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

GALKINS' PHARMACY.

REPUBLICAN ECONOMY

Has Turned a Huge Democratic Over-Draft into a Large Balance on Hand.

HOW THE BOOKS STAND.

Republican County Officials Have Made a Record That the People will Approve of at the Polls.

The tax-payers of Washtenaw county made no mistake when they changed their minds two years ago turned out the democrats and placed in power the republican party in this county.

A reporter from this paper has been looking over the books, and he found a state of affairs that was astonishing to him, but one which will be pleasing to every tax-payer in Washtenaw county. He found that within the two years the republican party has been in power, that a debt of over \$14,400 had been wiped out, taxation reduced one-half, and a credit to the county's bank account in the bank, of over \$14,700.

These are the facts: when the republican county officials took the reins two years ago, there was on the 1st day of September, 1894, an overdraft at the Ann Arbor Savings Bank of \$14,411.02. This amount included the defalcation of the county treasurer, Mr. Suekey, \$4,100. Of this defalcation Prosecuting Attorney Randall found that the county treasurer's books showed that there was about \$600 belonging to Mr. Suekey in fees, etc., that he had not drawn out of the treasury. He then proceeded to collect from the bondsmen \$3,500 which made the county practically good. By deducting this \$3,500, which ought not to be done, then there would be still left an amount of \$10,911.02, that the county was in debt when the republicans took the county affairs in their hands.

The republicans have not only paid off old debt but they have got the finances of the county in such shape that on the 1st day of Sept. 1896, there was a balance on hand in the bank, to the credit of the county, of \$14,720.69. The first year there was saved in interest money \$418.64, and up to July 1st of this year \$439.55, making a total saving of interest for 18 months of our republican administration, of \$858.19 in that item alone. Taking the last two years of democratic rule we find that the county paid the banks in interest \$3,423.00 more than it received.

That is the sort of economy our republican officials are practicing. And they are not only paying up old democratic county debts, but they are reducing taxation also. Look at this:

For the last two democratic years 1893-4, there was \$80,000 raised by tax to pay county expenses alone, without paying anything on the debt.

In the first two years of republican rule 1895-6 there is only \$50,000 assessed for county taxes, and the entire debt of the county has been wiped out. There is not a cent due anyone except the bills that naturally accumulate and are presented at the session of the board of Supervisors in October, and these we are assured will be less than they have been for several years, and there will be money enough to pay them all.

Take your tax receipts and see for yourself what is being saved on county taxes! Next December you will find that the county tax assessed against your property will be only one-half what it was two years ago.

HERE IN THE CITY.

Take the figures here in this city, and see how they look to the tax-payers. In 1894 Ann Arbor City had to pay \$6,282.69 for county expenses. In 1895, even though her equalization was raised \$100,000 she had only \$4,268.00, and this year it will be still less. But in one year the saving to the Ann Arbor city property owners was over \$2,000, a fact it will do to ponder over, for you know when you touch a man's pocket-book you touch his heart strings.

IN THE TOWNSHIPS.

In the townships the saving has been still greater. In the township of Webster, for instance, here are a few figures: Webster's county tax in 1892 was \$1,400, in 1893 \$30, in 1894 \$94, in 1895 \$1,028, in 1896 \$95, in 1897 \$67.

Less than one-half as much in 1895 as in 1893, and in 1896 it will be still lower. In looking over these figures do not forget that a debt of \$14,000 has been wiped out of existence.

If this showing does not entitle the republicans to a continuance in power, we should like to have one produced that could equal it.

HOW THE SAVING WAS DONE.

Many will want to know where the saving has been made. The answer might be truthfully made, everywhere. But we will take the sheriff's office. Mr. Judson's expenses for board of prisoners and turnkey fees at the jail during his first year 1895 was \$2,544.60. The first year of his predecessor, 1893, the bills for the same purpose amounted to \$3,753.60, a difference in Mr. Judson's favor of \$209.

This year 1896, estimating the last four months by last year, Mr. Judson's expenses for the above items will be \$2,121.60; while during the second year of his predecessor, 1894, the county paid \$2,693.95. This is a difference of \$57.35 in Mr. Judson's favor, making a total for two years, as compared with the two years of his immediate predecessor of \$781.35. And Mr. Judson says the expenses will be less than the above by upwards of \$100. In fact he is willing to settle with the county for an amount that will leave a clean \$900 saving to the tax-payers of this county for his two year's administration.

During the 18 months of Sheriff Judson's administration he has taken 21 men to state prison as against 18 taken in the two years preceding.

Included among the 21 is Cuyler Barton, the fire friend who burned so many barns for farmers in Lyndon and the western part of the county. After hired detectives had been paid a considerable sum to ferret out the guilty one, Mr. Judson took hold of the case and succeeded not only in securing the man, but in causing him to plead guilty, thus saving this county at least \$3,000 in expenses, and then not being sure of conviction. So he has saved expenses in other ways than in board and turnkey bills, it will be seen.

Out of 21 sent to prison 17 plead guilty, in nearly every instance through Sheriff Judson's influence, their saving to the tax-payers \$100 a day for circuit court expenses. If Mr. Judson had been disposed to work for his own selfish interest instead of the tax-payer's interest, he could have made several hundred dollars in officer's fees by allowing these prisoners to have come to trial instead of inducing them to plead guilty.

By comparing Mr. Judson's administration with that of his predecessor we desire to make no attack upon that gentleman. Mr. Brenner was a good sheriff and attended to the duties of his office properly, and his administration was more economical than many of those that preceded him, but we desire to show the people that everything has been done that could be done to carry on the affairs of this county in a just and economical manner, and that the people have profited by making a change in servants.

There are other things and more figures that will be brought out as the campaign moves along.

THE SCHOOL CONTROVERSY.

If some of the people who are so ably and so energetically and so bitterly and so foolishly and so learnedly discussing the late school caucus, the late school election, and the present school board in the press of the city, would sign their own names to what they have to say, their efforts might be productive of more—or less.

An anonymous communication never carries much weight with it.

As a general thing, if a man has

REV. DR. McELROY.

A Brief Sketch of the New Pastor of the M. E. Church in This City.

Rev. B. L. McElroy, Ph. D., the new pastor of the M. E. church in this city, comes to us by special transfer from the Ohio conference. He was born at Racine, O., on the Ohio river, March 22, 1860. He graduated in the classical course of the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1883, and afterwards pursued a course of study in Drew Theological Seminary. Having completed the special course in philosophy, he was given the degree of Ph. D. upon examination, by the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1895. He was married in Columbus, O., in '84 to Miss Lorena Cherington. They have three daughters. Dr. McElroy's sister, Miss Myrtle McElroy, is also a member of their household.

Capt. J. C. McElroy, who is widely known in Grand Army circles, having served for several years as secretary and treasurer of the Chickamauga Commission of Ohio, and having written a history of the battle of Chickamauga, is the father of the new Ann Arbor pastor. Capt. McElroy is at present the postmaster of Congress.

Mrs. McElroy's father was a Methodist minister. Three of her brothers are also in the ministry. She is greatly devoted to the church, and has always been her husband's right hand helper in every good work. Both Dr. and Mrs. McElroy are graduates of the same institution, and spent five years together in post graduate study.

Dr. McElroy is in the early prime of life. He has been a frequent contributor to the press, his articles being readily received by some of the leading papers of the country. His pastorate in the Ohio Conference have been Alexandria, Granville, the seat of Dennison University, St. Paul's Delaware, the seat of Ohio Wesleyan University, Bigelow's Chapel Portsmouth, and London. He had a very prosperous pastorate in Delaware, where he had formerly been a student in college. His devotion to his families, his friendship with professors and students, and his interest in the people at large, made this pastorate eminently satisfactory to the citizens and to the University. He then spent five years as pastor of the strongest church in Portsmouth O., where during his ministry the church was rebuilt, and many improvements were made. He was held in very high esteem in this church, but the five year limit made necessary his removal one year ago, at which time he was appointed pastor at London, O. This society had just erected and dedicated a magnificent church, and he entered upon his pastorate under very favorable circumstances. He had a good revival, and a successful year, but his pastorate was suddenly terminated by his transfer to Ann Arbor, greatly to the regret of the people at London.

Dr. McElroy is an excellent preacher. His pulpit work has met with great favor everywhere. He is an enthusiastic student of literature, and with him literature is the handmaid of religion. His is pre-eminently a gospel ministry, made more effective by his literary work, under the blessing of the Holy Spirit. His loyalty to his own church and his loyalty with others, continue to make him influential for good everywhere. He believes in experimental religion, and that the supreme call of the church is to be spiritual. He is eminently suited to a college town church. His college spirit brings him into close touch with professors and students, and his pastoral devotion reaches to every household.

The Voice of the People on Wine.

It is a well known fact that wines above all other liquors, are grossly adulterated, but when a pure article is placed on the market and people find it out to be pure, they all with one voice recommend it. The Port Grape Wine from the vineyards of Alfred Speer, of Passaic, N. J., has received the unqualified endorsement of the medical faculty and of thousands of invalids who have been won back to health by their use. For sale by druggists.

