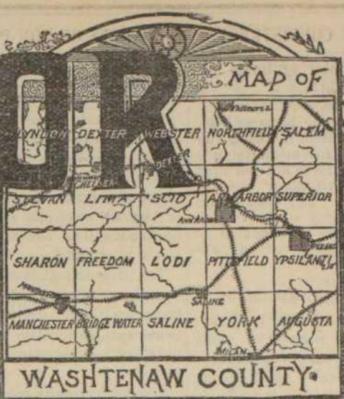


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## A REMINISCENCE.

Stephen A. Douglas' Visit to Ann Arbor in 1860.

The committee from the law department has succeeded in securing Hon. Stephen A. Douglas to deliver the annual address before the students on Feb. 23d.

The writer of this remembers seeing this man's father, the original Stephen A. Douglas, at the M. C. station in this city in 1860, when the bare announcement of his presence, made only a few hours previous, drew a crowd of 6,000 or 8,000 people.

Mr. Douglas was only allowed five minutes here, and the engineer of the train was inexorable; he could neither be cajoled nor bribed. But in that five minutes was heard such a burst of eloquence as few people present ever listened to before or since.

The "Little Giant," as he was called at that time, was a great statesman and a great orator. He could crowd into the least space the most thought of any man we ever heard.

Had he lived to take part in the intensely exciting times that followed so closely upon his death, it is the general belief that he would have been found side by side with the man whom fate had so many times pitted him against politically, Abraham Lincoln, fighting for the Union and the stars and stripes. This belief comes from the patriotic acts and words of Mr. Douglas before he was stricken down. He was at heart a lover of his country, and he detested the institution of slavery with all the power there was in him.

As the bars were starting out, the city editor of the Courier, then a lad in his teens, jumped upon the rear platform, and had the honor of shaking hands with one of the greatest men of his times, an incident that is always remembered with pleasure, the more so from the fact that but few secured a like honor. The time was so limited that handshaking was not indulged in to any extent.

## Wheat Crops of 1892.

From the Liverpool Corn Trade News of Jan. 24: It is now possible to compile a thoroughly reliable statement of the production of wheat in all the important countries. Official reports have been published of the 12 chief wheat-growing countries, and we produce the results in a tabular form, omitting all the minor countries and only showing what has actually been officially estimated. The crops of the Southern Hemisphere we omit altogether in the present table, as they come to maturity in the middle of the ordinary cereal season, and render comparisons difficult and misleading.

The remaining countries not included in the tabular statement grow about 10 per cent. of the world's total crop, as known to the trade; the totals of the three years now under review represent, therefore, 90 per cent. of the total product. Any variation in the yields of the unreported crops would not affect the grand total more than 1 or 2 per cent. We now give the crops of the twelve chief countries:

	Bu. 1892.	Bu. 1891.	Bu. 1890.
United States	515,000,000	611,000,000	399,000,000
Russia and Roumania	260,000,000	176,000,000	216,000,000
Ontario and Manitoba	43,000,000	56,000,000	37,000,000
France	312,000,000	212,000,000	325,000,000
India	216,000,000	275,000,000	226,000,000
Germany	97,000,000	85,000,000	98,000,000
Austria	46,000,000	39,000,000	42,000,000
Hungary	134,000,000	135,000,000	150,000,000
United Kingdom	61,000,000	75,000,000	76,000,000
Italy	111,000,000	138,000,000	128,000,000
Spain	70,000,000	72,000,000	73,000,000
Roumania	58,000,000	56,000,000	72,000,000
Total	1,929,000,000	1,928,000,000	1,842,000,000

\*Very unreliable statistics.

Next Sunday night Rev. J. T. Sunderland will begin a series of evening lectures at the Unitarian church, on "The Labor Problem and its Proposed Solutions." The dates and subjects will be as follows:

- FEB. 12.—The Relations of Capital and Labor. The Capitalist's View. The Workman's View. What is the Labor Problem?
- FEB. 19.—Trades Unions, Strikes, and Arbitration, as a Solution of the Labor Problem.
- FEB. 26.—Restriction of Immigration as a Solution.
- MARCH 5.—The Single Tax, and Other Proposed Improved Methods of Taxation, as a Solution.
- MARCH 12.—(Morning).—Co-operation, Profit-Sharing, Capitalization of Labor, etc., as a Solution.
- MARCH 19.—Nationalism and Other Forms of Socialism as a Solution.
- MARCH 26.—Summary of Conclusions Reached. Some Things that are Clear.

## ALEXANDER HAMILTON.

Prof. Fiske Tells What a Great Statesman He Was.

The people who were present at the lecture of Prof. Fiske at University Hall last Saturday evening, had the pleasure of listening to an able paper upon American history. It was very instructive, and doubtless gave most of the audience a better opinion of Alexander Hamilton than they had previously entertained.

According to Prof. Fiske, Hamilton was not the aristocrat our democratic friends have always asserted he was, but to his broad wisdom and keen foresight this nation is deeply indebted for many of the stable and sound principles found in that wonderful document, the constitution of the United States.

The lecturer of course made light of Hamilton's ideas of a protective policy, and even fired some sarcasm into the revenue tariff, setting up for himself greater wisdom than Hamilton possessed on this important question. And yet he was compelled to admit that but for the protective policy inaugurated by Hamilton, this union of states would have been a total failure.

With all of Prof. Fiske's "digs" at a tariff, he suggested no better method of raising the revenues of the government, and presented no argument against protection except the free trade assertion that "protection favored the few."

The professor is not an eloquent man, and while not prepossessing upon the platform, yet has a way of enlisting the attention of his audience that makes him a desirable lecturer. What he has to say is said in good, wholesome English, that can be understood by the multitude, with no attempt at display. Plain, unassuming, with clear diction, he says what he has to say in a manner that leaves a good impression.

The large audience that greeted him went to their homes pleased.

## \$10,000 for Harris Hall.

Harris Hall of this city has been fortunate from its inception. Its latest piece of good fortune comes from Detroit, through the will of Mrs. Catharine E. Davis, who leaves \$10,000 to five trustees, the income of which is to be perpetually "expended for the maintenance of Bishop Harris Hall, at Ann Arbor." Mrs. Davis also left \$10,000 "for the fund of aged and infirm clergymen and their widows and orphans," of the Protestant Episcopal church; also \$10,000 to "the Church Association of Michigan, in trust for diocesan missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the eastern diocese." Besides this amount she gives her house and lot in Detroit for the latter purpose, subject to the life of Anna Busha, who had been her housekeeper. This gift to Harris Hall is very acceptable. It will be as welcome and as greatly appreciated a bequest as any of the many Mrs. Davis made.

Hon. Egbert P. Harper died last Friday, quite suddenly, at his home in Lodi township. He had been ill for several days, but on Friday morning felt so well that he had ordered quite a hearty breakfast. When his wife brought the meal to his chamber she found him dead. The deceased was 61 years of age, and had been a resident of this county since 1835. He had been a justice of the peace for his township eight years, a supervisor fifteen years, and served two terms in the legislature for the southern district of this county, 1885-6 and 1887-8. He was a perfect gentleman, and had many warm friends in the county. His funeral services were held on Sunday.

Truant Officer Thad. Thompson tells us that he has two boys about 12 years old, who are bright and intelligent, and if they had good homes would grow to be good citizens. Here is an opportunity for some charitably inclined person or persons to do a deed that will be placed to their credit. Has any one a place for either of them?

## EDITORS AT LANSING.

Meeting of Republican Editors and Com. of State Press Association.

A meeting of the republican editorial association of this state was held in Lansing last Thursday, at which about forty editors were present. The discussions were interesting and helpful not only to themselves but to the party. Resolutions were passed urging the legislature to stand by the Saginaw platform, for short sessions, the repeal of the Miner-law, the mortgage tax law and other squawback legislation. The session closed with an elegant banquet at the Downey house, gotten up in Landlord Downey's best style, and tendered by the state officials and members of the legislature. Gov. Rich acted as toastmaster, proving himself a jolly master of ceremonies. Among the toasts was one by Senator J. R. McLaughlin, who spoke on the needs of the University. It was a ringing plea for one-fifth of a mill tax to put the pride of Michigan on a firm footing. The officers elected were Perry Piers, pres.; E. N. Dingley, vice pres.; T. S. Bates, sec.; and E. O. Dewey, treasurer.

The executive committee of the Michigan Press Association met at Lansing last week and decided to call its annual meeting in July, and go around from Detroit to Chicago by boat. While attending the World's Fair accommodations are secured close by the grounds at reduced prices in a club house. The following are delegates chosen to attend the annual convention of the national press association held in Chicago the last week in May: J. M. Sellers, Cedar Springs; E. N. Dingley, Kalamazoo; Wm. P. Nesbitt, Big Rapids; S. C. Rowson, Hillsdale; Theo. Quinby, Detroit; C. H. Peters, Saginaw; C. S. Osborne, Soo; E. O. Dewey, Owosso; J. E. Beal, Ann Arbor, and James Slocum, Holly.

## Epworth League Meetings.

The following are the subjects and leaders for February and March, of the Epworth League meetings, held in the Sunday School room of the M. E. church every Sunday afternoon, from 6:30 to 7:30:

- FEB. 12.—God's Method in Conversion. Acts ix: 3-4; Acts xvi: 14-15. Led by H. H. Loveland.
- FEB. 19.—What Can We Learn from Dorcas? Acts ix: 36-42; II Cor. ix: 6-8. Led by Miss Lida Randall.
- FEB. 26.—Hindrances. How to Meet Them. Heb. iv: 9; Phil. iv: 13. Led by L. C. Todd.
- MARCH 5.—Thy Kingdom Come, Thy Will be Done on Earth. Matt. vi: 10. Led by G. F. Metzler.
- MARCH 12.—The Attractiveness of Jesus. John xiv: 19, 29, 32; Mark ii: 4. Led by Miss S. E. Pettitt.
- MARCH 19.—Christian Manliness. I Kings ii: 2; Eph. iv: 13, 24. Led by W. J. Hamill.
- MARCH 26.—Worthless Excuses. Exod. iv: 10-13; Matt. xxv: 24-28. Led by Miss Seta Seybold.

All railroads in the state will give one fare for the round trip to Detroit, on Feb. 21st and 22d, good to return the 23d, the occasion being the banquet of the Michigan Club and reception to Gov. Rich. Detroit will see a crowd if the weather is favorable.

The people of Ann Arbor will quite generally thank the Student's Lecture Association for bringing James Whitcomb Riley here for a lecture. Mr. Riley has not appeared before an Ann Arbor audience in several years, at least, and the lecture going people are desirous of hearing him.

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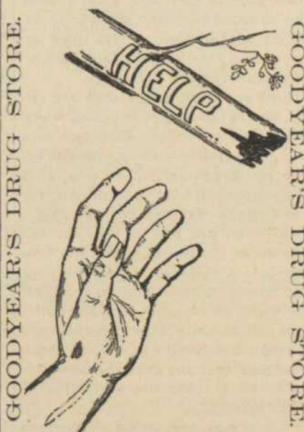
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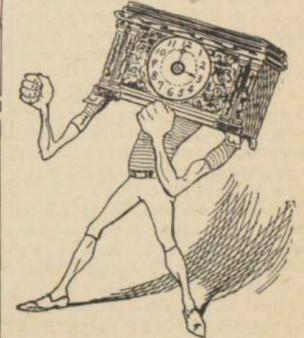
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JEWELER.

We have arranged to give more reading matter for the long winter evenings. With our own paper, where our subscribers pay in advance, we furnish a year's subscription to the Farmers' Friend, a large 16-page paper, published at South Bend, Ind., especially in the interest of farmers and their families.

MICHIGAN CLUB ANNIVERSARY.

The eighth anniversary celebration of the Michigan Club will be held at Detroit, commencing Tuesday February 21st, on the evening of which there will be a general reception tendered to Gov. Rich, the state officials and legislature, to which all republicans in the state are cordially invited.

On Wednesday evening at the Detroit Auditorium, will be given the annual grand banquet, which has become so famous.

The list of distinguished citizens who have accepted invitations to be present and address the members on that occasion includes a number of the most prominent republicans of the nation. Secretary Charles Foster of the treasury, Secretary Jeremiah M. Rusk of the Department of Agriculture, Chairman James C. Carter of the National Committee, Senator Anthony Higgins of Delaware, General Stewart L. Woodford of New York, and Honorable Stephen A. Douglas of Illinois, are among the number from whom we have positive assurances of attendance. Senator McMillan will preside, unless his attendance is prevented by public duties at the capital. In that event Col. John Atkinson will act as toastmaster. Senator Stockbridge will surely be present.

Half rates on all railroads of the state; good from the 21st to 23d.

BELIEVES IN KEEPING OUR COURTS ABOVE POLITICS.

In a lengthy editorial on the circuit judgeship of the Washtenaw Post says: "Although the publisher of the Washtenaw Post is a democrat, the Post is independent in politics. As an independent newspaper it has always been fearless and independent in the expression of its opinion of the qualifications of candidates for public office, not caring a continental whom it displeased or pleased by so doing. This is the duty of a publisher of an independent newspaper. We are about to have another election—not a political but a judicial election—and it is, therefore, the Post's duty to again present its readers with facts. It is our good fortune to enjoy the acquaintance of a majority of the members of the bar of Washtenaw and Monroe counties, and if there is a gentleman among them who is better qualified for the position of judge of this circuit than Hon. E. D. Kinne, we should be pleased to hear his name. The oldest members of the bar of all political parties contend that Judge Kinne is the most conscientious and just judge that the 22d judicial district has ever had. We cannot now call to mind the name of any citizen in this district—unless, perhaps, the venerable ex-Governor Felch—who can boast of more warm friends than Edward D. Kinne. When seated on the bench, however, Judge Kinne knows neither friend or foe. He hears and recognizes only the facts, in the case before him. A prominent citizen of this city, who frequents the court room a good deal said to us recently: 'Judge Kinne is the best judge of human nature and most observing man I ever knew. I have frequently noticed that from the time a witness is called until he has taken the stand, the judge carefully watches the witness until he has arrived at some conclusion as to his or her honesty and veracity.' We repeat, where is there a man better qualified for the judgeship than the Hon. E. D. Kinne? Let us again throw politics aside, gentlemen, and re-elect Judge Kinne."

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of Washtenaw County will meet in convention at the Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, on MONDAY, FEB. 20, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing 21 delegates to the state convention, to be held in Detroit, on Feb. 22; to elect 21 delegates to a judicial convention for the 22d judicial circuit, yet to be called; for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for County Commissioner of Schools, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention. Each township and ward will be entitled to the following number of delegates: Ann Arbor City—11, Ypsilanti City—5, First ward—11, Salem—5, Second ward—5, Saline—5, Third ward—5, Scio—5, Fourth ward—5, Sharon—5, Fifth ward—5, Sibley—5, Sixth ward—5, Sylvan—5, Ann Arbor Town—5, Webster—5, Augusta—5, Ypsilanti Town—5, Bridgewater—5, Ypsilanti City—5, Dexter—5, Friesland—5, First ward—7, Lima—5, Second ward—6, Leoni—5, Third ward—5, Lyndon—5, Fourth ward—5, Manchester—5, Fifth ward—5, Northfield—5.

