings of the present administration prevail look out for breakers ahead. The foreign policy of this government has been, since its inception, vacillating, evasive and truckling. Behold our fishermen chased with impunity from the high seas! Behold the sacred Stars and Stripes of an American fishing vessel trampled under the feet of a Canadian peeler! And we have waited in vain for a demand to be made by our Secretary of State for reparation for the insult to our flag. We will have in the coming campaign the best and most eloquent portion of our Irish-American citizens to espouse our cause; men who will make the welkin ring, and don't you forget it. Burchard and the three R's won't be counted on the wrong side of the ledger this time. That extradition treaty now pending in the Senate will be fully explained and dissected, for the first time in the history of this government. It is proposed to surrender patriotic Irishmen to the tender mercy of the British government, who may in the future strike a blow for the liberty of their native land, and be compelled to find shelter here. Rally round the constitution and carry it out to the letter, no matter at what sacrifice. Let your future record be as grand and brilliant as your past, and I have no fear but victory will perch on our banner next November.

Resolutions.

Reported and adopted at the last regular meeting of Welch Post, No. 137, G. A. R., Friday evening, Feb. 10, 1888.

WHEREAS, Our comrade, Stephen Fairchild, late a member of Co. F, 20th Regt., Michigan Infantry, (wounded in front of Petersburg, Va., in the summer of 1864, and disabled by almost total paralysis below the arms by a bullet permanently imbedded near the spine), having fought a good fight, and borne up bravely under his great disability for twenty-three years, has finally passed over and rejoined his and our comrades who have gone before, therefore

Resolved, That the offices of trust which he has so honorably filled in this community, as Treasurer of Washtenaw County and as Secretary of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Co., bear witness to the esteem in which he has been held by his fellow-citizens.

Resolved, That Welch Post, No. 137, Dep't of Michigan, G. A. R., gladly bears testimony to his courage and fidelity as a soldier; to his uprightness and integrity in business; to his patience and cheerfulness under most grievous physical affliction; and to his eminently Christian character.

Resolved, That this Post tenders to his relatives its deep sympathy in their loss and an assurance that it will warmly cherish the memory of this comrade who stood so bravely in the shock of battle, and whose kind greeting and familiar presence will be sadly missed by all his late brothers in arms.

(County papers please copy.)

The Coming Comet.

It is fancied by a grateful patron that the next comet will appear in the form of a huge bottle, having "Golden Medical Discovery" inscribed upon it in bold characters. Whether this conceit and *high* compliment will be verified, remains to be *seen*, but Dr. Pierce will continue to send forth that wonderful vegetable compound, and potent eradicator of disease. It has no equal in medicinal and health-giving properties, for imparting vigor and tone to the liver and kidneys, in purifying the blood, and through it cleansing and renewing the whole system. For scrofulous humors, and consumption or lung scrofula, in its early stages, it is a positive specific. Druggists.

If the government of the United States gives to Detroit $2,000,000 for its public building, it will be giving more for one building than has ever been given to the famous University of Michigan for all of its buildings, equipments and everything else with it. And yet we hear no particular outcry against the extravagance of such a building. In fact the city of Detroit deserves one of the best government buildings in the country, and everyone hopes she may be successful in obtaining it. The government gave to Michigan University sufficient land, had it been managed and cared for, and the money accruing from its sales carefully husbanded, to have left the university nearly if not entirely independent. But the grant was sold for a song, practically, and the state received the benefit, so the state can afford to be generous.

BLAINE DECLINES.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 13.—The Commercial Gazette prints an interview to-day with Chairman B. F. Jones, of the national republican committee, in which he announces the receipt of a letter from James G. Blaine, declining to have his name go before the republican convention at Chicago. The letter is as follows:

FLORENCE, Italy, Jan. 25, 1888.

B. F. Jones, Esq., chairman of the republican national committee:

SIR:—I wish through you to state to the members of the republican party that my name will not be presented to the national convention called to assemble in Chicago in June next for the nomination of candidates for president and vice president of the United States.

I am constrained to this decision by considerations entirely personal to myself, of which you were advised more than a year ago. But I cannot make the announcement without giving expression to my deep sense of gratitude to the many thousands of my countrymen who have sustained me so long and so cordially that their feeling has seemed to go beyond the ordinary political adherence of fellow-partisans and to partake somewhat of the nature of personal attachment. For this most generous loyalty of friendship I can make no adequate return, but I shall carry the memory of it while life lasts.

Nor can I refrain from congratulating the republican party upon the cheering prospects which distinguish the opening of the national contest in 1888 as compared with that of 1884. In 1882 the republican party throughout the Union met with a disastrous defeat. Ten states that had supported Garfield and Arthur in the election of 1880 were carried by the democrats either by majorities or pluralities. The republican loss in the northern elections compared with the preceding national election exceeded 500,000 votes, and the electoral votes of the Union, divided on the basis of the result of 1882, gave to the democrats over 300 electors out of a total of 401. There was a partial reaction in favor of the republicans in the elections of 1883, but the democrats still held possession of seven northern states, and on the basis of the year's contest could show more than 100 majority in the electoral college of the whole country.

But against the discouragement naturally following the adverse elections of these two years the spirit of the republican party in the national contest of 1884 rose high, and the republican masses entered into the campaign with such energy that the final result depended on the result of a single state, and the state was carried by the democratic party by a plurality so small that it represented less than one-eleventh of one per cent. of the entire vote. The change of a vote in every 2,000 of the total poll would have given the state to the republicans, though only two years before the democratic plurality exceeded 192,000.

The elections of 1886 and 1887 have demonstrated growing strength in the republican ranks. Seldom in our political history has a party, defeated in a national election, rallied immediately with such vigor as have the republicans since 1884. No comparison is possible between the spirit of the party in 1882–3 and its spirit in 1886–7. The two periods present simply a contrast—the one of general depression, the other of enthusiastic revival. Should the party gain, in the results of 1888 over those of 1886–7, in anything like the proportion of the gain of 1884 over 1882–3, it would secure one of the most remarkable victories of its entire existence. But victory does not depend on so large a ratio of increase; the party has only to maintain relatively its prestige of 1886–7 to give to its national candidate every northern state but one with a far better prospect of carrying that one than it has had for the past six years.

Another feature of the republican situation should inspire republicans with irresistible strength. The present national administration was elected with, if not upon, the repeated assertions of its leading supporters in every protection state that no issue on the tariff was involved. However earnestly republicans urged that question as the one of controlling importance in the campaign, they were met by the democratic leaders and journals with persistent evasion, concealment and denial. This resource the president has fortunately removed. The issue which the republicans maintained and the democrats avoided in 1884 has been prominently and specifically brought forward by the democratic president, and cannot be hidden out of sight in 1888. The country is now in the enjoyment of an industrial system which, in a quarter of a century has assured a larger national growth, a more rapid accumulation and a broader distribution of wealth than were ever before known to history. The American people will now be openly and formally asked to decide whether this shall be recklessly abandoned and a new trial be made of an old experiment, which has uniformly led to national embarassment and wide-spread individual distress. On the result of such an issue, fairly presented to the popular judgment, there is no room for doubt.

One thing only is necessary to assure success—complete harmony and cordial co-operation on the part of all republicans—on the part of those who aspire to lead and of those who are eager to follow. The duty is not merely one of honorable devotion to the party whose record and whose aims are alike great, but it is one demanded by the instinct of self-interest and by the still higher promptings of patriotism.

A closer observation of the conditions of life among the older nations gives me a more intense desire that the American people shall make no mistake in choosing the policy which inspires labor with hope and crowns it with dignity, which gives safety to capital and protects its increase, which secures political power to every citizen, comfort and culture to every home. To this end, not less earnestly and more directly as a private citizen than a public candidate, I shall devote myself, with the confident belief that the administration of the government will be restored to the party which has demonstrated the purpose and the power to wield it for the unity and honor of the republic, for the prosperity and progress of the people.

I am very sincerely yours,
JAMES G. BLAINE.

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WAGNER & CO., Clothiers.

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

Saline's W. C. T. U. reports eight new members.

Saline's city dads have borrowed $300 at 7 per cent.

Saline's graduating class this year is to number seven.

Masquerade ball at the Lake Ridge house, Feb. 22d.

Brighton has organized an athletic—not aesthetic—club.

A. F. Clark has 36 scholars in his singing school at Milan.

J. W. Wing, of Scio, is to reside in Ann Arbor in the near future.

Stockbridge hankers arter a charter and a common council. Rash place.

A new bridge is to be built over the Saline river on the telephone road, Saline.

Gov. Luce will be present at the Brighton campfire Tuesday evening, Feb. 21st.

John Boice, Ypsilanti, has been drawn as an additional grand juryman, at Detroit.

Mrs. Eva M. Waite and daughter have returned to Dexter from a visit to friends in Lansing, etc.

Michael and Bernard Lavey are drawing rye straw to the paper mills near Ann Arbor.—Pinckney Dispatch.

Mr. Goodrich, of Saline, was given poison for cough medicine, the Observer states, and came near being sent over the river.

Rev. Mr. Bird, the M. E. minister of Webster, Whitmore Lake and Hamburg, was given a cutter by his congregations recently.

Wm. B. Seymour, of Ypsilanti, has been chosen as a representative to the supreme Lodge A. O. U. W., to be held at Louisville, Ky.

A sleigh load of University friends came over, last Friday night, and spent a very pleasant evening with Webster Ruckman.—Saline Observer.

Latson & Son of Webster have purchased the farms of Spencer Tooley and Mrs. Barnard, in Genoa, Livingston Co., 170 acres for $65 per acre.

The Brighton Market Fair association owes only $550. But a new secretary's office will be built, and things pushed for next year's fair, just the same.

There is great hopes for the state when such cities will give so large dry majorities. But it is not the law that will close the open saloon but the proper enforcement of it.—Northville Record.

In boring for gas at the county house they have struck mineral water, strongly impregnated with sulphur. This is liable to hurt Mt. Clemens, while board is much cheaper.—Plymouth Mail.

Wm. R. Trowbridge, formerly assistant in the Grammar department of the Ann Arbor high school, has been elected to fill the vacancy in the Dexter schools, caused by the resignation of Mrs. Prof. Waller.

Frank P. Bogardus, of Ypsilanti, has declined to accept the position of post office inspector, because of insufficient remuneration. He takes the managment of a large estate and goes into other business at home.

Mrs. Sara E., wife of Dr. A. G. Gumaer, died at Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 12, '88, aged 34 years 10 month. Prof. Gumaer was a graduate of the literary department of the University, was principal of the Saline union school for three years, and was married at the close of his second year.—Saline Observer.

Dr. S. A. DuPaul, of Carleton, Monroe county, owns a pony which he calls Bony Fearnot, that is 22 years of age and weighs 680 pounds. The doctor made a bet with H. C. Talbot of Carleton that he could drive the pony to Flat Rock and back in 60 minutes, 15 miles for the round trip. He made the distance in 52 minutes.—Observer.

The new Baptist church at Salem, erected at a cost of $6,000, was dedicated last Wednesday. Dr. Grinnell, of Detroit, preached in the morning and Dr. Haskall, of Ann Arbor in the evening. There was an indebtedness of $1,200 reported in the morning and it was all cleared during the day so that now their new and beautiful building is their own and clear from debt.

Some of the Ann Arbor girls are deserving of gold medals and of having their names chisled in granite. A sleigh load of the young folks were going into the country for a ride and dance. One of the number spied a keg of beer under the front seat that the boys had there and they refused to go with the boys. They are girls to be proud of and boys to be ashamed of.—Northville Record.

The local option elections thus far indicate that for some reason only about one-half of the voters at the various precincts turn out to the polls. The result thus far has been overwhelming majorities in favor of prohibition. It must not be supposed that with the passage of the measure by the voters everything has been done. It will have to be enforced, and the stay-at-home voters are an uncounted, and in many cases an unknown quantity in the enforcement of the measure; but we believe that the most of them will be strongly in favor of standing by the law, if it shall be upheld by the Supreme Court.—Stockbridge Sun.

"Three weeks from next Monday you will have a chance to vote in unmistakable terms, whether you are *for or against*, the manufacture and sale of intoxicants."—Commercial.

No, sir, that is not so. If it were we should know exactly how to vote. We shall simply have a chance to vote whether Mr. Forester of Ypsilanti shall brew the beer drank here, or whether a Detroit man brew it. Whether we shall destroy $50,000 worth of capital in Ypsilanti, and more than a hundred thousand dollars worth in the county, and enhance the value of similar property in the surrounding counties of Wayne and Monroe, or not. Such is the alternative that underlies this deceptive vote.—Ypsilanti Sentinel.

A MYSTERY SOLVED.

Some weeks since the COURIER published an account of the leaving of a baby on the steps of Wm. M. Clark's residence in Stockbridge. The mystery is cleared up in the following dispatch to the Detroit Evening News:

JACKSON, Mich., Feb. 11.—The mystery surrounding the parentage of the child left on the steps of Wm. M. Clark's house at Stockbridge, Jan. 19, is about cleared up. Yesterday Deputy Sheriff Bates, of Lansing, came here with Eunice Hubbard, daughter of Ex-Supervisor Henry Hubbard, of Waterloo, having arrested her at Hastings, when she owned the whole thing, saying the father of the child was Don Beaman, son of Charles Beaman, a wealthy farmer of Linden. Miss Hubbard said the child was born in a family named Force, at Stockbridge, and in a few days she was sent from the Force residence by Mrs. Force and taken to the home of Beaman's parents. There it was arranged to leave the child at Clark's, which was done. Deputy Sheriff Bates sent Officer Mitteer, of Stockbridge, across from Lansing to arrest Beaman last evening before he should get news of the finding and the arrest of the girl. Bates and Miss Hubbard left on the train at 4 o'clock yesterday for Stockbridge.

HOW IT WORKS.

The Kind of Temperance Prohibition Begets.