The Rejuvenated Motor Line.

It has been known for some time that the Ypsilanti Motor line and the Ann Arbor St. Railway line had consolidated, and that it was the intention of the new company to equip the entire road with electricity as soon as possible. In view of the close times, when it has been almost impossible for business men with gilt-edged security to obtain money, it certainly reflects great credit upon the officials of this road that they have been able to make such arrangements as to secure the necessary outlay this improvement calls for. But it has been accomplished, and on Saturday last, Mr. J. E. Beal, as secretary of the company, signed a contract with the Michigan Electric Co. of Detroit, to equip the road, at a cost of \$30,000. The same day Mr. Beal signed a contract with the Thompson Huston Electric Co. of this city, to furnish the necessary electricity to run the road.

The consolidation of the two roads takes place Oct. 1st, and Mr. Robert Hemphill, Jr., of Ypsilanti, has been elected superintendent of the new company, which has been named the Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti Electric St. Ry. Co.

The work under the contract is to be completed by Dec. 1st, but a nice bonus has been offered to have it completed by Nov. 1st, which is only five weeks off, and there is a good prospect for the bonus to be paid, we are informed, work having been already started.

The benefit of the completion of this road to Ann Arbor can be estimated somewhat when it is known that now every farmer within a half mile of this city, goes to Ypsilanti to trade because of the extra five cent fare demanded each way, by the Ann Arbor St. Ry. Co.

That this road may some day be continued to Detroit is possible, but not contemplated by this management.

Twas Ever Thus.

The following account of a heated political argument is taken from the Monday's Times. As the fellow who gets the worst of it always has to pay for the affray, the result of this will no doubt be an awful warning to our too ardent silver friends:

"There is a good joke on one of the city's most valued aldermen, but in telling the story, we dare not tell his name. He is an ardent silver man and was arguing rather warmly in a certain saloon when a gold democrat joined in the muss. No one knows just how it happened, but the two men soon had their fists up and were scrapping for points. Neither man was hurt but it cost the alderman \$5 and the costs to quiet it up this morning. It did not come to trial."

Special Theatre Train to Toledo.

Wednesday evening, September 30th, via The Ann Arbor R. Y., 75 cents for the round trip. Train leaves Ann Arbor at 5 p. m., returning leaves Toledo at 11:30 p. m. Lillian Russell at the Valentine and Hamilton's New Superba at the People's Theatre are the attractions.

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For Representative in Congress, Second District.

GEN. GEORGE SPAULDING,
Of Monroe.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,

HAZEN S. PINGREE, of Wayne.

For Lieutenant Governor,

THOMAS B. DUNSTAN, of Houghton.

For Secretary of State,

WASHINGTON GARDNER, of Calhoun.

For State Treasurer,

GEORGE A. STEEL, of Clinton.

For Auditor General,

ROScoe D. DIX, of Berrien.

For Attorney General,

FRED A. MAYNARD, of Kent.

For Commissioner State Land Office,

WILLIAM A. FRENCH, of Presque Isle.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,

JASON E. HAMMOND, of Hillsdale.

For Member State Board of Education,

JAMES W. SIMMONS, of Shiawassee.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Representative—first district,

ANDREW J. SAWYER, of Ann Arbor.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Judge of Probate,

H. WIRT NEWKIRK, of Scio.

For Sheriff,

WILLIAM JUDSON, of Sylvan.

For County Clerk,

WILLIAM DANSINGBURG, of Augusta.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE A. COOK, of Ypsilanti.

For Prosecuting Attorney,

SETH C. RANDALL, of Ann Arbor.

For County Treasurer,

WILLIAM F. REHFUSS, of Manchester.

For Circuit Court Commissioners,

ORLA E. BUTTERFIELD, of Ann Arbor,

FRANK WEBB, of Ypsilanti.

For Coroners,

HARRIS BALL, of Dexter.

DR. W. R. BROWN of Ypsilanti.

For Surveyor,

JEROME ALLEN, of Ypsilanti.

James Smith Jr., United States Senator from New Jersey, and chairman of the democratic State central committee, has written a public letter, withdrawing from the committee, and coming out for sound money.

Twenty Years....

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HON. ANDREW J. SAWYER.

The above portrait represents Hon. Andrew J. Sawyer, republican candidate for the legislature in this district.

His history is familiar to every man, woman and child in the district. His private life has been an open book that all who passed might read, and known to each one of us; so pure, so full of affection for his family, so overflowing with cordiality and kindness for his friends and neighbors that it is often remarked and re-remarked that as a friend and neighbor no better man ever lived.

As a business man, as a man of ability, as a man who can contend for the interest of his constituents, as a man who will take rank among other men, need

The editor of the Adrian Press says that Maine and Vermont don't amount to much anyway, but look at Arkansas!

If the Adrian Press will use the same manner of reckoning in Arkansas that it does in Maine, where will it come out next November?

The free silver party has no idea of increasing labor or the pay of the laborer, but simply to decrease the value of the dollar, and so make labor cheaper.

The free trade Wilson bill cost this nation another \$10,000,000 in gold during the month of August. And yet Mr. Bryan says he is opposed to protection, and advocates free trade as well as free silver.

Some of the democratic free silver people's union papers are sipping sweet (?) consolation from the recent elections in Maine and Vermont. Well, if they can find any they are welcome to it.

Gen. Daniel E. Sickles, the war scarred veteran and uncompromising democrat of New York, pays his respects to Mr. Bryan in this language: "Mr. Bryan denies the authority of the president and the courts of the United States to interfere with mobs. They may with impunity disturb the peace, destroy property and life, interrupt travel between the states, and obstruct the United States mails and interstate as well as foreign commerce, but the government must look on, powerless, helpless, paralyzed. This is mob rule—anarchy. It is impossible to exaggerate the gravity of this issue. It really overshadows all others, because it touches the foundations of social order and civilization. This new doctrine is worse than the old secession heresy you put down with your bayonets—let us silence the new heresy by our ballots."

Here is the opinion of Mgr. Zehninger vicar general of the Milwaukee diocese, as to who would be benefited by free silver: "The facilities for producing silver have been greatly increased, and have made mining easy, bringing down the value of the metal, and throwing great quantities on the world, which would be presented indefinitely for coinage. What I object to, therefore, the most is the ratio of 16 to 1. We had free coinage prior to 1873, we are told, and it did not bring ruin. But silver was worth more as merchandise than as money. It is its cheapness that is objectionable. Those who would be benefited by free silver are the silver barons and those who have enough to buy it."

"I think it a mistake to bring such a question into politics. It should be decided by a disinterested and competent commission which should port it to congress for final action."

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there be a word said? Acknowledged as he is to be at the head of the bar of the great commonwealth of Michigan, the good people of this first district will be but honoring themselves in electing him. It is seldom that a man of Mr. Sawyer's standing and ability can be induced to accept an office of this kind, and we believe the people appreciate the sacrifice he makes in so doing.

As a vote getter Mr. Sawyer is a very strong man. He has represented this district with marked ability in days gone by. And in 1890, when the district was overwhelmingly democratic, he led a forlorn hope, and came within a few votes of being successful.

The official returns from Maine give the republican ticket a plurality of 48,782, against a plurality in 1892 of 12,503. And Sewall lives in Maine!

The list of prominent men, both east and west, who are daily coming out for sound money, and almost invariably for McKinley & Hobart, is so great that one can with difficulty keep track of it.

Under republican legislation, for 13 years succeeding July 1, 1879, the total withdrawal of gold from the treasury only amounted to \$43,310,896. But under democratic threats and free trade legislation, from July 1, 1892, to May 20 1896, the withdrawals of gold amounted to upward of \$447,000,000 and over \$351,000,000 of that amount has been exported to foreign countries to make good the balances against us in our trade relations. Under such a disastrous policy now is it possible, with the most favored conditions, to sustain our financial relations under any system we may see fit to inaugurate.—Hon. Robert J. Gamble, M. C., of South Dakota.

One of the most pleasing items it has ever been our duty to record is this one, announcing that Thos. W. Brewer, the conscientious, sincere and able editor of the Livingston Herald, published at Howell, has renounced the delusion of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1, and has come out for the republican doctrine of honest money. Mr. Brewer is an old soldier, an ardent republican, and a man who reads and thinks. His friends have regretted his silver convictions, but have had full faith that before this campaign of education was over that he would be found on the right side, for that is where he has always stood. Congratulations, not only to the people of Livingston county, but to an honest man who has thrown aside prejudice and listened to reason.

If reports are true that Mr. Pingree has allowed himself or his friends to make war against the republican nominee for congress in the first district, some good friend ought to advise him that he should have better judgment. The republican party is interested in congressmen quite as much as in president, and far more than in governor. It is of vital importance to the party whether congress is for sound principles or against them, for republican doctrines or against them. If Mr. Pingree proposes to make a personal campaign against any candidate on the ticket whom he may have taken a dislike to, he may find that such a course will not be tolerated by the party, and may react to his own disadvantage. No man can afford to be a candidate himself who does not put his shoulder to the wheel and help push the entire ticket to victory.

