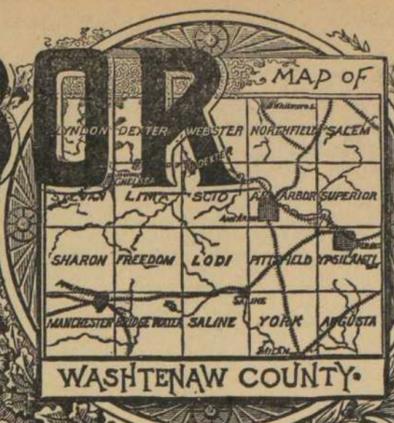
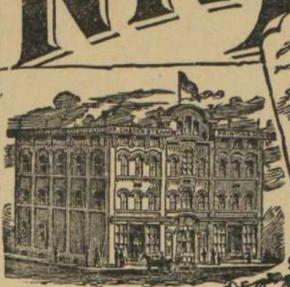


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The Store

Imported Dress Novelties.

8--Days Sale--8

Not a week passes but THE STORE has some valuable offerings to make from its super-abundant stock. This week commencing

SATURDAY

AND LASTING UNTIL NEXT WEEK

SATURDAY NIGHT, MAY 16th

A Sale will be conducted of more than ordinary interest to ladies.

Our entire stock of Imported Fancy Dress Goods will be sold at prices less than cost to manufacture them.

These goods are all new this spring—are the choicest products of the foreign loom—the most popular fabrics for street and house dresses—no possible fault can be found with them. We simply want to have a BIG ROUSING SALE and there is nothing in the Store will so well serve the purpose as those handsome dress novelties.

\$1.25 for 69c.

1000 Yards Foreign Fabrics, Fancy Mozambique Stripes, Fancy Colored Mohairs, Illuminated Mohairs, Fancy Colored Brilliantine and Seclians Viqueux Suitings Merano Mixtures, Silk and Wool Mixtures. The lowest price at which these goods can be sold at a profit is \$1.25. Be the first to get your choice of the entire lot for

69 cents.

UMBRELLAS

For rain and shine.

PARASOLS

For the Sun and Summer Girl.

Beautiful Handles and Strong Frames.

All our \$2.00 Umbrellas \$1.45.
All our \$3.00 Umbrellas \$1.85.
All our \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$4.90 Umbrellas \$2.95.

SILK BARCAINS.

27 Inch Swivel Silk 25c.
1 Case Wash Silk 19c.
50c Fancy Silks 25c.
1 Case Silk, light grounds, fancy stripes, good weight, 99c.

Mack & Company

Carpet Bug Killer.

For Carpet Bugs use Carpentina. It kills all vermin and cleans the carpet. It costs 25 cents a box.

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Wall Paper Cleaner.

Will remove smoke and dust and make the paper look fresh and clean. Try a box.

Mummary's Drug Store.

17 East Washington Street,
Cor. of Fourth.

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 —'s 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.

GALKINS' PHARMACY.

EXPENSES INCREASING.

Comparative Tables Showing That the Past Year Cost the Tax-Payers of Ann Arbor \$12,000 More Than the Previous Year.

POST OFFICE BUSINESS GOOD.

They'll Have to Hustle—A Medial Worthy Bestowed—The Republican District Convention—Et Cetera.

Our City's Expenses—

The following table shows what was paid out in the various city funds, the sewers excepted, for the twelve months previous to June 1st, 1895, the date upon which City Treasurer Manly assumed the duties of his office, and from which his reports date. As his yearly report only covers ten months the other two months have been added to make the expenses for the year:

Contingent fund.....	\$14,250 27
Street ".....	13,708 59
Fire ".....	7,339 55
Police ".....	5,490 45
Poor ".....	2,272 24
Bridge, culvert, etc., fund.....	5,822 83
Soldiers Relief fund.....	388 88
City Cemetery ".....	151 50
Water ".....	5,935 75
	\$53,058 56

If the \$5,000 for building sites and \$3,360 for university bonds, all regular city expenses are added to the above \$53,058.56 we have a grand total of \$61,418.56.

The following table shows the expenditures, sewer fund excepted of the year previous, from May 31st 1894, to May 31st 1895. The two are given for comparison if anyone cares to compare them:

Contingent fund.....	\$14,098 11
Street ".....	6,599 71
Fire ".....	6,395 18
Police ".....	3,106 28
Poor ".....	2,195 85
Bridge, culvert, etc., fund.....	6,632 12
Soldiers Relief fund.....	429 29
City Cemetery ".....	116 50
Water ".....	5,869 25
	\$45,219 29

By this table it will be seen that the expenditures of the past year for these regular city funds were \$7,842.34 in excess of the year '93-94, and adding the \$5,000 for city building site there was \$12,842.34 more expended than for any previous year.

So that the criticisms of some of our citizens that the past year has been an expensive one for Ann Arbor taxpayers certainly have a foundation on which to rest.

The following table, taken from City Treasurer Manly's report, shows the total receipts of his office from May 31st '95 to March 31st '96.

State & Co. tax.....	\$23,400 21
School ".....	35,415 90
City funds & ".....	63,352 85
Sewer acct. ".....	50,112 80
University aid fund.....	3,850 00
	\$178,231 83

The figures below, also taken from his report, shows the city monies coming into his hands, and the source from whence they came:

City tax collected.....	\$34,406 88
Rec'd of Ex-City Treasurer.....	15,659 36
" from County ".....	1,804 50
" City Clerk ".....	307 18
" Bond-Justice ".....	28 00
" Gibson ".....	15 30
" Manly—City Cemetery.....	30 00
" Peterson, Chief of Police.....	94 10
" Sibley—Fire Dept.....	1 25
" Soldiers Relief tax.....	337 83
" Penalty tax.....	599 70
" Plus of roll.....	4 00
" Sidewalk tax.....	112 82
" Plus of sewer roll.....	382 05
" Sewer acct. " fall ".....	53 91
" Interest A. A. Savings Bank.....	281 10
" State ".....	1,644 87
" City building sites.....	5,000 00

The amount of money received on account of sewers was \$50,112.86, and the amount expended on the same account was \$43,662.39.

Uncle Sam's Business in Ann Arbor.
Postmaster Beakes is of the opinion that the business of the Ann Arbor post office for the present year will show a handsome increase over that of last year.

The receipts at the postoffice for April were \$3,052.04, an increase over April of last year of 12 per cent.

There were over 400 registered letters and packages sent out during April from the Ann Arbor postoffice, which beats any month in the history of the office except last December, and represents what the office formerly sent off in an entire quarter.

It is altogether probable that in the

point of registered matter this office for the past month will stand third in the state, Detroit and Grand Rapids alone being ahead of it.

Some of the letter boxes about the city having become too small to hold all the mail that came to them, all such have been replaced with larger and better boxes. The new ones have better and safer lids, and are painted red, a color more easily distinguished from a distance than that of the old ones.

Six entirely new boxes were placed at corners where they were needed.

The new boxes are located as follows: at the corners of Main and William st. Cor. E. Washington and Fourth ave. Cor. N. Thayer and Kingsley sts. Cor. S. Thayer and E. Washingtonsts. Cor. Fourteenth and Belser sts. Cor. Fourth st and W. Jefferson st.

And one to replace a box destroyed by a runaway some months ago, at the corner of Spring st. and Miller ave.

This is the first time Thayer st., from the campus north has ever had a letter box.

After Thirty-Two Years—

An act was passed by congress Mar. 3d, 1863, providing for the presentation of medals of honor to such officers, noncommissioned officers and privates as distinguished themselves in battle, and on Friday last Patrick Irwin, of this city, received such a medal. It is none the less prized because it has taken a third of a century in reaching him.

The assistant secretary of war, in awarding this medal on behalf of the War Department at Washington, D. C., says:

"This first lieutenant, in a charge by the 14th Michigan Infantry against the entrenched enemy, was the first man over the line of works of the enemy, and demanded a surrender; upon which the Confederate commander, Brigadier General Govan, surrendered his command, sword and belt to said Irwin."

This was at Jonesboro, Ga., Sept. 1st, 1864.

Patrick Irwin enlisted as a private in the 14th Mich. volunteer infantry, and served during the war. For acts of bravery he was promoted from time to time, and when he came home after the war was over, he had the straps of a captain upon his shoulders.

It is needless to add that Capt. Irwin is proud of the medal, and that all of his G. A. R. comrades, together with the citizens of Ann Arbor in general, are proud of Capt. Irwin.

Republican District Convention—

The republicans for the 2d congressional district assembled at the court house in this city on Thursday last to elect two delegates and two alternates to the republican national convention to be held at St. Louis Jun 16th.

Harry A. Conant, chairman of the congressional district committee, called the convention to order at 12:00 o'clock—a most unseasonable and unreasonable hour, by the way—and Hon. Burton Parker, of Monroe, was called upon to take the chair, upon taking which he made a short, sharp republican speech having the right sort of a ring to it.

Hon. Henry Stofflet, of Wayne, was chosen secretary, and Hon. H. A. Conant of Monroe, and Dr. A. W. Smith of Lenawee, tellers.

The usual committees were appointed and ceremonies gone through with even to the swearing in of the officers.

The real business of the meeting being the election of two delegates to St. Louis, the business was proceeded with.

Dr. J. M. Colyer, a very easy and graceful speaker, presented the name of Hon. John T. Hurst, of Wyandotte, Wayne county, and he was elected unanimously without a ballot.

The name of Hon. E. P. Allen, of Ypsilanti, was presented for the second delegate and elected in like manner. Capt. Allen then gave the convention a few words of encouraging republicanism, McKimleyism, recipro-

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IN DAYS GONE BY.

How Ann Arbor Looked and What it Contained a Half Century. Ago

A WRITE-UP REPRODUCED.

The M. C. R. R. was Then Built This Far—There Were 2,800 Inhabitants—The University Branches—Professors Paid \$500 Per Annum, etc.

The following letter, written to the Detroit Daily Advertiser from Ann Arbor, under date of May 15, 1842, just 54 years ago, is well worth any person's time to read who lives in Ann Arbor, and knows anything of the city as it is to-day. It is a well written article, and pictures Ann Arbor in an admirable manner.

Read it:

"This village is so well known throughout our peninsula, that a description of it is deemed superfluous—Notwithstanding the pressure of the times, new buildings are going up. During the money pressure, for the past three years, the county has had a decided advance over most of the others of our state, in consequence of the expenditures of the state on the Central railroad, as rising 40 miles lies within its borders and near \$400,000 have been disbursed on this work in this county, for labor in grading and timber for superstructure. This has been no small item in the finances of the county, and created a constant circulation of a large amount of money, and presented a fine market for a part of the large surplus products of the agriculturalist.

There are in the village, 20 dry goods stores, 23 groceries, 2 hardware stores, and 2 hat manufactories; 1 tannery, 2 extensive tin manufactories, 2 chair ditto; 2 coach and wagon establishments, soap and candle factory, 1 furnace and plough factory, 1 pottery, and every branch of mechanical business that you usually find in a large New England village; 3 printing establishments and 3 newspapers. Of houses of religious worship, they are well supplied, viz: Presbyterian, Episcopal, Universalist, Baptist and Methodist.

There are five hotels and one Temperance House kept by Captain Goodrich, who has recently kicked King Alcohol out of his premises. The Detroit tottelers should bear him in mind, when they visit this village. He sets a table second to none in Washtenaw.

(This Temperance House still remains in the city, on the east side of the court house square, being used in part by Martin Seabolt's laundry.)

