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"TAPPAN HALL."

AN IMPORTANT EDUCATIONAL PROJECT.

The First Steps towards the Establishment of a Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Ann Arbor. The First Gift, \$12,000.

The question of establishing a denominational theological school in this city, that might, besides its own peculiar advantages, be enabled to enjoy those of next to the largest university in the land, has been discussed both *pro* and *con*, and sometimes with a good deal of earnestness in Presbyterian circles, for many years. President Tappan in his day suggested the advisability of such a course, and many of the most prominent adherents of this branch of the Christian church from that day to this have expressed the same opinion. The desires of those good people seem now about to be fulfilled; and it seems certain that this semi-centennial year of the University will see added to its already numerous and grand advantages, another that will tend to educate the youth of this country, not only into increased mental and moral culture, but also into a higher and spiritual wisdom founded on the teachings of Christ and the Bible, as propounded by teachers of the Presbyterian denomination. There is no theological training school of that denomination nearer than Cincinnati, and there is no better spot in all Michigan for such a school than in Ann Arbor. There is no place in the West where better influences prevail, and where a theological school could be conducted with so little expense.

REALIZING THESE FACTS,

A few persons, members of the Presbyterian church of this city gathered at the residence of Dr. W. J. Herdman, on Monday evening, January 31st, and quietly discussed the matter, and then resolved to inaugurate an association that it is to be hoped will continue for centuries, and be productive of great good to many generations yet unborn. A concise statement of the work proposed to be undertaken was given by Prof. Payne as follows:

I. Our ultimate purpose is three-fold: 1.—To draw University students into the ministry of the Presbyterian church, and to provide wholly or in part, for their theological training; 2.—To confirm the faith of students coming from Presbyterian families; 3.—To take an active part in the religious conversion of unbelieving students.

II. As means toward the accomplishment of these ends, we propose: 1.—To secure an eligible site for a building to be known as TAPPAN HALL; 2.—To secure funds for the endowment of theological chairs, lectureships, and a library, in said TAPPAN HALL.

III. Our immediate purpose is to form a legal corporation to be known as the TAPPAN HALL ASSOCIATION, providing for a board of trustees of seven members, four of whom shall be appointed by the session of the First Presbyterian Church of Ann Arbor, and three by the Synod of Michigan, and also determining the conditions of membership in said society.

One incentive to this movement at this time was the desire of Mrs. Edward Sackett, a very worthy and benevolent lady of the church, to make a gift to such a cause, provided it was started here. Since the meeting of January 31st, Mrs. Sackett has decided to the trustees of the Presbyterian church the vacant lot on State street next to the Methodist church, and also inserted a clause in her will, giving at her death her large brick residence and the lot on which it is situated on the corner of State and Huron streets, to the same trustees, to be handed over to the trustees of the new Association as soon as it is completely organized. Mrs. Sackett gave \$12,000 for this property, and in the estimation of good judges of its value it has not depreciated at all in value since she has owned it. This

FIRST GENEROUS GIFT

is very encouraging to its projectors, and is a worthy "prelude" for similar gifts on the part of some of the wealthy and benevolent members of this denomination in Michigan.

A committee consisting of Professors W. H. Payne, Byron W. Cheever and ex-Gov. Felch was appointed to draw up articles of incorporation which were submitted and adopted at an adjourned meeting of the Association held on Monday evening of this week. The provisions of these articles, which will soon be signed and deposited with the Secretary of State at Lansing, cover the plans stated above.

The projectors hope to raise \$50,000, of which probably \$15,000 would be used in erecting a suitable building to be known as "Tappan Hall" in honor of the revered ex-President, Henry L. Tappan, and the remaining fund would be used in endowing professorships, and providing for courses of lectures, a denominational library, etc. Further particulars of this enterprise, which will be surprising to many who may have thought the church was worthy of the charge of apathy on this subject, will be given from time to time.

At a meeting of the Washtenaw agricultural society held last Thursday, provisions were made for paying up the interest now due on the mortgage, and the outstanding bills. It was also voted to hold a spring fair, commencing Tuesday, May 31, and continuing three days. The officers of the society will hold another meeting in the court house, Thursday, March 11, 1887.

\$25,000 BLAZE AT CHELSEA.

Chelsea Sustains a Severe Loss by Fire Tuesday Night.

Word was received here early Wednesday morning that Chelsea had been visited the night before by fire, and a large portion of the village was now in ashes. The fire originated about 10:30 Tuesday evening, in the basement of J. Bacon & Co.'s hardware store, where about 100 pounds of gun powder was stored, which exploded, blowing the inside of the building out, breaking glass in houses 200 yards away. The fire spread very rapidly and soon the stores belonging to J. R. Gates, Mrs. B. J. Billings, Thomas Wilkins and S. G. Ives were reduced to ashes.

The losses and insurance, as near as can be ascertained were as follows: On buildings—J. R. Gates, \$2,500, insurance, \$1,500; Mrs. B. J. Billings, \$2,500, no insurance; Thomas Wilkins, \$2,500, no insurance; S. G. Ives, \$1,500, insurance, \$800. Occupants of buildings—E. G. Hoag & Co.'s bazaar, \$4,000, insurance, \$3,000; Mrs. F. M. Hooker, milliner, \$1,000, no insurance; J. Bacon & Co., hardware, \$10,000, insurance, \$6,000; S. Drury, meat market, \$1,000, insurance, \$800; J. Vanhusen, \$400, insurance, \$200.

The Chelsea Herald building and the post office adjoining were saved. The Jackson fire department answered promptly to the call for aid and rendered valuable assistance.

Wants the Good Work to Begin.

Mr. Editor: Why should not the friends of submitting the prohibition amendment organize at once? Begin early, make all efforts non-partisan. Temperance men of all parties will work for this. Judge Morse, of the supreme court, a leading democrat, W. D. Fuller, ex-chairman of the greenback state committee, and Hon. E. P. Allen republican congressman-elect, from this district, have promised to work hard for this measure. Kalamazoo pastors moved immediately. They held a meeting—decided to work shoulder to shoulder—and some strong resolutions indorsing the movement have been signed by all the clergy, including the Catholic, and upwards of 100 leading citizens called a mass meeting to organize to stamp out the saloon influence. Why not repeat this in Ann Arbor? Ann Arbor has everything to gain and nothing to lose. Let our citizens arouse. Let all work to make this movement a success. Our University would grow wonderfully could we banish the saloons from Ann Arbor. This would be the strongest point to put into the booming pamphlet, which the Business Men's Association is getting out. Let them publish the fact that there will be no saloons in Ann Arbor to contaminate the youth sent here, and the growth of the University and of the town would be magically increased. Stir the public upon this point, Mr. Editor.

Yours for progress,

CITIZEN.

ANN ARBOR, FEB. 9, 1887.

Coming Events.

The Sabbath school of Geddes, will hold a social at the residence of M. Raish, Friday evening.

A lecture and concert will be given in the First Baptist church, Friday evening, for the benefit of Arthur O. Chandler, who is studying for the ministry. Mr. Chandler will speak on the subject, "Elements of true manhood." The colored quartet will furnish music. Admission ten cents.