LANSING, Feb. 4.—Curious residents of Michigan who care to examine the records of the office of the clerk of their county before the first of May will be rewarded by finding, in a book kept for such purposes, the record of the articles of association of one or more clubs, organized under act No. 22 of the public acts of 1883, entitled "An act to authorize the formation of clubs for social purposes." There seems to be nothing in this law whereby clubs are obliged to make a report, or be accountable to any one.

Another important feature is that the law does not require any portion of the capital stock to be actually paid in. The entire management is in the hands of the club itself. Now what is to hinder any saloonkeeper in a town from organizing a club by inducing fifteen of his friends and patrons to sign articles of association and file them with the designated official? Once organized, the club is entirely within their control, and the saloonkeepers' place of business may be the club house. There is nothing in the liquor law of this state to prevent individuals or corporations from importing or using liquor. It simply, in the absence of a license and in local option counties, cannot be manufactured, sold, or given away; therefore, the club can use all the liquor they want, and the members can make their own provisions about meeting the expense. Should a man drop into one of these clubs and call for a drink, he would, of course, be informed that no liquors are sold, but all he has to do is to join the club on the spot, which costs him nothing, and he is at once entitled to all the privileges of the club house. Thus, every-one can secure all the "budge" he requires, and no one has to pay any license.

Gen. Sheridan made one great, fatal mistake some 25 or 30 years ago, which will preclude his running well as a presidential candidate in certain states of the union. He went into the war on the union side, and furthermore, he whaled out the enemy every time he got a chance at them. He had the peculiar faculty of getting there.

Adrian butchers are more religious than Ann Arbor barbers. The latter on their own petition, kept their places of business closed on Sunday a few times until one of them couldn't stand it any tonger and kicked over the traces, which of course let the bars down for all. Now at Adrian the Times tells us that their butcher shops bear this inscription: "We do not open this store on Sunday, in winter, for when meat will keep there is no reason or excuse for it."

The sons and daughters of poverty, that the state educates at the University, appear to have abundant means to hold "receptions," sleigh rides, and all manner of amusements. We doubt whether the sons of the rich at Yale or Harvard have jollier times, or spend money most freely. Just remember these things, when you hear about the "poor man's University again.—Ypsilanti Sentinel.

Oh! dear now! You don't say so! Because some of our students attend rides, receptions and parties *all* are credited with spending their time and money in the same manner. Or, perhaps our sweet tempered growler only means to say that because boys and girls happen to be the children of poor parents they have no business to seek or partake of any pleasures or enjoyments; (would it be all right for them to go to the skating rink? Either way you may look at the above screed it betrays the foolish jealousy that prompted its writer. For mercy sake, brace up and flavor your sharp quill with a little of the oil of the olive branch, or of the milk of human kindness, or something of the sort, and give us a rest on gall for a time.

The belle of the evening at a party in Dayton, O., gathered herself together for a sneeze, and when the explosion came a glass eye and a set of false teeth shot across the room.

The Charlotte Prohibitionist did not contain a single line of gratification last week because of the great temperance victory achieved in Eaton county through the success of the local option election. Close observers will not have to guess twice to understand the reason.—Charlotte Republican.

Was the Republican so ingenuous as to believe for a moment that it would? The death of the republican party is the end and aim of the prohibitionists. That is *all* their leaders have in view, and there will be no rejoicing at anything not helping to that end.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1888.

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.

DRESSMAKING—Miss Buell's dressmaking rooms at 69 South Main st. Cloaks and wraps a specialty.

WANTED—Office work or copying; good penman, can operate typewriter. Address, Box 1184, Ann Arbor, Mich. 3w90

LOST.

IN OR Near the postoffice, a package of legal papers. The package had shawl straps around it. The finder will confer a favor and receive a reward by leaving it at the postoffice or Yale's news stand.
February 6, 1888. *

WANTED—To rent Piano. Must be in good condition and near enough concert pitch to play with clarionet. Address stating price and make of instrument, W. T. No. 13 Detroit st. 3w89

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A desirable farm containing nearly 400 acres, favorably located in southern Michigan, with good buildings, plenty of timber, and well watered. One of the best stock farms in the state, will exchange for smaller farm, or desirable property in the city of Ann Arbor. For particulars inquire at Courier Office, Ann Arbor, Mich. 4w88

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT.—Houses and lots valued from $1,000 to $6,000 and containing from one-fifth of an acre to twenty acres—all in the city limits. Housese rented on reasonable terms in central localities. Farms exchanged for city property. Enquire of J. Q. A. Sessions, Attorney and Real Estate Agent, Office over Express Office, Main St., Ann Arbor. 51tf

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REGISTRATION NOTICE.

Ann Arbor township board of registration will meet at the township clerk's office, at N. B. Covert's shop West Huron st., Feb. 25, from 9 to 4 o'clock.

JOHN T. FULLER,
Town Clerk.

MICHIGAN REBUBLICAN LEAGUE.

In accordance with the provisions of the Constitution adopted by the Republican League of the United States, at its Convention, held in New York, Dec. 16th, 1887, a call is hereby issued to the Republican Clubs of Michigan, to meet in Convention at Detroit,

FEBRUARY 22d, AT 11 A. M.

The objects of this Convention are to form a Republican League for the State of Michigan; to supervise and to encourage the formation of permanent clubs in every county; and to give a unity of action for effective work in order that sound Republican principles may be established and maintained.

Each club shall be entitled to as many delegates as it shall elect, but shall have only one vote. Where clubs are already existing, they are requested to meet and elect delegates; while in those places not having a club organization Republicans are urged to form one at once and send representatives. Eligibility to membership in the League consists in the Republican Club having a constitution and a membership of twenty.

The annual banquet of the Michigan Club occurring in the evening will call many distinguished Republicans to the city, and it is expected they will address the Convention. Every Republican is most earnestly requested to see to it that his county is represented.

JUNIUS E. BEAL,
Member Executive Committee for Michigan, National League.
CLARENCE A. BLACK,
Vice-President for Michigan of the National League.

DR. PALMER'S PLACE.

The chair of Theory and Practice of Medicine made vacant by the death of Dr. A. B. Palmer has as yet not been filled, but the Regents meet this week Friday to decide upon the man. This position is one of considerable importance for in the filling of it the Faculty may be strengthened in several ways.

For instance, these qualifications should exist in a candidate: he should be a man of ability and experience; he should be one who has the respect and confidence of the doctors in this state; if possible, he should be a graduate of our own University.

The Regents referred the matter to the Medical Faculty who had a meeting Monday evening where they found themselves evenly divided between Dr. H. F. Lyster, of Detroit and Dr. Musser of Pennsylvania. So it is now left for the Regents to decide between the two.

Such being the case it certainly would seem as though the appointment of Dr. Lyster would be most advisable, for he is a graduate of the U. of M.; an experienced doctor who stands high among the profession in Michigan—probably the most representative one; he is backed by the leading citizens of Detroit and should have the preference over any outsider.

Dr. Musser is probably an able man for he has written a considerable for Medical journals, but coming from such a distance to a place where he is not known he can bring no strength except what he may have in him. What the University most needs is to get as close to the sympathy of the people of Michigan as it can. This it can do in no better way than by filling its chairs, so far as possible, with its own citizens who are well known and stand high in public estimation. We should not go outside of the state unless there is no worthy man in it, or except to get a man of extraordinary ability and reputation.

BLAINE'S LETTER.

This week the principal topic of conversation in political circles is the letter of James G. Blaine declining to have his name presented as a candidate before the next republican convention. There is much conjecture among politicians as to whether this is a final and definite withdrawal of the great statesman from the forthcoming contest, but among republican leaders it is thought that it is. Mr. Blaine is regarded by thousands of his admirers as the Webster or Clay of this generation, and there can scarcely be any gainsaying of the fact that in breadth of view, in extensive and correct information, in ability to lead, in skill to organize, in eloquence to convince, he stands with none at his side.

However, his many hard-fought battles may now lead him to wish for rest and peace. He knows that the next presidential fight will be an exceeding hot one, and no one will blame him for wanting to take his *otium cum dignitate* which he has so well earned, even though they believe he could be elected easier than any other candidate. His letter is a very manly one and shows a true republican spirit which will tend to harmony in the party.

ALGER'S CHANCE.

The withdrawal of James G. Blaine from the field of presidential candidates, leaves it open to others who had hitherto conceded to him the entire right of way. Now it is for Michigan to put forward her favorite son, Gen. Russell A. Alger. As Logan would have been Blaine's successor at the head of the ticket had he lived, just so his mantel having fallen on the shoulders of our brave ex-Governor Gen. Alger, it is to him we now look to lead us to the victories to come. With him for president we would have a season of rest and security, for Michigan's industries in lumber, salt, minerals and wool would have no attacks from the Chief Magistrate. His pure life and noble character would surround him with just such cabinet officers while the country could have what it missed in the death of Chandler and Logan. Here's to our success.

This country has tried free trade and under its baneful influence utter stagnation to business resulted every time it has been tried. Another trial will be but another repetition of those disasters.

BLAINE'S LETTER.

What Ann Arbor Republicans Think of It.

A reporter of the COURIER interviewed a number of the prominent republicans of the city relative to the letter of Mr. Blaine, which is published in another column of this paper. There seems to be a diversity of opinion, as there naturally would be, but the fact still remains that a large majority of the rank and file of the party favor Mr. Blaine as a candidate. Of course his refusal to allow his name to be brought before the convention opens the field to a long list of candidates, foremost among whom are Sheridan, Sherman, Allison, Alger, Hawley, Lincoln, Frye, and so on. But here is what some of our local republicans think:

C. Eberbach: He did a wise thing.

J. M. Stafford: I believe that we will have a chance to vote for Blaine yet.

Alderman Herz: If the republicans can elect anybody they can elect Blaine.

J. T. Jacobs: is out of town, but he is known to have a warm place in his heart for Senator Sherman.

D. C. Fall: I am sorry Blaine has withdrawn, for I consider him the best man of all other men, for president.

John Heinzman: It is a wise thing for Blaine and the party. Almost any other candidate mentioned would be better.

W. W. Whedon: I think it is best for the party perhaps. Gen. Sheridan can poll more votes than any other candidate mentioned.

Herman Hutzel: It is one of Blaine's shrewd moves. He is the foremost politican in the world. But I do not care to have my opinion published.

Prof. C. E. Greene: I am something of a mugwump; am not a Blaine man; have not read the letter; and consequently have no opinion to offer.

Jerome Freeman: James G. Blaine will be the next president of the United States. The people as well as the party demand it and he will have to accede to their demands.

E. B. Abel: I think Mr. Blaine is sincere and means just what he says. But I believe if there is any man in the republican party to day who can be elected, James G. Blaine is that man.

Benj. Brown: I was in hopes Mr. Blaine would be re nominated. He would give us a grand administration, and is a grand man. My choice in preference to any other. It is difficult to say who is the next best.

John F. Lawrence: I am sorry Mr. Blaine wrote that letter. He would have been nominated and elected, and then we would have a man of capacity in the presidential chair. I believe Mr. Blaine to be a great man.

Chas. E. Hiscock: It looks to me like an honest endeavor on Blaine's part to do that which is the best for the party. I think that Sherman has the confidence of the business men of the nation, and he would receive a warm support from that class.

Treasurer John Moore: It is evidentthat Mr. Blaine will not be a candidate again, but I had considered him the strongest man in the party, and hoped to vote for him once more. It is possible that other men may be found who can poll as many votes.

Thos. T. Keech: Personally I am a warm supporter of Blaine, but I think, perhaps his action may be for the the best interest of the party in uniting all factions. Any man the convention decides upon I am in favor of. Would shout myself hoarse for Alger.

P. Bach: Mr. Blaine is all right and I believe sincere in his declination, but I had rather have the satisfaction of whipping our political enemies with Blaine than any other man. Mr. Sherman is very substantial and will gain rapidly. My personal choice would be Gen. Hawley of Connecticut.

Alex. W. Hamilton: I think Mr. Blaine is sincere and will strictly adhere to his determination. I regret exceedingly he did so, for I consider him the strongest man in the ranks of the party. My choice now is Gen. Alger, and I hope this state will send a red-hot Alger delegation to the convention.

Dr. W. F. Breakey: I think Mr. Blaine's name would awaken more enthusiasm than that of any other man in the party, but that his decision is intended to be final as far as he is concerned. Sherman would be satisfactory to the financial interests, but with Sheridan we would have a brilliant campaign.

Justice E. K. Frueauff: While Mr. Blaine is my first choice I believe that his letter is prompted by the purest patriotic motives. With Sherman and Alger as our leaders and Blaine and Conkling speaking in the canvass, we are sure to win, and demoralize the democrats and their allies the prohibitionists.

Wm. K. Childs: I am glad Mr. Blaine has written that letter. It leaves the party in better shape for the coming fight. While Mr. Blaine may be the best man for the office, yet he has such marked traits of character that he h s made enemies that injure his candidacy. My choice for the place is Gen. Alger.

Secretary J. H. Wade: My opinion is that Mr. Blaine is conscientious in what he says, and will not be considered a candidate. He could arouse more enthusiasm, however, than any other man. The drift now has set in toward Sherman, and he *may* possess sufficient elements of strength to harmonize all factions of the party.

A. F. Freeman, of Manchester. Mr. Freeman being in the city yesterday, his opinion was asked, and he said in effect: I am strongly in favor Mr. Blaine, and believe that he will surely be nominated and elected. Of all men in this nation to-day he is the one that a majority of the American people would like to honor as their president.

Mayor Smith: I think the letter is a mistake on Mr. Blaine's part, but notwithstanding it he will be the only candidate. He is immeasurably stronger than any other man in the party. There will be dozens of candidates in the field now, none of them very strong, and when they come into the convention and find out how impossible it is to unite upon any one of them, Mr. Blaine will be unanimously nominated, will accept and be elected.