The population of the village is estimated at 2,800. The new post office, recently erected by Mark Howard, Esq., does credit to the place. It is the best arranged post office in Michigan. The amount of postage received at the office the past year is near \$2,500. Ten years ago, it did not amount to \$300.

(The postoffice erected by Mark Howard is the building at the northwest corner of E. Ann st. and Fourth ave., opposite the Arlington House, now occupied by an Italian fruit vender. The amount of postage received has now increased from \$2,500 to over \$32,000. Such is the change that Time brings about.)

The fire proof county buildings here, make the records safe, while Wayne county under the plea of poverty, risks the titles to millions of property, to be kept in any part of the city, when the statutes require that she shall erect suitable buildings.

A society has been organized here, (which should be done in many other villages, that we know of,) to ornament the court yard and walks of the streets, with shade trees. It is a praiseworthy object. As this is to be the future 'literary emporium' of our state, a little attention to the matter would soon make it vie

with that of the New Haven ornamental trees and shrubbery, which abound in her streets, and redound to her credit, as well as to entice gentlemen of leisure to spend their summer months in luxuriating under its green foliage.

(This work of the early pioneers has made this city a beautiful one, excelled by none in the west. Could those enterprising fathers look upon our streets to-day, they would be pleased with their work.)

The society has completed setting out trees in the public square, which are protected by boxes around them, neatly whitewashed. Several private lots are also adorned. We particularly noticed those around the beautiful mansions of the Hon. R. S. Wilson and W. S. Maynard, Esq. By the way, the cottage of Mr. Maynard is just the thing to pattern after by those who are putting up that class of buildings in Detroit, while that of Mr. Wilson should be visited by our mechanics as a specimen of excellent architecture and beautiful finish. As a whole, it has no superior in the state.

(The house of Wm. S. Maynard's spoken of, is still standing, and is a good house yet. It is known as No. 84 S. Main st.)

MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY.

The college grounds occupy about 40 acres of beautiful level ground. Four professor's houses have been erected of brick in good style, at a cost of \$8,000 each. A wing of the University has been completed, 110 feet long and 40 wide, 4 stories high, at a cost of \$16,000.

The University is now open for students. Rev. Joseph Whiting of the Niles branch, has been appointed professor of languages, and George P. Williams of Pontiac, professor of mathematics. Both of these gentlemen are now engaged in their duties. Douglass Houghton, Esq., of Detroit, has been appointed professor of geology, mineralogy and chemistry and is expected to enter upon his duties this month.

The library of the college contains about 4,000 volumes, of which near 1,000 are of rare works imported from Europe, last year.

The mineralogical cabinet was purchased of Baron Liederer of Austria, at a cost of \$4,000. It contains almost every known mineral in the world, and is the most extensive collection in the United States, being much richer than that of Yale college, which originally cost \$20,000. To this is added a very extensive collection of rock specimens, fossils, American minerals, together with a geological and ornithological collection of great value. The latter is composed of near 2,000 specimens, stuffed and in good order, including those prepared under the direction of Dr. Houghton, as found in Michigan and other portions of our country, altogether forming greater facilities and inducements for study of natural history than can be had in any institution in the Union.

Several students have entered the freshman class. A preparatory school is also in operation under the charge of the professors which now numbers with the freshman class, over 40 students. There are also four other branches in operation, as follows:

Places.	Principals.	No. of Pupils
Detroit.	Rev. Mr. Meigs.	34
Kalamazoo.	Rev. Mr. Dutton.	36
White Pigeon.	Rev. S. Newberry.	26
Tecumseh.	A. Harvie.	48

UNIVERSITY FUND.

The superintendent, very justly calls to the notice of the regents, the law which requires a department "with competent instructors in the theology of agriculture, including vegetable physiology, agricultural chemistry, and experimental farming and agriculture." It is to be hoped an early attention will be given to this subject, as three-quarters of our population are engaged in cultivating the soil.

Students entering the collegiate department are exempt from all charges (Continued on 8th page)

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35 PIECES MORE

Best Quality 24 inch Swivel Silks, all New Choice Designs.

The only perfect Wash Silks made and sold at 50c a yard. The price we make, 25c a yard, will soon clean them out.

25 pieces Japanese Wash Silks, fancy stripes, at 25c a yard.

Beautiful Sheer Paris Organdies, new effects, Oriental, Persian, Dresden, Buds, Branches, in handsome and popular colorings, your choice 25c a yard.

50 pieces New Dimities, on sale at 10c a yard.

75 pieces Zephyr Ginghams, the 10c kind, at 5c a yard.

Ypsilanti Dress Stays, all you want, 5c a set.

Rustling Taffeta Lining, black and colors, at 6c a yard.

Stockinet Rubber Dress Shields at 5c a pair.

Ladies Gauntlet Kid Gloves, for bicycle and driving, the \$1.50 kind, for 98c a pair.

One Lot Ladies' Print Wrappers, light and dark colors at 69c each.

75 Ladies' Silk, Velvet and Cloth Capes, silk lined and handsomely trimmed, all on sale at One Quarter Off from our lowest price.

Novelty Shirt Waists—We are showing 50 dozen exclusive Novelties in Dainty Washable Waists, if you'd like a Waist out of the ordinary, see our gathering.

10 dozen Misses' Waists, soft collar and cuffs, very nobby, from 8 to 16 years, at 50c and 75c.

SCHAIRER & MILLEN

THE BUSY STORE.



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There was no mistaking the sentiment of the district convention held at the court house here Thursday. It was McKinley to the core. No other name aroused a particle of enthusiasm. Mr. McKinley would have been flattered could he have been present.

It is said that the thrifty, practical and thoroughly civilized Japanese authorities have purchased 18,000 watches at \$2.50 each, in Switzerland to present to the soldiers who distinguished themselves in the late war with China. The Japs are bound to have good time.

Ohio has passed a law to the effect that bicycles shall go free as baggage upon all railroads. New York has a similar law. The theory advanced is that the journeying wheelman seldom has anything else to be carried, and the railroads can afford to carry the wheel if it can, a trunk.

In the financial embarrassment of Jas. L. Hudson of Detroit, there is scarcely a business man in Michigan who knows him that believes that it will be more than temporary. He is a great worker and has a master mind in the handling of large business ventures. He has the confidence of the business men of the state to help tide him over the adverse shoals he has run upon, and sometimes that goes a long way to help a person.

In some states the proposition is being made to elect a county printer, the same as any other officer is elected, and so secure a uniformity in all blanks and papers used in the various county offices. It would also do away with much of the unprofessional throat cutting in prices. This proposition also carries with it the publishing of all the legal notices emanating from the various county offices, and secures to estates and others interested a uniformity of rates, which will be fixed by law, in that event. The time is coming when the "county printer" will be an officer to be voted for every four years.

wear off

The man with the tattoo marks on his skin would be foolish to attempt to wear them off by hard work. The person with a severe cough or cold is about as unwise to attempt to wear that off. This "wear off" idea has cost many a life.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, gives immediate aid by soothing the cough and supplying tonic remedies to the weakened system. It prevents consumption by promptly curing these colds and supplying the preventive power by which the system can withstand disease.

SCOTT'S EMULSION has been endorsed by the medical profession for twenty years. (Ask your doctor.) This is because it is always palatable—always uniform—always contains the purest O'Connell's Cod-liver Oil and Hypophosphites. Put up in 50 cent and \$1.00 sizes. The small size may be enough to cure your cough or help your baby.

The republicans of New York state have reduced taxation nearly three per cent. for the one year they have been in power in that state.

Senator Wolcott, of Nevada, is not prepared to politically cut his own throat even if his particular ideas about the white metal are not concurred in by a majority of the republicans of this nation. Some of the other senators from so-called silver states will do well—for themselves—to drink wisdom from the same cup that Senator Wolcott has quaffed from.

When Wm. McKinley received a majority of 329 out of a vote of 1,335 in the Illinois State Convention, his nomination was practically settled. There will be but one ballot at St. Louis, and it is doubtful if more than one name is presented to the convention. The people want McKinley, and the people are asserting themselves in a way that makes the political bosses stand aghast.

Had Mayor Pingree remained at home, attended strictly to business, and let his gubernatorial boom alone, he would be much nearer the desired goal than he is to-day. It takes an awful smart man to go about making speeches and not put his foot in it. This is not the first time when the itch for office has so scabbed the itches that the people have turned away from him in disgust.

The assassination of the Shah of Persia is but a verification of the Biblical injunction "that he who takes to the sword shall perish by the sword." This Shah has been a merciless butcher in his day and has but reaped the reward of a murderer of human beings. The Sultan of Turkey will do well to heed the warning, for a similar event will surely happen at Constantinople. It is only a question of time.

The victory of the U. of M. at Chicago last Friday evening, in the annual contest of the Northern Oratorical League, is a victory which rejoices the heart of every lover of the yellow and blue the world over. To win five out of six annual contests is a thing to be proud of, with such strong colleges to contest against, and it not only speaks well for the material in Michigan's great school, but also for the ability of the one who trains this material and brings out its powers.

Mr. Reed can thank—if he chooses to do so—some of his own lieutenants for much of the success of his rival, Major McKinley. When Senator Chandler commenced using democratic campaign "arguments," that is using slander to bolster up Mr. Reed's cause, from that minute Mr. Reed commenced to lose and Major McKinley to gain support in the doubtful states. The republican party believes in fair play, and does not believe in one candidate slandering another in the hope of thus aiding himself. Of course Mr. Reed did not do it, but his lieutenants did it without his public protest.

Last week the various ambitions of Ex-Congressman Gorman, of Chelsea, were recited. They are being carried out with a few extras thrown in. For instance, he was made chairman of the democratic state convention at Detroit, last week, an honor not on his program, but the gold bug democrats wanted a man that would carry things their way, at any cost, and of course he was their man, although representing a free silver constituency. He proved to be the man that his reputation represented him to be, and the convention was so manipulated that although the free silverites had at least two-thirds of the delegates, they were defeated by their opponents, and had their hands tied and their jaws gagged into the bargain by a unit rule resolution.

Then again Mr. Gorman was made chairman of the democratic state central committee, which was on his program. Now for the rest.

Up to Date—1896—

The most complete Tariff Text Book ever published is the new edition of "Tariff Facts or Speakers and Students," Defender Document No. 9—260 pages, just out. Publishers, The American Protective Tariff League. Campaign text books issued just before the election are of little value. The Tariff League is to be congratulated on its foresight in getting out its hand book so early in the year. Order by number only. Sent to any address for twenty-five cents. Address W. F. Wakeman, Gen. Sec., 135 West 23d st., New York.

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SOME OF OUR EXCHANGES.

M. T. Woodruff gives a page from his political experience in these lines: The writer once sought an appointive office, and secured promises from nine out of ten of the board making it. The vote stood 9 to 1 against him, and he afterward learned the vote he received was from the man who would not promise it. Well, it was a promising thing, you can't deny that.

The Hudson Republican speaks of a county editor who "tunes his lyre." Bet five dollars to a Pingree button that the "critter" is for high tariff.—Monroe Republican.

You'd lose your five, for he's one of the regular crowd of free wool screw-ers.

At the special meeting of the common council of this village last Monday night, to act upon the liquor bonds of John Thomey and Albert Reason, a motion was made that the bonds be not excepted and there were four noes and three yeas, the president voting to break the tie. This as intended leaves Pinckney without a saloon. The bonds of F. A. Sigler, druggist, were excepted.—Dispatch.

It is probable that the council above referred to will take "exception" to the above statement, or in other words they refused to accept instead of except those bonds.