Next Monday evening the Unity club programme will be decidedly novel and very interesting. Thirteen national and characteristic cradle songs will be sung by members of the Amphion club and other singers, in appropriate costumes, with fitting scenic setting, and in native dialects. They will range in variety from the droll Japanese to the tender and beautiful Italian baby-song. Such a concert gives an opportunity not only of hearing the natural lullabies of many people, but also of seeing how these foreign mothers look and act. Much trouble has been taken to make it as realistic as possible and there is no reason why it ought not to attract a large audience.

Frederic Bryton in his play, "Forgiveness," or, as it is better known, "Jack o' Diamonds," drew an appreciative audience at White's last night. The play is one of sterling merit without brilliancy, and deals effectively with the old story of a wife's faithfulness, a designing villain and a husband's jealousy and subsequent atonement. The role of a reformed gambler is well taken by Mr. Bryton, whose acting shows strength as well as delicacy. The frontierisms of Denver Dan (Harry Harwood) are exceptionally good and without the coarseness usually introduced in such character roles. Miss Blanche Thorne, as Jack's wife, sustains a capable role with grace. The play introduces some excellent scenery.—Detroit Evening News.

Several weeks ago Rev. Mr. Sunderland distributed widely among the students and others of his congregation a blank, which those receiving the same were requested to fill out and return to him, giving their judgment as to the 40 most eminent Americans, to wit: the 5 greatest poets, the 5 greatest historians, the 5 greatest statesmen, the 5 greatest thinkers, the 5 greatest philanthropists and reformers, the 5 greatest preachers or religious teachers, the 5 greatest scientists, the 5 greatest educators. The returns have now come in, and Mr. Sunderland will speak next Sunday evening, at the Unitarian church on the religious position and views of the men who have been most prominently named. It is believed that this will give some valuable light as to the tendency of religious thought in this country among leading minds. Mr. Sunderland will preach in the morning on "The Meaning and Value of the Church as understood by Unitarians."

THE LEGISLATIVE VISIT.

THEY HAVE SEEN THE U. OF M.

The Legislature Entertained by the Citizens of Ann Arbor and the Faculty of the University.

The legislature, to the number of about one hundred, together with a goodly number of ladies, arrived in Ann Arbor at five o'clock, last Thursday evening, from Lansing, via the M. C. R. R. They were met at the depot by a delegation of citizens with carriages and escorted directly to Hangsterfer's where supper was served. After supper was disposed of, President Angell, in his usual clever style, briefly announced to them the programme that would be followed out during their stay.

The party then took carriages and were driven to the University where they were received in the chapel by the faculty. After spending an hour there in conversation, during which time the glee club rendered some of their choice selections, they repaired to the medical building, where Professor Langley lectured on electricity. After this a very pleasant hour was spent visiting the library and art gallery. This ended the evening's programme.

At nine o'clock, Friday morning, the legislators met in President Angell's office, in the University, ready for the day's programme. The mechanical engineering department was visited first, where an unusual amount of interest was exhibited, each one feeling as he left, that the room was entirely too small to accommodate such a large class.

At 9:45 four lectures were announced: On anatomy, by Dr. Ford, in the medical building, on law by Professor Rogers, in the law building, by Dr. Wood in the homeopathic college, by Dr. Taft, in the dental college, which they could attend as they desired. By far the largest number attended the lecture by Dr. Ford, who showed them the workings of the lungs and heart, using a cadaver and specimens to illustrate. After the lecture was concluded a few of the senators and representatives expressed a desire to visit the dissecting room, of which so much is heard and little seen, by the public. After passing through his room their curiosity had abated and a visit to the "pickling vat" was not made.

The hour indicated on the programme having arrived they returned to the president's office to be escorted to the stage of the hall to meet the students of all the departments. In the mean time the students had assembled in their respective departments, and at the appointed time began to file into the large hall, by twos. They completely filled the first floor and when they began filing into the gallery, some of the legislators looked on in amazement never having seen so many students together before.

When they were all seated, President Angell remarked that perhaps the members of the legislature would like to hear them sing *en masse*. This was invitation enough and "John Brown's body," "Here's to the U. of M.," "Tis Love that makes the world go round," etc., were sung with such ringing and hearty good will that it seemed as if it would raise the dome of the building.

President Angell, on behalf of the University, then addressed the legislature in a short speech, presenting a few facts and figures for their consideration. He said they had seen the building and equipment of the University, but that the real University did not consist of brick and mortar, but of hearts and brains, and he wished them this morning to meet the real University—the students. He commented upon the large number of students in attendance upon the University, the number having reached at present 1,535, the largest number in the history of the University, and larger than that of any other University in this country, except one. It had been said that the University was patronized only by rich students, but the facts would not bear out this statement; he felt safe in saying that at least three-fifths of the students were either wholly or in part paying their way through college. Out of 1,500 students in the University the parents of 501 were farmers, of 171 were merchants, of 51 were clergymen, of 65 were mechanics. He then considered the finances of the University. The current expenses of the University were \$173,000, those of Cornell with only half the number of students and but one department, were \$246,000. The current expenses of Yale university, with one-third less students was \$225,000 while those of Harvard, with two or three hundred more, were \$620,000. The state legislature had appropriated for the University, during its whole period of existence—fifty years,—\$1,027,078. The actual appraised value of the property of the University was \$900,000, so that the actual running expenses of the University had cost the legislature but \$2,000 a year for the fifty years of its existence. But aside from the property mentioned, there were the Lewis art gallery, the Rogers collection and the Chinese exhibit, which were worth at least \$425,000, so that if the University was credited with the amount of property that it now owned and debited with the amount the legislature had expended upon her, instead of being indebted to the legislature, the legislature would actually owe to the University some \$300,000. He said they would not be oppressive in collecting this sum, but would be willing to accept their check for the amount any time.

President Angell's remarks were re-

sponded to by Senators Monroe, Westgate and Gorman, Speaker Markey and Representatives Pierce and Diekema. Every speaker was heartily applauded at every allusion to the University.

In the afternoon, visits were made to the dental college, chemical laboratory, hospitals, law library and the museum. The only place where any particular interest was manifested was at Dr. Maclean's clinic in the hospital where five different operations were performed.

The party left for Detroit at 4:30, in the best of spirits, each one expressing themselves as highly pleased with the visit, and their entire satisfaction with the manner in which the U. of M. is conducted. No doubt the visit has done more good than anything else could have done, as few of them realized the greatness of the institution for which they are asked for appropriations to make needed improvements.

UNIVERSITY ITEMS.

Alpine Choir concert Friday eve. The University glee club will sing at Howell, Friday evening, Feb. 25.

A. H. Williams, lit '84, is in the city visiting his Alpha Delta Phi friends.

D. H. Cochran, lit '84, is visiting his fraternity friends of the Beta Theta Psi.

The Misses Douglas gave a very pleasant german, at their residence, last Friday evening.

Charlie Thompson, '79, was here with the legislature as correspondent of the Evening News.

Prof. M. E. Cooley will read a paper on "Heat Engines," before the engineering society, Saturday night.

Prof. Scord, president of Wooster University, Wooster, Ohio, was a visitor to the law department on last Saturday.

Boys turn out and learn how to Yeodelle (howl to music) Friday night. The Swiss Warblers have reached the point of perfection.

Prof. Henry Wade Rogers will speak before the S. C. A. society next Sunday morning. The law students are especially invited.

Law librarian Mr. Vance is now a justice of the peace of the law department of the U. of M., before whom the boys are practicing.

At the Chronicle election Saturday morning the following junior editors were elected: J. H. Powell, J. L. Duffy, S. Parks, G. S. Williams.