Chas. S. Millen: I am sorry if this is a positive declination, for I consider Mr. Blaine by far the ablest man in this nation to-day. He is also our ablest and most available candidate. He would call around him a cabinet that would be an honor to the nation and give us an administration that would be brilliant and grand. I am a Blaine man, every inch of me, and I believe he will occupy the seat now filled by Mr. Cleveland, after the 4th of next March.

A. L. Noble: Am well pleased with the letter from the fact that I am an ardent admirer of Mr. Blaine, and like the manly and honorable position he has taken. He should have received the nomination when Hayes was nominated and could have been elected then or even four years later. But now he evidently appreciates the fact that he should give place to some new man. I think Hawley and Lincoln would make a grand team. Sherman would make an excellent president, as would also Allison, perhaps.

J. W. Knight: I think Mr. Blaine's letter effectually places him out of the race, and prevents his friends from pushing him. Unless the republicans can nominate some man in whom the business men of the country have confidence, Cleveland will secure their votes, especially in the east. Mr. Knight considered Mr. Sherman the only man who could do that. The trouble with Sherman, however, is that he is without warmth or magnetism and fails to draw people to him. Lincoln might be an excellent candidate.

J. C. Knowlton: I think the letter is a good thing for the republican party. While Mr. Blaine's chances for a nomination are perhaps better than those of any other man, yet his declination will strengthen the party. Sheridan could be elected, and so could Sherman. The business interests of the nation would be strongly favorable to the latter, especially against a man holding sentiments that meet the approval of such rattle-brained theorists as Henry George, who I see has come out for Cleveland.

Ex-Auditor General Stevens: There is no question in my mind, but that Mr. Blaine means just what he says, and that he could not now be induced to accept a nomination. I regret his decision for I have not the least doubt but that he would be nominated and triumphantly elected. He is my choice. I think Sheridan is the next strongest man. Sherman has great ability and so have Ingalls and Gresham. If Cleveland is re-nominated he will receive the mugwump vote, for they are all free traders. He will also get the money element of New York, for we never had an administration so completely under the control of Wall street as is the present one. Now what the republicans want is a man to draw votes from some other element of the enemy. Who is he? Sheridan is the only man left for us.

Capt. McGilvary: I don't know what to think about Mr. Blaine's letter; it was so unexpected. I don't really know whether we have in the party a better candidate or one who will make a stronger run. This may help Sherman's chances. I don't think Sheridan wants it. He may be compelled, however, to take it, but it is not for his interest to do so, as he receives a permanent salary for life of $11,000, which affords him a comfortable living, and it would be against his best interests to relinquish it for the presidency. This letter, in my opinion, has a tendency to solidify the ranks of the republican party, for it gives all of the presidential aspirants an opportunity to show their strength.

There is to be an attempt to unite all labor organizations of the state, and to that end the executive board of the Knights of Labor of this state will call a meeting to be held in Detroit in May or June. If the K. of L. will stick to its text, relegate politicans to the rear, and insist upon their keeping there, such a convention can be of incalculable service. The only way for the laboring men to protect their rights is by organization, but they should cease their dissensions and quarrels at once, and unite for the common and *only* cause: the improvement of the condition of the laboring man, financially and morally.

My Dear Mr. Flower:—I am quite fleshy, but I can jump over that little York State Hill without any particular effort, so you will be judicious in not blooming on that particular hill side. Yours, G. C., per Dan.

LOCAL OPTION!

Local Option—Yes!

EDITOR COURIER:—Having always been in favor of investigation to the fullest extent before taking a positive stand on any subject, and having paid by a broken-down constitution for my views, expressed and put in force during the war of the rebellion, I naturally feel some interest in the welfare of our city and commonwealth.

After considerable experience with and a very thorough study of the influence of the open saloon on our citizens generally, and particularly on the young men, I have come to the conclusion (and I defy any person to contradict it) that its influence is never for good, (either morally or intellectually), but always for the contrary, and, as I found such to be the case, who, *that I should care for*, would advise me to take the stand that my friend "Justiciar" does, (although I believe him to be a prominent democratic county politician—as I should read him between his lines) in the COURIER of last week?

I could not take the grounds he did, however, whoever might so advise me, for I believe them untenable in almost every respect. For instance

He says that the person who votes against "Local Option," does not vote, *in principle*, "for the manufacture and sale of intoxicating drink." Let him ask any man in the liquor business in this city whether a person voting for local option votes in favor of his business or not, (and, for one, I believe the liquor man can answer that understandingly), and I have little doubt what his answer will be, for he knows on which side his bread is buttered "and if you are not with me you are against me."

Then, again, I could not claim to be "a temperance man through and through" when it was a well known fact that I had never lifted my hand to aid the temperance people (or cause) notwithstanding they had been working heroically in the neighborhood in which I lived for the past ten years, not even if I did attempt to do so under the *non de plume* of "Justiciar," or by claiming, "if I lived in a different county—where the public sentiment was so overwhelmingly temperance, that saloons were unpopular I would vote for a local option law." Oh wouldn't I be *a brave man then;* but if I was a politician, *perhaps* (?) I would not be to blame for trying to think as he claims he does. If he lived in Utah he would vote for polygamy; if he lived in the lumber camps he would vote for bawdy houses; if he had lived in a state favorable to slavery, he would have voted for rebellion—because he deemed it popular, you know. This is his "principle," implied.

And, again, I cannot agree with him when he says the business interests of the city will suffer if local option is carried, for I do not believe now, and never have believed that the saloon increases the legitimate business of a town; nor do I believe his statement, that the money now expended by the drinking classes would not enhance trade to any great extent, for we are not forced to go away from home to note incidents where it has swelled the income of the grocer and dry goods man to a considerable extent, when only the "drinking classes" were partially drawn away from or induced to leave their cups, and we have the discontent of the saloon men at that time for a guarantee thereof.

Then, again, as to empty stores that will be thrown on the market. Are not most of the saloons in the city now occupying prominent business locations, and did he or any other resident of this city ever know the time when a good store was not in demand? But we think that his communication entire is better answered by the fact that the states of Maine, Kansas and Iowa have never for an instant wavered in their stand taken against the liquor traffic, notwithstanding the fact that every possible effort of the whisky men and of the politicians in and out these states has been exerted to make the prohibitory law a failure, and to create a hostility thereto.

But I have paid more attention to this anonymous communication than I naturally would if it had not been for the fact that I thought I could guess from whence it came, and others might possibly give some weight to it, who had not given his style of writing as much thought. But here I wish to insert an answer I have just received from a postal sent by me to Olathe, Kas., on account of a statement made and reiterated before me that the open saloon was in full blast there. The letter explains itself.

J. W. PARKER, County Attorney, Johnson County.

OLATHE, Kansas, Feb. 3, 1888.

Mr. James B. Saunders, Ann Arbor, Mich.

DEAR SIR:—Your card to your brother in regard to open saloons in our county, Johnson, was handed me for answer. There are no open saloons in this county and have been none for several years, in fact, none since the prohibitory law took effect. The law is as well enforced as any of the criminal laws of the state, and receives the support of the people generally. Public opinion has grown until now the public, and our grand and petit juries treat violations of this law the same as any other law, and there is no more question raised as to its enforcement than there is of the law in reference to assault and battery. The same state of affairs exists in all counties I have visited with one or two exceptions. Very respectfully,

J. W. PARKER.

Then, again, I beg your indulgence, and as you gave an account of a sermon by Rev. Frank T. Bayley, of Portland, Me., I hope you will see fit to give the explanation of the same, as made by himself, in answer to questions suggested by it, and addressed to him by Mr. J. B. Stevens, of Detroit, which we clip from the Detroit Evening Journal of Feb. 6, 1888, and is as follows:

Would you regard a boy as being as safe from the saloon and its allurements in Detroit as in Portland? By no means. In Detroit the saloon has the countenance and respectability conferred by legislation; in Portland it is under the ban of law. Moreover, the "saloon" in Portland is always quite a different affair from Detroit. There it is advertised openly; it is made attractive by various means—by adornment, by social drinking, etc. Here it is never indicated by a sign over the door; there is not one such in Portland; it is not to be found in our chief streets, save as the hotels might be included, which of course are not "saloons," even when they sell at a bar down cellar. The Portland "saloon," even in a time of the laxest enforcement of the law, is a place utterly without attraction save the mere sale of strong drink, a place that would disgust a boy unless he was already a drinker. Moreover, the "saloon," even in a time when we have our best enforcement of the law (such as I saw in the administration previous to the present one) is not in any sense "an open saloon" but a secret den, where liquors are sold on the sly, the supply being kept under the floor, buried in the ground, or in a manure heap, or frequently only carried in such quantities as may be secreted about the person. A watch is kept by a spy outside the door, and upon the approach of an officer the liquor is dumped into a tub containing kerosene, so as to be beyond detection. You will see that liquor selling in Portland, even as things now are, is not what it is in Detroit, and when we have a good enforcement of the law the contrast of the law is still greater. Of course, as things now are, as described in in the sermon, the hotels are the most dangerous plaes for young men of respectability. Aside from these, there are few places where such persons would go to buy, unless they were members of some of the clubs, and thus had access to the common stock of liquors kept at the club room.

As to the relative violation of the liquor law as compared with the violation of other laws, of course there are many more cases of selling and drinking than of "murder and arson." But, taking the state as a whole, I would say that the liquor law is as well enforced as our other laws. And just here let me say that many of the errors fallen into by writers on the subject of prohibition in Maine arise from a failure to distinguish between the workings of the law in three or four of our largest cities and its operation in the state at large. The law has been an untold blessing to the state, as is evident to one who can compare our present condition with that of license days, and as it is clearly proven by an overwhelming mass of testimony from the very highest sources—governors, judges, etc. In our rural sections liquor selling is almost unknown; and it is found in the towns—aside from the cities mentioned—only in a small degree. Finally, "Why is it that people who live in Maine say that prohibition is very much of a success, while many who were never in the state declare it an utter failure?"

This cannot be fully answered in a sentence. One reason has just been given. Persons stopping just now at a Portland hotel and seeing what the sermon dercribes, might go home to declare that prohibition is a failure in Maine, which is altogether too broad a conclusion from so narrow a premise. It is a failure in Portland just now, but Portland is not the "state of Maine," nor is the present condition a fair indication of the enforcement in that city.

I have no doubt that the wish is father to to the thought oftentimes when people say that prohibition is a failure in Maine. Nothing would better please the liquor sellers than to make the world believe it; for they hate prohibition above anything else—"strange as it may seem, if it does not prohibit." One reason I have for maintaining it is that they hate and oppose it. You may trust them to know which side their bread is buttered on.

I have written in flying haste, as I am crowded with work. But I trust I have given you some light. Faithfully yours,

FRANK T. BAYLEY.

I also have in my possession a letter from a gentleman who keeps a hotel in Olathe, Johnson Co., Kansas, who, in reply to the question whether liquor is sold openly there, says: "If any one in Ann Arbor thinks he can buy a drink from an open bar here and will do so, *I* will pay the expense of his trip from Ann Arbor, Mich., to this town and return." He then goes on to state that he has resided there some ten or twelve years, thinks he knows the town pretty well; but one day his head cook wanted some brandy for mince pies, he started out to get it, but found it impossible to obtain the same without going to Kansas City, Mo., a distance of some twenty miles. He closes by assuring us that "he is no prohibitionist, but simply states the way he finds things under the prohibitory law of Kansas."

But there is one other question I wish to touch lightly on before closing, and that is, the money derived from the license on the saloons in this county, provided local option is not carried:

I was about to assert that, as yet, as far as I knew, no one had sought to enlighten us on this subject, but hold, here is a thing in the shape of a circular. We turn it over and over to see from whence it comes. It is addressed to "Business Men and Taxpayers;" but by whom it was written or even by whom it was printed it is impossible for us to ascertain (as even the printer seems to have been too shy to put his imprint thereon).

But what does this circular claim? Why, it starts out by throwing a bombshell into the ranks of the high license men, who claim that they are the friends of temperance, by the bold assertion that "$40,225" will be paid into the county treasury each year for the next three years (probably six times more than would actually be) if this local option law is defeated. At $500 each this would necessitate the remaining open of *eighty-and-one-half saloons*. Where are the large number of closed saloons to come from then, that the license advocates have promised would surely be compelled to close their doors?

Of course, as all its arguments are based upon the above figures as their foundation, they seem to us, as they do to many, too absurd to deserve an extended reply.

We believe now, as we have for a long time past, that high license is nothing more or less than the scheme of those who wish to make a *gigantic monopoly* of the traffic in intoxicants, and will not decrease, to any great extent, the amount of liquor sold; the amount of damage done to civilization; or the temptation for the young; but will only make millionaires of those who have the money to pay the license, and whose only desire is to make money at whatever cost.

The nightmare of increased taxation should not worry any thinking or moral man for a moment. The expenses to the community resulting directly from the licensing of a number of saloons have too often been told to need enumerating here; and will nearly, if not quite, offset the license derived therefrom. Other communities have closed the saloon doors in their midst and prospered. Why cannot we?

Then where is the man who can knowingly and willingly walk up to the polls and deposit his ballot for the continuance of the open saloon with its many allurements and temptations for his or some other man's son's disgrace and afterwards when he hears of some one's downfall from the effects of such an extension of the traffic in intoxicating liquors, with gratification to himself recall the fact *that he assisted in that person's downfall* for the possibility of having a reduction of a very small per cent. of the taxes due from him toward the support of his government?

But I must now close, hoping that what I have written may open some ones eyes, I remain, yours, ever for the best interests of the public in general.

JAMES B. SAUNDERS.

An Owossoite Explains.

EDITOR COURIER:—I saw in last week's paper a dispatch, quoted by a correspondent, purporting to come from Owosso, stating that all places now occupied by saloons there have been rented for other business enterprises after May 1st. Now I happen to know that several of them have not been rented at all, five or six will be opened as drug stores, and at least one place occupied as a "club room." Preparations are already being made for these changes.

OWOSSOITE.

Thinks the Ministers not Infallible.

