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THE RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

INVITED TO LOOK OVER ANN ARBOR RAILROAD CROSSINGS.

City Expenses of the Year Lighter Than Last.—Doings of the Council at the December Meeting.

The December meeting of the council was held last Monday evening with every member of the council in their seats, but an exceedingly small audience of spectators, listened to the lengthy reading of minutes which generally occurs.

Dr. Breakey, on behalf of the board of health, presented a preliminary report of the special sanitary inspection, accompanied by the bills for the same, amounting to about \$95. The inspection, he said, had been thorough and generally well done and effective in bringing to light over 200 nuisances and local conditions on premises endangering public health. A further and more detailed report would be made to the council.

F. G. Schleicher petitioned for a removal of the tile crossing Main street from Liberty street, and his petition was referred to the street committee.

Gottfried Schottle presented a bill of \$75 for expenses incurred from the injury to Mrs. Schoettles which he claimed was due to defective and improperly guarded railing to the sidewalk on west Liberty street in front of the Fritz property near the T. A. A. and N. M. railway, which was referred to the finance committee.

DANGEROUS RAILROAD CROSSINGS.

Dr. Conrad George called the attention of the council to the very dangerous condition of the crossing of the T. A. A. and N. M. railroad on south Main street and urged the stationing of a flagman there. A pile of lumber where the sidewalk should be, obscured the view of the track and a car which was generally in the roadway still further obscured the view so that it was often impossible to see approaching trains. A general discussion of the condition of the crossing at this and other points ensued. Ald. Miller moved that the state railroad commissioner should be invited here to look over the entire line of the road through this city. Ald. Spokes made a plea for the road and moved as a substitute that a committee of three be appointed to wait upon Mr. Ashley. The substitute was lost, the opinion of the council being that Mr. Ashley was well aware of the condition of the road in this city. The motion of Ald. Miller was then carried nearly unanimously.

PAYING THE BILLS.

Bills amounting to \$3,267.93 were audited and ordered paid. Among these bills were the supervisor's bills for the year as follows, Albert Gardner, \$330; P. O'Hearn, \$250; and N. G. Butts, \$224, total, \$804, the electric light bill, \$550.40; stone for the crossings on the general streets and in the wards, \$437.04; election expenses, \$243.50, city officers, police and janitor's salaries, \$211. The warrants were drawn on the various funds as follows: First ward, \$268.43; second ward, \$71.23; third ward, \$198.27; fourth ward, \$91.97; fifth ward, \$6.88; sixth ward, \$62.11; general fund, \$1771.70; contingent, \$442.63.

The bill of O. M. Martin for burying three children who died of diphtheria for \$62.00, was audited at \$33.25. This bill was before the board of supervisors who declined to pay it. The bill for C. L. Dow of \$5 for work inspecting the hydrants with the inspector of the water works company excited some debate. Ald. Miller stated that he had sent Mr. Dow around with the man sent by the waterworks company to make a record of defective hydrants, nine such hydrants were found. It was not intended to any way relieve the waterworks company of their contract responsibility to see that the hydrants were kept in condition.

DR. SMITH'S SIDEWALK.

Dr. Smith's sidewalk in front of Stimson's store was the subject of a special report from the sidewalk committee, who stated that if the city would withdraw the suit, Dr. Smith would agree to build a stone walk before May, first, which was thought to be as soon as the stone could be procured, and he would pay all costs. On motion of Ald. Allmendinger the following resolution was passed:

Resolved, that in consideration of the agreement of Dr. Smith to lay a stone walk on premises mentioned before May 1, 1889, and upon his paying all costs in the case, said case be discontinued by the city attorney with the reservation that the suit be renewed in case the agreement be not complied with.

THE CHARTER.

The committee on the charter reported that they were making progress with the revision and would soon be able to report a draft of a new charter. They asked for power to employ a clerk to do copying. The power was granted them.

THE EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR.

At the conclusion of the reports of committees the mayor stated that Recorder Bach had prepared a statement of expenses of the city for the first ten months of the fiscal year, which showed a considerable reduction in the city expenses. The amounts expended from the various funds were as follows: Dog tax, \$88.32; city cemetery, \$35; water works, \$2,387.50; first ward, \$869.26; second ward, \$923.80; third ward, \$899.07; fourth ward, \$824.85; fifth ward, \$548.96; sixth ward, \$501.19. General street, \$1,901.33; general fund, \$7,058.40; contingent fund \$7,058.96; total, \$23,106.63. The expenses for the year would be about \$30,000 as against \$38,000 last year.

REPORTS CITY OFFICERS.

The treasurer's report showed \$810.40, in the treasury. Marshal Sipley reported twelve arrests during the month of which six were charged with being drunk, one a truant, 2 vagrants, 2 common drunkards and one charged with assault and battery.

Marshal Sipley reported \$156.46 expended for support of the poor during November as follows: first ward, \$2.01; second, \$12.55; third, \$20.83; fourth, \$59.55; fifth, \$41.52; sixth, \$20.

A BRIEF DEBATE.

Ald. Wines moved that the suit of the city of Ann Arbor against Fred Miracle and Justin Bullis in Justice Frueauff's court be discontinued. This motion was made the occasion of the exciting debate of the session, verging dangerously near politics. These were the two students arrested on halloween night for disorderly conduct after an attempt had been made by them and others to break up a political meeting and while they were in front of the jail, which was being stoned. One of them when arrested had a stone in his pocket and one in his hand. The mayor stated that it seemed to him if the council did not wish people punished under the ordinance relating to disorderly persons, they should repeal the ordinance. Ald. Allmendinger made a long, vehement speech in favor of the release of the students, spoke of the great unanimity of the republicans in not bringing suit against democrats, and wanted their release on the ground of amity. Ald. Herz spoke of the aggravating nature of the offense charged, expressing surprise that any party should attempt to stand up for them. Recorder Bach and others participated in the debate which terminated by a motion from Ald. Miller to lay the resolution on the table, which carried by 8 to 6 as follows.

Yeas. Ald. Sutherland, Herz, Martin, O'Mara, Miller, Ware, Recorder Bach and Mayor Beakes.

Nays. Ald. Allmendinger, Kearns, Spokes, Hammond, Wines and Barker. On motion of Ald. Ware it was decided to build a bridge on the new road in the fifth ward at a cost not to exceed \$100.

An ordinance designed to prevent rowdism and noise about the postoffice and ante-rooms of some of the churches by boys, found in another column, was passed.

E. S. Perry was appointed special policeman at the Michigan Central depot and yards without expense to the city.

O. F. Ingalls, Mary S. Ingalls, T. E. Thompson, J. Q. A. Sessions, W. K. Childs, Mrs. J. Clancy, Jas. H. Clancy, Miss. Ryan, E. Clancy, Jr., C. H. Worden, Heory S. Dean and J. A. Brown petitioned for the removal of a barn belonging to Mr. Nickels on William street, which they represented as not exceeding in value \$25, as being 15 to 18 inches on the public highway as a nuisance by reason of its great filth and noxious smells and as being near valuable property. The petition was referred by a vote of the council to the street committee.

The council then adjourned to Monday evening, December 17.

Help the Sewing School.

The superintendent of the Sewing School gratefully acknowledges the receipt of ten dollars from Mrs. Geo. Douglas, donations from her Methodist friends. Our school now numbers fifty and we are constantly in need of material and money to carry on our industrial work. If our friends would visit our school and see what we are doing we think it would not be necessary for us to appeal for help, nearly every month. We meet in Crosey's Hall on Washington St. every Saturday afternoon. Come and see us and we are confident assistance will follow. We also need teachers, are there not young ladies in Ann Arbor who will give us two hours of their time once a week? M. S. B.

An Every Day Affair.

A display of holiday goods is to be made in the parlors of the Baptist church on the afternoon and evening of Dec. 13th and 14th.

This is to be "AN EVERY DAY AFFAIR" but the ladies promise something quite unusual and attractive in their arrangement of goods. They aim to supply the needs of all with articles both useful and beautiful. Refreshments served at six o'clock.

Killed by Jumping off a Car.

Nelson Smith, a young colored man of this city accompanied by Charles Fox, stole a ride from Ypsilanti to this city on a west bound freight train last Thursday night. On reaching this city they found the train a through freight and took desperate chances to get off. Fox escaped uninjured, but Smith's arm was broken and his skull fractured. He lingered until Sunday, when he died. He was twenty-six years of age. The funeral services were held Tuesday from the A. M. E. church.

A Short Married Life.

Lizzie F. Inman was granted a divorce Wednesday, by Judge Kinne, from her husband Benjamin F. Inman. The couple were married by Justice Frueauff, March 1, 1887. Mrs. Inman set up that Inman had represented to her that he was able to support her. She charges that he had not contributed more than \$3 to her support since their marriage. The divorce was granted on the ground of "extreme cruelty and neglecting to provide a suitable maintenance for her, he being of sufficient ability so to do."

Who is the Lucky Guesser.

A large number of guesses have been received this week as to the numbers contained in the six envelopes deposited in the bank. On February 1st, the subscriber who guesses the number contained in the first envelope will receive a \$35 India ink portrait, French crayon finish, with a fine plush and bronze frame made by Long & Co. The subscriber who guesses the number in envelope number 2, will receive the choice of any \$25 suit of clothes in Blitz & Langsdorf's store. The subscriber who guesses the number in the third envelope gets a Waltham silver watch warranted a reliable time keeper by J. C. & W. W. Watts, and the lucky guesser of the numbers contained in the other three envelopes will receive three handsomely large steel engravings appropriately framed. It cost you nothing to guess. The only requirement is that you be a subscriber to the ARGUS for next year. Send in your guess early before the numbers are guessed as no more than one subscriber will be allowed to guess the same number, a complete record of the guesses being kept here. The numbers in the envelopes are less than the number 2,000 or that number. We don't know ourselves what they are. Subscribers already paid for next year should send in their numbers early.

