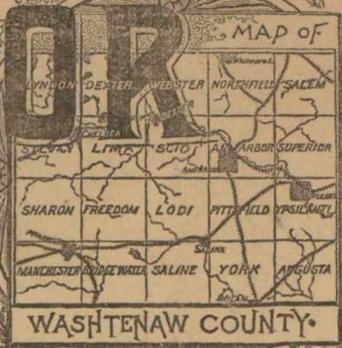


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GRAND OPENING SALE AND GALA WEEK.

Our 4 Stores of 16 floors thrown open to the public for the first time, SATURDAY, Nov. 16

Solid Silver Souvenir Spoons, Beautifully carved, given away with every 50c purchase Saturday.

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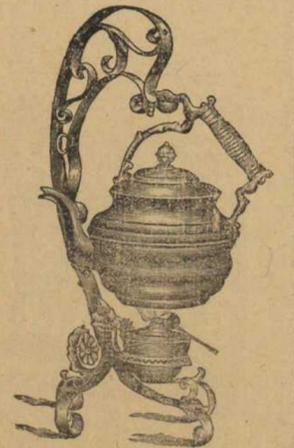
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A TRIBUTE TO ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

By the Venerable Gov. Ashley—A Fine Portrayal of the Stirring Times of the Great Rebellion.

A fair sized audience gathered at the Unitarian church last evening to listen to Ex-Gov. James M. Ashley's lecture upon "Reminiscences of the times of Lincoln," which was given in the Unity club course. The Governor, though well along in years, still retains a commanding presence, and although having been in feeble health for the past two years yet gives evidence of remarkable vigor, both mentally and physically. Having been one of the active and influential members of congress during the great rebellion, and having helped shape the course of events at that time, Mr. Ashley's memory is replete with scenes and events of those days that stirred men's souls. He had prepared himself thoroughly for this lecture and gave considerable inside history that had not been generally known.

He began with the slavery question and the auction block where human beings were bought and sold. Born in Kentucky, as was Lincoln, he early in life, although reared as a Democrat, began to hate slavery and everything appertaining thereto. As a consequence he loved to seek congenial society, and this led him to a personal acquaintance with the early anti-slavery leaders, Garrison, Phillips, Chase, Beecher, Lovejoy, Miss Anthony, Mrs. Stanton and others, of whom he drew a fine picture. Then he followed Lincoln from early manhood to the day the assassin's bullet ended his life, and it was a grand, noble panegyric of a friend to a great man. The speaker said he was no hero worshipper, but at time he grew eloquent and manifested much of the fire and impetuosity that carried him to the front in those days and made him a companion, if not a leader, among such men as Chase, Sumner, Thad. Stevens, Grow, Chandler, and the long list of war statesmen and patriots. Mr. Lincoln was compared with Tom Corwin, whom he considered the most eloquent man he ever heard upon the stump, and the difference between the two men illustrated. Then Douglas and Lincoln—the one who said he cared not a fig whether slavery was voted up or voted down; the other who did care and who believed that in a question of right and wrong, the wrong should be eternally condemned.

The lecture is one that ought to be preserved. It deserves a place in our libraries and a wide circulation among the people because of its excellence and historic interest. Those who heard it will never forget it.

The Thomas Orchestra—

Theodore Thoma's Orchestra opens the season here Nov. 19th, and the following is the

- PROGRAM.
1. Overture and Dream Music. Humperdink From "Hansel and Gretel."
 2. Symphony A major No. 7. Beethoven
 3. Overture "Genourra." Schumann
 4. Symphonic Variations. Drovak
 5. "Larka" Symphonic Poem. Linetana

This program represents a combination of various schools, including as it does, the selections from the latest European successes in the line of Opera. The symphony is one of the most interesting of the whole orchestral repertoire. Drovak by reason of connection with the national conservatory, and his championship of American music has become an important factor in our national musical life. The variations illustrate the brilliancy of his gifts and his wonderful command over orchestral resources.

A Household Treasure. D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co's drug store, and Geo. J. Heausser, Manchester.

THE HAND OF DEATH.

It has Been Very Busy During the Past Few Days.

The hand of death has been busy in our midst during the past few days, and has removed some of our old pioneers, some after an illness, some suddenly, without the least warning.

JAMES CLEMENTS. Last night at about 10 o'clock, James Clements was taken very ill at his home on S. State st., and before medical aid could reach him, he died. Caused no doubt by apoplexy. Mr. Clements had been complaining a trifle since his arrival home from Bay City last Friday, but was not sufficiently ill to give it much attention. He was one of the honorary pall bearers at the funeral of Philip Bach, on Monday last week. It will be remembered that Mrs. Clements died very suddenly a little over two years ago, on the 7th of Oct. 1893. This was a great blow to him, and he never fully recovered his spirits.

Mr. Clements was about 70 years old a native of England, and had lived in this city since 1858, building the fine residence on S. State st., in the sixties, where the family have resided ever since. The surviving members of the family are the children, Miss Mary Clements of this city, Mrs. Wheat of Kansas, and James Clements, Jr., of Bay City. The arrangements for the funeral have not been perfected at this writing.

Mr. Clements was considered quite wealthy. He was a promoter of gas companies, and with Ann Arbor capital he organized gas companies at Leavenworth, Kas., St. Joseph, Mo. and at Bay City, Lansing and Port Huron in this state. He was the promoter and principal owner of the Bay City Industrial Works, which had been made a success through his energies. For many years Mr. Clements had been a vestryman of St. Andrew's Episcopal church of this city, of which parish he was a member. An honorable business man, pleasant socially, he was a citizen that is parted with with great regret.

MRS. ASHER A. TERRY. On Sunday morning, at about 10 o'clock, death came to Harriet E. Hollister, wife of Asher A. Terry, Esq., at their home No. 34 E. Liberty st. Mrs. Terry was a native of Ithaca, N. Y., where she was born in 1828, consequently she was 67 years of age. The loss of an only child, Dr. Will Terry, some nine years ago, weighed heavily on Mrs. Terry, and she never ceased to mourn for him. She leaves a husband only, in the immediate family.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the residence, Rev. Henry Tatlock of St. Andrew's Episcopal church, officiating. Mrs. Terry had lived here for the past thirty years or more.

MRS. CALVIN BLISS. Esther D., wife of Calvin Bliss, died at her home No. 35 S. Fifth ave., Sunday afternoon, of general debility, resulting from old age. Mrs. Bliss had been quite feeble for some time, and her death was not entirely unexpected. She was 79 years, 5 months and 18 days of age, and leaves an aged partner, who is bowed down in grief at his great loss.

Mrs. Bliss was one of the oldest residents of Ann Arbor, having come here at a very early day. She was united in marriage with Calvin Bliss over sixty years ago, in this city. We frequently hear of people celebrating their golden wedding, the fiftieth marriage anniversary, but very seldom their sixtieth anniversary. There are a number of children including Munson W. Bliss, of Kansas City; Dr. Hale Bliss, of Chicago; and Mrs. Marcia Rockwell, of this city.

Funeral services were held at the family residence to-day being conducted by Rev. J. W. Bradshaw, of the Congregational church, of which the deceased was a member.

MISS MARY ANDERSON. Another of the aged ones of the vicinity was taken away Sunday a. m. in the person of Miss Mary Anderson. She died at the old home-stead, some two miles south of the city, in Pittsfield township, of general debility resulting from old age, she having reached the good old age of 80 years, but had been an invalid for a number of years.

She was a native of New York, where she was born in 1816. In the year 1832 she came to Michigan with the family, settling on the farm where she died. Two brothers, Lewis S., of this city, and George M. of Albion, survive her. Funeral services were held at the house yesterday afternoon, by Rev. J. M. Geleton, of the Presbyterian church.

J. GEORGE GRAF. On Sunday morning, at about 3 o'clock, John George Graf, died of pneumonia, at his home on W. Second st. He was nearly 33 years old and leaves a wife and two children.

The deceased was a tailor and was employed by George H. Wild. He went home from his work Thursday evening in apparently good health. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, from Bethlehem church, Rev. J. Chr. Neumann conducting the same. Interment was in Forest Hill cemetery.

MISS ANNA HENRY. Miss Anna Henry, a daughter of the late George Henry, who was killed in the sewers here a year ago last winter, died on Thursday last, from the effects of an operation performed to remove an abscess. The funeral was held at the 2d Baptist church Sunday, and remains interred in the city cemetery, Northside.

DR. C. C. MANTZ. Dr. Cash C. Mantz, who was recently appointed assistant to Dr. Lamlee, professor of obstetrics in the Loomis department, died at Toledo, Ohio, Monday.

One of the Finest— One of the best Masonic Schools of instruction ever held in Washtenaw county, closed last evening at the Masonic Temple, by Fraternity Lodge F. & A. M. conferring the 3d degree.

After the work had all been completed and Grand Lecturer Arthur M. Clark arose to make his criticisms, he found that there was very little to criticize.

There were upwards of 300 brothers from the city and county present, the great lodge room being crowded, and there was naught but universal commendation of the manner in which those intrusted with the work of the order here, carry it on.

The work of the school can but result to the good of the order throughout the county.

After a collection of 25 cents from each brother in the room for the Masonic Home, Worshipful Master C. B. Lawson arose, and in a few well chosen words, presented Grand Lecturer Clark with a handsomely inscribed silver trowel, giving the date of his election as an honorary member of Fraternity Lodge. This was an unexpected honor, and for once that gentleman came near finding himself without words to express his feelings.

Thanksgiving Vacation. For the above recess, the Ann Arbor Railroad will sell tickets to students and teachers presenting proper certificates, at one and one-third fare for the round trip. Good going Nov. 27 and 28, with limit until Dec. 2d. Tickets will be sold to all points in Michigan and to all points on the lines of our Toledo connections, with in central traffic association.

R. S. GREENWOOD, Agt. Paul V. Perry lit '88, is now the editor of the Bay City Tribune, and he is making for himself an excellent reputation, which his many Ann Arbor friends will rejoice over.

A GRAND MUSICAL CENTRE.

That's What the Choral Union and the University Musical Society Have in View.

Nothing is more difficult than the problem of taking proper advantage of successful efforts so as to wisely utilize the results of success. The University Musical Society in offering its present Choral Union Series, has been embarrassed by the unexpected success of the last Festival, and has, after mature consideration of the many points involved, proposed the plan which seems to be the only proper one. In arriving at this plan the expressed wish of many of our citizens and students have been considered, and the society feels confident that all will be pleased with an arrangement which makes impossible a repetition of last year's experiences.

The increased attendance at the School of music and its extending reputation make imperative the furnishing of as many concerts as possible, and they must be in the nature of orchestral and choral concerts as far as possible. The expense of such concerts is very great, each orchestral or great choral concert costs over one thousand dollars. It does not take long to see that such a series as that under consideration is a very expensive undertaking, and yet the price for concert is no more than one would pay to go into the gallery of the ordinary theatre for the slimmest kind of a play.

The reputation of Ann Arbor for music is largely due to this series of concerts which made possible all that has developed within the last four years. We have now facilities for instruction, and for hearing music in advance of most cities of 100,000 inhabitants, and we have within our grasp the possibility of making this reputation contribute to the material prosperity of the city. Ann Arbor has a national reputation as a center of culture. This reputation is worth as much in its way to this community, as the reputation of Pittsburg for iron and steel to that city. Anything which adds to this reputation, adds to the income of the community.

The School of Music is rapidly approaching a paying basis—indirectly it has already made a large return on the investment, in the amount it has brought to the city, through its students. The May Festival last year, brought no inconsiderable amount of money into the city. The willingness of the railroads to offer liberal reductions is a potent factor bringing large numbers of people to Ann Arbor at a time when it is at its best, while the low prices at which season tickets are sold makes the musical attractions possible to all.

Could we erect an auditorium to seat at least 6,000—which could be done at an expense of \$30,000—it would be possible to bring ten for every one now. With such a hall all could be provided with good reserved seats, and a moment's reflection will show that a large sum of money would be brought to Ann Arbor every year. With such a hall a great artist like Melba or Paderewski might be engaged to appear here, and the price of admission placed so low that one could come from Detroit and after paying railroad fare, etc., hear the concert for less than at home. We could present an evening of opera by the most famous company—Abby & Grau for example—at the price of an ordinary play. Not having this hall it becomes necessary to provide the concerts as reasonably as possible with the seating capacity of University Hall as the basis.