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Nervous

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C. F. Gruber, of Rochester, N. Y., was in town Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. Tate has gone to Mansfield, Ohio, to join her husband.

Mrs. Abell and daughter Una, are visiting Mrs. A's daughter in Lansing. Mrs. Will C. Hollands has returned from a visit with relatives in Jackson.

W. W. Wedemeyer is to give the Kalamazoo people a specimen of his oratory soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmid returned Saturday from a visit with friends in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Louise Alderman and daughter have moved here from Milan for educational purposes.

Mrs. Dr. W. B. Smith, who has been the guest of Detroit friends for a time, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Wagner and family have returned from their summer stay at Wequetonsing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chapin, of Detroit, have been the guests of Chas. E. Lash, of Geddes, during the past week.

Joshua Palmer and family have returned to their home on Thompson st., from a summer's stay at Brooklyn.

C. P. Stevens, who left here some weeks ago with little Millie Waite as his bride, to go to Dakota, returned from there a day or two since. A young man was his companion home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. St. Clair and family have returned from their summer's stay in the upper peninsula, and are living in the residence formerly occupied by the late Ex-Gov. Alpheus Felch, on N. State st.

Rev. Henry Tatlock of St. Andrew's church, left Monday evening for Toronto, to attend the convention of the Protestant Episcopal church, which meets there this week. He was invited to deliver the opening sermon of the convention, and also another address.

Judge L. M. Goddard and daughter Irene, of Denver, and Mrs. M. H. Snow, of Winona, Minn., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Doty during the past week. Judge Goddard is one of the great silver apostles of Colorado, and a man who argues the financial question with him must be well posted.

Mrs. Nelson B. Cole, son Rev. Lawrence T., and daughter Miss Lillian left last Thursday morning for Cambridge, Mass., where Lawrence will spend one year studying upon the scholarship which he received while in New York. Many friends here will regret the loss of this family, and wherever they may find a permanent abode, there will remain a warm place for them in the hearts of Ann Arbor's citizens.

Work for Tramps—

The Anti-Tramp Society will hold a public meeting in the court house Friday evening, Sept. 25, at 8 o'clock. Every one interested in the matter is invited to attend, join the society and share in the discussion.

The officers believe that the comparative scarcity of tramps about Ann Arbor of late is largely due to the society's wood yard; but much more might be accomplished if all citizens would actively interest themselves and see that no food or other aid is given to tramps except in return for the work which the society is always ready to provide.

At the Grand Opera House—

What the Chicago Mail says of Lincoln J. Carter's Tornado, which will be presented at the opera house on next Saturday evening Sept. 26th: Haylin's had the only cataclysm which happened to Chicago yesterday. When "The Tornado" began its work in the first act, every one held his chair with both hands to keep from being drawn into the aerial maelstrom which was going on on the stage. If anything has been devised by way of stage effect which is uncompromisingly effective, this is it. A house goes to pieces and so does everything else in sight, and after the curtain descends on this scene full of thunder and lightning, the audience itself set up a cyclone of applause that almost equaled the simulated atmospheric calamity.

No one who saw "The Fast Mail" could believe it to be the first work of a youthful dramatist. It was with equal difficulty that "The Tornado," could be regarded as his second effort. Both had their first production on the stage at Haylin's, and both representations brought out the author, Lincoln J. Carter, in response to enthusiastic and repeated calls.

The play will be a tremendous success. The scenes other than the first include a shipwreck, a water scene, a dissecting-room and other matters of equal interest, and the company is thoroughly trained and efficient.

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40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Representative Convention—

Immediately upon the adjournment the county convention the legislative convention for the second district of this county met in the council room of the court house. It was called to order by Col. H. S. Dean, who proposed the name of Chas. E. Hiscock for chairman. John Kalmbach, of Chelsea, was chosen secretary.

W. W. Wedemeyer got the floor and made a fine speech proposing the name of Hon. Andrew J. Sawyer. In securing the floor so quick, Mr. Wedemeyer shut off another person who had been preparing a speech for several days for the same gentleman, which may have been an unkind thing, and then again it may not have been.

The name of Emery E. Leland, of Northfield, was presented, but Mr. Leland announced that he was not a candidate.

The nomination of Mr. Sawyer was then made unanimous. He was waited upon by a committee, brought in, and after thanking the convention in a manner that only Mr. Sawyer can, he proceeded to give a fine speech upon the issues of the campaign dwelling principally upon the financial question. It is to be regretted that the speech was not in a room where the entire crowd present could hear it as was their desire.

George S. Wheeler, of Salem, introduced the following resolutions which passed without a dissenting vote:

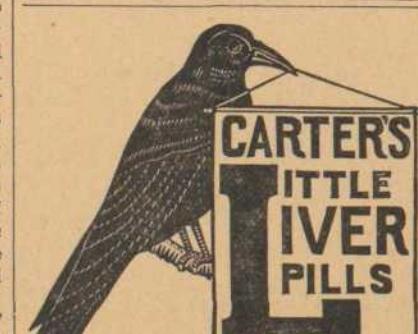
"Resolved, That our candidate for the legislature from the first representative district of the county of Washtenaw be and is hereby instructed to use if elected his best efforts to reduce the taxation of this state to the lowest possible limit consistent with the economical administration of the state government.

"Resolved, That he use his best efforts to compel the corporations of this state to bear an equitable share of the taxes of the state."

Mr. Wheeler made an excellent argument in favor of the sentiment expressed, and warned the party that the country was bearing too great a burden and deserved to have its public servants make every effort possible toward economy. Mr. Wheeler did not touch upon the greatest waste of all, at Lansing, the printing and distribution of thousands upon thousands of useless books, such as Joint Documents, statistical reports, etc., but he no doubt would have spoken about it had he given it thought.

On motion the chair then appointed Geo. H. Pond, E. E. Leland and John Heinman as district committee. The convention then adjourned.

Instead of each election board sending one member to constitute a board of county canvassers, the law has been changed so that the board of supervisors shall elect an election board of three members, who shall receive and canvas the votes, thus saving a great deal of money.



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REPUBLICAN CO. CONVENTION.

The Republicans of Washtenaw County Put up a Remarkably Strong Ticket.

The republicans of this county held their nominating convention at the court house last Thursday, and it was one of the best and most enthusiastic conventions ever held in the county. There was quite a rivalry for the offices of probate judge and register of deeds, but it was of the friendly order, and left no sore spots. Every delegate was in his seat, as the ballot proved.

At 11:15 a. m., Chairman Wedemeyer, of the county committee, rapped for order, and introduced the Hon. John F. Lawrence of Ann Arbor, as temporary chairman. The choice was greeted with applause. Mr. Lawrence on taking the chair thanked the county committee for the compliment and launched into a clear, concise and forcible discussions of the present national campaign, chiefly of the money question. He ridiculed campaign orators who say that because our forefathers cast off the British yoke we can have free and unlimited coinage without the consent of any nation whatever. The present condition of affairs, he believed, is due to the abandonment of the principle of protection.

After the conclusion of his remarks P. J. Lehman of Ann Arbor, was on motion made temporary secretary, and the chairman appointed the following committees:

Credentials—A. J. Warner of Manchester; Fred Green of Ypsilanti; C. Blackmar of Milan; George H. Kempf of Chelsea; John Heinmann of Ann Arbor.

Resolutions—E. F. Johnson of Ann Arbor; T. J. Farrell of Manchester; Ed. Ball of Webster; Henry O'Neill of Sharon; Nathan Pierce of Lima.

Permanent Organization and Order of Business—Cassius M. Warner of Ypsilanti; John K. Campbell of Augusta; Glen V. Mills of Ann Arbor; A. Walker of Scio; Tip Walker of Salem.

Tellers—Evart H. Scott of Ann Arbor; Glen V. Mills of Ann Arbor; Fred Green of Ypsilanti; W. E. Webb of Ypsilanti.

The convention then adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

Upon reassembling, Chairman Lawrence rapped for order. The three committees named before the noon recess, were called upon for reports. The delegations were reported full and without contests, the temporary officers were made permanent and the usual order of business was established.

The first business in order was the nomination of candidates for judge of probate.

Mr. Kingsley of Manchester, proposed the name of A. F. Freeman of that township. Mr. Starks of Freedom, offered the name of George S. Wheeler of Salem. Frank E. Jones of Saline, named H. W. Newkirk, of Scio. An informal ballot was ordered with the following result: Newkirk 114, Wheeler 41, Freeman 36. On motion of Mr. Sawyer, Wm. Dansingburg was made unanimous. Mr. Newkirk made an eloquent speech of acceptance.

Prof. E. F. Johnson of Ann Arbor, then named for renomination to the office of sheriff, Wm. Judson, and the renomination was made with a yell of approval which testified strongly of Mr. Judson's great popularity throughout the county. On motion of Mr. Sawyer, Wm. Dansingburg was unanimously renominated for county clerk.