The Fowlerville Observer pays its compliments to the Pinckney Dispatch in this way:

The Pinckney Dispatch man unnecessarily roasted the Review last week. He reminds us of a Morgan & Wright pneumatic tire—full of wind.

The national debt, which in 1892 had fallen to \$585,000,000, has now reached almost \$850,000,000. What a financial record! And yet there is some talk of a third term.—Hillsdale Standard.

Four more years of Grover, and the fields would be barren of clover. It (the clover) would all be plowed under.

Recent statistics show that two-thirds of every dollar received by the railroads for moving freight and passengers goes to pay for some kind of manual labor. This fact is worth considering, by those who think the employer gets the lion's share of the proceeds of industry.—Cedar Springs Clipper.

And yet the average jury will never miss an opportunity to salt a railroad.

What has become of the sweet singing poet of the Clinton Local?

The Wayne Review is responsible for this: "An inmate of the Wayne Co. insane asylum recently organized a Pingree club by simply copying 75 names from an old book and electing himself president. He reported the organization to headquarters, and Pingree's stock advanced several points. The president 'struck' the mayor for a pair of shoes when, upon examination, the real situation was disclosed."

Michigan farmers who have large quantities of potatoes left over from last year's crop which they cannot dispose of, might find food for reflection in the report from New York state that farmers burn the tubers after they have been kiln dried, and that they make good fuel.—Hillsdale Leader.

Yes, but how much fuel does it take to kiln dry them? Wouldn't it be better to make them into alcohol and then burn that?

The fact that another woman's secret society is about to be formed in Hudson is a warning that the ladies are fast developing into a lot of finers, and that the poor men are compelled to spend evenings at home looking after the children while their wives are at the lodge. We hear of a few cases where the heads of families are kicking vigorously against the new departure, while there is only a single case reported where a man is thoroughly satisfied, there being a very handsome hired girl to help him care for the child.—Hudson Post.

Some people love to use large words. They do not always get them right, but what matters so long as they sound right? I heard a woman discussing a scandal, and she said: "It's 'definition' of character, that's what it is."—Ypsilanti Commercial.

Perhaps the woman was Wright.

One of our citizens of the absent minded order, while wheeling a push cart loaded with potatoes the other day, forgot how many he had and at once dumped the load out in the road and proceeded to count them in to the cart again, in order to gain the required information.—Tecumseh Herald.

That fellow would be a fit chum for the notorious "Thompson's colt."

Boils and pimples are due to impure blood. Remove them by making the blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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

My Nerves are weak, many people say, and yet they do not seem to know that they are literally starving their nerves. Weak, pale, thin blood cannot give proper sustenance—that is why you are nervous, tired, exhausted. The cure for this condition is to purify, vitalize and enrich your blood. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla fairly and faithfully, and the rich, red blood, which it makes, will soon feed the nerves the elements of true strength they require; they will cease their agitation and will resume their proper place—being under the control instead of controlling the brain and body. Read Miss Bartley's letter:

"I want to express my gratitude for what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. My health has been very poor for three years, due to trouble with my

Kidneys

I was nervous, had pains in my back. I cannot tell what I suffered. My eyesight became affected and I was so despondent I did not have any interest in life. I had two physicians, but my complaints became worse. I was told that I was affected with Bright's disease. A relative urged me to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. I did so and in a short time I began to notice a change in my condition. Things began to appear brighter, my eyes improved and

My Back

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"You seem inspired to poetry this morning."

"I am, sun. I observe that mint is in the market once more."

"So it is! We must have some spring lamb"

The colonel glanced at him suspiciously. But seizing him by the arm he exclaimed heartily:

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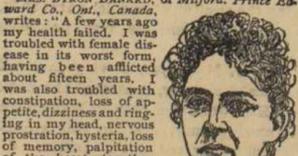
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Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in chancery, State of Michigan, made and entered on the seventeenth day of June 1895, in a certain cause therein pending where-

O. ELMER BUTTERFIELD, Circuit Court Commissioner, Washtenaw County, Mich. THOMPSON & HARRIMAN, Solicitors for Complainant.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, in Chancery, at the City of Ann Arbor on the 23d day of Feb. A. D., 1896.

MARY F. NELLIS, Complainant, vs. WILLIAM NELLIS, Defendant.

In this case it appearing by affidavit that the defendant, William Nellis, is not a resident of the State of Michigan, and that his present place of residence is unknown.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by David C. Blakemore, bachelor, to Mary A. Ralston, dated May 25th A. D. 1895, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, on the 28th day of May A. D. 1895, in Liber 74 of Mortgages, on page 926, by the non-payment of the principal and interest due thereon, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred and sixty-three dollars, and fifty-seven cents (\$463.57), and an attorney's fee of fifty dollars provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 15th day of May A. D. 1896, at twelve o'clock noon, I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, at the south door of the Court House in the City of Ann Arbor, the premises being the place where the Circuit Court for Washtenaw County is held, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with six per cent. interest, and all legal costs, together with an attorney's fee of fifty dollars, contained or to be contained in the premises being described in said mortgage as all those certain pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the City of Ann Arbor in the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Lot numbered three (3) and the Northwesterly Three (3) rods and Two (2) feet in width of Lot numbered Four (4) in Block numbered Nine (9) in Brown and Fuller's addition to the City of Ann Arbor Michigan according to the record-plate thereof. Dated Detroit, February 6th, 1896. Mary A. Ralston, Mortgagee. Geo. R. Shaw, Attorney for Mortgagee.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of George Rudman, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the store of William Allaby & Son in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, on the twenty-eighth day of September, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated March 27th, 1896. WILLIAM A. CLARK, Commissioner JOHN ROSE, Commissioner

ESTATE OF A. WINCHELL.

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 29th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander Winchell deceased, Julia F. L. Winchell the administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that she is now prepared to render her final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the 15th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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 said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered that said administrator give notice of said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Courier, 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.

ESTATE OF ELIZA H. AULLS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, 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 29th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Eliza H. Aulls, deceased, Frank E. Jones, 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 22nd day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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 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 pendency 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 circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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Resolutions of Respect.

The following preamble and resolutions were adopted unanimously at a recent meeting of the Congregational society of Salem:

Whereas, in the providence of Almighty God, our greatly loved sister, Mrs. Mary A. Shannon, who departed this life March 6th has been called away, removing from us a beautiful Christian life, whose kind words and loving deeds will long be remembered. And with a broken heart and a broken home, our pastor, Rev. W. H. Shannon, who has so faithfully preached to us for nearly seven years, desires to be released at an early date from further service as pastor, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the Second Congregational church and society of Salem, Michigan, hereby extend to our pastor and his family our sincere sympathy in their great affliction.

Resolved, That we express to our high estimation of the character of his departed companion and of the work she so humbly and so nobly wrought among us.

Resolved, That having accepted his resignation, we commend him, wherever he may go to resume his ministerial work, as an able expositor of divine truth; as a kind and faithful pastor and as an earnest and faithful worker.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered on the society's records, and that a copy of them be sent to our retiring pastor.

JAMES H. MURRAY, CHARLES E. RIDER, Committee.

The Christian Endeavor Union of Washtenaw county meets at Saline on the 15th.

A Saline man received ten cents a bushel for a car load of potatoes shipped to Toledo last week.

The wheel craze has not struck the Chelsea ladies with as great force as it has their sisters in other towns.

The entire upper floor of the Babcock block has been rented by the Foresters and Knights of Pythias, of Chelsea, and is being fitted up for their use.

Four fishermen were caught by Deputy Game Warden Rose of Manchester, using spears, on South Lake recently, and they were assessed \$5 by Justice Turnbull, of Chelsea, for their law breaking fun.

This is without doubt the most advanced spring we have known in many years. Most of the fruit trees are in blossom. Foliage is well advanced. Gardens are planted and up. Flower beds are beautiful to look upon and we are yet in the month of April.—Saline Observer. Yes, and the martins and chimney swallows, and Baltimore Orioles, and others of the feathered tribe are here, so that vegetation is not alone in its prematureness. It may be all right.

Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, in chancery, made and entered on the 10th day of October, 1894, in a certain cause therein pending where-

Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the east front door of the court house in the city of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw is held,) on Wednesday the 24th day of June 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all the following described property to-wit: All those pieces or parcels of land situated in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, described as follows:

All of lot number three in block number four in Ormsby and Page's addition to the village (now city) of Ann Arbor. Also lot one in block four in said addition excepting a piece of land heretofore deeded by Nicholas Arksey and Mary Arksey his wife, to E. W. Morgan by deed recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in liber 43 page 590; also lots two, four, nine and ten, in block four in said addition according to the recorded plat thereof. Also a part of lot five in block four north of Huron street in range six according to the recorded plat of the village, (now city) of Ann Arbor aforesaid, beginning at the north-east corner of said lot number five, running thence southwesterly along the west line of Detroit street, forty-seven feet to a ditch, thence northwesterly along the east line of said ditch to the north line of said lot number five, thence easterly along said north line of said lot to the place of beginning.

Dated May 5th 1896. JOSEPH F. WEBB, Circuit Court Commissioner LAWRENCE & BUTTERFIELD, Solicitors for Complainant.

ESTATE OF GEORGE RUDMAN.

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 29th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Rudman, deceased, on reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William Allaby, executor praying that he may be licensed to mortgage the real estate whereof said deceased died seized.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 26th day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees 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.

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COUNTY AND VICINITY.

H. I. Davis, of Chelsea, is erecting a new residence for himself.

Youngsters at Seo Center are breaking out—with the measles.

Chas. L. Bowman has put in a new feed mill at his place in Pinckney.

The Star Chapter at Manchester will be visited by the Tecumseh chapter May 27.

The farmer who hasn't his oats all in and started on his corn and potatoes is a slow coach.

The streets of Manchester are being put in as good condition as work and gravel can make them.

The common council of Pinckney are so economical that they never have their proceedings published. A false economy.

On account of the rapidity with which spring came upon us, many farmers have a lot of hay and straw to dispose of.

It cost a couple of Dexter youths \$8 apiece to interfere with the Salvation Army property a few nights since. Cheap enough.

Ortenburger & Co. of Manchester have failed for upwards of \$5,500. There is general regret expressed at that place because of the misfortune of the firm.

Men were driving spiles to strengthen the dam at the frog pond and a story was circulated on the streets that they were putting in hitching posts to tie the frogs to.—Manchester Enterprise.

Mrs. Martha Clinton, of North Lake died April 125, aged 77 years. She was a native of Ireland, and came to this county to live over 50 years ago. Her husband, one son and one daughter survive her.

The first open air concert by Fuller's cornet band, was given on Friday evening last. This feature is a very fine one for any village or city if carried out properly, and Chelsea people always do everything well.

The Adrian Press alleges that there are fourteen republican seekers after the Washtenaw probate judgeship. Let them be rounded up before Probate Judge Babbitt and sent to an insane asylum.—Monroe Democrat. Not this time, my dear. Things has changed since you were here.

E. Jedele opened the wool market last Saturday and all day long there was a string of wagons being unloaded at the store rooms under the Savings Bank. The prices paid range from 8c to 12 1/2c per lb.—Dexter Leader. This is a "living illustration" of the prices under free wool.

Of course the Adrian Press and other papers of that sort will not notice such a little thing as that.