From all the reports which are reaching the management of the musical society concerts we are sure of having a rare musical treat in the hall on Friday evening.

Dr. Patterson proposes to give up his position of wardmaster in the hospital, having received an appointment as surgeon to the Calumet and Hecla mining company.

The following officers have been elected by the moot congress: President, W. H. King; past master general, F. W. Byrnes; attorney general, H. Tappan; secretary of the Interior, H. C. Morris.

President Pittman has announced the appointment of the following committees: On hats: White, Kiefer and T. F. Moran; on memorial: Hibbard, Jaycox and Bumps; on renewing ancient customs: Pittman, Parks and Rohnert.

The Cornell people are desirous of obtaining the services of Professors Hutchins and Rogers and even Judge Cooley to take charge of the law school which they contemplate opening there. We do not think that the U. of M. will consent to lose those professors who are so competent to fill the honorable positions assigned to them at this institution.—Argonaut.

The Adelpa Nu literary society have prepared the following programme for Saturday evening: Piano solo, by Miss Blanche Barney; declamation, E. S. Shaw; essay, "Federal Education," Geo. E. Taylor; Select reading from Helen Hunt Jackson, Miss E. M. Havens; oration, "From Boston Bay to the Golden Gate," Wm. H. Walker; Piano solo, Miss Barney; debate, Resolved that the bill requiring uniformity of text-books should become a law—Affirmative J. W. Mathews; negative, F. B. Walker. Everybody is invited.

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\$4.00 Boy's Overcoats, heavy and serviceable, now \$2.50.
Fine \$5.00 Boy's Overcoats, fancy collars, now \$3.00.
Men's Cassimere Sack Suits, former price \$5.00 and \$6.00, now \$3.75. All wool Cassimere Suits, former price \$10.00 and \$12.00, now \$7.00 and \$8.00. All wool Worsted Suits for \$10.00, worth \$15.00.
Boy's School Suits worth \$5.00, for \$3.50.
Boy's School Suits, all wool, former price \$7.50 and \$8.00, now \$5.00. Boy's Worsteds Suits, all wool, worth \$10.00, for \$7.50.
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Ann Arbor, January 12th, '87.

RICHMOND & TREADWELL.

FROM THE NATIONAL POLICE

Secretary Manning to Resign—State Dinner—Mexican Pension Bills, Etc., Etc.

MR. EDITOR:

Some very important changes are about to be made in the treasury department. Secretary Manning, it will be remembered, tendered his resignation at the time of his illness, and although the resignation is still in the hands of the president and has not been acted upon, Mr. Manning has announced his intention of withdrawing from the cabinet.

The second state dinner of the season was given by the president and Mrs. Cleveland, in honor of the diplomatic corps, on Thursday evening last. The representatives of twenty-three of the thirty friendly nations usually represented attended in full court costume.

The recent passage of the Mexican pension bill will necessitate the employment of two hundred and fifty additional clerks in the pension office. Commissioner Black is preparing for the trying ordeal, and says that he will endeavor to complete the examination of the 50,000 applications from this source before the expiration of the present fiscal year.

The war department has of late been engaged in collecting information concerning the strength of the militia force of the United States, and the reports which have been received from the adjutant-generals of the various states are very encouraging.

One of the most distinguished gatherings that have assembled about a banquet table in Washington in many years was the party that gathered at Chamberlain's on Wednesday evening last, as guests of Mr. William Walter Phelps, in honor of Mr. Hiscock's election to the United States senate.

"Forgiven," an exceptionally interesting and breezy drama in four acts, well-known here under its original title, "Jack o' Diamonds," was presented at White's Theater last night, with Frederic Bryton as John Diamond.

The senate devoted much of its time during the past week to the discussion of Senator Beck's bill prohibiting senators and members of congress from receiving fees from railroad companies during their terms of office.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7, 1887.

POMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

Report of Committee on Trespass—On Fruit Preserving Factory—Peach Buds Exhibit.

J. D. Baldwin presided at the February meeting. Committee on trespass presented a petition setting forth, that stealing from gardens and orchards be made punishable with the same penalties as theft from a dwelling house, shop, store, etc.

mittee be retained and requested to raise this amount among fruit-growers and citizens generally, who are interested in the establishment of a successful factory at Ann Arbor. Messrs. Donald McIntyre, J. D. Baldwin, Prof. J. B. Steere, J. J. Parshall, W. F. Bird, A. Isbell, H. D. Marsh and others spoke in favor of the factory, its fair prospective profits and the favorable locality at Ann Arbor.

S. Mills wondered why a creamery had not been started here long ago. He spoke of the large amount of money which had been invested by Ann Arbor capitalists, in outside ventures, many of which proved a total failure.

In 1859 the undersigned lived at Cleveland, O. It was one of the, if not the fairest city in the Union; its location, its banks, its fine residences and streets, its attention to fine arts gave it its renown.

It is generally admitted that Ann Arbor would be greatly benefitted by factories and by proper enterprise its population would double in ten years. It must be admitted, the fruit-growers have done a large share in investing the means in and about Ann Arbor in the development of a most worthy enterprise, namely the raising of fruit, which has already reached an enviable reputation.

The Washtenaw Pomological Society has spread knowledge all over the country and has been instrumental in doing good far beyond its membership. Everybody is interested in their monthly doings and everybody reads them on account of their local and general character.

G. N. Henion exhibited fine and well preserved specimens of grapes, and a tree currant of the largest size, all raised in Rochester, N. Y. The grapes were the Amber Queen, August Giant, Early Down and Oneida, a red grape which the committee, consisting of the two secretaries, considered the best quality.

Frederic Bryton in "Forgiven."

The Detroit Free Press, in speaking of Frederic Bryton, who appears in "Forgiven" at the opera house, in this city, Saturday evening, used the following language:

"Forgiven," an exceptionally interesting and breezy drama in four acts, well-known here under its original title, "Jack o' Diamonds," was presented at White's Theater last night, with Frederic Bryton as John Diamond.

Excellent support was given by Harry Harwood as Denver Dan, an old gambler who finds it impossible to be anything but what he has always been—a dyed-in-the-wool worshiper of all that pertains to the green cloth; by Henry Bergman as the false friend, Graham; Chas. Titus as Old Pop; Frank Russell as the Mexican Sanchez; Miss Blanch Thorne as Annie, the wife of Diamond, and Miss Jessie Storey as Leone Diamond.

J. H. Manly, chairman of the committee on fruit preserving factory, reported in substance as follows: The committee are of the opinion, that the plan of a joint stock company would not be advisable and, as a responsible party doing business in Ann Arbor, had offered to establish and carry on such a factory, provided a bonus of \$1000 be offered, the committee recommends the raising of said amount by subscription.

INJUSTICE CORRECTED.

Convincing Verification of Widecast Public Statements.

To the Readers of the REGISTER.—In common with many publishers and editors, we have been accustomed to look upon certain statements which we have seen in our columns as merely adroit advertising.

Consequently we feel justified in taking the liberty of printing a few points from a private letter recently received from one of our largest patrons, as a sort of confession of faith to our readers. We quote:

"We have convinced ourselves that by telling what we know to be true, we have produced at last a permanent conviction in the public mind. Seven years ago we stated that the national disease of this country was, and that it was rapidly increasing. Three years ago we stated that a marked check had been given it.