ED. COURIER:—The correspondent last week who concluded to go with the ministers is undoubtedly one of the frail sort who is obliged to surround himself with such influences in order to keep from going to the bad. His idea, however, that the ministers are always on the right side, though generally speaking is correct, yet is sometimes at fault. For instance, when the Saviour was condemned by Pontius Pilate, it was the priests who led the multitude and cried "Crucify him! Crucify him!" It is not intended to draw a parallel, but simply to show that ministers, being merely human beings, are liable to err the same as any other class of people. Another instance was before and during the war, when the ministers of the south upheld the cause of slavery. Furthermore, on this particular subject, they are not as competent to speak understandingly as are some others who have the practical knowledge that it is impossible for them to obtain. The very fact that they are ministers precludes the possibility of their gaining any considerable knowledge except upon one side of the question. It might be stated that there is no choice with a minister. He is *obliged* to take the side he does in this agitation or be boycotted by his congregation.

D.

The Phil Sheridan movement appears to be moving somewhat after the fashion that Little Phil. himself did on that famous ride in the Shenandoah Valley some years since. But we forgot. That period of this country's history should not be referred to. It sort o' stings the fellows who got licked, and who are on top now, filling U. S. judgeships, cabinet positions, and cantrolling the destinies of the nation they so recently attempted to destroy. The nomination of Phil Sheridan would be a direct insult to every high bred southern gentleman. A man who fought the way he did in the war can nevah get their votes, sah! nevah sah!

Free traders have wool in their ears, and the stained glass of prejudice over their eyes. They will neither hear nor see—correctly.

It is said that Congressman Fisher, who will be the next democratic candidate for governor, doesn't use the most elegant language of any man in Congress, but that he is an adept in forcible English.

The Knights of Labor have taken up the Thoebe-Carlisle case, and it is said that within a week a million people will ask that the case be reopened. The end is not yet.—Adrian Times.

Talking of encyclopaedias, the academy at Pekin has got up one of those treasuries of human knowledge which leaves the Britannica far behind so far as bulk is concerned, being in 160,000 volumes.

Henry George is said to have made $75,000 out of protection to his books, and his anti-poverty lectures. He doesn't believe in practicing, at least one of his hobbies, it will be seen, that of free trade.

The Adrian Press speaking of Mr. Stafford's burglary, says: "The fact that among other things stolen was a large pair of shears, leads to the suspicion that at least one of the gang was an Ann Arbor editor." Of course this is a quiet, off-hand, Buffalo-Bill style the Press man has of complimenting Ann Arbor editors for never using the shears in editing their papers. Sorry Bro. Stearns, that we can't return the compliment.

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He Saved General Sheridan's Life.

[The following article from the St. Paul Pioneer-Press is made of unusual interest to many Ann Arbor people from the fact that they knew Mr. Wade well when he was a student in the University, graduating from the literary department in 1873, and the law in 1880.—ED.]

I. C. Wade, of Jamestown, Dak., the owner of a fine stock ranch a few miles out, was one of the youngest soldiers in the service, and once had the good fortune to save the life of General Sheridan. Wade had dismounted on a march and gone down to a deep spring off the road to fill his canteen. While bending over the spring he heard some one call to him. Looking up he saw an officer on horseback who was beckoning to him and telling him to come there. Wade didn't relish being ordered about so peremptorily, and proceeded to fill his canteen, when the officer, noticing the delay, called again, saying: "Come here. I am General Sheridan, and I am very sick. I want you to help me right away."

Wade didn't want any more, but started to the General on a run. Sheridan had by this time dismounted and lain down on the ground. He told the young soldier that he was poisoned, and bade him mount his horse and ride back for a surgeon as fast as he could, and to hurry his staff up who must be close behind him. Wade mounted and went flying down the road. He knew where his own regimental head-quarters were, and he rode directly to the surgeon, and telling him where to go to find Sheridan he set out in search of the staff. He found a number of them and conducted them hurriedly to the spot where Sheridan was lying. The surgeon had just arrived.and by this time Sheridan was unconcious. By the use of restoratives and antidotes he was brought to, and was soon able to mount his horse and ride into camp. It was a narrow escape, however. I have forgotten what occasioned the poisoning, but it came about accidentally from eating something, and was not the result of design on the part of anyone.

Henry George has found in President Cleveland such a clear and lucid exponent of his peculiar doctrine that all lands should be confiscated by the government, that he has swung bodily over into the Cleveland ranks. What think the conservative business men of the country of this?

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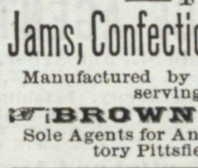

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Dated, Toledo, O., Dec. 12, '87. Secretary.

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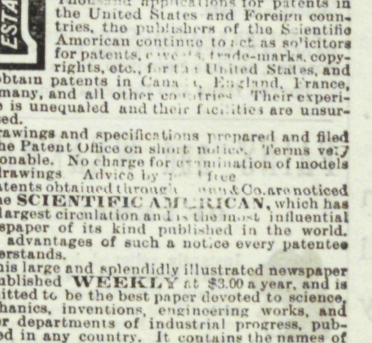
All persons having detached dwellings which they wish to insure and are desirous of assisting in the formation of the above Company will please call at the office of Jno. J. Robison, No. 10 East Huron street, where the articles of incorporation can be examined. 92



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Such as ne'er were seen before.
All about you they will hover
When you enter at the door.
If it's drugs that you are wishing
And seek prices plain and clear,
Take this warning, stop your fishing
And call upon Goodyear.

In the morning, day or evening
Wondrous bargains you may find;
Bargains that are not deceiving,
So just bear the place in mind,
Keep pursuing, onward pressing,
Halting not forever more,
Oh, ye people, I'm addressing,
Till you try Goodyear's Drug Store.

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RINSEY & SEABOLT'S
BAKERY, GROCERY,
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Flour and Feed Store.
We keep constantly on hand,
BREAD, CRACKERS, CAKES, ETC.,
For Wholesale and Retail Trade. We shall also keep a supply of
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If you contemplate building, call at
FERDON
Lumber Yard!
Corner Fourth and Depot Sts., and get our figures for all kinds of
LUMBER!
We manufacture our own Lumber and guarantee
VERY LOW PRICES
Give us a call and we will make it to your interest, as our large and well graded stock fully sustains our assertion. Telephone Connections with Office.
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The Ann Arbor Courier

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1888.

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LOCAL.

OFFER EXTRA!!

To all New Subscribers, and to all Old ones, who pay up a year in advance, an article of household use will be given which can not be purchased anywhere in the United States at retail for One Dollar. It is a wonderfully handy thing to have in every home and you get both that and The Courier simply for the price of the latter. Come in and get a bargain.

This is a campaign year, when you want a county paper to keep you posted and you can not do better than to subscribe for the best paper in the county.

This article will be distributed to all who subscribe and pay a year in advance upon the first of February, 1889. In the meantime guesses are in order as to what it is. Subscribe and see.

WASHTENAW COUNTY CLUB.

Washtenaw county promises to have a large delegation at the convention next week to form a State League of Republicans. Most of the members elected as delegates have signified their intention of attending. However, as a few cannot be there, the vacancies may be filled next Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, at a caucus of the county delegation to be held at the Brunswick Hotel, Detroit, at which time a chairman of the delegation and other officers of the convention can be selected. All republicans from Washtenaw are invited to be present.

At the banquet a special table has been reserved for our county and tickets can be had of the President of Washtenaw County Club on the 22d. All railroads offer one and a third rate for round trip.

We do not hesitate to st8,
That 1888
Is something very choice and gr8
For ladies who desire to me8,
And when they meet their proper f8,
You bet we don't exaggera8,
When boldly we assevera8,
That not a woman will be l8
In gobbling up the tempting b8.
—[Washington Critic.

Lent commences next week Wednesday.

St. Valentine's Day was enjoyed by the youngsters yesterday.

There was a dancing party at Hangsterfer's hall Monday evening.

There is about $4,000 yet uncollected on City Treasurer Moore's rolls.

Dr. C. G. Darling had the misfortune to lose his bay horse last week Friday.

Services are held every Sunday evening now at the 5th ward M. E. church.

J. W. Hangsterfer caters for the Republican club banquet at Detroit, on the 22d.

Special meetings at the M. E. church every evening this week except Saturday evening.

"Dot leedle Sherman band" was on the street Monday, playing "deir moosic so shweedt."

John Moore has no little job on his hands to get the taxes all collected before the 1st of March.

Rev. Samuel W. Pratt, of Monroe, will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

County Clerk Howlett has sold his farm in Lyndon to Wm. Howlett. Fred will not cease being a farmer, however.

The Board of Managers of the Agricultural Society will hold a meeting on Monday, the 20th of February at 2 o'clock p. m.

Mr. George F. Holt of the Theological Seminary at Morgan Park, near Chicago, will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening.

Supervisor Gilbert, of Sylvan, was in the city Monday, looking up the condition of the court house roof, which by-the-way, is in very bad shape.

John Strigel, chairman of the Executive board K. of L., of this state, will visit Huron River Assembly next Friday night, and all members are requested to be present that evening.

Two interpreters in Justice Pond's court last Monday failed to make the prisoner understand what a jury meant. But when Prosecuting Attorney Norris got there the fellow plead guilty at once, paid costs, and no jury was needed.

There is a petition being circulated by prominent business men to request the M. C. R. R. to purchase the little home where Gustav Vogel lived and on which he had paid only $150. The object is to secure a home for the widow and her three small children.

An old Northfield farmer with his wife and son had a disgraceful pow-wow on the streets last Saturday night; the fight was all about who should drive the horses home. After the old man had given the son some hard blows, they finally started off, the son still hard at work to get the reins from the hands of his father.

Monday a lady crossing from the Savings bank corner south, slipped and fell in the slop of the street. Some ten or fifteen gawkeys stood on the corner, gawped and giggled at her but never offered to assist the unfortunate lady in getting up. It was the most aggravating case of boorishness we have ever witnessed in this city.

The lecture of Prof. Carhart before the Methodist Episcopal Bible Class, given the last two Sabbaths were very full of interest. Notwithstanding their very decided scientific character, they were intensely loyal to the word of the Lord. Such addresses cannot fail to impress the youthful mind with a devout reverence for the old Book.

A young lad named Schumacher was arrested Monday under the truancy law, but it was found that he could not be sentenced under the wording of the law because he had not been enrolled as a scholar, having run away the entire school year, when it was supposed he was in school. The boy has entered school now, and has promised to do better. It is high time he commenced.

At the meeting of school electors last Friday evening, the motion to sell a portion off the south side of the lot on State street to the Christian Association was lost by a small vote through a misunderstanding of the question, thus showing how apt men are to vote against things without taking the trouble to investigate. Some thought it would lessen the school play-ground, while others had an idea that the association could buy on its south side, whereas it had tried to but could not. As the association propose to put up a fine building which will be an ornament to the city, and their lot is scarcely wide enough, it is a pity there are men in town who will put obstacles in the way of public improvement.

PERSONALS.

Judge Kinne is holding court in Monroe.

Mr. Ed. Strong, of Detroit, was in the city over Sunday.

Thos. J. Keech has been indisposed for a few days. Pneumonia.

Will Groom, formerly of Lansing, is in the city with his family.

Miss Lizzie Grobe, of Ypsilanti, is the guest of Miss Pauline Birk.

W. W. Wines visited Detroit yesterday, remaining over to-day.

B. F. Watts is at Detroit as a delegate to grand lodge Knights of Honor.

N. H. Winans, of Battle Creek, was in the city Monday, greeting old friends.

Miss Daisy Richardson has returned from a visit of some weeks at East Saginaw.

Geo. L. Moore was out Monday for the first time in three weeks. Inflammatory rheumatism.

Hon. A. J. Sawyer has been in Lansing this week, in attendance upon the supreme court.

Jas. Barker left for Los Angeles, Cal., yesterday. The best wishes of many of his friends go with him.

Mrs. Dr. Darling and son are spending St. Valentine week with relatives and friends in Elmore, Ohio.

Mrs. C. S. Watkins, of this city, leaves to-day for Redlands, Cal., where she expects to make her home for the present.

Israel Hall returned yesterday from his Central America trip. He had been visiting several days at Chicago previous to returning.

Howard Holmes, of the Register, has been confined to his room by a severe catarrhal attack during the week past, but is out once more.

Robert Campbell was called to Ypsilanti last Friday, by the severe illness of his father, who is now 85 years old. He was much encouraged to find him better.

A surprise party very much surprised D. C. Fall and family last Wednesday. It was an extraordinary surprise party, and an extraordinary good time resulted.

Capt. Sid. Millard and Lieut. Merrithew went to Adrian Monday, to attend a grand ball and to interview Inspector General Newberry and Col. Wheeler in reference to the late Co. A election.

Prof. W. H. Payne, accompanied by Mrs. Payne and his daughter, Mrs. Jenkins, leaves to day for his new home and new duties at Nashville, Tenn. The God speed of a host of Ann Arbor people goes with him.

Mr. and Mrs. James Callaghan, Mr, and Mrs. Chas. Callaghan, and Chas. T. Donnelly, all of Chicago, were called to this city last Wednesday by the death of Mary Donnelly. They returned home Monday, except Mrs. Chas. Donnelly, who will remain with her mother a few days.

Mrs. Edith Hyde, of Miles City, Montana, is visiting her mother, Mrs. N. B. Beers. In her possession is an article of curious interest, historically. It is a leather belt worked with beads strung on horse hair, and ornamented with brass beads to indicate that the wearer was a married woman. It is a long, rather heavy and was taken from the sister of that celebrated Indian chieftain, Sitting Bull when she was captured last fall in the Big Horn M'ts near to where Custer fell. Mrs. H. had it presented to her by the officer who captured it and she has given it to her mother.

A 6 o'clock tea is to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church Thursday evening.

Justice Frueauff sent John Webber to jail for 60 days last Friday, on a charge of drunkenness.

