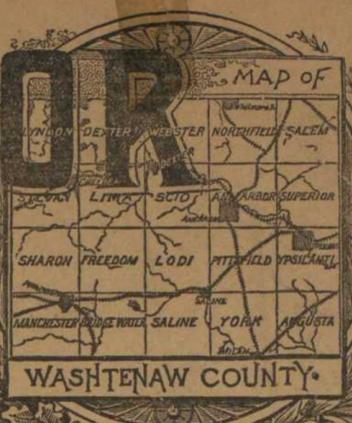


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Never have you been given so good an opportunity of getting a beautiful Fur Cap that will last you for years.

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Lincoln's Faith.

At a recent banquet in the city of Washington, General Sickles related the following remarkable anecdote of Lincoln:

"It was on the 5th day of July, 1863, that I was brought to Washington on a stretcher from the field of Gettysburg. Hearing of my arrival, President Lincoln came to my room and sat down by my bedside. He asked about the great battle, and when I told him of the terrible slaughter, the tears streamed from his eyes. I asked him if he had doubted the result. He said, 'No.' Then he continued:

"This may seem strange to you, but a few days ago, when the opposing armies were converging, I felt as never before my utter helplessness in the great crisis that was to come upon the country. I went into my own room and locked the door. Then I knelt down and prayed as I had never prayed before. I told God that he had called me to this position, that I had done all that I could do, and that the result now was in his hands; that I felt my own weakness and lack of power, and that I knew that if the country was to be saved it was because he willed it. When I went down from my room I felt that there could be no doubt of the issue. The burden seemed to have rolled off my shoulders, my intense anxiety was relieved, and in its place came a great sense of trustfulness, and that was why I did not doubt the result at Gettysburg. And, what is more, Sickles," he continued, "I believe that we may hear at any moment of a great success by Grant, who has been pegging away at Vicksburg for so many months. By to-morrow you will hear that he has won a victory as important to us in the west as Gettysburg is in the east."

"Then, turning to me, he said, 'Sickles, I am in a prophetic mood to-day, and I know that you will get well.' 'The doctors do not give me that hope, Mr. President,' I said, but he answered cheerfully, 'I know you will get well, Sickles.'"

A Graphic Description of Him—

The following bit of "descriptive history of our times," is going about the country. Whoever wrote it understands human nature pretty well, and yet there is another side to it than the one so graphically illustrated:

"Everybody for himself, and the devil take the hindmost," is the motto of our present social and industrial system. It is a grasping, murderous, suicidal system from first to last. Under its operation the survival of the fittest is assured. The wolf lives and the lamb dies. The honest, modest unselfish man goes to the wall; the grasping, hustling, unscrupulous "hustler" gets to the front. Society may pity, but it does not respect the one while it almost venerates the other. Too much of our civilization is heathenism in a medicated, sugar coated form, but it is heathenism none the less. The savage who uses a club with which to overcome an adversary is more merciful than the sly and subtle villain who is administering slow poison to their victims. Integrity is the thing mankind needs most. The poison tongue of gossip is no less a deadly weapon than is the poisoned stiletto of the mafia. We really should forget self long enough to give the other fellow a chance now and then. From Mr. Rocker's whose "corner on oil" enables him to build a grand university with a small portion of his "gains," to the highwayman who gets wealth in the same spirit but by a more direct process, we are all on the make. Some of us with a less effective "corner" or a lighter club are likely to be overcome. We don't strike hard enough. Our conscience may hurt us. A man with a conscience is sadly handicapped.

A Pleasant Occasion—

Stafford B. Nickels and Miss Edith Colburn, both of this city, were united in marriage on Tuesday evening last, Rev. Henry Tatlock officiating. The groom's sister, Mrs. J. S. Johnson, acted as bridesmaid, and little Miss Ernestine Johnson as ring bearer, while Thos. Colburn, a brother, gave the bride away. Only the immediate relatives were present to witness the ceremony, which was very pretty indeed. The marriage took place in the future home of the couple, at No. 46 S. State street, which had been entirely furnished and made ready for them. Many handsome presents were received, and the occasion was one that for a strictly private wedding was more than ordinarily charming. The bridegroom is a young business man, well known to many of our citizens, and greatly respected, and in their new relations in life the couple will start off with many well wishers.

To Farmers.

We have completed our new feed mill and will be prepared from now on to do all kinds of farmers custom work including the grinding of corn in the ear.

4w Ann Arbor Milling Co.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Ann Arbor Agricultural Company will be held at the Company's office in the Fifth ward on Tuesday, January 7th, 1896 at 10 o'clock a. m. city time, for the election of directors and other important business. Polls open one hour.

EVART H. SCOTT, President.
JOHN FINNEGAN, Secretary.

Lagrippe.

During the prevalence of the Grippe the past season it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery, not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all of the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. Free Trial Bot-

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

Ready for Another Year—

At a meeting of the directors of the Y. M. C. A. last Thursday evening, the work of the association for the coming year was mapped out, and the needs talked over.

The report of the finance committee showed a balance now on hand, with an expenditure in all departments of work of \$1,462.79 for the year past.

The estimates for the year to come call upon the directors to raise about \$1,100 above the estimated receipts. This will be done as formerly, by subscription. One very commendable thing about the management is their refusal to run into debt. They cut their garments according to their cloth, and refuse to do anything until they have the money or know where it is coming from, to pay for it with.

A committee was authorized to look after and secure entertainments for the Y. M. C. A. for the coming year. A committee was also appointed to investigate the cost and desirability of putting in a gymnasium and baths. Whether this will be done or not depends largely upon the manner in which the proposition is accepted by the young men who are members of the association.

The work that is being done is certainly of an excellent character, and the night classes are especially good. This work costs considerably more than the receipts, but the results are very satisfactory.

The ultimate aim of the association is to secure a building for its own use. The fund, though small at present, will surely grow as soon as our citizens realize the work that is being done, and the need there is for it. The course of entertainments given this year have been worth more than the price for which the tickets have sold, and ought to have realized a nice little sum for the cause, but the people looked upon it as an experiment and were afraid, so that only a small amount will be made. Next year, with still greater attractions, it is hoped to make at least a thousand dollars for the new building. By helping the association, you help not only the influences working for good in the community, but you help the boys. Save the boys and you save the nation, and the soul and life of the Y. M. C. A. is the motto: "Save the boys."