Nominations for register of deeds were next in order. Col. Dean named W. K. Childs of Ann Arbor; John R. Miner named George Alexander of Ann Arbor; H. H. Webb named Morton F. Case of Pittsfield; W. A. Boynton named Edwin Ball of Webster; Fred Green named George Cook of Ypsilanti. The friends of Daniel O'Keefe of Ann Arbor, withdrew his name in favor of Alexander.

The various ballots resulted as follows:

	1st	2d	3d
Cook	75	95	121
Alexander	54	59	76
Childs	29	15	—
Case	15	13	8
Ball	17	10	—

Mr. Cook was declared the nominee.

On motion of Dr. W. B. Smith, S. C. Randall was renominated for prosecuting attorney. Mr. Freeman moved the renomination of W. F. Rehfuess for treasurer and it was carried. The present circuit court commissioners, O. E. Butterfield of Ann Arbor, and Frank Webb of Ypsilanti, and the present coroners, Harrison Ball of Ann Arbor, and Dr. W. R. Barton of Ypsilanti, were renominated by acclamation.

John R. Miner asked if Ypsilanti wanted any more offices. There seemed to be no more offices, but the question caused considerable laughter.

The committee on resolutions then reported the following which were adopted with a whoop:

We, the republicans of Washtenaw county, in convention assembled, pointing with pride to the past history of our party and the glorious

AN INVITATION.

It Gives Us Pleasure to Publish the following Announcement.

All women suffering from any form of illness peculiar to their sex are requested to communicate promptly with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only.

A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America. This confidence has induced more than 100,000 women to write Mrs. Pinkham for advice during the last few months.

Think what a volume of experience she has to draw from! No physician living ever treated so many cases of female ill, and from this vast experience surely it is more than possible she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case.

She is glad to have you write or call upon her. You will find her a woman full of sympathy, with a great desire to assist those who are sick. If her medicine is not what you need, she will frankly tell you so, and there are nine chances out of ten that she will tell you exactly what to do for relief. She asks nothing in return except your good will, and her advice has relieved thousands.

Surely, any ailing woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.

Never in the history of medicine has the demand for one particular remedy for female diseases equalled that attained by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and never in the history of Mrs. Pinkham's wonderful Compound has the demand for it been so great as it is to-day.

achievements of our great leaders, and relying with absolute confidence upon the promises contained in our party's platform made at the St. Louis convention last May, do hereby renew our pledges to that grand old party which in the past could always be relied upon in a time of our country's peril and which we believe can be relied upon now and hereafter to furnish a full and complete remedy for the present great distress under which our farmers and laborers are suffering. The republican party stands for honest money and a chance for the wage earners to earn it by honest toil. We therefore pledge ourselves to the support of those great American doctrines, 1st, to honest money—the republican party pledges itself to keep our money free from fluctuation and speculation. We believe that our money should be kept so that when we part with our labor, our products and our property that we should receive in turn money which is as stable and unchanging in value as the ingenuity of honest men and a great government can make. We believe that a debasement of our currency means a destruction of values and of confidence and that no good money can ever circulate freely and actively unless there be absolute confidence in its value.

2nd, Protection to American labor and American products. We believe that the American wage earner should have an opportunity freely and without foreign competition to supply the entire demand for American labor.

3rd. Reciprocity by which foreign markets were opened up to the American farm products which was so much in need of an enlarged market.

We hereby pledge our hearty support to that model husband, statesman, soldier and patriot, Wm. McKinley, of Ohio, for the presidency of the United States. Sincerely believing that the president of the U. S. would be helpless in carrying out the great principles which our party represents without the aid and assistance of the congress of the U. S., we hereby pledge our united support to that gallant soldier and general, George Spalding, who has so ably represented us during the past two years in the congress of the U. S.

George S. Rawson, of Bridgewater, was unanimously elected delegate-at-large to the senatorial convention.

The delegates then divided into legislative districts and chose delegates to the senatorial convention:

1st District—Wm. Judson, Wm. E. Stocking, Col. H. H. Dean, Ann Arbor; Thos. Birkett, Dexter; A. W. Wilkinson, George H. Kempf, Chelsea; Amos Phelps, Scio; Emory Leland, Northfield; Fred S. Braun, Ann Arbor town.

2nd District—Fred Freeman, Manchester; Harrison Bassett, Saline; J. W. Blakeslee, York; Jesse Hewings, Augusta; Sebastian Smits, Wm. H. Lay, F. W. Green, Ypsilanti; Frank Lambie, Ypsilanti town; E. W. Craft, Sharon.

The convention then adjourned, feeling that a good and grand day's work had been done.

Marriage Licenses.

3088. Wilbur Van Riper, Chelsea.	28
3089. Wm. R. Northrop, Monroe.	20
3090. Chas. F. Unterkircher, Saline.	46
3091. Luke Kittle, Northfield.	38
3092. Willard Towner, Deerfield.	29
3093. Joseph A. Goodyear, Manchester	21
3094. Emma J. Lapham, Manchester	17
3095. Edward Percy Palmer, Laramie, Wyo.	42
3096. Michael Behan, Jackson.	24
3097. Elizabeth Ann Kirk, Manchester.	24

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FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms for light house keeping, a \$2 second hand furniture for sole cheap at 28 North State Street.

WANTED FOR CASH—A small fruit farm 12 to 20 acres with buildings and orchard, within two miles of Ann Arbor. Address, G. C. Lawrence, Agric. College Mich.

STRAYED—From the farm of Isaac Dunn, Sunday night, Aug. 23, a brown horse of medium size, 5 years old. H. E. Bell, 10 E. Huron st., Ann Arbor. Mich. 1 wk.

WANTED—Responsible agent to represent tailoring company. Good pay. Suits to order. \$10. Address Chas. W. Ninke, 150 S. High st., Columbus, Ohio.

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HOUSES AND LOTS FOR SALE OR RENT—Prices for rent from \$10 to \$30 a month in central localities. Modern improvements. Enquire of J. Q. A. Sessions, Agent. Office 26 E. Huron st.; residence 36 Williams st. t

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GENTS WANTED—We want one or two live agents in this and adjoining counties for "Life of McKinley and Hobart," by Hon. Murat Halstead. The only authentic biography Republican candidate, fully illustrated. Only \$1.50. A complete outfit mailed on receipt of 10¢ for postage, (regular price 50c.) Big commissions. First choice of territory. Books shipped on 30 days' time. Freight paid. Write at once. L. B. Clegg & Brothers, Publishers, 1628 Cathcart Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 3 wks. 32

GOOD AGENTS to canvass for Picturesque Detroit and Environs. There is money in it; address or inquire of M. L. Cone, 47 N. 4th Ave., Ann Arbor. 8

RESPONDENTS wanted of persons having old U. S. coins for sale. Clarence C. Upham, 288 Park St., Detroit.

LOCAL.

On the face of the boy from the shallow Plateau
Is a look that's akin to pain;
Should you ask the cause, I would tell you
that He had just got the news from Maine.

The Campbells are coming!

Miss Grube has been hired by the school board to teach in the 3d ward.

The reduction in valuation by the state board of equalization will reduce the income of the University upwards of \$4,000.

Hon. H. W. Newkirk and W. W. Wedemeyer will electrify the people of Whitmore Lake to-night with their political eloquence.

The senatorial convention for this district met at the court house to-day and nominated Andrew Campbell, of Pittsfield, for senator.

There was some fine third degree work at the Masonic temple last Friday evening, the two lodges uniting to raise three Fellow Crafts.

Otsinengo Lodge I. O. O. F., held one of the most enjoyable social events at their rooms last Thursday evening, that has been given here in a long time.

Miss Clara Seymour, state secretary of the Michigan Y. W. C. A., will speak at the Sunday meeting of the Y. W. C. A., Sept. 27, at 3:30. The ladies of the city are invited.

The biggest peach day that the M. C. R. R. has had was on the 10th, when 2,520 bushels were shipped. It has been a great year for peaches, the Central having made the largest shipments ever made in its history.

Prof. R. S. Copeland is expected home next Monday, Sept. 21st, from Europe, where he has been acting as a delegate to the World's Congress of Homeopathy, recently held in London. He has also been in attendance upon many of the great clinics of European hospitals.

A contract was let on Monday to John Baumgardner, to put down a Berea blue flag stone walk on the two fronts of the Masonic Block. The walk is 14 feet wide, 89 feet long on Main st., and 12 feet wide and 142 feet long on Huron st. It will be completed by Nov. 1st.

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The fourth year of the Ann Arbor Art School will begin Oct. 4, at the school rooms, Masonic block. Mr. J. W. Geis, of Detroit Art Academy, will co-operate with Mr. Paulus in the management of the school. Several new classes will be added. Circulars can be obtained by applying to Mrs. W. S. Perry, 61 E. Washington street.

Yes, flies are flies because they fly.
And fleas are fleas because they die;
And bees are bees because they bee.

The third floor of the Henning block is being fitted up for the Odd Fellow Lodges of the city.

J. W. Ridgeway gave a free silver talk to a fair sized audience at the court house last Friday night.

Miss Eliza Cady, daughter of C. H. Cady, Esq., has been appointed to the chair of elocution in the high school.

