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Abstracts of Titles on Real Estate. I HAVE a complete copy of the official records of Washington County to date, including all Tax Titles.

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THE STATE.

DEATH OF DR. CROSWELL.

A Sketch of His Eventful Life as a Lawyer, Legislator and Governor. Ex-Gov. Croswell died at his home in Adrian on the morning of the 13th, after an illness of 10 days.

John Demo of West Bay City, weighed 85 pounds a year ago, the result of an acute attack of pneumonia. He failed to improve, and an incision was made in his back, a drainage tube inserted, since which time he has been rapidly recovering.

Warren C. Dunkle of Mattison, Branch county, was beaten over the circuit court for stabbing his brother and father-in-law. Michigan has 18 colleges, academies and seminaries.

Campbell on the Celebration. Hon. James V. Campbell, who is a member of the commission to arrange for the coming centennial anniversary of the date of the adoption of the constitution of the United States.

Against Bohemian Out. An important suit has just been terminated in the Lenawee court. It was brought by Lyman W. Spaulding against George and several others, constituting the Bohemian Out association.

How a Tawag Tough was Murdered. Two or three weeks ago Lenawee county officers began a still hunt for something, but just what was not found out until Sheriff Lanktree arrived and arrested at An Sable King.

Judge Cooley Honored. Judge T. M. Cooley has been appointed receiver of the Wabash railroad.

STATE NEWS CONDENSED. Edward W. Kelley of Hillsdale, traveling agent for the Empire fast freight line, with headquarters at Toledo, dropped dead in the streets of Painesville, O.

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THE NATION.

A man named Ganders was arrested in Kansas City, Mo., the other day, charged with the murder of a clergyman.

The Calumet hotel in Pipestone, Minn., was destroyed by fire the other morning and two persons lost their lives.

An order from Master Workman Powderly has been received by the knights of labor in Baltimore, demanding the withdrawal of all delegates from the national convention.

A temporary injunction has been granted restraining the Grand and White Star steamship companies from carrying the American mails.

The first day of the present week the house accomplished but little. A number of new bills were introduced.

The second week of the present session of congress witnessed more work accomplished than was expected.

The event of the week in the house was the effort made by the friends of the tariff bill on Saturday to have the house go into committee of the whole for the consideration of the measure.

Mr. Grover Cleveland made his first appearance at a charity entertainment at an E. P. Fairbank Union party last week for the benefit of the Sheffield memorial hospital.

The program for the president's New Year's reception has been issued. The usual hour for the reception is 8 o'clock.

The development of any coercive measures has been checked by a strong division in the British cabinet.

When you visit or leave New York City, save baggage express and \$3 carriage hire, and see that you have a ticket for the Grand Union Hotel.

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STEAMBOAT HORROR.

A Fatal Steam Boat Burned and Many Lives Lost. The steambent J. M. White, from Vicksburg, Miss., to New Orleans, La., was burned at 10 o'clock the other night at Baton Rouge.

New bills were introduced in the senate, and an ineffectual attempt was made to consider several measures.

It is authoritatively stated that the government will institute proceedings in Boston to test the validity of the Bell telephone company.

The United States supreme court has granted a motion to advance the important bank tax case of the Mercantile bank of New York.

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'Tile, the Greatest Labor-Saving Machine of the Age.' The Editor of The Chicago Tribune. DIVERS, Ill., March 16.—One of the strongest and most convincing facts that I have yet seen with regard to tile drainage is brought out in the December report of the Agricultural Department of Illinois.

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THE DEMOCRAT would make a handsome Christmas or New Year's present...

THE DOW LAW has been decided constitutional by the supreme court of Ohio...

THE MURDER RECORD continues to increase in Michigan, and it is to be hoped that the legislature which is soon to meet will take some action looking to capital punishment.

THE EVENING JOURNAL appeared Saturday as a sixteen-page paper, and was a credit to Detroit journalism.

SOON the wise sons of Michigan will meet at Lansing, and it is safe to say that they will fully sustain the reputation of former legislatures by remaining in session the greater part of the year.

THE GENERAL VERDICT of the country will be that McQuade, the New York boodle alderman, has only received his just deserts.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS is suffering from a water famine. All the streams are very low, some of them in fact, being entirely dried up.