Washtenaw Gets It—

The Adrian Press tells this o're true tale of woe: "Washtenaw is getting it 'in the neck,' in a suit recently brought in that county by a Jackson man against the Michigan Central road. The plaintiff is Mr. Whalin, engineer of the train that ran into the World's Fair passenger train at Jackson last year. He could bring the suit in any county where the Central has its tracks, and thinking it would cost a pretty sum, to any county for the trial, he slips down to Ann Arbor and begins suit. The Washtenaw people kick like Alabama mules, but it's no use Jackson people smile to think of the \$1,000 bill kindly saved to it. The only way to get even is for the jury to deduct \$1,000 from what they find due to Whalin, and make his damages that much less, providing of course they find he has any claim for damages. He relies on a defective brake. If it was defective he should have known it at Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Grass Lake, Chelsea, Leoni and other places along the road."

And that is not all that Jackson is guilty of. When the poor commissioner finds a wanderer on the face of the earth without money or ambition, located in that town, he ships said destitute jumble of humanity to Ann Arbor p. d. q. Not understanding, perhaps, that nothing alive can be kept in the pickling vat.

The Speer Brand of Brandy—

If a guarantee of Excellence. The 1876 is absolutely pure. For sickness in your family do not for heaven's sake use any brandy but old and strictly pure distillate from the grape.

Out with the Old in with the New—

Another volume in the history of the world is completed, and to-day we slowly and regretfully release our hands from the old volume of '95, and grasp with eagerness the new one of '96, lest that both be lost in the change. Remembering the sad records on the 365 pages of the book just closed some of us take up the new volume with eagerness, hoping that, as its leaves are daily turned, there may be written a more cheerful record of our lives. Others, who have had the sunshine of kind fortune beaming on them, cling to the old, and part with it with great reluctance, fearing that the new one may break the spell, and bring to them also the sadness and sorrow that has been the fate of many. And there are others still, butterflies of humanity, who fling the old away with joy and rasp the new with song and laughter, giving no thought to either past or future, but basking in the light of life, with no heed for the going or coming of remorseless time. But the hour will come to them as it does to all, when that which animates the temples made of clay which they occupy will be passed into the shade, the bright eye will grow dim, the joyous smile will fade away, the cheery laugh will sound fainter and fainter, and like the dear year just dead, they too will pass into eternity and be soon forgotten forever. None will know that they ever lived. Good bye, old Year! God bless the bright, glad pages which were yours; the others let us seal forever, even as your lids are closed never to be opened again. And standing as we do at the threshold of another cycle, we raise our hands and ask the blessings of the Great Giver of Life on that which is to come.

The Perverseness of Things—

This tells the experience of many a newspaper scribe. It is taken from the Jonesville Independent: "Our market report went on a 'tare' last week and quoted butter at 60 cents a pound. The next morning we were offered several hundred pounds at that price by as many different people. We pursue the even tenor of our way weeks at a time undisturbed, and we get to thinking that no one reads the paper. Then an error creeps in, we report a man dead and he comes in to dispute with us about it. Mrs. Smith is reported to have a new baby, when Mrs. Jones is the one intended to have been referred to as having assumed maternal responsibilities, and so we might keep on with a list of troubles. When the day is over and its events are reviewed in our mind's eye, the conclusion is inevitable that the people read the paper, and this conclusion brings satisfaction to our heart, although we have gone through much suffering to find it out."

New Home for the New Year—

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Travis begin the new year in their elegant new residence, just completed, at the corner of E. Huron and N. Division sts. Probably the happiest days of life are those which come to a family on the completion of a new home, built according to their own ideas, and the feelings of joy and pride which naturally arise on such an occasion are justly commendable. They spent the first night there Monday, and will be quite at home this New Year's Day.

Playing at Poverty—

On Friday evening January 3d, the Epworth League will give a poverty social at the M. E. church. The invitation says: "Come and wear your old clothes, if possible representing some occupation. The Hard Times Concert Co., including Miss Hasn'tgotared, pianist; Mr. Dead-broke, famous banjoist; Miss Threadbare, elocutionist, have kindly consented to be present and favor us with some of their finest productions."

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OF

Choicest CHINA

A RARE CHANCE AT COST.

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WASHINGTON BLOCK - ANN ARBOR

Masonic Benefit Association—

The Masonic Mutual Benefit Association's election of officers Thursday evening resulted in the selection of L. C. Goodrich, president; C. B. Davison, vice-pres; C. E. Hiseock, treasurer; N. Gates, secretary. The directors chosen are Dr. Dorrance, N. J. Kyer, A. C. Nichols, Geo. Rhead, H. B. Dodsley, J. E. Beal. The object of the association is to give an amount equal to a dollar per member to the family of a deceased brother, immediately after death, for funeral expenses. No one of the association died the past year. The membership is limited to the local masons and is as follows:

Over 150 members were present at the election of officers of Arbor Tent, No. 296, K. O. T. M., last evening and the result is as follows: Com., M. H. Mills; Lt. Com., Chas. Esslinger; R. K., Geo. Lutz, jr.; F. K., W. F. Stinson; Phy., Dr. W. F. Breakley; Chap., W. Winger; Sergt., H. F. Frost; M. of A., Carl Brook; 1st M. of G., Albert St. Clair; 2d M. of G., M. M. Steffy; Sen., Ed. Bacon; Pick., W. E. Allen.

The election of Johnson Tent, No. 783, K. O. T. M., last evening resulted as follows: Com., B. Frank Olinger; Lt. Com., W. H. Barrows; R. K., C. F. Meyer; F. K., W. H. Butler; Phy., Dr. E. A. Clark; Chap., B. F. Gerow; Sergt. Emmett Booth; M. of A., Clyde C. Kerr; 1st M. of G., J. Conde; 2d M. of G., S. J. Salyer; Sen., D. J. Malloy; Pick., Geo. Darrow.

The following officers have been elected by Goethe Commandery U. F. of M.: Past commander, Adolph Schmidt; commander, Herman Allmendinger; vice commander, George Baur; corresponding secretary, Geo. Allmendinger; recording secretary, Mr. Scheffold; treasurer, L. Gruner; medical examiner, Dr. Wessinger; prelate, Mr. Mayer; Marshal, August Kowalski; warden, Jas. Hutchen; inside guard, Wm. Kiercher; outside guard, Mr. Dupslaff; steward, Wm. Kiercher. The trustees are Chas. Gruner, J. R. Trojanowski and Chas. Binder, Jr.