"The statistics of one of the largest life insurance companies of this country shows that in 1883 and 1884, the mortality from kidney diseases did not increase over the previous years; other companies stated the same thing. It is not presumptuous for us to claim credit for checking these ravages.

"Seven years ago we stated that the condition of the kidneys was the key to the condition of health: within the past five years all careful life insurance companies have conceded the truth of this statement, for, whereas, ten years ago, chemical analysis to determine the condition of the kidneys was not required, to-day millions of dollars in risks are refused, because chemical examination discovers unsuspected diseases of the kidneys.

"If the doctors would state in official reports the original cause of death, the people of this country would be alarmed, yea, nearly panic stricken, at the fearful mortality from kidney disorders."

The writers of the above letter give these facts to the public simply to justify the claims that they have made, that "if the kidneys and liver are kept in a healthy condition by the use of Warner's safe cure, which hundreds of thousands have proved to be a specific, when all other remedies failed, and that has received the endorsement of the highest medical talent in Europe, Australia and America, many a life would be prolonged and the happiness of the people preserved. It is successful with so many different diseases because it and it alone, can remove the uric acid from the blood through the kidneys."

Our readers are familiar with the preparation named. Commendation thereof has often appeared in our columns.

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master push this thing through; 90 cut of every 100 will sign it. Push forward the matter, Mr. Editor. Our postmaster should signalize and make his administration remarkable by obtaining it. We shall all be benefitted, and those who stand back will be the loudest in their expressions of admiration of the new system when it is fairly inaugurated.

Saints and Sinners.

"Saints and Sinners," which had its first representation here at the Chestnut Street Theatre last night, is the old story of a young and pretty girl who is trapped and betrayed by a villain under the deceit of an alleged Scotch marriage. She is the daughter of a poor English clergyman, and the chief motive of the play centres in the heart struggle of the father rather than the daughter. The part of Jacob Fletcher, the clergyman, was taken by Mr. C. W. Coudock, who is well known and very popular here.

"What is Jigsen in mawning for, do you know?" "It's either faw his bowthaw aw his dawg. One of 'em died laast week, but I weally fawget which it was."

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"An so your dear uncle David is dead? Was he sick long?" "Not a great while, but he was a great sufferer. Everything, however, was done for him that was possible." "Then of course you are all satisfied with his medical treatment?" "Oh, yes; that is to say, all of us except Cousin John. Uncle David didn't leave John anything but the family bible."

Judge of a government by the men it produces. Judge of a man by his deeds, a tree by its fruits, a medicine by its results. Time tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which contains the good qualities of all the best cough remedies without the defects of any of them.

"Well, doctor, is there any improvement in my condition this morning?" "Hardly, my Christian friend. I am afraid you will have to be thinking of the great change. You do, of course, sometimes consider the certainty of death?" "Oh, yes, doctor. That thought strikes me every time you enter the room."

When the average eastern young man goes to Montana to be a noble cowboy the first thing he determines to do is to save money enough to get back home. But before he has saved enough he concludes that "cow punching" is a pretty fair sort of a business after all.

"Why are they called pyramids, pa?" asked George, who was looking at a picture of those wonders of Egypt. "They are called pyramids, my son," replied the father, without hesitating, "because, you see they appear amid the general desolation of the desert."

It is said that a cock crowed when Peter lied. Possibly one cock was enough in those days, but for the average man of modern times, it would keep two or three cocks busy most of the time, and even then they would be so hoarse that they couldn't crow above a whisper. "I am something of a liar myself" at times.

Poison at the Front Door.

No article entering so generally in the food of every family has been found more villainously adulterated than baking powder. For the purpose of underselling those powders which absolute purity and wholesomeness which alone are safe for use in food, hundreds of dealers are putting up baking powders with cheap and adulterated cream of tartar, which contains lime, earth, etc., adding strength by the free use of alum.

These adulterated powders are "shoved" upon the public with the greatest persistency. Many are given away—left in samples at private residences with circulars containing bogus analysis and certificates and false representations as to their value, etc. The worst of them are introduced to the housekeeper's attention by fraudulent tricks or by bogus samples, the articles when purchased being found to be entirely different from the sample shown.

Free samples of articles of food left at the house should be regarded with suspicion. There is no guarantee of their wholesomeness, while there is real danger that they contain a fatally poisonous compound. Many instances of poisoning from the use of such samples are recorded.

The only safe way is to consign all such samples immediately to the ash barrel, and to turn a deaf ear to the statements made by their vendor. It is not worth while to trifle with life and health to the extent of testing every doubtfull baking powder that comes along. Better to rely upon an old and reliable brand, like the Royal, which by a quarter of a century's constant use proved its perfect wholesomeness and efficiency, or some other brand that is not so worthless and cheap that its proprietors can afford to give it away by the cart-load or waste it in making innumerable tests.

An Accommodating Man. Collector—"How many times do you wish me to call for this money?" Debtor—"My dear sir, you need not call again. I shall not be offended."

Genlemen—I have a little girl who has been very sick with a cough and a bowel difficulty. I employed at different times two of our best physicians, and their efforts proved of no success. They told me that she could not live. I was advised by a neighbor to try Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer, I did so, but with very little faith. If any, the result was marvelous. My little girl is to-day alive and perfectly well. Please accept my thanks for the wonderful medicine which you have placed before the public. I wish everybody knew its value. Wm. E. Anderson, Bolivar, W. Va.

Am. Sportsman—What did I bring down, Pat? Pat—Yer own dog, sur; blew his head all off.

Am. Sportsman—Where's the bird? Pat—Picking at the dog, sur!

Old and reliable Aciker's Blood Elixir has been prescribed for years for all impurities of the Blood. In every form of Scrofula, Syphilitic or Mercurial diseases, it is invaluable. For Rheumatism, has no equal. JOHN MOORE, Druggist.

After the clerk had pulled down everything 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 cellar; but if you wish it I will have that brought up and shown to you."

A theological student, whose postoffice address is not very far from Princeton, was asked to preach not long ago for a colored congregation. After the sermon he asked one of the deacons of the church to close the services with prayer. This he did with great unction, among other things asking that the young preacher might be anointed with the oil (oil) of Patmos.

Red Star Cough Cure. TRADE MARK. ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM OPIATES, EMETICS AND POISON. SAFE. SURE. PROMPT. 25 Cts. THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., BALTIMORE, MD.

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A new device is called the "bachelor button." We have not seen it, but we presume it looks very much like a single nail run through holes in a waistband.

Beware of Imitation. We find that in various parts of the country unscrupulous druggists for the purpose of making a large profit, are palming off on a too-confiding public a worthless counterfeit of Pomeroy's Petroleum Plaster, under the plea that it is "just as good," and in some cases that it is Pomeroy's Plaster. Trust no druggist who makes any such representations. Beware of all such impostors. Insist upon getting the genuine article, take nothing else and see that the words "Pomeroy's Petroleum Plaster" are upon each envelope. For Sale by H. J. Brown, Dist. Agt. for Ann Arbor.

"For cleaning out bottles get shot," reads a household receipt. Perhaps it is because of this recommendation that a good many people do get "shot" in cleaning bottles.