SINCE McMillan, the Detroit millionaire, gave notice that he was not a candidate for United States senator...

NOW that congress has successfully legalized oleomargarine and made tallow butter a pleasing industry...

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Alonso O. Bliss was acquitted in the circuit court yesterday.

Messrs. Richmond & Treadwell have purchased the Keck stock of furniture.

Col. Geo. P. Sanford has postponed starting his proposed newspaper in Lansing.

Kooh & Haller advertise furniture at cost and less than cost for the next 30 days.

B. F. and W. W. Watts have moved into their new residence on South Fourth street.

Sunday schools, just before Christmas, are crowded—old Santa Claus expected, you know.

During the last four years 450 students have been admitted to the bar of Washtenaw county.

Harrison Bassett of Saline, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Moses L. Eaton.

With good sleighing wood comes down. The price Monday was from \$2.50 to \$3 per load, for oak and maple.

The Prohibition club has elected delegates to the National, Inter-collegiate Prohibition Convention to be held at Cleveland, O., Jan. 4th, '87.

The bill which passed congress yesterday authorizing the establishment of the free delivery service in towns which have a population of 10,000, or in which the gross revenue of the office is \$10,000 or more...

When President Cleveland was about to remove from Albany to the White House he asked his sister, Mrs. Hoyt, to go with him and take charge of his house.

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Buy your Beer at the Central Bottling Works, corner Detroit and Catherine-st.

All Goods warranted to give fair wear and satisfaction, at Doty & Finer's Boot and Shoe House.

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Easy payments. The place is well watered and has good buildings. For full particulars inquire of Mrs. Ralph Whiting, Ann Arbor, Mich.

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JOTTINGS. Christmas to-morrow. Dexter village has two brass bands. F. B. Whittaker has located at Mendota, Ill.

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THE YULE LOG.

By H. SAVILE CLARKE.

A Christmas in the olden time,
That makes demand on modern rhyme,
To bring back from the past the play,
The merriment, the merriment, and the merriment...

A CHRISTMAS LEGEND.

By JOSEPH HATTON.

It was Christmas eve, in the olden days,
The wind was sighing round the
High house on the northeast coast of England...

Time had been when the wind would
Only have heightened the genial glow
Of the Manby hearth, and given a keener relish to the Beverlie festivities...

The four persons sat round the fire
In the great dining-room of Manby Hall
On this long past Christmas eve
Of our story, sat in the uncertain light...

In one of the old-fashioned wooden
chairs made for two persons sat the
master of the house and a fair-haired
girl of some sixteen summers.

The master, Hugh Beverlie, was a tall,
well-built gentleman, with strong lines
of care furrowing a dark, handsome
face. There were white streaks in his
beard, too, denoting age and trouble...

On the other side of the ingle-nook
stood Tom Beverlie, a fine, manly
fellow of two-and-twenty, the heir
of the beggared estate of Manby, the
pride and glory of Luke Briggs, the
shock-headed retainer of the Beverlies...

The early morning found Tom
Beverlie far on his way towards
Bristol, whence his ship was to sail.
The Christmas bells of the olden days
rang out in the gay city; but there was
no sign of festivity at Manby Hall.

Already he had turned the proud
high Beverlie into a wreck. His next
malicious plan was to carry off
Julia. He little thought how much
nearer at hand was a still more terrible
opportunity of vengeance.

That would do Luke; the business
is quite settled. Tom has made up his
mind and there's an end to it. And
now Tom, as my only son and heir to
this miserable property, thou hast a
right to know how I have wasted thy
patrimony."

until I was all but a beggar. Luke
found it out and told thee, and thou
hast gathered up the remainder of our
property to furnish thee forth on a
merchant venture's mission. Go, my
lad, thou art brave and strong, and thy
fortune will smile on thee. Thou hast
letters to men of power who will help
thee, and Manby Hall shall yet again
keep open house at Christmas."