So this year retaining the same price per concert—which has relatively decreased since the series was established—the series of ten concerts will cost \$3, while in order to meet the wishes of our patrons regarding reserved seats, an extra charge of \$1 will be made for a reserved seat for the five concerts of the Festival.

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Misses' Beaver Jackets, in rough cloths at \$5.00 and \$7.00.

Girls' nobby Gretchen Coats the very best value we ever offered for the money, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$7.50.

10 dozen feather Boas on sale this week at 48c each.

200 white Aprons worth 19c, this week 12c each.

10 dozen ladies' all wool flannel Skirts, the \$1.00 kind, for 69c.

12 dozen ready-made Sheets, best quality cotton, torn and hemmed, at 48c each.

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CRUMBS SWEEPED UP.

From all Over Washtenaw County—
Some Fresh—Some Perhaps Not.

A "shoe social" was held at the residence of Wm. Scadin, of Webster last Friday evening. Oh, shoe!

Dexter is very happy over the prospect of an electric light system. Thos. Firkett will work up the scheme if it is carried out.

A gravel drive has been made around the new addition to Forest Lawn Cemetery, Dexter, by neighboring farmers, who clubbed together to do it.

The Ypsilanti Light Guards have paid all their obligations and have a snug balance in the treasury, which is an unusually prosperous condition.—Ypsilantian.

Some miscreants are defacing new concrete walks in Dexter and the Leader warns them to desist or have the awful majesty of the law set down pump on them.

The Adrian Press man kicks just because the Argus of this city credited a number of his items to the Adrian Times. Oh, pshaw! you oughtn't to feel bad over a little thing like that.

Samuel Graham, a former member of the Ypsilanti fire department, who was arrested for arson some months ago, has been honorably discharged from the department by the council of that city.

George R. Cady died at his home on Chicago ave., Ypsilanti, last Friday morning, aged 71 years. He leaves a widow, two sons and three daughters, one of whom is Mrs. W. G. Snow of Ann Arbor.

Dexter's night watchman has built him an "office" to use cold winter nights, so that he can just look out the window and keep things all right. Very comfortable, no doubt, but the burglars may sneak up and get the drop on him some time!

Supt. Whitney received yesterday a check from F. E. Mills, of \$20, the amount awarded our school exhibit as a first prize. The money is to be expended for books for the library, each book bearing an inscription indicating the source of the purchase money.—Ypsilantian.

An Ypsilanti grocer named Meanwell advertised as a bargain some fine cider at 20 cents a gallon. It is pretty good cider that brings \$2 per barrel of 50 gallons, and \$10 for it at retail, gives an idea what profit there is in handling the "devil's kindling wood." That grocer may mean well; however, in his offer, but he is the son of a profit sure.—Adrian Press.

Sunday afternoon a house owned by Frank Forner, situated about a mile and a-half northwest from this place, was destroyed by fire. The house was near the one owned by Robert Leach, which was burned a short time ago, as was noted in last week's Standard, and Mr. Leach had stowed what few goods he had saved in the building, and was residing in the village. This fire finished the work of destruction commenced by the previous one.—Chelsea Standard.

If any one doubts the truth of this item, Bro. Hoover, of the Chelsea Standard will furnish affidavits: "A short time ago a resident of this place heard a noise in his chicken yard and on investigation found the wire fence cut and his best rooster gone. Soon after this he missed some eggs, even the porcelain nest egg having flown with the rest of the lot. A few days ago, his wife was out in the yard working, and a neighbor's little boy said to her, 'Say, my pa got a chicken out of your yard a little while ago, and he had to cut the fence and run like sixty to get away. And he got some eggs a little while ago, and brought 'em home.' And thus the mystery was solved."

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Orr, of Whitmore Lake, have been visiting friends at Milan recently.

Ypsilanti has such a swarm of Lady Maccabees that it takes two lives to accommodate them.

C. H. Wilson's new saw mill is being placed in position, and he expects to have it in operation in a couple of weeks.—Milan Leader.

Mr. Fred Davis, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of his cousin, Miss Gertrude Mills, last Saturday and Sunday.—Mead's Mills cor. Stockbridge Sun.

A worker's conference of the Baptist church was held at the Baptist church in Manchester yesterday and the day before. Rev. Young, of this city was among the workers.

Mrs. J. W. Babbitt and Mrs. Snedcor of Ypsilanti, were Wednesday inspecting Lucius Taylor Relief Corps. Mrs. Babbitt was the guest of Mrs. Joseph Gauntlett while here.—Milan Leader.

This from the Dexter Leader is what might be termed sarcasm: "Daily weather bulletins are now posted in the postoffice. A great convenience to people who are uncertain when to carry an umbrella."

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Glazier, of Chelsea, were thrown out of a carriage in which they were riding recently, and sustained some very painful bruises, though not serious. It was a narrow escape. The team became frightened and unmanageable by the breaking of the harness.

A Michigan Central passenger train passed through here east bound, Saturday evening. An accident occurred east of Jackson, which blocked the Central tracks and made it necessary to send the train this way to save time.—Manchester Enterprise. That's an Ypsilanti game to shut out Ann Arbor. See?

Up at Fowlerville people attend the fair. They have no quarrels to contend with, and all are united. The fair society in that place sold this year, 2,797 single admission tickets, 841 family tickets and 105 children's tickets at 10 cents each. After paying all premiums and other expenses, picked down in the treasury \$344.84 cents for a rainy day.

While the Salvation Army was conducting an open air meeting on Huron street last evening, a shower of decayed eggs answered their petitions for blessings on high. Some hoodlums had reached the roof of the Post block and committed the outrage, escaping before being discovered. It is hoped their identity may be learned and their act fittingly punished.—Ypsilanti Sentinel. So there are bad boys in Ypsilanti, too!

Kawsonville, a little town on the county line between Wayne and Washtenaw, has long been known as the deserted village, because of the fact that a majority of the dwelling houses are uninhabited and have been left to ruin and decay. During late years the only signs of life have been a school house, a flour mill and the post office. As a final blow to the town, the post office department discontinued the latter. This aroused the farmers living in the vicinity and a petition is being circulated to have the office re-established.—Chelsea Standard.

This, from the Manchester Enterprise, is heartily endorsed, as being our own situation many more times than it should be: "We cannot understand why people will persist in neglecting to sign their name to communications or items sent to a newspaper. Every week we receive letters—sometimes in our own printed envelopes, but as there is no signature and we do not know who sent them, we are unable to use them. We presume that some of our friends wonder why items sent in do not appear. This may be the reason. Please be more careful hereafter. We want the news but must know from whom items come."

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Earl Sweet and Harley Guy have combined their barber shops at Milan. Henry E. Fullington and John Bilsch have returned to Whittaker from a trip down south.

Farmers around Mooreville threshed instead of husked their corn this year in many instances.

Why don't somebody get married and move into some of the vacant houses.—Saline Observer.

The hen house of Wm. D. Simonds, and the farm barn of D. W. Kane near Whittaker, were each burned last week.

Chas. H. Robison and Miss Lucie H. Ward were married at the home of the bride's parents, in Milan, on Wednesday last.

The old creamery at Mooreville has been fitted up by Mr. Sangree as a grist mill, and he will grind rind there this winter.

Much inconvenience has been caused by the removal of Hallowe'en of the cups which were chained to the well. The so-called fun on such occasions sometimes reaches a limit, and deserves a stronger term.—Milan Leader.

The Ypsilanti High School scholars clamor to the board for the use of the campus for foot ball recitals. They feel the humiliation of taking a back lot and having a herd of Jersey calms mix in the game.—Monroe Democrat.

Hallowe'en was observed here Thursday evening with more or less roughness. Fun is all right, and to have it in a proper way we approve of, but when it is carried into tearing up and destroying sidewalks and other property we cannot tolerate it. The occasion could be made very pleasant and plenty of fun enjoyed without injury to the property of anyone.—Saline Observer.

HOW THE CROPS LOOK.

The State's Report for November is Not Very Flattering.

The average condition of wheat in the state on November 1 was 78, in the southern counties 72, the central 84 and the northern 95, vitality and growth of average years being represented by 100. The condition in the state, and southern and central sections is lower than reported in any year since 1889, when the condition in the state was 62, and in the southern counties 58. The average condition in the state Nov. 1, since 1889, has been reported as follows: 1890, 105; 1891, 91; 1892, 87; 1893, 80; and 1894, 94. The average condition this year is 16 per cent. lower than one year ago.

The total number of bushels of wheat reported marketed by farmers since the October report was published is 1,124,247, and in the three months, August, September and October, 2,922,715. This is 698,103 bushels less than reported marketed in the same months last year.

The average yield of corn per acre is estimated at 61 bushels in the state 58 bushels in the southern counties, 68 bushels in the central, and 64 bushels in the northern counties.

The clover seed crop is less than half the usual acreage, and the yield is about one bushel per acre. The yield per acre of potatoes is estimated at 95 per cent of an average in the state. The acreage is 6 per cent in excess of the acreage in average years. The estimated yield per acre in the northern counties is 9 per cent above the yield in average years.

Live stock is in usually good condition. The crop growing season of 1895 in the lower peninsula of Michigan may be characterized as hot and dry. The mean temperature was above the normal in May, June, August and September, and only slightly below in July. October was a cool month the mean temperature in the southern four tiers of counties being 4.5 degrees below the normal.

The average rainfall was below the normal each month except August in the southern counties, and except August and September in the central counties. The excesses in the months named were hardly sufficient to be of appreciable benefit. The total rainfall in the six months, May-October, in the southern four tiers of counties where 85 per cent of the crops of the state are grown, and in the southern and central counties where about 67 per cent of the crops are grown, was less than two-thirds the normal.

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Though Many Admit it Hurts Them.

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The disordered stomach and liver sometimes bring on more serious troubles. To quit the use of coffee is the only true relief, it contains the same poisonous alkaloids as tobacco, strychnine and morphine, although less in volume. One can use the delicious hot food-drink, Postum Cereal, at meals and never miss the coffee. It browns the deep seal brown of Mocha and takes on the rich golden brown of old Java when cream is added. It is made purely and wholly of the nourishing grains intended by the Creator for man's subsistence. The pungent taste so well liked in strong coffee is retained in the Postum Cereal.

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Office of THE PIONEER PRESS COMPANY, C. W. HORNICK, Supt., St. Paul, Minnesota, Sept. 7, 1894.

Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being at least. I tried the so-called "Keely Cure," "No-To-Bac," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Baco-Curo." Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured. I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it. Yours truly, C. W. HORNICK.

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Will Cure Cramps, Colic, Cholera-Morbus and all Bowel Complaints.

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THE COMERS AND GOERS.

Strangers who Come and our People Who go are Noted Here.

Chas. Dibble Sundayed in Wayne. Attorney Thos. D. Kearney is in Detroit to-day.

W. G. Vinton of Detroit, was in the city yesterday.

Alc Ferguson went to Ypsilanti on business yesterday.

Mrs. G. F. McDonald of S. University ave., is seriously ill.

Fred Zoeller has returned from a visit with relatives in Canada.

F. J. McGregor returned yesterday from a visit with Detroit friends.

Dr. George Frothingham, of Detroit was up here on business Monday.

Dr. W. B. Smith was in Detroit attending to his real estate yesterday.

Miss Jessie Allmand of W. Huron st., is convalescing from a serious illness.

George R. Barker, of the Argus, spent Sunday with relatives in Dexter.

Oscar F. Schmid, of Jackson was in the city over Sunday visiting his parents.

Judge Grant, of Lansing, was the guest of Ex-Gov. Felch, the first of the week.

Miss Carrie Britten of Jackson, has been the guest of Ann Arbor friends for a few days.

Ald. Prettyman went to Ohio Tuesday to attend to the settling up of his father's estate.

Theodore Walker attended the marriage of Jacob Keck and Miss Anna Stockinger, in Scio yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moran have gone south, where Mrs. M. is to remain for a time, we understand.

George S. Vandawarker who has been confined to his home by illness since last Friday, is much better.

Miss Lizzie Diehl is no longer connected with the firm of Mack & Co., having resigned her position there.

Mrs. Bell and daughters have returned home to Jackson after a visit with Ann Arbor friends for a time.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Darling are entertaining the Dr's sister, Mrs. Miller, of Bethel, N. Y., for a few days.

Miss May Wing has been entertaining Miss Dora Woodard, of Detroit, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Henderson, of Mason, are visiting his mother, Mrs. J. S. Henderson, of E. Washington st.