The Circuit Court.

The circuit court commenced its December term, Tuesday, with a docket which contained 106 cases.

Nicholas Cordary, Ypsilanti, was arraigned on the charge of false pretences and plead not guilty and was released on a recognizance for \$1,000.

The case of the people vs William Cook charged with rape was continued over the term.

John McDermott, Frederick Day and William Campion plead not guilty of larceny from the person of a Chelsea butcher. D. Cramer was appointed to defend Day and Campion. McDermott was discharged without being tried. The other two were found guilty after separate jury trial.

A decree of divorce was granted, Lizzie T. Inman.

The cases of Cox vs Chester and Spencer vs Kusterer were stricken from the docket.

Sturm vs Reynolds and Miller vs Kaercher were discontinued.

Schwab vs Kelly and Clark vs Bradley were continued.

The case of Sarah A. Cole vs the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway was on trial yesterday for injuries received at Pittsford, Hillsdale county in 1885.

Marriage Licenses.

Issued by County Clerk Howlett during the week.

William F. Schaeble.....	Manchester.....	22
Barbara K. Gauss.....	Manchester.....	21
John B. Beeler.....	Lyndon.....	27
Elizabeth M. Hatele.....	Lodi.....	19
Austin F. Smith.....	Ann Arbor.....	23
Ida E. Backus.....	Webster.....	22
Henry J. Kilgus.....	Milwaukee.....	26
Louisa Meindermann.....	Ann Arbor.....	23
William Breining.....	Ypsilanti.....	24
Clara Dimick.....	Ypsilanti.....	25
John Bryce.....	Ypsilanti.....	26
Mrs. Hannah Green.....	Superior.....	25
Charles Johnson.....	Ypsilanti.....	21
Lizzie Wilson.....	Ypsilanti.....	17
Thomas H. Johnson.....	Ypsilanti.....	17
Esther Wilson.....	Ypsilanti.....	19

1881—25th ANNUAL DISPLAY—1888 OF HOLIDAY GOODS. Opening day, Wednesday December 12th, 1888.

It is a surprise to ourselves, that in telling this story for the 25th time, we can truthfully say, that we have very many more new and beautiful goods in our usual line of holiday presents than ever before. Our stock has been selected with great care, and will be sold at prices which will distance competition.

From Dec. 15th, to the 25th, we shall sell ordinary mixed candy at 9c. per lb., and the usual assortment of creams at 12c. and chocolate drops at 14c. per lb.—A careful examination of our stock is solicited. 44 Main St., South. DEAN & CO.

PERSONAL

Miss Dunster spent last week in Detroit.

Judge Cooley spent Thanksgiving at home.

Edward Duffy spent Saturday in Corunna.

Leonard Gruner has been on the sick list this week.

Orla B. Taylor, Esq., of Detroit, was in the city Wednesday.

William Stockford, Esq., of Howell, was in the city Tuesday.

Prof. Emil Bear left for Saginaw, Saturday evening, to be absent a week.

I. K. Pond, of Chicago, has been visiting at his father's E. B. Pond's.

Mrs. Louis Hall and Miss Alice Douglas visit at Gross Isle this week.

Mrs. Dr. Wells and Miss Lillian Wells spent Thanksgiving in East Saginaw.

Misses Mary Lohr and Lizzie Hutzel will spend Sunday with friends in Toledo.

Royal Farrand '90 has gone home, as the result of overtraining for the rugby game.

Dr. C. G. Darling was summoned east this week by the death of his father.

Madame Walter is a guest of Mrs. H. W. Rogers, Huron St. Her home is in Dresden.

H. T. Morton returned Saturday morning from a short visit to Racine Wisconsin.

Mrs. Irish, who has been a guest of her brother E. B. Abel left Monday night for the east.

Ed. C. Pitkin spent a few days in Petrolia the first of the week visiting his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hamilton will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. Herdman, the coming week.

Evart H. Scott took part in the state horticultural meeting in Grand Rapids this week.

Mr. & Mrs. A. W. Hamilton gave a delightful reception Tuesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hamilton.

Willis E. Boud '90 has been compelled to return to his home in New York, on account of trouble with his eyes.

Ross Granger was in Chicago last week and visited all the leading dancing academies of that city.

Mrs. Dr. Lyons, of Kansas, is visiting at her father's, Charles T. Henion's on South Fifth street.

Miss Lena Moloney, of Fountain St. left yesterday for a visit with relatives and friends in Zanesville and Toledo, Ohio.

Cassius Robinson returned from Dakota, Monday night and will spend the winter with his father, Hon. John J. Robinson.

W. C. Hollands, of Jackson, was visiting in the city Saturday. He was formerly connected with the book-bindingeries here.

Samuel Smith and wife nee Essie Pitkin, have removed from Winthrop, Minn., to Baxter Springs, Kansas a thriving town near the Indian Territory.

Mrs. Geo. S. Morris left for New York City last Monday night. Her sister Mrs. Dr. Ramsey has just lost a seven year old daughter, and Mrs. Ramsey is ill.

O. D. Royal has settled on Sanibel Island off the coast of Florida. He has taken up 160 acres of land under the homestead act and will soon be a landed proprietor.

Gardner and Fatherland.

This evening at the opera house this excellent actor will appear in Fatherland, of which play the Evansville Journal contains the following description.

It is an old proverb that "nothing succeeds like success," and it applies forcibly to that brightest of German comedians, Charles A. Gardner, in his new play, Fatherland, for successful it has been to an amazing extent. Those who witnessed the production of our Karl's latest acquisition to his repertoire the beginning of the week, took their wives mothers and sweethearts to enjoy what they had already experienced. Beyond a doubt Charles Gardner's creation of that heroic, simple-hearted, honest and jolly Tyrolese guide, Herman Leopold, is a revelation. One moment creating merry laughter, the next causing hearts to respond to his words of endearment and applause to his sweet singing. The varied emotions displayed by Gardner during the course of the evening stamps him without question one of the best comedians now before the public, and his audiences bear out fully the statement. So earnest so magnetic, so entertaining, is heard on all sides, proving that he has struck the right key note to add to his already popular name. Fatherland was written by Sidney R. Ellis, his manager, and Charles himself, and by their work their friends positively believe they have written something that will live for years to come, and as the months and seasons roll by it will improve with age. The play is consistent, original, witty and absorbing, with the special features, such as the "Festtag", "Spinstube" and Saegefest scenes, contribute their share toward its genuine and positive success. The singing is also a great feature, and last night a request was received from at least a half of the audience for a repetition of that sweetest of sweet songs, "The Lilac".

COUNTY.

Dundee has a young lady barber. Turkey raffling matches are popular in Lodi.

L. C. Palmer has removed from Dexter to Howell.

There are 163 children in the South Lyon schools.

Front fences are being removed in Saline—a vast improvement.

John Roberts is building a new house north of Salem station.

Three cases of scarlet fever were reported in Sharon last week.

There were 323 pupils enrolled in the Chelsea school last month.

There are thirty-two non-resident pupils attending the Saline schools.

There were 242 pupils enrolled in the Saline schools during November.

Thomas Birkett has moved his office on wheels from Dover to Dexter.

Dr. John Gauntlett, formerly of York, has opened an office in Blissfield.

E. Westfall, of Augusta, has 4,200 pounds of honey on hand this year.

George Paxson, of Dundee had 3,300 bushels of corn on thirty five acres.

The new Baptist church at Stock-bridge, will be dedicated, December 20.

There are twenty-seven non-resident pupils in the Dexter high school.

The Michigan beekeepers' association meets in Jackson, December 12 and 13.

There are 293 students attending the Manchester school, of whom 153 are boys.

Congressman Allen has moved his law office into the new bank block in Ypsilanti.

The Chelsea savings bank has placed another large fire proof safe in its office.

A new set of school books have been adopted in the Saley district in Manchester.

The Pinckney Dispatch has been greatly improved lately by its editor, A. D. Bennett.

One grocer in Saline, has laid in a stock of hickory nuts—a hundred bushels in fact.

Rev. Lederer, the Saline German pastor, has a German school with 60 pupils in Saline.

Charles Hartsuff, of Unidalla, lost the end of a finger while playing ball recently.

It cost Manchester two cents a barrel to fill one of its reservoirs with water recently.

Burglars secured about forty dollars at Garrett Cross's residence in Ypsilanti last week.

The Saline Observer has been greatly improved locally by its new editor, George J. Nissly.

Governor Luce recently visited the state normal school and made an address to the students.

Nissly, the Saline poultry fancier and editor, had 15,000 pounds of turkey plucked for Thanksgiving.

F. E. Ortenberger, of Bridge-water station, has purchased 200 bushels of hickory nuts this fall.

Five hundred and thirty seven turkeys were picked by one house in Manchester for Thanksgiving.

Ed. Schneider, of Bridgewater, broke an arm recently by falling from a tree, while hunting coons.

Mrs. O. H. Newell, of Ypsilanti, died Thursday, November 22, of peritonitis, aged forty-six years.

Roscoe C. Begole, of Pittsfield, was married to Miss June Smith, of Bellville, in that village, Nov. 27.

L. D. Watkins, of Manchester, has added the 104 acres of the John Braun farm to his landed possessions.

Charles Lavey, son of Alfred Lavey, of Dexter township, died November 25, aged twenty years.