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF PURE COD LIVER OIL. And Hypophosphites of Lime & Soda. Almost as Palatable as Milk. The only preparation of COD LIVER OIL that can be taken readily and tolerated for a long time by delicate stomachs. AND AS A REMEDY FOR CONSUMPTION, SCROFULOUS AFFECTIONS, ANEMIA, GENERAL DEBILITY, COUGHS AND THROAT AFFECTIONS, AND ALL WASTING DISORDERS OF CHILDREN. It is marvellous in its results. Prescribed and recommended by the best Physicians in the countries of the world. FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the 29th day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven. Present, WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, Judge of Probate.

RUPTURE! EGAN'S IMPERIAL TRUSS. Spiral Spring with graded pressure 1 to 6 pounds. Worn day and night by an Infant a week old or adult of 80 years. Ladies' Trusses a specialty. Enclose stamps for Testimonials of Cures, measurements, etc. EGAN'S IMPERIAL TRUSS CO., Ann Arbor, Mich.

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Simple, Silent, Sure, Perfect, Powerful, Popular. The Best Machine, The Best Wood-Work, The Greatest Range of Work.

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Republican County Convention.

A Republican County Convention to elect eighteen (18) delegates to the Republican State Convention, to be held at Detroit, on Wednesday, February 23d, 1887, for the purpose of nominating one Judge of the Supreme Court, and two (2) Regents of the State University, also to elect eighteen (18) delegates to a Convention of the 22d Judicial Circuit, hereafter to be called, and to transact such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, Wednesday, Feb. 16, 1887, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

The cities and townships will be entitled to delegates in the County Convention as follows:

ANN ARBOR CITY.	Pittsfield.....	4
First Ward.....	Salem.....	4
Second Ward.....	Saline.....	4
Third Ward.....	Scio.....	4
Fourth Ward.....	Sharon.....	4
Fifth Ward.....	Superior.....	4
Sixth Ward.....	Sylvania.....	4
Ann Arbor Town.....	Webster.....	4
Augusta.....	York.....	4
Bridgewater.....	Ypsilanti Town.....	4
Dexter.....	Ypsilanti City.....	4
Freedom.....	First Ward.....	4
Lincoln.....	Second Ward.....	4
Lodi.....	Third Ward.....	4
Lyndon.....	Fourth Ward.....	4
Manchester.....	Fifth Ward.....	4
Northfield.....		

YPSILANTI, Jan. 31, 1887.
 W. M. OSBAND, Chairman.
 R. H. MARSH, Secretary.

Republican Ward Caucuses.

The Republican Ward Caucuses of the city of Ann Arbor will be held on Monday evening, February 14, at 7 1/2 o'clock p. m., local time, for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention to be held February 16th, at the following places:

- First ward—A. Sorg's shop.
 - Second ward—Heinmann's store.
 - Third ward—Basement of Court House.
 - Fourth ward—Engine House.
 - Fifth ward—Engine House.
 - Sixth ward—New Engine House.
- By Order of the Ward Committees.
Ann Arbor Town Caucus.

The Republicans of Ann Arbor Township will meet in caucus at the Court House on Saturday 12th inst. at 2 o'clock p. m., to select delegates to attend the County Convention to be held on the 16th inst. By order of
 J. D. WILLIAMS,
 F. C. HUDSON,
 C. M. OSBORN, Committee.
 ANN ARBOR, February 5, 1887.

The temperance people of this city of all parties, who favor prohibition, should unite in a meeting for the purpose of stirring up the people on this important question. Now is the time to work.

Our state legislature is dealing with the question of the "age of consent," and it is to be hoped this very important question will receive the consideration and wise judgement to which it is entitled. The ages of 14, 16 and 18 are suggested. We believe the latter to be none too young.

MARSHALL STATESMAN: Whiskey, according to latest reports compiled from unmistakable evidence, is a prominent factor in destroying individual character, filling our prisons with criminals of every grade, and drawing floods of tears from the eyes of wretched mothers and starving children.

The Marshall Statesman is one of the best republican papers in Michigan, and is none the less worthy of our esteem when it says: "Now that prohibition is a possibility in this state, may the true friends of temperance kick the pretended demagogue out of their way, and shoulder to shoulder, march into the fight for 'God, home and native land.'"

There are many people who do not understand the new law providing for the presidential succession. During the last session of the 48th Congress, Senator Hoar's bill (which was introduced and passed by the Senate in 1883) was finally passed by the House and approved by President Cleveland. It makes the succession run through the cabinet in the following order: 1st, Secretary of State; 2d, Secretary of the Treasury; 3d, Secretary of War; 4th, Secretary of the Navy; 5th, Postmaster General; 6th, Secretary of the Interior; 7th Attorney General.

Our aged friend, the Argus, almost ruined the few remaining teeth it has in its head, last week, over a few complimentary allusions of THE REGISTER of the week before. Among other withering remarks it said that the editor of this paper had an "elephant on his hands." Well, in comparison to the size of that office we should be inclined to say he had. And now that we are looking after the Argus' interests a little, we feel that we have an elephant on one hand and a polecat on the other. With the type it has borrowed from this office, we will not deny that our aged contemporary has splendid "facilities for turning out" cheap work.

It is practically settled that the state is to elect two judges of the supreme court at its spring election. Among the number already mentioned in connection with this important office we notice the name of our fellow townsman, Hon. Andrew J. Sawyer. A better nomination could not be suggested to the coming republican convention. Mr. Sawyer has a large state acquaintance and his nomination would add material strength to the ticket. There are few men possessing better qualifications for the office, and his election would bring to the bench a judicial mind thoroughly conversant with our laws. He

has had an extensive experience in the practice of the law in the various courts of this state, and has won an enviable reputation of active and successful labor in his profession. His integrity and conscientious devotion to duty are a guarantee that any public trust would be faithfully executed in his hands. We can not hope for a better outcome of the republican convention than the nomination of Mr. Sawyer to the position of Judge of the Supreme Court.

Free Delivery? No, Never!

To the Editor:
 Some person styling himself for the time being, "A citizen," undertakes, in his peculiar way, to present, what I suppose he calls reasons, for the establishment of a free delivery here, in this city. Now, what do they (the supposed reasons) amount to? He says "a few business men, to gratify their sordid and selfish propensities, are striving to defeat the project," that "they have nicely boomed the taxpayers with water works and electric light projects" and are opposed to this great boom to the overburdened taxpayers.

This "citizen" seems to forget himself, to forget what and where this city is. This is a city of schools, and styles itself, in a mutual admiration way, the "Athens" of Michigan. This city is a city of culture and aesthetics, of scholars and average mediocre business men. Talk of our business men being "sordid and selfish." It is a base and groundless slander. I defy "citizen" to point to a single "sordid and selfish" act of our business men. It is not true. They are unselfish and unselfish. And if you do not believe me tell me how many of them are rich? Everybody, except "citizen" knows that men are never "sordid and selfish" unless rich. How many does he believe, or does anybody believe, would be found rich if their just debts were paid? It is not true. No business man here can be "sordid and selfish" unless rich, and for the very obvious reason that they are kept poor by their generosity, unselfishness and great public spirit. Did they not generously and unselfishly vote to give the Michigan Central Railroad Company \$5000 of the taxpayers money for the new bridge depot? If, therefore, only the rich business men can be by any reason or possibility be "sordid and selfish" it necessarily follows that our rich business men cannot be "sordid and selfish" because it is impossible for anyone to be "sordid and selfish" in the aesthetic atmosphere of culture in this "Athens." Culture produces the highest kind of ennobled manhood and it is as impossible for a "sordid and selfish" business man to exist in such an atmosphere as it is for a tadpole to be otherwise than happy in a quagmire.