Ann Arbor Encampment No. 7, I. O. O. F. have elected the following officers: Grand Patriarch—G. R. Kelley. H. P.—A. T. Cook, S. W.—S. P. Hill, J. W.—G. W. Clark, Scribe—H. Krapf. Treas.—John J. Ferguson.

The K. U. S. of Ann Arbor Lodge A. O. U. W. have elected the following officers: President—John Mahlke; vice president—Emanuel Luick; secretary—August Sinke; financial secretary—John Kuebler; treasurer—George Haller; trustee—Gottlob Luick.

BUSY STORE OF SCHAIRER & MILLEN

We make no special announcement for this week, but on the morning of

MONDAY, JAN. 6th,

We will open Our

GREAT ANNUAL JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE,

And we can promise that it will eclipse in

MONEY SAVING PRICES

And in great value giving any Clearance Sale we ever had before.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY will be largely devoted to

MARKING DOWN STOCK

And preparing for this

WONDERFUL SALE,

If you wish to attend the Bargain Sale of your life, be on hand MONDAY MORNING, JAN. 6th.

Our entire stock of over \$40,000 Slaughtered and Cut for this Great Sale.

Cloaks, Cloth and Fur Capes, Dress Goods, Silks, Blankets, Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Flannels, Table Linens, Napkins, Sheetings, Towels, Corsets, and Lace Curtains. We are going to double our ordinary January business.

Low Prices will do it. This will be a CASH SALE ONLY.

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GOODYEAR'S DRUG STORE

SWEET ODORS

Are Pleasing to All.

Our line of PERFUMES contain all of the best varieties of English, French and American Extracts. Colognes, Florida Water, Violet Water, and Toilet Waters of all kinds, at

GOODYEAR'S DRUG STORE,

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Absolutely Fire and Burglar Proof. Call and inspect them

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BOOK-BINDING.

Connected with THE COURIER office is an extensive Book-Binding...

The late Alexander Dumas ordered in his will that all his unpublished manuscripts should be destroyed...

All the countries of Europe denied that the Declaration of Independence was good international law...

England's swagger was conspicuously absent when Russia in 1870 tore up the treaty of Paris of 1856...

The population of England is 27,483,490, of Wales 1,519,035, of Scotland 4,025,647, and of the islands 147,842...

England forgets the strength of the United States in Canada. Suppose, for instance, that in case of a declaration of war...

Pres. Lewis McLouth, of the South Dakota Agricultural college is prominently spoken for the presidency of the Michigan Agricultural college at Lansing...

If England, in case of war, proposes to devastate all of our coast cities, what, do you suppose, we will be doing all the time?

When the people of the state become posted on the work of the pure food commissioners they will see that they are doing a valuable work.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat gives the coal oil college this: "Chicago's university is rolling in millions, but its output of learning thus far may be reckoned in ha'pennies."

At last Ex-Attorney General Eils has concluded to yield his opinion as against that of the state supreme court, and he has paid into the treasury of the state \$5,218.08...

Senator Reuben Kempf, president of the Farmers' & Mechanics' Bank, has announced himself as a candidate for delegate to this congressional district...

The dynamite shells experimented with for naval defense at San Francisco are found to be entirely effective within a distance of three miles.

There is to be a good time in store for those quill drivers who can take it. The officers of the Michigan press association are making arrangements for the members of that association to take a trip to Mexico in February.

It is significant, that with one or two exceptions, the professors of international law in all American universities and colleges, declare pointedly against the correctness of the Monroe doctrine...

A Business Man.

Col. Thomas A. Scott was singularly unassuming in his dress and demeanor. When he was assistant secretary of war he had occasion to visit Gen. Pope at his headquarters at New Madrid, Mo.

"Bland, blank your business; see my adjutant, I tell you." "My name is Scott."

"O, I have no business to drink coffee anyhow, but I don't care for chocolate or tea, and do like coffee, although it raises the old Harry with my nerves and stomach."

Many a man falls in business because of his physical inability to attend to it properly. When a man wakes up and looks squarely at himself and his affairs he will break off those habits that weaken his body...

Sometimes the most careful women are the most careless. Many a woman bundles herself up, to keep out sickness—when she is neglecting the very worst sickness that can come to a woman.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Stiffes, Sprains, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc.

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The Second Year Reviewed.

The second year of the Gorman Tariff began, as far as comparison by statistics can be shown, in September last. This point should be remembered because we note that some Free-Trade papers have compared our September and October foreign trade returns for this year with the figures for the corresponding months a year ago.

Table with 3 columns: September, October, Total. Rows for 1893, 1894, 1895.

The year 1893 is the one that Free-Trade papers adopted as their standard. They used to say it was not fair to make comparisons with 1894. They wanted 1893. Let them have it.

Here, for the month of September, we find a gradual decrease in our exports, the shipments being almost \$13,000,000 less this year than in 1893. For the October month there was but little variation, the loss this year being \$23,000,000, as compared with 1893.

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COULDN'T DRINK COFFEE.

Wouldn't be Put off With Chocolate or Tea.

"And you might bring me a cup of weak coffee, too," a busy man said to a restaurant waiter when giving an order.

"O, I have no business to drink coffee anyhow, but I don't care for chocolate or tea, and do like coffee, although it raises the old Harry with my nerves and stomach."

RUIN AND MISERY

WHAT WILL BECOME OF THE YOUNG MEN OF THE DAY?

Cigarette smoking is one of the evils which is fast increasing among the young men of the period. It is an age of nervousness, nervous excitement, nervous weakness and debility is the growing malady of the day.

It's a drag and a handicap to every young man to be a sufferer from nervous debility or weakness, low spirits, irritable temper, impaired memory, loss of will-power, and the thousand and one derangements of mind and body that result from pernicious habits often contracted through ignorance of nature's laws.

For more than a quarter of a century physicians connected with this widely celebrated institution have made the treatment of the diseases hinted at above their specialty.

What Shall I Do?

Is the earnest, almost agonizing cry of weak, tired, nervous women, and crowded, overworked, struggling men. Slight difficulties, ordinary cares, household work or daily labor, magnify themselves into seemingly impassable mountains.