Mrs. Carrie Cook Tubbs, of Chicago will return home to-morrow, after a visit with old friends here in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bennett, of S. Thayer st., have been entertaining Miss L. C. Sabin of Mt. Clemens, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Woolcott, of Milan, accompanied by their little daughter, were Ann Arbor visitors the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Jenter, who had been visiting friends here on their wedding tour, left for their home in New York Sunday evening.

The mother of Mrs. W. B. Phillips, Mrs. Babeock, who has been a guest of her daughter a few weeks, has returned home to Carthage, N. Y.

It is a pleasure to announce that Miss Emma Bower, who was dangerously ill when we last issued a paper, is now convalescing, and on the road to health again.

Remember the fair to be given on Thursday and Friday evening, by the ladies of the English Lutheran church.

Thirty-eight marriage licenses were issued from the county clerk's office during October. A very good month.

Mrs. C. G. Huber and Mrs. Nettie B. Harvey will attend the state Sunday School convention at Detroit next week as delegates.

The theatre train on the Ann Arbor road will be tried again in the near future, or as soon as something fine comes to Toledo for people to see.

The only three original abolitionists living now in Ann Arbor, are Conrad Krapi, Jacob Volland and Calvin Bliss.

The ward schools are not taking as good care of their flags as they should and there is some talk about having poles erected in the yards for the flags to be displayed upon.

Santaneli, the hypnotist, who is now holding forth at the opera house put a young lad to sleep last night, who will not be awakened until Saturday night. That there may be no deception about it, a set of watches consisting of 24, four of whom will watch four hours, then another four another four hours, until the time elapses. Students and others are allowed to go in and see the boy at any time of day or night. On Saturday afternoon there will be a matinee. All teachers will be admitted free and school children at five cents each.

University Notes—

The reserves did not play at Cleveland, the team from that city cancelling the game after our boys were on their way.

The senior and sophomore sets played a tie game in the inter-class series Monday.

The team arrived home from the east Monday morning somewhat tired from their long journey, but in good spirits. The boys feel that the loss of the game came from no lack of their, but was merely a piece of luck that's all. The baby act was played by the manager of the Harvard, who soured because his brother was getting worsted and thus compelled our boys to let up a little. The team that played against our boys was the best that could be obtained in the east, and Harvard felt that her reputation was at stake.

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Circuit Court Proceedings—

Wilfred B. Phillips, Receiver, vs. Selby A. Moran. An order granted confirming the sale of the Register Publishing House to Frank O. Parker.

In the matter of the appeal of Elizabeth Lam. Order heretofore granted dismissing the case vacated and set aside.

Henry Breitenwiescher vs. Elmer T. Clough. Thirty days further time granted on which to file and serve bill of exceptions.

Lizzie Hunnells vs. Lizzie Hunnells. Divorce. Decree granted.

Auditor General of the State of Michigan. Decree granted for the sale of lands for taxes.

Richard Hopson and Michael Kearney admitted to citizenship.

An Old Scheme Revamped—

Some time ago the following scheme was tried in parts of this county, but failed in obtaining many suckers.

By some of our exchanges we notice that some parts of the state are being canvassed by a smooth talking individual who represents himself as the "agent" of a "general supply" house in Chicago, which is engaged in the philanthropic scheme of selling goods to farmers at one-half less than the actual cost.

To enable one secure these unequalled bargains he must first secure from the agent a "membership" which only costs \$3.75 in cash.

The "members" are then given a catalogue from which they select the goods. Among the many other articles listed is granulated sugar and the catalogue shows that 40 pounds will be sold for \$1.00. In order to get these prices, though, one must order not less than \$15 worth at one time and send the money in advance.

It hardly seems as if any man with common sense would believe such stuff but the Montclair Herald says that it understands that fifty farmers in one township of that county have agreed to join. If so, there will be fifty men who will have some experience, the price of which they will be able to figure to a cent. Better pay your cash to home merchants and kick the agent out of the house.

What it Costs—

Having been asked by a number of people the average amount of taxes payable throughout the County towns, leaving out the cities, we have compiled a table thereof, taking a \$1,000 assessment as the basis, for the year 1894.

That is to say, if a person is assessed for \$1,000 on the tax roll, he will have to pay into the treasury of his township the following amount in taxes in the various townships of this county:

Ann Arbor Town.....	\$ 7.50
Augusta.....	10.00
Bridgewater.....	4.75
Dexter.....	4.89
Freedom.....	4.70
Lima.....	7.32
Lodi.....	5.33
Lyndon.....	5.64
Manchester.....	8.30
Northfield.....	6.40
Pittsfield.....	5.76
Salem.....	5.58
Saline.....	6.60
Scio.....	6.44
Sharon.....	5.00
Superior.....	5.94
Sylvan.....	8.80
Webster.....	5.74
York.....	7.50
Ypsilanti town.....	6.58
Total.....	\$125.25
Average on \$1,000 assessment.....	\$6.26

The two districts of Ypsilanti City are as follows:

Ypsilanti City 1st. dist.....	\$7.28
" " 2d. ".....	7.20

This would make a total of \$139.73, and an average of \$6.35 for the entire county outside of Ann Arbor City.

The tax on \$1,000 assessment in the City of Ann Arbor for the year 1894 was \$14.80. The difference was considerably in favor of the country.

In regard to the City of Ypsilanti there is no way of ascertaining from the records in the county treasurer's office what their tax is, so course that is not taken into consideration in the figures given above.

It is but right to say that the amount paid on a \$1,000 assessment varies in every township according to expense of the school district. We have endeavored to select the average, directly between the extremes.

In both Saline and Scio, those living in the village district pay more than the amounts mentioned, while there are others far below quoted figures.

The French say "it is the impossible that happens." This has proved to be the case with the Mount Lebanon Shakers. The whole scientific world has been laboring to cure dyspepsia, but every effort seemed to meet with defeat. The suffering from stomach troubles has become almost universal. Multitudes have no desire for food and that which they do eat causes them pain and distress. Sleepless nights are the rule and not the exception, and thousands of sufferers have become discouraged.

The Shakers of Mount Lebanon recently came to the front with their new Digestive Cordial, which contains not only a food already digested, but is a digester of food.

It promptly relieves nearly all forms of indigestion. Ask your druggist for one of their books.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

WE ARE NOW SELLING

MEN'S, BOY'S, AND CHILDREN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Cheaper than any concern in the City. And every garment is new and stylish.

THE LARGEST LINE OF UNDERWEAR AT LOWEST PRICES.

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TERMS OF COURT FOR THE TWENTY-SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT FOR 1896 AND 1897.

TERMS OF CIRCUIT COURT.

State of Michigan: The Twenty-second Judicial Circuit.

Terms of Court in and for said Circuit for the Years 1896 and 1897.

I, E. D. Kinne, Circuit Judge in and for the Twenty-second Judicial Circuit, do hereby fix and appoint the times of holding the several terms of the Circuit Court in and within the Twenty-second Judicial Circuit for the years 1896 and 1897 as follows, to wit:

IN MONROE COUNTY.

The first Monday of February, the first Monday of April, the first Monday of June, and the first Monday in November.

IN WASHTENAW COUNTY.

The first Monday in March, the first Monday in May, the first Monday in October, and the first Monday in December.

DATED, OCT. 14, 1895.

E. D. KINNE, CIRCUIT JUDGE.

MEL GILLESPIE

TEACHER OF

BANJO, GUITAR AND MANDOLIN.

ANN ARBOR ORGAN CO. AND SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

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Cor. Washington and Ashley Aves. Refitted and equipped with all modern improvements. FIRST CLASS TABLE.

RATES, \$2.00 TO \$3.00.

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The Verdict

Said Mr. M— the other day: "I want one of your seamless hot-water bottles that you warrant. I had one of them and it lasted six months with constant use. I bought two at ——— and they gave out very quickly."

We can give you the man's name if you want it.

These bottles will last two or three years with ordinary use.

CALKINS' PHARMACY.

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ARCHITECT and SUPERINTENDENT

OFFICE 28 FOUNTAIN ST.,

Mail orders promptly attended to.

ART NEEDLEWORK.

Pillows, Centers, Doylies, etc., to order.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,
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Choice of 200 Stiff Hats for \$1.13 each.
Every Hat worth from \$2.00 to \$3.50.

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The Ann Arbor Courier.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 13, 1895.

FRIENDS OF THE COURIER WHO HAVE BUSINESS AT THE PROBATE COURT, WILL PLEASE REQUEST JUDGE BARBITT TO SEND THEIR PRINTING TO THIS OFFICE.

WANT COLUMN.

DRESSMAKING by day or at home—making over dresses of all descriptions. French Livington system—address E. W. P. O. Box 1403, or call at 7 S. Brown st., Ann Arbor.

GOOD AGENTS for canvass for Pictoresque of Detroit and Environs. There is money in it; address or inquire of M. L. Coe, 47 N. 4th Ave., Ann Arbor.

WANTED—An energetic young man or woman to sell dress goods to private individuals in this locality. Good opportunity for bright persevering party. Address giving full particulars, New York Dress Goods Co., 115 Worth St., New York City.

Short advertisements not to exceed three lines, or Lost or Found Houses for Sale or Rent, Wants, etc., inserted one week in daily or three weeks in weekly edition for 25 cents. Situations wanted, free.

FOR SALE—Farms in the townships of Superior, Northfield, Dexter and Sharon. Will sell at low prices and on easy terms of payment. For particulars, enquire of H. M. Woods, No. 88 S. Main street, Ann Arbor.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For house and lot in the city of Ann Arbor, 40-acre farm in the township of Lodi; good building, 2 good wells and 2 cisterns, 4 acres timber. Address W. OSINS, box 1361, Ann Arbor, Mich.

FOR RENT—Five unfurnished rooms and closet, ground floor city and soft water. 10 Wilcox St.

WANTED—Two competent girls. A cook and a nurse. Good wages. Inquire of Mrs. E. D. Campbell, 108 Hill St.

LOST—Friday Oct. 18th, \$15 and a diamond gold ring. Darry Whitley, 28 Fuller St.

LOCAL.

Twinkle, twinkle, little star! I've discovered what you are; Paint and powder, gowns and lights, in the glare of calcium lights. —Philadelphia Record.

The barn which was burned recently occupied by C. A. Maynard, is being rebuilt.

Those who heard Dr. Cobern discourse on backbiting last Sunday evening speak very highly of the effort.

The Ann Arbor high school football team defeated the Grand Rapids high school team Saturday by a score of 10 to 0.

The Ypsilanti ladies quartette, who sang at the evening service at the Congregational church Sunday, left many admirers here.

J. D. Ryan witnessed the Harvard game last Saturday, and is warm in praise of our boys. He thinks they put up a plucky fight and only lost upon a bit of ill luck that could not be avoided.

If you will look in at the show window of Schairer & Millen you can see the beautiful autograph quilt which the ladies of the English Lutheran church are to sell at a fair to be given on Thursday and Friday evenings.

W. W. Dunlap, who was one of the victims of the terrible explosion at the Journal office in Detroit last Wednesday, was the manufacturer of the Rogers Typograph, and in that connection had visited Ann Arbor a number of times, and came to be quite well known at this office. He was a quiet, gentlemanly man, whom you considered a friend at once. His sad death is deeply deplored, and what adds to the intensity of the sorrow, is the fact that he leaves a wife and two little children.

The subject which Prof. Chas. E. Greene is to speak upon next Monday evening, at the Unitarian church, in the Unity club course, may seem like a dry one, but it is a very important one, and he will make it very interesting. If you doubt this assertion you can prove its truth by attending and becoming convinced in that way. The subject is "Building Material and Points in House Construction." There are a good many sharp points in this subject, and Prof. Greene knows what they are and how to make his audience see the points, also.

The reason Pingree stands so well with the frisky college youth, is that, at least so we've heard tell, He believes in Hazon—Truth.

Mr. Hubbard and Wood Allen got a fine wild goose as a result of one day's hunt at Portage Lake, last Saturday.

A local butcher recently asked a farmer if he wanted some sausage. "No," replied the husking. "I can't eat the dog-gone stuff." "Pon my word," said the carver, "there's no dog gone in this."—Harbor Springs Llar. 00

The supervisor's committee appointed to settle Ex-County Treasurer Suekey's defalcation, had a meeting Thursday, and agreed to meet with the bondsmen any day that said bondsmen would agree to hand over the \$4,100 deficit.