While digging a hole in the gutter in front of his home Friday last, D. D. Holder threw out with the dirt a clay pipe which is a curiosity. It was buried about two feet deep and from its appearance had been in the ground a long time. The bowl is about two inches high and about 3-4 of an inch in diameter, not flaring as they usually are made. On the front of the bowl are the figures of a sailor and a soldier, each clasping a wreath which they are about to place on the head of a female, which stands on a pedestal, the front of the latter being embellished with symbols, comprising the plumb, square and level. Though these symbols are used in the Masonic fraternity, they are never used emblematically as in this case and the query is to what do they belong or what do they represent? The costumes of both the soldier and sailor are foreign, the former supporting a flintlock musket and the latter a wiper to a cannon. Many old smokers have looked at the relic but none have ever seen one like it. It has been added to Cashier Newkirk's museum.—Dexter Leader.

Jasper Graham, of Chelsea is building a new house.

Robert Hawley has moved from Chelsea to Bay City.

Ypsilanti is preparing for a bicycle race meet next month.

A Milan greenhouse man wants to sell 40,000 tomato plants.

Attorney G. R. Williams, of Milan, who has been seriously ill, is convalescing.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church, Milan, has been reorganized.

The Chelsea council fixed the saloon bonds at \$4,000 and the druggists bonds at \$2,000.

The little son of Samuel D. Betchel, formerly of Milan, died at West Bay City, one day last week.

The barn of Chas. Kleversaat, near Saline was struck by lightning recently, but not badly damaged.

About the 15th of next month the Free Methodists will hold a holiness convention in Union church, Milan.

The kids at the Mooreville school are very much interested in the fascinating game of shiny just at present.

Hammond J. Tuttle of Brooklyn, N. Y., formerly a resident of Chelsea, was married recently to a Jersey City lady.

Philip Flemming of Henrietta and Miss Katharine Liebeck, of Chelsea, were married yesterday, at St. Mary's church, Chelsea.

The lyceum at the Mooreville school has been discontinued and the botany class has taken a fresh impetus by reason of the flowers that bloom in the spring, tra la.

Chelsea is getting famous for being the home of Hon. James S. Gorman, the man who presided over a free silver state convention which passed gold-bug resolutions.

Thirty persons in this village own bicycles, and five hundred other persons are just dying to own wheels.—Milan Leader. That is they have the wheels—in their head.

Miss Carrie Hanlon, of Milan, scalded her hands very badly a few days ago, causing erysipelas to set in, so that she was obliged to have the index finger of her left hand amputated.

A Fowlerville man has bought a new horse for \$300. He must have a heap of money, or else he has a heap good horse. He can get a whole car load of horses hereabouts for \$300.

A new street is being laid out from W. Middle st. to the Territorial Road in Chelsea, and houses are already being built thereon. This will bring a number of new village lots into the market.

The residents of Chelsea bought and set out a car load of fruit trees last week. "By their fruits ye shall know them," is the scriptural injunction, and Chelsea people propose to have it carried out right.

Jesse Warner caught an ell last night that measured 3 feet in length and weighed 33-4 lbs. It was the largest one yet caught out of the Saline river.—Milan Leader. That is probably given out by Bro. Smith as a fish story.

A Blissfield man buried his wife one day last week and the next married a woman who had procured a divorce from her husband the week previous.—Petersburg Sun.—That fellow did not believe it good for man to dwell alone. He is of the class known as hustlers, you see.

Is there a proper time for recreation? Yes. When is the proper time for dissipation? Never. He is a wise man who knows when and how to recreate. But he is a foolish man who finds a single minute for dissipation.—Fowlerville Observer. That's advice that should not be dissipated, but remembered and lived up to.

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THE COMERS AND GOERS.

Mrs. James L. Babcock has returned home from Waukesha, Wis.

Mayor Walker came into town yesterday from a stay at Zukey Lake.

J. J. Goodyear went to Columbus Ohio, yesterday on a business trip.

Saturday Alfred Paul returned from a two week's stay at Whitmore Lake.

Mrs. S. A. Moran and children have returned from their winter stay in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory E. Dibble are guests of friends in Flint for a few days.

Mrs. Louise Hildner, of Detroit, has been visiting Ann Arbor friends during the week.

Mrs. Dr. J. W. Morton has been visiting her father's home at Concord for several days.

Mrs. Harry W. Hawley and son left Monday for her future home in San Francisco, Cal.

A young lady has taken up her permanent abode with Mr. and Mrs. John Walz, Jr.

Mrs. W. B. Phillips has gone to Carthage, N. Y., to visit her parents for a few weeks.

City Attorney Kline has been ill for several days during the week, but is around once more.

Prof. Moses Coit Tyler, of Ithaca, N. Y., was the guest of Prof. Harry B. Hutchins while in the city.

Miss Hattie Keith was called to Dexter Monday by the illness of her brother's wife, Mrs. Jay Keith.

Christian Seeley returned home to Saline Saturday after a visit with his sister Mrs. Henry Richards.

Dr. Karl C. Worden, of Ishpeming, has been visiting his mother and other old friends here during the week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hunt, of Utica, N. Y., have been in the city during the week. The Dr. is a U. of M. alumnus.

Mrs. Mac C. LeBeau of Detroit, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wicks during the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Cone Sperry, of Pittsfield, are rejoicing over the advent of a son at their home. He came last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wade of Jonesville, have been guests of his parents Secretary and Mrs. J. H. Wade, during the week.

Ed G. Mingay of Toronto, Ont., came to the city Saturday for a day two's stay with his brother T. W. Mingay of the Argus.

Mrs. Theda Y. Beardsley returned to her home in Howell Monday after a stay of several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Keith.

H. H. Kohlsaat of Chicago, the great newspaper millionaire of that city, and proprietor of the Times-Herald, Post, etc., called upon Christian Mack Monday.

Dr. Robert Wenley, the famous Scotch professor of philosophy, who is to occupy that chair in the U. of M. next year, arrived in town last Friday, for a stay of a couple of weeks.

City Marshal Peterson, Deputy Postmaster Watts, and Money Order Clerk Howlett, all went to Detroit yesterday as witnesses in the case of the two young men who opened a registered letter not belonging to them.

Prof. J. H. Kaye, lit. '93, has been elected superintendent of the Cadillac schools for next year.

"The Strange Young Man, Traveling from Jerusalem to Mexico, in Order to Advertise his Book," was in the city last Thursday. His name is E. D. Killen, and he is an odd genius.

Evert H. Scott's original pronunciation of the name "Lenawee" in the convention this afternoon provoked a glad smile among the delegates, but Evert blushed.—Daily Times. The pronunciation given Lenaw'wee, with the accent on the gnaw, is not original with Evert, but with the ministerial looking gentleman known to nearly all republicans of Michigan, as the genial "Doc" Smith, of Adrian.

The Monon Seed Co. of Chicago, have been giving away prizes, and there is evidence of there being a great many "neighborhood prizes," given in this city and vicinity, of which they advertise to give but three in each vicinity. Postmaster Beakes would like to hear how many prizes have been given here. The company has been denied the use of the mails by the P. O. department at Washington, D. C.

Chas. Woodruff who lives on the river road east of the city, came near being seriously injured by reason of his horse getting scared at the noise of the Salvation Army drums, etc., last Friday evening. He was thrown out but nothing of a serious nature resulted, although it looked dubious for a time. This occurred on E. Washington st., at the corner of 4th ave. Some five or six years ago Mr. Woodruff was so badly injured by being the victim of a runaway horse that he did not recover for several weeks.

Next Monday evening a large number of our citizens are invited to attend the birthday party given by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. at the rooms of the association. An enjoyable time is anticipated.

Commencing on the new apprentice in the Courier office, the Washtenaw Times "expects to see the day when he will occupy the editorial chair—some day when Mr. Beal is governor of Michigan and Bro. Pond his chief-of-staff." This is a rosy augury for the editorial staff, but a depressing outlook for the poor "devil."—Monroe Democrat. Thanks, brother. We owe you one on that.

A laborer on the Ann Arbor Railway was rendered unconscious by an accident a few days ago, and died after being taken to the county house. No one knew his name even, and he never recovered sufficient to tell it. He was buried in the Potter's field and his grave marked "unknown." Here is a theme for a poet, or an incident for some novelist to weave into a romance.

On Wednesday last Hon. Wm. N. Stevens, who resides with his son, Hon. Wm. C. Stevens, of N. Ingalls st. celebrated his 83d birthday which was observed by a family reunion, attended by a large number of relatives from various places in the county and state. Mr. Stevens is a wonderfully well preserved man, and can give a good many of the younger men pointers on a brisk walk or in catching fish, either one.

"Shine" Walker was brought before Justice Pond this morning for assault and battery on his wife, and was sentenced to 90 days in the House of Correction. In being taken back to the jail "Shine" broke away from Officer Wood, and ran. Wood shot at him and sent a ball into the hip pocket of the prisoner, where it was stopped by some papers and books therein. He was soon re-captured however, in a barn where he had hid under the hay.

The regular term of the circuit court convened Monday. As most of the lawyers and jury and court have a severe attack of spring fever, and there is little interest being manifested, it is altogether probable that it will be a short term. Dave Wixom, the fellow who came so near digging out of jail, was brought before the court on a charge of larceny and on a plea of guilty, was sent to state prison for four years. He was taken to his new home last night.

No doubt some of the University boys will be interested in this from the Plymouth Mall: "The Golondrina Mandolin Club, of the Michigan University, gave our people a rousing entertainment Friday evening, and won for themselves the verdict of its being the best musical treat of the season. The only objection possible was that there was too much program. It would be hard to pick a specialty from such a fine array but we give special favor to the flute solo, which was indeed fine. The company is composed of gentlemen which alone insures people against fraud. We would suggest, however, that it would be better if the manager would add some vocal piece or an elocutionist to the list. It would break the monotony of a lengthy program."

Catharine street, from N. Division street, through to N State street, should be opened up. It would pay the city inside of two years by the increase of property on the assessment roll. To be sure it would help our old and highly respected fellow-townsmen John W. Maynard a trifle but he deserves it. Aside from that it would help the city more than any individual, or aside from adding a great deal to the assessment roll it would accommodate a large number of people in the eastern part of the city who have to go around a long block now, because the early platters of the city made a mistake in being too stingy with their land. Mr. Maynard stands ready to give this entire street, all but eight rods at the east end.

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Arthur Poland was sent to the Detroit House of Correction by Justice Pond Monday, on a charge of throwing stones at Rocco Disleride.

S. W. Beakes, of the Argus, was elected treasurer of the Democratic Associated Press of Michigan at their meeting in Detroit last week. Being a postmaster he is supposed to be well stocked with funds—or at least more so than the average democratic editor.

The two young fellows who tampered with a registered letter at this p. o. here some weeks ago, had their examination before the grand jury at Detroit yesterday and an indictment was found against them. They will be tried at the next term of the U. S. court in Detroit.

A fine book containing the city charter and ordinances, has come from the printer, and is being distributed. There has been an edition of 2,000 copies printed so that each household can have one by calling upon the city clerk. The excellent shape the ordinances are in represents a great deal of hard work, much of which is due to ex-Alderman Prettyman, who has done faithful service in the city's interest.

Mr. Smith, of the Monroe Democrat, pays the memory of Robert Shannon this tribute: "In memory of Robert Shannon, of Ann Arbor, there comes to the eye of many a typo, the unbidden tear of regret. His quiet, unobtrusive life was hidden in the composing rooms of newspaper offices, but his unerring hand placed in mechanical order, the crudities of inexperienced writers and—let the truth shine—the treasured storehouse of his brain often gave thought and direction to the leaders of the editor-in-chief. The 'form' of Robert Shannon is 'locked up' in death, but more fragrant than the flowers that decked his casket will his memory blossom in the hearts of the newspaper fellow-craft, and of all who knew him, and knowing him were wiser and better for that knowledge."