Take

proper nourishment. Feed the nerves, organs and tissues on rich red blood, and how soon the glow of health comes to the pale cheeks, firmness to the unsteady hand, and strength to the faltering limb.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood and is thus the best friend to unfortunate humanity. Be sure to get Hood's and only Hood's. All druggists. \$1; six for \$5.

Hood's Pills

In a Candy Factory.

From top to bottom the floors of the factory are covered with tiles, and I noticed that they were people in all parts of the building washing a and scrubbing these tiled floors.

Chocolate-making I need not describe only to state that everything was done here by machinery, for the chocolate as produced enters for a large percentage into the bonbons manufactured.

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Having on hand a large quantity of Rough Granite, and full equipped machinery for Granite Work, we are prepared to execute Fine Monumental Work on short notice.

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POSITIVELY CURES HEART DISEASE, NERVOUS PROSTRATION, EPILEPSY.

Unexcelled for Restless Babies.

Purely Vegetable, guaranteed free from opiates. One-hundred full size doses, 50 cents.

M. D. Bailey, Receiving Teller Grand Rapids (Mich.) Savings Bank, says he cannot say too much in favor of "Adironda," Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure.

Prepared by Wheeler & Fuller Medical Co., Cedar Springs, Mich. Sold by

John Moore, Druggist.

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To take orders. Instruction and on tiff free Salary or commission as preferred. Splendid chance for reliable men. Experience not necessary. Write for terms and full particulars. The R. G. CHASE COMPANY, Geneva, N. Y.

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Can obtain pleasant and profitable work by addressing the CONYERVILLE MFG. CO., MANVILLE, K. L. mfgs. of Normandie Plushes. Send 12 cents for samples, particulars, and secure agency. Mention this paper.

Hutzel's Water Back!

A very important invention which will be hailed with delight by every body using a stove or range for hot water circulation. After years of experience we have succeeded in producing a simple and perfect WATER BACK.

It overcomes all the present troubles of extracting lime and other sediments which accumulate in water backs, often making them useless and in great many instances becoming dangerous.

The outlay of dollars is reduced to dimes. No household using a range can afford to be without it.

No more trouble by using city water for hot water circulation.

Can be used in any stove. Ask your stove dealer for Hutzel's Water Back.

Mason & Davis Co's. ranges for sale at C. Eberbach are provided with our improvement.

Everybody call and examine this useful invention.

HUTZEL & CO.

Plumbers and Steamfitters.

ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN.

THE COMERS AND GOERS.

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

Miss Genevieve Duffy is spending the holidays in Chicago.

Dr. W. H. Dorrance spent Christmas with relatives in Rives.

Mrs. Zenas Sweet has gone to Beloit, Wis., to visit friends.

Miss Nellie Mingay is spending the holiday vacation in Flint.

Dr. John B. Dowdigan of Owosso, Christmased in Ann Arbor.

Prof. A. C. Tagge, of Monroe, is visiting his sister Mrs. Will Miller.

Claude J. Price took his Christmas turkey with friends in Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Ann Walker and son Henry, spent Christmas with Chelsea relatives.

Supt. Perry attended the State Teachers' Association at Lansing last week.

Mrs. W. G. Cooper of Jackson, spent Christmas with R. C. McAllister and family.

Mrs. Dr. Heartley has gone to Milwaukee, Wis., to visit her daughter Mrs. Kill'ea.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Clarkson went to Manchester, to visit Mrs. C's parents during the week.

L. E. Canfield, of the Courier force, spent Christmas at the home of his parents in Portland.

Mrs. Eugene Oesterlin, Sr., has been entertaining her sister, Miss Wise, of Jackson, for a time.

Almeron Crandall, of Chicago, has been the guest of his brother on S. Twelfth st., for a few days.

Julius V. Seyler of Detroit, has been spending the holiday season with his mother, on E. Liberty st.

Robert Rayer and Mrs. Christian Rayer, of Portland, Oregon, are guests of friends here for the holidays.

Mr. J. J. Reed and son, of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. R's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hiscock of N. Main st.

Miss Fannie Louise Gwinner of Grinnell, Iowa, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents in this city.

John Feiner and J. J. Ferguson are to attend the department council of the Pat'arch's Militant at Detroit tomorrow.

Titus Hutzel and wife had the finest Christmas present received by any one in Ann Arbor. It was a little daughter.

Edward G. Mingay of Toronto, Ontario, is in the city for a few day's stay, looking as if the world was treating him well.

Mrs. Dr. Uren, of Hurley, Wis., who had been the guest of Ann Arbor friends for several days, returned to her home Thursday.

Eugene K. Freeman of the Owosso Daily Argus, was in the city Christmas and the day following, shaking hands with old friends.

Prof. Harry Randall, of the Saginaw Schools, has been spending the holidays with his parents, Prosecuting Attorney Seth C. Randall and wife.

Jas. E. Duffy of Bay City, Edward F. Duffy of Chicago, and Miss Mary E. Duffy of Marquette have been the guests of their father Edward Duffy, during the week.

Jacob Bohnet, who has been away from Ann Arbor for a long time, and at one time was thought to be dead, is now visiting his old home here. He lives at Portland, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kearns of Detroit and Dr. Wm. Kearns of Pittsburg Pa., have been guests during the week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kearns of Thompson st.

Henry J. Kyer and wife, who have been guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Kyer, of N. Main st., for some days, left Thursday evening for their home in Seattle, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Martin entertained a number of friends on Tuesday evening last and again on Thursday evening another party of them, both of which occasions were exceedingly enjoyable.

Prof. Andrew C. McLaughlin is in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Nelson Freer of Lima, spent the week in Ann Arbor.

Karl E. Harriman was up from Toledo over Sunday and Monday.

Miss Addie Tice has been visiting friends in Jackson during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bacon went to Chelsea to spend their Christmas.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Copeland spent Christmas with relatives in Chelsea.

Miss Cora Crandall has returned home from Watervleit for the winter.

Miss Lola and Master Jay Bartlett of Flint, are visiting friends in the city.

Gilbert Rhodes and wife are entertaining Miss Hattie Haviland of West Bay City.

Prof. J. A. C. Hildner and family are spending the holidays with his parents in Detroit.

Alfred Meyer was up from Detroit to spend Christmas with his parents, on S. 7th st.