By order of the committee, W. B. SMITH, Chairman. E. F. JOHNSON, Secretary.

REPUBLICAN WARD CAUCUSES.

The Republican Ward Caucuses of the City of Ann Arbor will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 17, at 7:30 o'clock, local time, for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention, to be held on Monday, Feb. 20, at the following places: First ward—O. M. Martin's store. Second ward—John Heinemann's store. Third ward—Court House basement. Fourth ward—Firmen's Hall. Fifth ward—Engine House. Sixth ward—Engine House. Each ward will be entitled to delegates as follows: First ward—11, Second ward—11, Third ward—8, Fourth ward—8, Fifth ward—8, Sixth ward—8.

ANN ARBOR TOWN CAUCUS.

The Republicans of the Town of Ann Arbor will hold a caucus at the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, Feb. 18, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing four delegates to the county convention, to be held on the 20th inst. I. N. S. FOSTER, Chairman of Town Committee.

OPEN FAIR ON SUNDAY.

The discussion of opening the World's Fair on Sunday is taking up universal interest in Chicago. The working people and commercial travelers, who are out of the city through the week, the business people and many of the best citizens of that city favor the open fair, because they know that all other places will be running wide open on Sunday. Strangers in the city, when Sunday comes, will want to go somewhere, and if the Exposition is not open, they will drift into the bad places. The Fair is for good, elevating, educating and broadening. If it is good, is it not better to give the people a chance to see it Sunday than to drive them to the theatres, saloons and dives? They go to the parks and art galleries now, when why not to the Fair? A laborer can not leave his work to go, through the week, without losing his pay and perhaps his job. On Sundays he should have a chance to visit the fair with his family. That is his day, and his only day. Even if the machinery should not be running it would be better to open for visitors to see it. Beauty, art, and truth is there exhibited. These work for righteousness, and to forbid them to the people is opposed to the purpose for which Sunday was instituted. This is naturally not a question the strict puritan people are personally interested in, for they would not go on Sunday anyway, but it is one which they should think twice about before meddling in. The common people want it open, and the universal opposition of churches and Sunday schools is not a course to bring the people and churches nearer together as they should be, but it is tending to widen a growing chasm, and to create among the poor and middle class a feeling that the churches do not care for them. It is a sad and short-sighted mistake by people who want to make others good by law. It is like Ingalls' description of the Puritans, who first fell on their knees, then they arose and fell on the Aborigines.

A QUESTION OF INTERCONSISTENCY.

A Correspondent's Interrogatories Answered.

Ed. Courier: In your issue of Feb. 1st, I noticed an article favoring the annexation of the Hawaiian Islands. In previous issues I have noticed that you did not seem to favor the annexation of Canada. For one, I can not see the consistency of your position. Why favor the annexation of Hawaii and not also favor the annexation of Canada? Very truly yours, CONSISTENCY.

We will do our best toward enlightening our friend in regard to what he seems to consider our inconsistency. In the first place the United States does not need Canada.

In the second place it does need the Sandwich Islands.

Canada is a large country. It extends over great areas, considerable of which are valueless frozen lands. It has a population of some 5,000,000 people. Of these less than one-half are Protestants.

It has a debt of nearly half a billion which is still increasing with astonishing rapidity.

In what way would the annexation be of any particular benefit to the United States?

It might help the growth of some of the cities on the border, perhaps.

Almost every person who has had any experience in life can call to mind some man, a merchant, who commenced in a small way, and kept on accumulating and prospering until he finally became the possessor of an excellent business. In this way he went on until one day he took it into his head to spread out and become a great merchant. Not content with doing well he must do better, so he opened first one branch store in a neighboring town, then another, until finally he found more upon his hands than he could successfully manage. His business became unwieldy; he had been too ambitious; he found he could not carry forward all of his enterprises successfully; so one day he went down with a great crash. You have known of such cases have you not?

The same may be true of nations. This country commenced in a rather modest way, and has kept adding to its territory until to-day it is a very large nation. It seems as though it is plenty large enough. All the varied interests of the east and of the west, of the north and of the south, of the plains and of the mountains, are combined that can be combined with safety.

Even now, smooth as we are sailing, the timbers of the old ship of state sometimes creak with the heavy strain upon them.

Why should we take upon ourselves more? Have we not enough? Is there not great danger of the country's overdoing itself as did the merchant?

If this grand ship of state of ours gets overloaded there will be no ballast to cast overboard. That's why we do not look with favor upon the annexation of Canada.

Then, too, many of the wise politicians upon the democratic side of the house favor annexation because they believe it would be the means of creating five or six more democratic states, making ten or twelve more United States senators to help perpetuate the rule of the solid south. Why should this paper, as a true exponent of republican principles, advocate any such crazy thing as that?

With the Hawaiian Islands the thing is very different. They do not cover any very great extent of territory, have not a very large population, and nine-tenths of all the property and business interests are now owned by citizens of the United States.

Another, and the most important reason is this: These islands are on the highway to Asia and Australia, about midway distant. The future of the commerce between this continent and those countries will be enormous. We are as yet incapable of conceiving its magnitude. That commerce will belong to this nation. On this highway of the Pacific ocean this country ought to own a coaling station and a harbor of refuge.

Here they are, offered to us for the taking. Is it good common sense to refuse?

These islands do not aspire to statehood. All they ask is a territorial form of government and the protection of the stars and stripes. If there is any reason why the United States should not annex them, it has not yet been made known.

They should belong to this country as a protection to its vast growing commerce with Asia, Australia and the Pacific and South Sea Islands.

The Courier also believes that Cuba, Hayti, and Jamaica ought to be owned, entire, by the United States, with no Spanish, British or French harbors or coaling stations thereon.

It seems as though we are perfectly consistent in this matter. At any rate our only idea is the good of the whole country. Convince us that the annexation of Canada is for the good of the country and we'll throw up our hats for it.

Does head work—The guillotine.

INSTANCES OF NON-PARTISANSHIP.

Before the republicans talk any more about non-partisanship, let them look to Lansing.—Argus.

Yes, look to Lansing. The preceding democratic legislature not only turned republicans out of their seats, and kept them out, but they stole seats without going through any form of law or anything else. That was partisanship of the kind that if persisted in would soon ruin the nation.

The present legislature, having democratic seats contested by republicans have practically decided to allow the democrats to remain, although the republican contestants made out good cases.

The Argus might possibly gain some idea of non-partisanship from Abraham Lincoln, who he appointed Stephen J. Field associate justice of the supreme court; and from our present president in appointing Judge Jackson as associate justice of the supreme court; of the democrats and republicans in New York state where each party endorsed the other's candidate for supreme judge, and numerous other instances might be mentioned.

Even right here in our own city the present republican postmaster has kept the office force equally divided between the two great parties.

The repealing of the Miner law was not partisanship, it was patriotism, which was so evident to even the democratic members themselves, that when the measure was up before the house, not a single democrat had a word to offer why it should not be repealed, or in defense of the rankly partisan body that expressed the objection.

In this connection the following paragraphs from the Adrian Press may be soothing to the nerves of some of our democratic friends:

It seems there are some democrats in the state who are shedding big crocodile tears because the republicans tip over the Miner law, and prate a great deal about the wrong it does the people in whose interest it was enacted.

Away with such nonsense. It was enacted to gain democratic support, and not to please the people. Had the state been as sure democratic as Kentucky, does anyone suppose the Miner law would have been enacted? The democrats would do the same thing as the republicans are doing if it was their cart that was empty. It is the fairest way to choose electors in a state where the minority can always secure one or more, provided the democrats are in the minority. If the democrats have a sure thing like Kentucky or Missouri, then the old way is the best. See?

MORE CHURCH STATISTICS.

Some weeks ago the Courier published several tables giving the statistics of nearly all of the church denominations except the Episcopal, Congregational and "Evangelical" which, for some reason, were omitted from the table by the government bulletin. From another bulletin, recently given to the public, is taken these figures that may interest some of our readers:

Table with columns: Church, Churches, Members, Church Property. Rows include Protestant Episcopal, German Ev. Synodical, German Ev. Protestant, Total 'Evangelical', and various denominations like Episcopal, Congregational, Presbyterian, etc.

CONGREGATIONAL. In every state and ter.—4,868 512,771 \$45,235,437. These compare with other denominations in average membership and property, as follows:

Table with columns: Church Average Property, Churches, Members, Property. Rows include Episcopal, Evangelical, Congregational, Presbyterian, Reformed, Lutheran, Catholic, Friends, Advent, Jewish, Mormon, Mormon Reorganized, Dunkard, Swedenborgian, Spiritualist, Salvation Army.

PROTECTION ON THE SEA.

Lewis Cass, a veteran democrat, said, in the United States senate in 1852, in advocating government aid to the Collins line, which was not granted, much to the joy of the Crusaders: "Well, sir, it is a question of protection—of high and important and holy protection, in the best sense of the term—the protection of our country, of our expatriated seamen, of our commerce, of our interests, of our honor, of our soil, of all that gives dignity and character to nations; protection against defeat, disgrace and dishonor on the sea. This kind of protection to our commerce is as effectual as the protection afforded by expensive naval armaments."

The Miner law is dead. It never ought to have been born.

A CHANCE FOR SUNSHINE.

The N. Y. Sun is calling to its aid all the vituperative words possible to obtain in all the dictionaries of the world to express its dislike of the late President Hayes. The Sun believed Hayes did not have a good title to the presidency, and has not the common decency to allow the awful presence of death to silence its venomous tongue.

Here is a clipping from the N. Y. Press that reflects the belief of perhaps nine-tenths of the republicans of the country. It is especially dedicated to Mr. Dana, of the Sun. He should read and reflect:

The statement of the Rev. Dr. MacArthur in his sermon on Sunday that he believed Mr. Blaine was cheated out of the presidency in 1884 after he was fairly elected by the votes of the people, revives an old story. Many prominent republicans at least share Dr. MacArthur's belief, and it would be interesting if the matter could be settled. But it is likely always to remain a disputed question. Mr. Blaine himself believed that the ballots in this state were manipulated so as to give Mr. Cleveland the electoral vote of the state. I asked him about the matter several years ago. He said: "I do not care to be interviewed on the subject as it can do no good now, but I will say to you personally that I believe I was elected in 1884. I believe enough Butler votes were counted for Mr. Cleveland in this city and Kings county to defeat the republican ticket."

"Have you any proof of this?" I said to Mr. Blaine.

"Yes," he replied, "plenty of proof, and a great deal of it comes from democratic sources, too."

"Why not make it public?" Mr. Blaine shook his head. "Not now," he said. "Perhaps I may some time—after I am dead and gone—be added. Mr. Blaine's private papers may be found to contain some important information on this subject, which will be of value to the future historian. He always said he did not believe Mr. Cleveland was a party to the fraud—that he probably had no personal knowledge of it. In expressing this opinion Mr. Blaine evinced characteristic generosity toward his opponent."

A lady received 30 votes for United States senator in North Dakota last week. Who says we are not progressing?

It is believed to be a fact that protection and pensions will perish together. Mortification will begin to set in March 4th.

It isn't so mentioned in any work on natural history, but from the worm of the still has descended many a family of good big snakes.—Tory Press.

There is one republican in the Texas legislature, and he is a colored man. It is a great mystery to all of Texas how in Great Scott that fellow was allowed to get there.

The Hawaiian Islands have two live, wide awake volcanoes. The United States need these to out-do Vesuvius and some of the old country half dead craters. By all means annex Hawaii.

Mr. Gorman, the gentleman who occupied the seat in congress set apart for the 2d district of Michigan, has introduced a bill to repeal the civil service act. "Jimmie" wants no impediments in the way.

Those who favor return to capital punishment in this state will please take note that both Virginia and Texas, in which recent disgraceful lynchings have occurred, have capital punishment upon their statute books.

It is said that the opponents of Gen. Bragg, the man who "loved Cleveland for the enemies he had made," used bi-metallic "arguments" with great success against him in the recent senatorial contest in Wisconsin. Those "arguments" won, and poor Bragg will never be a U. S. senator.

In 1880 the silk fabric manufactured in the United States during that year amounted in value to \$34,500,000.

In 1890, after ten years of republican protection, the amount of similar manufactures in this country was valued at over \$69,000,000.

This increase of \$34,500,000, or 100 per cent., was caused by republican protection.—Mail and Express.

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THE SUPREME COURT HAS AWARDED Capt. Belknap a certificate of election as congressman from the Grand Rapids district, but we predict the house will not award him the seat that belongs to him. In Battle Creek the common council ordered the street car company to keep salt off their tracks, and in consequence the company were obliged to shut down and wait for a thaw, while those who do not have horses have to walk—and they are in the majority, too. The people of Europe believe that the inhabitants of the United States are sinking rapidly toward cannibalism. They think, and rightly, too, that it is only one step from the inhuman barbarism of the people of Paris, Texas, to the genuine cannibals of the original Cannibal Islands. The Methodists talk seriously of establishing a religious daily in Chicago. That is exactly what Chicago needs, but can the patient be induced to take the medicine?—Cedar Springs Clipper. "Birds that can sing, and won't sing, must be made to sing." You've heard about that story, haven't you? Last year 4,000 new postoffices were established in the United States, and 557,646 unmailable letters were "mailed," of which 36,612 had no address at all or any mark to designate from whence they came or whither they should go. Which goes to prove that there are a great many absent-minded people in this world. Gov. Rich is republicanizing the state service as rapidly as possible. D. B. Greene has been appointed by him as county agent of the state board of corrections and charities, in place of Tracy L. Towner.—Ypsilanti Sentinel. Of course there was no politics in it when Gov. Winans bounced Mr. Greene, and appointed Towner in his place? Oh! no. Certainly not! It is altogether probable that there will soon be four new states, Arizona, Utah, New Mexico, and Oklahoma, with no territories except the Indian territory and Alaska. But when Canada and the Hawaiian Islands are annexed, we shall have enough territories to last for the life-time of a nation. But they are not annexed yet. The Ypsilanti Sentinel says "the world is governed too much." That may be so in some instances. But if there could be a little more of the right sort of government, in some localities, such barbarous scenes as have recently been enacted in Virginia and Texas where mobs hung and roasted men without trial or any proof of guilt, would be done away with. It is enough to make the head of every American citizen droop in shame to read the accounts of these barbarities. The New York papers are firm in the belief that Mr. Cleveland got nipped, financially, in a whisky trust deal he went into sometime since on the recommendation of his bosom friend, Wm. C. Whitney. And it is now said that he does not believe the whisky trust was trustworthy as a public trust. That he rather trust a public office, in fact, but would not trust his heretofore much loved secretary with an office of any kind. Cleveland and Whitney are said to be out, and "do not speak as they pass by."