A. Brooks, of Sharon, had some money taken from one of his overcoat pockets while in Manchester last week.

Geo. W. Barton died in Unidalla after a long illness, November 20. He was born in Lyndon forty-seven years ago.

One hundred and ninety-three of the pupils of the Manchester schools were neither absent nor tardy during November.

Fred W. Cooper, of Chelsea, was married to Miss Linda Bloomer, of Point Edward, Ontario, at the home of the bride, November 21.

Charles Jackson, a former resident of York township, has been elected treasurer of the republican county of Crawford on the democratic ticket.

John W. Dancer, of Lima, and Miss Lizzie Hulen, of Webster, were married in Dexter, November 27 by Rev. Fr. P. Loghoan.

The Southern Washtenaw farmers' club meet at J. R. Holmes' in Manchester town to-day to discuss Woman's Work and Woman's Wages.

The treasurer, of Ypsilanti town, will receive taxes every Friday and Saturday during this month at the grocery of A. H. Smith in Ypsilanti city.

Miss Nellie Welch, of Northfield, was married to Charles Ryan, of Hamburg, at St Patrick's church in Northfield, November 28, by Rev. P. Wernert.

John Brokaw and Miss J. Mason, both of Northfield, were married by Rev. P. Wernert at St Patrick's church in Northfield, on Thursday of last week.

Jabe Pierce and Miss Amelia Streeter, both of Ypsilanti, were joined in matrimony November 28, by Rev. Jos. H. Miller, pastor of the Ypsilanti A. M. E. church.

The Grass Lake News has been doing so well, that it will enlarge next week to the size of the ARGUS and fixes its price at \$1.50, a sum which it will well be worth.

Miss Mary A. Klager, daughter of M. Klager, of Saline township, was married to Rev. Frederick Miller, of Beaver, Mich., at the Bridge-water Lutheran church, November 21.

At the residence of the bride's mother in Augusta, William Ransmore and Miss Vina Townsend, both of Augusta, were married by Rev. J. Carter on Wednesday, Nov. 28.

Stade Lazell, of Bridgewater, is visiting in Kelloggsville, N. Y., and writes from there that the hills are covered with snow, and that it rained there every day in October, excepting two.

The Adrian Press speaks of the removal of O. E. Hawkins from Saline as being caused by the number of widows in Saline, as chronicled by the Observer two weeks ago. Let us whisper something to you, dear Adrian Press, O. E. is no longer unmarried.

"Philander Perkins" visited Clinton recently and Clinton still survives. Outside the newspaper world, Philander is known as ex-state oil inspector, E. J. Smith, now of the Adrian Press, and he is one of the best newspaper men in the state. He handles a decidedly humorous quill.

The Grass Lake News affirms that "it never hinted that the pedal extremities of the Ann Arbor ARGUS philosopher contains digestive organs" and denounces any villain who said it as "a prebald and brindle backed microbe." Perhaps so, but he did tell about some enormous stockings for sale at a Grass Lake dry goods store, which would have made a Chicago girl blush from envy.

E. A. Nordinan tells how the Dexter postmaster was selected in 1861, when H. B. Muscott and Fred Carlisle were rival candidates to succeed Dr. Jeffries. It was finally decided to hold an election for postmaster and this was accordingly done, a regular poll being opened, the names of voters recorded and a return of the election made to Hon. Bradley F. Granger, then congressman. The result showing that Muscott had received a majority of the votes, he was accordingly appointed.

Wonderful Cures.

Eberbach & Son, Retail Druggist or Ann Arbor, Mich. say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for four years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been cured by the use of a few bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by Eberbach & Son.

Dixboro.

Splendid weather for this time of year.

Mrs. M. F. Galpin spent Thanksgiving with her niece in Adrian.

Born to Mr. John Quackenbush and wife on November 30th, a girl.

Your correspondent ate his Thanksgiving turkey at home with a few friends.

No mud this fall and the farmers are improving the good roads by drawing wood and grain to market.

School commenced last Monday, November 26th for the winter term, with Mr. Perry Townsend as teacher.

Mr. James Hanby spent Thanksgiving with Rev. Mr. Yager and family, of Blissfield. She says she had a splendid time.

The oyster supper at Mr. Frank Galpin's last Wednesday night, was a success in every particular and there was a large turn out.

The boys turned out to horn Mr. Frank Galpin and bride one night last week. Frank and wife were at home but the boys did not find them.

Mrs. T. B. Charlie and Bennie Goodspeed, spent their Thanksgiving with Mr. Claud Pearsal and wife at Ypsilanti. They report having everything nice in the eating line and a good time in general.

Will You Read This for \$500.

For many years the manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, who are abundantly responsible financially, as any one can easily ascertain by inquiry, have offered, in good faith, a standing reward of \$500 for a case of nasal catarrh, no matter how bad or of how long standing, which they cannot cure. The remedy is sold by druggists at 50 cents.

Willis.

Mrs. Dawson is suffering from quinsy.

A part of the section hands at this place are working at Delray for a few days.

The raffling match held here on Thanksgiving, passed off quietly. All had a good time and nobody hurt.

A social hop was given at the old stand at Whittaker's corners, last Thursday night. Some who attended report rather a noisy time.

The Handsomest Lady in Ann Arbor

Remarked to a friend the other day that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs was a superior remedy, as it stopped her cough instantly when other cough remedies had no effect whatever. So to prove this and convince you of its merit, any druggist will give you a Sample Bottle free. Large size 50c and \$1.

Milan.

Miss Maud Bell has the scarlet fever.

Whaley & Co. finished cider making, Monday.

Editor Smith and wife visited Dundee last week.

Mr. J. C. Rouse visited sons in Lodi the first of the week.

Miss Grace Huntington is Mr. Thompson's new book-keeper.

Born to Wm. Easterly and wife, a daughter, Thanksgiving evening.

Miss Huntington returned from her Detroit visit Friday evening.

Mrs. Kelly visited Ann Arbor last week on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Holden, of Weston, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Chapin, Monday.

Miss C. Chapin, of Ann Arbor, is the guest of her sister Mrs. Dr. Harper.

Messrs. C. M. Fuller and Brower spent Thanksgiving with Milan friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnes left for their home in Quincey, Thursday evening.

Miss Stimpson was called to Carlton last week to attend the funeral of a sister.

Dancing school commenced Tuesday evening much to the joy of young people.

Mrs. Dr. Chapin and her daughter Flossie, left for Grand Rapids, Tuesday morning.

Miss Jessie Graham is the new express agent appointed in Charles Moore's place.

Charles Blackmer is our new village clerk to fill the vacancy left by Charles Moore.

The Saline Observer have an old new editor. The Milan people wish him the best of luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson entertained several of their Quincey friends, Thanksgiving day.

Miss Onie William returned Saturday after a two weeks sojourn with relatives in Ann Arbor.

Messrs. Chas. and Wm. King, with their sister, Miss Julia King, spent Sunday with friends in Saline.

Mrs. J. Huntington has a very interesting book of little foreign missionaries. She knows just how to keep up the interest and is doing fine work.

The Thanksgiving dance was a success. The masks were too utterly utter. Every body danced that wanted to. The supper was nice and the people danced until Friday.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR PAIN

For Soreness, Stiffness.

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Sore Limbs. Swegert, Ill., May 18, 1888. Caught cold in limbs and back; suffered 6 months; St. Jacobs Oil cured me. JACOB SCHULTZ.

Stiff Neck. Friendship, Wis., June 14, 1888. My wife had violent pains in her neck; very sore and stiff; cured entirely by St. Jacobs Oil. JAMES STOWE.

Stiff Ankle. Cedarville, Ohio, June 25, 1888. Strained my ankle; next morning could not put foot to floor; got a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil; used it. In two days was entirely well; stiffness all gone. B. & B. EDWARDS.

Stiff Knee. New Athens, Ill., June, 1888. Strained my knee; became stiff; could not walk for a month; used crutches; after using two bottles of St. Jacobs Oil, threw crutches away; cured. GUSTAVE HANFERT.

Terrible Pain. Ames Mtg. Co., Chilopee, Mass., June 13, 1888. From over exertion caught violent cold; every bone was stiff and sore; in terrible pain. Cured promptly by St. Jacobs Oil. J. C. C. BUCKLEY, Paymaster.

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California cast 40,000 more votes this year than she did four years ago. This would indicate that California is gaining in population at the rate of 50,000 a year.

The greatest known depth of the oceans is just off the north east coast of Japan, where the ocean is 4,655 fathoms or something over five miles deep. Think what a dreary waste of water is there.

AND now comes the Adrain Times and praises up Sir Lionel Sackville West as a gentleman. We always thought West was endeavoring to pull the republican chestnuts out of the fire and while pretending to favor Cleveland, did so because he really favored Harrison.

THE democrats can console themselves with the fact that there are more democrats than republicans in this country anyway. Cleveland's majority of the popular vote is about 50,000 larger this year than it was four years ago. If the popular vote elected, Cleveland would be the next president.

PRESIDENT elect Harrison and Jefferson Davis are distantly connected by blood kinship. What a howl would have been raised had the democrats nominated a relative, however distant of Jefferson Davis for president. There would have been no virtue in the cry and we only call attention to the fact that the distant relationship exists to mark the dense silence of the republicans concerning it.

GEOGRAPHY is remade every few years. We were taught some few years ago that Lake Itasca was the source of the Mississippi river. Then some claimed that lake Glazier or Elk lake was the source and now the true source is said to have been discovered to be a number of large springs, three miles south-east of lake Itasca. The true source of the Mississippi seems to be almost as puzzling to our geographers as the source of the Nile.