Dr. Austin McGuire of Detroit, has been the guest of his parents here during the week.

Misses Rose and Tessa Demmon have been spending the vacation with friends in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Woods and family have been spending the holidays with Chelsea friends.

Will S. Cheever, of West Bay City has been visiting his parents here during the week past.

Miss Myra E. Lewis of Metamora, has been the guest of Ann Arbor friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Muehlig entertained their friend Miss Emma Volz of Detroit, for Christmas.

Dr. F. W. Palmer has been visiting friends in Sharon and Bridgewater during the past week.

Rev. C. G. Stanger, who had been visiting his parents here, returned home to Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Sharpe, nee Ottley, of Cassopolis, has been visiting her former home here during the week.

Earl Gasser and Henry Ridley of Cleveland, O., have been visiting old friends here for a few days.

Jacob Schumacher and family of Chelsea, have been guests of Ann Arbor relatives during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hendricks of Lansing, have been guests of Ann Arbor friends during the week.

Misses Hulda and Ida Maler, of Grand Lodge, have been guests of Eugene Mutschel during the week.

County Treasurer Rehuss and little daughter have been visiting Manchester friends for a few days.

Miss Nella Kittredge of N. Main st. is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Muir, in Grand Rapids.

Prof. T. C. Trueblood and family have been visiting friends at Bloomington, Ind., during the vacation.

D. J. Malloy of E. Ann st., has been entertaining his sister Miss Maggie Malloy of Chicago, during the week.

Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Tibbals of Detroit, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Babcock during the week.

Oscar Schmidt, of Jackson, ate Christmas dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Schmid, of this city.

Mrs. B. St. James has been entertaining her parents, Capt. C. A. Pettes and wife of Detroit, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Key, of this city, attended the McFarlane-Worden wedding at Ypsilanti Christmas eve.

Mrs. Chas. LeSuer, of Toledo, returned home Monday after a few days' stay with her sister Mrs. C. B. Davison.

Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Young left Monday for Louisville, Ky., and Covington, Tenn., to be absent a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Henry Barringer and son, of Panther, W. Va., have been guests of the Misses Mann, of S. Main st., during the week.

Mail Carrier Chris. Donnelly rejoices over a boy at his house. He came Thursday, so near Christmas that he takes it as a Christmas present, all right enough.

Prof. and Mrs. D. W. Springer have been in Chicago for several days, where Mr. S. has been engaged in attending the meeting of the Western Penman's Association.

He's a Darling! Who's a Darling? Why, that new boy up at Dr. Darling's. How could he help but be one under the circumstances? His father is a Darling, you see.

Frank M. Sessions lit. '88, of Columbus, O., and Prof. Seymour, of St. Louis, Mo., have been guests during the week of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. A. Sessions, of E. William st.

Mrs. George E. Bliss and Miss Ida Bliss have gone to New York for an extended stay with friends. Miss Bliss expects to attend the famous Junior promenade at Yale, on Jan 31.

D. A. Tinker and family Christmased in Jackson.

James S. Handy is in Chicago for the holiday season.

Miss Anna Harris spends the vacation with friends in Indiana.

T. W. Mingay editor of the Daily Times, spent Sunday in Flint.

County School Commissioner Wedemeyer is at Kalamazoo again.

Miss Kate Campion is home from Jackson for a few day's visit.

Mrs. Jacob Dengler, of Owosso, is visiting George Dengler and wife.

A. F. Freeman of Manchester, was in the city on legal business Monday.

Wm. F. Fischer of Battle Creek, visited his parents here over Sunday.

Mrs. Fred. Tinker has been spending holidays at her former home in Jackson.

John C. Browne, of Thompson st., has gone to Chicago to remain permanently.

Dr. D. A. McLachlan of York, greeted his county seat friends here last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foley of Lansing are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Maynard.

Dr. Walter Booth of Grand Rapids, has been visiting old friends here for a few days.

D. A. Hammond is in Lansing, attending a meeting of the state board of education.

Dan F. Zimmerman and O. B. Tilton have been at Fort Wayne, Ind., for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Krause are entertaining Mrs. Hirth and Miss Millie Hirth, of Toledo.

Henry H. Walker, who is studying at Amherst Theological School, has been home for the holidays.

Miss Mabelle Huleck has been visiting Dr. N. A. McLachlan and family at Detroit, for the week.

Mrs. Nelson and son Raleigh, of Chicago, have been the guests of Ann Arbor friends for the holidays.

Miss M. Evelyn Waples, of Cincinnati is the guest of her parents Judge and Mrs. Rufus Waples of S. Thayer st.

Mrs. N. W. Hadley and children, of of Monroe st., and Miss Wines, have been visiting Howell friends during the week.

Prof. James R. Angell of Chicago, University, has been visiting his parents, President Dyke and wife during the week.

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SENTIMENTAL TOMMY

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Those who have read (and who has not!) "The Little Minister" and "A Window in Thrums" can anticipate what Mr. Barrie's "Sentimental Tommy" will be. It is to be the chief serial in Scribner's for 1896, beginning in the January number.

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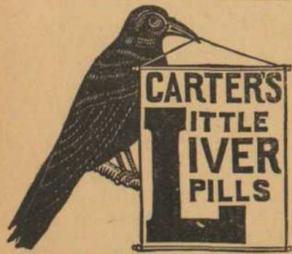
Have you thought of the Holidays yet? Of the many things you can purchase to present to some friend? I have many things which would make suitable gifts in the line of Furniture, Carpets, Rugs and Draperies. There is nothing more pleasing and thought of as a Christmas Gift than some article of Furniture, such as an Upholstered Arm Chair, an Oak or Mahogany Rocker, a Desk, Center Table, a nice Leather Couch, Side Board, Combination Book Case, a Set of Dining Chairs, Rattan Rocker, Bed Room Set, Parlor Set, or any such thing as can be found in a Furniture Store. Here are a few prices:

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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, inquire of H. M. Woods, No. 88 S. Main street, Ann Arbor.

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LOST—A Garnet breast pin of square design. Finder please return to 25 1/2 Lawrence street.

LOCAL.

The circuit court stands adjourned until next Monday.

The house of J. C. Wilson, on Walnut st., destroyed by fire some weeks ago, has been rebuilt.

Judge Holden N. Green of Ypsilanti, died on Sunday, aged 69 years. He came to Ypsilanti from Cadillac two years ago.