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Motor Line Time.

In effect Oct. 1, 1892. Leave Ann Arbor, from Court House, at 7:20, 9:20, 10:50, a. m., and 1:30, 2:50, 4:20, 5:50, 7:20, 8:50, 10:50 p. m. Leave Ypsilanti at 7:00, 9:00, 10:30, a. m., and 12:40, 2:30, 4:00, 5:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:30 p. m. SUNDAY TIME. Leave Ann Arbor, from Court House, at 7:20, 9:20, 10:50, a. m., and 1:30, 2:50, 4:20, 5:50, 7:20, 8:50, 10:50 p. m. Leave Ypsilanti, at 7:00, 9:00, 10:30, a. m., and 12:40, 2:30, 4:00, 5:30, 7:00, 8:30, 10:30 p. m. Nights of entertainments last train will be held to accommodate passengers. J. E. BEAL, Pres.

LOCAL.

Four degrees below zero at 7 o'clock this a. m.

The Ann Arbor Press Club is—what are you smiling about? This is no joke!

Ladies tea and social at the Presbyterian church, Thursday at 6 o'clock. You are invited.

This has been bad weather for those good New Years resolutions. Sort of slippery, don't 'cher know.

The ladies of St. Andrew's church will be delighted to see you at Harris Hall Thursday evening at 6 o'clock.

The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will meet on Friday, at 3:30 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Burd, 12 S. State st.

Wm. Herz has bought of Hutzel & Co. their stock of window glass, which stock of goods they will handle no longer.

The fire alarm Sunday p. m. was caused by the burning out of a chimney at the residence of Mrs. Shadford, on the Northside.

Prof. F. N. Scott gives the next lecture before the Unity Club, next Monday evening, Feb. 13. Subject, an illustrated art lecture.

Leonard Foster, of Ann Arbor, has been drawn as a traverse juror for the March term of the United States court, to be held in Detroit.

The Knights Templar, leave on the 2:19 train for Jackson, this p. m.—not to remain for a term of years, but to have a jolly good time to-night.

Col. H. S. Dean and Evert H. Scott, of this city, and Mac C. LeBeau, formerly of Ann Arbor, are upon the general reception committee of the Michigan Club banquet for the 22d.

The middle of the street has been very popular the past week, for pedestrians, who have preferred its broad way to the congested slipperiness of the straight and narrow walk.

Miss Anna Adams and her pupils gave an exhibition of China painting, at the home of W. D. Adams, on S. Division st., last Thursday afternoon and evening, that elicited much favorable comment.

On Saturday night next, Hon. Henry Watterson, the famous editor of the famous Louisville Courier-Journal, is to speak at University Hall, before the Students' Lecture Association upon "Money and Morals."

One of the absurd combinations of the day is a "character and lemon social." How the two will mix is a question. Whisky and lemon is said to "assimilate" very well, but there's no particular character in it.

The democratic county convention, to elect delegates to the state and judicial conventions, and to nominate a candidate for county commissioner of schools, will be held at the court house in this city, Thursday, Feb. 16th.

Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, occurs Feb. 15th. Only a few more days of gaiety. Easter Sunday occurs April 3. Last year Lent commenced March 2d, and Easter came April 19th. This is an early season no doubt.

School Commissioner Cavanaugh found how cold the weather really was in his visit to the Bridgewater schools last Friday. It is said that when he "clucked" to his horse, the "cluck" would freeze up and drop before reaching the horse's ears.

Chas. S. Fall, wife and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Duress, and Mr. and Mrs. McKay and child, all leave for the land of perpetual bloom, Los Angeles, Cal., next Monday. Mr. Fall and family will leave here Friday, remaining with relatives in Albion until Monday.

Two coasting accidents of a serious nature happened on the N. State st. hill last evening. Harry Brown, oldest son of H. J. Brown, had his right leg broken about midway between the ankle and knee. The next accident was to John P. Kearney, bookkeeper at the F. & M. Bank, who had his right leg broken twice, in such a way that Dr. Darling thinks it possible that he may lose the use of the limb entirely. The trouble at this hill comes from the sleds slewing around and hitting the posts at the point where they turn to go down to the M. C. station. It is a dangerous hill, and coasting upon it ought to be prohibited.

Fraternity Lodge F. & A. M. work the 3d degree Friday night.

The new Columbian postage stamp has evidently come to stick.

People are independent these days, if they can't walk they can slide.

The teachers from the Howell schools visited the Ann Arbor schools last Friday.

Rev. Henry Gelston, of Florida, writes to his people here, that his orange crop has been badly frozen.

Gov. Rich has re-appointed Bishop Geo. D. Gillespie a member of the State Board of Correction and Charities.

"Jesus the Teacher" will be the topic next Sabbath morning in the M. E. church. In the evening there will be no sermon, but questions will be answered.

The Northside Singing Club are to give a musical and literary entertainment at the chapel on Monday evening next, the same to close with a box social. The public invited.

E. J. Dennen has been chosen warden of the Sunday evening Vesper services at St. Andrew's church, and he together with the Rector will choose subjects and select speakers for future meetings.

The store of C. A. Maynard on State st., was broken into last Friday night, the thieves taking what change there was in the money drawer. They gained an entrance by breaking a light of glass in the rear door and reaching in and turning the key.

At the imitative vesper service for young people, held in the chapel of St. Andrew's church last Sunday evening, Prof. B. M. Thompson gave a twenty-minute talk that was excellent. Some of the congregation went so far as to intimate that the professor would make a good preacher.

The presentation of "Living Whist," to be given at the opera house Thursday and Friday evenings, by Prof. and Mrs. Ross Granger, will be one of the most enjoyable entertainments that has been presented for public approval this season. It will be well worth the time and money expended in attending.

The closing recital of the first semester of the Normal Conservatory of Music, of Ypsilanti, Frederick H. Pease, director, occurred at the Ypsilanti Opera House last evening. The programme was a magnificent one, containing the creme de la creme of Ypsilanti musical circles. Miss Alice Cramer, of this city, was upon the programme for one selection, "Song—Do you Remember?" by Godard.

The last Dowagiac Republican devotees a page to the dedicatory exercises of the Beckwith Memorial Theatre, recently held in that place, at which Col. Robert G. Ingersoll was the star performer. There is only one other such theatre in the country. It was erected by the widow of the late Philo D. Beckwith, of Dowagiac, as a memorial, and is pronounced one of the finest in the state.

The light lunches served at Harris Hall Saturday afternoons, up to 6 o'clock, are delightful, inexpensive, and delicious. The coffee is extraordinarily nice, and the cake and sandwiches melt in your mouth while you carry on a scientific conversation with the lady who is serving you, in regard to the status of the weather. Doubt it do you? Then learn by experience the truth. Go and see for your self.

Ignace J. Paderewski, the distinguished Polish pianist, who has created a great furore in this country and in Europe for his marvelous performances, will give a single concert at Detroit, in the Auditorium, on February 27. This is the only concert to be given by Paderewski in this section of the state this year, he being under contract not to appear again at Detroit or at Ann Arbor or Ypsilanti this year.

Among those receiving votes for the free World's Fair trip given by the Detroit Journal, we notice that Chas. B. Edwards, the faithful and popular member of our fire department, has 93 votes. If all of our citizens who take the Journal would cut out their coupons and either send them in or hand them to some of Charlie's friends who would gladly send them for him, he could soon get enough votes to give him a free trip to the World's Fair, for there are between 300 and 400 Journals taken here.

Friday evening last was not a very inviting one for pleasure parties, yet there were two loads of as jolly people as ever rode in a sleigh, who went to Mr. and Mrs. Popkins, in Dixboro, that evening and enjoyed the kindly hospitalities of their commodious mansion. The party was chaperoned by Oliver Martin in the highest style of the art, and the beautiful presents presented to the dignified lady and lovely gentleman winners were of the most costly and superb quality—the presents—yes, the winners also, if you like. At the next meeting of this Apollonarius Club it is announced that Freddie & Willie will be the prize winners, and great expectations are being raised over the prospect. It will probably be the great closing social event which the Lenten season will cause to cease.

A coal famine in Ann Arbor—not a coal dealer has any soft coal in their yards and can not get an order filled more.

The persons who owned skates and knew enough to use them, were about the only ones who could get about town Monday.

Bert Baldwin, son of Alonzo Baldwin, formerly residents of the Northside, was killed recently by accident in a mill in the northern part of the state.

The Unitarian church was not large enough to hold all the people who desired to hear Prof. Fiske, of Harvard, upon the "Mystery of Evil," Sunday evening.

Eugene Gibney died at his home on N. Main st., on Feb. 4th, and his funeral was held at St. Thomas church Monday morning. He was 44 years old, and leaves a wife and four children. He was a brother-in-law of ex-Sheriff Wm. Walsh, and of Jerry Walsh.

In the circuit court Monday John Gorman pleaded guilty to burglary, and was sentenced to Ionia for two years. He broke into a saloon at Manchester. Herman Stoll, who was accused of breaking open then charity box of Bethlehem church, plead guilty and was sentenced to Ionia for six months.

Rev. Anna Shaw, of Boston, gave her lecture on "God's Women" last Friday night to a large audience of the Unity Club. She has a well cultured mind and has the happy faculty of interspersing her discourse with a vein of wit and sarcasm in matters pertaining to men and women that kept her audience in a constant flow of smiles—laughter and admiring cheers.

Fred Rettich, Jr., after an illness extending over several months, died at his home on E. Huron st., yesterday morning, aged nearly 36 years. He was a native of this city, and had one of those peculiar dispositions that made every acquaintance a friend. He was married on the 12th of April 1882, to Miss Sarah Staebler, who together with a little daughter, survive him. Funeral services will be held to-morrow, Thursday, from the family residence, Rev. Max. Hein conducting the same.

A small boy in one of the public schools not a thousand miles from Ann Arbor, was required to write a composition on King Henry the VIIIth. He valiantly tackled the job and the following was the unique result: "King Henry VIII. was the greatest widower that ever lived. He was born at Annie Domino in the year 1066. He had 510 wives besides children. The first was beheaded and afterwards executed, and the second was revoked. Henry VIII. was succeeded on the throne by his grandmother, the beautiful Mary Queen of Scots, sometimes called the Lady of the Lake, or the Lay of the Last Minstrel."—Argus.

H. A. Williams, of Ann Arbor, was awakened the other night, by a red hot coal of fire falling from the overhead ceiling and lodging between his night-shirt and the back of his neck. A little thing like that always annoys Williams, whose nerves are not very strong, and he felt so put out on this occasion that he soon got up. It was fortunate for him that he did; for while engaged in planning some words that would adequately convey his thoughts, he discovered that the house was burning up. He immediately put on his day shirt, dressed, combed his hair and went and notified the fire department, which saved the house by a lively fight.—Adrian Press.

If the Michigan Central R. R. carries out its plan of running suburban trains from Detroit to Ann Arbor and return, putting the fare at one cent per mile, we do not join in the fear of some of our business men that it will depress any branch of trade in Ann Arbor. We know personally of people who have been to Detroit to purchase goods, furniture, carpets, etc., who have returned to Ann Arbor and made their purchases, being perfectly satisfied that they could obtain better figures, for the same quality of goods, than they could in Detroit. For a time some few might run down there and make purchases but they would soon tire of it. There would be a great many advantages to be obtained by the establishment of such a train service.

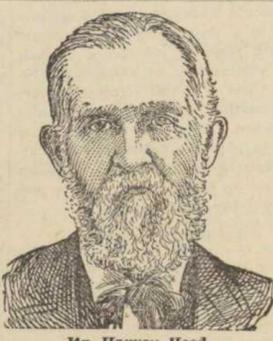
The Saline Observer takes some of its Detroit and Ann Arbor exchanges to task for exaggerating the small pox scare near that place. The Observer states that "there were but three cases of the disease, and one of them slight," and that the farm house where they are is no nearer Saline than this city, and that "only last Saturday (Ann Arbor) permitted one of the family where the disease is raging to go to and around her streets and stores, no one offering any objections." If this last statement is correct it was because no one knew of it, and if one of that family did come here, or go anywhere else, unnecessarily exposing people to the dread disease, he or she ought to be made to suffer for it. It was a cruel, and reprehensible act. Yes, it was a crime, and ought to be punished as a crime.

ODDS AND ENDS AND BROKEN LOTS. These we are closing, PREVIOUS TO INVENTORY, at almost any price. Odd Suits for Men, Boys and Children. Odd Pantaloon for Men and Boys. Broken Lots in Underwear. Broken Sizes in Hats. All Gloves and Mittens. All Winter Overcoats and Ulsters. For ten days. RARE BARGAINS at the STAR CLOTHING HOUSE, A. L. NOBLE, Clothier and Hatter.

SHOPPING . . . . IN FEBRUARY Is not always pleasant, but to affect that we make the inducements greater than at any other time of the year. We are offering as long as they last: 100 11-4 White Bed Spreads, extra quality and size, well worth \$1.75 each, at \$1.29. 50 Dozen Ladies' Plain Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 25c goods, but slightly imperfect . . . . 15c each or \$1.50 doz. 25 Pieces 10c and 12 1/2c Winter Gingham, in good Styles, at . . . . 7 1-2c a yard. Elegant Styles in Ladies' Cloaks at half price (1/2 off) regular prices. Buy now and thus save money for next winter. Ladies' Winter Underwear and Hosiery cheap.

E. F. MILLS & CO. 20 S. Main St. Proceedings of the Board of Public Works. [OFFICIAL.] Office of the Board of Public Works, 1 Ann Arbor, Feb. 4, 1893. Regular meeting. Called to order by President Keech. Roll called. Present—Messrs. Keech and McIntyre. Absent—Mr. Schuh. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. The annual report from Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st, 1892, of Street Commissioner Sutherland, was received and ordered submitted to the Common Council. The street bills for the month of January were then audited by the Board. On motion, the bill of Prof. J. B. Davis was referred back, asking for a statement by whom the work was ordered. On motion the Street Commissioner was ordered to at once notify the agent of the T. A. A. & N. M. R. R. to remove all snow banks at their crossings. On motion the Board then adjourned. W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

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Mr. Harvey Heed, Laceyville, O. Catarrh, Heart Failure, Paralysis of the Throat. "I thank God and Hood's Sarsaparilla for Perfect Health." "Gentlemen: For the benefit of suffering humanity I wish to state a few facts: For several years I have suffered from catarrh and heart failure, getting so bad I could not work and could scarcely walk. I had a very bad spell of paralysis of the throat some time ago. My throat seemed closed and I could not swallow. The doctors said it was caused by heart failure, and gave medicine, which I took according to directions, but it did not seem to do me any good. My wife urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, telling me of Mr. Joseph C. Smith, who had been cured at Death's Door but was entirely cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. After talking with Mr. Smith, I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. When I had taken two bottles I felt very much better. I have continued taking it, and am now feeling excellent. I thank God, and Hood's Sarsaparilla and my wife for their restoration to perfect health." HOOB'S PILLS do not purge, pain or gripe, but act promptly, easily and efficiently. 2c.