Between fifty and sixty converts have been secured as a result of the Union evening meetings in Dexter, and the end is not yet.

There is a great absence of caloric in the atmosphere when the Ann Arbor papers do not furnish a text for some lively items in the Adrian Press.

People having second-hand clothing which they can part with, will have the same put to good use through a committee of ladies, by leaving them at the State st. drug store.

John Shiplock was arrested by Chief Sipley Saturday night for being drunk, and after laying in jail over Sunday he paid $5.50 before Justice Pond Monday, for the fun.

The 7th grade of the 1st ward school has given a handsome bookcase to the school. Several of the pupils have given books, also. There is now about 100 volumes besides Chamber's Encyclopedia in the library of this ward school.

About forty of the delegates chosen from this county, to the Republican Club meeting at Detroit, Feb. 22nd, have signified their intention of attending. It looks now as if old Washtenaw would have a rousing representation. Headquarters for the county will be at the Brunswick.

The G. A. R. Post, having accepted the generous offer of Mr. Jacobs, a committee is now soliciting subscriptions with which to purchase furniture to fit up the hall. Through the liberal treatment of the I. O. O. F's, whose hall they have heretofore occupied, the post has not beenobliged to buy an outfit, but now that it becomes necessary we hope that our citizens will respond liberally. It is a good cause. Help the boys along.

Last Saturday night at about 6 o'clock a little boy was seen to fall down in the yard of the old David DeForest house, while he was running from Detroit to Division st., and not getting up again the man who saw him went to ascertain what was the matter, and found him dead. It was some time before the boy could be identified, as no one seemed to know him. Finally he was found to be Johnie Greenman, son of Isaac Greenman, of the fifth ward, a lad some 15 years of age. He had been up town to procure some medicine for his mother and was on his way home. The body was cared for by the authorities, and on Sunday forenoon Coroner Martin Clark held an inquest, and caused a post mortem examination to be made by Dr. Smith. The Dr. found all of the vital organs in normal condition, but the entire body was terribly emaciated. He pronounced the cause of death syncope, but it was the result of the complete exhaustion of the system. It is a sad case, one of the saddest that that attention of the people of this city has ever been called to. And it proves, too, with all the excellent machinery for relieving the wants and needs of our people, how some of them suffer silently and utter no word of complaint. The lad was bright-eyed, nice looking, and was noted for his mild temper and sweet disposition among his mates.

The County Board of Poor Superintendents are not ringsters. Certainly not. They would fly into a towering passion, slong side of which the Washington tower is of dimnuitive dimensions, at an even faint suggestion of such a thing. Yet they do some queer things. They elect—two of them did—a man to whom one of them was pledged before being elected. (At least that is what we are informed). When one hesitated the other is credited with speaking up and telling him: "You have got to do it. You know you was elected to do it, and do it you must." And do it he did. Then as to salary. It was the intention to give the new overseer of the farm $700 per year, the same as Mr. McDowell, who has been there several years, receives, but a thoroughly compent man, a democrat *and a practical farmer, too*, offering to take the place for $500, his wife and mother both going with him to attend to the domestic work, brought them up a stump. What to do they hardly knew. Mr. McCormick, who had been elected, had been promised $700, though never having been credited with being a farmer or knowing much of anything about the management of a farm. The $500 offer was by far the most economical, the most practical, the best in every way for the county, but it interfered with the plans of the ring, and must not be. So at the last meeting of the Superintendents Mr. McCormick was voted $600 a year salary. A direct loss to the county of $100, besides the loss of a *practical farmer* to manage the affairs of the farm. If that is not ring work, in the name of General Jackson what would you call it?

UNIVERSITY ITEMS.

The Oxford cap has been adopted by '91.

President Angell is expected home tomorrow.

The College Glee Club sing at Owosso Friday night.

Dr. V. C. Vaughan went to Toronto Monday evening to lecture.

Dr. Frieze was missed from his accustomed place last week, because of illness.

The pipe of peace will be smoked by '91 at the Delta U house Friday evening.

The senior medics should walk up to the camera with a little more promptness.

There is a very touching appeal being made for cushions on the seminary room seats.

There is no lack of willing material with which to fill Prof. Payne's vacant chair.

A lot of books, which are "English, you know," will soon arive from over the sea.

Here's another $100. The class of '89 came to the rescue of the gym. Saturday morning.

Dr. Hendricks filled Dr. Maclean's hours during last week, because of the latter's illness.

Dr. Stowell has issued the second edition of "The Microscopic Structure of a Human Tooth."

Prof. Gayley conducts a course in Forensics. Nothing contagious about it, so don't be alarmed.

Prof. John Dewey has been appointed to the Chair of Philosophy in the University of Minnesota.

The music furnished for the junior hop was an imported article, and is said to have been quite groggy.

The contest between the Jeffersonian and Alpha Nu societies will occur in University Hall, March 3.

The graduates of the dental department this year are in great demand from places that have no dentists.

The medic seniors have decided to have a class pin, the design being a sort of Turk affair, with star and crescent.

Dr. Vaughan closed his Sanitary Science course with a lecture on "Cremation." No tyrotoxicon in that cream.

Oberlin college expended $55,000 more than its receipts last year. Haven't heard of any hegira from Oberlin to Canada yet.

Prof. Demmon is to be one of the judges at the Ohio State oratorical contest. He has the sympathy of the multitude.

The gymnasium fund seems to have felt the enervating effect of the few spring-like days, but it will liven up again.

The lit. seniors will probably settle several questions next Saturday, among them being that of assisting the gym. fund $100 worth.

At the University of Penn. a green house has been erected in which to cultivate plants for botanical studies. Button hole boquets cheap.

The annual Washington's Birthday address before the law department will be dellvered by the eloquent blind orator, Judge West, of Ohio.

Mrs. Prof. Stowell is preparing an article for a leading scientific journal upon "Structural Botany," and will illustrate the same with drawings made by herself.

There will be eighty seats reserved for for the Republican Club contingent of the U. of M. at the Detroit banquet on the 22d. Those eighty seats will all be filled too.

R T. Farrand has been awarded the Oracle prize for a design for cover and cartoon; J. A. C. Hildner for humorous sketch and song; J. R. Angell for poem and story.

The students who had been in attendance upon Prof. Payne's department, about sixty in number, presented him with an elegant gold watch last Friday evening.

Peace reigns in '91, and the independent and fraternity factions have united on class officers. Mr. Jameson, frat., succeeds Mr. Heironymous, ind., as toastmaster.

Prof. Morris has withdrawn the course in the Philosophy of Religion and has substituted a course in Hegel's Logic as a continuation of the course in Real Logic. —Chronicle.

Dr McCosh has been retired with an honorary professorship having a $2,500 salary, and Prof. Francis L. Patton, D. D., LL. D., elected president of Princeton college, unanimously.

Searcher-After-Knowledge Goanlock gives $15 with which to ornament the philosophical room. After the money has been properly expended it is probable that the room will not go unlocked-ed.

Two more Japanese students arrived Saturday, this makes a colony of 27 now pursuing studies here. The names of the new arrivals are: Jonathan—[they are getting Americanized, you see]—N. Tukechi and Y. Ishikawa.

He had lent his stylographic pen to direct an envelope. She: "Oh, doesn't it write beautifully? I declare, I'm in love with the pen." *He:* "I'm in love with the holder." She saw the "point."—Chronicle.

Yes, there was a diamond on it, probably.

Dr. Gibbes has made the art gallery a valuable present of a picture said to be an original Rubens. It is descriptive of the scene where Christ told the Scribes to "render unto Caesar those things which are Caesar's," etc. It is 4x6 feet in size, and had been an heir loom in his family for some 200 years.

One of the most elaborate Junior Hops ever held in this city took place last Friday night. Everything connected with it was elegant: the costumes, the ladies, the gentlemen, the adornments, the music (?), the menu, the—the—well the rink itself. The chaperones were Mrs. Wade, Mrs. Knowlton, Mrs. Dunster, Mrs. Best and Mrs. Pattengill. Decollette dresses predominated. One thing is certain, '89 can rest assured that nothing quite so swell will occur again very soon.

When Dr. Cocker was a member of the faculty he used to give lectures on Sunday afternoons expository of some of the fundamental doctrines of Christianity. The custom was a good one and it would be well to revive it. It is true that the Sunday morning talks before the S. C. A. take the place of the lectures to some extent but they are far from doing it entirely. The Sunday morning meetings are distinctively meetings of worship and the talks are meant to be appropriate thereto. But there are many students in the University who are, very naturally, in an unsettled state of mind in regard to the fundamentel doctrines of the Christian faith. If members of the faculty could arrange to give such a series of lectures they would receive the thanks of a great many appreciative students.—Chronicle.

The city mills have shut down for want of wheat to grind.

There was a K. T. social at the Temple Monday evening, refreshments being furnished by Mrs. Dr. W. B. Smith, Mrs. Thos. F. Hill, and Mrs. Wm. A. Clark. Music by the Chequamegons. About 40 couple in attendance. Some of the ladies tell us that Mayor Smith is very graceful in the cotillion.

Cecelia May, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Donnelly, died Wednesday morning last, aged about 15 years, at the home of her parents on E. Ann st. The little sufferer was attacked some ten days previous to her death with pneumonia, after which rheumatism of the heart set in causing death. The funeral services were held from St. Thomas church, Friday morning, and were largely attended, for she was a general favorite. Six little girls belonging to the Sodality Society of which she had been a member, acted as pall bearers, and the floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The desk of little May at St. Thomas' school has been draped in mourning, and will not be occupied this year. High mass was said for her Monday morning. This makes the second death in Mr. Donnelly's family in less than a year, and they have the heartfelt sympathy of their friends. The sorrowing mother is especially remembered in their condolement.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

Watch the Detroit papers for notices of the "Light on the Point."

Messrs. Gordon and Haug left the Si Perkins troupe here, and went to New York. Couldn't agree.

The Light on the Point is something you will want to make it a point to attend. It is simply grand.

In the way of scenery the "Light on the Point" excells anything ever brought to Ann Arbor. It's simply grand.

A successful recital of Prof. Ruben Kempf's music pupils took place last evening at the rectory, with well filled parlors.

It was "Patience on a monument," at the opera house Monday evening. "Gaily the Troubador touched her guitar, only she didn't until about 10 o'clock, but the audience enjoyed themselves pretty well, nevertheless.

Through a series of accidents, in Chicago, Nellie McHenry of the Troubador's did not reach this city Monday night until 9:30, consequently the show couldn't go on. The large audience which had assembled at the Opera House here was entertained by members of the company in specialty songs, etc., and after the arrival of Miss McHenry the entire program was gone through with, though taking until 12:30, and a better pleased audience seldom ever left the place.

"Light on the Point" with its river, real water, steamboats, etc., will appear at the opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings. It is a great romantic and picturesque melodrama, and has been received everywhere with a perfect whirlwind of success. The story is purely American, and the plot powerful and replete, with thrilling situations. Among the many beautiful scenes is that of Glen Island, on Long Island Sound, a great summer resort. A new fairy land discovered in mechanical art and scenic splendor.

At the next meeting of the Unity Club, Monday, February 20th, exercises will be held in commemoration of the birthday of the father of his country, familiary known as George Washington. There will be an address by Fred N. Scott on "The Widow Custis's Second Husband" which will be illustrated by pictures loaned by distant relatives of the Washington family. Many faded but interesting relics of the departed and gone will be exhibited, and one or more songs composed by the late Mr. Washington to be sung at a mass-meeting of his nurses, and hitherto unpublished, will be sung to strange, sweet music. A supper composed mostly of food, with toasts containing amusing anecdotes dating from Washington's first birthday will close the impressive solemnities of the evening.

Of the "Light on the Point" entertainment, the Observer, of New York says:

A fine down-stairs audience and a very large gallery witnessed last evening the first presentation of "The Light on the Point" in the Opera House. The play will be repeated this evening. It contains an interesting plot, not difficult to follow, several exciting scenes, some pathos and quite a large measure of the humorous, interspersed with songs by different members of the company. Harry Brown as *Dick Gleacher* is a good comedian, while Dell Kellogg is a very pleasing soubrette, Harold Hartsell as *Ned Buckley*, the hero, and Lizzie Fletcher as *Julia Coe*, the heroine, filled their rolls well. The others were good, the company being very evenly balanced. The scenic and mechanical effects add much to the enjoyment of the audience, the attempted rescue of one woman by another from drowning being very realistic, there seeming to be a river of genuine water on the rear of the stage. And it was genuine, as evidenced by the dripping garments of the two women when called before the curtain by enthusiastic applause at the close of the act. The entire performance is a good one, and will doubtless be enjoyed by another large audience this evening. "The Light on the Point" will also be given tomorrow afternoon and evening.

What is expected to be an unusually attractive concert will be given at the Baptist church on Friday evening next. Professor W. M. Skinner, of Boston, a soloist and conductor of eminence, will take a prominent part. Of one of his solos a (Wis.) paper speaks as follows: "'A Little Bird,' sung by Prof. Skinner, with an accompaniment by the Spring City Quartette made people hold their breath, lest a note of the wonderful music should be lost. It was exquisite—the music of our dreams—and at its conclusion the audience was silent for a moment, before regaining its consciousness, and then the church echoed and resounded with applause." The work done by the Amphion Club and the Haydn String Quartette is too well known to need any special word of commendation. The Church Quartette is only just organized but is steadily making its reputation. Come and hear them all. Admission 25 cents. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

HIGH SCHOOL.

An examination in physiology will be held in room No. 10, at 3 o'clock on Thursday, March 1st. If there are ony who have not passed this study, they must avail themselves of the opportunity as it will be the last one offered this year.

Prof. Perry would like to have it understood that the rules in regard to the use of tobacco in any form about the school premises during school hours and also in regard to the entering, by non-resident pupils, of places where intoxicating liquors are sold, must be obeyed.