The remains of Mrs. Mary Tuomey, who died a few days since at Pontiac, were brought here for interment Saturday.

The postoffice did more business this year than the express offices, which shows that people are economizing and appreciating the stringent times.

On Christmas Day the Sweet family held a family reunion at the home of Spencer Sweet on Felch st., and there were 38 of them present. The occasion was a very happy one as may well be imagined.

The regular monthly social, given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church, takes place Thursday evening at 6:00 o'clock p. m., in the church parlors. You are invited to be present, and start off the year in a pleasant social way.

The Loyal Temperance Legion of this city has regular meetings every Saturday, at 2 o'clock, in the hall over Calkins' drug store on State st. Miss Richards and her assistant are doing excellent work with the children. Visitors will be cordially welcomed to any of the meetings of the Legion.

One pencil pusher in the city is in luck. He received for Christmas an after dinner coffee cup and saucer that are worth something. The cup is four inches deep and five inches across the top while the saucer is eight inches in diameter and twenty-six inches in circumference. You see his friends took him for a giant—and there's where they made their mistake.

Two youngsters, James Blythman and Elliott Chester, the latter a colored boy, worked a game at J. E. Harkins' store last Wednesday, by which they secured \$22.40. The two boys came in the store and Chester pretended to want to buy something that called the attendant down to the front end of the store. While he was thus engaged young Blythman skulked around to the safe and took the money. The theft was soon discovered, however, the boys arrested and Justice Pond sentenced Chester to 30 days in jail and Blythman to two years at the reform school.

The grand old 4th ward will have two aldermen to elect this spring.

The Wolverine Cycle club give a hop at their rooms New Year's night.

Revival meetings are to be inaugurated before long at the M. E. church. The new map of the route of the Ann Arbor Railway, at Alma, has been approved by the state board.

A Happy New Year! May the coming twelve months be kinder to you by far than have the past twelve months.

Two large bells for the new Bethlehem church have arrived and have been placed in the tower thereof, together with the old bell, the three forming a chime.

Next Sunday morning at 9:30, love feast at the M. E. church. At 10:30 the sacramental service will be conducted by the presiding elder, Rev. L. P. Davis, D. D.

James McKernan was united in marriage on Christmas Day, with Miss Kate Dolan, at Lansing, Rev. Fr. Slattery performing the ceremony. The couple will reside here.

Next Sunday evening there will be full choral service at St. Andrew's Episcopal church, and Prof. Kempf, the chorister, will have a fine program of music arranged therefor.

The children and grand-children of Mrs. Agnes Wahr surprised her on Christmas Day by taking possession of the house while she had gone to church. They had a merry time.

On this, New Year's Eve, Mr. Joseph Britton, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Miss Maud daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Van Kleeck, will be united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents.

The old and ever vexatious question of a city lock up is again agitating the minds of the city officials. It was thought that the question had been laid to rest for a few years, but it seems to have popped up again.

Col. James N. Riley has purchased an interest in the clothing firm of Wadhams, Ryan & Reule, at Battle Creek, and leaves for that place today. The new firm will be Riley, Fischer & Co., Will Fischer, of this city being also a member of the firm.

Rev. Lawrence Cole performed the marriage ceremony last Wednesday morning, that united the lives of Miss Clara Otley, of Geddes ave., and Dr. D. D. McNaughton, lit '87, of Argyle. The couple took an eastern bridal trip before going to their future home at Argyle.

At the second winter meeting of the Michigan Academy of Sciences, held at Lansing last week, Wm. H. Sherzer, of Ypsilanti was chosen president; Fred C. Newcombe of Ann Arbor vice president of the sanitary science section; and Jacob E. Reighard, of the zoology section.

"Dark! Well I should say it was dark! why, you couldn't see your hand before your face! you couldn't tell the University dome from a stack of black cats! it was darker even, than the court house clock tower nights!" That was the way a boy illustrated his point in a story he was telling the other day.

Just hear this anatomical heresy from the Monroe Democrat: "The efforts of the scientists over at the University, to cure a hair lip by grafting chicken flesh in the groove, proved disastrous. The flesh united quickly by 'first intention' and all went well till the fellow undertook to raise a mustache, when one side of his nose grew hair and the other feathers."

Capt. Granger is very anxious to have the war with England postponed until after the midwinter circus, the boys are to give here. It is understood that he has asked Lord Salisbury to hold on to his breath a month or two and not break the peace. In consideration thereof, he will have a complimentary ticket for himself and lady for the entire show. No small inducement. So there will be no war until after the circus. I

On New Year's Day, January 1st, 1896, the ladies composing the Woman's Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association will keep open house at the association rooms, for all the young gentlemen and their friends who desire to exchange the courtesies of the day. A fine program will be given during the afternoon and evening, both, and the day made a pleasant one for the boys. The latch string is out. Go thou and pull it.

A Chinaman recently started a laundry in Ann Arbor, whereupon the "Mellican" and "African" laundries sounded the slogan of cut-rates and hoisted the dirty shirt. The three-cornered war of races will be watched with interest. The Mongolian is calm and announce that he "don't give dam."—Monroe Democrat. Confound it. If that Monroe man does not quit attempting to saddle off Ypsilanti's dirty linen war on to this place, we'll send some of our medical students down in that section for dissecting timber.

There are now over 100,000 books in the University library.

A burning chimney on E. William st. called out the fire department Friday noon.

The Ladies Charitable Union meet Thursday, at 3 o'clock p. m., in Harris Hall.

The Adrian Press is informed that the answer to its triplicate question is a composite yes.

Coldwater has seven students in the University and ten in the Normal school at Ypsilanti.

J. W. Beahan, of Ann Arbor, and Miss Frances J. Wint, of Ypsilanti, were married in Windsor, Ont., recently.

L. L. Van Slyke, lit '79, has been promoted and gets a fine salary as chemist at the New York Agricultural Experiment station.

The Young Women's Christian Association will be at Home to their friends on New Year's Day, in their rooms over the postoffice.

The entertainment recently given by Miss McMonegal's class, "Christmas in Fairyland" will be repeated soon for the benefit of the Y. W. C. A.

Marshal Peterson ferreted out the thief who stole the \$40.60 from the cloak that was hung in the high school and the money has been returned.