There was a shrewd and nearly successful attempt at jail breaking at our county jail last week. The prisoners had dug through the cement and stone flooring of two feet in thickness, into the cellar back of the furnace, and the only thing that remained between them and liberty was a large stone that could easily have been removed at the proper time. The mass of debris, cement and stone, taken out of the hole was wrapped up in newspapers and stowed away on top of the cells so as not to be in view from the corridors. It was the most ingenious piece of work ever attempted here, and was done so neat that scarcely a trace could be discovered of the work. It is thought that a prisoner known as Dave Wixom is the fellow who did the job, as he appears like a shrewd character. Sheriff Judson can thank fortune that he discovered the work just as he did, for in a few hours later the birds would have flown and it would have been too late. There were some twelve prisoners in jail at the time including the irrepressible Jimmie Bithman.

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Adam Eppler has had on exhibition at his market this past week some of the finest meat that was ever dressed in this place. He purchased six steers of T. S. Sears, which averaged over 1,600 pounds apiece, the largest weighing about 1,800 pounds.—Chelsea Standard

A few clips of wool have been brought here this week. The price paid was about 9 cents for unwashed.—Chelsea Standard. It is unnecessary to remind our farmer friends that the Ann Arbor Argus has always asserted that taking the tariff off of wool would raise the price.

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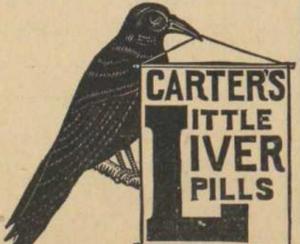
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LOCAL.

Company A has five new members. Wednesday evening the Glee Club sings at University hall.

The Eastern Stars made about \$12 out of their leap year party.

There is to be a practice field day at the athletic field Saturday p. m.

The Faculty Concert for to-morrow evening has been postponed until May 14th.

The Northside Good Templars realized \$30 from a social the other night.

The O. E. S. holds its regular monthly meeting to-night, at Masonic Temple.

On July 6 to 11 the railroads will sell tickets to Bay View for the camp meeting, good until August 15 for one-half fare.

The past month of April was without exception the finest April as to weather, that Michigan people ever gazed upon.

The Political Equality Club meets with Mrs. Georg, 87 S. Main st., Monday at 3 o'clock p. m. All interested are invited.

You can attend the grand lodge Knights of Pythias, at Jackson, May 12 to 14, for one and one-third fare for the round trip.

The supreme court recently confirmed a judgement of \$4,500 against the city of Kalamazoo for damages from a defective sidewalk.

The date for the new time table on the Ann Arbor R'y, with a night passenger train each way has been fixed for the 17th inst.

You can buy tickets to Detroit today and to-morrow, good to return May 8, for half-fare, because of the republican state convention.

Sam Baumgartner, the S. Main st. grocer, is to be married May 12, to Miss Marguerite Hartgen, of Detroit in St. Mary's church, of that city.

Prof. L. D. Wines has purchased the Winchell property on N. University ave., the price paid being \$14,000. The sale was made through the Whedon agency.

Who says our council is not sensational? They are evidently composed of the sort of material that goes to make up such typhes as Gen. Jackson had, for instance.

A little son of Mr. Rothenbaver, of Spring st., got some gravel stones in his nostrils while at play Monday, and it took Dr. Weissinger a long time to remove them.



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Dr. Wm. Blair is fitting up offices over the Farmer's & Mechanic's Bank. Telephone No. 215 is the new one in the Friction Clutch & Engine Works. Architect Chas. A. Saner is drawing plans for eleven new buildings to be erected in this city this season.

A new survey has been added to the list of carriages in Robison & Co's barn, and it is a thing of beauty.

The city cemetery on the Northside was beautified on Arbor Day by the setting out of 100 maple and elm trees.

The officers of the Eastern Star have received their new robes and will swing out in them to-night, at the regular.

It has been found necessary to place 75 extra seats in University Hall to accommodate the demand for May Festival seats.

The school board will sell the lots at the corner of Hill st. and Forest ave., if any one cares to pay the price asked, viz: \$2,000 each.

Cashier Phillips, of the State Savings Bank, has a pocket book containing a small amount of money that he found on the campus.

Next Sunday, May 10, Rev. W. Le noir Hood, S. T. B., of Putnam, Conn., will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church, both morning and evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church, will give their regular monthly tea social in the church parlors on Thursday evening May 7.

It is understood that the proposed new telephone company did not receive sufficient encouragement to warrant the starting of a new exchange.

The Political Equality Club will be represented at the state convention at Pontiac May 20, 21 and 22, by Miss Emma E. Bower and Mrs. E. L. Pardon.

Mrs. Huber, secretary, announces that the regular meeting of the Ladies Library Association Board will be held Monday, May 4th, at 3 p. m., in the library.

The saloon of Martin Vogel, on Detroit st. was ordered closed yesterday morning by Acting Mayor Hiscock, because the proprietor had not filed his bonds according to law.

The council have bought of Christian F. Gauss, a lot on the west side of S. Ashley st., just south of W. Liberty st., paying \$500 for the same. This is for the 2d ward building.

Mrs. Shannon received \$2,000 last Friday the amount of the policy held by her late husband Rob't. Shannon, in the ancient order of the Maccabees. Surely that was not a bad Friday for her.

Dr. W. W. Nichols, who is an expert horticulturalist, says that a ring of printer's ink surrounding the trunk of a plum tree will prevent the curculio from ascending the tree and stinging the fruit.

A large party of friends dropped in on Henry Allmendinger, of Spring st., last Thursday evening, and reminded him that he had reached the half-century mark. They had music and a jolly good time.

The Ann Arbor Light Infantry was invited to be present at the Governor's Annual May Festival in Lansing to-day. They have also been invited to participate in a big Fourth of July celebration at Battle Creek.

Will some of the good women, as they replace their partly worn carpets and furniture with new, please remember that the Young Woman's Christian Association have bare floors and meagre furnishings. Give us those things which can yet be useful, please.

Wheelmen from Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti have got into such a notion of riding from one city to the other on their wheels, and then taking the motor back, that the thing has become a nuisance to the motor line, and the practice of charging ten cents for carrying their wheels has now been adopted.

Fred L. Ingraham was the lion of the day Saturday. Several hundred students were at the M. C. station as he arrived home from Chicago, and they made the welkin ring when he appeared. Horses were not good enough to haul him up town, so the equines were taken off the carriage and the boys did that duty themselves. The carriage was drawn directly to University Hall, and a mass meeting organized in Room C. Mr. Ingraham was obliged to give a specimen of his oratory as did Prof. Trueblood, J. H. Mays, and others. It was a jolly time.

The public session of the national convention of the college fraternity of Alpha Delta Phi, held at the University Hall last Thursday, was presided over by President Henry Wade Rogers, of the Northwestern University, and the program carried out was one of considerable interest. Prof. Stanley played the organ. Rev. Evert Smith, of Columbia College offered prayer, and a number of prominent men of the country took part in the proceedings. The audience would have been larger, had the meeting been more generally known about.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular monthly business meeting Monday May 11, at 3 o'clock in the rooms of the association.

The swing out of the seniors with their caps and gowns at vespers last Thursday, was a very pretty affair. The costume is very becoming alike to both sexes, and it is hoped that it has come to stay.

"From Eden to Eden" will be the topic for the lecture in the Adventist church next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All seats free. The public is cordially invited. Building corner E. Liberty and S. Division st.

The Western Union telegraph office handled 582 more messages during April '96 than for April '95. Whether this indicates a revival of business or not is a question, for you understand that sometimes telegraph companies prosper on other people's misfortunes.

Asher A. Terry, who goes to Clinton Junction, Wis., to remain for a time with his sister, Mrs. S. B. Hill, has lived in this city 57 years. He has helped erect many of the public buildings and private residences as a builder and contractor, and the old town is very dear to him.

Wm. A. Loejoy, of Detroit, was in the city Monday. He now holds the position of route agent for the American Express Co., having charge of the company's business in a certain district. Clare Durand, formerly in the express office here, also has a similar position, which are very important ones.

A certain irreverent gentleman of this city learned one tune in his youth and only one, and only one line of that, which was a part of the good old hymn, "I'm going home to die no more." He has changed the words to, "I'm going home to dine once more," and sings it with great gusto at least once a day.

The annual meeting, election of officers and banquet of the Loyal Legion will be held at Detroit Thursday, to-morrow evening. The members from Ann Arbor, Col. Dean, Maj. Soule J. T. Jacobs, Maj. Stevens, Dr. Breaker and others will all be on hand, as it is understood that Maj. Soule is a candidate for commander.

Among the distinguished people who will take part in the 63d Psi Upsilon general convention to be held here to-morrow and the day following, will be Judge Albion W. Tourgee, author of the famous works, "A Fool's Errand," by one of the Fools," and "Bricks Without Straw," together with Prof. Goldwin Smith, of Toronto.

Some two weeks since a young lad whose parents live on N. Main st., ran against a wire clothes line in such a way as to tear out three or four of his front teeth. Although the job was a delicate one for a dentist to handle, yet Dr. F. F. Scott put the teeth back in position, bound them there and to-day has the lad about as good as before the accident. The case is one that reflects credit upon Dr. Scott.

In the circuit court Thursday the two cases commenced against ex-Cor. Treasurer Paul G. Suekey, for appropriating public funds to private use, were disposed of. The first one in the name of the People, was ordered discontinued by Judge Kinne, and the defendant discharged, and the second brought by the Board of Supervisors of the county against Mr. Suekey and his bondsmen, was also discontinued without costs to either party. Thus ends a sad tale of misplaced confidence.

The following soloists will take part at the concert of the Lyra Singing Society to be held at the A. O. U. W. hall on Tuesday evening, May 12: under direction of Prof. R. H. Kempf. Miss Farnum, of Ypsilanti, soprano; Miss Flora Koch, soprano; Master Gerald Brown, boy soprano; Mr. Pease, baritone; Miss Mary Clarken, harpist, and Prof. E. N. Bilbie, violin. Songs by the Lyra Singing Society, recitations, etc. Friends of the society may procure tickets of the members, also at the following business places: Mann's drug store, Eberbach's drug store and Geo. Haller's jewelry store. Admission 25c, dancing after the concert.

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Prof. Stanley will explain the May Festival music this and Friday afternoon, at Frisje Memorial Hall.

The S. L. A. has given \$120 to the Woman's Gymnasium, \$25 to the S. C. A. and \$20 to the library fund. Harry Dickson of Detroit, lit '95, who has a record of not a day missed in five years at college, is to go as a missionary to India.

Mr. F. L. York has been chosen as one of the few American composers to write original compositions for a large work to be called Vox Organica to be published in Boston. It will comprehend the work of the best best organists of this and other countries.

There is to be a committee meeting on Saturday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at Bethlehem church, of the Christian Union, which is composed of all the Young People's Societies of the various churches of the city. A program consisting of papers relative to the work of the societies, etc., will be carried out.

At the annual meeting of the Old Mission Resort Association held in this city Friday afternoon, the following board of directors were chosen: W. C. Ransom, Saginaw; H. S. Dean, W. F. Breaker, E. H. Scott, Dr. V. C. Vaughan, W. C. Stevens, J. E. Beal, Ann Arbor; W. K. Gibson, Milwaukee; C. W. Pierce, Chicago.