This "citizen" seems to be in a fault-finding mood. Why can't he let well enough alone? Have we not always got all our mail at the postoffice, that is, all except that carried to the University professors in Mr. Outley's grip-sack? It was a great mistake when that letter bag was allowed and the letter box placed on State-st. Both ought to be abolished instantly; the bag because of the benefit to the rising generation, and especially our rich business men, when the professors and other men of culture are seen promenading upon the streets to the postoffice; and the letter box, because if those who deposit mail on State-st should be compelled to go to the postoffice for that purpose, they would stop and trade a good deal on their travels, especially in purchasing bibulous food. The truth is we don't want this newfangled letter called "free delivery." It will make letter writing too easy. We need the exercise of going to the postoffice. It will obstruct public push and enterprise by preventing our hurrying to the postoffice at break-neck speed and stopping on our way to see a man, around the corner. Anything that prevents physical exercise by our students, boarding-house keepers and servant girls must be, of course, detrimental to our sporting men, gate-makers and elixir compounders, and therefore injurious to the city. Away with your modern innovations upon time honored customs. We don't want it. Have we not the departments of the University, the ward and the union schools, St. Thomas' school, the hospitals, joined with the highest aesthetic culture? Have we not reached the ultima thule of social advancement, and beyond is only the unexplored sea infested with barbarous "sordid and selfish" creatures? Are we not wholly satisfied with ourselves and our condition? Don't we do as our fathers did and is not that good enough? There is also great danger that these new innovations may bring more people here, a result greatly to be deplored, for if by chance some rich "sordid and selfish" person should come, this aesthetic and cultured city and attic atmosphere would be contaminated, and the size of some of our great lights, perchance be, by comparison, dwarfed, and their importance lessened.

No, Mr. Editor, it won't do. Sound the "hew-gag" and assemble the faithful. Marshal our invincible battalions against the advancing cohorts of progress. Seize at all hazards every advantage of wind and sun. Let us prevent any changes whether improvements or otherwise. Let us not permit our quiet, placid sleep—aye, the sleep of the just and self satisfied—to be disturbed by any newly invented schemes or schemes. Already our tranquility and meditations and dreams have been too often discomposed. Let us stifle any further attempts that may distract and confuse us. This free delivery must not be permitted, neither must any other changes except those which come in the order of nature by advancing years or the decay of disease. Situated as this "Athens" is we should always be free from any conditions which could prevent our minds from reading and contemplating with great and melancholy satisfaction and profit, as peculiarly fitting for our city, "Hervey's Meditations among the Tombs."

ANOTHER CITIZEN.

ANN ARBOR'S GUARDIANS.

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Council Held Monday Evening.
 —Interesting Proceedings.

The regular monthly meeting of the common council was held Monday evening, with Mayor Robison in the chair. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

A petition was presented from Christian Eberbach and seven others asking for an electric light at the intersection of Packard street and E. University avenue. Referred to street lighting committee.

Also one from H. M. Taber and fourteen others asking for a light on the corner of Ann and Fifth streets. Referred to street lighting committee.

John Goetz, Jr., asked permission to build an outside stairway to his building, corner of Main and Liberty streets. Referred to the street committee.

Sidney W. Clarkson asked the council to reimburse him the sum of \$28 taxes which he had paid under protest on stock he owned in the Peoples' Bank, of Manchester. He alleged in his petition that the stock so owned was invested in real estate on which other taxes were paid; and that this sum had been deducted by former supervisors, but the present one had overlooked it. Referred to finance committee with power to act.

A petition, signed by all the butchers in the city, asked that they be protected from foreign peddlers, the same as other branches of business.

Ald. Allmendinger moved that the same license be required of meat peddlers as of any other hucksters, and that the city attorney be required to draft an ordinance, if necessary, to that effect. It was carried.

W. Ared Schlandlerer was refunded two months liquor tax, \$16.13.

Recorder Pond read the following communication from Albert Sorg, chief of fire department:

ANN ARBOR, FEB. 7, 1887.
 To the Mayor, Recorder, and Aldermen of the City of Ann Arbor:
 GENTLEMEN:—Owing to the poor condition of the fire department in membership, I would recommend that the council take some steps to put the department in better condition by making it a paid department, which can be done by extending about two thousand dollars after disposing of the hand engines. The expense of maintaining the department according to estimate I have made would be about as follows:

Three men per month, \$45.00.....	\$1,620 00
Fifteen men per year, \$25.00.....	375 00
Twenty-six men per year, \$15.00.....	390 00
Feed for horses and repairs.....	275 00
Total per year.....	\$2,660 00

I would ask that the council refer this to the fire department committee and they to report at some special meeting.

Respectfully yours,
 ALBERT SORG, Chief Engr.

W. J. Clark, justice of the peace, presented his resignation, which was accepted.

A communication was read by Harry Russell, general attorney of the M. C. R. R., asking the city to pay the company \$5,000, as agreed, for the construction of the bridge over the railroad on Pontiac-st. A considerable time was consumed in discussing the matter, in which harsh words were exchanged. One of the aldermen thought they had been imposed upon by the railroad company, and upon representations made by them that they would do certain grading from Detroit-st to the depot grounds, the city had purchased the O'Neil property, at a cost of \$2,500. The City Attorney, Mayor, Ald. Swift, Allmendinger and Poland discussed the question at considerable length.

Ald. Allmendinger offered a resolution to the effect that the city tender the M. C. R. R. Co. \$2,500 and the O'Neil property.

Ald. Swift moved that the Recorder draw an order for the full amount.

The Recorder offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the matter of paying the \$5,000 to the M. C. R. Co. be referred to a committee of three, together with the City Engineer, to report if the contract with the said railroad company is fully complied with, and this committee to report to this council as soon as possible.

Ald. Allmendinger and Swift and the Mayor were appointed as such committee.

The druggists bond of E. Calkins & Son was read and approved.

The liquor bond of W. Fred Schlandlerer was read and approved.

The finance committee, through its chairman, Ald. Allmendinger, reported the following expenditures for the month of January:

1st ward.....	21 12
2d ".....	7 00
3d ".....	8 75
4th ".....	23 60
5th ".....	6 75
6th ".....	5 50
General street fund.....	104 30
General fund.....	380 02
Contingent fund.....	1,261 73
Total.....	\$1,789 30

The city Recorder was allowed \$50 for making out his annual report.

Ald. Ware offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the sum of \$100 be appropriated from the contingent fund for the purpose of making needed improvements in the Fifth ward cemetery, and that the same be expended under the direction of the trustees of said cemetery.

Eli S. Manly was reappointed one of the members of the board of trustees of the city cemetery.

Fred Meyers was reappointed janitor of the Fifth ward engine house.

A. L. NOBLE
 Opened The
EARLY SPRING DUNLAP HAT!

On Saturday, February 5, 1887.

The Great One-Half Sale!
 Will Continue on Saturday, Feb. 12.
MEN'S SUITS, BOYS' SUITS, CHILD'S SUITS, SINGLE COATS and PANTS
 Are placed in this lot and will be sold on that day at exactly half their value.
REMEMBER THE PLACE,
The Star Clothing House.

The Palace Grocery, 1886. 1887.
 NO. 9 NORTH MAIN ST.