THE official figures show that Edward King of Ypsilanti, made a good run for member of the state board of education. Not only did he receive the largest majority given any candidate in this county, but the majority of his opponent is less than that of the other republican state candidates, excepting the two highest officers, whose local option record cut down their votes. Although Mr. King was defeated, he has no reason not feel proud of his run.

THE Monroe Democrat pays the following handsome tribute to Senator Gorman. "Gorman has shown himself a leader of much ability. He is honest and capable and has the entire interest of his district at heart as well as the business and agricultural interests of the state. No doubt he will be placed in the front rank of the democracy. His handsome majority is evidence of faith in him. As the Senate is strongly republican, Gorman's position will become one of hard work."

THE Ypsilantian reminds us that Owen Lovejoy, whose fathers name is revered by the abolitionists, was elected to congress from Illinois. We had a faint suspicion of that fact, the day after election. But Illinois might have done worse than to send Lovejoy to congress. Does the election prove, brother Ypsilantian, that however much the republicans may now praise the work of the abolitionists they wouldn't vote for one now if he were not on their ticket or does it prove that "daddyism" in politics is played out? Perhaps Fred Grant believes it proves the latter fact.

Restaurant Waiter (to departing customer who had failed to give him the accustomed tip)—You'll not forget me, will you? Miserly Party—No. indeed I'll write you a letter when I get home.

THE ANNUAL MESSAGE.

Synopsis of the President's Communication to Congress.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 4.—President Cleveland's final message was sent to congress Monday. It begins, after a few reflections on the greatness of the country and the duty of citizens, with a reassertion of his position on the tariff. He asserts that a revision thereof is necessary and that the taxes collected at the customs houses are paid by the farmers and other consumers, who are thereby being deprived of their earnings unnecessarily. He contrasts the present with 100 years ago, and says that then monopolies, combinations and aggregations of capital were regulated and restrained, while now fortunes are realized by those who manipulate labor which outrun the imagination in their magnitude. Wealth and luxury mingle in our cities with poverty, wretchedness and unremunerative labor. Fortunes are not gained by industry and foresight, but by the discrimination of the government in behalf of the rich, largely due to excessive taxation. Trusts, monopolies combinations abound and trample the citizen beneath their iron heels. Corporations which should be the peoples' servants are their masters. This excessive taxation is a breach of faith and a flagrant injustice, and goes to swell the profits of those who are already rich. He warns congress that while communism of the poor is bad, communism of the rich is as hateful and that it would result in an attack on the citadel of rule. Protection by customs duties is a mockery and the whole theory false and wicked.

The president then reads congress a lesson on its misdeeds. He tells it that it has neglected good laws which would be of benefit to the whole country to pass laws for the building up of local or individual interests, and recites a number of cases to prove his charge. He denounces "log rolling," and calls upon congress to pay strict attention to public duties.

The message then refers to foreign relations, especially to the Sackville incident, justifying the action of the administration in the matter. Our relations with all foreign countries are gone over, and the excessive immigration of pernicious foreigners cited as a subject for the attention of congress. Upon finances he indorses the treasury's recommendation to stop coining silver dollars, and says the bond purchases, although apparently saving money, are in fact losing operations, because the money with which the purchases are made should be in the hands of the people.

He speaks feelingly of the death of Gen. Sheridan, calls for education of the Indians, declares a pension law could be passed that would satisfy all reasonable citizens if congress would pass one, urges action in establishing boundary lines between Alaska and British Columbia and Mexico and the United States, and generally indorses all the recommendations of his cabinet officers in their reports.

HALF A VILLAGE DESTROYED.

Conflagration at L'Erbable, Ills.—One Man Fatally Burned.

KANKAKEE, Ills., Dec. 1.—An accident, by which one life was lost and a man was badly injured, resulted in the destruction of a large portion of the village of L'Erbable Thursday night. An old man named Vanderpool, living in L'Erbable, was lighting a lamp, preparatory to retiring for the night, when a piece of plaster from the ceiling fell upon the lamp causing an explosion. The oil was scattered over the room, and in a moment the building was in flames. The contents of the lamp also spattered upon Vanderpool's clothing, and igniting, at once enveloped the old man in fire. Vanderpool fought as hard and as long as he could, but was soon forced to give up and fell screaming for help. Neighbors gathered at the house upon seeing the flames, and hearing Vanderpool's cry. William Adams rushed to his rescue and succeeded in carrying the old man into the street. Vanderpool was fatally burned, however, and after a night of terrible agony, died in the morning. Adams was also badly burned, but it is thought will recover. No apparatus was at hand to subdue the flames which spread from house to house until more than half the village was destroyed. The buildings were all of wood, and the loss falls heavily upon the owners and occupants.

Secretary Whitney's Report.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 1.—Secretary Whitney devotes the first part of his annual report to a review of the progress made in the construction of a navy and the best types of vessels to build. He says that everything necessary to the construction of a first class fighting ship can now be made in this country, and that when the cruisers now provided for are built we will rank second among the nations in the possession of armored cruisers—commerce destroyers. He then discusses the administration of his office, stating that notwithstanding the outlay for new vessels the expenses for the past three years have been but \$46,830,430, while for the three years ending with 1884 they were \$47,979,397. The report makes numerous comparisons of the same character, much to the credit of the present administration. The secretary asks \$26,767,677 in all for the next fiscal year.

Old Shoes Turned to Use.

The journal of the Constantinople chamber of commerce describes the industrial uses of old boots and shoes which are thrown out into the streets or into ash pits. After being collected they are ripped open and the leather is subjected to a treatment which renders it a pliable mass, from which a kind of artistic leather is derived. This in appearance resembles the finest Cordova leather. In the United States patterns are stamped on this, while in France it is used to cover trunks and boxes. The old boots and shoes are also treated in another way, by which they are converted into new ones.

The prisoners in central France are employed in this way, the old shoes coming chiefly from Spain. They are taken to pieces as before, the nails being all removed, and the leather is soaked in water to soften it. The uppers for children's shoes are then cut from it. The soles are also used, for from the smaller pieces of the leather of the old soles the so called Louis XV heels for ladies' shoes are made, while the soles of children's shoes are made from the larger and thicker pieces. The old nails are also put to use, for by means of magnets the iron nails and the tacks and brads are separated and sold. The contractors of the military prison at Montpellier say that these nails alone pay for the old shoes. Nothing now remains but the scraps, and these have also their value, for they are much sought after by certain specialists for agricultural purposes.—Boston Herald.

Passes for Good Temper.

There is in some a dispassionate neutrality of mind which, though it generally passes for good temper, can neither gratify nor warm us; it must indeed be granted that these men can only negatively offend, but then it should also be remembered that they cannot positively please.—San Francisco Jewish Progress.

LEARNING AMERICAN SECRETS.

Story Told by a Naval Officer—A Shrewd German "Mechanic."

A naval officer today, in speaking about the presence of foreigners in the navy, told the following story: "I was sent to Europe not long ago on an important errand, and it became my duty to form the acquaintance of foreign naval officers, in order to accomplish certain ends I had in view. I met many of them at dinners, receptions and entertainments, and was surprised to find out how well they were informed on American naval affairs. I had occasion to go to Kiel, Germany, for the purpose of visiting the dockyards there. I felt sure that my credentials would admit me to inspect the place, but they did not. I tried a little game of getting the desired pass, by reaching the officials through the use of wines and fine dinners. One day a fine looking German officer met me as I was coming out of my hotel. 'Hello,' said he, slapping me on the shoulder, 'have you got in yet?' He spoke such pure English that for a moment or so I was nonplused. "No," I replied, 'will you get me in?' "I can't," and thereupon he remarked: 'it is easier to get into your yards than ours.'

"I looked at the officer intently and found by his uniform that he was the chief naval constructor, and the man of all men in the German navy that I wanted to meet. 'Will you take a glass of wine with me?' I asked. He consented, and we returned to the hotel.

"After a few minutes' conversation we became quite friendly, and I was surprised at the insight he had of our naval officers. He astonished me by inquiring about certain officers who were at the New York navy yard during the late war. I could not restrain my curiosity, and I asked him: 'How did you become acquainted with the officers?' 'The story is a short one,' he replied. 'When the war broke out in 1861 I was in the German navy, and I got orders to go to America, and study your methods of building ships and getting guns ready for use. When I got to New York my dress was that of a plain German mechanic. I got work as a carpenter and ship joiner under a fictitious name, and in a short time I got used to the nickname 'Dutchy.' Nobody knew me, and my curious questions were never suspected, and the workmen readily and in a good humored way answered them. I helped to build and repair ships, and in time got hold of much information. I made plans of the vessel, machinery, guns, rigging, and, in fact, got on to everything. I worked hard at night in my room, and kept my government as well posted as I could. The more English I learned the better I understood things that the workmen said in my hearing. I worked on the big ship Dunderberg; also on the Merrimack, at Norfolk, and on some of the monitors. I sent much valuable information home. Now you see the reason why you can't get into our yard.'

"The narrative was straightforward, and was so full of facts concerning men and affairs that I readily saw how the German naval constructor got on to my visit, and, although I tried to convince him to the contrary, he was not to be hoodwinked. I know where Kiel is, and that it has a dock yard, but I'll have to go to Kiel as a German mechanic before I can get inside of that place. This shows how necessary it is to keep an eye on foreigners in our navy yards if we want to keep our secrets."—Washington Chat in Baltimore American.

He Was the Only Millionaire.