C. A. Maynard claims to have filled 150,000 orders at his grocery store on State st. since he has been in business here, a period of five years. That is an average of 30,000 a year, or 82 and 14-73 each day, Sundays included, or over 100 each week day. Mr. Maynard is a city father and the father of a family, and we can not doubt his word.

At a meeting of the vestry of St. Andrew's church Tuesday evening, at Harris Hall, Prof. B. M. Thompson, Geo. H. Pond and Prof. C. S. Denison were elected lay delegates to attend the coming diocesan convention, to be held in Emanuel church, Detroit, June 10 and 11. The alternates chosen were: H. J. Brown, Dr. Fleming Carrow, and Prof. George W. Paterson.

Would it not be economy on the part of the city to have the gutters on both sides of the roadway on Spring st. paved? Every spring it takes a great deal of work and time to make good the damage done to the street by storms washing out both roadway and gutter. The expense each season is almost enough to pay for the paving, especially when stone are so plentiful on that thoroughfare.

Three men met in Goodyear's drug store the other day, by chance, whose ages aggregated 245 1-2 years. They were: C. Bliss 83 1-2, C. Spoor 83, Wm. Wagner 79. The trio had been merchants in this city for years, Mr. Bliss coming here in the early 30's, and carrying on the jewelry business, Mr. Spoor harness, etc., and Mr. Wagner, clothing. Their reminiscences of the early days of the city are very interesting.

In Kalamazoo there is a determined effort being made to interest young men in Sunday School work. Just before the school begins, they are served with coffee and cake, and it is proposed when hot weather comes to serve ice cream. The young ladies are not included in the feed, possibly for the reason that the minister gave when he always addressed his congregation as brethren; he said the brethren embraced the sisters.

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Some Parkhurst Epigrams.

Nobody ever drifts up-stream. Running water never stops till it gets to the bottom, unless something dams it. Likewise a drifting boat never stops till it reaches the sea, unless it founders, runs aground or drops anchor.

We are all loaded with responsiveness and harnessed up with gravitations. Everything is magnetic needle, and everything else magnetic pole endlessly plucking at that needle. Life without this arrangement would be death, but life with it is all the time on the edge of disaster, and continually getting over the edge.

There are a great many meaningless men in the community, and what that means is that while they have the intelligence to understand an idea, and the heart to feel it, yet the idea never gets so close to them as to have its reality tremendously experienced by them. We do not win our strength and stability by mastering ideas, but by being mastered by them, held in their grip.

One of the most expensive and disastrous mistakes a young man ever makes is in supposing that a decision, a resolution, contains in itself the means of working its own execution, and that something besides power will suffice to overcome power.

The art of living is not a matter of resolution, but it is a genius for playing off successfully favorable energies against those which are adverse, meeting energies with energies, only with energies that are a little bigger.

One needs to be a great man in order to be able to become a great wreck. It requires a great deal more counter energy to recover a rowboat that is sliding down the Niagara rapids than it does to recover a cockleshell.

A Good Thing.

A gentlemanly young man did Mc Comb the honor of visiting the town last Friday. He spent nearly two days in our village. His mission was to give instruction in advertising, accomplish theoretical explanation with a practical illustration. He first came to the Record office and made a contract with us, under which we were to print certain specified matter on 8,000 grocer's sacks, in consideration of his paying to us \$8 in lawful currency of the realm. He then went to three grocers, and arrange with them, in consideration of their furnishing the sacks, to have the card of each printed on said sacks free of charge.

Then he took a tour among the business men, and eloquently discoursed them to on the great increase in business that would immediately follow to each, provided he had a card relating to his business printed on these 8,000 sacks, for the small sum of \$3.00. He found eight men susceptible to his argument, before whose eyes danced visions of inflowing wealth as the result of such a judicious investment.

Under this plan, each grocer gets 2,666 sacks with 8 cards printed thereon. He piles them away under the counter. As the large majority of groceries now come in neat packages or cans, the use of sacks is very limited. Probably 25 a day would exceed the requirements of either of these grocers. Let us suppose each uses 25 a day, then in about 105 days all the sacks would be distributed.

As the customers of a grocery do not vary greatly as to identity from day to day, these sacks will be continually going into the same houses; so that one family might get 50 to 100 of the sacks during the time of distribution. Of course, as each sack comes into the house all the members of the family suspend all other business, and go to work to read business cards printed thereon.

The man who cannot see how rapidly his business must increase under such a plan of advertising, must have gone to school where logic was not taught, and we would recommend that he attend the meetings of the polemical society. We are glad to have one of these advertising missionaries come around occasionally.

In this case the easy talking missionary picks up \$24. He gave us \$8.00 and the hotel man \$3.00, and he rode out of town with \$13.00. He told us he did about three towns a week, thus making very nice wages, with no capital but his tongue. And we have \$8 which the men who are too sharp to advertise in a newspaper would never have voluntarily placed in our pocket. Thanks gentlemen.—McComb (O) Record.

A woman never really knows the meaning of happiness and content until she is the mother of a healthy, happy child. The health of the child depends on the health of the mother, both before and after birth. Most all of woman's weakness and particularly the weakness that most strongly influences the health of children, comes from some derangement or disease of the distinctly feminine organs. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will cure troubles of this nature. It should be taken regularly by every woman during the entire period of gestation. It gives strength to all the organs involved, lessens the pangs of childbirth and insures the health of both mother and child.

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Liquor Bonds Approved.

The common council met in special session last Thursday to approve the liquor bonds for the year 1896-97. All the members were present except Ald Shadford.

The bond committee made its report recommending the acceptance of the following bonds:

Michael Staebler principal, Fred Staebler and Chris. Spaeth sureties, John Goetz & Son principal, John Goetz, Jr. and Frederick Kirn sureties, Add. Colium principal, Wesley Hicks and Jacob Polhemus sureties, John Jacob Koch principal, John Koch and Ernest Rehberg sureties, George A. Waidelich principal, John Maulbetsch and Gottlieb Ille sureties, John Berger principal, Fred Brown and P. Fred Reimold sureties, Emil Golz principal, Gustave Brehm and Herman Hardinghaus sureties, Edsell T. McClure principal, Herman Hardinghaus and Caspar Rinsey sureties, Joseph Parker principal, Fred Besimer and John Schmid sureties, John Goetz, Jr., principal, John Goetz, Sr., and Wm. Goetz sureties, Fred Besimer principal, George M. Clarken and Ed. V. Hangsterfer sureties, Hugh F. Shields principal, Caspar Rinsey and Adam A. Meuth sureties, J. G. Fred Schmid principal, Jacob Dupper and Geo. T. Stein sureties, Christian Spaeth principal, Chris. Reyer and Michael Staebler sureties, Charles Binder principal, Christian Martin and John Walz sureties, Fred Brown principal, George F. Stein and L. C. Weinmann sureties, P. Fred Reimold principal, John Berger and J. F. Staebler sureties, Charles Schott principal, Emanuel Luick and Ernest Rehberg sureties, John Fritz principal, Mathias Lutz and E. A. Dieterle sureties, Lewis Kurtz principal, Christian Schlenker and Eugene Oesterlin sureties, Christian Gauss principal, August Herz and Thos. Rauschenberger sureties, John Schneider, Jr., principal, Ernest A. Dieterle and Mathias Fischer sureties, John Maulbetsch principal, John M. Widmayer and George A. Waidelich sureties, Christian Seyfried principal, Christian Martin and Charles F. Kayser sureties, Michael F. Schaible principal, Mathias Fischer and John Hagen sureties, August Herz principal, Christian Gauss and John Hagen sureties, Wm. H. McIntyre principal, Frederick Wurster and Fred Besimer sureties, Wm. A. and J. Gwinner principals, Gottlob Luick and Emanuel Luick sureties, Geo. M. Clarken principal, Clay A. Greene and Jacob A. Polhemus sureties, Gustave Brehm principal, Fred G. Harpst and Emanuel Luick sureties, Also the bonds of the following breweries: Martin & Fischer principals, Chas. Binder and Emanuel Spring sureties, Ann Arbor Brewing Co. principal, John Kapp and L. C. Weinmann sureties, Also the druggists bonds of The Goodyear Drug Co., (J. J. Goodyear and J. J. Quarry) principals, J. E. Beal and C. G. Darling sureties, Mann Bros. principals, Henry J. Mann and Frederick Schmid sureties, Eberbach Drug and Chemical Co. principal, Martin Haller and Leonard Gruner sureties, Wallace G. Palmer principal, Warren W. Wadhams and Louis P. Hall sureties, John Moore principal, Alonzo M. Doty and George Feiner sureties, The bonds of Oswald Dietz, John Schaible, Abram S. Polhemus and Adolph Kemper were laid over on account of some of the sureties on these bonds being already on two other bonds each besides these, which is illegal.

The bond of Martin P. Vogel, with Fred G. Harpst and Emil Golz was disapproved by the committee.

Republican State Convention.

DETROIT, MICH., Feb. 21st, 1896.

The State Convention of the Republicans of Michigan is hereby called to meet at the Auditorium, Detroit, on

Thursday, May 7th, 1896,
at 12 o'clock noon,

for the purpose of nominating fourteen (14) electors and Vice-President of the United States, and electing four delegates-at-large and four alternate delegates-at-large to the Republican National Convention to be held at St. Louis, Mo., June 16, 1896. Also for the purpose of selecting a chairman of the State Central Committee and two members thereof for each congressional district and the transaction of such other business as may properly come forward.

Under the call of the National Republican Committee, each congressional district is entitled to two delegates and two alternate delegates to the National Convention, which delegates shall be chosen at District Conventions, held within not less than twenty (20) days public notice, and not less than thirty (30) days before the meeting of the National Convention.

The delegates from the several counties in each congressional district are requested to meet in District caucus at 10:30 o'clock a. m., on the day of the caucus, and to select delegates and alternate candidates as follows, to be presented to the State Convention for confirmation: Two members of the State Central Committee, one Vice-President, one Assistant secretary, one member each of the committee on "Credentials," Permanent Organization and of "Business" and "Resolutions," and to transact such other business as they may deem necessary.

Under the resolution of 1858, no delegate will be entitled to a seat in the convention who does not reside in the county he proposes to represent.

In accordance with the resolution of 1876, every county will be entitled to one delegate for each five hundred of the total vote cast for Governor at the last state election (November 1894), and one additional delegate for every fraction amounting to three hundred, but each organized county will be entitled to at least two (2) delegates.

In compliance with the resolutions adopted in Detroit, June 23d, 1890, the secretary of each County Convention is urged to forward to the secretary of the State Central Committee, Detroit, by the earliest mail after the delegates to the State Convention be chosen, a certified list of such delegates as are entitled to seats in the State Convention from their respective counties.

This committee requests that the several counties select their County Committees for the ensuing two years at the County Conventions which elect delegates to the State Convention hereby called, and that the organization and membership of such County Committees, together with the result of office addresses be at once forwarded to the Secretary of the State Central Committee at Detroit, in order that early and systematic work be begun and carried on through the coming campaign.

JAMES McMILLAN, Chairman.
DENNIS E. ALWARD, Secretary.

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AN EASY BET TO WIN.

It Took Only a Short Time to Collect "More Than Twenty" Fools.

They stepped to the edge of the sidewalk and looked long and earnestly in the direction of the cornice of one of the big buildings. Of course under the circumstances the man who had been standing in the doorway felt impelled to join them. He could not see anything extraordinary at the top of the building, but he kept his eyes upturned because they did.

A man who was hurrying along saw the three, and he at once forgot where he was going and what he had to do, and joined them.

"I told you so," said the man who had first cast his eyes in that direction, and he made a motion as if to point out something to his companion.