The Horticulturists.

Pruning was the topic at the February meeting of the Horticultural Society. B. G. Buell, whose experience has been mainly with the apple, had found large limbs to heal over best when removed in July. The application of paint, wax, etc., to cut surfaces to prevent rot had proved of little benefit, as such coatings nearly always became loose in a year or two. He had observed a tendency in the apple to be short-lived in this climate, and recommended heavy pruning when the trees begin to fail to get all the new growth possible. Not an orchard in twenty pays for keeping after 25 or 30 years of age. Such orchards should be removed and new trees set in fresh soil. Jacob Ganzhorn had found that heavy pruning at one time of large bearing trees would put them out of bearing for a few years. W. L. Stotts, of Canada, who is visiting friends in the city, stated that if large roots were cut off at time of planting, the trees would become black-hearted. Peach trees should branch not over two feet from the ground where the winters are severe. Pruning is most successfully done in summer, soon after the blossoms fall. If pruned in winter the limbs die back. Bearing pear trees should have the top kept open so that the sun may reach all the fruit. E. Baur cuts back his standard pear when young, to cause them to form low heads to protect the trunk, but afterwards he prunes very little. He maintains fertility by mulching. W. F. Bird mentioned the experience of an Ohio fruit grower, who always pruned his bearing pear trees very heavily. The trees were dwarfs, rooted from the pear. They bore well and did not blight. A. A. Crozier recommended the cutting back of old, feeble peach trees severely. J. C. Shenck cut back every year all new growths over one foot in length. He preferred to head his peach trees high, so as to work under them with the two-horse plow and cultivator. Trees in wet soil, even on high ground, are liable to die out. Such localities should be under-drained, but a partial remedy is banking the trees with soil in the fall when the ground is dry. If done while the ground is wet, the soil freezes to the tree and they winter-kill, the same as if not banked. Mrs. Whiting inquired if mulching might be employed as a substitute for cultivation. Mr. Ganzhorn replied that the mulch would attract mice, which might do damage, especially to young trees. Mr. Stotts said he had succeeded in killing off the mice with poisoned grain. Mr. Crozier said that mulch was a good substitute for cultivation, and perhaps better in some cases, if enough of it could be obtained.

In regard to the pruning of raspberries and blackberries the general testimony was in favor of removing the old wood as soon as possible after fruiting. Blackberries and black caps should be nipped back in the growing season and the laterals shortened during winter or early spring. Mr. Ganzhorn thought the Snyder blackberry should not be cut back as much as was usually done, that if headed back at all it should be left four or five feet high. The Lawton needed to be headed low so as to produce its fruit upon the laterals, but Snyder did better fruited on the main cane. In all cases of summer pruning care should be taken to begin in time so as to avoid the necessity of removing much foliage, going over the field from time to time as the canes attained the proper size. If the growing canes get too much start so that a foot or more of the top has to be removed in order to bring them to the proper height they had better not be pruned at all, as excessive summer pruning weakens the plants. Mr. Ganzhorn mentioned a new seedling blackberry found on his place, which was larger than the Snyder, ripened late, and continued in bearing until frost set in. Mr. Shenck, who grows Cuthberts, largely thins out the weak canes after fruiting, at the time of removing the old wood. He does not nip the canes in summer, for if laterals are formed they are liable to kill back to the main cane. He heads back the fruiting canes in early spring to 3 1/2 feet, but will try heading back in late autumn hereafter, to prevent the canes from being broken by winter storms.

In regard to pruning the grape, Mr. Ganzhorn stated that he pruned longer than formerly, as he had become convinced that our rampant growers needed more wood in order to maintain their vigor. He mentioned in particular the Bacchus and White Ann Arbor, which formerly were unproductive with him, but which now fruited abundantly since he had adopted a more liberal system of pruning. Mr. Farnum, who has vineyards on Bath Island, in Lake Erie, agreed with Mr. Ganzhorn, and said he would leave plenty of wood but thin the fruit. The Delaware in particular required this treatment and was likely to be poor in quality if allowed to bear a full crop. W. F. Bird preferred early spring as the time for pruning, and had seen vineyards enfeebled by fall pruning, unless the vines were covered with earth. In severe winters like the present 20 per cent of the canes killed back more or less when pruned in the fall if left upon the trellis.

The executive committee appointed the following scientific officers for the

society: Botanist, Prof. V. M. Spalding; ornithologist, Dr. J. B. Steere; Hygienist, Dr. V. C. Vaughan.

The March meeting will be devoted, as in previous years, to the subject of road making.

Tell-Tale Children.

If you would make meddlesome gossips of your children when they come to mature years, allow them, while little, to relate in the home all the happenings at school, and all they see and hear of their neighbor's affairs. The gossip proclivity is strong in children, and it is the duty of parents to give it a decided check. They should be taught, while young, that it is exceedingly ill-bred for them to relate what they learn of their neighbors' lives while in their homes. Every family has private "goings-on" that it would not care for the world's eye to gaze upon. But such privacies have many times been blazoned forth by innocent looking children, who seemed too insignificant to guard against. And, sad to say, there are parents who will encourage such tattling in children by listening eagerly to it, and even questioning them on all they have seen and heard during visits to neighboring children.

Little Mary Jones goes almost daily to the Smith's to play with Jennie Smith. Now, Mary not only does full duty as a playmate, but she takes note of everything going on in the house. And when she goes home she regales her gossip-loving mother with all, and, alas! with more than all, of what she has seen and heard. For the gossip, be she child or woman, always puts an extra touch to her pictures. She tells what the Smith's had to eat; how Mrs. Smith scolded the children; how Mr. Smith whipped Jack for running away; how Julia Smith's beau came to see her, "and they were shut up in the parlor for two hours."

Mrs. Jones drinks it all down as gospel truth, and at the first opportunity hands it over to Mrs. Green. And in this way many a foul little stream of gossip has its source. Now, when Mary Jones returned home and commenced to unload her tales, her mother should have said: "When you visit in the home of a person you must not repeat what you see and hear there. It is very unkind and ill-mannered to do so. People do not like to have the privacy of their homes made public; and, besides, such a habit of tattling is very harmful and unbecoming to a little girl."

Under such maternal teachings Mary would soon cease such gossip, and she would grow up into a woman who would have a contempt for such idle, harmful talk.

And now there is the tattling scholar. If he becomes prejudiced against the teacher perhaps by receiving a deserved trouncing, every speech and act of the teacher is distorted and magnified into something evil, and reported as such at home. And, if he is encouraged in such tales at home, he will detail school gossip by the hour, and stretch and color his statements to exactly suit his prejudices. Many a hard-working, conscientious teacher has been most unjustly condemned and persecuted by school patrons, who have listened to such tales from their children.

There is no more harmful and contemptible character in life than that person, be it man or woman, and there are as many such of one sex as the other, who keep ears and eyes open for all the private doings of their neighbors, so as to add to their store of gossiping news. They may very fitly be compared to the carrion bird that finds its choicest diet on the offal of animals. Such characters are not made in a day; they are the result of long years of indulgence in such talk, commencing in childhood. No parent has a moral right to permit the growth of such a habit in a child unchecked. It is far worse than a hideous physical deformity were allowed to grow on the child's form without an effort being made to prevent it.—Practical Farmer.

Cultivate Refinement.

Do not draw into your shell. So much is to be gained by contact with the outside world. The influence of the social current has the same effect upon human nature as that produced by the constant friction of the sea upon the pebbles on the beach. Rough corners are polished and sharp angles smoothed down into symmetrical proportions. But it is not enough to be simply in the swim. One must, to be happy, cultivate that society which elevates and ennobles. Seek relaxation for mind and body among a set of people who hold broad views of living. Narrow-minded men and women, and the world is full of them, will only give you distorted ideas of life, ideas that will change the sunniest and most helpful disposition into one morose, churlish and ill-natured. Be careful, then, whom you choose for your companions.

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It seems idle to approve a saying that inculcates a habit that should be more common than it is, but so much misery and unhappiness result from careless extravagance that the sermon cannot be preached too frequently. And, further, when the utterance comes from a man occupying Mr. Cleveland's position it takes an additional importance. The impression is prevalent that economy is not genteel; that a frank admission of one's inability to indulge in some luxury or even necessity is shabby, and that one's tastes must be gratified, even at the expense of honor.

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Tobacco versus Kisses.

I want to speak to you, young fellow. You are just learning to use tobacco; and feel yourself quite a man because that last cigar or chew didn't make you very sick. I presume your father has talked to you about the evils of the habit you are forming, and perhaps your mother has wept over it, but I hardly think any one has said what I want to. It is a delicate subject. The only woman who can talk about it is one who knows, and she does not like to give away her husband, father, or brother—or herself. You are beginning to like the girl. You enjoy their chatter, and mirth, and beauty, and think a great deal about the time when one, more perfect than all the others, shall be your own, and love you above all else on earth. You dream of sweet caresses, and it is right and manly to do so; but in letting this habit fasten its grasp upon you, don't you know you are spoiling your lips for the kisses which are their natural right? She who comes to be your wife will have to close all her senses whenever she gives or receives one. If she is a sensitive woman (and you don't want any other) she may never speak of it; but she will suffer at every nerve to see you so constantly with your head over a spittoon, or wildly seeking some spot to empty your mouth before speaking. No matter how fond she may be of you, or how proud of your attainments, I assure you that awful "spit! spit!" between sentences will spoil many a good talk for her.

Then, you cannot see so far ahead now, but if you are a fortunate man, there will be another set of girls about you by and by, whose kisses and admiration will be different, but just as dear as those you think of now. You will want just such close sweet, clinging kisses as you see them give their mother, but you'll not get them. They will shun your mouth and pick out the best place they can on your cheeks and forehead, making you realize that the cost of your tobacco is far from being all paid with dimes and dollars. Of course this little bit of old woman's talk won't make any difference. You will feel sure of kisses enough. Yes, for a time. But never, even in your inmost thoughts, accuse your dear ones of coldness, or mourn the lack of caresses. Love may be as strong as Death, and yet shrink from kisses flavored with tobacco.

MRS. BLANK. —Michigan Farmer.

Hoffman Howes—"That girl can't talk a little bit."
Howell Gibbon—"S' that so?"
Hoffman Howes—"Suah. The only thing she said to me the whole evening was 'No,' and I had to propose to her to get her to say that."—Puck.

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"If I Were a Boy."

So often I find myself telling what I would do if I were a boy, and now I am going to tell you some of these things. I would begin the new year with a firm resolution not to be anybody's servant. I would not be ruled by John Jones because he happened to be born a few years before I was, or because his father has a big bank account, or because he is something of a leader in school. If he is not a good manly fellow, true blue to the teacher's back he would not even influence me. God created one boy just as good as another, and no circumstances or assumption of superiority can alter this fact. My father may be a drunkard, my mother a washerwoman, and I may be tow-headed, freckled and ragged; but just the same I am a free born American citizen, as likely to one day occupy the White House as John Jones or Judge Somebody's son. So long as I behave myself I have a right to be respected; and again I say I would not be ruled by a bad, domineering boy. I hardly think I'd fight him; but I would carry myself in a quiet determined way that would win his respect, even though he kept on "pitching into me." "It is a long lane that has no turning," you know, and some day he will be glad to shake hands with me—like as not.

I wouldn't be driven to do what my mother and my conscience said was mean or wrong because the boys called me "mother's darling," "milk-sop," or "coward." I should know I was the last named if I did. The coward is the boy who can be over-persuaded or driven into wrong. If I were a boy I would be true to myself; I would keep my own respect. If we can't respect ourselves no one else will respect us—least of all, God. I would keep a clean record.

If I were a boy I would neither swear, smoke, chew, go into saloons, play cards, tell bad stories, sing bad songs, read bad books, look upon vile pictures, go in bad company, steal (even an apple or a melon), lie or waste my time. I would remember that I could be somebody if I would and I would. If my parents needed me "on the farm" I'd stay there; and if that seemed the only way open before me, I'd make a success of it—I'd dignify my calling. Meanwhile I would educate myself. The farmer-boy who sits by his own fireside, during the winter evenings and carefully reads such books as "Kellogg's English Literature," "Shaw's New History of English and American Literature," "Swinton's Outlines of the World's History," "Our Republic," simple works on physiology and hygiene, geological works and the like, will, in the end, be a better educated man—in the truest sense of the term—than he who spends years in practicing foot-ball and takes a thorough course in wine and card parties, with a little Greek, Latin and mathematics thrown in, at some noted college. Mind, if I were a boy, I'd try hard to go through college, but if I couldn't I would not be a baby about it. If I were a boy—but I'm not, I am only a woman who must bid my boys adieu, for the present—and get supper. First, though, let me urge all the boys to make 1893 a red letter year in their lives; you can make a long stride toward a noble manhood in a twelve month; and the opportunities of '93 will never come back to any of us again.—Practical Farmer.

A Rat Story.

I was talking with a Michigan avenue saloonkeeper the other evening when I noticed a large rat crawling out from behind the bar. I observed that its motion was very unsteady, and called the saloon keeper's attention to it.

"I know," said he in a tone of indifference, tinged with disgust. "He's like many one else, he couldn't stand prosperity."

"Couldn't stand prosperity?" I repeated.

"That's what I said. I once set a lot o' store by that rat. He was so sleek, smart and well-behaved that I sort o' softened to him from the first. He had the mildest eye I ever see, an' the cunningest nose. And a tall—why even now where 'ud you find a handsomer one? Say, I just took a fancy to that rat and nothin' on the lunch counter was too good for him. He had the full run of enough bread and cheese and bologna to support a family. But he couldn't stand it."

"No? How was that?" "Took to drink. Fact. Found his way one unlucky day to the pan that holds the beer drippin's and he's been full every day since. Look at him now. He can't walk straight and his tail follows after him like a slack tow line."

"And does he drink to get drunk?" "Gets fuller 'en 40 cats sometimes, and nearly always stupid. Lost all his self-respect, no get-up in him any more. There's something demoralizing, anyway," he added, "in this saloon business."—Evening News.

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Pungent Paragraphs for Horticulturists.

Moss on trees is an evidence of unthriftiness.

It is a safe rule to be shy of much lauded new fruits.

When a tree is vigorous and healthy the top is luxuriant.

Winter fruit keeps best when excluded from air and kept dry.