A new trainer in athletics for the U. of M. has been secured in the person of Jim Robison, of New York City.

Persons having rooms to rent to music scholars should place a notice on the bulletin board at the School of Music.

Martin Adamscheck let a marble slab down on his right hand and right foot, Monday, and both were badly mashed.

Walter D. Smith, instructor in the law department, died Sunday night at his old home in Galesburg, Mich., aged 25 years.

The next regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will occur to-morrow, Sep. 24th, at 3 p.m., in the P. O. block.

Lieutenant Governor Sheehan, of Buffalo, N. Y., has resigned his place on the state democratic committee of that state and came out for sound money.

Those children of St. Andrew's Sunday School who have not obtained lesson papers, may get them by applying at Harris Hall on Saturday.

The gold lined and silver-tongued orator Channing M. Depew, of New York, is to deliver several political speeches in this state next month.

A republican administration of county affairs has reduced the county taxes nearly one-half in two years, and paid a \$14,000 deficit besides.

Deputy Canfield went to Saginaw Friday and brought back Chas. Elmer, who was arrested in that city on a charge of purloining some jewelry from Miss Patterson of this city.

Jennie Weaver, a young girl employed in a private family on Miller ave., died under suspicious circumstances last Friday, and a post mortem examination showed that a criminal operation had been proformed.

Last Friday, the household goods of H. M. Taber were shipped to him at Jamestown, N. Dakota. At the same time Kenny & Quinlan shipped to him a bath room outfit, and Lule Bros. many furnishings for his home.

"You Washtenaw farmer give us your ear," says the Argus. You Washtenaw farmer, don't you give that necessary appendage away. How you would look and feel going around with the Argus possessing your ear!

Ex-Gov. Luce told The Courier this week that he should vote for McKinley and Hobart at the coming election. This definitely sets at rest the many rumors that the ex-governor would support Bryan.—Coldwater Courier, Sept. 19.

The business men on N. Fourth ave. and on Detroit street have reason to kick about the long and tedious delay in macadamizing that thoroughfare. Just in these particular times a business man can ill afford to lose three or four weeks trade as those tradesmen have been and are being compelled to do, and it is a question if they could not justly present a claim against the city for damage to their business.

Some people think that, and some editors write as if, a man who sells his services to the state as a professor, sells his birthright as well. Does he? Then the same must be true of any person, hired in any capacity by the state. It is true that people of all parties help pay the taxes for the University, so they do for all state institutions, and all departments at Lansing. State officials make it their business to talk politics, everywhere and at all times, do they not?

The fact was developed last Saturday that people had money. When Sheriff Judson had the furniture and effects of the late Delta Tau Delta fraternity auctioned off there was no credit given, and the people who bought seemed to have plenty of money. This sale may be the beginning of a weeding out of some of these fraternity houses. The fraternity business has run riot for a time in the University, and the consequence has been that society after society has been formed whether they had any excuse for existence or not. As a consequence there has been some big scheming done and bad records made under the guise of fraternities, the members not only disgracing themselves but bringing discredit upon the decent and reputable fraternities. It is understood that a representative of the grand chapter of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity has been here, and ordered the charter taken away from the Ann Arbor chapter. Greek letter societies are all right to a certain extent, but like everything else can be injured by running to extremes.

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Out of sight!"
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Same old hammock;
Same old moon;
Different lovers;
Same old spoon.

An Anti-Saloon League is being organized in Ann Arbor.

Those wanting to know when and where republican speeches will be held, will find the list for the country on the 8th page.

The democrats, populists and silverites who met at Jackson yesterday to nominate a state senator, couldn't agree on a candidate, and adjourned to meet in this city Oct. 30.

The first frost that has injured anything, came Sunday morning. It only touched in spots, a little breeze that kept fanning the air preventing many things from being roasted.

George, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman C. Wadham, of N. Main st., fell out of a hickory tree last Saturday and injured both wrists badly, besides an injury to the side. People wondered why there was such a rush at Chas. Lutz's N. Main st. market last Saturday. An inquisitive reporter found out that Charlie had become the father of a 9 lb. boy the day before, and as it was the first boy in the Lutz family, he was so happy that he was supplying his friends and customers with free Sunday dinners, and of course every one was Charlie's personal friend.

Dr. Leander Kapp, of this city, was united in marriage with Miss Edith Doane, at the home of the bride's parents in St. Louis, Mich., on Wednesday of last week. Miss Ruth Kapp, of this city, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid. Many rich and beautiful presents were given to the couple, who left directly for New York where they will remain a couple of months while the Dr. takes a course of lectures.

"Why can't we get up an excursion to Canton?" is a question that is asked and asked over again, by patriotic citizens who are anxious to show their love of country and enthusiasm for honest money and correct principles by taking part in such an event. Now the question is, why can not an excursion be arranged from here?

Ann Arbor is known all over the country, and a big train load of excursionists from here, calling upon the next president of the United States, would help along a good cause. This is a good thing. Push it along.

The Ladies' Home Journal has issued a handsome pamphlet entitled "To Any College Without Cost." The first offer made is for young men and girls to the University of Michigan, and a fine cut of the main building is shown. A scholarship for one year to residents of the state, including all expenses, is given for 535 subscriptions; non-residents 620 subscriptions. The second offer is a scholarship for one year, including tuition only, for 115 subscribers for residents and 200 subscriptions for non-residents. A young lady from Lapeer canvassed this city some weeks ago and received many subscriptions, but she was after a musical scholarship in Boston. She had upwards of 500 now here and wanted 1,000.

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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ANNUAL TAX SALE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
COUNTY OF WASHENAW, 1.
The Circuit Court for the County of Washenaw in Chancery.

In the matter of the petition of Stanley W. Turner, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State of Michigan, for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed upon them.

On reading and filing the petition of the Auditor General of the State of Michigan as aforesaid, praying for a decree in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described for the amounts therein specified, to cause to be sold the same, and charges on each such parcel of land, and that such lands be sold for the amounts so claimed by the State of Michigan.

It is ordered that said petition will be brought on for hearing and decree at the regular sessions of the Circuit Court for the County of Washenaw, State of Michigan, on the fifth day of October, A. D., 1896, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that all persons interested in such lands or any part thereof, desiring to contest the claim made thereto, may appear and file their claim and interest and charges, or any part thereof, shall appear in said Court, and file with the clerk thereof, acting as register in chancery, their objections thereto, on or before the first day of the term of this Court above mentioned, and that default thereof the same will be deemed a confession of the same taken and entered as prayed for in said petition. And it is further ordered that in pursuance of said decree the lands described in said petition for which a decree of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and expenses of sale, and the amount due on the first Monday in December thereafter, beginning at ten o'clock a. m. on said day, or on the day or days subsequent thereto as may be necessary to complete the sale of said lands and of each and every parcel thereof, at the public auction house, or some other convenient place as shall be selected by the county seat of the County of Washenaw, State of Michigan; and that the sale then and there made will be a public sale and each parcel described in the decree shall be separately exposed for sale for the total taxes, interest and expenses of sale, and the amount due to the person offering to buy for any given tax and paying the full amount charged against said parcel, and accepting a conveyance of the smallest undivided fee simple interest therein; or if no person will buy for any sum of money offered, or if no bid be made therefor, and take a conveyance of less than the entire thereof, then the whole parcel shall be offered and sold. If any parcel of land cannot be sold for taxes, interest and charges, such parcel shall be passed over for the time being, and again offered for sale at the next sale, or at the close of the sale, be reoffered, and if, on such second offer, or during such sale, the same cannot be sold for the amount aforesaid, the County Treasurer shall bid off the same in the name of the State.

Witness the Hon. E. D. Kinne, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Washenaw County, this fourth day of August, A. D., 1896.

[Seal.] E. D. KINNE,
Circuit Judge.
Countersigned,
WM. DANISBURG,
Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

To the Circuit Court for the County of Washenaw in Chancery:

The petition of Stanley W. Turner, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State of Michigan, respectfully shows that the list of lands hereinafter set forth and marked "A" contains a description of lands in said County of Washenaw upon which taxes were assessed for the year mentioned therein, and which were returned as delinquent for non-payment of taxes, and which taxes have not been paid; together with the total amount of such taxes, with interest computed thereon, to be paid fixed for sale, and collection fee as provided by law, and the cost of advertising and other expenses of sale of each of said parcels of land.

Your petitioner further shows to the Court that said lands were returned to the Auditor General of the State of Michigan, Act 206 of the Public Acts of 1893, as delinquent for non-payment of said taxes for years respectively, and that said taxes remain unpaid.

Your petitioner further shows that the said taxes on said described lands have remained unpaid for more than one year prior to the first day of May, and that the same have not been paid, and the same being now due and remaining unpaid as above set forth, your petitioner prays a decree in favor of the State of Michigan against each parcel of said lands, for the payment of the several amounts of taxes, interest, collection fees, costs of advertising and other expenses of sale as computed and extended in said schedule against the several parcels of land contained therein, and in default of payment of the said several sums computed and extended against said lands, that each said parcel of land may be sold for the amount due thereon, as provided by law, to pay the lien aforesaid.