"When I was a boy in this town," a gray beard said as he passed Jay Gould in Wall street, "I was walking along Broadway one day with my sire when he pointed out a bent old German going up the steps of his house. 'Look at that man and you'll see the only millionaire in the United States.' I looked with wonder as he told me that a millionaire was worth a million dollars, and I saw John Jacob Astor. His grandsons can now toss up a hundred times as much, so can the Vanderbilts and so can Jay Gould. I tell you that a mere millionaire isn't worth looking at in this town nowadays. By and by you'll see a billionaire!"—New York Evening Sun.

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Apples	35	@	40
Beef dressed per cwt.	5 00	@	6 00
Butter per lb.	20	@	22
Barley.....	1 10	@	1 20
Beef on foot, per cwt	2 50	@	3 50
Beans.....	1 25	@	1 50
Cabbage per doz.	20	@	25
Chickens, per lb.	8	@	10
Calf Skins.....		@	50
Clover seed, per bu.	4 50	@	4 75
Corn in cob per bu.	20	@	22
Deacon Skins.....	15	@	30
Eggs per doz.		@	20
Honey per lb.	16	@	20
Hogs on foot per cwt	4 50	@	5 00
Hides green		@	50
Hides, cured.....	6	@	60
Hay, Timothy No. 1		@	13 00
per ton.....		@	11 00
Hay, Clover, per ton		@	10
Lard per lb.	7	@	8
Mutton per lb dressed	6	@	25
Onions yellow.....		@	25
Onions white.....		@	35
Oats.....	25	@	28
Pork Dressed per cwt	50	@	6 10
Potatoes per bu.	30	@	35
Sheep pelts.....	50	@	1 00
Straw per ton.....		@	4 00
Squash lb.		@	1
Tallow.....		@	
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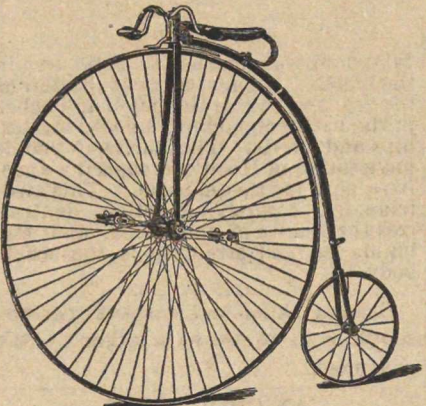
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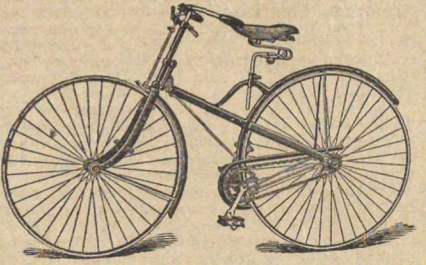
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Several famous writers are now contributing to its pages, among them being: Bill Nye, the prince of humorists; whose mirth-provoking sketches are especially illustrated and warranted to make a man laugh even if he has a "bile" on his neck.

Blackey Hall, the most popular general writer on the New York press, is each week describing the lives of some of the naughty or prominent people of the world.

Shirley Dare, another New York journalist of renown, is writing a series of articles on the care and training of the children. These are of great interest to fathers and mothers.

Ouida, the world-famous novelist, is contributing a series of articles on various subjects, among them "Grotesque Dress of Men," "Artistic Dress of Women," "The Desecration of Biographies," etc.

Mrs. Fannie B. Ward, whose personal explorations in Central America and other out-of-the-way countries have made her famous, continues her interesting letters of travel; and other prominent writers will be secured from time to time.

In addition to these, many talented, if not so well known writers, contribute to the pages of the Detroit Commercial Advertiser from week to week, for all who have anything to say and can say it well, are cordially welcomed by the editor.

A new serial began in the issue of November 15, its title, "Magdalen's Daughter," but faintly indicates the tragic story that tells of a life wrecked by the folly of a moment.

The department pages, Hours at Home and Farm Fixings are well filled with matter of interest to the folks at home and the farmer and his boys. The news and editorial pages are well filled with timely notes and items; and a column of reliable market reports makes the Detroit Commercial Advertiser of great value to the storekeeper and buyers generally.

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Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss.: The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of John Smith, late of said County deceased, hereby give notice, that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of George C. Pace in the village of Dexter in said county, on Monday the fourth day of March and on Monday the third day of June next, at ten o'clock a. m. of each said days to receive examine and adjust said claims.

Dated December 3rd, 1888.

JOHN CROARKIN, JOHN COBURN, Commissioners.

Mortgage Foreclosure.

WHEREAS default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by George W. Healey and Anna Healey, his wife, of the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, and State of Michigan, to Martin Seabolt of the same place, dated the second day of September A. D. 1887, and recorded in the office of the Register of deeds in and for said County on the second day of September, A. D. 1887, in Liber 72 of Mortgages at page 230, by the non-payment of moneys due thereon, the same mortgage being contained in said Mortgage as became operative; and on which said Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest the sum of four hundred and eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents, plus 50 and no suit or proceedings at law or in Chancery having been instituted to recover the amount, or any part thereof, now remaining secured by said Mortgage. Now therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of said power of Sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided by the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said mortgage, attorney fees and expenses of this foreclosure at public auction to the highest bidder, at the easterly front door of the Court house in the said City of Ann Arbor, said Court house being the building in which the Circuit Court for said County of Washtenaw is held, on Monday the 11th day of March A. D. 1889, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, standard time, which land and premises are described as follows, to-wit: A certain lot, piece, or parcel of land situated and being in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, known and described as Lot number Six in Block number 12, and being a portion of the addition to the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Dated December 6th, A. D. 1888.

MARTIN SEABOLT, Mortgagee.

P. MCKERNAN, Attorney for Mortgagee.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Gardner in Fatherland to night.

The Amphions gave an excellent concert last night.

H. M. Taber is assisting treasurer Moore to collect taxes.

Rev. Dr. S. H. Adams preaches in the M. E. church next Sunday.

Sterling Bullock has an eleven pound boy to help him eat onions.

The city engineer is at work on maps for the use of the new street railroad.

A social was held at Hobart hall by the ladies of St. Andrews church last night.

There will be an eclipse of the sun on New Years day, which will only be partial here.

Ernest Dieterle is raising a young voter since last Sunday,—an eight pound boy.

The Adrian Press nominates Junius E. Beal, of this city, for president on the republican ticket.

Justice E. K. Frueauff last week married John B. Stevens to Miss Mary J. Weed, both of Salem.

The law department now has over 380 students enrolled. It is much more than self supporting.

A. A. Meuth broke ground Wednesday for a new house on the corner of Division and Detroit streets.

The Postage Stamp at the Opera House next Thursday evening will be a play well worth witnessing.

The Lansing Journal in speaking of Senator Gorman says that he is a debater of power and eloquence.

Such is fame! The Stockbridge Sun says "the brilliant editor of the Ann Arbor Courier is James E. Beal."

Frank Moran was sentenced to thirty days in jail by Justice Pond for being drunk on Main street last Sunday.

An oyster supper will be given in the fifth ward Sunday school this evening for the benefit of the Christmas exercises.

Thomas Dowes and Miss Margaret Deegan were married in this city, by Rev. W. J. Fierle, on Tuesday of last week.

City treasurer Moore began the collection of taxes Monday. A thousand dollars had been paid in by 11 o'clock of that day.

The engagement is announced of Miss Louie Craig to W. W. Lovett of Detroit, at present a junior in the literary department.

The dry goods stores of the city will be open evenings from December 9 to January 1st for the accommodation of the holiday trade.

Judge Chauncey Joslyn has commenced suit against the city for \$100 attorney fees. The suit is commenced in the circuit court.

The Monroe papers think that Judge Kinne intends to hang up his stocking in Monroe, as he has adjourned court there until December 24.

A party of eight ladies of this city visited the annual art exhibition in Detroit, on Thursday and report a delightful time and fine display.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Delle W. Pratt, daughter of John Pratt, of Lima, to John E. Parmelee, of Grand Rapids, Mich.

The ladies of the Baptist church will sell articles suitable for christmas presents next Thursday and Friday afternoon and evening, December 13 and 14.

Peter Duncan died in the sixth ward on Wednesday of last week and his remains were taken to St. Clair, Mich., for burial. He was fifty-six years of age.

Prof. Carl Majer, a well known music professor of Detroit, who has played in this city several times, died on the Nordland steamer in mid-ocean November 9th.

Show the ARGUS to your friends and tell them they can get it from now to January 1st, 1890, for \$1. They will also have a guess as to the number in those envelopes.

The inmates of the county house say they had a good dinner on Thanksgiving day, all the sparibis and mince pies they could eat, lots of fruit, cake apples et cetra.

J. T. Jacobs Camp No. 90, Sons of Veterans and Ann Arbor Lodge No. 320 I. O. G. T., held a pleasant joint social and dance at Firemens' hall last Friday evening.

The Methodist, Congregational, Presbyterian and Baptist churches unite with the Students Christian Association in a meeting at University hall next Sunday evening.

A young man named Stoll who was rushing at the post office last evening, was taken in custody by Postmaster Duffy, and turned over to the officers who took him to jail.

Fraternity Lodge, F. and A. M., on Wednesday evening elected C. B. Davison, M.; M. D. Miller, S. W.; J. L. Wilcoxson, J. W.; C. Thompson, J. D.; G. H. Pond, Sec.; Dr. W. B. Smith, treasurer.

Last evening at the residence of the brides mother on Williams street, Henry J. Kellile of Milwaukee, and Miss Louise Meinderman were married, Rev. Dr. S. Earp and Rev. Mr. Belser officiating.