STIMSON BROS.
 PROPRIETORS,
 Have on hand a Fresh and Complete Stock of Every thing in the
Grocery Line
 TEAS, COFFEES AND SUGARS
 In Large Amounts and
AT CASH PRICES!
 And can sell at Low Figures.

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 DEALERS IN
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Of every variety. CARPETS in large quantities.
Smyrna Rugs, Door Rugs, Mats, Matting
 And OIL CLOTHS, A Full Assortment,
INFANT OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE!

We do not say, we sell for less money than any other concern, and those who do say so, do not expect sensible people will believe them. But we do say that we will endeavor with good Goods and fair dealing to give all who patronize us, full value for their money.

Wiley's Music Store, 25 Fourth St., Ann Arbor.
READ THIS ANNOUNCEMENT.

Having purchased the stock of Sheet Music, Music Books and Musical Merchandise formally owned by Mr. A. Wiley it gives me pleasure to state that I am prepared to furnish the public with anything in the music line as low and in many cases lower than can be obtained elsewhere, NOT excepting our large cities. Having had an experience of six years in attending to the wants of the musical people of Chicago and being a practical musician I feel confident that I shall be able to please and meet the demands of all who favor me with their patronage.

I shall do my utmost to serve my patrons, and would be happy to have any who desire call and I will gladly show goods and furnish prices whether they wish to purchase or not. It will be my aim to show in Ann Arbor an assortment of all musical goods from which the most fastidious can make a satisfactory selection. There can always be found in stock a fine line of the CELEBRATED HAINES BROS., BOARDMAN & GRAY and other PIANOS, and the ESTEY and STORY & CLARK ORGANS in many different styles, and at prices which defy competition.

I desire to make my store musical headquarters for our city and wish all to consider it as such. Yours ready to please,
LEW H. CLEMENT.

Probate Notice.
 STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
 COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss.
 At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Saturday, the fifth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

PRESENT, WILLIAM D. HARRIMAN, Judge of Probate.
 In the matter of the Estate of Nelson Strong, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, docketed, and that the devisees, legatees, and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; And it is further Ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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COUNTY NEWS.

Manchester is to have a new millinery store.

A dance will be given in Saline tomorrow night.

The First Baptist church in Sylvan was founded in 1833.

It is reported that a bank is to be started in Norvell in the spring.

G. J. Nissly, of Saline, is a director of the state pet stock and poultry show.

An old fashioned spelling school will be held at Mooreville, tomorrow evening.

A Sunday school institute was held in the Baptist church, at Dexter, last Sunday.

Joseph Linden, of Bridgewater, whose house burned a few weeks ago is rebuilding.

A donation was given the Rev. Robison, of Saline, Wednesday, at the Baptist parsonage.

The Leader has everything its own way in Milan now, having bought the good will of the Journal.

"Turn of the Tide," was presented at the Dexter opera house, Wednesday evening, by home talent.

The Ladies' Aid Society, of the Dexter Baptist church, gave an oyster supper and social last evening.

C. S. Gregory & Son have taken the entire amount of the Dexter school bonds, \$12,000, at 5 per cent.

The Chelsea cornet band will give their eighth masquerade ball, at the town hall, Friday evening, Feb. 18th.

The Pentecost band has left Milan in disgust, and all because they cannot get a place to hold their meetings.

The Saline Observer records the fact that an incubator, in that place, has just hatched a hundred chickens.

In attempting to climb over a fence, one day last week, a Saline woman broke her nose in two different places.

Revival meetings are being held in the Congregational church, at Webster, and are meeting with good success.

John Moran, Manchester's night watchman, has been on duty nearly three years and has never skipped a night.

The co-partnership heretofore existing between Geo. A. Begole and A. N. Morton, of Chelsea, has been dissolved.

Mr. Haynes, a former resident and business man in Saline, is calling on old acquaintances. He is now a citizen of Dakota.

There is considerable sickness at present among the younger children. The trouble seems to be mostly inflammation of the lungs and severe colds.

Saline Observer: The gun club were out breaking clay pigeons, Tuesday. Clark Carter made the best score, 20 out of 25; A. B. VanDuser scored, 19 out of 25.

Maybe is a small town, but judging from the reports that come from there they have their disgraceful drunken rows just as they do in a real city.

The thieves who recently went through several stores at Milan, were caught at Jackson a few days ago, while trying to dispose of some of the goods.

Will Briggs has purchased a portion of the Journal outfit and will remove the same to Ashley next week, where he will begin the publication of the Ashley Argus.

Saline Observer: S. R. Crittenden sold two two-year old steers to Lindenschmidt & Inward, yesterday, that balanced the scales at 2,650 pounds. They were beauties.

Among the Mexican war veterans who will receive pensions in due time are Frank Muir, of Clinton, G. H. Putman, of Grass Lake and Charles Sanford of Manchester.

Rumor says there is to be a large wedding in Bridgewater, Feb. 16th, the happy couple being Miss Anna Reidel, of Bridgewater, and Mr. Simon Kress, of Lodi.

A "crazy" social will be given in Saline tomorrow evening. Refreshments will be of the crazy order, also, as will be the girls who allow the young men to go home with them.

Clyde Dickerson, who moved to Ypsilanti from Bridgewater, last summer to attend Cleary's business college, is also teaching at the evening school at the college as professor of mathematics.

Conrad Lehn, for a number of years a successful merchant in Manchester, has associated with him, his son-in-law, Chas. Vogel, for a number of years a clerk in Mack & Schmid's dry goods store.

Dexter Leader: It is said that the demolition of the old school building will commence about March 1st. The old building has been a landmark for the past 30 years, and was for years the pride of the village, but it has served its time and soon will be numbered among the recollections of the past. We will attempt to give our readers a short history of the venerable pile in our next issue.

DOWN THE RIVER.

News at Ypsilanti as furnished by our Regular Correspondent.

The Chapel Guild met with Miss Vee Cornwell, Thursday evening.

Prof. Estabrook, of Olivet college, visited his old friends here Monday.

Miss Florence Goodison spent several days of last week in Detroit with friends.

Mrs. Chas. Ferrier is going to start for Georgia this week, to remain some time.

G. E. Waterman, formerly of Ann Arbor, has a photograph gallery at the old Lewis & Gibson stand.

Perry F. Powers has returned from his western visit, apparently heart-whole and in single blessedness still.

The Normal committee of the senate and house visited our city Tuesday and Wednesday and gave the Normal a thorough overlooking.

Herb. Humphrey has been disappointed in securing rooms on Huron-st, for a gal-

lery, and is undecided what location he will try to find at present.

The Alpine choir and Tyrolean warblers will celebrate St. Valentine's day at the opera house, under the auspices of the Normal lecture association.

Mrs. Eugene Laible, of Detroit, came to the city Monday to look up business matters, and contemplate the advisability of enlarging her stores on Huron-st.

Our city is jubilant over the possession of a new fire engine which bears the name "Edward Batwell," after our worthy fire department chief, Dr. Batwell. The old fire engine has been donated to the east side folks.

Mike O'Neil, a son of Erin, offended Ed. Morford, a genuine Ethiopian, last Saturday night, and received such an emphatic pommeling in consequence, that he is laid up for repairs, and Ed. is likely to have trouble.

The Y. P. C.'s gave a swell hop at the Follett house, last Friday evening, which was the most enjoyable event of the season. A large number of Ann Arborites were in attendance, also Mrs. S. M. Cutcheon and Geo. Case and daughter, of Detroit.