The concert given at the M. E. church last Friday evening was well attended and heartily appreciated. In response to an encore, Mrs. Worden, of Detroit, sang the old song: "Mrs. Lofty," which was new to most of her audience, whom it greatly pleased.

One of our business men, who is in a position to know what he is talking about, says that Ann Arbor is feeling the hard times now more than she has felt them at any time before. He judges from the amount of business being done and the extreme difficulty in making collections.

On account of the Week of Prayer: all the evening classes of the Y. M. C. A. are being dropped this week, to be made up later on. These classes are very successful this year, and the boys are taking hold with a great deal of zest. The association in this one thing alone are doing a grand work.

The marriage of Frank Legg and Miss Franc Dorr on Thursday of last week, was consummated in St. Andrew's church, the Rev. Henry Tuttle officiating, and witnessed by a very few friends. Mr. Legg is a gentleman well known in the city having many friends and well wishers. The Courier extends its hand to the couple for a long and useful life.

A marriage license was made out for Dan J. Ross at Ann Arbor last week. Dan looked it over, jerked up the sag in his trousers, scratched the back of his ear reflectively and then shoved it back to the clerk. "Course," said Dan, "course I'd like another wife or two, but you see, the present Mrs. Ross would make it very sulphurous for me. I only wanted a deer license."—Monroe Democrat.

A gentleman remarked to this scribe on Saturday: "You tell the city authorities that if they do not fix the cross walk on the south side of Kingsley across N. State st., they will be having a bill for serious damages to settle. It is now dangerous for pedestrians, and I saw a man who was perfectly sober, fall flat on his face there a day or two since. Just put that in your paper." And there it is.

Three hundred Ann Arbor students have pledged themselves to read one chapter in the Bible each day, till they read it through. From the horrible attempts of some of the editors around Michigan's intellectual electric light station, to quote scripture, we feel justified in the opinion that they would discover considerable news by following the example of the 300 students.—Monroe Democrat. Brother Smith must be thinking of the time when he was here. There's no trouble now in that respect.

When Mrs. Edith Clancy, who came into some notoriety here a few weeks ago, went away to Toledo with Pat Boyle, she left her little 8-year-old daughter Marguerite, at Kalamazoo. The authorities there took the child and found her a good home. Now Mrs. Clancy is attempting to get possession of the child, and the authorities are fighting the attempt. It will be remembered that while it could not be proven on the inquest here, yet there is no doubt but that the little girl's father was murdered while he was searching for his runaway wife in Toledo. For the good of the little one, if she has been found a good home, it would certainly seem as if she ought to be allowed to remain in it. There are times when it is a sin for parents to be allowed the custody of their own children.

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Mrs. A. L. Worden sang a solo at the M. E. church last Sunday evening, entitled "I would not Live Always," in such a manner as to elicit the warmest praise.

The ladies of St. Andrew's church are very busily engaged in preparing for their festival of the holidays to be given at Harris Hall soon. It will be both unique and beautiful.

The 3d ward Record Breakers will play the Ypsilanti High School on Thanksgiving Day, at Ypsilanti. On the same day Hughie McGuire will run a foot race with George Wilson.

Edward L. Seyler and his brother Julius, have bought the undivided interest of their deceased sister, Mrs. Edith P. Fowler, in the store occupied by E. E. Beal on N. Main st.

Edwin A. Keith has bought of Chas. R. Whitman the lot on E. Ann street, formerly owned by the late John Fogerty, and will erect a fine residence thereon the coming summer.

"The Ministry of Song" will be musically illustrated at the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday evening. Dr. Cobern will speak in the morning on "The Saint Paul of the 19th Century."

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 26th, an inspection of Welch Post G. A. R., of this city, has been ordered by the post department commander, Col. H. S. Dean. Every member of the post is expected to be present that evening.

At Flint a sort of "clearing house" has been established, through which all charity will hereafter be dispensed. It will be under the supervision of an advisory council of the best citizens of the place. Why isn't the idea a good one?

The culmination of a somewhat romantic courtship will be ended on tomorrow, Thursday evening, at Zion's church, by the marriage of Mr. Louis Boes, the teacher of the parochial school of that church, to Miss Anna Lutz. Rev. Max Hein will perform the ceremony, too.

If every store or business place would close its doors at 6 o'clock p. m., the people would soon become accustomed to the custom, and everybody would be benefited, and the business man himself most of all, for he is the one who needs the rest and relaxation from work and worry.

Many of Ex-Senator Thomas W. Palmer's friends in Ann Arbor regret to learn of the destruction of his fine house with all of its contents, on Woodward ave., Detroit, by fire early Tuesday morning. Many choice paintings, books, and mementoes on which no money value could be placed, were swept away by the merciless destroyer.

Mrs. Mary Ann Starkweather of Ypsilanti, has again shown her liberality toward her own city by giving \$10,000 for a new Student's Christian Association building. This act is one characteristic of the woman, who has already given much to that city among other things being the public fountain, the Ladies' Library building, and much of the soldier's monument.

Dr. Fred. M. Prettyman, medic '91, a brother of the popular 6th ward alderman of that name, was married on the 3d of last October to Miss Gertrude van der Sles, at Campinas, Brazil, where he is located and practicing his profession. If it is not too late and too far away, the Courier would be pleased to extend congratulations to the Dr. and his bride with a wish that happiness and usefulness may be their lot in life.

At a meeting of the school board last evening the usual monthly budget of bills were allowed; the banks were called upon for bids for keeping the school money; the German Methodists were given permission to hold their church services in the 2d ward school building; the use of the 2d and 2d ward school buildings for Sunday Schools on each Sunday afternoon was granted; and the resignation of L. Gruner as a trustee still kept on the table.

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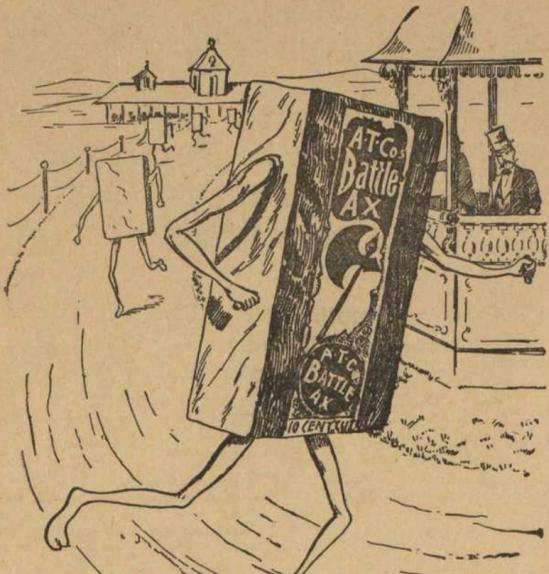
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(Boston Correspondence.)
ORGANIZATION of women by women is conspicuous for its frequent occurrence in this day of their prominence in the new fields, and it attracts little notice outside of its select circle. Every sort of an association with an object of some kind for its cause of being seems to have been thought of and established. The desire for the benefits and diversions which club circles give to their members has spread throughout the whole country. The little mountain hamlet or the fisherman's village has not escaped its influence. Where there is found a collection of homes, be they ever so humble, there will be found the periodical gathering together of the most ambitious souls of the community, with laudable endeavor toward a better knowledge of some special subject. They may have the merest social purpose as their object; whatever it is it



PRESIDENT MERRITT.
is a woman's organization, and it is not opposed, rather it is applauded, and often admired by the fathers, brothers and husbands. These are willing to admit that the "club" is a distinct addition to the village life.

Just how great an addition and relief the circle is to the monotonous lives of village women can hardly be estimated. In such communities the club is an angel of mercy. It has infused life into dreary spiritless existence; it has carried help to homes where ignorance has held sway, and it wreaked its vengeance upon those who broke natural laws, not wilfully, but because of forgetfulness and listlessness, and because environment led downward, not upward.

But it is not of the work and beneficent leaven of the woman's club as it exists to-day that is the purpose of the present writing. They are suggested for comparative use only. In these days of toleration and self-help it is difficult to realize the obstacles which beset the pioneer of this great woman's club movement. Suppose now, for example, a body of women organized to study "anatomy, physiology, the training of children and youth, the preservation of health, the causes and remedies of disease," and the like, should find that after a year's conscientious work the opposition to woman's thinking of anything outside of "the eating and sleeping of life" was so universal that but one man could be found who would pray for the success of the undertaking!

This is just what, however, the first handful of women who wished to learn how to live healthier and more hopeful lives experienced forty-seven years ago. It was in the old Washington Hall in Broomfield street, Boston, on April 11, 1848, that Prof. C. B. Bronson gave the first of six lectures on the "Laws of Life and Health." The sense of womanly obligation in such matters had hitherto lain dormant, but the genius of Prof. Bronson aroused it. At the close



SECRETARY BABCOCK.
of the course, those who had listened determined to know more about the citadel of the soul and how to keep it. They organized themselves into a society called the Ladies' Physiological Society of Boston and vicinity, giving to the inspirer, Prof. Bronson, the office of president.
In 1850 the society was incorporated

through the assistance of the Rev. Sylvanus J. Cobb, and his wife became the first woman president, Mrs. Cobb, who served three different terms as the chief executive officer of the institute, stands at the head of the list of untiring workers in its behalf. To her enthusiasm and energy was due the successful stand of the society against such formidable obstacles as public opinion and the clergy. For at its first anniversary the Rev. Dr. Jenks of Boston was the only minister of the Gospel to be found who would offer a prayer for the society.

In view of the fact that the object of the association was to hear lectures upon the evil of physical sins and the morality of health and how to help the sick and suffering, one can only question the clerical wisdom of those days in opposing such laudable designs. Nothing daunted the good purpose of its founders, however, and the work went on, soon fulfilling Prof. Bronson's condition: "That the mannikins and models used in the lectures should belong to the society when 1,000 members were duly enrolled."

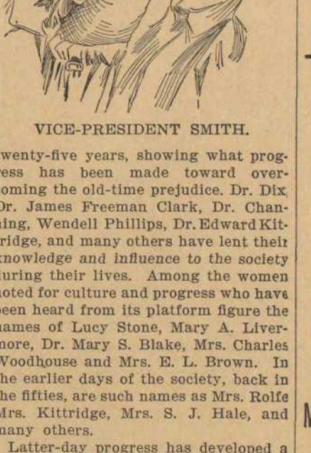
A library was started the first year of the institute's existence, and, growing constantly, has offered valuable privileges to its members ever since. Here reference books and all publications that deal with health topics can be found.

Two women who are undoubtedly the oldest clubwomen in the country, or, perhaps, in the world, Mary V. and Lydia E. Randall have maintained their membership continuously since the first enrollment, a period of forty-seven years. They are now Mrs. M. E. R. Jones and Mrs. L. E. Hutchings.

Prof. Bronson was the first and last male president; he has been followed by only ten other incumbents of the office, five of whom were physicians. Dr. Salome Merritt is the present president, now filling her seventh year in office. She has given the usual annual course of lectures from eight to twelve in number, throughout her term. Her subjects have been on "Fundamental Physiology and Hygiene," and she has made them thoroughly practical and plainly scientific, presenting them in a way not found elsewhere outside of medical colleges.

The institute has never failed in all its forty-seven years of existence to give the course of lectures, covering physiology, hygiene, sanitation, nursing, emergencies, moral development, and allied subjects. For a number of years the Moral Education Association has given in connection with the institute, a course upon different phases of moral questions.

The fee of one dollar admits a new member to all the institute's privileges, provided she has received a two-thirds vote of the members present at the regular meeting. Those not members may attend lectures by paying ten cents each time at the door. Members give away large numbers of tickets to persons unable to pay and who are desirous of hearing the lectures. The society supports a room at the Helping Hand Home in Boston, keeping it supplied with all necessary conveniences. Many prominent ministers have been numbered among the list of lecturers before the institute during the last



VICE-PRESIDENT SMITH.
twenty-five years, showing what progress has been made toward overcoming the old-time prejudice. Dr. Dix Dr. James Freeman Clark, Dr. Channing, Wendell Phillips, Dr. Edward Kittridge, and many others have lent their knowledge and influence to the society during their lives. Among the women noted for culture and progress who have been heard from its platform figure the names of Lucy Stone, Mary A. Livermore, Dr. Mary S. Blake, Mrs. Charles Woodhouse and Mrs. E. L. Brown. In the earlier days of the society, back in the fifties, are such names as Mrs. Rolfe Mrs. Kittridge, Mrs. S. J. Hale, and many others.