A feeble growth in old trees is often the result of starvation.

In the fall is a good time to set out raspberry plants of any kind.

Have the soil for strawberries rich and as free from weeds as possible.

A tree that is freshly transplanted in the fall is nearly dormant all winter.

An excess of water around the roots of trees during winter often kills them.

It is a mistake to plant trees of any kind unless the soil is thoroughly prepared.

Never sow onion seed that is more than a year old, as it cannot be relied on to grow.

The planting of nuts or seeds of fruit trees should be done before they have time to dry.

A fruit tree like a fattening animal, needs good feeding to make it productive and profitable.

Some trees need but little pruning; the cherry, after it gets started rarely needs but little if any.

Much of the extra size and vigor of new varieties is due to the extra soil and care given them.

Pruning is always necessary to restore the balance after the partial loss of the roots in removing.

It is a mistake to put the apples intended for long keeping in the cellar too early in the season.

For rooting the best cutting of a plant is a shoot of new growth made just before it grows woody.

The rhubarb and asparagus plants will be the better for a good covering of manure at this time.

An old grape vine does not require manure close to the stem as the small roots are farther away.

If your trees are to be shipped some distance, arrange to have them packed in boxes rather than bales.

Give trees plenty of room if you would have them vigorous and thrifty, and bear large, well matured fruit.

When plants are wanted the runners should be encouraged, but when fruit is desired keep them cut off.

Deep freezing benefits the garden soil, hence one of the advantages in plowing the garden deep in the fall.

When bloom rather than seeds is wanted a good plan is to remove the seed vessels as soon as the bloom begins to fade.

Generally drooping leaves indicating growth are preferable with house plants to yellow leaves indicating too much water.

In putting tulips, hyacinths, etc., in the house they need several weeks in a moderately cool, even temperature, in a dark place, in order to form roots.

At York, Pa., in the orchard of Simon Muleher, there is a tree that actually bears a crop of three different kinds of fruit, pears, peaches and apples.

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It has been truly said that half the world does not know how the other half lives. Comparatively few of us have perfect health, owing to the impure condition of our blood. But we rub along from day to day, with scarcely a thought, unless forced to our attention, of the thousands all about us who are suffering from scrofula, salt rheum and other serious blood disorders, and whose agonies can only be imagined. The marked success of Hood's Sarsaparilla for these troubles, as shown in our advertising columns frequently, certainly seems to justify urging the use of this excellent medicine by all who know that their blood is disordered. Every claim in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla is fully backed up by what the medicine has done and is still doing, and when its proprietors urge its merits and its use upon all who suffer from impure blood, in great or small degrees, they certainly mean to include you.

That Big Feller.

A middle aged man, whose business keeps him away from home on all days except Sunday, had occasion to chastise his eldest son one Sabbath, about three weeks ago. As soon as the shingle seance was over, the child ran crying into the house.

"Why, Johnnie, what is the matter?" asked the mother in alarm.

"That big feller's been licking me," whimpered the boy.

"What fellow do you mean, Johnnie?"

"Why, that feller what stays here every Sunday," replied the urchin, with a gulp.—Texas Siftings.

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Literary Notes.

Julian Ralph's second paper on the South will appear in Harper's Magazine for February, and will be devoted to "New Orleans, our Southern Capital." It will embrace a graphic description of the distinctive features of that remarkable city, with entertaining comment and observations concerning its social and commercial aspects. The paper will be fully illustrated by W. T. Smedley.

A Museum of art and archaeology and a school of fine arts in the capital of the Ottoman empire are not exactly in accordance with our ideas of Turkish ignorance and prejudice. The forthcoming number of The Century will contain an article by Dr. John P. Peters, entitled "An Art Impetus in Turkey," the illustrations of which many of the beautiful objects now in the Imperial Museum at Constantinople. In this museum is the finest and most valuable collection of sarcophagi in the world, including the famous Alexander sarcophagus found at Sidon by Hamdy Bey, the originator and chief of the school of fine arts in Turkey, whose work is described in this article.

If the young woman whose portrait graces the first page of Cassell's Family Magazine for February be a real flesh and blood young woman, and not a painting, she ought to be a famous beauty. Beauty she is, but for her fame we cannot speak as the face is a new one to us. "In Parliament Assembled," is the first of a series of illustrated papers. The subtitle of this paper is "Some Old Parliamentary Hands" and the illustrations are, some from photographs, the others semi-caricatures. One of the most striking papers of the number is "In the United States Weather Office," which gives a number of illustrations and portraits.—Cassell Publishing Co., N. Y.

The frontispiece of the February number of the Magazine of Art is an original etching by David Law, of his own painting, "After the Festa." The opening article is on "Current Art," by Claude Phillips, and is beautifully illustrated with engravings from some of the most notable paintings of the day in England. All art workers will be interested in Walter Crane's paper on "Design," which he has illustrated with careful drawings. "When the World was Young," is a poem by Ellen Thornycraft Fowler, inspired by E. J. Poynter's painting of that name which is reproduced in this number. Henry G. Hine, the water-color painter, is the subject of a biographical and critical sketch by Frederic Wedmore, with illustrations showing the artist's work. The Kelvingrove Art Galleries and Museum, at Glasgow, are minutely described by Owen Fleming and, by their size and stateliness, put to the blush any of our own galleries and museums of art.—Cassell Publishing Company, 35 cents a number; \$3.50 a year in advance.

It was Ben Johnson, we believe, who when asked Mallock's question, "Is life worth living?" replied, "That depends on the liver." And Ben Johnson doubtless saw the double point to the pun. The liver active—quick—life rosy, everything bright, mountains of trouble melt like mountains of snow. The liver sluggish—life dull, everything blue, sloughs of worry rise into mountains of anxiety, and as a result—sick headache, dizziness, constipation. Two ways are open. Cure permanently, or relieve temporarily. Take a pill and suffer, or take a pill and get well. Shock the system by an overdose, or coax it by a mild, pleasant way.

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**UNIVERSITY.**

Delos F. Wilcox is now editor-in-chief of the S. C. A. Bulletin.

The medical students have been giving each other points lately—vaccine points.

On March 1st, Prof. Knowlton will commence a series of lectures before the S. C. A.

The U. of M. Press Club holds a meeting Saturday, in Room 12, address by S. A. Moran.

The Library building was slightly damaged by the freezing and thawing of the past week.

The U. of M. Alumni at Lansing have taken the preliminary steps in securing an organization.

The law department has 272 juniors, 282 seniors, 70 one year men, and 25 post grads, or 650 altogether.

A new ice house has been erected by the University authorities near the hospitals, and 400 tons of ice stored therein.

Remember Henry Watterson's great lecture Saturday evening at University Hall, on his famous subject, "Money and Morals."

The faculty of the dental department have finally decided not to change the degree conferred from D. D. S. to D. M. D.

Boards will be open Thursday morning at the usual places for the reserving of seats for Watterson's lecture on Saturday night.

The Webster Society holds a debate to-night to choose contestants for the oratorical contest, and the Jeffersonian society holds one to-morrow night.

Mrs. A. Towne, lit '80, of Duluth, who will be remembered as a brilliant student, has been appointed Judge Advocate General, by Gov. Nelson, of Minnesota.

Cornelius Vanderbilt has given to Yale a new dormitory building, to cost not less than \$450,000, and work has already commenced upon the structure.

The Pinckney Dispatch refers to the genial professor of surgery in the homeop. dept as "Dr. O'Betts." Probably a scheme on the doctor's part to get the Irish vote.

Henry Watterson was obliged to decline an invitation to a banquet by the U. of M. Press Club, tendered for next Friday evening, much to the regret of everyone interested.

The Glee and Banjo Clubs are greatly pleased with their first two concerts, given at Bryan, Ohio, and at Coldwater. They were greeted with crowded houses in each place, and banqueted afterwards.

Among the candidates in the school teacher's list for the Detroit Journal's free trip to the World's Fair, is Prof. H. J. Sherrard, lit. '82, of Grosse Pointe, who headed the column last Monday night with 659 votes.

Albion College is in luck again. Senator McMillan has given it a \$25,000 laboratory to be completed on or before Sept. 15, and Col. A. T. Bliss, of Saginaw, gives it a \$50,000 literary building to be completed in 1894.

The calendar for Cornell university for 1893, gives the following interesting statistics: Whole number of students, 1,665; whole number of teachers 145, divided as follows: professors 34, associate and assistant professors 33, instructors 71, lecturers in the law school 7.

Chas. L. Carter, law '87, one of the commissioners from the provincial Hawaiian government, who is at Washington, D. C., seeking the annexation of that country to the United States, will be remembered by many of our citizens. He married Miss Mary H. Scott, of this city, daughter of the late J. Austin Scott, and sister of Evert H., and Ranny C. Scott, of this city.

The Adrian Press remarks: "The Michigan University will be allowed 3,000 square feet of space, at the world's fair. This will be sufficiently ample for chemical purposes, and possibly give room for old Nagel's pickling vat. The curiosities sometimes seen in it would make a whole show of itself."

Dr. D'Onge, of the University, recently gave a lecture on "Greek Music." The lecture was "All Greek" to many, and the others knew before, that the Greeks regarded themselves as having all the sharps and other people all the flats in the world, till taught differently by the untutored Romans.—Adrian Press.

Following this item was one about "the manslaughter of names" by "the typographical error." When the Press gets around to transposing the above name to Prof. D'Onge, then he may expect to secure a free ride in a fine vehicle with plumes on it, and he will go feet first, too.

Prof. Schaeberle, who is attaining such prominence in his profession, and who goes to Chili to view the eclipse, being sent from the great Lick Observatory of California, is essentially a self-made man. He learned the mechanic's trade when a boy and by that means obtained sufficient money to pay his way through the University of Michigan. He is a practical mechanic, and how good an one may be judged from the fact that when living here at Ann Arbor he constructed a complete telescope, grinding the lenses and doing all the work upon it himself. This he used to further his studies while going through the University.

**PERSONALS.**

Mrs. J. R. Bach goes to Cleveland to-morrow for a three week's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Nowlan, of Ypsilanti, were in the city yesterday and to-day.

W. J. Booth, accompanied by Mrs. Booth, returned from the west Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Maynard has returned from a visit with her parents in Lansing.

Miss Lee and Miss Judd, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with Mrs. E. H. Eberbach.

Mr. and Mrs. David McLean, of Bay City, have removed to Ann Arbor permanently.

Miss Lena Michael left yesterday for a two week's visit with her parents, at Niles.

Mrs. Kline is in Lansing spending a few weeks with her husband, Representative Kline.

Miss Lizzie Shadford, of the Northside, has gone to Chicago to visit a sister, Mrs. Beckler.

Dr. and Mrs. Nancrede, of N. Ingalls st., gave a large reception to friends last Friday evening.

Miss Minnie Walker, of Plymouth, is visiting relatives and friends in Ann Arbor this week.

Harry and Gerald Brown gave their young friends a highly enjoyed sleigh ride Friday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Darling entertained a few friends in a musical way last Thursday evening.

Mrs. M. J. Perkins, of the Northside, was called to New York Monday, by the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Eberbach entertained the members of the Gesang Verein Lyra very pleasantly last Friday evening.

This item is personal to Prof and Mrs. C. K. McGee, of Olivia place, and refers especially to a very young gentleman who came to make a permanent home with them last Monday morning.

Mrs. C. L. Pack, of N. Ingalls st., leaves to-morrow for a visit of some weeks with relatives in Jordan, N. Y., from where she will go to see her daughter Mrs. C. J. Kintner, in New York City.

The many friends of James L. Stone in this city, will be glad to learn that he is rapidly improving under treatment at Detroit. He was threatened with permanent disability from an injured knee.

**COL. DEAN'S CANDIDACY.**

Good Words for Him from all Sections of the State.

The prominent republican papers throughout the state have been canvassing the question of the nomination for Regent of the University, and so many good words are said in favor of Col. H. S. Dean, of this city, that we feel compelled to let our readers know how much our fellow citizen is thought of by the people of Michigan.

The Republican and Courier of Coldwater and the Adrian Times have each had articles favoring Col. Dean's candidacy.

The Lansing Republican, in an article upon the subject says:

"The Republican is inclined to favor that nomination for several reasons: First, we believe it would be an improvement of the present plan to have at least one resident regent who is a representative man of the state; and, second, Col. Dean is a resident of Ann Arbor, and he is also a distinctively representative man of Michigan, politically and socially.

"Col. Dean is an energetic and successful business man, with an unassailable record—a man who has no superior in the confidence or respect of his fellow citizens, who have honored him with many positions of trust which he has filled to their complete satisfaction. He is doubtless a practical man, and familiar with our university and its needs.

"In the state Col. Dean is known as a live republican, an unusually acute observer—one who knows men and how to deal with them, and himself a man of strong conscientious convictions. His army record is first-class, and so popular is he with the veterans that he holds to-day the position of department commander in the G. A. R. of Michigan.

"Would it not be well to place at least one intelligent friend of the University upon the board of regents, who would give his personal attention to its needs and the expenditure of its funds? The Republican believes that it would, and we do not think of a better man upon whom to experiment than Col. Dean."

The Manistee Advocate speaks of the subject in this way:

"The Ann Arbor Courier has presented for consideration by the republicans of the state, the name of Col. Henry S. Dean of Washtenaw county as a candidate for Regent of the state University. Col. Dean is a man of wide acquaintance throughout the state. He is at the helm of the Michigan department of the G. A. R. and is well known as a man of unquestioned integrity and good business ability. Col. Dean lives at Ann Arbor and no one in the state is better acquainted with the needs of our great university than he. His friends in this part of the state will be pleased to know of his candidacy and if nominated and elected every one can feel assured that the affairs at the University will be wisely and economically administered."

The Port Huron Daily Times has had several articles favoring Col. Dean's candidacy, and among others, this paragraph:

"The Ann Arbor Courier and Register bring out Col. Henry S. Dean, of that city, as a candidate for the republican nomination for Regent of the University at the spring election. Col. Dean is admirably qualified for the place, and the Times heartily indorses the nomination."

The Daily Mining Journal, of Marquette, is enthusiastic:

"There is to be a regent of the state University elected the coming spring and The Mining Journal hopes to see the republicans of the state honor with a nomination as their candidate for that office Col. Henry S. Dean, of Washtenaw county. We are all proud of the state University and deeply interested in its continued advancement.

For this reason we are all concerned in having its board of regents composed of men who take pride in the state, who appreciate the value to it of its educational system and institutions, and who can be relied on to give zealous attention to the discharge of their duties in connection therewith. Colonel Dean is such a man. He has a reputation throughout the state for the sagacity of a high order and great energy in the accomplishment of whatever he undertakes to do. He won renown in the late war as a colonel in the Union army, commanding a Michigan regiment, and his nomination would be very gratifying to the old soldiers of the state. It is somewhat early to bring out candidates for a position a man so well fitted for it as Col. Dean is for regent of the state University. The Mining Journal trusts that the republicans of this peninsula will send a delegation friendly to him to the state convention when it is held, for it is certain that a better man for the place can not be found in Michigan."