Last Monday morning at 8 o'clock, one of the members of the senior class, after leaving his books on the shelf near the front door, went to hang up his overcoat and hat. Upon returning he discovered that some one either for play or plunder had quietly walked away with them. The result was he had to go to his recitations on the next day without having prepared a lesson. But the *book grabber*, for fear of being discovered, slyly left the books on a chair in Prof. Rhoades' room, where the disconsolate and mad senior might discover them.

At a meeting of the senior class yesterday at 1 o'clock in room No. 2, the resignation of David Hyde, who has entered the university, was accepted and Marion Paul was chosen as their future class president. Mr. Paul received 33 votes out of 45 cast, there being two other candidates. Next came the resignations of treasurer, Clinton McAllister, and marshal, Howard Waterman, both of which were accepted. Leroy Southmayd was elected treasurer, and Frank W. Clay, marshal.

The editors on the Omega Board for '87 are as follows. Misses Lizzie M. Bailey, Matilda Neumann, Agnes M. Leas, M. Eloise Walker Nellie Cutler and Messrs. Frederick B. Ryder, Austin Gourley, Leroy Southmayd and Carl W. Hertel. Managing Editor, J. B. Miller. Business Manager, Carl C. Warden.

"*Resolved*, That the fear of punishment is a greater incentive to action than is the hope of reward," is the debate for Lyceum No. 1. The Monthly Budget will be read by the editor, Ira Severance.

The subject to be discussed this week by the members of the Christian Association is "Take up thy Stumbling Blocks." Mr. Paul will lead the meeting.

Twenty-four people united with the Congregational church at Dexter last Sunday.

Mr. Seybolt, whose horse was stolen week before last, found his property at Jackson Co., has secured a return of the same, and a pretty happy man he is over the fact, too.

On Saturday night a valuable horse was stolen from the barn of Daniel Peterson, who lives some four miles south of this city, in Pittsfield township. This horse stealing business is getting altogether too frequent.

Next month there is to be a meeting of teachers at South Lyon, and an attempt made to organize an association of the counties of Oakland, Washtenaw and Livingston. It is hoped that this will be a rouser of a meeting with several hundred present.

Last Monday night there occurred at Dexter one of the slickest robberies that ever has been known in that burg, and there have been some good ones. Burglars entered the postoffice through the dry goods store of Mr. Costello, and abstracted some $200 worth of postage stamps and about $200 in money. They drilled holes in the safe until they could turn the wheels of the lock as they desired, and then opened it and took out what they wanted. They made no noise, attracted no attention, and the robbery was not known until morning. After leaving the office they went to the barn of Wm. Field's and stole his skeleton and horse and left.

Morris Ware, of the fifth ward, thought it would be a good day in which to take a bath last Wednesday, and so stepped into a hole where they are cutting ice on the Cornwell pond. He walked to his home over a mile, through the *hot* sun and piercing blasts, and, by the way, he he did not need any fan to keep from fainting from the oppressive heat of the atmosphere. It was a close call, however.

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Few in Window This Week.

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The vindictiveness of the government in England in arresting members of parliament at the very door of the house of commons, strengthens Gladstone's noble efforts.

Mrs. Mary T. Lathrop has come to the conclusion that the people in prohibition localities do not back up the police in enforcing the law. That is a great and vital truth that some people shut their eyes to, and will not see.

With all the money that democratic office holders rushed into the 11th congressional district to elect Mr. Breen, that gentleman did not get there. Henry W. Seymour was elected yesterday by a majority of from 500 to 600.

Dr. Batwell, of Ypsilanti, has been made physician at the county house on a bid of $50, including furnishing his own medicines, etc. He will have to Bat-well on that bid or else he will get knocked out long before the end of the year.

Senator Ingalls threatens to "shake up" those senators who "preach prohibition all day and drink champagne all night." And the Detroit Journal has the effrontery to ask: "Is your ear to the ground, Senator Palmer?" — Adrian Times.

Marriage Licenses.

No.		Age.
144.	Ernest A. Dieterle, Ann Arbor	27
	Lydia Rausenberger, Ann Arbor	31
145.	Fred Lucht, Ann Arbor	24
	Katie Wauk, Ann Arbor	18
146.	Gustav Ehnis, Ann Arbor	25
	Theresa Barringer, Monroe	24

List of Petit Jurors.

The following jurors were drawn this a. m. for the March term of the circuit court, to convene Tuesday, March 6th:

Ann Arbor city—John Burg, Zenas Sweet, John Moroney.
Ann Arbor town—John T. Fuller.
Augusta—Peter D. Rogers.
Bridgewater—Geo. Rheinfrank.
Dexter—Michael Walsh.
Freedom—Fred. Gross.
Lima—Walter H. Dancer.
Lodi—Arthur A. Wood.
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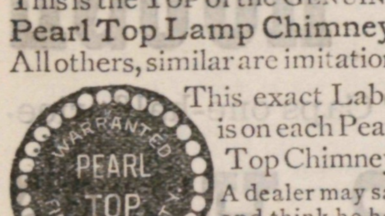

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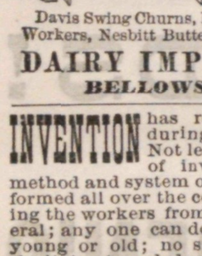

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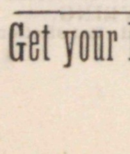

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Summary of the Week.

THE NEWS FROM ALL PARTS.

CONGRESSIONAL.

THE time was mostly occupied in the Senate on the 6th by Senator Platt (Conn.) in a speech criticizing the President's message and characterizing it as a free-trade document. The bill to amend the postal laws so that newspapers now sent free of postage to persons residing within the county of publication may be sent to persons living in other counties when they receive them at post-offices within the county of publication was passed.... In the House Speaker Carlisle resumed his duties. The Lowry-White contest was decided in favor of White, the sitting member, by a vote of 187 to 105, forty-seven Democrats voting with the Republicans. Bills were introduced to refund United States four per cent. bonds into two and one-half per cent. bonds; to divide the surplus money in the Treasury on the 1st of January, 1888, among the several States and Territories, to be used in aid of the common schools; to extend the commerce of the United States, and to provide a full reciprocity between the United States and the Dominion of Canada; to protect the consumers of butter by requiring wholesale dealers to pay an annual tax of $500 and retail dealers to pay an annual tax of $1. Also to repeal the oleomargarine tax.

BILLS were introduced in the Senate on the 7th providing that all soldiers who served at least ninety days in the late war, and were honorably mustered out or discharged, shall receive the same bounty as if they had served their full terms of enlistment; granting a bounty of $100 for each year's enlistment to seamen who enlisted in the navy between March 1, 1861, and March 5, 1863, and to amend the mining laws of the United States so that no person shall acquire more than one mining claim on the same vein....In the House the Diplomatic and Consular bill, appropriating $1,403,867, was reported; also a bill to provide for a Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. Bills were introduced to limit the hours of labor of letter-carriers; to settle and adjust the claims of any State for expenses incurred by it in defense of the United States; to dispense with proof of loyalty for bounty for wars prior to 1861. Bills were passed providing for the punishment of bank examiners for making false reports or suppressing facts in their reports; to amend the law prescribing the death penalty for willfully casting away vessels so as to allow punishment by fine or imprisonment if there is no loss of life.

IN the Senate on the 8th bills were passed for the relief of importers of animals for breeding purposes, and to enable the State of Colorado to select indemnity school lands. It was decided to vote on the Educational bill on the 15th....In the House the bill making bills of lading conclusive evidence in certain cases was passed. The Speaker announced the following special committee to investigate the labor troubles in Pennsylvania: Messrs. Tillman (S. C.), Stone (Mo.), Chipman (Mich.), Anderson (Kan.) and Parker (N. Y.).

A JOINT resolution was passed in the Senate on the 9th providing for the distribution of undistributed copies of the records of the rebellion and the reports of the tenth census. The Committee on Indian Affairs reported favorably the bill providing for the opening to settlement of the Sioux Indian reservations in Dakota. Adjourned to the 13th....In the House the bill to discontinue the coinage of the three-cent piece was passed. Bills were introduced for the adjustment of accounts of laborers arising under the Eight-Hour law, and to prevent the overloading of vessels on the great lakes. The bill requiring subsidized railroads to maintain and operate telegraph lines was considered.

THE Senate was not in session on the 10th.... In the House a resolution to inquire into the complaints of defective mail service in the West and South was adopted. Favorable reports were made on a bill to create an arbitration board to settle the differences between the United States and Texas. The Senate bill authorizing the appointment of Andrew D. White as a regent of the Smithsonian Institution was passed.

DOMESTIC.

OIL and gas was struck on the 7th at St. Louis while boring an artesian well at Grone's brewery.

WILLIAM MEANS, president of the Metropolitan National Bank of Cincinnati, was arrested on the 7th by Government officers, charged with violations of the banking laws.

A PITTSBURGH laborer named O'Neill shot and killed his wife on the 7th and then fatally shot himself through jealousy.

RICHARD K. FOX, the noted sporting man, was arrested in New York on the 7th, charged with a violation of the law in encouraging prize fighting.

F. GROTE & Co., of New York, manufacturers of ivory goods, failed on the 7th for $411,000.

THE house of Thomas M. Norton, at Anderson, Ind., was blown to pieces by a natural gas explosion on the 7th, instantly killing Fenton Rogers and badly injuring Mrs. Norton and her daughter.

BY the bursting of burrs on the 7th in a new corn mill at Roadlands, Ill., John C. Hays, a well-known farmer, and his son Andrew were killed, and two other persons were seriously wounded.

MRS. JOHN STEVENSON, aged thirteen years, who has been twice married, was in St. Joseph, Mo., on the 7th in search of her second husband, who had forsaken her. She was married when ten years old and has had two children.

DURING January seventeen families left the Ottawa Consular district to settle in the United States.

CLEMMIE G., W. J. Gordon's famous trotting mare, record 2:15, and valued at $20,000, died on the 7th near Cleveland, O.

WILLIAM BALL shot and killed Miss Eva Everett on the 7th at her home near Stewartsville, Mo., because she refused to marry him, and then killed himself.

JUDGE SAGE, of Cincinnati, decided on the 7th that bank directors are not criminally liable for the acts of cashiers unless their connection with the crime is definitely shown.

FOUR counterfeiters were arrested on the 7th near Saline, Ill., and a large amount of spurious coin was secured.

FIVE brothers named Wise were arrested on the 7th at Fairmount, Ill., on the charge of numerous robberies.

AT the annual meeting in Des Moines on the 7th of the Iowa Temperance Alliance the secretary stated that eight of the eighteen district judges reported crime lessened by the Prohibition law; seventy-one counties reported the law a success and fourteen said it was a failure; the effect in business was said to be good by twenty-one reports and bad by two, and twenty-four saloons were reported to be in operation, against three thousand when the law was passed.

JOHN WEISSER, of O'Hara township, near Pittsburgh, Pa., committed suicide on the 8th. He was worth $100,000, and his wealth weakened his mind.

AN accident to a cable-car train on the 8th at Kansas City fatally injured three persons.

WILLIAM MANN, his brother-in-law, wife and two children, of Toledo, O., were probably fatally ill on the 8th of trichinosis from eating diseased pork.

ON the 8th United States customs officials captured $25,000 worth of opium being smuggled over the Canadian line at Redwood, N. Y.

THE American Newspaper Publishers' Association began its annual session at Indianapolis on the 8th.

VERY cold weather was reported throughout the Northwest on the 8th. The thermometer marked 20 to 36 degrees below zero in Minnesota; from 10 to 16 below in Wisconsin; from 18 to 20 below in Chicago and vicinity, and from 20 to 35 below in Iowa.

THE Michigan Grand Lodge A. O. U. W., in session on the 8th at Detroit, adopted legislation prohibiting the admission to membership of habitual drunkards and those engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating beverages.

ADVICES of the 8th say that John Clark, wife and five children died near Leavenworth, Kan., from drinking water from a well near which hogs dying of cholera were buried.

MR. A. J. SNELL, a well-known citizen and millionaire of Chicago, was murdered by a burglar in his residence on the West side about two o'clock on the morning of the 8th.

JOHN WILLIAMS, of Delaware, O., accidentally struck his son with an axe on the 8th while splitting wood, killing the boy instantly.

THE British steamships Algitha, Lufra and Darien, all bound from England for Philadelphia, were given up as lost on the 8th with their crews, numbering eighty men.

ON the 8th two car-loads of goods, believed to have been stolen from Baltimore & Ohio freight cars, were seized in the house of John Brittain at Pittsburgh, Pa.

OFFICIALS at Yankton, D. T., were on the 8th sending out official denials of the reports that one thousand lives were lost in the Territory in the late blizzard.

INTEREST in the gold-mining enterprises north of Ishpeming, Mich., on the 8th was increased by rich developments.

A NEGRO arrested at Hinesville, Ga., on the charge of setting fire to several houses, was taken from jail on the 8th by a mob and riddled with bullets.

J. L. HUDSON'S mammoth clothing store at Cleveland, O., was damaged by fire on the 8th to the extent of $100,000.

CASHIER EDWARDS, of the Cincinnati Metropolitan National Bank, said on the 8th that after all claims were paid there would be $820,000 left for the stockholders.

IN the United States Court at Fort Smith, Ark., on the 9th Judge Parker sentenced Owen D. Hill, George Moss, Jeff Hilderbrand, Emanuel Patterson, Richard Sutherland, Jack Crow and William Alexander to be hanged on April 27 for murder.

THE sixty-second anniversary of the birthday of the late Senator Logan was commemorated on the 9th by the dedication of a memorial tablet in the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal Church in Washington which the Senator was in the habit of attending.

THE Builders' National Association at its annual session on the 9th in Cincinnati elected J. L. Stevens, of Philadelphia, president.

FOUR dwellings at Kutztown, Pa., were burned on the 9th, John Hopp, his daughter, aged fifteen years, and his son, aged nine years, perishing in the flames.

JOHN JANAUSCHEK, a farmer living near New Prague, Minn., killed his wife on the 9th, fatally wounded his ten-year-old daughter and killed himself. A quarrel over money was the cause.