Latter-day progress has developed a spirit of co-operation, not only among the society's members, but among other women's clubs, and the institute finds itself approached from various quarters for help and co-operation in the study of subjects for the promotion of knowledge among women.

The institute has established evening meetings for the benefit of teachers and business women. In 1890 a lecture fund was started, to enable the society to secure the finest lecturers when remuneration alone could enable them to do so. A committee has been formed to co-operate with other associations and facilitate work of common interest. A few legacies have been received by the society, enabling it to add to its library and collection of illustrative apparatus and engravings to be used at lectures.

The Methodist church of a certain village in Nova Scotia had engaged a new janitor. He was fresh from the country and knew little of the duties upon which he entered. Directions were given him, however, and he started in upon his work in mid-winter. The first Sunday morning was bitterly cold, and long before daylight John had the fires burning in the furnaces. He had been instructed to heat the auditorium until the thermometer registered 70 degrees, and at last he succeeded in getting the required temperature. An hour before the time of service one of the members came over to see that all was going well with the new janitor. After commenting on the severity of the weather he went to where the thermometer hung, and reaching up for it was about to put it outdoors that he might see how cold it was, when the janitor stopped him. "No you don't!" he cried, grasping him by the collar with energy. "I've worked here for six hours ter git that thermometer up ter seventy, and if yer take it out an' git it down again it will take me six hours more, and the folks will come here an' freeze ter death!"

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The Sentinel states that Capt. E. P. Allen, of that city, "saved Ohio to the G. O. P." He may have helped, and we believe he did, but the general disgust of the people with democratic tariff tinkering, etc., did more than anything else.

The members of St. Mary's parish, Chelsea, will tender its priest, Rev. Fr. W. P. Considine a public reception on Thursday evening Nov. 15, that being the tenth anniversary of his connection with that church. They have laid out for a good time.

of the course, those who had listened determined to know more about the citadel of the soul and how to keep it. They organized themselves into a society called the Ladies' Physiological Society of Boston and vicinity, giving to the inspirer, Prof. Bronson, the office of president.
In 1850 the society was incorporated

Work of the Woman's Auxiliary—

The entertainment committee of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. made an excellent showing of work done during the past year. The first effort was the Thanksgiving banquet, in the Presbyterian church, given to the members of the Y. M. C. A. and their wives. There were 200 covers laid. The New Years reception followed, then in February the committee tea for 65 covers. Still later the annual banquet to the sustaining members and their wives with 250 covers.

This was followed by a series of socials, one at Mrs. Schairer's, one at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, one on Mrs. Wetmore's lawn and one on Mrs. Perry's lawn.

On the 1st of October light refreshments were served to the boys on the occasion of the opening of their evening classes.

The socials netted the organization \$45 and the entertainments were all provided without drawing on the treasury.

This indicates a busy year for the women, but Mrs. Perry, the chairman, reported most willing helpers, and an enjoyable time. Mrs. Geo. Moore and Mrs. Schairer take her place for the coming year.

One Year in the Rebel Army—

Holders of season tickets for the Y. M. C. A. Lyceum course will please note that a change has been made in the arrangements. This has been necessitated by circumstances. The next entertainment will be held on Tuesday evening Nov. 26th, instead of Wednesday evening Nov. 27, and will be a lecture by Rev. J. M. Barkley, of Detroit, upon his experience as a soldier and entitled "One Year in the Rebel Army." Those who have heard this lecture, are warm in praise of it, and one gentleman said to the writer, "It is the best lecture that is being delivered on the American lecture platform to-day."

The trustees of Harris Hall have kindly consented to the use of that hall for the evening, and the lecture will be held there. Those interested and everybody should be interested in the work of the Y. M. C. A. will please note these changes.

Here are a couple of notices of this lecture we especially ask you to read:

On Mr. Barkley's second appearance in Flint in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course, the Journal of that city says, among other things: "For nearly two hours the eloquent speaker held the audience in closest attention. It was a most pathetic recital of wrongs done individuals, families and states to promote the glory of southern leaders. The numerous sides was not omitted, and the audience was convulsed with laughter by the speaker's inimitable mimicry. The eloquent passages were vociferously applauded. His splendid tribute to Lincoln, and his praise of the Silent Soldier, Grant, were received with greatest demonstrations of approval. The conclusion of the lecture, where Mr. Barkley describes the battle field, with its attendant sufferings and excitements the breaking up of the southern army, and the homegoing, were passages of oratory that should be heard to be appreciated. The whole lecture is instructive, taking the audience to the other side of the fray and introducing scenes of privation and suffering wholly unknown to those of the North living in war times."

The Cleveland Herald says: "The whole lecture, being from the experience of a man who saw the struggle of the Rebellion from the standpoint of a Confederate soldier, was unique and peculiarly interesting from that cause. The closing effort, a graphic description of a battlefield, the end of the war, and the return of the soldier, was a fitting close to the lecture and was loudly applauded."

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The Lost is Found—

Elliott K. Herdman, son of Dr. W. J. Herdman, left his home about three weeks ago and went to New York City. After his arrival there he sent a letter to his parents that he had intended to go on a training ship to Cuba, but that the vessel had sailed before he was able to get on board. He left no address and said nothing as to his future intentions.

An uncle of the boy, Frank H. McCormack, of Washington, D. C., arrived in New York a few days ago and began a search for him, but nothing was heard of him until this afternoon when his mother received a telegram stating that he had been found and was with Mr. McCormack.

Dr. Herdman is at this time on his way to New York, and will doubtless bring his son back with him.—Daily Times.

Modern Hieroglyphics—

Talk about ancient Chaldean and Egyptian hieroglyphics! Look at these, culled at random from our exchanges:

CEB., WCRAM., F&AM., WRC., GAR.; YPSCE., BYPU., KD's., EL.; DSA.; LCTM., KOTM., DOR., IOOF.; KP.; S.L.A., SCA., AAHS., YHS11.; ICF., IOGT., AOUW., AOUF.; OMC.; MCR., T&AARR., D.L&NRR.

And so on interminably. The above are only a few of the modern hieroglyphics that the average reader is supposed to understand.

What think you the scholars of a century hence will say when they come to these peculiar abbreviations and attempt to decipher them? Even the scholar of to-day is puzzled. There is probably not one man in one hundred who can take the above and read them off readily. Just try it yourself if you think it is easy.

To be Tied—

2793.	Emory J. Raymond, Wayne Co.	36
	Carrie Heber, Freedom	18
2794.	Chas. H. Robinson, Milan	37
	Lucille H. Ward	24
2795.	Edward L. Glovin, Webster	34
	Mary L. Jung, Northfield	28
2796.	Anton Otto, Ann Arbor	58
	Alyda Steuben	35
2797.	Wm. Allen, Grosse Isle	47
	Emma Vandergraf, Grosse Isle	32
2798.	Walter Thurlby, Farmington	24
	Mary Dronillard, Milan	23
2799.	John B. Jackson, Manchester	45
	Francellus C. McCollum	41
2800.	Frank E. Legg, Ann Arbor	33
	Franc P. Dorr	30
2801.	Phineas A. Wilson, Ann Arbor	42
	Mrs. Armda Tripp, Ridgeway	42
2802.	Louis B. Roepeck, Unadilla	24
	Abbie M. Boyce, Lyndon	23
2803.	Willard Warner, Dundee	35
	Florence McCarthy, Augusta	28
2804.	James S. Allen, Dexter	50
	Susie E. Royce, Chelsea	46
2805.	Jacob F. Keck, Lodi	31
	Hannah R. Stockinger, Manchester	24
2806.	Christian Steeb, Lodi	30
	Mary A. Eperle, Superior	23

The annual meeting of the Needlework Guild will be held at the residence of Mrs. W. S. Parry, 61 Washington st., on Friday, Nov. 15, at 3 o'clock. All interested in the work are invited, but members of the guild are urged to be present.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any difference if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years, he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Food digestion and rich, red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice, it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive system. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

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Col. Shoemaker, of Jackson, Dead—

Col. Michael Shoemaker, of Jackson, died at his home in that city on Sunday. He was a man who had been prominent in the affairs of the state, and had been a candidate of the democratic party for congress and for other positions, but was on the wrong side to be successful. He was a mason of high rank, and his funeral was conducted to-day by the Grand Lodge F. & A. M., at St. Paul's Episcopal church.

We are all Thankful—

Gov. Rich has issued the following proclamation: Thursday, November 28, is hereby appointed as a day of general thanksgiving.

The people of this state are requested on this day to abstain from the ordinary avocations of life and devote the day to exercises of recreation appropriate to the occasion.

It is a good time to forgive offenses, to gather the family together, to forget or suspend differences of opinion in relation to politics, religion and beliefs, to remember the needy, to do kind deeds, and to return thanks for blessings enjoyed.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the state, at the capital, in Lansing, this seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and of the Independence of the United States, the one hundred and nineteenth.

By the Governor, JOHN T. RICH, Governor.

A Good Thing—

The amount of primary school money apportioned to this county, at this time, is \$10,433.93, and is distributed on a basis of 83 cents to each child of school age. This is the largest amount ever apportioned. The number of children, and the amount apportioned to each city and township is given below. This is a semi-annual apportionment so that the amount received by the schools of this county from the state this year will be upwards of \$20,000. This amount taken from the state tax levied would not make that very burdensome.

Here are the figures:

City or Township	Number of Children	Amount
Ann Arbor	259	\$ 214 97
Ann Arbor City	3,132	2,599 50
Augusta	613	508 79
Bridgewater	319	264 77
Dexter	226	187 77
Frederic	446	370 18
Lima	275	228 35
Saline	246	203 31
Lyndon	191	158 53
Manchester	661	548 63
Northfield	309	256 47
Pittsfield	301	249 83
Salem	269	223 27
Seymour	557	462 31
Sharon	342	283 86
Superior	346	287 18
Sylvan	680	564 40
Webster	205	170 15
Ypsilanti	612	507 96
Ypsilanti Town	301	249 83
Ypsilanti City	1,682	1,396 06
Total	12,571	\$10,433 93

EUGENE FIELD.

There's a little girl's heart that was broken to-night,
When I told her of Little Boy Blue,
And that the one who wrote so tender of him
Had "sailed off in his wooden shoe."
"Sailed on a river of misty light,"
Never for us to view.
Quickly and swiftly into the night,
And into his "sea of dew."
There's a little boy's heart that was broken to-night,
As he left his trinkets and play
And I told him the prince of history books
Was sleeping the night away—
"Sailed on a river of misty light,"
While in his land of O'er There
Has rounded the Boatman's prow.
Quickly and swiftly into the night,
Touched by an angel of God.
There's an old fellow's heart that is sad to-night,
As he reads them over again,
The "Dutch Lullaby" and "Trumpet and Drum."
And the tracings of his pen,
"Sailed on a river of misty light,"
Out from the shores of Now,
And safe on the sands of O'er There
Has rounded the Boatman's prow.
There's many a heart that is sad to-night
As we look on the printed page,
And the merry jingle for boy and girl,
"Sailed on a river of misty light,"
But happy is he over there,
For a Gentle Shepherd has kept for him
A Boy Blue and Golden Hair.
—George R. Barker in the Free Press.

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- Too much bribe
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- Too much Gorman
- Too much Hill
- Too many agents
- Paying out "bills"
- Too much Wall street
- Too much grip
- Too much offensive Partisanship
- Too much panic
- In ninety-three
- Too slow return of Prosperity
- Too little work
- Not enough pay
- Labor at the polls
- Had its day
- Too many bonds
- Issued and sold
- Too much syndicate
- Furnishing gold
- Too many deficits
- Too much debt
- No foreign markets
- Captured yet
- Too much weakness of backbone
- Too many insults
- We can't outdone
- Too much John Bull
- Not enough Monroe
- Too much treading on Uncle Sam's toes
- Too many Republicans
- At the polls
- Now for Sail River
- Full of shoals

What if Santaneli should be stricken with heart disease and die without awakening the boy he had put to sleep? When would the boy wake up?

The job of erecting the new German M. E. Parsonage has been let to Fred Weinberg, for \$1,000.

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ESTATE OF ALBERT E. KEITH, DECEASED.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday the 8th day of Nov., in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.
Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Albert E. Keith, deceased.
Edwin A. Keith, the administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 6th day of December next, at ten o'clock forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the devisees and legatees and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed; and it is further ordered that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pending of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Courier a newspaper printed and circulating in said county three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.
J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.
WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

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Jefferson M. Clough, the Man Who Developed the Two Greatest American Rifles—The Remington and the Winchester.