Julia, whose blue eyes had filled with
tears, bent her head upon the master's
hands; Luke Briggs heaved a deprecating
sigh; short flakes of snow fell
down the wide chimney and hissed
amongst the wooden logs; the wind
moaned by the darkened windows;
nothing seemed to give happy omen to
Mr. Beverlie's wishes. Even Tom
Beverlie looked vacantly at his father;
but the master called for the wassail
bowl, which Luke had been mixing
and filling from a silver cup, he
wished his son prosperous winds and a
speedy return.

Tom respectfully flanked his own
tankard against his father's and offered
it to Julia, who touched it with trem-
bling lips.

"Lord knows I drink to his good
luck! but tell 'e the omen is again
this voyage. I'd have him wait a
while, but sin he m' go, why, God
speed the good ship Manby wi' all my
heart!"

"Have me wait, Luke! Why, I
chide my manliness to think I have
married her so long; but I knew not,
my honored father, how poor we were,
how much it booted me to go forth
and win us fortune; it shall not be
long in coming; fear not, Luke, you
omen shall prove good ones. The
grand old times shall come back to
Manby Hall; I give you to our better
fortunes."

"Nobly said," the father cried, and
clasped the lusty hand of his son;
the girl crept close to the side of
the old man and in another moment
a peal of thunder rolled along the coast,
the clouds grew black, and the
soughing of that wind became loud and shrill.

"Don't be frightened, my mistress,
I'll take care on thee. Luke's no lunatic,
daring, and Luke loves you for the
sake of the dear lad who will come
back and claim thee for his own. Thou
dostn't think he will; but he shall, my

"I hate that red glare of the sun,"
said Luke. "Red is always a bad sign
for the Beverlies."

"But it is quite a natural color, Luke,
and nothing can be more beautiful than
a sunset like this."

"I humbly beg your worships pardon,
I did not see."

"Out of my sight!" exclaimed the
angry magistrate. "And catch me
these sea robbers, or thy ears shall pay
the penalty. Luke Briggs, do thou see
that all be kept quiet till dusk; let
these robbers land, an' they will; boat
to boat we could take them, methinks;
hand to hand on the rocks we cannot
fall. See to it, I will be with thee."

"Far into the night the old man
watched with his trembling com-
panion. Before dawn the terrible
tragedy was crashing upon shore. Present
voices were heard close by the
cavern."

"Hide thee, my mistress, close,
close," said Luke; "in, in, and bide till
I come back. Thou'll be safe. If I be
not demented out and out, I heard a
voice I've heard in happier times.
Voice, wench, close."

"What art thou he who is to restore
the fortunes of Manby?"

"I am his son," gasped one, and Luke
could discern dusky figures in the faint
gleam of dawn.

"Five years ago thy father dealt me a
blow which nothing less than this
happy hour can avenge. Thy father
is a villain, a wrecker, cut, lusted!"

"The ship-wrecker man written in
the pirates fierce and deadly clutch.
He has helped to lure thy ship
ashore, and he shall have the pleasure
of burying thy body on his own estate."

"The small boy who plays circus with
his dog, and the old woman who
sells the St. Jacob's Oil bottle is not empty."

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Undiscriminating applause.
Let a woman whose sole "gift" lies
in a voice of unusual compass force
the G or F of the lower octave until it
becomes more like the groaning of an
invald than a musical tone, or let her
speak out the F in the third ledger
line until it sounds as beautifully as the
cry of a pet lap-dog on whose toes
someone has stepped, and it will suffice
to fill the hall with enthusiastic
plaudits. Another songstress, who
may be able to sing the simplest melody
without giving one the cramps, and
whose warmth approaches the tempera-
ture of a Canadian ice-berg, will perhaps
display a flexibility of voice to rival
that of an instrument. As soon, then,
as she sets up her scales and rocks
as soon as she pierces one's tympanum
with her infernal trills, with awful per-
sistency and without taking breath, we
may rest assured that the parrot will
spring up from its seat and howl in
ecstasy. And still another singer may
have taken it into his head that "de-
clamatory expression" or "emphasis,"
let it be correct or false, but at all
events, the strikingly exaggerated, con-
stitutes the "all" of dramatic music;
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After the clerk had pulled down every-
thing in the store, without satisfying his
customer, a woman, she asked him if
there was anything else he had not shown
her. "Yes, ma'am," he said, "the only thing
if you wish it I will have that brought up
and shown to you." - Lowell Citizen.

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