Mrs. Eva Jenkins has filed a bill in the circuit court asking for a divorce from her husband, Ormond C. Jenkins, the whilom Ann Arbor dentist and coroner whose accustomed haunts know him no more.

James B. Mowry of Ann Arbor town, died last Saturday, of old age. He only lacked five months of reaching four score years of age. The funeral services were held Wednesday forenoon from the house.

Secretary D. G. McGuire delivers an address to-morrow Saturday evening on "Organized Labor, Its Aims and Benefits," at Firemen's hall. Mr. McGuire deserves and will undoubtedly have a full house.

Judge Claudius B. Grant, of Marquette, ex-regent of the University, is one of the strongest candidates for the nomination for judge of the supreme court that will come before the republican convention next spring.

The India ink portrait, suit of clothes, silver watch, and three steel engravings which will be given to our subscribers on February 1st are exciting considerable attention. Guesses are coming in lively. Have you guessed yet?

Only one of the republican electors received more votes than did Junius E. Beal of this city and that one only received one more. The republican elector who received the least vote in this state was Russel A. Alger.

Mrs. Catharine Collins Klopff filed a bill of divorce from Philip Klopff, in the circuit court last Friday. The parties were married in Ypsilanti, November 12th, 1883 and the bill charges desertion after thirteen months of married life.

Mrs. Mary Ann Johnson, wife of Edward Johnson died, November 27, in the fourth ward after a severe illness aged sixty-three years ten months and twenty-four days. The funeral services were held from the house on Sunday.

Guesses for the ARGUS prizes are coming in rapidly and we urge our friends who desire to get the handsome portrait, the suit of clothes, the watch or the engravings to make their guess early, while they have a greater choice of numbers.

Mrs. William Clute, nee Austin, died in Dundee Tuesday. The funeral services were held there yesterday afternoon and the remains were brought to this city for burial. Mrs. Clute was well known in this city where she formerly resided.

While John Taylor of Northfield was going home from the city his horses balked while crossing the track near Cornwell's pulp mill. A train came along while Taylor had the animals by the bits trying to induce them to move, demolishing the wagon but not injuring the horses.

The following officers were elected by Washtenaw Chapter, No. 6, R. A. M., last Monday evening, J. L. Stone, H. P.; L. C. Goodrich, K.; N. D. Gates, S.; J. A. Gates, C. H.; W. W. Watts, P. S.; K. H. J. Clark, R. A. C.; S. S. Blitz, 3 V.; H. A. Kyer, 2 V.; R. Cuthbert, 1 V.; D. C. Fall, Treas.; Z. Roath, Sec.; T. Taylor, Sentinel.

Jacob Luckhardt, administrator of the late Michael Luckhardt, will sell at auction, Tuesday, December 18, at the farm a mile south and a mile west of Lodi town hall, five horses and colts, four cows, fifty-five sheep, nine pigs, a large number of farming implements, eight tons of hay, four hundred bushels of oats, household furniture, chickens, geese, turkeys, etc. Fred Krause, acts as auctioneer.

The Ann Arbor Commandery Social Club have appointed the following committee to take charge of a series of socials to be given through the winter. Chas. E. Hiscoc, C. S. Millen, T. F. Hill, E. B. Abel and John R. Miner. The first social will be given next Tuesday evening. Members of the commandery are authorized to invite their friends. The Chequamegon Orchestra will furnish the music for dancing. The Commandery Quartette will help to entertain those who do not dance.

A series of five chamber concerts at Hobart Hall has been arranged provided a sufficient number of season subscribers is secured. Three of them will be by the Detroit Philharmonic club, one a lecture concert on English Folks' Songs by Louis C. Elson, of Boston and the other, which will be given Tuesday evening, December 11, will be by Dr. Louis Mass, pianist assisted by Miss Alice Andrus, soprano.

At the residence of County Treasurer elect, Gus. Brehm a musical entertainment was given last Monday evening in honor of his friend, Mr. Palmer Aberdeen, a member of the Detroit bar. Music was furnished by Mr. John Beecraft on both guitar and zither, Mr. William Thomas favored the company with the popular songs of the day with guitar accompaniment, Miss Emily Gwinner and brother Robert rendered a fine vocal duett at the piano, Mr. Herman Grauff showed his ability as a banjoist and Mr. Aberdeen executed a very difficult solo on the violin. At

the close the instrumentation was consolidated and the remainder of the company consisting of Miss Brehm, Messrs. Heinrich, Binder, Mathews and Baur joined in the chorus of several of Mr. Thomas' songs after which the company adjourned. Gus. doesn't do things by halves.

Commercial Night School. Prof. J. C. McClenahan, principal of the Cleary Business College of Ypsilanti, has concluded to open an evening school in this city commencing on next Wednesday evening, Dec. 12, in Cropley's hall. The professor is a gentleman of large experience in Business College work and the citizens of Ann Arbor should feel gratified at having such a rare opportunity to receive instructions from one so eminently qualified. Young ladies and gentlemen who are engaged during the day should take advantage of this opportunity to receive a first-class business education. No money is required in advance but all have an opportunity of testing the work before obligating themselves. First evening free. See small circular for further particulars.

A Postage Stamp.

We have seen shows and shows, and it passeth our memory when we have laughed more heartily or enjoyed a performance more than we did that of "A Postage Stamp" last evening. It seems that laughter was a spontaneous feature of that large audience, and when it is remembered that the piece was written for laughing purposes, all who were present can fully testify that the piece comes up to any high standard that could have been desired. It is the most successful farce-comedy ever presented here, and deserves unbounded success. The company is fine throughout and are all very clever. The band and orchestra are the best that have ever appeared in this city.—Exeter Gazette.

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The Calumet Mines Alleged to
Have Been Fired.

EIGHT MEN MEET AN AWFUL DOOM,

And Over Two Hundred Others Have a
Very Narrow Escape—Distressing Scenes
at the Shaft—A Heavy Loss in Money—
What Would Be Done with the Incendiary.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1.—The Herald's Hancock, Mich., special says the Calumet and Hecla mine was deliberately set on fire at 11 o'clock Thursday night. Of the 200 or 300 men on duty at the time, all but eight escaped unhurt. As soon as the fire was discovered the men began to work their way up, and when they reached the fire its it, made an attempt to turn on the water, but the pipes had been disconnected and no water was to be had. The signal wire had also been cut, and there was nothing left but to fight for life. Under the guidance of cool-headed leaders the men worked their way around the burning tunnel to other connections with the main engine shaft, and thence to the surface.

While the scenes below were being enacted the cry above that the mine was on fire had reached the homes of the miners, and the wives, children and friends of the men below soon crowded around the shafts, wild with grief and anxiety. As each man came up out of the death trap he was seized by weeping wife and children or anxious friends, and cries of grief were changed to shouts of rejoicing. The men kept coming up until it was known that all but eight had been rescued. For these no possible hope remains, as the only avenue of escape is cut off. They were doubtless smothered between the sixth level, where the fire originated, and the surface. Their names are: Antony Langin, Andrew Hansen, Joe Roe, Antony Kalskie, Gustav Tava, John Flick, Joe Messogio and John Vanderbilt.

At the spot where the fire originated no one was working, and this fact, taken in connection with the disconnecting of the water pipes and the breaking of the signal wire, leaves no room to doubt that the fire was the work of an incendiary. Just one year ago the mine took fire under circumstances which pointed strongly to incendiarism. It is hinted that an interested syndicate is at the bottom of the fires, and that the work is that of their hired accomplices for the purpose of checking the production of copper, and hence boomer the price. The management had a standing reward of \$3,000 for the discovery of the man who set the fire a year ago, and if human agency can discover the perpetrator of this deed it is openly declared that he will be hurried headlong down the burning shaft.

Another theory is that the fire was caused by the carelessness of the man in charge of the donkey pumps, which are run by compressed air. Unless the moving parts of the machinery, for which air furnishes the motive power, are kept warm they are likely to freeze. Cotton waste saturated with oil is turned in the troughs of the pumps. This theory is that the cotton waste fell from the trough and ignited the timbers in the shaft. The underground fire is fed solely by the timbers which support the overhanging walls and roof, and this amounts almost to a forest. It would take years to burn it all, and to save it from burning is a task which may well be called herculean. Carbonic acid gas will probably be resorted to to put out the fire, as was successfully done a year ago when 100,000 cubic feet per day were forced down the burning shaft.

A DRAINAGE AND SHIP CANAL.

Illinois' people Hold a Conference on the Subject at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—A waterways convention was held here yesterday, consisting of delegates from this city and the other chief cities on the line of the Illinois & Michigan canal and on the Illinois river. The state canal commissioners were also present. The object was to discuss projected drainage and ship canal schemes, looking to the construction of a steam channel connecting Lake Michigan with the Illinois and Mississippi rivers, Chicago's interest in it being not only of a commercial character but also a matter of getting rid of the great volume of sewage of this city. There was much talk, but it all crystallized into the resolution:

"That it is the sense of this meeting that the citizens on the Desplaines and Illinois rivers will oppose all proposition from Chicago to construct a canal to carry its sewage through the Desplaines and Illinois rivers, unless said canal shall be constructed of such capacity as to be used as a part of improvement to connect Lake Michigan with the Mississippi river," which was amended to provide that "the canal shall not be less in width than 100 feet and of a depth of not less than 22 feet and of a sufficient grade per mile to insure at all times a flow of not less than 600,000 cubic feet per minute," and then adopted, and the convention adjourned.

MUCH LAND INVOLVED.