These are only specimens representing all sections of the state; there are scores of others just as complimentary that might be quoted, did space permit. These show which way the wind blows.

**A FEW POINTS**

Impressively Expressed by the Adrian Press.

Fish-pond socials go on at Dexter, in spite of the game law. What can that hold over Hampton be about?

The newspapers that have so assiduously warbled for "good roads" got them in January. "Whoa, January!"

The city of Ann Arbor feels that it needs another ward, imagining that it looks like a boy who has outgrown his first pants; or a stage actress with her dress too short in the neck at both ends.

The Ypsilanti Coffee roaster Co. has made an assignment—upon what grounds, it is not learned here, perhaps upon the coffee grounds. The concern seemed to lack the cream and sugar of a successful enterprise.

The North Sharon society have a new minister, a new carpet for the rostrum, a new chair for the organist and a stock of Cuba gum, fresh from Burroughs' factory, for the use of the choir, between "chewies."

"Every peg fits some hole," remarked the Ann Arbor Argus "Lounger," who soon after rose from a dry goods box and tore his pants. And yet, he believes that the municipal club "needs to rub up against the world, a little!"

Miss Jennie Harrington, of Whitaker, was recently married, but almost immediately disliked her husband and returned to her mother. This melancholy incident touches the need of a probationary clause in the marriage law.

Chelsea Congregationalists have boosted the salary of their minister up another hundred dollars. They felt pretty weak after the effort and the pastor saved himself from fainting by catching hold of one of the wings of the arch-angel.

A horse that, ever since the war, had drawn Dr. Haze, of Pinckney, around to see his patients, at least \$100,000 worth—counting in the grave stones,—was slaughtered last week for the crime of old age. Moral: Don't be an old horse!

An Ypsilanti hackman is out with a new hack and insists that it is the finest public carriage in the city. His claim is disputed, by one of the undertakers; but the latter is at a great disadvantage as he can prove nothing by his customers.

"Town pride is a good thing to have," says the Dexter News. "Pride goeth before destruction." Our preference would be for a town clock with an hourly procession of the Twelve Apostles, and a sun dial to show that the clock was telling the truth.

Ann Arbor wants her charter amended so that she can pay taxes twice a year. Two classes of people are opposed to the "single tax" theory. The Ann Arborites who want to pay taxes twice a year, and that other kind of fellow, who opposes paying them once; among whom are the single taxers.

Dundee has got a notion in her head that she is going to be a city, and the notion is not ill-founded. To make a perfectly sure thing of it, however, she ought to take a pot-sheep and scrape the moss off the backs of a few of the old turtles there, who crawl around with the gout and refuse to sell their real estate for a decent price.

The preceptor of the Chelsea high school has resigned and gone into the boot and shoe business, at Grand Rapids. Higher and higher rises the aspiration of this pedagogue from the culture of minds to the salvation of soles. May he be "healed" in this world and saved at the "last," when his body "waxes" cold at his final "end!"

"Honesty," a correspondent of the Ann Arbor Courier deals the republican legislature a blow on the bugle, for its acceptance of railroad passes. If "Honesty" is not careful, he will be unceremoniously bounced from the councils and confidence of his party. He is awfully in the minority. But of course it is wrong for legislators to accept railroad passes. They are only for editors.

John Stagg, a Milan miller, must have been mortally mangled the other day but for a miraculous escape. His coat caught in a chain belt and he was fast galloping toward eternity, when he happily grabbed a post and held on with teeth and eyebrows till the mill was stopped by the proprietor. He was not hurt much, but in the matter of clothing resembled Adam before the transgression.

But why should the dry goods merchant look down upon the teacher, or the teacher upon the dry goods man.—Argus Lounger.

Dunno; wouldn't be surprised if one were a trifle shorter than the other. Speaking of short people, the "shortest" man mentioned in the Bible was not Kneehigh-miah, nor Bildad, the Shoe-high, but Peter, who said: "Silver and gold have I none."

A fast-idle young man named Bonman, registered at the Hawkins in Ypsilanti and stayed a week. He insisted on the most elegant room in the house and bumble bee's liver on toast. One night he dropped himself and baggage out of his chamber window and faded away, or ere the golden orb of morn had chased the fleeting shadows to their caves. A deputy sheriff, however, chased the fleeing Bonman, who had protracted memory concerning his board bill, and the Bogardus-kicker hoisted him behind the bars for 30 days. From the gilded bedroom to the dirty jail crowd! O, why should the spirit of Bonman be proud?

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**CONGRESSIONAL.**

**Second Session.**

In the senate on the 30th ult. the general debate on the anti-option bill was closed. Senator Chandler introduced a resolution calling upon the president to enter into negotiation with the provisional government of the late kingdom of Hawaii for the admission of the island as a territory of the United States. In the house the sundry civil appropriation bill was further considered, but was not disposed of. The speaker announced the following committee to investigate the Panama canal scandal: Messrs. Fellows, Geary, Patterson, Powers and Storer.

In the senate the anti-option bill occupied almost the entire day. The bill was passed by a vote of 40 to 28. The credentials of Senator Mills as senator from Texas were received and placed on file. The bill for the construction of a wagon bridge across the Missouri river at Sioux City, Ia., was passed and the senate adjourned. In the house the sundry civil bill occupied the attention of that body during the entire day.

In the senate the fortification and army appropriation bills were passed on the 1st and the District of Columbia bill was considered. In the house the time was occupied in discussing the sundry civil appropriation bill, but no action was taken.

In the senate on the 2d the District of Columbia appropriation bill was passed and the resolution for the annexation of Hawaii was referred to the committee on foreign relations. The nomination of Howell E. Jackson, of Tennessee, to be associate justice of the United States supreme court, vice L. Q. C. Lamar, deceased, was received from the president. In the house the sundry civil bill was passed with an amendment to do away with federal officers at election. A bill was introduced to revise the pension list.

The repeal of the Sherman act, or at least of the suspension of the silver bullion purchase provision of it, was discussed in the senate on the 3d, after which fitting tributes were made to the memory of the late Senator Barbour, of Virginia. In the house the anti-option bill was referred to the committee on agriculture, the deficiency appropriation bill was passed and the Indian appropriation bill was reported.

**DOMESTIC.**

The secretary of the treasury estimates the appropriations for defraying the expenses of collecting the revenue from customs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894, at \$7,892,460.

FRED SCHUMANN, a well-known citizen of Memphis, Tenn., while nearly insane from business troubles murdered his two children and made a probably successful attempt to commit suicide by taking poison.

FIRE destroyed the building in Cincinnati occupied by the American Book company, the loss being \$100,000.

NINE Austrians who arrived in New York on the French line steamship La Gasconne were ordered to return on the same steamer as they were penniless.

LOUIS FRANKLIN and Charles C. Rapp, two well-known citizens, were asphyxiated by gas at Davenport, Ia.

C. C. CONN, proprietor of the Conn band instrument factory at Elkhart, Ind., made his annual distribution of dividends on the profit-sharing basis. The workmen received \$14,600.

ADVICES from New York say that most of the transatlantic steamship companies have stopped bringing immigrants to this country in the steers.

The will of the late Gen. Butler was filed in the Middlesex probate court at East Cambridge. It bears the date of 1854, with a codicil added in 1863. All his estate is left to relatives, including a wife and mother since deceased.

THE dwelling house of James Addison at West Newbury, Mass., was destroyed by fire and Mrs. Addison, aged 40, and his son William, aged 16, perished in the flames.

HENRY SMITH, the negro who murdered a 3-year-old girl at Paris, Tex., has been caught. The mob determined on the most awful punishment possible to inflict, and he would be burned to death at the stake.

THE entire plant of the Warner Portland Cement company, located at Warner, N. Y., was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$175,000.

JAMES FAULKNER was killed and eight others injured by a railroad wreck near Augusta, Ky.

ONE of the worst blizzards for many years swept over the northwest, the cold being intense. At Helena, Mont., the thermometer registered 50 degrees below zero.

THE 10-year-old son of Henry Lichtmark, near Winamac, Ind., carelessly pointed a gun at his elder brother and pulled the trigger, fatally wounding him.

LUKE TATUM, a negro wife murderer, was hanged at Camden, Ark.

At Port Royal, S. C., the official trials of the pneumatic guns of the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius were a success.

A SUICIDAL mania seems rampant in Louisville, Ky. In one day four men died from self-inflicted wounds and a fifth made an attempt to take his life.

THE legislatures of Pennsylvania and Oregon adopted resolutions favoring the annexation of the Sandwich Islands to the United States.

It was reported that the liabilities of the Erie car works at Erie, Pa., whose failure was recently announced, would reach \$1,000,000.

THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the interest and non-interest bearing debt increased \$3,105,901 during the month of January. The cash in the treasury was \$28,000,000. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury, amounts to \$888,537,965. Since March 1, 1889, the beginning of the present administration, the bonded indebtedness of the country has decreased \$259,072,560.

HENRY SMITH, a negro who murdered a 4-year-old Myrtle Vance at Paris, Tex., was captured by a mob, tortured with red hot brands and finally saturated with coal oil and burned to death.

THE government receipts in January amounted to \$85,209,973, the largest in any one month for two years, and \$4,750,000 more than in January, 1892.

FOUR negroes who murdered and robbed two white men named Ratcliffe and Shortridge at Richlands, Va., were lynched by a mob.

THE commissioner of patents in his annual report to congress shows that the net receipts of the office during the last calendar year were \$1,288,331.83, and the expenditures \$1,110,739.24, making the receipts over expenditures \$175,592.59. There were 21,427 patents issued to citizens of the United States during the year and 2,051 to foreigners.

WHARTON MCKNIGHT, owner of a large iron foundry and machine shops

in Pittsburgh, Pa., failed for \$125,000. The month of January, just passed, was said to have been the coldest ever known in Iowa.

COUNTERFEIT silver dollars, halves, quarters and dimes of the issue of 1892 were in circulation in Chicago.

SNOWSLIDES at Aspen, Col., killed three men, and at Carbondale one man lost his life in the same manner.

THE First national bank of Little Rock, Ark., closed its doors with heavy liabilities.

JAMES MITCHELL and his wife and child were frozen to death in their house near Topeka, Kan.

PRESIDENT HARRISON sent to congress a message dealing with the subject of the importation of foreign goods into the United States across the Canadian border under consular seal in which he says that the present system shows favoritism to Canadian transportation routes and seaports against those of our own country.

THE advance sheets of Hoffman's Catholic directory, the official publication of the Catholic church in the United States, gives the total Catholic population in this country at 8,806,095. The total number of priests is 9,388; children attending parochial schools, 788,269, and children in orphan asylums, 26,533. There are 127 Catholic colleges, 656 academies, 3,587 parochial schools, 463 charitable institutions and 8,477 churches.

THE 13,000 miners in the Wyoming and Laekawanna valleys in Pennsylvania will hereafter work eight hours a day.

It has been determined to remove the remains of Jefferson Davis from New Orleans to Richmond for interment on May 30.

THE Reading Railway company says that if the bill before the New York legislature to fix the price of anthracite coal becomes a law they will not bring any coal into the state at all.

FIVE weekly newspaper offices in Topeka, Kan., were destroyed by fire. A VERDICT of guilty was rendered at Pittsburgh, Pa., in the case of Robert J. Beatty, charged with poisoning the non-union workmen at Homestead.

Mrs. JACOB PRIMER, of Brooklyn, N. Y., a handsome woman of 36 years of age, after a brief quarrel with her husband shot him fatally and then shot herself dead.

DR. LANGCASTER DREW, treasurer of the Central Savings Fund, Trust & Safe Deposit company at Philadelphia, was said to have embezzled \$10,000.

A LAMP explosion set fire to the house of Alfred Burgerson in Chicago and Mrs. Burgerson and her baby were fatally burned.

THE total number of deaths reported in the state of New York for the year 1892 was 130,750. This makes the death rate for the year 20.78 per 1,000 population.

AN explosion in the Conygham shaft near Wilkesbarre, Pa., burned nine men, two of them fatally.

SAM SMITH, a 19-year-old negro, was hanged at Birmingham, Ala., for the murder of Isaac Burger nine months ago.

THE boilers of the Planters' express company at Vicksburg, Miss., exploded, killing three men and injuring twelve others.

THE Chicago Milk Shippers association, with a membership of 2,300, failed for \$100,000.

WALLACE HOLMES was hanged at Springfield, Mass., for the murder of his wife on election day in November, 1891.

EXCHANGES amounting to \$1,390,815-788 were reported by the leading clearing houses in the United States during the seven days ended on the 3d, against \$1,373,829,603 the previous seven days. As compared with the corresponding week of 1892 the increase was 5.0.

THE national live stock exchange opened its annual session in Omaha.

IN the United States during the seven days ended on the 3d the business failures numbered 301, against 295 the previous week and 297 for the corresponding time last year.

GEORGE GOODRICH, a colored middle weight, was instantly killed in the ring at New Orleans by his opponent, Joe Green. Goodrich was knocked down, and the fall broke his neck.

THE total money circulation of the country on the 1st was placed at \$1,607,958,439, or a per capita of \$24.23, against \$1,603,855,128 at the same time in 1892.

THE commissioners of the provisional government of Hawaii who are charged with the duty of presenting to the government of the United States the proposition of annexing the islands to this country have reached Washington.

FOURTEEN men were seriously injured, one fatally, in an explosion at the Star foundry in Worcester, Mass.

FLAMES in a tenement house in New York caused the deaths of Morris Cohen and his wife and little girl.

Gov. Hogg has issued instructions to the sheriff of Lamar county to arrest every person implicated in the burning of the negro Smith at Paris, Tex.

THE value of the honey and wax produced in the United States during the past year is estimated at \$20,000,000.

PAULINE NEWCOMBE, aged 30, and Willard Woodworth, an engaged couple, were drowned at Marysville, Cal., by the capsizing of a boat.

THE fire losses of the United States and Canada for January amounted to \$17,958,400, which is a larger aggregate than for that month in any year since 1882.

LATE advices from Alaska are to the effect that the citizens of that territory are earnestly working for home rule.

IN the Minnesota legislature Representative Bleeker introduced a bill to prohibit the manufacture of hoop-skirts within the borders of the state.

AN iron roller mill was burned at Irondale, Minn., the loss being \$130,000.

A NATURAL gas explosion in the home of John D. Shofstall at Urbana, O., killed his daughter aged 23, and Mrs. Clark, aged 68 years.

**PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.**

DR. T. M. LEAVENWORTH, one of the prominent figures in the history of California, died at his home in Santa Rosa at the age of 90 years.