THOMAS STEVENS and his wife, of West Gardiner, Me., were placed in an insane asylum on the 9th. Their hallucination was that their house was overrun with monkeys.

AT Indianapolis on the 9th William M. Singerly was elected president of the State Newspaper Publishers' Association.

THE American Horticultural Society, in annual session on the 9th at Riverside, Cal., elected Parker Earl, of Cobden, Ill., President.

CLEMENT A. DAY was hanged on the 9th at Utica, N. Y. He was convicted of the murder of his mistress, Johanna Ross Crow, of whom he was insanely jealous.

The following low temperatures were reported on the 9th: Duluth, Minn., 34 degrees below zero; Pembina, D. T., 62 below; Crookston, Minn., 54 below; Teche, D. T., 56 below; Moorehead, Minn., 44 below; St. Paul, Minn., 32 below; Ishpeming, Mich., 35 below; Sycamore, Ill., 30 below; Watertown, Wis., 30 below; Des Moines, Ia., 30 below.

ALBERT J. SNELL, son of the millionaire killed by burglars in Chicago, on the 9th offered a reward of $20,000 for the arrest and conviction of the criminals.

THE Yankton (D. T.) Board of Trade, in a circular on the 9th correcting exaggerated reports of casualties by the late blizzard in Dakota, states that the number of deaths will not exceed two hundred.

IN an address before the Inter-State Commerce Committee in Washington on the 10th General Wilson said the United States laws coddled Canadian railways at the expense of our own, that Great Britain's possessions were a constant menace to this country, and that we were aiding in the support of railways built for political and war purposes.

AT Deerfield, Wis., a fire on the 10th destroyed the principal business places of the town.

AN explosion on the 10th in the Dupont powder works at Wapwallopin, Pa., blew four men to pieces and wounded forty others, a dozen of whom were not expected to recover. Nearly every building in the place was wrecked.

AT Mechanicsburg, Ind., on the 10th John Buttery shot his step-sister, Etta McMullen, with whom he was in love, killed Frank Moore, to whom she was engaged, and then killed himself.

A GANG of counterfeiters, who had been working off a large amount of spurious coin in the southwestern part of Kansas, were captured on the 10th at Wichita.

DURING the seven days ended on the 10th there were 237 business failures in the United States, against 280 the previous seven days.

AN east-bound train on the Pennsylvania road was wrecked on the 10th at Salamanca, N. Y., by an open switch, and three persons were fatally injured and several cars were burned.

PATRICK JOHN HART was hanged on the 10th at Helena, M. T., for the murder of John Pitts, a miner.

THE explosion of the boiler of a traction engine on the 10th in the woods in Liberty township, near Wabash, Ind., caused the death of three men.

THE Chinese New Year was celebrated with great enthusiasm on the 10th in San Francisco.

A STRONG petition for the pardon of Joseph C. Mackin, serving a five years' sentence in the Joliet penitentiary for crooked work in Chicago elections, was presented to Governor Oglesby on the 10th.

A LEGISLATIVE committee on the 10th found such a wretched state of affairs in Rowan County, Ky., that it was said the county would be either abolished or transferred to another judicial district.

AN explosion of dynamite on the 10th near Bellevue, O., killed two men.

CONRAD RAUTEBACH, a life convict received at the Columbus (O.) penitentiary eight years ago, was pardoned on the 10th by the Governor, it having been shown that he was innocent.

CONCERNING the loss of life in the recent storm in Dakota, Railroad Commissioner N. T. Smith said on the 10th: "As far as learned the following is an authentic summary of the loss of life in the storm: Beadle County, 9; Bonhomme, 19; Codington, 3; Jerauld, 6; Clark, 2; Edmunds, 6; Brown, 5; Hand, 7; Kingsbury, 3; Lincoln, 29; Spink, 4; Turner, 18; Yankton, 3; total, 114."

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

MISS ETTA SHATTUCK, the young schoolteacher whose exposure to the recent blizzard made amputation of both limbs necessary, died on the 6th at Seward, Neb. The Omaha *Bee's* fund for her benefit had reached $3,750, and would be turned over to her parents.

THE wife of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes died on the 6th at the family residence in Boston, aged sixty-nine years.

THE Anti-Monopoly League on the 7th issued a call for a National convention to be held in New York City August 1 next.

A NUMBER of prominent Republicans met in San Francisco on the 7th and organized the Republican State Club of California. W. B. L. Barnes was elected president.

STEPHEN J. MEANY, the Irish patriot, who was editor of the *Evening Democrat* at Waterbury, Conn., died in that city on the 8th.

THE Board of Trustees of Princeton (N. J.) College on the 9th elected Prof. Francis Patton, D. D., LL. D., of Chicago, to succeed President McCosh, resigned.

THE Republicans of Tennessee will hold their State convention at Nashville May 16 next.

HON. BENJAMIN EGGLESTON, a prominent politician, and twice a Congressman, died on the 9th at Cincinnati, O., aged seventy-two years.

THE State convention of Mississippi Republicans to elect delegates to the National convention will be held at Jackson on April 4.

THE Kansas Prohibitionists will hold their State convention, to name Presidential electors and candidates for State offices, on June 13 next.

THE Republican sub-committee of the National Committee, who were in Chicago on the 10th arranging the preliminary details for the National convention, chose General Fitz-Simons for sergeant-at-arms, and Mayor Roche as chairman of the executive and finance committee. Mr. Clarkson, chairman of the sub-committee, said he had already received over two thousand applications for tickets.

FOREIGN.

IN a speech before the Reichstag on the 6th in Berlin Prince Bismarck said he believed the assurances of the Czar that there would be no war, but Germany must be prepared for any emergency.

THE insurance companies lost $1,500,000 by fires in Montreal last year, which is two or three times as much as they received from premiums.

AT Galt, Ont., on the 8th John Curry shot and killed Henry Main, a banker, and then committed suicide.

STINSON'S Hotel in Belle Ewart, Ont., was burned on the 8th, and Mrs. Nesbitt and her youngest child perished in the flames.

THE Manitoba bridge, nine hundred and ninety feet long, at Great Falls, M. T. was completed on the 8th, and the rails would be laid at once.

TROOPS out after Mexican bandits had a fight on the 8th and killed three.

LONDON advices of the 8th say that in Pesth a beggar aged eighty-four years tried to commit suicide by throwing himself into the Danube because he was no longer able to support his father and mother, who are one hundred and fifteen and one hundred and ten years old respectively.

THE Swedish Parliament passed an act on the 9th laying an import duty on grain, corn, peas and beans.

THE English Parliament met on the 9th and the Queen's speech was read.

LORD LANSDOWNE on the 9th accepted the position of Viceroy of India, and will leave Canada for England in June. Lord Stanley will succeed him as Governor-General of Canada.

THERE were fifty business failures in Canada during the seven days ended on the 10th, being nearly double the usual average in seven days.

A. J. MORRIS, who murdered J. B. Brusher at Bever, No Man's Land, was captured by a mob on the 10th and hanged to a rafter in the principal saloon of the town.

ADVICES of the 10th from Vienna say that enormous avalanches along the line of the Arlberg railway had resulted in serious loss of life, and traffic on the road had been stopped.

LATER NEWS.

IN a letter to B. F. Jones, of Pittsburgh, chairman of the Republican National Committee, dated Florence, Italy, January 25, 1888, and made public on the 12th inst., Mr. Blaine announces his declination to permit the use of his name as a Presidential candidate before the Republican National convention.

NEARLY eight hundred pounds of smuggled opium was seized near Watertown, N. Y., on the 11th.

WILLIAM KELLY, the inventor of the Bessemer process of making steel, and the first importer of Chinese labor into America, died in Louisville, Ky., on the 11th, aged seventy-seven years.

VARIOUS valuables which were presented to the Pope as jubilee offerings and which were on exhibition in Rome were stolen on the 11th.

THE exchanges at twenty-six leading clearing-houses in the United States during the week ended on the 11th aggregated $875,459,773, against $956,871,458 the previous week. As compared with the corresponding week of 1887 the decrease amounted to 2.2 per cent.

ON the 11th a bill was introduced in the Maryland Legislature making it a penalty for registered voters to fail to vote.

THE Republican Club of the city of New York held a dinner at Delmonico's on the evening of the 11th in honor of the seventy-ninth birthday of Abraham Lincoln. Addresses were made by Senators Evarts, Sherman, Allison an others.

SEVEN negroes and six whites, convicted of petty larcenies, were whipped with from five to ten lashes each on the 11th at New Castle, Del.

THE office of County Treasurer Hill, of Panola County, Tex., was robbed by burglars on the 11th of $6,000, and Mr. Hill was murdered.

The secret-service division at Washington discovered on the 11th that a new counterfeit of the five-dollar silver certificate had been put in circulation. The bill is about three-sixteenths of an inch short.

UP to the 11th there had been 1,688 business failures in the United States since January 1, against 1,734 in the corresponding time in 1887.

A FIRE on the 12th in the business center of Ironton, O., destroyed the opera-house, post-office, Merchants' block and six stores, causing a loss of $100,000.

A. LEVI & Co., a mercantile firm at Bari, Italy, failed on the 11th for £160,000.

THE President on the 11th appointed Judge Alexander McCue, of Brooklyn, N. Y. who holds the office of Solicitor of the Treasury, Assistant United States Treasurer at New York.

MRS. SARAH J. ROBINSON, the alleged wholesale poisoner, was convicted of murder in the first degree at Boston on the 11th.

JAMES ALBERT, of Philadelphia, on the 11th came out first in the six days' walking match in New York, making 621½ miles, and beating the previous best record of 610 miles. Herty finished second, 582 miles. Of the forty-four who started in the race only twelve were in at the finish.

A General Tie-up

of all the means of public conveyance in a large city, even for a few hours, during a strike of the employes, means a general paralyzing of trade and industry for the time being, and is attended with enormous aggregate loss to the community. How much more serious to the individual is the general tie-up of his system, known as constipation, and due to the strike of the most important organs for more prudent treatment and better care. If too long neglected, a torpid or sluggish liver will produce serious forms of kidney and liver diseases, malarial trouble and chronic dyspepsia. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets are a preventive and cure of these disorders. They are prompt, sure and effective, pleasant to take, and positively harmless.

What are men better than sheep or goats, that nourish a blind life within the brain, if knowing God, they lift not hands of prayers both for themselves and those who call them friends?—Tennyson.

Pride's chickens have bonny feathers, but they are an expensive brood to rear. They eat up everything, and are always lean when brought to market.—Alexander Smith.

She Blushed

awfully when I told her what to do for those horrid pimples with which her face was covered. She now says if you want a pink and white complexion with a nice clear smooth skin, you must use that best of all blood purifiers, Sulphur Bitters.

Human nature is never so well off, but that it can be better; nor so wretched but that it has hope.

Pimples, boils and other humors are liable to appear when the blood gets heated. To cure them, take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

He (at Chicago evening entertainment) —"Do you know that very brilliant looking woman at the piano, Miss Breezy?"

Miss Breezy—"Oh, yes, intimately. I will be pleased to present you Mr. Waldo."

He—"Thanks. Is she an unmarried lady?"

"Yes, she has been unmarried twice." —New York Sun.

The Latest Tornado.

The surprising manner in which the country is being swept by the great discovery of Dr. Miles for curing the many diseases that originate in the nerves is astonishing all who know the facts. The Restorative Nervine, a brain and nerve food, sold by Eberbach & Son, cures weakness, want of appetite, exhaustion, debility from overwork, care, worry and dissipation. It takes the place of stimulants, opiates, chloral, etc., and cures all nervous troubles. It contains no morphine, opium or dangerous drugs.

There was never yet a fair woman but she made mouths in the glass.—Shakespeare.

In seeking wisdom, thou art wise, in imagining thou hast attained it, thou art a fool.—Rabbi Ben Azai.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an Incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

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Reputation is like money; the principal is often lost by putting it out to interest.—N. W. Shaw.

Your sayer of smart things hath a bad heart.—Pascal.

Woman's Work.

There is no end to the tasks which daily confront the good housewife. To be a successful housekeeper, the first requisite is good health. How can a woman contend against the trials and worries of housekeeping if she be suffering from those distressing irregularities, ailments and weaknesses peculiar to her sex? Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a specific for these disorders. The only remedy sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee from the manufacturers. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case, or money refunded. See printed guarantee on bottle wrapper.

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A Movement in Maine Looking Toward High License.

BOSTON, Feb. 13. The Herald prints an Augusta, Me., special that says: A movement is on foot in this state to overthrow the prohibition policy. Those interested in the movement declare that "the present prohibitory law is wrong and impracticable in principle, subversive of the personal liberty of the citizen, and cannot be enforced without resort to extreme, arbitrary methods, repugnant to the sentiment of intelligent communities and in violation of some of the most important provisions of the constitution." There is every indication that this voices the sentiment of a large and respectable number of voters in both the Republican and Democratic parties, but whether they can be induced to sever their political ties and rally under the banner of license, no matter how well they may think it will work, requires developments yet to be made, if the present movement does not collapse. A prominent Republican, who is a close observer, remarked to the Herald correspondent: "It's my candid belief that within five years Maine will change front and be a license law state. I am satisfied that high license, with proper safeguards, will do more to promote the cause of temperance than prohibition."

Robert Lincoln talks business this way: "They still mention my name once in a while as a candidate for the presidency, but that is only when they have nothing else to talk about. I am not paying the slightest attention to such matters. I am out of politics to stay."

Libel suits are as plentiful with the Detroit press as flying bugs about a lighted lamp on a summer's night. The News has a half-dozen or so on call, the Journal and Free Press each come forward with a handsome supply, the Tribune alone remaining without one of these prize packages.