In the Jackson case of Whalin vs. the M. C. R. R., the jury rendered a verdict of \$10,150 in favor of the plaintiff. The verdict was a surprise to almost everyone.

A special meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held Friday Jan. 3d at three o'clock in the P. O. block. The presence of every member is desired.

That old familiar friend(?) the gripe is on its grand rounds again this winter. He has started in the far east, and is coming west with rapidity. Have an eye out for him.

Miss Olga Obenauer, of Ann Arbor, a graduate of Olivet, has been elected to fill the position of preceptress of the high school. Miss Obenauer is very highly recommended.—Gratiot Journal.

On New Year's Day, which inaugurates leap year, there will be a party at Granger's from 3 to 6 p. m., to which the ladies will be charged 50 cents admission, and the gentlemen admitted free.

Wm. Walsh has been appointed traveling agent for the Deering Harvester Co., and will start out Jan. 1st. Chris. Brenner is the local agent for the company. In our last week's item the agencies were reversed.

The Farmers' Vigilance Horse Association of the townships of Superior, Salem and Ann Arbor, will hold its annual meeting at Dixboro on the 10th of January, 1896, at 1 o'clock p. m. All farmers in those townships are cordially invited to be present.

The funeral services of Mrs. John S. Nowland were held on Wednesday, Christmas Day, at the family residence No. 69 E. Huron st., at 3:00 o'clock. Rev. T. W. Young preached the sermon, which was very appropriate to both the day and occasion.

And now the last leaf of the old calendar has floated into the waste paper basket, and a bright new one has taken its place, with 1896 printed in illuminated colors, or perhaps in dead black, indicative of the fate of many, fond hopes and anticipations formed for the year to come.

The next entertainment be the Inland League will be a Ladies' Evening, on January 11. It will be under the direction of Prof. Frederick H. Pease, of Ypsilanti, assisted by the Ladies' Quartette of Ypsilanti, and Miss Dickinson pianist, and Miss Owen violinist.

Dr. James C. Wood, for eight years professor in the U. of M. Homoeopathic college, has written a text book on Gynecology which will be the standard work on that subject with the members of that school of medicine. It gives many illustrative cases which came under his treatment in Ann Arbor and Cleveland, besides those he saw while abroad. The reviewers highly commend the work.

How's This!

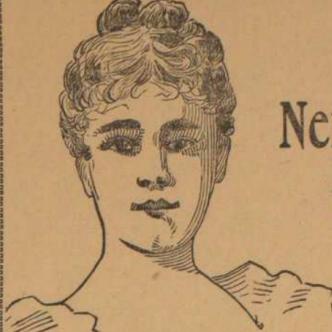
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COUNTY AND VICINITY.

School district No. 10 of Sylvan, has given a new starry flag to the breeze. E. B. Hovey, a former resident of Chelsea, died at his home in Mt. Pleasant last week.

The Saline Ladies' Aid Society meets with Miss Cornelia F. Smith, on Thursday Jan. 2, at 2:30 p. m.

Hon. E. P. Allen and family of Ypsilanti, spent Christmas with the family of Wm. Campbell of Sharon.

The tax-payers of Lima are like unto the Jews of old as they went to Jerusalem to meet the tax-gatherer.

A couple of Saline boys killed 35 rats in one evening at the slaughter house there, says the Observer. Rats!

The Saline Observer tells of a snake being killed in that town recently. Must sell a bad grade of budge over there.

It is announced that Mr. John Cook of Urania, is to open up a grain market at the west elevator at the depot in Saline.

The Monroe dramatic club, last Friday, presented "Freezing a mother-in-law," and struck it rich. Every married man in the city but three, were present.—Adrian Press.

The Howell school building must be an old fashioned concern or else they have a craze for bric-a-brac. Three boys of that school paid for a seat which they broke, that was made in 1837.

Fred Howlett and Miss Josie Jackson of Gregory, were united in the ho'y bonds of matrimony Dec. 19, The young people are well known and will receive the best wishes of a host of friends.—Pinckney Dispatch.

Walter C. Reade, of Webster township, died last Friday, aged 42 years, 4 months. Funeral services were held Sunday, from the Congregational church, Webster. The deceased was from a titled English family.

Miss Alice E. Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wheeler, of Saline, is to be married at the home of the bride's parents, to-day, to Mr. Kneeland B. Simmons, of the same place. The couple will reside in Saline.

The Ypsilanti Sentinel locates Dr. Kapp of Manchester, at Ann Arbor, and then sort o' chuckles over the fact that he only secured a \$400 verdict for a doctor's bill when he claimed \$1,600. You see it is not always Ann Arbor people who want big pay for their services.

The members of a farmers club at Milford come out and say there will be no hunting rabbits with ferrets on their several premises. Wait till along in February and after the pests have destroyed some fine young orchard they will beg the hunters to exterminate them in any way possible.—Pinckney Dispatch.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Chelsea Electric Light Co. Monday evening, an order was placed for a new Corliss engine of 150 horse power. It will be placed in position at the works as soon as possible and will probably be running within the next 60 days.—Chelsea Standard.

A few weeks ago Fred E. Flemming was presented with an Irish setter dog by a friend from Addison, who was about to remove to the northern part of the state. The dog was brought to Dundee, and after a few weeks stay it was missed and its whereabouts unknown. Word came here that the dog had made its way back to Addison, some 40 miles distant. It was returned to Dundee this week.—Dundee Reporter.

W. L. Dutcher, one of Howell's o'd and much respected citizens, died at his home on Clinton street, on Sunday last, aged 81 years. The deceased was a native of New York state, and came to Michigan in 1846, locating in Scio township, Washtenaw county, where he remained until 1861, when he removed to Iosco, this county, where he owned a large farm. About twelve years ago he came to Howell, where he has ever since lived. Three sons and three daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dutcher.—Howell Herald.

The quantity of Christmas packages handled by the postoffice here was surprising. Evidently, even if the times are hard, everybody found a way to buy gifts for loved ones, strange thing, too, may be mentioned in this connection. Of the more than twenty merchants with whom we have talked, not one but had a better holiday trade this year than last, and this in spite of the fact that the weather was the very worst possible. Can it be that the hard times are really better, and that we keep talking of "hard times" from force of habit.—Ypsilanti Commercial.