Four men who were passing saw the gesture and stopped to investigate, and before they had fairly fixed their gaze upon the cornice three others joined them.

"You may be right," returned the companion of the man who had first spoken, "but you said 20, you know."

Six more people, including two women, were now straining their eyes to see what was wrong with the cornice, and a rumor was in circulation that some one had tried to throw a child out of one of the windows. This was promptly denied by the man who knows it all and who is always present on such an occasion. He said that a gang of counterfeiters had been found on the top floor and had taken refuge on the roof, where they were preparing to do battle with the officers who had been sent to arrest them.

Meanwhile the little group at the edge of the sidewalk had swelled to a crowd of over a hundred.

"Well, are you satisfied now?" asked the man who had first stopped.

"Yes," replied his companion.

"There are more than 20."

"More than 20 what?" anxiously inquired several of those nearest the two.

"Fools," returned the first speaker promptly, "inspired idiots. You see, we had a dispute as to the number of fools to be seen on the streets of a great city, and I bet him we could gather 20 around us in ten minutes by simply standing out here and looking up at the cornice. Gentlemen, there are more than 20 of you here, and I win."

Then a hundred or more solemn looking men, and a few women, went on about their business, and they all felt like kicking themselves without intermission for a period of not less than two hours.—Chicago Post.

The Wheel and England.

Take the Great North road. Except upon market days, one might have traveled any 50 miles along it between Highgate and York without meeting 50 people. Towns which literally lived by the road had drifted into a helplessly somnolent condition, from which no apparent human agency could awaken them, and the stranger thereto was stared at as much as if he had been a highlander or an Iroquois in full warpaint. The highway itself, being of no particular value to anybody since the Great Northern railway began to whirl the old patrons of the road along at 45 miles an hour, was allowed to decay, and in wet seasons or snowy weather was well nigh impassable.

The rage for wheeling has produced a rapid transformation. Station yourself at any point you like, and try to count the machines which pass on a fine Saturday afternoon during the course of an hour, and you will soon abandon the task as hopeless. Then, consider that every rider of every machine spends something during his trip, even if it be but the cost of a temperance drink. Consider that a very large number of Saturday riders sleep out and make good meals during their journey; that they are constantly spending something over and above their actual traveling expenses; and that the wonderful extension of our acquaintance with our own country resulting from these peaceful invasions of it by the inhabitants, not merely of the metropolis, but of every city and considerable town in the land, has led to the refurbishing up of such local lions as the castle, or the abbey, or the great Somebody's birthplace, or the waterfall, or the view (the inspection of all of which means the expenditure of money), and an approximate idea may be gained of the influence upon national trade which this pastime alone exercises.—Chambers' Journal.

Superstitions About the Weather.

Popular superstitions about the weather linger long, and in spite of the teachings of science people persist in believing that seaweed hung up in a backyard will become damp at the approach of rain, or that a similar indication is to be found in the fact that a pig is seen chewing straw. Mr. Richard Inwards, the president of the Meteorological society, it is needless to say, has no belief whatever in such methods of prophesying the weather. What belief could be more firmly rooted in many people than the belief that if it rains on St. Swin-in's day it will rain for 40 days? "An unadulterated fallacy," such is what Mr. Inwards calls it, yet in spite of the evidence accumulated upon the subject by the Meteorological office, people go on putting faith in it as though there were no such thing as experience. Then, again, it is said that a full moon will clear away clouds, and that a change of moon on a Saturday or a Sunday is an indication of floods, although not a little evidence in favor of either belief has ever been adduced.—London News.

An Advantage.

"What advantage do spiritualists have over other men?"

"Their first wives always advise them to marry again."—Chicago Record.

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And ever the rose was fair, was sweet,
And ever the rose was shy,
But a rose's life, like a dream, is fleet,
And a rose in a day will die.

It fell on a day that love once grew
In the loan of the heart like a rose,
Like a rose it smiled in the morning dew,
Like a rose it died at the sweet day's close.

And ever the love was fair, was sweet,
And ever the love was shy,
But the life of love, like a rose, is fleet,
And a love in a day will die.

—John N. Hilliard in Vanity.

SOME SIGNS OF APPROACHING AGE.

How a Man Showed That He Was Growing Old Without Knowing It.

A man, apparently slightly past middle life, whose hair was tinged with gray and noticeably thin on top, sat near me at a theater. As the curtain rose for the first time a spectacled man of about the same age entered and occupied the vacant seat between us. He looked at the other fixedly. The look was exchanged, and in a second each had the other cordially by the hand. The conversation told that they had been schoolmates who had not met in many years.

"By Jove, Charlie," exclaimed the first, "it does me good to see you. You haven't changed much more than I have, and I am not a day older than when we got our diplomas."

"I can't quite agree with you, Tom," answered the other, "but I don't feel very old yet. I see you still enjoy the theater, and I suppose you have kept up your literary tastes for the past 30 years."

"Thirty years!" repeated Tom. "How the years fly! Do you remember how they used to drag? Theaters! Well, I do go now and then, but the plays and acting are not what they used to be. As to books, I still read them, but none of the modern trash. There hasn't been a good book written for a quarter of a century. The new ones give me the dyspepsia worse than what I eat. Do you remember the meals we had on the old Vermont farm? Those were happy days. Thirty years and more ago! Strange, but I don't show a sign of age. I wonder where this confounded draft is coming from. I feel neuralgia on top of my head now."

"Tom, old boy," replied the other, "you are deceiving yourself, for you have shown marked signs of approaching age within three minutes. Your belief that theaters and actors have degenerated, that new books are below the standard, that childhood cooking was perfection and that time flies so very fast are all indications that you are on the down hill side of life. The slight draft that you say brings a tinge of neuralgia to the top of your head, where, I notice, the hair is rather thin, wouldn't have been thought of 30 years ago. Then here you are in the very front seat of a theater. No use denying the signs, Tom. We are getting along and must admit what others plainly see."—New York Herald.

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 cityism, etc., all of which were received with cheers.
 Chas. A. Blair, of Jackson, and Henry C. Smith, of Adrian, were chosen alternates.

A new congressional district committee was chosen as follows: Harry A. Conant, Monroe, chairman; Albert Stiles, Jackson; Alfred Wheeler, Lenawee; Dr. J. M. Collyer, Wayne; E. F. Johnson, Washtenaw.

The committee on resolutions then reported the following, which were adopted unanimously:

"The republicans of the 2d congressional district of Michigan, assembled in convention, do hereby reaffirm our allegiance to the principles of the republican party as set forth in the national platform adopted at the National convention in 1892.

"We believe that the United States shall use both gold and silver as money and we are opposed to any legislation which gives preference to either metal.

"Realizing that the issue in the next campaign will be whether American industries shall be protected in preference to those of foreign countries and recognizing as the campaign of protection and reciprocity that peerless statesman of Ohio, the Honorable William McKinley, we do hereby request our delegates to the national convention to vote for him as long as his name shall remain before the convention."

They'll Have To Hustle, Sure—

A correspondent of the Daily Times signing himself "Republican," and under the heading of "A Prediction," says this:

"It is conceded that all our county officers will be renominated with perhaps the exception of register of deeds. In that case Daniel O'Keefe will undoubtedly receive the nomination and Hon. Wirt Newkirk of Dexter, judge of probate. Should the republicans thus put into the field such a ticket it will make the democrats hustle to defeat it and necessarily make them put up men who the public has confidence in so that in any event we will have good county officers, just as it should be."

"There's no question about the prediction. The democrats will have to hustle lively to keep in sight of the republican nominees, let alone defeating any of them."

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President Hiscock experienced considerable difficulty in bringing the audience to order and keeping them quiet.

The notable events of the evening were: The confirmation of the appointments of the mayor for the ensuing year and the report of the bond committee.

The mayor's communication submitted the names of the following gentlemen for his cabinet for approval of the council:

City Treasurer—Chas. H. Manly.
 City Attorney—Chas. H. Kline.
 Chief of Police—Melvin C. Peterson.
 Fire Commissioner, full term—Sid W. Millard.

Fire Commissioner, to fill vacancy—James E. Harkins.
 Member of the Board of Health, full term—William J. Clark.

With the exception of Chas. H. Kline, and Wm. J. Clark, the appointments of the mayor were confirmed.

The vote on Kline's confirmation was as follows: Nays—Ald. Maynard, Moore, Grossman, Dell, Shadford, Rhodes, Coon, Cady, Danforth—9. Yeas—Ald. Koch, Laubengayer, Burke, Brown, Pres. Hiscock—5.

The vote on Wm. J. Clark's confirmation resulted as follows: Nays—7; Yeas 7.
 The recommendation of the board of public works that the council take immediate action relative to replanking the bridges over the Huron river at Beakes and Wall sts., was referred to the street committee.

The board of public works advised a settlement with Stevenson, Reed & Co. in regard to the construction of the Liberty st. sewer, or lateral sewer No. 1. The board find that the contract and specifications did not clearly require house connections to be carried to the curb line. To avoid litigation Stevenson, Reed & Co. are willing to settle the whole matter by the payment of \$344.90, which was withheld under the contract. Ald. Maynard moved that the communication be laid on the table until the next regular meeting of the council, which motion was adopted.

The board of health resolved that the council be asked to instruct the city attorney to take action to proceed to abate the mill-pond on W. Washington st., it being a constant annoyance to the public and injurious to the public health. Referred to the board of health.

A petition was read asking to have the electric light which is now at the corner of Huron and First sts., moved to the corner of First and Ann sts. Referred to the lighting committee.

The petition of numerous citizens for two cross walks on the south side of Liberty st., one across Ashley st., and the other across First st., in the Second ward, that the cross walk across Ashley st. ought to be constructed with cement and the cross walk across First st. ought to be built of brick, was referred to the sidewalk committee.

Hugh Johnson in a lengthy petition claimed damages in the sum of \$43.45 for having been arrested without warrant by one David Collins, a patrolman of the city of Ann Arbor and incarcerated in the common jail of Washtenaw county among thieves, vagrants and other malefactors, etc., etc., which petition was referred to the finance committee.

Numerous citizens petitioned for a sidewalk on the north side of Geddes ave., from Observatory st. to the city limits. Referred to the committee on sidewalks.

A petition from Michael Brenner asking for permission to build a porch in front of the property on W. Huron st. known as the Franklin house, the same to be constructed of iron, and built 12x12 feet over the door of the main entrance, was read. The petition was referred to the committees on sidewalks and ordinances. The aforesaid committees agreed, on recommendation of Ald. Brenner, to meet tomorrow and grant Brenner permission to begin erecting the porch forthwith.

In a petition a number of citizens objected to the construction of a sewer system on Jefferson st. Referred to the sewer committee.
 Residents of the Sixth ward petitioned for a sidewalk on the east side of Forest ave., between S. University and Washtenaw aves. Referred to committee on sidewalks.

Arthur Sweet's petition asking for redress for damages received while working in a sewer on Packard st., was referred to the committee on finance.

The committee on finance recommended the allowance of the following amounts and warrants drawn for payment of the same: Contingent fund, \$1,035.74; sewer fund, general, \$6; sewer fund, No. 2, \$8.40; sewer fund, No. 3, \$77.80; sewer fund, No. 5, \$1,street fund, \$832.42; police fund, \$296.60; fireman's fund, \$522.33; poor fund, \$280.31; cemetery fund, \$39.95; total, \$3,073.63. Adopted.

The committee on sewers reported favorably on the construction of a lateral sewer in proposed lateral sewer district No. 5.