A Question Before Secretary Vilas Which Interests Many Michigan Men.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 1.—An important hearing, indirectly involving 300,000 acres of land in Michigan, took place before Secretary Vilas at the interior department yesterday. The case involved some 1,300 acres of swamp lands claimed by the state of Michigan under the act of Sept. 28, 1850. Subsequently the lands were resurveyed and declared not to be swamp. They were taken from the state and as such opened by the government to private entry. This action the state disputes, holding that the action of the government in originally declaring the lands swamp lands was final. The roads to whom the old sections of the lands in question were granted have disposed of a large portion of them, and the present owners comprise many of the wealthy men in the northwest, including both of the Michigan senators and several members of the house. The secretary's decision is not expected for several weeks.

WANTED FOR NEXT YEAR.

Estimates of Appropriations Needed by the Several Departments.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 4.—The secretary of the treasury has transmitted to congress estimates of appropriations needed for the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1890. They aggregate \$523,467,438, which is \$3,003,305 less than the estimates for 1889, and \$3,550,511 more than the appropriations for the current fiscal year. The estimates are as follows:

Legislative establishment, \$3,381,963; executive establishment, \$18,935,081; judicial establishment, \$436,000; foreign intercourse, \$1,947,665; military establishment, \$35,393,323; naval establishment, \$35,163,028; Indian affairs, \$5,475,410; pensions, \$31,738,700; public works, \$21,304,000; postal service, \$1,303,414; miscellaneous, \$30,856,635; permanent annual appropriations, \$108,691,055; total, \$323,467,438.

LITTLEWOOD IS CHAMPION.

The English Pedestrian Beats Albert's Record—Albert's Challenge.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—There was an immense assemblage in Madison Square garden Saturday night to witness the closing scenes of the six days go as you please, which began shortly after midnight Monday last. It is estimated that from 8,000 to 10,000 people were present. From 5 o'clock and up to the close of the race most of the pedestrians remained on the track, and every time the band played the men would spurt around at a lively rate. The sporting men unanimously declared that but for the lack of heart Cartwright would have been pushing Littlewood for first place.

At 6 o'clock Littlewood was ten miles ahead of Albert's record. He was going around gamely, although it was evident that one of his feet was sore, as he limped in rather a painful way. Littlewood's intention when he started was to cover 675 miles; his sickness precluded this, but he was determined to break the record. At 7:30 he made his 619th mile, and the crowd cheered loudly. The excitement was great as he drew near Albert's record. Albert and his wife sat in a box and saw Littlewood win the title of champion walker of the world. Shortly after starting out on the 622d mile it was stated that he would be completing it before the crowd. When he had completed it he was presented by Guerrero with a handsome wreath, a present from Jockey Garrison, while the band played "Hail to the Chief," and followed with "Yankee Doodle." It was 8:01 precisely when he finished. Albert came down with him carrying a broom, while the other pedestrians bore aloft American flags. One circuit of the track was then made in a sort of triumphal procession, and Littlewood left the track.

Moore, Cartwright, Hart, Connor, Golden, Mason, Campana, Taylor, and Smith followed shortly after, but Herty remained on the track running in splendid form. It was announced that he had determined to beat Rwell's record of 602 miles and 185 yards. At 9:44 he made the 602d mile, and shortly after passed Rwell's record, making the greatest record of his life. All the contestants returned to the track between 9 and 10 and indulged in frequent spurts. At 9:36 Littlewood, escorted by Manager O'Brien and limping badly, went around the track amid great cheering. After making a couple of laps Littlewood and Herty were stopped by Kelly, of the Boston Base Ball club, and presented with wreaths of laurel. After Littlewood made a few more laps he was stopped in front of the score's stand and presented with the diamond championship belt by Mike Kelly, who made a few brief remarks. He said that while Americans bowed to his superiority now, he hoped that soon an American would again get possession of the belt and the title of champion of the world. The belt was then fastened around Littlewood's waist, and he thanked the speaker for his good wishes, and said he had won the belt once, but supposed he must win it twice more to hold it. Albert then stepped forward and challenged Littlewood to another race for the championship of the world under the conditions that each man entering put up \$1,000, to be divided among the walkers in addition to the gate receipts.

The 10 p. m. score was: Littlewood, 623 miles 1,320 yards; Herty, 605; Moore, 573; Cartwright, 544; Noremia, 542; Hart, 539; Howarth, 536; Connor, 530; Golden, 534; Mason, 528; Taylor, 450; Campana, 451; Elson, 421; Peach, 262; C. Smith, 201. The receipts for the week amounted to about \$19,123. Of this sum \$9,561.50 will be divided among the walkers. Littlewood gets \$3,824, with \$1,000 added for breaking the record; Herty will get \$1,731; Moore, \$1,147; Cartwright, \$890; Connor, \$236; Golden, \$191, and Mason, \$95.

Official Returns.
SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 1.—The electoral vote of California as announced by the secretary of state yesterday is: Harrison, 124,809; Cleveland, 117,720; Fisk, 5,761; Curtis, 1,501.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 1.—The official returns from the election in this state give these results: Harrison's plurality, 21,271; Hoard's plurality, 20,265. The Prohibition vote for president was 14,277, and the labor vote for president 8,533; total vote, 334,664.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 1.—Official vote of the state: Harrison, 33,293; Cleveland, 26,524; Fisk, 1,677; Streeter, 365; scattering, 61; total vote, 61,918; Harrison's plurality, 6,769.

AUSTIN, Tenn., Dec. 4.—The count of the vote of Texas for presidential electors was completed yesterday. The total vote cast was 342,500, Cleveland's majority being 135,760.

Cheap Fares to Inauguration.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 4.—At a meeting of the committee on transportation to the inaugural ceremonies of March next, held last evening, a report was presented showing that a circular letter had been sent to every railroad in the United States, remotely or intimately interested in business at the national capital, suggesting that the rate to Washington for the inauguration be made one fare for the round trip from all points. The Pennsylvania railroad had responded, agreeing to make that rate from all points on its line, and answers were being received from other roads every day.

Senator Farwell's Daughter Married.
CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—The marriage yesterday of Miss Grace Farwell, daughter of the senator, to Mr. Dudley Winston, son of Frederick H. Winston, was a brilliant society affair. The ceremony was performed in the Presbyterian church by Revs. Dr. James McClure, and Woolsey, and a reception followed at the bride's home.

Another Victory for Bell.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Judge Bldgett has rendered an important decision, forever restraining the American Inter-State Telephone company from using, renting, or infringing on the patents of the American Bell telephone company.

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The Pity of It All.

That Crime's Burdens Weigh
Down the Innocent.

A WIFE'S SORROW AND DEVOTION

Exhibited in a Chicago Court Room—
Some "Pent Up Anger" Breaks Loose
in Colorado—White-Cap Warnings Re-
ceived Right Under Governor Forsaker's
Nose—A Doubly Fatal Pistol Fight.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—"You are charged with
larceny; are you guilty or not guilty?" said
Justice Kersten yesterday morning, address-
ing Louis Rheinhardt, a well-dressed, good-
looking young man, who stood before him
with bowed head and the tears dropping
down on his gold-rimmed eyeglasses.

"I am guilty," said the prisoner, in a low
voice.

Manager Roberts, of Peter Van Schaack &
Son, wholesale druggists on Lake street, was
the young man's accuser. He said Rhein-
hardt had been employed by the firm for
several years as a salesman. He was consid-
ered an honest, faithful employe until Satur-
day last, when \$20, which had just been taken
in on a bill of goods, disappeared. It was
believed that Richardson had taken the
money, and he was watched. Monday he
was caught in the act of taking \$13
which a customer had paid him. Then
his house was searched and a miscellaneous
collection of goods, cigars, valuable drugs,
and other articles which he had stolen from
the store, was found. Mr. Roberts said the
stealing had been going on for a year and a
half, and it was believed that Rheinhardt
had taken altogether from \$1,500 to \$2,000
worth of goods.

Just then the prisoner's wife, who had been
sitting among the spectators in the court
room, rushed forward with a cry and threw
her arms around her husband's neck.

"Oh, save him!" she cried. "Don't be
hard on him, Mr. Roberts. Let me keep my
husband. Louie, speak for yourself. You
drank too much wine, or you would never
have come to this."

Louis said not a word, but the tears ran
down his face, while his hysterical wife was
led away. He was held in \$600 bail to the
criminal court.

BUCKEYE WHITE-CAPS ARE BOLD.

They Invade the State Capital with Warn-
ings to Misdoers.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 5.—That the White-
Caps have arrived here and purpose doing
business in this city is indicated by the fol-
lowing letter received yesterday by a Mr.
Walsh:

DEAR SIR: I am captain of the White-Caps, and
am looking up men who drink and abuse their
families, and you are among them. Take warn-
ing from this. If you don't we will use the black-
snake.

The signature to the letter was a picture
of a black-snake whip. Welch, who resides
on Maple street, is badly frightened, and
says he will never drink another drop.

Burr McCowan, a colored mail-carrier of
Delaware, O., received a postal card pur-
porting to come from the White-Caps. On
the card was the following:

B. H. U. and D.—Death. No negro Democrats
allowed to hold office. Choose ye Republicanism
or death. Beware of White-Caps. Dead men
tell no tales.

Mr. McCowan looks upon the matter as a
joke and is not in the least worried.

"PENT-UP ANGER" FINDS VENT.

The Vent Being in a Relapse into Barbar-
ism That Is Very Common.