The ladies' library association gave an interesting social Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mrs. J. Walton. Among the exercises of the evening was a paper by Prof. Strong, of the Normal, on "Ravenna," which was very interesting.

Cleary's business college students have come to the front and established a lyceum, for the weekly discussion of business matters of interest. Tuesday evening they gave a public which was made very interesting by readings by Miss Marie Wilson, a dramatic reader of note.

Eddie Reddaway, a ten year old lad, was nearly drowned the other afternoon while skating with his brother, a boy not much older than himself, but who caught Eddie as he was sinking the last time and clung bravely to the edge of the ice till help came.

Saline Items.

Dr. Daniel Hall is reported very sick.

Mrs. Glazier and daughter are visiting in Ypsilanti.

H. T. Nichols was in Detroit the 3rd inst, on business.

Miss Lilly Lee, of Ypsilanti, was in town the 4th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Marsh visited Ypsilanti the 1st inst.

E. R. Aldrich and E. W. Wallace took in Ann Arbor the 4th.

G. B. Willard, an old Saline boy, is in business at Algiers, La.

Dr. H. A. Nichols has changed his mind in regard to California.

Ed. Kanouse starts for his home in Dakota some day this week.

Harry Heller, of the dental department, of the University, spent Sunday at home.

The public installation of officers for the I. O. G. T. has been postponed for two weeks.

The remains of Clark Rogers were brought here from Osoda county, and interred the 4th inst.

Henry Ford, of Milan, and Eugene Ford, of Mooreville, were in town one day last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. W. Ford.

Our attention was called to the rapid improvement of Wilber Hall in penmanship. Wilber is one of Saline's best young men, and at present is a student at Prof. Cleary's college, Ypsilanti.

Henry Leisemer, of Lodi, we understand, has commenced to track Alfred Miller's Gray Ira, preparatory to entering the spring races. If "Hank" can only get the horse there in as good shape as he did in Ann Arbor the night of the Siberia play, he will never be obliged to drive for second money.

Miss Jessie Bonesteel and her musical combination, played at Union School hall, the 4th and 5th inst, to a fair house. We noticed that Ed. Stair, of the Howell Republican (and a brother of Orin Stair, formerly editor of the Saline Observer) was the manager of the troupe, his stage name being Ed. Douglass.

The Ann Arbor Savings Bank.

Among the Savings Banks in our state there is none outside of Detroit that has taken a more solid and prominent position than the Ann Arbor Savings Bank. Its growth has been steady and of the kind that makes it one of the best banks in the state. The list of depositors embraces our citizens occupying all different positions, but mainly among the farmers, mechanics and laborers, and these are the classes whom they especially seek.

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A Passenger Train in Vermont Hurlled from a High Bridge.

The Wreck Takes Fire and Between Thirty and Fifty Persons are Reported Alive—Details of the Awful Affair.

DEATH IN BURNING CARS.

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 7.—The express train that left Boston at seven o'clock Friday night met with a terrible accident near Woodstock, on the Central Vermont railroad, at about 2:30 Saturday morning.

THREE STATES SHAKEN.

Earthquake Shocks in Illinois, Indiana and Missouri.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 7.—Two distinct shocks of earthquake were felt in this city yesterday morning about four o'clock.

TO GO ON THE BOOKS.

The Executive Signature Affixed to the Inter-State Bill.

The Electoral Count Bill and Other Measures Signed—Work of the Week in the Senate and House of Representatives.

THESE HAVE BECOME LAWS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—President Cleveland signed the Inter-State Commerce bill Friday afternoon. The signing of the bill by the President was in full accord with the opinion of Attorney-General Garland.

BROKEN AT LAST.

The Dead-Lock in Indiana Terminates in the Election of Turpie for Senator—Republicans to Contest in the United States Senate.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 3.—In the Indiana joint convention Wednesday Robinson voted for Turpie, and the ballot stood: Turpie, 76; Harrison, 74.

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Successful Test of a New and Wonderful Steel-Tempering Process.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 8.—Tests have been made here of a new and not expensive process for hardening and tempering steel, by which hardness and elasticity are carried forward in combination.

Educating Indian Children.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Secretary of the Interior reports to the Senate that forty-four of the older Apache children at Fort Marion have been transferred to the Indian school at Carlisle.

The Diamond Thief Caught.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 5.—Charles Talbot, the Memphis hotel clerk, who on Tuesday night stole Fanny Davenport's diamonds, valued at \$35,000, and fled, was arrested here Friday night.

Says It Is True.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Spanish minister pronounces as authentic a recent interview published in a Havana newspaper, in which he is represented as saying that unless negotiations for carrying out a reciprocity treaty between Spain and the United States reach a favorable result by March 2, he favors coercion and reprisals.

A Sad Affair.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Fire was discovered Friday afternoon in the residence of John Zimmerman at 888 Thirty-third street. After the flames had been extinguished two children of Mr. Zimmerman, aged four and six years, were found dead, having been suffocated by smoke.

Alleged Frauds to be Investigated.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 5.—The Federal grand jury has sent the marshal to Pleasant Grove township, Coles county, and secured the ballots cast there at the recent election, in order to thoroughly investigate the charge that the Democratic county ticket was counted out.

Again Postponed.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 4.—The trial of David S. Fotheringham, the Adams Express messenger of the "Jim Cummings" train robbery case, has been postponed till March 1 in order to give the defense time to prepare the depositions of Wittrock and Haight for submission as evidence.

Ruined by Competition.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Feb. 4.—The Fall River iron-works, which have been in operation for fifty years, have shut down permanently and the hands discharged.

War Department Precautions.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 4.—By request of the War Department railroads having headquarters here have sent to Washington a list of their rolling stock, and a statement as to their ability to carry troops to points on their lines.

Suffering in Texas.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 5.—Fifteen hundred people in Stephens county are suffering from want of the actual necessities of life, and there is suffering in several other counties in the drought-stricken district. Help is needed for them.

An Infant Burned to Death.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 5.—The house of James Colligan was accidentally set afire Friday night, Mr. Colligan, who is eighty years of age, being badly burned, while an infant granddaughter was literally roasted to death.

Will Fight Prohibition.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 4.—The brewers and liquor dealers have decided to hold a State convention here to take steps to fight the prohibitory amendment at the ensuing election. They will spend a good deal of money to defeat prohibition.

Adjourned for Two Weeks.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 5.—Both houses of the Legislature held short sessions Thursday forenoon and adjourned, not to convene again until February 17. The Governor has approved the act providing for the State Weather Service.

Tobacco Factory Burned.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 4.—The DeWitt tobacco company's warehouse, with a large quantity of tobacco, was destroyed by fire Thursday night. The loss is placed at \$250,000, fully covered by insurance.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The President has signed the Electoral-Count bill; the bill providing for a bridge across the Mississippi river at St. Louis, and the bill to provide for the muster and pay of certain officers and enlisted men of the volunteer forces.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—HOUSE.—The bill to enable the people to name their own postmasters was adversely reported to the House yesterday. A bill authorizing the appointment of clerks to United States Senators and Representatives who are not chairmen of committees was tabled by a vote of 141 to 105.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—HOUSE.—The session yesterday was devoted almost entirely to the private calendar, and a number of bills were passed. In the evening the House passed thirty pension bills.

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