THE funeral of James G. Blaine took place at the Church of the Covenant in Washington on the 30th ult., after which the remains were interred in Oak Hill cemetery.

THE electoral vote of the state of Montana was received by messenger at Washington. This completed the list which the law requires to be furnished to the president of the senate.

E. B. PRICE, editor of the Oroville (Cal.) Mercury and assemblyman from Butte county, dropped dead in the state house at Sacramento.

JOSEPH P. COMEY, ex-chief justice of Delaware, died at his residence in Dover, aged 80 years.

JOSEPH WILLIAM BERT HOWARD, better known to the journalistic profession as Phocion Howard, died at his home in Danville, Ill., of heart failure, aged nearly 60 years.

THOMAS W. BENNETT, ex-governor of Idaho, who was appointed by President Grant, died at his home in Richmond, Ind.

Mrs. CATHERINE ROBINSON died at Oskaloosa, Ia., aged 102 years and 11 months.

THE Michigan supreme court handed down a decision in the contested election case in the Fifth congressional district, seating Charles E. Belknap, the republican candidate.

REV. W. J. TUCKER, D. D., professor of sacred rhetoric at Andover theological seminary, has been elected president of Dartmouth college at Concord, N. H.

**FOREIGN.**

THE British government has instructed Sir Julian Pauncefote, its minister in Washington, to protest against the action of the United States officials and forces in Hawaii.

FIVE miners were killed and ten injured by an explosion in a mine near Gratz, Syria.

THE British parliament convened on the 31st ult., the queen's speech being read.

THREE sailors, survivors of the wrecked Norwegian ship Thekla, arrived at Hamburg, and report terrible suffering. For sixteen days they subsisted upon human flesh, the three strangling a fourth companion.

THE island of Zante, in Greece, was shaken by another earthquake and a hundred houses were wrecked and many persons were killed and injured.

AN explosion of fire in a coal pit at Recklinghausen, Germany, killed eighteen miners and seventeen others were injured.

ABOUT 500 houses were destroyed by fire at Shibushi, Japan, and many lives were lost.

IRA MULOCK, president of the defunct bank of Florence, Col., died in Mexico, where he had been exiled for several years to escape criminal prosecution.

A FIRE in Rolland Bros' furniture warehouses in Montreal caused a loss of \$100,000.

THE state legislature of Pueblo, Mex., has abolished bull-fighting.

THE Banco de Roma y la Plata at Buenos Ayres has suspended payment in consequence of the loss of \$1,000,000 in gold caused by the speculation of the manager of the concern.

IN a riot at Bogota over an article in a newspaper alleging widespread ignorance among the laboring classes 100 men were killed and 500 wounded.

**LATER.**

IN the United States senate on the 4th several house bills were considered and eighteen of them were passed. The quarantine bill was called up, but no action was taken. In the house the diplomatic and military academy appropriation bills were passed. The features of the day's session was the spontaneous expression of regret manifested by his colleagues at the voluntary retirement of Mr. Blount, of Georgia, from the seat which he has filled for twenty years.

By a fall of slate in Prince's coal mine near Zanewsville, O., four miners were fatally crushed.

THE Hawaiian commissioners stated their case to Secretary Foster, in which they left no doubt as to their desire for annexation. The sentiment in congress was said to be strongly in favor of annexation.

THREE members of the family of Andrew Berglund at New Bedford, N. D., were asphyxiated by coal gas.

JOHN S. JOHNSON, the cyclist and skater, broke the amateur 5-mile record of America at Minneapolis, making the distance in 15:20 4-5.

HUNDREDS of head of live stock have died from the recent blizzard in Kansas.

BESSIE PITMAN was fatally shot in a resort in Indianapolis, Ind., by Philip Pabach, who then turned the revolver on himself and blew his brains out. Jealousy was the cause.

A FIRE at Copper Basin, A. T., destroyed the reduction works of the Commercial Mining company, causing a loss of \$200,000.

INCESSANT rain for several days caused floods throughout Queensland. Several towns were under water, hundreds of persons were homeless, and thousands of head of cattle were drowned.

OTTO SEIFLING, a farmer living near West Seio, Ore., shot and killed his wife and then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

FRANK LEWIS, the Waverly (Kan.) bank robber, who murdered A. P. Ingelman, was found guilty of murder and sentenced to imprisonment for one year and then to be hanged.

THE Deland chemical works at Fairport, N. Y., were burned, the loss being \$200,000.

AT Humphrey's ranch, near Pine Ridge, S. D., White Stick's band of Indians killed four white men. Mounted police were dispatched to the scene of the trouble and in the encounter with the Indians five of the latter were killed.

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Time table, taking effect December 12, 1892.

**CHICAGO TO DETROIT.**

STATIONS	MAIL	DAY	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.	EXP.
Chi.Lv.	7:05	9:00	12:30	3:10	4:55	9:30	11:45	A.M.				
Kala's	12:25	2:05	5:57	7:00	8:58	1:53	4:25	7:10				
Jack'n	3:50	4:25	5:58	8:47	10:37	A.M.						
Chel'a	3:52	5:02	...	...	...	4:58	7:38	10:13				
Dexter	4:05	5:11	...	...	...	5:10	7:42	10:14				
A. A.	4:25	5:30	6:28									

COUNTY AND VICINITY.

Dexter is to have a new bank. No school at Manchester last week. The Fowlerville Observer is bragging about their schools. The Enterprise wants old photographs or pictures of buildings in and about that village. If the farmers will agree to raise the cucumbers, Manchester will have a pickle factory next summer. A. D. Powers & Son, of Northville, are to erect a new cheese factory at So. Lyon, and be ready for business in the spring. The weather was quite mild on Tuesday, and "new" maple sugar will be in the market in a few days.—Manchester Enterprise.

The Dexter News says that "a vein of rich soft coal" was struck a few days since on the farm of Mrs. Schultz, between Base and Portage lakes.

Hudson has one hundred and eleven widows. Their property is assessed at \$277,000 and they contribute \$2,800 to the public treasury in taxes.

Richard Walsh, of Webster, died Jan. 26, at his home, aged 83 years. A native of Ireland, he came to America in 1828, and to this county in 1836.

Walter Stimpson, of Milan, has invented a computing attachment for scales which indicates the exact weight and cost of any article at any price per pound, says the Leader.

A burglar was captured at Manchester the other night, who had broken into a saloon and filled up on "budg." He proved to be an old offender who had served time at Ionia.

The time was when some people who were compelled to subsist on a diet of pork and potatoes, thought themselves terribly ill used. The time is now when those two articles of produce are listed among the luxuries and these same people are kicking because of their scarcity. Verily, some people are never satisfied.—Dexter News.

A very unique plan for raising funds has been adopted by the Ladies' Social Union of the Baptist church. It is proposed to hold birthday parties among the members of the Union, and each member in whose honor the party is held, shall deposit in the treasury the number of cents that the member is years old.—Fowlerville Observer.

Another scheme of the ladies to show how young they are? The Dundee school board disposed of the \$9,000 bonds of the district, to replace the bonds falling due Feb. 1, to the Wayne County Savings Bank, Detroit, at five per cent. interest, the bank furnishing the blank bonds and paying all expenses of their issue. There were six bidders for the bonds.—Reporter. The bonds taken up were held in this city, and were paid in full and cancelled last Wednesday.

The citizens of Wayne, held a meeting last week to talk over the propriety of bonding the village to secure manufacturers. The talk was quite favorable and a committee was appointed. We understand that one or two large factories are ready to locate there if a little assistance is proffered them.—Plymouth Mail. How would it do for Wayne to induce some railroad to locate a passenger depot in that village?

A good story is told of a minister who, finding the fire in the grate had gone out, asked his wife to set something dry with which to light it. The good woman left the room, and there was a humorous twinkle in her eye when she returned from the garret a few minutes later with an armful of her husband's old sermons and the remark: "I don't know of anything dryer than these, dear!"—Northville Record.

The new hook and eye that are peculiar because the hook has a hump in it have been succeeded by a hook that is peculiar for two humps between which the eye is held in place. Thus rapidly does invention succeed invention in this land of novelties.—Chelsea Herald. Bro. Allison is a man pretty well along in years, but he must be quite kittenish yet, or he would not be able to go into such minute details on this hook and eye business.

In a chunk of ice delivered to an Orchard Lake restaurant recently there was embedded a frog. After being on exhibition and viewed by many people, the frigid prison was smashed. The frog was like so much stone. It was put near the stove, and in two hours it was as lively as it ever was in a summer pond. It was frozen in the ice at least ten months.—Livingston Democrat. That's a pretty good frog story. But you just wait until it's time for snakes!

Does it ever occur to the average resident that strangers who visit Chelsea often obtain very unfavorable impressions of our village by reason of the first sights that greet them? It's a fact nevertheless. For instance, three-fourths of these same visitors come here by rail, and the first object upon which their eyes rest is a few old tumble-down wooden build-

ings on the east side of North Main street. But we are glad to note that the town possesses other features which partially make up for the first bad impressions received. Few places of this size contain so substantial and well kept business blocks and fine stocks of goods as does Chelsea. The resident portion of town also contains many handsome buildings and grounds. The streets are well shaded and kept in good repair. Probably no town is blessed with a finer farming country or a more intelligent class of farmers than can be found in the vicinity of Chelsea.—Herald.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

[OFFICIAL.] Council Chamber. Ann Arbor, Feb. 6, 1893. Regular session. President Coley being absent, the council was called to order by the clerk. Roll called. Quorum present. Absent—Ald. Ferguson, Reiberg, Prettyman, Pres. Coley—4. On motion of Ald. Schaefer, Ald. Kitson was elected president pro tem. The Journal of the last session was approved.

A petition from the residents and property owners on Brooks street, 3d ward, asking that a grade be established on Brooks street, also to grade the said street to the grade when established.

Accepted and referred to the committee on streets. To the Hon. the Mayor, and Common Council. GENTLEMEN: The Board of Public Works beg to submit to you, as per requirements of the Charter, a report of the year's workings of the Street Fund, from Jan. 1st, to Dec. 31, 1892. THOMAS J. KEECH, President. W. J. MILLER, Clerk.

To the Honorable the Board of Public Works: I herewith submit my report of expenditure of Street and Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund for the past year.

TABLE OF EXPENDITURE BY MONTHS. 1892. January—street labor and material, \$ 229.91 February " " " " 208.41 March " " " " 354.52 April " " " " 677.00 May " " " " 986.06 June " " " " 1304.49 July " " " " 875.26 August " " " " 830.98 September " " " " 775.93 October " " " " 885.43 November " " " " 341.35 December " " " " 4876.39 Total \$48,763.39

TABLE OF PURPOSE FOR WHICH FUNDS WERE EXPENDED. General street work, \$2655.91 Cleaning streets and alleys, 1308.35 Lumber, 728.49 Sanitary engineers salary and help, 660.28 Artificial stone walk constructed, 332.56 Sewer pipe, 353.27 C. Eberbach supplies, 291.24 Supplies (hardware, etc.), 146.50 Sprinkling streets, 10.00 Snow ploughing, 222.70 Plowing, 17.58 Land for straightening and widening Summit st., west of Main st., 125.00 Cross streets at point of Detroit and Beakes streets, 300.00 Repairs on spring in Mrs. Burns' cellar, cor., State and Fuller, 15.23 Curing weeds and docks, 116.14 Repairs on sidewalks, 80.57 Expenditures on Hanover Park, 64.29 Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk, 2.50 Street Commissioners salary, 800.00 Total \$48,763.39

Money received for services and dirt, \$ 163.96 BRIDGE, CULVERT AND CROSSWALK FUND—TABLE OF PURPOSES FOR WHICH EXPENDED. To the Smith Bridge Co., for new bridge No. 3, 43.73 Labor for removing old bridge No. 3, 14.02 M. E. Cooley, expenses—hotel and railroad fare, testing bridge iron, 1.00 Frank Schatz, type writing, 1.00 Replanning and repairing bridge No. 1, 311.55 Cultvert on Felch st., 475.00 Filling over culvert on Felch street, 35.50 Cultvert on Hill street, 32.50 Filling over culvert on Hill street, 371.25 Crossing stones and slabs, 84.88 Articial street crossings, 290.70 Planks for crossings, 342.83 Labor building stone and plank crossings, 47.86 Repairs on tar crossings, 47.86 Total \$4002.20

Respectfully submitted, NELSON SUTHERLAND, Street Commissioner.

Ald. Wines moved that the report be accepted and adopted, and ordered printed.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schaefer, Martin, Herz, Snow, O'Mara, Kitson—7. Nays—None.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES. FINANCE. To the Common Council: Your Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have had the following bills under consideration and would recommend their allowance at sums stated.

CONTINGENT FUND. W. B. Miller, salary, \$66.66 E. H. Norris, salary, 60.00 Frank Schulz, labor, 6.25 S. W. Beakes, salary, 25.00 Dr. E. A. Clark, salary, 25.00 Frank Schulz, labor, 25.00 Richmond & Beakes Co., supplies, 6.00 Telephone and Telegraph Construction Co., to rental of telephones from Jan. 1st to April 1st, 43.75 Louis Rhode, coal, 7.25 Louis Rhode, wood, 6 ward Eng. house Ann Arbor T-H. Electric Co., street lighting, 561.90 Ann Arbor T-H. Electric Co., office lights, 2.00 Ann Arbor T-H. Electric Co., switch at Observatory, 21.39 Tel. & Tel. Const. Co., Telep., St. Com. Ann Arbor Argus official printing, 14.83 Est. R. A. Best, official printing, 14.83 T. Rauschenberger & Co., oak case, 65.00 S. W. Beakes, tax receipts, etc., 23.00 Wm. G. Snow, horse hire by police, 2.50 W. J. Miller, express charges, etc., 1.25 Sid W. Millard, printing sheet blanks, 5.00 Total \$1,010.37

STREET FUND. Nelson Sutherland, salary, 66.66 Geo. F. Key, salary, 60.00 John Manning, labor, 6.25 August Tessner, labor, 3.90 Patrick McCabe, labor, 9.08 Michael Williams, labor, 9.08 August Hardt, labor, 2.50 August Hardt, labor, 2.50 Willie Clark, labor, 21.90 Nicholas Hindelung, labor, 3.00 John Weinmann, labor, 3.00 Christopher Larmie, labor, 6.00 August Pournine, labor, 3.90 Michael Kenny, labor, 4.20 Glen V. Mills, labor, 1.00 Frank W. Beakes, labor, 2.70 Michael Henry, snow ploughing and teaming, 21.60 N. Sutherland, snow ploughing, 9.25 Chris Jetter, do, 16.00 John McHugh, do and teaming, 17.55 Elias Pournine, snow ploughing, 12.00 Thomas Hannan, do, 7.50 Julius Weinberg, do, 9.00 Henry Marshall, snow ploughing, 16.00 George Weeks, do, 9.00 Martin Nagle, do, 10.50

Respectfully submitted, WALTER L. TAYLOR, A. H. FILLMORE, WILLIAM HERZ, Finance Com.