CANON CITY, Col., Dec. 5.—The pent-up
anger of the citizens of this place found vent
yesterday morning about 4 o'clock by the
lynching of the notorious murderer, With-
cress. One hundred overpowered men en-
tered the jail and overpowered the sheriff,
and after a desperate struggle with the mur-
derer overpowered him. Slipping a rope
over his head the lynchers dragged him into
the street. He refused positively to utter a
prayer and asked and received no mercy.
He was at once strung up to a telegraph pole
and his body left dangling at the end of a
rope until every resident in Canon City had
viewed it. Witherell had murdered four
people, three of them within the past sixty
days.

Fought Out an Old Grudge.

CARRO, Ills., Dec. 5.—Lon Houston and
Josh Hazelwood fought out an old grudge at
Elco, Ills., on Sunday last. Their quarrel
originated from jealousy, the object being
the divorced wife of Houston. Each man
drew a revolver and fired. Hazelwood was
shot in the right lung and twice in the leg,
while Houston was shot in the shoulder and
twice each in the breast and leg. Both men
will die.

THE SOLONS AT WORK.

Proceedings in the Senate and House of
Representatives.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 4.—The meeting
of the second session of the Fifty-third con-
gress was a brief one yesterday. Nothing was
done in the senate after the president's mes-
sage had been read except a few notifications
by members of what they would do in the
future, the most important of which was by
Alfison, who said he would ask the senate to
proceed with the tariff bill at once.

In the house, after the message was read,
it was ordered printed and referred to com-
mittee of the whole.

WASHINGTON CITY, Dec. 5.—The senate
was not in session an hour yesterday. A
bill was introduced to establish a national
health bureau, to fight infectious and conta-
gious diseases, and various annual depart-
ment reports were laid on the desk. An at-
tempt to get up the Pacific railway bill was
abandoned for the day, as was also one to
proceed with the tariff bill, the latter
because Democrats who had amendments to
offer were not present. The senate then ad-
journed.

In the house the speaker called attention to
the receipt of department reports, all of
which were referred. A petition was re-
ceived for the admission into the union of
South Dakota and Montana, the petitioners
being north Dakotans. A bill was introduced
to permit persons who have dropped home-
stead entries to make other entries. Filibus-
ter, led by Kilgore, stopped proceedings on
a bill to appropriate money to erect a
monument to Maj. Gen. Henry Knox, at
Thomastown, Mo. The bill was made a
special order during the closing days of last
session, and it was pending on an amend-
ment locating the monument in this city
when the house adjourned.

The War on the Microbes Begun.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 4.—There were
no new cases yesterday, and but one death—
Pilton Carver.

The fumigating brigade, seventy-five
strong, in ten divisions, started out in the
morning and by 6 o'clock p. m. ninety-five
houses had been disinfected.

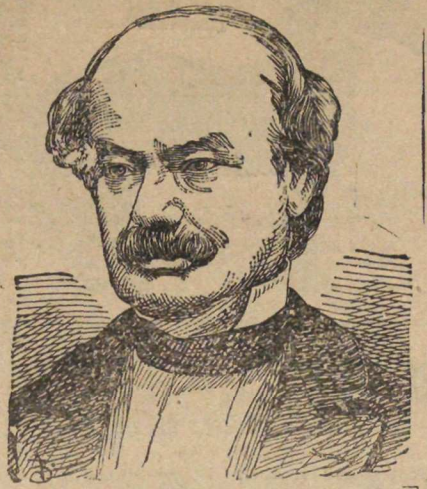
Re-Elected Mayor of Dublin.

DUBLIN, Dec. 3.—Mr. Thomas Sexton has
been unanimously re-elected mayor of Dub-
lin.

EX-TREASURER SPINNER ILL.

Eighty Years Old and Afflicted with Sup-
posed Cancer.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Dec. 5.—Gen. F. E.
Spinner, known as the former "watchdog"



of the United States treasury, in writing to a
friend in this city says:

I have a sore on my face, that is said to be a
species of cancer. Dr. J. S. Mitchell, of Chicago,
is treating it, and thinks he can cure it. The
treatment affects my eye to such a degree as to
make me very nearly blind. I am forbidden to
either read or write, and I write this simple ac-
knowledgegment with pain, and contrary to medi-
cal orders.

He is living at Pablo Beach, Fla. He is
over 80 years of age, and fifty years ago
was a saddler in this city, then a village of
800 inhabitants.

RIGHT AND WRONG.

Alas! how easily things go wrong:
A sigh too much or a kiss too long,
And there follows a mist and a weeping rain,
And life is never the same again.

Alas! how hardly things go right!
'Tis hard to watch on a summer's night,
For the sigh will come and the kiss will stay,
And the summer night is a winter's day.

And yet how easily things go right
If the sigh and kiss of the winter's night
Come deep from the soul in the stronger ray
That is born in the light of the winter's day!

And hearts can never go badly wrong
If the heart be true and the love be strong;
For the mist, if it comes, and the weeping rain
Will be changed by love into sunshine again.
—George Macdonald in Boston Traveler.

Treasurer's Office, Washtenaw Co.,

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 1, 1888.

The annexed statement shows the amount of liquor tax collections
made in this office from the first day of December, 1887, to the thirtieth
day of November, inclusive, and reported in compliance to Section 10 of
Act No. 268, of Public Acts of 1879.

City of Ann Arbor.

NAME OF PERSON PAYING TAX.	KIND OF BUSINESS.	AMT. PAID.	WHEN PAID.
Fred Besimer	Retailing spirituous liquors	\$300 00	May 1th, 1888
Herman Hardinghaus	Manfg. malt or brewed liquors	65 00	May 1th, 1888
Martin & Fisher	Manfg. malt or brewed liquors	65 00	May 1th, 1888
Gottlieb Knapp	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 4th, 1888
Christian Gauss	Retailing spirituous liquors	300 00	May 4th, 1888
William L. Frank	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 7th, 1888
Henry C. Exinger	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
C. Franz Kapp	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
John Reynolds	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
August Herz	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
William H. McIntyre	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
Charles Binder	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 8th, 1888
George Clarken	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 8th, 1888
William Goetz	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 8th, 1888
Adolph Kompe	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 9th, 1888
John Schneider, Jr.	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 10th, 1888
Christopher Carey	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 11th, 1888
Albrecht Gwinner	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 11th, 1888
Fred Retschke Jr.	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 12th, 1888
Werner & Brenner	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 14th, 1888
Eugene Gibney	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 17th, 1888
Fred P. Riendoll	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 22d, 1888
George A. Weidlich	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 23d, 1888
Ludwig Waltz	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 23d, 1888
William & McNally	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 23d, 1888
Mrs. Mary Schabbe	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 24th, 1888
Emanuel Wagner	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	June 4th, 1888
John Kahoe	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	June 4th, 1888
Polhemus & Saxton	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	June 4th, 1888
W. Fred Schlenderer	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	June 4th, 1888
August Schneider	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	July 12th, 1888
Eugene Behr	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	July 20th, 1888
George A. Boehm	Selling malt or brewed liquors	150 00	Nov. 9th, 1888
Anton Brahm	Selling malt or brewed liquors	150 00	
Rescholz & Dietz	Selling malt or brewed liquors	150 00	

City of Ypsilanti.

George W. Cady	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
L. Z. Foerster	Manfg. malt or brewed liquors	65 00	May 7th, 1888
Adam Schaner	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 14th, 1888
George J. Amant	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 15th, 1888
George Thum	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 16th, 1888
Nicholas Max	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 19th, 1888
George C. Richel	Selling malt or brewed liquors	200 00	May 17th, 1888
John Ferris	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 22d, 1888
Allen L. Nowlin	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 25th, 1888
M. G. Dailey	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	July 12th, 1888
Jacob Grob	Manfg. malt or brewed liquors	65 00	July 20th, 1888
Harry E. Neat	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 29th, 1888

Village of Manchester.

Jacob F. Miller	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
William Kirchgesner	Retailing spirituous liquors	300 00	May 8th, 1888
H. J. Burtis	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 9th, 1888
Nicholas H. Lohr	Selling malt or brewed liquors	275 00	June 8th, 1888
Nicholas Senger	Selling malt or brewed liquors	250 00	July 8th, 1888
John J. Richert	Selling malt or brewed liquors	200 00	Aug. 23d, 1888
Caroline Wirthner	Selling malt or brewed liquors	200 00	

Village of Dexter.

John Bohnet	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
Patrick Fitzsimons	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
Christian Loeffler	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888
L. V. Hall	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 8th, 1888
Peter Guinon	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 8th, 1888

Village of Saline.

John G. Frank	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	Apr. 25th, 1888
Otto Jarandt	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 1st, 1888
John Schafer	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 2d, 1888

Village of Chelsea.

Chris. Klein	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 8th, 1888
Catherine Girschach	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 1st, 1888
F. & T. McNamara	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 2d, 1888
Frederick Frey	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 4th, 1888
Stephen Clark	Retailing spirituous liquors	500 00	May 7th, 1888

Village of Milan.

John Pfeffer	Selling malt or brewed liquors	275 00	May 31st, 1888
Hitchcock & Babcock	Selling malt or brewed liquors	250 00	July 25th, 1888

Lima Township.

John Maulbeth	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 3rd, 1888
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Township of Manchester.

John Koch	Manfg. malt or brewed liquors	65 00	May 4th, 188
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Township of Bridgewater.

L. Z. Foerster	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 7th, 1888
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Township of Lodi.

John F. Lutz	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 7th, 1888
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Township of Augusta.

Chas. Schmitt	Selling malt or brewed liquors	300 00	May 15th, 1888
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Township of Freedom.

Jacob Lutz	Selling malt or brewed liquors	200 00	Sept. 8th, 1888
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FREDERICK H. BELSER,

County Treasurer.

GUSTAVE BREHM, Deputy Treas.

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