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A New Reading Club—
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This club will be open to members of the association only, and will be free to them. It will combine literary, social, and other pleasant features. Any further information may be obtained at the rooms, or from members of the educational committee. It is hoped that the club will have a good membership.

Here is an idea for our street railway. It might boom business. In Mexico, it is said, they have female street car conductors.—Ann Arbor Courier.

It would not do with your home talent. Come down here and secure some girls recently employed in the stay factory. They are young and attractive.—Ypsilanti Sentinel.

It seems strange that an editor should give himself away in that manner, doesn't it?

The members of Company A having the mid-winter circus arrangements on hand, are keeping their eyes and ears open, and will produce something well worthy of patronage. Wait for it and see.

What use is there in eating when food does you no good—in fact, when the Climax Brandy from grape is for such is the case it is not digested, it does you more harm than good. If you have a loathing for food there is no use of forcing it down, for it will not be digested. You must restore the digestive organs to their natural strength and cause the food to be digested when an appetite will come, and with it a relish for food.

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ANN ARBOR'S NOMENCLATURE.

The Daily Times is responsible for this new version of how Ann Arbor received its name.

Directly across from the city jail in the little shanty that was formerly utilized by the overseer of the hoboes who were compelled to utilize their muscle on the stone pile, now dwells a man who claims to be the oldest living settler of the city of Ann Arbor. Many people of the city perchance recollect an aged man offering for sale at their door water cresses and mint when in season. Rather short in stature, his bearing erect for one who had seen 75 years of most active life he is a character whose adventures would fill a volume of interesting reading. Possessing a retentive memory he relates some facts concerning the christening of this city which while not at variance with the common acceptance of the way the peculiar name was chosen for Ann Arbor rather puts a more plausible explanation on the rather queer selection by which this city is known to the entire world.

The old story is that among the early settlers came two families of which the two women being each named "Ann" and seeking temporary shelter in a natural bower or arbor, the place was named "Ann's Arbor." That is about as far as the old story goes.

Edward Dormer, the name of our interesting character, relates a story which corresponds very accurately with the historical records and there seems to be very little question but that his version is true. Says he:

"The name of this city is not 'Ann Arbor,' but 'Hann's Arbor' and my father who christened it left an everlasting proof of that fact. He carved it on a large stone together with the date of his arrival here and that stone which I visited and saw last fall is still in Lower Town. I mean to get possession of it some day. Its whereabouts I will not reveal because I think if I can get hold of it I can sell it at a good figure to someone who wants it as a historical keepsake.

"In 1823 there came here six families from the east in search of land upon which to settle down. My father and mother were among the little band and at that time I was five years old. The names of the heads of the families were Henry Dormer (my father), Judge Rumsey, James Allen, Orrin White and two men named Clausen and Woodruff. Mrs. Rumsey and Mrs. Allen were sisters-in-law and it happened that each was named Ann. When we reached here, Mrs. Allen being pregnant and about to be confined, a shelter had to be provided for her. A natural arbor was found and she was placed therein. During the confinement Mrs. Ann Rumsey attended her and when the child was born it, being a girl, was called Ann, after its mother and aunt. This made three Anns in the little arbor and my father immediately took up the idea and called the place 'Hann's Arbor,' though why he prefixed the 'H' is not known to me. At least he sat down and carved on a large stone the inscription, 'Hann's Arbor, 1823,' and this boulder is still in the place where it was then.

"There were three log shanties in this vicinity when we came here, but no name had been chosen for the beautiful site until the idea struck my father of calling it by the peculiar name which has since been altered into Ann Arbor. That is the way the place came to be named."

If what Mr. Dormer says is true it would not be a bad idea for the Washtenaw Pioneer Society to secure the relic and place it among its other treasures.

It was Mild and Gentle—
Christmas Day was pleasant and charming, making one feel as if spring had come. It was a green Christmas, and no mistake. People did not need their winter wraps, the sun's rays making the temperature of the atmosphere very comfortable without them. It was such a day as we seldom see at this time of year. And everyone appeared to enjoy it, with fine presents, family reunions, grand dinners, and festivities in general. The weather of the day following was more like a Christmas day, with snow in abundance, covering everything with a garb of pure white. There has seldom been a winter when the trees have been made as beautiful with snow as they have this winter.

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An Awful Moment—

It is a mighty good thing for all concerned that the Monroe Democrat man located this item outside the county: "While a Lenawee lawyer was recently earning his fee by the sweat of his brow in an assault-with-intent-to-butcher case, court, bar and spectators were leaning forward, rapt and breathless, and all was still save the eloquence of the attorney, suddenly a pair of feet flew up in the ambient air, followed by a concussion like the shock of contending worlds. It wasn't. It was the county clerk who had been sitting with his pedals on the desk and whose brains had overbalanced his heels. The judge was startled from his gravity and several of the jurors awoke with a start. The incident banished eul from the court room for the rest of the afternoon."

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"Nae, nae, mon," returned the intruder coolly, "I'm nae prisoner."

"I tell you we are the enemy," cried the sergeant.

"I dinna care whether ye're the enemy or nae," retorted the intrepid volunteer, "I hae lost ma snuff-box, and I'm no gaun back without it."

Amid general laughter the valiant warrior was allowed to look for "ma snuff-box," and when he had found it he departed in peace.—New York World.

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Notice.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 23, 1895. The annual meeting of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held in the office of the company in the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, Mich., on the 8th day of Jan., 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing three directors for two years in place of Emory E. Leland, Wm. K. Childs and Wm. E. Stocking, whose terms of office will then expire. And to elect three auditors for one year in place of J. W. Wing, H. W. Bassett and A. W. Chapman, whose terms of office will then expire. And to transact such other business as may properly come before such annual meeting.

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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 Thursday, the 28th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Lucy A. Nowland deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John S. Nowland praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased may be admitted to probate and that administration of said estate may be granted to William Goodyear the executor in said will named or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 27th day of January, next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Courier, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.
Wm. G. Doty, Probate Register.

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 Wednesday, the 18th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of George N. B. Renwick deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary Ann Wynkup praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to Charles H. Worden or some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 20th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Courier, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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"D-n it all!" Logan would say in his impetuous way, "if Grant would only give us some idea of what he was thinking about! But no, he just listens without a word, and then, when we've told all we know and think, off he goes to Rawlins, and that's the last we see or hear of him until his orders for the next movement come to us!"

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