Ald. Herz moved that the report be accepted and adopted, and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated therein.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schaefer, Martin, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, O'Mara, Taylor, Kitson—9. Nays—None.

Chairman Taylor stated that on the bills in the Geo. Palmer matter, which had again been presented to the finance committee, they would recommend and report that said bills are just claims against the county for which the city is not liable.

Ald. Martin moved that the report made by the finance committee be accepted and adopted.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schaefer, Martin, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, O'Mara, Taylor, Kitson—9. Nays—None.

Ald. Snow moved that the vote on Ald. Martin's motion be reconsidered.

Lost as follows: Yeas—Ald. Fillmore, Snow, O'Mara—3. Nays—Ald. Wines, Schaefer, Martin, Herz, Taylor, Kitson—6.

ORDINANCES. Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an ordinance entitled an ordinance relative to sidewalks.

Referred to the committee on ordinances.

Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an ordinance to amend sections seven, nine and eleven of "An Ordinance Relative to Disorderly Persons and Disorderly Conduct" passed March 27, 1890.

Referred to the committee on ordinance.

ROSTER OF WELCH POST, NO. 137, G. A. R., OF ANN ARBOR, MICH.

NAME.	CO.	REGIMENT.	NAME.	CO.	REGIMENT.
William Aetion	A	19th U. S. Infantry.	John Langhlin	H	14th Mich. Infantry.
John Christian Allmendinger	E	1st Mich. " "	Hiram P. Lamb	H	29th " "
Daniel W. Amodeo	E	14th " "	James Linn	E	10th " "
Marlin Amodeo	D	62d Ohio Infantry.	Aron Long	A	2d " Cavalry.
Wallace W. Bills, Musician.	D	20th " "	C. H. Manly	H	20th " Infantry.
Ephraim Bortle	H	Chicago Dragoons.	Ed S. Manly	H	3d " Cavalry.
Wm. B. Brown, 1st Lieut.	H	16th Mich. Infantry.	A. D. Markham	A	6th " Infantry.
William H. Bowen	H	8th " "	Frederick Markley	K	5th " U. S.
Robert Campbell, 1st Lieut.	E	4th " "	Henry Marsh	B	2d Mich. Cavalry.
William Champion	E	24th Mass. " "	Franklin Meyers	H	15th " Infantry.
Thomas Carson	I	11th " "	George H. Mogg	K	1st U. S. Artillery.
William K. Childs	G	9th Mich. " "	Robert McCurdy	H	21st Mich. Infantry.
Philo Chubb	I	35th " "	Franklin Meyers	H	1st U. S. Artillery.
H. C. Clark	E	17th " "	Gilbert M. Monroe	C	20th Mich. " "
W. A. Clark, Lieut.	H	8th " "	W. W. Nichols	D	29th Mich. " "
William J. Clark	E	14th N. Y. " "	Conrad Noll	E	1st " "
John A. Cushing	F	5th U. S. H. A.	Ezra B. Norris	E	21st " "
H. P. Danforth	H	6th Mich. Cavalry.	Richard N. Nowland	D	21st " Battery.
C. B. Davidson	H	100th Ill. Infantry.	Frederick J. Orlaway	B	23rd Mich. Infantry.
Henry S. Dean, Lt. Col.	H	22d Indpt. Bny., G. V. L. A.	H. C. Packard	I	9th Ind. Vol. "
Michael Donahue	I	23d Mich. Infantry.	Washington Paul	C	29th Iowa " "
William H. Dorrance	G	21st Mich. Cavalry.	Stephen F. Peckham	C	29th Mich. " "
George A. Douglas	G	30th " Infantry.	Alfred E. Phelps	G	24th " Cavalry.
Charles J. Duffin	M	11th U. S. Col'd H. Art.	P. Pistorius, Adj't.	G	5th " Infantry.
Arthur B. Edwards	27th " Infantry.	Oreston B. Rose, Asst. Surg.	E	1st " Cavalry.	
Nelson F. Estabrook	10th Vt. Infantry.	George Roehm	K	10th " Cavalry.	
Stephen Fairchild	23d Mich. Infantry.	Orville W. Sage	E	1st " Infantry.	
William H. Fields	4th Mich. Infantry.	Christian Samzi	H	20th " "	
John J. Fisher	6th " Cavalry.	James H. Saunders	H	20th " "	
W. H. Fisher	9th " Infantry.	Isaac Savery	20th " "		
John Flynn	14th " Cavalry.	John J. Schanz	10th " Cavalry.		
Jerome Freeman	102d U. S. Colored.	George Schell	5th " "		
Charles R. Gardner	145th Ohio.	W. Fred Schlanderer	5th " "		
Thomson Garlinghouse	13th N. Y. Infantry.	John G. Schlegel	32d Ind. Infantry.		
Samuel S. Garrigue	29th Mich. "	Christian Schumacher	1st Mich. Cavalry.		
John A. Gates	4th Mich. Cavalry.	J. Q. A. Sessions, 1st Lieut.	1st " Engineers.		
Charles E. Grant	1st Mich. Cavalry.	W. B. Smith, Asst. Surg.	6th " Hvy Artillery.		
Charles E. Greene, R. Q. M.	7th U. S. C. T.	Harrison Soule, Major	6th Ohio Infantry.		
Samuel R. Gregory	5th Mich. Cavalry.	William S. Southard	5th N. Y. "		
Lorenzo Gross	128th Ohio Infantry.	J. H. Stark	4th Mich. "		
W. E. Gwiner, Musician.	45th Mich. "	Smith Stebbins	128th N. Y. "		
William J. Herdman	108th O. V. I.	James E. Sumner, 1st Lieut.	5th " Cavalry.		
Lewis T. Hessler	16th U. S. Infantry.	Rev. J. T. Sunderland	5th N. Y. Hvy Artillery.		
Thomson Hewitt	188th Ind. Engineers.	H. A. Sweet	138th Ind. Infantry.		
Silas P. Hill	3d Reg't N. Y. Vol.	W. Y. Taylor	2d Mich. "		
P. Irwin	14th Mich. Infantry.	William N. Tice	125th N. Y. "		
Wm. H. Jackson, Chief Bugler	14th " "	Quincy A. Turner	7th " Cavalry.		
Joe T. Jacobs, Adjt.	18th N. Y. Dragoons.	W. E. Walker	4th Mich. "		
Stephen Jacobs	96th Ohio Infantry.	William Walsh	7th " Cavalry.		
C. E. Johnson	5th Mass. Cavalry.	Robert L. Warren	27th " Infantry.		
S. A. Jones, Asst. Surg.	2d N. Y. Artillery.	James H. Webb	24th " "		
Fred J. Kalmbach	10th Mich. Cavalry.	N. H. Winans	1st " Cavalry.		
Jacob Kniz	1st " Infantry.	North Woodmansee	9th " Hvy Artillery.		
Thomas Kearns	34 " Cavalry.	Jacob Zeeb	1st Mich. Infantry.		
Henry Keeble	1st " "				
Herman Krapp	1st " "				

\* Deceased.

Geo. Schlimmer, snow ploughing, 9 00 James Tubert, lumber, 8 34 Caspar Rhiney, salt, 2 00 Christian Brown, labor, 7 20 Louis Rhode, cement and tile, 0 79 Wood & Co., lumber and pipe, 1 50 Charles Carroll, salary, 4 75 H. P. Baldwin, labor, 16 15 Israel Clark, team labor, 16 16 C. Eberbach, supplies, 24 38 Michael Kusterer, " 8 40 Total \$450.28

FIRE DEPARTMENT FUND. Fred Siple, salary, 60 00 C. A. Edwards, salary, 50 00 Henry McLaren, salary, 50 00 Louis Heckle, salary, 50 00 Charles Carroll, salary, 45 00 Max Wittlinger, salary, 45 00 Frank Kapp, salary, 40 00 Albert West, salary, 40 00 Herman Kinn, salary, 8 00 John Kenny, salary, 8 00 Morgan Williams, salary, 8 00 Sam Larsen, salary, 8 00 Wm. Rettich, sub., 8 00 Mrs. B. Beam, salary, 5 00 Louis Rhode, coal, 21 00 C. Eberbach, supplies, 24 38 Michael Brenner, lodging and meals, 1 75 Dr. E. A. Clark, salary, 1 75 Mrs. Ann Evans, groceries, 8 53 John Elsie, groceries, 5 60 Eberbach Drug Co., medicine, 3 60 John Goetz, Jr., groceries, 3 84 Jacob Henne, groceries, 2 00 Fred Stabler, one pair bobs, 8 00 William L. Lewis, groceries, 8 00 William H. McIntyre, groceries, 13 88 O'Hara & Boyle, groceries, 8 16 Caspar Rhiney, groceries, 9 80 Wm. G. Snow's hack to county house, 1 00 G. F. Stein, meat, 4 46 Walr & Miller, shoes, 2 00 Total \$531.80

POLICE FUND. James R. Murray, salary, 65 00 David Collins, salary, 50 00 Noble C. Duce, salary, 50 00 Total \$165.00

POOR FUND. Fred Siple, salary, 10 00 Seybold & Allmendinger, repairs on wagon, 3 15 Frank Butler, 3 1/2 cords wood, 39 37 Fred Siple, 3 1/2 cords wood, 9 45 Ed Lyke, 8 cords wood, 36 00 Michael Brenner, lodging and meals, 1 75 Dr. E. A. Clark, salary, 1 75 Mrs. Ann Evans, groceries, 8 53 John Elsie, groceries, 5 60 Eberbach Drug Co., medicine, 3 60 John Goetz, Jr., groceries, 3 84 Jacob Henne, groceries, 2 00 Fred Stabler, one pair bobs, 8 00 William L. Lewis, groceries, 8 00 William H. McIntyre, groceries, 13 88 O'Hara & Boyle, groceries, 8 16 Caspar Rhiney, groceries, 9 80 Wm. G. Snow's hack to county house, 1 00 G. F. Stein, meat, 4 46 Walr & Miller, shoes, 2 00 Total \$187.51

RECAPITULATION. Contingent Fund, \$1,010.37 Fire Fund, 531.80 Police Fund, 165.00 Poor Fund, 187.51 Total \$2,294.96

Respectfully submitted, WALTER L. TAYLOR, A. H. FILLMORE, WILLIAM HERZ, Finance Com.

Ald. Herz moved that the report be accepted and adopted, and warrants ordered drawn for the sums stated therein.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schaefer, Martin, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, O'Mara, Taylor, Kitson—9. Nays—None.

Chairman Taylor stated that on the bills in the Geo. Palmer matter, which had again been presented to the finance committee, they would recommend and report that said bills are just claims against the county for which the city is not liable.

Ald. Martin moved that the report made by the finance committee be accepted and adopted.

Adopted as follows: Yeas—Ald. Wines, Schaefer, Martin, Herz, Fillmore, Snow, O'Mara, Taylor, Kitson—9. Nays—None.

Ald. Snow moved that the vote on Ald. Martin's motion be reconsidered.

Lost as follows: Yeas—Ald. Fillmore, Snow, O'Mara—3. Nays—Ald. Wines, Schaefer, Martin, Herz, Taylor, Kitson—6.

ORDINANCES. Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an ordinance to amend sections seven, nine and eleven of "An Ordinance Relative to Disorderly Persons and Disorderly Conduct" passed March 27, 1890.

Referred to the committee on ordinance.

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Referred to the committee on ordinance.

Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an ordinance to amend sections nine, thirty and thirty-four, of "An Ordinance Relative to the Use of Streets, Alleys and Public Places," passed Feb. 3rd, 1890.

Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced "An Ordinance Relative to Disorderly Houses."

Referred to the committee on ordinance.

Ald. Wines, leave having been granted, introduced an Ordinance supplementary to "An Ordinance Relative to Disorderly Persons and Disorderly Conduct," passed March 27, 1890.

Referred to the committee on ordinance.

Ald. Wines offered and read, "A bill to authorize the city of Ann Arbor to collect city taxes in the month of July."

Referred to the committee on ordinance.

Ald. Martin, leave having been granted, introduced "An Ordinance to authorize the Ann Arbor Fuel Gas Company to construct and operate gas works and lay pipes through the streets, alleys and public places of the city of Ann Arbor for the purpose of supplying fuel gas to citizens, corporations or the city."

Referred to the committee on ordinance.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1893.

To the Common Council of the City of Ann Arbor: Balance overdrawn as per last report, \$ 8,322.65

MONEY RECEIVED. Contingent Fund—Miller, licenses, 1.95 Street Fund—Beaker, dirt, 15.50 Dietas, dirt, 15.00 O'Toole, dirt, 6.30 Fire Fund—Milan, hand fire engine, 444.07 Cemetery Fund—Mandy, lot, 20.00 Delinquent Tax Fund—Total, 567.91 \$ 7,464.74

MONEY DISBURSED. Contingent Fund, \$ 855.59 Street Fund, 678.46 Firemen's Fund, 622.38 Police Fund, 172.25 Poor Fund, 16.16 Water Fund, 2,755.00 Soldiers' Relief Fund, 43.00 Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund, 8.25 Total, \$ 5,241.00

Total overdraw, 12,705.83

BALANCE ON HAND. Contingent Fund, overdrawn, 4,231.39 Street Fund, overdrawn, 7,630.57 Firemen's Fund overdrawn, 546.76 Police Fund overdrawn, 162.47 Poor Fund, 63.92 Water Fund, overdrawn, 1,671.70 Cemetery Fund, 208.67 Soldiers' Relief Fund, 607.59 University Hospital Aid Fund, 840.00 Delinquent Tax Fund overdrawn, 971.28 Dog Tax Fund, 100.00 Bridge, Culvert and Crosswalk Fund, 8.15 Total, \$ 2,428.43 \$15,134.36

Total overdrawn, \$12,705.83

Respectfully submitted, S. W. BEAKES, City Treasurer.

ANN ARBOR SAVINGS BANK, ANN ARBOR, MICH., Feb. 1, 1893.

To the Common Council: This is to certify that S. W. Beakes, City Treasurer, has on deposit in this bank the sum of Thirty-Seven Thousand, Five Hundred and Nineteen Dollars, (\$37,519.00).

Yours Respectfully, CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.

The monthly reports of the city treasurer, city clerk, marshal and superintendent of the poor, were read and placed on file.

On motion the council adjourned. WM. J. MILLER, City Clerk.

There are more than 50,000 persons in Paris who earn a living by picking and making use of what other people throw away—rags, bones, metal, and such refuse.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains, Corns, and all Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Eberbach & Son.

Referred to the committee on ordinance.

Ald. Wines,