He Refused a Tempting Offer From the Chinese Government—His Health Would Not Permit His Acceptance.

From the Springfield, Mass. Union.

As the result of long and arduous attention to business for many years, Jefferson M. Clough, now of Belchertown, Mass., who has just turned sixty-five years, found himself disabled by muscular rheumatism, two years and more ago and was obliged to relinquish the position of general superintendent of the Winchester Repeating Arms Company, of New Haven, Conn., where he had been employed for eleven years at a salary of \$5,000 for the first few years of his service, but which was increased to \$7,500 by the voluntary action of the company. Previous to his service for the Winchester Repeating Arms Company he had filled the responsible position of superintendent at E. Remington & Son's armory, at Ilion, N. Y., for seventeen years; during which time large quantities of arms were made for foreign governments as well as our own, besides sewing machines and typewriters—Mr. Clough having perfected the first of the latter machines that was exhibited. After leaving the Remingtons and previous to making an engagement with the Winchester Arms Company, the secretary of the Chinese Legation in this country came to Belchertown and negotiated with Mr. Clough to go to China to build arms for the Chinese government; but the long delay in getting the answer from the Chinese decided him in accepting the offer to go to New Haven. It was during his service for the Arms Company he visited the leading armories of England, France and Germany in company with the vice-president of the company, in order to learn whatever new methods there might be in the manufacture of muskets. It was after this long term of active labor as a business man that, finding himself incapacitated for further service by the embargo which rheumatism had laid upon him, he resigned his position more than two years ago and returned to Belchertown, where he owned what was originally the Phelps farm, about three miles southeast of the centre of the town, in a retired spot where he has five hundred acres of land.

From this quiet home he began to seek a remedy for the muscular rheumatism which was located largely in the muscles of his shoulders, chest and back. He employed Dr. Holbrook, of Palmer, and received great benefit from his treatment for a time; but was so anxious to gain faster that he decided to seek another treatment, and being a man of means did not spare the cost, and was treated by baths at celebrated springs without receiving any benefit worth notice. He then tried various remedies advertised for rheumatism without receiving any good effect. During the summer of 1893 and the winter of 1894 Mr. Clough was confined to his house in Belchertown, being unable to rise from his bed without assistance, and suffering continually with acute pains and with no taste or desire for food, nor was he able to obtain sufficient sleep.

Early in the year 1894 Mr. Clough heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People through his brother James M. Clough, of Easthampton, Mass., who came to visit him, and was induced to make a trial of them. He began taking these pills about the first of March, 1894, and continued to do so until the first part of September following. The first effect noticed was a better appetite and he began to note more ability to help himself off the bed and to be better generally. Last August (1894) he was able to go alone to his summer residence and farm of 103 acres on Grandier Island, among the Thousand Islands, in the river St. Lawrence, where from the highest land of his farm he commands a view for thirteen miles down the river.

Instead of being confined to his bed Mr. Clough is now and has been for some time able to be about the farm to direct the men employed there, and he is thankful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for him.

A Society Girl.

From the Oswego, N. Y., Palladium.

"For months I lived in an agony of fear; I thought surely I was going to die and friends greeted me as one not long for this world. Physicians were unable to help me and I believe that I would have died but for my brother writing to me from Detroit, Michigan, and recommending that I try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I did so reluctantly and with little faith in their efficacy. I am cured now and I know that I owe my restoration to health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and to them alone."

That is the story Miss Elizabeth Williams, of 110 West Third Street, a lady prominent in society circles, told a reporter of the Oswego, N. Y., Daily Palladium, who called upon her at her home in that city yesterday. Miss Williams is the daughter of the late Capt. Wm. Williams, who was for many years master of some of the finest passenger steamers on the great lakes and an inspector and rater of hulls for the Lloyd's marine records on the lakes. Continuing the story of her illness in her own way, Miss Williams said:

"It was always regarded as healthy and robust by my family and friends; in fact, I hardly knew what sickness was until the winter of 1893-4. I was then taken down with an attack of la grippe from the attending effects of which I did not recover for months. There seemed to be a general break-down in my health and constitution, winding up in the early summer with nervous prostration and sciatic rheumatism. I can't describe my symptoms. My appetite was gone and for weeks rheumatism had laid upon me, and I was unable to eat or relish food but sparingly. I lost flesh rapidly and was as thin as a shadow. Local physicians attended me constantly. After months of treatment I dismissed both and took my brother's advice and tried Pink Pills. He had found them efficacious for kidney trouble. Before I had finished taking the first box I noticed an improvement in my physical condition. I began to relish my food and my rheumatism troubled me less. Gradually the general tone of my health improved and my rheumatic pains left me entirely. I regained strength and took on flesh, until to-day I regard myself as thoroughly free from all ailment and in perfect health. My friends noted my improvement and I have never hesitated to tell them what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did for one sufferer. It is that others may be benefited that I make this statement and relate my experiences."

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PROCEEDINGS

Board of Supervisors

OF WASHTENAW COUNTY.

Annual Session, October, 1895

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1895.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll called and quorum present. Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Walter from Criminal Claims No. 1 reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, viz:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Wm. Blackburn, Dep'y Sheriff, \$39.92; Thomas Bell, \$114.10.

Mr. Tuomey, from Criminal Claims No. 2, reported the following and recommended their allowance:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes W.P. Beach, Justice, \$98.54; John Mann, \$5.10.

Mr. Oesterlin, from Civil Claims reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes W.W. Wedemeyer, School Commissioner, \$4.00; W.W. Wedemeyer, Stationery, \$27.32.

Also that the bill of J. A. Polhemus which the committee recommended be disallowed.

Report adopted.

On motion the Board took a recess until 2 p. m.

Afternoon Session—The Board was called to order by the Chairman. Roll called and quorum present.

Mr. Case, from Criminal Claims No. 1 reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Harris Ball, Dep'y Sheriff, \$53.50; C. M. Warner, \$148.55.

Mr. Oesterlin, from Civil Claims reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes C. G. Darling, post mortem, \$28.00; Frank Bourns, ass't post mortem, \$7.50.

Mr. Boyle, from Committee to examine reports of superintendents of the poor, made the following report:

To the Hon. Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County: Gentlemen—Your committee appointed to examine the accounts of the Superintendents of the Poor, respectfully report that they have examined the said accounts and find that the stub-book and ledger agree with the vouchers and bills for the same, and that the business is conducted in an economical and satisfactory manner.

We desire to thank the Superintendents for the assistance rendered in the work; also to Mr. and Mrs. Shankland for kindness shown your committee.

James Boyle, Emory E. Leland, Wm. F. Hall.

Mr. Case offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the number of officers to whom compensation will be allowed for attendance in circuit court be fixed as follows: When a jury is present the sheriff and two deputies—when no jury is present the sheriff and one deputy.

Mr. Walter offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That we pay the Prosecuting Attorney the sum of \$400 for services in Justice Court and collection of liquor tax.

Claimed, Allowed. Seth C. Randall, Pros. Att'y., \$400.00 \$400.00

Mr. Scott moved that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to investigate the discrepancy reported to exist between the State Treasurer's and County Treasurer's books. The Chair appointed as such committee Messrs. Oesterlin, Childs and Davenport.

The hour having arrived for the election of Superintendent of Poor, on motion of Mr. Case, the Clerk was instructed to cast the entire vote of the Board for E. P. Mason. Carried. The ballot was so cast.

The hour for the election of School Examiner having arrived, Mr. Scott moved that the Board proceed to an informal ballot. Carried.

The Chair appointed as tellers Messrs. Boyle and Wheeler. Result of first informal ballot, Herbert Dancer received 13 votes, Thaddeus Leland 15, and Allen Rockwell 1.

On motion of Mr. Bibbins the Board proceeded to a formal ballot. Result of formal ballot, Herbert Dancer received 16 votes, and Thaddeus Leland received 13 votes. On motion of Mr. Scott the election of Mr. Dancer was made unanimous.

On motion of Mr. Case the Board adjourned until 2 p. m. to-morrow.

Wm. Dansingburg, Clerk. H. Lighthall, Chairman.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1895.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman. Roll called and quorum present. The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Case from Criminal Claims No. 1 reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes P. J. Tucker, detective work, \$222.62.

Mr. Oesterlin from committee on Civil Claims reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes C. P. McKinstry, postage, \$25.00; A. A. Walker, ex. insane, \$8.00.

Report adopted.

Mr. Hunter from Criminal Claims No. 2 reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Thos. D. Moss, Justice, \$23.00; Thos. D. Crech, deputy mar., \$14.85.

Report adopted.

Mr. Ball from committee on contagious diseases reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes T. L. Idings, infected clothes destroyed, \$30.00; T. L. Idings, disinfecting house, \$10.00.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Boyle moved that the bills for oil and wood in the above cases be allowed. Carried.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Sill & Quish, oil, \$10.10; Christopher Loney, wood, \$3.50.

The committee reported the following bills and recommended their disallowance.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Lee & Quish, sardines, \$1.30; Ed Croarkin, clothing, \$16.70.

Committees report accepted and adopted.

Mr. Hall from the committee to re-district the county made the following report:

To the Honorable, the Board of Supervisors: Your committee on redistricting and dividing the county into representative districts, respectfully report that they have had the subject under consideration and do recommend that the county be divided into representative districts as now constituted and herewith submit the necessary order and resolution therefor.

All of which is respectfully submitted and your committee beg to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

Dated Ann Arbor, Oct. 25, 1895. W. F. Hall, Joseph Donnelly, S. S. Bibbins.

By Mr. Hall. Whereas, Under the provisions of Act No. 237 of the Session Laws of this State for the year 1895, the County of Washtenaw is entitled to two representatives in the State Legislature.

Therefore, Be It Resolved and it is hereby ordered that the County of Washtenaw be and the same is hereby divided into two representative districts to consist of the following territory, to-wit: District No. one, to consist of the Townships of Ann Arbor, Dexter, Freedom, Lima, Lyndon, Northfield, Salem, Scio, Sylvan, Webster, and the City of Ann Arbor. All of which territory has according to the census of the year 1894 a population of twenty-three thousand and sixty-four.

Sharon, Superior, York, Ypsilanti, and Ypsilanti City. All of which territory according to the census of 1894 has a population of twenty thousand four hundred and fifty-two.

It is further ordered that the clerk of this board do certify and cause this order and determination to be certified to the office of the Secretary of State of this State and to the office of the Clerk of this County, pursuant to law.

Report accepted and adopted.

Mr. Whittaker from committee to settle with the county officers made the following report which was adopted:

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 23, 1895. This is to certify that Wm. F. Kelhus has on deposit in this Bank on Oct. 1, 1895, to his credit as Treasurer of Washtenaw County the sum of nine thousand seven hundred and thirty-three dollars (\$9733.00).

Respectfully, Chas. E. Hiscock, Cash.

Your committee to settle with the county officers beg leave to report that they have examined the books and vouchers of the County Treasurer and find them in accordance with the report of the Treasurer, submitted to this Board, and have procured and attached to this report the certificate of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank, showing balance on hand Oct. 1, 1895, \$9733.00.

We further report that we have examined the accounts of the County Clerk and find the same to be as follows:

WASHTENAW COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County.

We, the Committee to settle with County Officers, would respectfully report that we have examined the accounts of the Clerk, and report that we find that an entry fee of \$2.00 has been paid to the County Clerk in the following cases:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Nos. 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 573, 575, 576, 577, 579, 581, 583, 584, 585, 586, 589, 590, 591, 592, 595, 596, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 618, 619, 620, 621, 623, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631.

We also find that the Clerk has collected the jury and stenographer fees in the following cases, viz:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Christian Wackenhut vs. Andrew Shankland, \$6.00; Ann Walker vs. City of Ann Arbor, \$6.00.

Total \$198.00

The total amount of money collected by the Clerk belonging to the County is \$198.00.

We also find that the Clerk is entitled to the following items of credit, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Postage, January, \$2.50; Express, \$1.50; Postal Cards, \$1.50.

Total \$241.76

Money due County \$198.00

Balance due Clerk \$43.76

I hereby certify that the above is correct.

Wm. Dansingburg, Clerk. B. C. Whittaker, James M. Forsyth, Wm. K. Childs, Committee.

Oct. 24, 1895. Examined.