The committee on streets recommended that \$125 be appropriated from the street fund in addition to the \$50 already appropriated and not used for the purpose of putting Tappan st. on grade.

The committee on water and fire department recommended a fire hydrant at the corner of Oakland ave. and Tappan st. and a hydrant on W. Washington st.

The committee on bonds approved the sureties of Druggist Henry J. Brown and Liquor Dealers A. S. Polhemus, John Schaible, O. Dietz, A. Kemper. The bond of M. P. Vogel was disapproved.

Chas. H. Kline, city attorney, rendered the following opinion upon the qualification of John R. Miner as a member of the board of public works: "It would seem that the supervisor is a city officer, and being a city officer under section 143 of the charter which provides that no member of the board of public works shall hold any elective office under the charter of said city, and further, that an election to and an acceptance of any office in said city shall be deemed a resignation of membership and shall vacate his office from said board.

The annual report of the city treasurer was read in part and approved. The annual report of Chief of Police Peterson was likewise treated.

Ald. Maynard read the following resolution: "Whereas, it has transpired upon reliable authority, that the city marshal, and Andrew E. Gibson, Esquire, justice of the peace of this city, have certain moneys in their hands belonging to the City of Ann Arbor, and "Whereas, in the opinion of this council, the truth or falsity of such information ought to be investigated, "Resolved, that a special committee of three be appointed by this council to make such investigation and that the mayor be and is hereby requested to issue subpoenas, or process, by warrant to compel the attendance of such persons, and the production of such books and papers before the said committee at such time and place, as such committee may direct in accordance with the provisions of section 84 of the charter."

E. A. Clark was elected city physician for the ensuing year.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whisky nor other intoxicant, but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old people find it just exactly what they need. Price fifty cents per bottle at The Eberbach Drug & Chemical Co's drug store and Geo. J. Heussler, Manchester.

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Calloused Lumps and Blisters from horses, Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Stiffles, Sprains, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Bleemish Cure ever known. Sold by H. J. Brown, druggist, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Notice to Contractors—

Sealed bids are solicited for the erection of an addition to the school building in the 3d ward, City of Ann Arbor, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned. Bids must be presented not later than Tuesday May 12, 1896, 7:30 p. m., at the Board Room in the High School building. Also Tuesday, May 26, 1896, at 7:30, sealed bids will be received at the same place for the erection of an addition to the 6th ward building.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids in both cases.
 JOHN R. MINER,
 Chairman of Committee.
 Beware of fraudulent imitations of the original Postum Cereal Grain coffee. Insist on Postum.

IN DAYS GONE BY.

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of tuition.
 Two of the professor's buildings are for the present occupied as boarding houses; one by Mrs. Turner and the other by Miss Spelman both formerly of your city, and excellent board can be obtained from \$1.50 to \$2 per week.

The original fund was 45,440 acres; the minimum price of the land \$15 per acre, \$681,600. Of this there has been sold 11,969 acres for the sum of \$193,584.06, and the back interest due, which is \$33,214.57, not one farthing had been paid during the year 1841, and since the last report, but about \$600 has come into the treasury as interest on the Washtenaw county loan.

During the year, 367 acres have been sold at an average of \$17 the acre; and of forfeited lands, 168 acres at \$19.52 per acre.

The professors are paid \$500 a year. I called into the office of superintendent of public instruction, and found Mr. Sawyer busily engaged in apportioning the school money by various towns.—Your city will receive about \$550 this year. The law contemplates a dividend to the districts on the first of March, but as the amount received up to that time, would not have exceeded four cents a scholar, Mr. Sawyer judiciously delayed the apportionment until this month, and instead of four cents to a scholar, as he would have been under the necessity of forwarding to the county treasurers in March, he thinks he will now be able to pay over 25 cents to the scholar. The accumulating, unpaid interest on the lands sold, amounts to about \$100,000 and unpaid instalments to as much more.

During the past year, the superintendent has visited most of the counties in the state, and delivered public lectures, urging and showing the necessity of more attention being given to education. In many counties, through his indefatigable perseverance he has awakened the public to give the subject more investigation, and county education societies have been organized, which, if kept up with spirit, will be of vast benefit to the rising generation.

LOWER VILLAGE.—This part of Ann Arbor has grown with rapidity unexampled, and must continue to, as the water power is improved. There is sufficient hydraulic power to operate an immense amount of machinery, and if the tariff question is favorably settled, the peculiar advantages of its location will insure its use. The woollen factory and paper mill located here, I have already alluded to in other articles you have published.

SINCLAIR'S FLOUR MILL. Is near the bridge. It was originally erected by Messrs. Brown & Co. About three years since Wm. M. Sinclair, Esq., became the purchaser of it. Since then it has undergone a thorough repair, improved machinery introduced, and every modern invention that facilitates and improves the manufacture of flour is connected with it. It cost \$25,000; contains five run of stone, and is capable of manufacturing 800 barrels a week, and did do it last fall, as will be judged from the fact, that after the wheat harvest, and before the close of canal navigation in New York, last season, Mr. Sinclair got to New York 8,112 barrels; the average sale of which was six dollars, eleven cents, one mill. He has wheat for 5,000 barrels more, making 11,112 barrels. This is probably a larger amount of business than any other mill in the state has done in any one time. Rising \$60,000 in specie funds, has been disbursed for wheat within the last eight months.

This one mill will pay the state over \$3,000 in a year, for transportation on the railroad.
 There are several other establishments about here I intended to visit, but defer it until another time.
 J. S.

New Trains on the Ann Arbor.

The Ann Arbor R. R. Co., expects to change time about May 17th, and will put on two new night trains between Toledo and Frankfort. These trains will carry sleeping cars, one of which will leave Toledo daily at 7:45 p. m., arriving at Frankfort 8:50 the following morning; the other will leave Frankfort 7:30 p. m. daily, arriving at Toledo 8:55 a. m. The sleeping car fares will be \$1.50 for lower and \$1.00 for upper berths or \$2.50 for a section. The public have for a long time been demanding a reduction in sleeping car fares and it is hoped they will show their appreciation of this innovation on the part of the Ann Arbor R. R., by giving the new trains a generous support.

Going north. 9:50 P. M. 4:18 P. M. 7:32 A. M.

Going south. 11:30 A. M. 8:57 P. M. 7:10 P. M.

Best Arrangement for Consumptives.
 Consumptive persons are said to be greatly benefited by the use of Speer's Port Grape Wine, both Fermented and Unfermented. It seems to give nourishment. Everything else fails. The rich properties of the wine derived from the iron in the soil on which the grapes grow makes new blood and if it does not cure, we believe it prolongs life in many cases of consumption. In fact, cases have been reported of perfect cures being effected by the use of Speer's Port Wine.

A MOTHER KNOWS.

Some Things People Don't Think of.

"Just why it is that children at the breakfast table will beg for a little coffee day after day, I am unable to say, except that they have a deeply rooted desire to have what their parents do in the way of food and drink, then I believe they naturally like something hot to sip with a spoon; and at any rate, the demand is there and I'm best if it isn't hard to get over, when one has three or four in the family, but we can't give our young folks coffee to drink; everyone knows its effect on children and it seems almost criminal to set before the innocents something we know will harm them."

So speaks a thoughtful mother and to such the grain coffee, Postum comes as a blessing to solve the vexed question.

Dr. H. W. Pierson, "Medical Advance," 6351 Stewart ave., Chicago, says, "We know of your Postum and are very much pleased with it. Decidedly opposed to the use of both tea and coffee."

Postum will pass for coffee with nine out of ten people if they are not warned in advance. It has the deep seal brown of old Java and changes to the rich golden brown of thick Mocha when cream is added. It is made wholly and entirely of pure grains of the field, wheat, etc., such as are intended by the Creator for man's use in this latitude. Postum the health coffee can be drunk as freely as water without any of the ill effects of coffee, and in a week or ten days' time, the old coffee user will note a marked change in his feelings and flesh. It makes red blood in the natural way and agrees with babies or grown people. Made by the Postum Cereal Co., Lim., of Battle Creek, Mich.

King Solomon—

mining stock safest investment offered public. Common stock 30 days ago \$0c., April 27, \$2.60. Will go to \$10 (par) before Sept. 1; 1,000-ft. tunnels and shafts; over \$1,000,000 ore in ground; \$300,000 gold already produced; U. S. Mint and national banks as references; ore runs \$17 to \$400. Hon. Henry Wulff, state treasurer, is treasurer of company. Limited amount preferred (treasury) stock (for new mill) offered at quotations of American Board of Mining Industries, 159-163 LaSalle st. (See Times Herald.) Purchasers guaranteed return of purchase money from first proceeds of mine. Gold being taken out daily. Reports from best scientific experts as to value of property. Full information. King Solomon Co., 155 Washington Street. In 10, 20, 50, 100 or 1,000 certificates. 4w.

ANN ARBOR AND YPSILANTI MOTOR LINE.

TIME TABLE
 Taking Effect Sunday, Oct. 27, 1895.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave the Junction, Ann Arbor, at 7:40, 9:15 (1:30 a. m.), and 1:15, 2:45, 5:30, 7:15, 9:45 and 11:15 p. m.

Leave Ypsilanti 7:10, 8:45, 11:00 a. m., and 1:15, 2:15, 5:06, 8:45, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Junction, Ann Arbor, at 2:00, 4:00, 5:30, (1:30 p. m.).

Leave Ypsilanti 1:30, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30, 9:00

run on city time.

Connections with L. S. & M. S. Ry. trains at crossing. Train leaving Ypsilanti at 5 p. m. connects with train from the west, fare 10 cents. Fare between Ypsilanti and the junction, single trip 15 cents; round trip 25 cents.

J. E. BEAL, President.

Wheeling and Lake Erie RAILWAY.

NEW THROUGH LINE BETWEEN WHEELING, STUEBENVILLE, PITTSBURGH, and MARIETTA.

THROUGH COACHES TO AND FROM OHIO RIVER.

THROUGH CONNECTIONS TO PITTSBURGH, And All Points East, via Akron, Cuyahoga Falls, Kent, Revenna, Leavittsburg, Warren, Niles, Girard, Youngstown, New Castle, Allegheny, WASHINGTON AND BALTIMORE.

THE ONLY LINE TICKETING ITS PASSENGERS THROUGH TO PHILADELPHIA •• NEW YORK

And New England Cities, via Washington and Baltimore, at Short Line Rates.

Direct connection at Massillon with Canton-Massillon Electric Line, making this route the most desirable route from Ann Arbor to Canton, the home of Gov. McKinley.

Trains Depart and Arrive at Toledo and Manhattan Junction as follows:

Toledo Lv. 8:30 a. m. 1:50 p. m. 7:45 p. m.
 Manhattan Jc. 8:35 a. m. 1:55 p. m. 7:50 p. m.

Manhattan Jc. Daily, Ex. Sunday, Daily, Toledo Ar. 9:45 a. m. 2:30 p. m. 6:20 p. m.
 Toledo Ar. 9:45 a. m. 2:30 p. m. 6:20 p. m.

Special Excursion Rates granted on Occasions of Conventions and other gatherings, where the attendance will be sufficiently large to warrant a Reduction in Rates.
 JAS. M. HALL,
 GEN. PASS. AGT.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

TIME TABLE IN EFFECT MARCH 1, 1896.

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME			
G. R. R. Ex.	A. M. Ex.	P. M. Ex.	G. R. R. Ex.
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5:15 a. m.	5:15 a. m.	5:15 a. m.	5:15 a. m.
6:00 a. m.	6:00 a. m.	6:00 a. m.	6:00 a. m.
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