And your petitioner will ever pray, etc.

Dated August 1, 1896.

STANLEY W. TURNER,
Auditor General for the State of Michigan,
for and in behalf of said State of Michigan.

SCHEDULE A.

TAXES OF 1893.

CITY OF YPSILANTI.

Volkenning's Subdivision.

Section	Acres	Amount of Taxes	Interest	Collection Fee	Charges	Total
Lots 45 & 46		\$2 30	\$ 51	\$ 09	\$ 70	\$ 3 60

TAXES OF 1894.

Township 2 South, of Range 5 East.

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Township 3 South, of Range 5 East.

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Township 1 South, of Range 5 East.

se 1/4 of se 1/4 1 80 2 80 39 11 70 4 00

Township 1 South, of Range 6 East.

se 1/4 of sw 1/4 6 50 1 81 26 17 70 2 87

Township 2 South, of Range 6 East.

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Township 5 South, of Range 6 East.

w 1/4 of sec 13 80 18 24 2 55 73 70 22 22

Township 4 South, of Range 6 East.

n 1/4 of sec 13 27 50 41 88 5 88 1 68 70 50 12

Township 4, South of Range 7 East.

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w 1/4 of s 1/4 18 40 11 28 1 58 45 70 14 01

n 1/4 of w 1/4 25 40 45 48 6 37 1 82 70 54 37

n 1/4 of w 1/4 25 40 52 90 7 41 2 12 70 63 13

s 1/4 of w 1/4 25 80 8 64 1 21 85 70 10 90

n 1/4 of w 1/4 26 50 6 90 88 25 70 8 13

2nd Add

Gott's Second Addition.

Lots 11, 27,

29, 35, 41,

43, 44 of Gott's 2nd Add

Gott's Second Addition.

Lots 10, 11, 13, 14,

15, 16, 17, 18,

19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39,

Morse's Addition.

Lots 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39,

McClanahan's Addition.

Lots 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39,

Normal Park Addition.

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9,

10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39,

W. H. Lazear's Addition.

Mc-Cormick's Addition.

West 1/4 rods in width of lots 8 and 9,

West 1/4 of lot 50,

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West 1/4 of lot 110,

West 1/4 of lot 111,

West 1/4 of lot 112,



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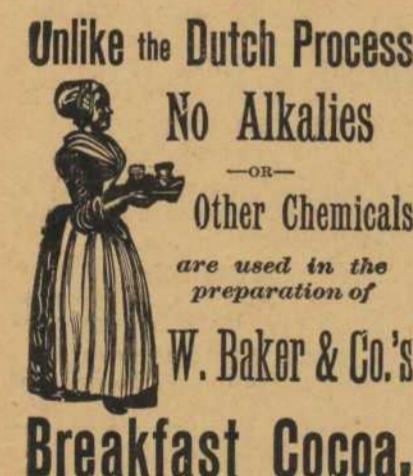
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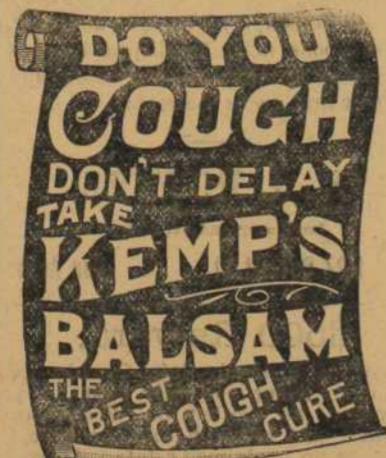
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Plain Questions for Plain Men.

What do men expect to gain by free coinage of silver at the 16 to 1 ratio? Not what do owners of silver mines and speculators in silver bullion expect to gain, but plain, ordinary, honest American citizens—farmers, shopkeepers, mechanics and the like—the people who make up the mass of the American Nation—what good would free coinage do them? Lay aside the wild ranting about the "Crime of 1873," of which Senator Stewart, now most blatant of all in denouncing it, was one of the chief perpetrators. Lay aside all talk about God having created silver and gold in the exact proportions of 16 to 1, which is scientifically untrue. Lay aside the blasphemous twaddle about crucifying humanity on a cross of gold. Lay aside all such flubdub, the stock-in-trade of Juvenile Declaimers and antiquated cranks. Come right down to the practical point, fellow-workmen and fellow-citizens, and answer, if you can, what good will free coinage do you?

Suppose that you belong to the small minority of men whose farms are mortgaged. Will it help you to pay that mortgage? Certainly not if Senator Stewart or any other silver leader holds the mortgage, for you may be sure there is a clause in it requiring payment in gold. But suppose some less rapacious money-lender holds it. He lent you gold or money equal to gold. Do you, as an honest man, want to return to him anything else? He paid you in 100-cent dollars. Do you want to repay him in 53-cent dollars? Or suppose that you belong to that other small minority of men who are in debt in other ways than on mortgages. Those debts were contracted honestly. You are bound to pay them honestly, in full. Do you really want to repudiate 47 per cent. of them? And can you look your fellow men in the face?

Perhaps you are a farmer with produce to sell. You think prices are now too low. You want them to be higher. Do you think you will gain that end by making the money you get for your produce less valuable? Will it help matters if, instead of 100-cent gold dollars, you get paid for your grain and hay and cattle in 53-cent silver dollars? Oh, but you say, prices will go up so that you will get more dollars for your crops than you do now. Perhaps. But prices—measured by the number of dollars—will have almost to double before you will be getting as much as you do now. Do you think they will double very quickly after Mr. Bryan's election? Even then, what better off will you be? Will you be any richer with one hundred dollars worth 53 cents each than with fifty-three worth 100 cents each? Ask your ten-year-old school boy to figure it out and see.

Or you are a mechanic, and want higher wages. That is a laudable desire. It would be pleasant to get four dollars a day instead of two dollars. But if the dollars are cut in two, so that the four will be worth no more than the two now are, so that you can buy no more with the four than you can with the two, what will it profit you? If your wages go up—in number of dollars paid—don't you suppose the rent of your house and the cost of your food clothes will go up too? Indeed, hasn't experience taught you that these latter go up more quickly and further than the former, and that wages are the hardest of all to get up, and go up least and last? Would it not be the height of folly to vote for a doubling of your expenses, with the mere hope, but no absolute certainty, that your income would also be doubled?

The chances are, however, that your farm is not mortgaged, for the majority of farms are not, and that you are not in debt, for the majority of men are not. Instead of belonging to the debtor minority, you belong to the creditor majority. What good will free coinage do you? Your life is insured—that is to say, a life insurance company owes you money. You have paid your premiums in 100-cent dollars. Do you want the policy paid to you or to your family in 53-cent dollars? You have a fire insurance on your house and furniture, or on your barns, or a cyclone insurance, if you live in the land of Bryan and Peffer. It covers the value of your property. In case of disaster, do you want that full value paid, or only about one-half of it? What will it profit you to pay for \$1,000 of insurance and them to receive only \$500?

There are other and higher considerations, of morals, and honor, and the National welfare. But let us look at the case from this lower and simpler point of view. Judged by the elemental standard of self-interest, what will it profit the average, everyday American citizen to degrade the currency and flood the land with half-price dollars?—N. Y. Tribune.

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CONGRESSMAN MORSE

Tells the Wonderful Curative Powers of Dr. Greene's Nervura.

Hon. Elijah A. Morse, Member of Congress from Mass., Used Dr. Greene's Nervura in His Family with Astonishing Benefit.



HON. ELIJAH A. MORSE, MEMBER OF CONGRESS FROM MASSACHUSETTS

Hon. Elijah A. Morse, of Canton, Mass., Member of Congress from Massachusetts, forwards his endorsement of the remarkable curative powers of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, together with a letter from his sister, Mrs. Albert F. Morse, who writes to the people concerning her wonderful cure by this grand restorer of health and strength.

Congressman Morse is a statesman of power and influence in Congress and his own state holds him in highest honor having elected him Representative in the Legislature, Member of the State Senate, and one of the Governor's Council. A business man of high order, he is known throughout the world as the manufacturer of the Rising Sun Stove Polish, which is sold in every nation of the earth.

Congressman Morse says:

"My brother's wife received great benefit from the use of Dr. Greene's Nervura. She has been a long time ill and other medicines failed. She is greatly improved by the use of Nervura. She had insomnia and nervousness and can now sleep well. There is no question that Dr. Greene's Nervura is a valuable remedy and it is a down right benefit to nervous affections."

Mr. Morse's sister, Mrs. Albert F. Morse, of Canton, Mass., says:

"I had been in feeble health for 23 years and had employed all the usual means for cure without much benefit. I have had many hemorrhages of the lungs with severe neuralgia and insomnia.

"My friends had used and knew of the good results from Dr. Greene's Nervura and recommended its use to me. I have now used three bottles and received help from the very first. I have now become so much benefited that I

The Wonderful Bryan.

"Who is this Mr. Bryan, pa?
That some folks call him great?"
He thinks," the father made reply,
"That he's a candidate."