We wish to extend our thanks to Peter Lehman, Dept. County Treasurer, and to Wm. Dansingburg, County Clerk, for their kind and valuable assistance in our work.

B. C. Whittaker, Wm. K. Childs, James M. Forsyth, Committee.

Mr. Howlett from the committee on per diem made the following report which was adopted without objection:

Your committee on per diem do recommend that the several sums be allowed to the different supervisors of Washtenaw County as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Name, Days, Per Diem, Mileage. Includes W. K. Childs, 12 days, \$36.00; Eugene Oesterlin, 12 days, \$36.00.

Table with 4 columns: Real Dollars, Personal Dollars, Total Dollars, Equalization Dollars. Includes A. A. City, 5,124,008; A. A. Town, 1,985,353.

Respectfully, A. Davenport, E. V. Hart, Thomas McQuillan, Wm. Burtless, M. P. Alber.

Report adopted.

Mr. Kitson moved that the bill of Dr. Belsler allowed yesterday be reconsidered.

Carried. On further motion said bill was disallowed.

Mr. Wheeler moved that when this Board adjourns, it adjourn to meet in special session on Monday, October 28.

Carried. Mr. Case offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the County Clerk be instructed to draw orders on the contingent fund of the county for payment of services rendered in conveying persons to state or city charitable reformatory or penal institutions on presentation of a proper receipt from the warden or agent of such institution or prison at the following rates:

From any point in this county to Adrian, the railroad fare and \$4.00.

From any point in this county to Coldwater, the railroad fare and \$8.00.

From any point in this county to Pontiac, the railroad fare and \$6.50.

From any point in this county to Lansing, the railroad fare and \$5.00.

From any point in this county to Detroit House of Correction, the railroad fare and \$4.00.

From any point in this County to Kalamazoo, the railroad fare and \$6.00.

An assistant to take an insane person to Pontiac to be paid railroad fare and \$3.00.

Resolved, That the above rates to be in full payment for all claims and expenses in such cases, including all cash expenses per diem, mileage, hack hire, meals, lodging and all expenses whatever.

The hour for the election of janitor being arrived, on motion of Mr. Bibbins the Clerk was instructed to cast the ballot of the board for Marion Davenport for janitor, whereupon the Clerk so cast the ballot.

Mr. Case moved that one of the janitor's duties be to keep the sidewalk clean around the court house square.

Carried. It was moved that the clerk be instructed to draw orders on the contingent fund for payment of supervisor's services.

Carried. Whereupon the Board adjourned until Monday, October 28, 1895.

Wm. Dansingburg, H. Lighthall, Clerk, Chairman.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1895.

The Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County met in adjourned session in the Supervisor's room in the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor in said County, on Monday, the 28th day of October, 1895.

The Board was called to order by the Chairman. Roll called and quorum present. The Journal of Friday was read and approved.

Mr. Forsyth moved that the Clerk notify the Ann Arbor Savings Bank to file their bond not later than next Thursday. Carried.

Mr. Scott offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Buildings is hereby authorized to make all necessary repairs on public buildings and to allow all bills for labor and materials. And the County Clerk is hereby directed to draw orders on the Contingent Fund for the same. And said committee is directed to present an itemized statement of their work to the next Board of Supervisors. Carried.

Mr. Case moved that the Treasurer be allowed the sum of one hundred dollars for keeping an account of the daily balances with the bank. Carried.

Mr. Oesterlin moved that the sheriff be instructed to put up notice prohibiting outsiders coming into the jail yard, except on business, and to arrest any one persisting in so doing. Carried.

On motion of Mr. Kitson the board took a recess until 2 p. m.

Afternoon Session—The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll called and quorum present.

Mr. Oesterlin, from the Civil Claims Committee reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Harris Ball, Inquest (Hodges), \$4.60; Frederick Hahn, Juror, \$1.50.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Samuel Knaggs, Constable, \$10.00; James Doyle, Justice, \$5.00.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Ernest Jackson, \$48.48; James Forsyth, \$48.48; Chas. M. Walker, \$48.48.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Wm. V. Voorhes, \$50.50; J. W. Babcock, services, \$50.00.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes H. J. Brown, supplies for jail, \$15.95; S. A. Crane, game warden, \$7.00.

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Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes George F. Paine, Constable, \$33.05; Jacob Riddle, witness, \$25.81.

Adopted. Mr. Ball, Committee on Contagious Diseases reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes E. Forsyth, Wood, \$4.00; Isaac Hume, Bedding, \$23.50.

Mr. Hunter moved that the bill of Geo. H. Jackson be reconsidered. Carried.

Mr. Bibbins moved that the bill be referred back to the Committee and that they report to-morrow at 10 a. m.

Resolved, That a committee of five members of this Board be appointed by the chairman; that such committee be invested with power and authority in their discretion to settle, adjust and compromise the liability of Paul G. Sukey and his bondsmen, to the county, such adjustment to be made for such sum as the committee may deem just, reasonable and fair. That the committee do advise with the prosecuting attorney relating to matters of a criminal nature pertaining to the administration of the office of County Treasurer.

Mr. Forsyth moved that said resolution be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Wheeler moved that the Board adjourn. Lost.

Mr. Case moved that action be postponed until 2 p. m. to-morrow. Carried.

Mr. Scott moved that the bill of Chas. H. Kline, disallowed yesterday, be allowed as claimed. Carried.

Chas. H. Kline, Inquest, \$25.00 \$25.00

On motion of Mr. Whittaker the Board adjourned until to-morrow at 10 a. m.

Wm. Dansingburg, Clerk. H. Lighthall, Chairman.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1895.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll called and quorum present. The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Oesterlin from committee on civil claims reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes H. J. Brown, supplies for jail, \$15.95; S. A. Crane, game warden, \$7.00.

Mr. Hunter moved that the committee's report be accepted and adopted.

Mr. Case moved to amend by accepting the bill of M. J. Cavanaugh, which amendment prevailed by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for.

Yeas—Alber, Burtless, Bibbins, Ball, Case, Damon, Dancer, Fisher, Grosshans, Hall, Hauser, Hunter, Howlett, Kitson, Lighthall, Leland, Scott, Voorhes, Walter, 19.

Nays—Boyle, Davenport, Donnelly, Forsyth, Oesterlin and Whittaker, 6.

The motion as amended was then adopted.

On the motion of Mr. Dancer the bill was laid on the table until tomorrow at 10 a. m.

Mr. Case from committee on criminal claims No. 1, reported the following bill and recommended its allowance at the sum stated, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Byron McCauley, deputy sheriff, \$40.48.

Report was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Alber from committee on rejected taxes made the following report:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County: Your committee to whom was referred the subject of rejected taxes would respectfully report that they have examined the list furnished by the Auditor General and find charged to the several supervisor districts the following sums, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Ann Arbor City, \$13.22; Dexter, \$18.15; Lodi, \$17.50.

Mr. Hunter from committee on fractional schools submitted the following report:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes Ann Arbor, \$208; Ann Arbor Town, \$17.

Northfield	.....	21
Pittsfield	.....	381
Saline	.....	264
Salem	.....	915
Selo	.....	239
Sharon	.....	147
Superior	.....	307
Sylvan	.....	194
Webster	.....	116
York	.....	267
Ypsilanti	.....	194
Ypsilanti City (1st District)	.....	116
Ypsilanti City (2d District)	.....	145

Ypsilanti, Mich., Oct. 25, 1895.

Joseph Donnelly, Esq.,
Ann Arbor, Mich.

Dear Sir—I will print the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors in the paper and in pamphlet form at a uniform rate of \$2.00 per page.

Respectfully,
M. T. Woodruff.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Oct. 31, 1895.
To the Committee on Printing and the Board of Supervisors:

The Ann Arbor Courier and the Ann Arbor Argus will print the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors for the January and October sessions in the Courier and the Argus and print and bind 1,000 pamphlets with index, 48 pages, for \$150.00, more or less pages pro rata. For the past two years the Courier and Argus have united in their bid for the purpose of giving the proceedings the widest publicity and of getting out the pamphlets promptly after the adjournment of the Board.

Previous to our joint bids the Board will remember the proceedings were not printed until some months after they took place. We agree to print them entire in our newspapers and to furnish the pamphlets within three weeks of the adjournment of the Board. We desire to call the attention of the Board to the fact that the two papers are of opposite politics and their circulation extends to every township and that the two offices are enabled to do the work promptly because they are especially equipped for it.

Respectfully,
Beakes & Hammond,
J. E. Beal.

Mr. Dancer moved that the bids of the Argus and Courier be accepted, which motion was lost by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for.

Yeas—Messrs. Boyle, Ball, Childs, Davenport, Dancer, Donnelly, Fischer, Kitson, Leland, Oesterlin, Scott, Tuomey, and Whittaker, 13.

Nays—Messrs. Alber, Burtless, Bibbins, Case, Damon, Forsyth, Grosshans, Hall, Hauser, Hunter, Howlett, McQuillan, Voorhies, Wheeler, and Walter, 15.

Mr. Damon moved that the bid of the Ypsilanti Sentinel be accepted, which motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for:

Yeas—Messrs. Alber, Burtless, Bibbins, Case, Damon, Dancer, Forsyth, Grosshans, Hall, Hauser, Hunter, Howlett, McQuillan, Voorhies, Wheeler, Walter, 16.

Nays—Messrs. Boyle, Ball, Childs, Davenport, Donnelly, Fischer, Kitson, Leland, Oesterlin, Scott, Tuomey, Whittaker, 12.

Mr. Dancer moved that the Neue Washtenaw Post be the paper selected in which to publish the proceedings in German, provided they include the January session.

Carried.

Mr. Childs moved that the bid of the Ypsilanti Sentinel be reconsidered.

Carried.

On motion of Mr. Case the matter was laid on the table until to-morrow at 10 a. m.

Mr. Davenport offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of five members of this Board be appointed by the chairman; that such committee be invested with power and authority in their discretion to settle and adjust and compromise the liability of Paul G. Sukey and his bondsmen to the county; that such adjustment be made for such sum as the committee may deem just, reasonable and fair, provided, however, that this resolution or any act of such committee shall not be construed to release the said Paul G. Sukey or any of his bondsmen from their liability to the county, until such sum, so agreed as a compromise, shall have been paid in full.

Resolved further, That the committee do advise with the prosecuting attorney relating to all matters of a criminal nature pertaining to the late administration of the office of county treasurer.

On motion of Mr. Wheeler the subject matter was postponed till to-morrow at 2 p. m.

On motion of Mr. McQuillan the Board adjourned until to-morrow at 10 a. m.

H. Lighthall,
Chairman.
W. Dansingburg,
Clerk.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1895.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the chairman. Roll called and quorum present. The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Mr. Case from committee on general claims reported the following bill and recommended its allowance, which report was adopted.

Claimed. Allowed.
Archie Gauntlet, deputy sheriff \$5 05 4 85

Mr. Oesterlin from committee on civil claims reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, to-wit:

Claimed. Allowed.
J. A. Polhemus, livery 5 00 5 00
Robinson & Co., " 10 00 10 00
A. R. Holmes, " 3 00 2 50
Dr. John Kapp, medical service 45 00 45 00
Eugene Oesterlin, typewriting 2 00 2 00
C. G. Darling, ex. of insane 5 00 5 00

Report was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Tuomey from committee on criminal claims No. 2, reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, to-wit:

Claimed. Allowed.
W. W. Kelsey, justice 5 05 5 05
George Warty, witness 1 15 1 15
William Johnson, " 4 35 4 35
Steven Crane, " 1 10 1 10

Report was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Whittaker from special committee made the following report which was adopted:

Ann Arbor, Oct. 31, 1895.
To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw Co.

Gentlemen—Your committee to whom was referred the matter of shortage of liquor tax claimed due the township of Bridgewater from the County of Washtenaw, beg leave to report that

they have had the same under consideration and that after careful investigation are of the opinion that there is now due and unpaid the amount of one hundred and forty-eight dollars and fifty cents from the county of Washtenaw to the township of Bridgewater. The same being a part of liquor tax due said township for the year 1894. For payment of which no receipts appear in the office of the county treasurer.

And we respectfully recommend that the county treasurer be instructed to pay to the treasurer of the township of Bridgewater the said sum of \$148.50 claimed.

All of which is respectfully submitted, and we ask to be discharged from the further consideration of subject.