The following sparrow story comes from Galena, Ill.: During a funeral service in a church in that city, an English sparrow flew in among the congregation through an open window, darting from pew to pew, chirping meanwhile as though unconscious of the presence of any one. When the remains were brought in by the pallbearers, to the astonishment of many who witnessed the incident, the bird placed itself at the head of the procession and walked down the aisle with the same degree of solemnity that characterized the funeral party. When the casket was placed upon the bier the sparrow flew up and perched for a moment upon the head of the coffin, after which it spread its wings and darted out of the church.

New Books.

PATIENT PRESTON, M. D. By Mrs. A. F. Raffensperger. Boston: D. Lothrop & Co. 12mo, $1.25.

An excellent story fairly well told, with a moral all the way through. The moral is: first, it pays to be earnest, intelligent, scholarly; second the religious life is a higher acomplishment still.

A bright and true young woman with a medical degree, and money enough to give her a start apparently, by a rather taxing accident settles down in a little city and gets at first the easiest kind of practice, that of the poor—for experience. She conquers society and society conquers her. The mutual victory brings good fortune to both.

The reader alternately sides with Patience and those of the other party, so evenly is the web of the story woven. And, when the end comes, it comes without surprise, and yet the sympathetic reader is pleased that it ends just so.

Literary Notes.

The distribution of underground waters through the rock-strata of the earth is discussed in "The Popular Science Monthly" for March, in an article of great interest and ability, by M. Daubée, the distinguished French geologist. The article takes into account the agencies by which the distribution is accomplished, the influences by which it is directed, and its results upon the life and welfare of the inhabitants of different regions, and in the grouping of populations.

The fiftieth Almanac published by The New York Tribune, namely, the one for 1888, comes to us with the appropriate title of the "Semi-Centennial Issue." Newspapers and almanacs grow younger and fresher as they advance in years. The Tribune Almanac for 1888 is fresh, popular, pithy, adapted to the times, and crammed with the political statistics to which every one will turn for reference in the Presidential year. The popular vote for President in 1884 is given in detail with the total vote in each election back to 1828. Being nonpartisan, it is used by men of all parties. The price is 25 cents.

Real Estate Transfers.

Delphina Budd to Robt. Campbell, Pittsfield	$ 3,700
D. L. Gates to W. W. Whitlark, Ann Arbor	400
Thos. Richards to S. C. Blinn et al., Milan	150
E. S. & A. L. Tate to John Jenkins, Manchester	8,040
John Jenkins to Frank Jenkins, Manchester	7,000
Frank Jenkins to John Jenkins, Bridgewater	1,200
Frank Jenkins to Henry R. Palmer, Bridgewater	5,00
Isaac N. Aldrich to Henry & Louisa Keedle, Ann Arbor	95
Christian Wurster to Mack & Schmid, Freedom	3,687.73
August Krumerel to J. A. Krumerel, Ann Arbor	500
Lyman Dennis to John Hubbard, Augusta	150
Adelaide Burrell to J. M. Chidester, Ypsilanti	500
Patterson & Bowen to Lucy A. Chidester, Ypsilanti	100
Joseph Stierle to Jacob Schairer, Scio.	3,500
Benj. Allen to Francis Reason, Dexter.	5,000
Halsey B. Jenks to Chas. Cox, Augusta.	450
Zerah Jenkins to James Hogan, Bridgewater	2,378.35
Thos. Grogan to Alfred Foreman, Salem	240
Silvina S. Cowles to Eli W. Moore, Ann Arbor	1,200
Christian Schmid to E. W. Wallace, Saline	470
Begole & Brown to S. & L. Conde, Augusta	500
Roger Lewis Cowen to Luther James, Superior	2,5 0
Isaac Paulding to Michael Dwelle, Sharon	275
Emory M. Fletcher to Michael Merkel, Sharon	275
A. Birk by Ex. to M. C. R. R. Co., Ann Arbor	500
Mary Forbes to Christopher DuBois, Dexter	2,400
Isaac N. Ammerman to Fidelia Cady, Ypsilanti	1,100
W. B Smith to Mayor, Recorder etc. of Ann Arbor	450

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Banker—I seldom fish myself, but I understand that Mud-creek-over-against-Bill-Simmonse's-mill-pond Knox-county-over-the-left-and under-suspicion-Maine, United States of America-four-hands-round is a fair sporting ground.—Tid Bits.

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Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw made on the twenty-seventh day of December, A. D. 1887, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Charles Almendinger, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 27th day of June next, and that such claims will be heard before said court, on Tuesday, the 27th day of March, and on Wednesday, the 27th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, December 27th, A. D. 1887.

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,
Judge of Probate.

1384-1388

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw ss.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, made on the sixth day of February A. D. 1888, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Emanuel Mann, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, for examination and allowance, on or before the 6th day of August next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Monday the seventh day of May and on Monday the sixth day of August next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

Dated, Ann Arbor, February 6th, A. D. 1888.

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,
Judge of Probate

1388-92

Time table taking effect Nov. 20th, 1887.

Central Standard Time.

CHICAGO TO DETROIT.

STATIONS.	Mail, Ex. Sun.	Day Express except Sun.	N.Y. & limt'd Exp. Daily	Kal'zoo Acc. except Sun.	Atlantic Express. Daily.	Night Exp. Daily.	Gr. Rap. Ex. except Sun.
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Chicago..Lv.	6 50	9 00	3 10	4 40	8 15	9 10	3 55
Kalamazoo....	12 17	1 50	6 58	9 50	12 33	2 27	6 45
Battle Creek..	1 12	2 27	7 33	......	1 25	3 18	7 31
Jackson......	3 15	4 20	8 49	......	3 15	4 50	9 15
Grass Lake....	3 38	......	......	......	......	5 13	9 34
Chelsea......	3 59	......	......	......	......	5 35	9 56
Dexter.......	4 14	......	......	......	......	5 50	10 08
Delhi Mills...	4 22	......	......	......	......	......	10 17
Ann Arbor....	4 33	5 30	9 45	......	4 35	6 08	10 33
Ypsilanti.....	4 50	5 45	9 56	......	4 52	6 24	10 47
Wayne Junc..	5 15	6 05	......	......	5 15	6 47	11 09
Detroit....Ar.	6 00	6 45	10 45	......	6 00	7 30	11 50
St. Thomas...	......	11 10	2 05	......	9 50	3 30	......
Falls View....	......	......	......	......	1 17	6 50	......
N. Falls......	......	2 21	4 59	......	1 22	6 56	......
Buffalo.......	......	4 35	7 15	......	3 40	9 05	......

DETROIT TO CHICAGO.

STATIONS.	Mail, except Sun.	Day Express except Sun.	Chicago Ex. Daily.	G'd Rap. Ex. except Sun.	Evening Exp. Daily.	Pacific Ex. Daily.	Kal'zoo Acc. except Sun.
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	....
Buffalo......	......	11 30	5 35	6 05	9 00	1 00	....
N. Falls......	......	12 45	6 43	......	......	2 15	....
St. Thomas...	......	4 25	10 00	......	1 10	5 50	....
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Detroit....Lv.	7 00	9 10	1 30	4 00	8 00	10 15	....
Wayne Junc..	7 41	9 53	2 03	4 45	8 37	10 56	....
Ypsilanti	8 03	10 12	2 20	5 12	8 58	11 18	....
Ann Arbor....	8 18	10 30	2 32	5 30	9 12	11 35	....
Delhi Mills...	8 28	......	......	5 42	......	......	....
Dexter.......	8 37	......	......	5 50	9 32	......	....
Chelsea......	8 52	......	......	6 05	9 52	......	....
Grass Lake...	9 15	......	......	6 27	10 15	......	....
Jackson......	9 45	11 35	3 32	7 10	10 52	1 32	....
Battle Creek..	11 20	1 12	4 40	8 52	12 12	2 22	....
Kalamazoo....	12 17	1 50	5 15	9 45	1 20	3 07	4 45
Chicago...Ar.	5 40	6 40	9 30	.....	7 00	7 45	10 20

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Trains run by Standard Time.

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	Mail Passenger	Passenger No. ?	Express Passenger	Accom'on No. 10
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Toledo..........Lv	5 15	3 15	6 25	5 50
Manhattan Junction....	5 20	3 20	6 40	6 10
Alexis..........	5 27	3 28	6 55	6 35
Samaria	5 45	3 43	7 23	7 30
Monroe Junction.......	6 02	4 05	7 51	8 10
Dundee..........	6 10	4 12	8 05	8 30
Azalia..........	6 25	4 18	8 20	9 00
Milan...........	6 35	4 35	8 35	9 20
Urania..........	6 50	4 45	8 55	10 00
Pittsfield	7 00	4 53	9 05	10 20
Ann Arbor.......	7 15	5 10	9 25	11 30
Leland..........	7 33	5 30	9 50	1 55
Whitmore Lake	7 46	5 45	No. 12	2 13
Howell	8 30	6 28	6 30	5 00
Durand	9 30	7 20	9 30	P. M.
Corunna.........	9 55	7 46	10 35	.....
Owosso..........	10 01	7 55	11 00	.....
Owosso Junction	10 05	8 10	11 05	.....
Ithaca..........	11 16	9 15	2 46	.....
St. Louis........	11 35	9 33	3 35	.....
Alma	11 42	9 41	3 55	.....
Mt. Pleasant.........Ar	12 30	10 30	6 00	.....
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	Express No. 1.	Passenger No. 3.	Mail Passenger	Accom'on No. 11.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Mt. Pleasant..........Lv	8 40	6 30	1 30	.....
Alma	10 15	7 20	2 20	.....
St. Louis	11 35	7 27	2 26	.....
Ithaca	12 25	7 46	2 46	.....
Owosso Junction.......	4 00	8 55	4 02	.....
Owosso..........	4 08	9 00	4 08	.....
Corunna.........	4 25	9 08	4 15	.....
Durand	5 16	9 30	4 36	A. M.
Howell	7 40	10 20	5 33	5 00
Whitmore Lake	Exp.	11 00	6 16	6 50
Leland..........	6 30	11 14	6 30	7 32
Ann Arbor.......	7 15	11 30	6 50	10 55
Pittsfield	7 26	11 43	7 00	11 30
Urania..........	7 35	11 50	7 10	11 50
Milan...........	7 45	12 04	7 20	12 24
Azalia..........	7 55	12 14	7 30	12 46
Dundee..........	8 03	12 24	7 40	1 10
Monroe Junction.......	8 10	12 31	7 51	1 30
Samaria	8 25	12 46	8 10	2 10
Alexis..........	8 45	1 00	8 30	2 45
Manhattan Junction....	8 50	1 05	8 37	3 0
Toledo..........Ar	9 00	1 10	8 42	3 15
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

South Lyon Branch.

NORTH BOUND.	STATIONS.	SOUTH BOUND.
Train 6		Train 1
P. M.		P. M.
9 50	Lv. Lelands Ar.	6 30
10 00	Ar. Wordens Ar.	6 20
10 20	Ar South Lyon Lv.	6 00

Connections: At Toledo, with railroads diverging; at Manhattan Junction, with Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R.; at Alexis Junction, with M. C. R. R., L. S. & M. S. Ry. and F. & P. M. R. R.; at Monroe Junction, with L. S. & M. S. Ry.; at Dundee, with L. S. & M. S. Ry., M. & O. Ry.; at Milan Junction, with Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Ry; at Pittsfield, with L. S. & M. S. Ry.; at Ann Arbor with Michigan Central R. R., and at South Lyon with Detroit, Lansing & Northern R. R., and Mich. A. L. Div. of Grand Trunk Ry. At Hamburg with M. A. Line Division Grand Trunk R'y. At Howell with Detroit, Lansing & Northern R'y. At Durand with Chicago & Grand Trunk R'y and Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee R'y. At Owosso Junction with Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee R'y and Michigan Central R. R. At St. Louis with Detroit, Lansing & Northern R. R. and Saginaw Valley & St. Louis R'y. At Alma with Detroit, Lansing & Northern R'y. At Mt. Pleasant with Flint & Pere Marquette R'y.

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Estate of David W. Noyes.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the twenty-eighth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight. Present, William D. Harriman, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of David W. Noyes, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Michael J. Noyes praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court purporting to be the last will and testament and codicils thereto of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that he and Caone T. Hodgeman may be appointed executors thereof.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the twenty-seventh day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor *Courier*, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register. 1386-1389.

Chancery Sale.

IN pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, in Chancery, made and entered on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1887, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein Henry R. Watson is complainant and Susan R. Kidder, Amos Y. Kidder, Ida C. Kidder and Cyrine Kidder are defendants. Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the third day of March, A. D. 1888 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, I shall sell at public auction, or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the east main entrance to the Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, in said county, that being the building in which the Circuit Court of said county is held, all those certain pieces, or parcels of land situated in the township of Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The east half of the northeast quarter of section twenty eight (28) and the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-seven (27) excepting a piece of land deeded by William Kidder and wife to Henry Peterson, deceased, as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point twenty-two rods west of the center of the Tecumseh and Saline road where said road intersects the north line of the northwest quarter of said section twenty-seven (27); thence east along said north line to the center of the Tecumseh and Saline road, twenty-two rods; thence south along the center of said road fifteen (15) rods; thence north to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and fifty-nine and one-half acres more or less, all in township four south of range five east, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, excepting from said above described parcel of land, the following piece or parcel of land, viz.: Commencing at the northwest corner of the east half of the northeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) township four south of range five east, running south on line between east and west half of said quarter section, 30 chains and 75 links; thence south 43 degrees and 30 minutes east, 5 chains and 96 links to the center of the Tecumseh road, thence north 47 degrees and 30 minutes east, along the center of said road, 33 chains and 40 links; thence north 47 degrees west, 3 chains, and 74 links to section line in the center of the highway, thence west on said section line in the center of the highway 26 chains and 12 links to the place of beginning, containing 43 and 40 one-hundredths acres of land.

PATRICK McKERNAN,
Circuit Court Commissioner,
Washtenaw County, Michigan.

JOHN F. LAWRENCE,
Solicitor for Complainant.
ANN ARBOR, January 16th, 1888.