"And does he look like other folks,
And does he drink and eat?"

"He does and acts are common, and
He walks upon the floor."

"He has no wings, then, has he, pa?
To cleave the ambient air?"

"He has no wings, my son but he
Has wheels beneath his hair."

"And can you bear them rumble, pa?
The wheels of which you speak?"

"They do not ramble much, my son,
They are the kind that squeak."

"And did you see and hear him, pa?
The wind from the west?"

"That I did hear him, pa, fancy, will attest."

"Then tell me of the silvery song
This warbler had to sing."

"He simply waved his arms and yawped,
But didn't say a thing."

The Adrian Press, taking its cue from the Detroit Tribune, has much to say about the laborers who have expressed themselves in favor of McKinley and honesty, as being forced to do so. How about the celebrated Tom Johnson's thousands of employees who went to see McKinley, and who believe in a stable currency and in protection? Did their democratic employees force them to go? Honorable and upright men like Editor Stearns ought to be above repeating such dishonorable falsehoods.

There will be a mass convention of the prohibition party, in the court house at Ann Arbor, at 2 p.m. Saturday, September 26, '96, for the nomination of candidates for the county officers, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

"A dollar that increases in value is not an honest dollar."—Wm. J. Bryan.

"Should a free coinage law be passed by congress, the value of the silver dollar would soon enhance to \$1.29, at which price it stood in 1873 when silver was demonetized."—Wm. J. Bryan, in his famous New York speech.

There are two opinions by the free silver populist candidate, take your choice.

Perhaps Mr. Bryan can tell why the price of silver in going up would stop at \$1.29. Why wouldn't it go higher?

Perhaps Mr. Bryan can tell how a dollar worth intrinsically more than gold, can help the dishonest man who wants to pay an honest debt with a dishonest dollar?

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Good News for the Sick.

It will undoubtedly be a great source of pleasure to the people of Washtenaw County, to know that Dr. Goldberg, chief consulting physician of

DRS. HOYT, GODY and CO.,
Medical Institute of Detroit,
has decided to spend two days at the Hawkins House, Ypsilanti, Mich.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, SEPT. 18 AND 19

to give the people in this vicinity an opportunity to consult them free of charge. The cures they have affected in Detroit places them amongst the foremost physicians of this country, and the sufferers of this place should certainly congratulate them very heartily. The greatest solicitude of their many patients who found it necessary to go to Detroit once or twice a week to consult them, have decided to spend two days at the Hawkins House, Ypsilanti, Mich., Friday and Saturday, Sept. 18 and 19 '96.

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all chronic blood, skin and private diseases, female weakness, catarrhal deafness, and all diseases of the rectum are positively cured by their new method, without use of the knife or dentition from business.

SUFFERERS SHOULD AVAIL THEMSELVES of this opportunity by consulting these eminent physicians for two days at the Hawkins House, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 18 and 19, and receive their honest opinion free of charge.

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DOWN THE BLUE DANUBE

In an open Boat—Seventh Letter of this interesting Voyage.

Hungarian-Romanian Frontier,
Aug. 9, 1896.

My last letter took you with us as far as Vienna. Now that city is a very interesting place, but we were delighted to find ourselves the principal attraction. We left our boat in the boat-house of the Vienna Boat Club, and walked up into the city proper. It was a long walk, but every step brought something new and strange. Stylish young men with hats adorned with squirrel tails fastened behind, a tall peasant woman with blue calico skirt, gay kerchief on head and a gayer sacque, and whose legs were bare to the knees, another with a huge basket of lemons balanced carelessly on her head, post office officials with black coat, yellow velvet collar and green breeches; yes, even a gang of women breaking stones by the road side; every one stopped their respective functions and stared at us, the newly arrived.

Of course we went first to the Graben, the most famous of Vienna's streets. There neither the Stock in Eisen or old stump of larch filled with nails by the superstitious, nor the gray shops with their matchless windows, nor the Trinity column, which looks like a lofty snow image in process of melting, nor even the Noah's ark baby carriages were so wondrous to look upon as the two American tourists. At the cathedral, the solemn, majestic columns, the beautiful windows shaded to solid colors at the top, and the pervading sanctity, could not subdue the smile with which even the worshipers on their knees greeted our appearance. On the Ringstrasse, the magnificent circular boulevard, which encloses the old city, we eliminated all the marvels, from the superb buildings, such as the House of Parliament, the Hofburg Theater, Palace of Justice, and the University. We went to the gay parks, where all the life and mirth of the city seemed to be gathered. The boisterous children became hushed and communed among themselves, who these strange creatures were. Boys in prison-striped, sleeveless sweaters and legs bare from knee to shoe-top, girls with low-necked, sleeveless dresses and chubby legs showing above their half-hose, and mischievous nurse girls tittered and giggled as we passed. We both wear golf caps and sweaters and in this land are unusually tall and only so far, are we monstrosities.

C. H. VAN TYNE.

The Ann Arbor Press Club—

An enthusiastic meeting of the Ann Arbor Press Club was held Monday evening at the office of the Inland Press. The attendance was large, and the expression on all sides was in favor of united action by the press of the city in regard to several important matters.

The first business of the meeting was the election of officers. This was by ballot and resulted as follows:

President—Geo. H. Pond.

Secretary—Tom. W. Mingay.

Treasurer—Junius E. Beal.

Executive Committee—S. A. Moran, W. B. Phillips, Louis J. Liesemer.

The former treasurer reported that there was on hand to the credit of the Club, the sum of \$35. which he was directed to turn over to the new treasurer—which will be an easy thing for him to do, as the new and the old are the same.

Considerable discussion relative to the interests of the local press was indulged in, and a spirit of cohesion shown that augurs well for the future of the club.

The executive committee was empowered to formulate a constitution and by-laws that should cover the proposed objects of the organization and report the same at as early a date as possible.

The Club then adjourned upon the call of the president.

O. E. S. Officers—

The installation of Ann Arbor chapter No. 122 of the order of the Eastern Star occurred last Wednesday evening, at Masonic Temple P. W. M. Mrs. Mabel K. Pond acting as installing officer. The following were the officers installed:

W. M.—Mrs. Kate W. Doty; W. P.—C. B. Davison; A. M.—Mrs. L. Mae Nichols; Sec.—Mrs. C. E. Fitzgerald; Treas.—Mrs. Mary J. Mingay; Conductor—Mrs. Matilda Granger; Associate-Conductor—Mrs. Eva Goodrich; Chaplain—Mrs. Carrie Martin; Adah—Miss Susie Dorrance; Ruth—Mrs. Dora Vandawarker; Esther—Mrs. Etta Turner; Martha—Mrs. Adola Howlett; Electa—Miss Grace Rhead; Warde—Mrs. Hattie Showerman; Sentinel—Capt. Thos. Taylor; Organist—Dr. W. H. Dorrance.

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soldiers were towing up stream a fleet of small, black boats resembling coffins. A storm was brewing and we went into port at Pressburg. Our first impressions were that the denizens were a little dirtier and carried larger bundles than our previous Danube acquaintance. The signs were totally strange. Letters all looked intoxicated and spelled impossible names with drunken ingenuity. The Hungarian shopkeepers have a pleasant custom of painting on their signs intolerable pictures of what they have for sale. Hunger has given us great skill in divining what these grotesque caricatures suggest. When Buzsaki Mihai has some incredible eggs and harrowing cheese depicted over his door, our sharpened wits and eyes blind to art can detect the symptoms at once. But, we saw an electric car! Then it rained torrents. We retreated into a small bakery and were much amused at the fright and superstition of the inmates when the thunder cannonaded the town.

I began to fear that our boat would be swamped, so ventured forth bare-footed to investigate. The boat survived the ordeal and as the rain ceased, we departed. Soon there was nothing but an occasional string of floating mills to vary the monotony. Large as the main stream was, yet on either side, great branch rivers cut the low land into islands, and then returned to the parent stream. A wall of stone lines and controls the main floor of the river. Upon this wall a girl was driving a flock of geese at one spot, while at others lonely fishermen fished with nets like a huge ladle in form. Fishing nets were hung up to dry on tiresome willows, which shut out the only view we might have had. A church spire appeared now and then above the leafy fringe.

For half a day we did not know where we were. Our excellent map was hopeless amid such monotony. The only excitement was watching for boats and whirling waters, and trying to spell the marvelous names of the mill owners. They anchor their arks in mid stream, and the unvarying splash of the paddles of the great wheels delights the very soul of monotony.

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Summer Resorts—

The summer resorts are closing and the resorters are coming home, to compare notes, to praise their favorite places, and to register their determination of going again next year. The people of this vicinity would go most naturally to lake points on this side of the state, but curiously enough nearly all the prominent resorts are on Lake Michigan, with the exception of the Flats in Detroit river.

The boomers of Bay View, Harbor Point, Old Mission, Macatawa Park, St. Joseph and other west Michigan beaches claim that they are cooler because the prevailing winds are from the west, hence off the water, while on our eastern shore the usual winds from the west are from hot, dry land. Experience does not show this to be true, for where there is a large body of water, in the summer time the breezes blow from water to land in the mornings and in the opposite direction afternoons, because of the differences in temperature.