B. C. Whittaker,
James M. Forsyth,
Wm. K. Childs,
Committee.

Mr. Dancer moved that the bill of Mr. Judson, reconsidered yesterday, be adopted as corrected.

Carried.

Mr. Forsyth offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the keeper of the lock-up at Ypsilanti be notified that this Board will pay no bills for keeping prisoners after conviction.

Accepted and adopted.

Mr. Scott moved that the bill of M. J. Cavanaugh for rent of room be allowed.

Carried.

M. J. Cavanaugh, for rent of room \$225 00 \$225 00

Mr. Forsyth moved that the bid of the Ypsilanti Sentinel for printing the proceedings be accepted.

Mr. Scott offered an amendment that the bid of the Argus and Courier be accepted, which was carried by the following yeas and nays vote:

Yeas—Messrs. Alber, Boyle, Case, Childs, Davenport, Dancer, Donnelly, Fischer, Grosshans, Hall, Hauser, Howlett, Kitson, Leland, McQuillan, Oesterlin, Scott, Tuomey, Whittaker, and Walter, 20.

Nays—Messrs. Bibbins, Ball, Damon, Forsyth, Hunter, Voorhies, and Wheeler, 7.

The original motion as amended was then adopted.

On motion of Mr. Forsyth the Board took a recess until 2 p. m.

P. M. Session—Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll called and quorum present.

Mr. Oesterlin from committee on civil claims reported the following bills and recommended their allowance at sums stated, to-wit:

Claimed. Allowed.
C. P. McKinstry, indexing discharges 8 30 8 20
P. J. Lehman, extra work treas. office 65 03 65 00
George's Livery, back to county house 3 00 2 50
W. F. Rehfus, 948 tax certificates 237 00 237 00
P. J. Lehman, ex. treas. books 49 00 49 00
W. F. Rehfus, livery 1 50 1 50
Fred So. Isede, book binding 25 00 22 00
W. F. Rehfus, postage 25 00 25 00
Eberbach Drug Co., sundries for jail 20 50 20 50

Report accepted and adopted.

The bill of Twitchell and Palmer was also reported to the committee without recommendation. Mr. Hunter moved that the bill be allowed at \$50.

Mr. Wheeler offered an amendment that it be allowed at the sum of \$40, which amendment was lost by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for.

Yeas—Messrs. Ball, Childs, Davenport, Damon, Donnelly, Grosshans, Hall, Hauser, Howlett, Leland, McQuillan and Wheeler, 12.

Nays—Messrs. Alber, Burtless, Boyle, Bibbins, Case, Dancer, Forsyth, Fischer, Hunter, Kitson, Oesterlin, Scott, Tuomey, Voorhies, Whittaker, and Walter, 16.

The original motion of Mr. Hunter was then adopted.

Twitchell & Palmer, medical services 80 00 50 00

Mr. Whittaker from committee on civil claims reported the bill of Gustave Brehm without recommendation. Mr. Case moved that the bill be disallowed.

Carried.

Gustave Brehm, certificate for taxes for deeds \$220 15 disallowed.

Mr. Tuomey from committee on criminal claims No. 2, made the following report and recommended the allowance of the bills at sums stated, to-wit:

Claimed. Allowed.
E. B. Pond, justice 8 75 8 75
Paris Banfield, marshal 12 00 12 00

Report was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Forsyth from finance committee made the following report:

To the Board of Supervisors:
Gentlemen—Your committee on finance respectfully recommend that we raise the sum of \$25,000 to pay ordinary expenses of county, and we also advise the sum of \$2,500 to be apportioned to the poor fund, and we further recommend the following apportionment:

To the county fund	.....	\$8,000
Contingent fund	.....	2,000
Public building fund	.....	1,000
Jury fund	.....	3,500
Witness fund	.....	1,500
School examiners	.....	1,500
Stenographers fund	.....	1,000
Salary fund	.....	7,500
Fuel fund	.....	100
Eastern Michigan Asylum	.....	2,000
Soldiers relief fund	.....	1,000

Total amount apportioned including poor fund \$39,000

County tax amt. recommended \$25,000

Estimated liquor tax 19,000

Total \$44,000

Total amount as apportioned 39,000

Balance unapportioned \$5,000

All of which is respectfully submitted this 31st day of October, 1895.

James M. Forsyth,
Wm. K. Childs,
Fred C. Wheeler.

Mr. Hunter offered an amendment to the report that we raise \$20,000, which was accepted after which the original report amended was accepted and adopted.

Clerk then presented the bond of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank, which was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Mr. Scott moved that a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to prepare a statement of the county expenses for the past year and have the same published with the proceedings of the Board. Adopted.

The Chair appointed as such committee Messrs. Whittaker, Hunter and Oesterlin.

Mr. Dancer moved that the Clerk write the report of the equalization committee in the journal. Carried.

Mr. Dancer moved that the Clerk have a bound volume of the proceedings of the Board prepared and kept in his office. Carried.

Mr. Damon moved that the Davenport resolution be amended, in that the committee be elected by ballot, which was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays being called for:

Yeas—Messrs. Alber, Burtless, Boyle, Bibbins, Case, Davenport, Damon, Dancer, Donnelly, Forsyth, Fischer, Hall, Hauser, Howlett, Kitson, Lighthall, McQuillan, Oesterlin, Scott, Tuomey, Voorhies, Whittaker and Walter—23.

Nays—Messrs. Ball, Childs, Grosshans, Hunter, Leland, and Wheeler—6.

The original resolution as amended was then adopted.

Mr. Childs moved that the clerk cast the vote of the Board for the four old members of the committee, which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Scott moved that the Board prepare five ballots and the person having the most votes to be the members of the committee. Carried.

The Chair appointed as tellers Messrs. Wheeler and Boyle.

The five persons having the most votes were Case, Dancer, Hunter, Walter and Ball.

Mr. Hunter moved that the Clerk purchase all necessary supplies for the various county offices and that he draw orders on the contingent fund in payment therefor. Carried.

On motion of Mr. Case the Board adjourned until tomorrow at 10 a. m.

H. LIGHTHALL,
Chairman.

WM. DANSINGBURG,
Clerk.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1895.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. Roll called and quorum present.

The Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Case, from committee on Criminal Claims No. 1, reported the following, which was adopted.

Claimed. Allowed.
Byron McCauley, deputy sheriff \$ 2 75 2 75
Stanton Ferguson, " 2 00 2 00

Mr. Oesterlin, from committee on Civil Claims, reported the following claim and recommended payment. Adopted.

Claimed. Allowed.
William Seerey, work in Treasurer's office \$57 00 \$57 00

Mr. Case moved that rule 23 be suspended. Adopted.

Mr. Davenport moved that the bill of Mr. Knaggs be reconsidered and referred back to the committee. Carried.

On the committee's report the bill was allowed as follows:

Claimed. Allowed.
Samuel Knaggs, deputy sheriff \$10 00 \$ 2 00

Mr. Tuomey, from committee on Criminal Claims, No. 2, reported the following claims and recommended payment. Adopted.

Claimed. Allowed.
Myron Webb, justice \$ 8 30 \$ 8 30
Peter Herbschen, constable 5 30 5 30

Mr. Grosshans, from committee on State and County Taxes, made the following report, which was adopted:

Your committee on apportionment of State and County taxes beg leave to report as follows:

STATE.		COUNTY.
Ann Arbor City	.....	\$17,844 46
Ann Arbor Town	.....	8,290 82
Augusta	.....	1,499 27
Bridgewater	.....	2,503 64
Dexter	.....	1,736 94
Freedom	.....	2,394 74
Limps	.....	2,688 84
Lodi	.....	3,029 20
Lyndon	.....	1,306 39
Manchester	.....	3,674 58
Northfield	.....	2,291 91
Pittsfield	.....	3,657 58
Saline	.....	3,003 05
Salem	.....	3,710 79
Sharon	.....	2,463 96
Superior	.....	3,132 02
Sylvan	.....	2,230 77
Webster	.....	3,801 29
York	.....	3,181 03
Ypsilanti Town	.....	3,118 79
Ypsilanti City, 1st dist.	.....	4,329 64
Ypsilanti City, 2d dist.	.....	1,769 42
Total	.....	\$82,682 75

\$20,000 00

N. F. Grosshans,
Walter Voorhies,
E. A. Hauser.

Mr. McQuillan, from committee on drains made the following report which was adopted:

We have examined the County Drain Commissioner's report and have found it correct, and recommend that the several supervisors spread the tax as given, with the exception of Buck Creek Drain, which was spread last year. And we further recommend that the Drain Commissioner hereafter in his report fully itemize the cost of expenditures on each drain.

Thomas McQuillan,
S. S. Bibbins,
M. F. Grosshans.

Mr. Oesterlin, from special committee on jail repairing, made the following report which on motion was referred to committee on public buildings, with power to act.

Ann Arbor, Oct. 13, 1895.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors, Ann Arbor, Mich.:

Gentlemen—We propose to furnish you extra heavy prison window guards, with strong channel iron frame to set in a jam, and put the same into position at the county jail for the sum of \$12 (twelve dollars) each. Hoping to be awarded with your contract we remain, gentlemen,

Yours, etc.,
Hutzler & Co.,
Per, E. C. Spring.

Mr. Case offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the appointment of a committee by this Board to settle with Paul G. Sukey and his sureties shall not be construed so as in any manner to interfere with the progress of the case now pending in the circuit court against said Sukey and the sureties on his bond.

On motion the Board took a recess until 2 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment. The roll called and a quorum present.

Mr. Howlett, from Committee on Per Diem, made the following report, which was adopted:

Your Committee on Per Diem do recommend that the several sums be allowed to the different Supervisors of Washtenaw County, that six days be allowed each member of the board except the Committee to whom was assigned the duty of preparing an itemized statement of the expenses of the county which be allowed two days extra and also the chairman of the board.

Days.	Per Diem.	Mileage.	Total.
W. K. Childs	12	18 12
Eugene Oesterlin	12	18 12
John J. Fischer	12	18 12
Joseph Donnelly	12	18 12
James Boyle	12	18 12
Arthur J. Kitson	12	18 12
Ervar H. Scott	12	18 12
C. L. Tuomey	24	18 24
Samuel S. Bibbins	24	18 24
George Walters	48	18 48
Michael McQuillan	1 02	19 02
Michael P. Alber	2 04	20 04
Walter H. Dancer	2 04	20 04
Michael Grosshans	3 06	18 06
James Howlett	3 06	21 00
Wm. Burtless	4 20	22 20
Emory E. Leand	94	18 94
M. F. Case	7 34	18 34
Fred C. Wheeler	3 00	21 00
Edward A. Hauser	1 20	19 20
H. C. Whittaker	1 08	25 08
Wm. F. Hall	4 20	19 20
Walter Voorhies	1 44	19 44
Hiram Lighthall	17 24	20 16
Edwin Ball	1 20	19 20
Alfred Davenport	2 16	20 16
John L. Hunter	8 91	24 96
Samuel Damon	1 20	19 20
James Forsyth	1 20	19 20

James Howlett,
John J. Fischer,
A. Davenport.

Mr. Childs, from committee to settle with county officers made the following report, which was adopted:

Ann Arbor, Nov. 1, 1895.
To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:
Messrs.—Your committee to whom was referred the matter relative to making new record book for office of Register of Deeds, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and would respectfully report and recommend that an additional sum of one hundred dollars be paid for said work, and that the same be paid only in proportion as the balance of work is completed. And ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

B. C. Whittaker,
James M. Forsyth,
Wm. K. Childs,
Committee.

Mr. Oesterlin, from the special committee to inquire into the expense of putting fire proof vaults in the court house made the following report, which on motion, was accepted and ordered printed with the proceedings.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 1, 1895.
To the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw County.

We the undersigned hereby agree to build two fire proof brick vaults in court house of Washtenaw county, and they will be built in the following manner: 16 inch brick walls will be built all around with a hollow space between prison walls, arched over at top and bottom, and 12 inch I beams be used in between arches, the top to have 12 inches of sand on top, the inside of the walls to be plastered and the floor to have a Portland Cement bottom. The south side window of building will be bricked up with pressed bricks on outside. We will do all work carpenter work and to leave building in a satisfactory condition. The work will be carried out in a workmanlike manner for the sum of eight hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$885.00).

Koch Bro.

Mr. Kitson offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board does hereby extend a vote of thanks to Chairman Lighthall and Chairman pro tem. Hunter for their constant courtesy and uniform impartiality during the deliberations of this Board.

Resolution adopted.