It is singular, with the fine beaches that pervade Michigan's shore from Port Huron to Mackinaw City, there are so few resorts. Perhaps one reason for this is unsupplied want in the scarcity of harbors. In fact from the head of the St. Clair river or Saginaw Bay there are only two—the artificial one at Sand Beach and the natural one at Alpena. In those harbors boats may be safe in any storm. There will eventually be good resorts, where there can be boating, bathing, safety for children and accommodations for visitors.

Alpena has been reaching out for a reputation as a resort city, and it may be said to have many of the desirable features for popularity.

While there last week the editor of the Courier was taken by several friends out eight miles from Alpena to the lake shore, where a beautiful sandy beach curved into a pretty bay, offered invitation to people to come, rest and enjoy themselves. A company has secured this, cleared it up, christened it Huron Beach and propose making it inviting for summer pleasure seekers. A pavilion with a great fireplace, cooking range wide porches, easy chairs, piano, etc., has been erected to form a nucleus for cottages, some of which have already been built.

The beach of fine white sand slopes so gradually outwards the great deep that it is safe for wading far out, and on the broad hard beach is a play ground for children, of which they never tire.

All the lake vessels bound up or down come in review past the pavilion, being usually from five to a dozen to be seen at any time. To watch them is fascinating, especially at night as they pass with their brilliant lights of various colors.

Fish abound in these waters, while game fly or run through the surrounding woods. Bear, deer, partridges, ducks, rabbits, give you a choice of dishes unusual at home.

The owners of Huron Beach have men constantly employed in improving the highways, the beach, the woods, and before long will have a strong rival to the west Michigan resorts.

The project has been started by Mr. J. C. Comfort, cashier of the Alpena National Bank, and it has behind it other solid people of that city.

There must soon be built up some good lake resorts in north eastern Michigan, and Huron Beach promises to be one of them.

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Ann Arbor's Night School—

What has been of great importance to many young men whose time is so employed that they are not able to attend a day school, but who have in them a desire to obtain knowledge, and to provide themselves with a good practical business education, has been the Night School, conducted by that excellent organization the Ann Arbor Y. M. C. A.

Last year the school was far more successful than the year previous, and this year the committee having it in charge have made extraordinary efforts to present a faculty and course of study that will be enticing to any young man who has any desire to place himself on the road to success. In these times the better the education a young man has, the greater are his chances for success, not only in business but in every walk of life, and there is hardly a boy at work in any line of employment or trade that is not ambitious to build himself up by the exercise of his brain. All recognize the fact that a period has been reached when the head must be used to save the hands, and that brain work is rapidly making lighter the heretofore more laborious tasks of the hands.

The courses offered and the teachers of each are as follows:

Business Arithmetic, Prof. F. M. Hamilton.

Book-Keeping and Business correspondence, Prof. D. W. Springer.

Pennmanship, Edward L. Seyler.

Civil Government, School Commissioner W. W. Wedemeyer.

Practical Business Law, O. E. Butterfield.

Conversational German, Prof. J. A. C. Hildner.

English Composition and Spelling, Burton B. Johnson.

Mechanical Drawing, Prof. H. J. Goulding.

The opening night will be on Tuesday, Oct. 6th, and it is proposed to have the entire work of the year outlined at that time, and made clear to those who think of taking any of the courses. Those interested should not fail to be present at that time.

The faculty this year is the very best that Ann Arbor contains. Prof. F. M. Hamilton, who has for many years been superintendent of schools at Bucyrus, Ohio, is a teacher who has the peculiar and rare faculty of imparting his great store of knowledge to others in a clear, simple way that not only instructs, but at the same time interests and attracts the student. The board feel themselves exceedingly fortunate in securing his services.

Among the other new instructors are School Commissioner Wedemeyer, who has made a special study of the topic of civil government, and is an expert therein; and O. E. Butterfield who is a successful young practitioner, will make the class in practical business law a very successful one.

Of the older teachers, Prof. Springer is one of the most conscientious and hard workers in the country. Mr. E. D. Seyler, Prof. J. A. C. Hildner and Prof. H. J. Goulding, are all experts in their particular topics and great favorites with former students, among whom the utmost gratification is expressed that they have consented to remain as instructors.

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Death of Gov. Ashley—

Hon. James M. Ashley died at the Alma, Mich., sanitarium Wednesday morning last, Sept. 16th, at 7:30 o'clock, of heart failure, superinduced by la grippe. He had been very feeble since a severe illness last winter, and his death, though sudden at the last, was not altogether unexpected.

James M. Ashley was born in Pennsylvania, November 14, 1824. His father was a minister and his mother a woman of culture and refinement. He received a common school education, and at the age of 15 started out to make his own fortune, following the avocations of cabin boy and steward on western steamers, later editing a paper in Portsmouth, and finally studying for the bar, being admitted in 1849.

In 1851 he removed to Toledo and engaged in the drug business until 1856, when he entered politics, being a delegate to the republican national convention that nominated John C. Fremont for the presidency. In 1858 he was elected to congress and took a leading part in the stirring debates of 1859-60. He served in congress until 1869, when he was again nominated and defeated.

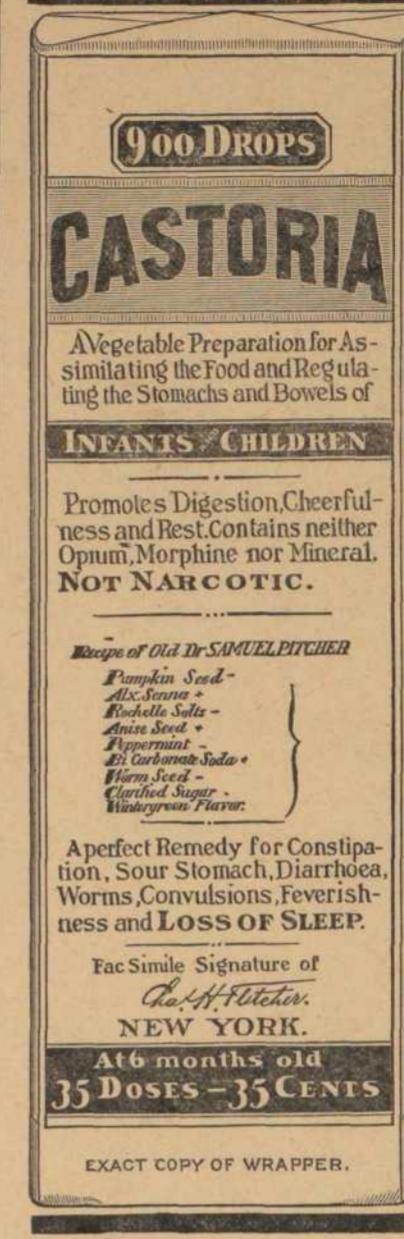
Returning to Toledo, he was engaged as lawyer for large railroad corporations and was very successful, finally becoming president of the Ann Arbor railroad.

In 1892 he was again a candidate for congress on the republican ticket, but was defeated by Byron F. Ritchie by a margin of 14 votes. He was married in 1851 to Miss Emma J. Smith, of Kentucky, who, with four children, three sons and one daughter, survive him. The remains were taken to Toledo Thursday, and the funeral held Sunday.

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Republican Meeting—

The following meetings have been arranged for the republican county committee:

Friday, Sept. 25.

Hon. John F. Lawrence, at Foster's Station. Hon. Andrew J. Sawyer and Col. Henry S. Denby at Sylvan Centre. O. E. Butterfield and James H. Mays, at Chase School House, Syran. Prof. E. F. Johnson and Frank E. Jones, at Town Line School House, York.

Saturday, Sept. 26.

Hon. H. Wirt Newkirk, at Whittaker Station, Augusta. Frank E. Jones and George S. Rawson, at Bridgewater Town Hall. A. J. Sawyer and Col. H. S. Dean, at Delhi Mills.

H. W. Newkirk, at Superior Town Hall.

Tuesday, Sept. 29.

Hon. Edward Leow, of Wisconsin, a noted German orator, will talk in German, and A. J. Sawyer and J. F. Lawrence in English, at Freedom Town Hall.

J. H. Mays and O. E. Butterfield, at Lodi Town Hall.

H. W. Newkirk, at Superior Town Hall.

Wednesday, Sept. 30.

A. J. Sawyer and J. F. Lawrence at North Lake, Grange Hall. J. H. Mays and O. E. Butterfield, at Manchester.

Thursday, Oct. 1.

H. W. Newkirk and Frank E. Jones at Westphal's School House, Bridgewater.

O. E. Butterfield and J. H. Mays, at Pittsfield Town Hall.

J. F. Lawrence and A. J. Sawyer at Webster Town Hall.

Friday, Oct. 2.

A. J. Sawyer and J. F. Lawrence at Emery, J. H. Mays and O. E. Butterfield, at Sharon Town Hall.

Saturday, Oct. 3.

A. J. Sawyer and Col. H. S. Dean at Salem Station.

Monday, Oct. 4.

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