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MEETING OF REGENTS.

A VERY LIVELY SESSION.

Prof. Hutchins Resigns—The President's Salary Increased—The Medical Faculties' Troubles—Etc.

The March meeting of the board of regents of the University met in session Tuesday evening, President Angell in the chair. The following regents were present: Regents Grosvenor, Clark, Whitman, Field and Blair.

Prof. Hutchins, of the law faculty, presented his resignation, to take effect at the close of the next semester, having accepted the position of senior law professor in the new law school to be established by Cornell University.

Prof. C. H. McGee, Prof. Langley's assistant, was granted a leave of absence, on account of ill health. T. F. Sharpy was appointed to fill the temporary vacancy.

It was voted to allow Prof. Davis a sum not to exceed \$150 with which to purchase necessary equipments for his class in surveying, which he will take out during vacation.

A letter was read from Mrs. Murphy, wife of the late consul general at Frankfurt-on-the-Main, formally presenting her husband's library to the University.

A petition signed by a number of the professors asking to have their salary paid monthly instead of quarterly, was presented. The board, after considerable discussion, decided that they could not do it, though every regent present earnestly hoped that arrangements would be made so as to make the desired change.

The finance committee reported the receipt of a check for \$500 for land recently sold in Ohio, which was presented to the University some years ago.

The resignation of Dr. Patterson, as wardmaster in the hospital, was formally presented and accepted.

A letter was read from Dr. Rominger, relative to his collection of fossils. It was reported to the museum committee, who reported adversely.

The board's attention was called to the fact that the University had, for the past two or three years, been paying taxes on lots in Detroit, deeded there years ago. The question was raised whether the property was taxable. The matter was referred to the law committee.

On motion, Regent Draper was placed on the committee caused by the resignation of Regent Joy.

The sum of \$500 was appropriated as a guarantee fund for the semi-centennial concert and \$75 for decorating purposes.

Mr. Galy, assistant professor of Latin, who is now in Europe, was granted a year's leave of absence.

Regent Grosvenor arose and said he had a resolution to offer which referred to President Angell. The president immediately called Regent Blair to the chair and retired. Mr. Grosvenor then offered the following resolution, which was supported by Regent Field, in his most flowery manner.

Resolved, that from and after October 1, 1887, the salary of President James B. Angell shall be \$5,000 per annum, payable quarterly; that all emoluments now allowed to him shall be continued.

It was unanimously adopted.

Thos. C. Trueblood was appointed instructor in elocution in the law department, for the second semester of the next college year, at a salary of \$500.

The request of Dr. Herdman for a sum not to exceed \$150, with which to purchase instruments for his department was granted.

A resolution of thanks was voted the Lansing Iron and Engine works, for their gift of castings of an engine to the mechanical laboratory.

The law committee reported the following resolution relative to the resignation of Prof. H. B. Hutchins:

Resolved, that the resignation of Prof. H. B. Hutchins, Jay professor of law, in the law department of the University, is hereby accepted to take effect on the first day of October, 1887, in accordance with his request, and the board of regents hereby tender the thanks of the University of Michigan to Prof. Hutchins for his faithful and satisfactory services here.

The following resolution was presented by the literary committee, which was adopted:

Resolved, that the privileges of the University, be extended to John Randolph Rogers, son of the eminent sculptor, Randolph Rogers, as a testimonial of the estimation in which the generous donor of the valued Rogers' collection is held by the board of regents.

A letter was read from the alumni society relative to a resolution adopted by the society in relation to the establishment of a Williams professorship of the University. The resolution is as follows:

Resolved, that the professorship be established; that the occupant receive his salary from the income of the interest on the fund raised for the support of the late Prof. Williams, after becoming too feeble to carry on his work; that the board of directors of the alumni have the nominating of some professor to fill this chair, the same to be selected from among the active professors of the University, who, through old age or other cause, become unable to carry on their full work; that the professorship shall be established not later than March, 1887, this professorship being an emeritus professorship, and in conformity to the plan indicated above.

In accordance with the above resolution, the board passed a resolution establishing said professorship.

The faculty of the homeopathic college presented a memorial stating that the faculty of the allopathic college were guilty of neglect and were violating the rules of the department, that the professors

who lecture and give instructions to students of both colleges, were not treating the homeopathic students as the rules require; that they refuse to recognize the homeopathic students, and will not give them certificates stating that said students had been in regular attendance and had passed in their studies. The allopathic doctors claimed if they signed said certificates they would be violating medical ethics and would be expelled from the American medical association. Strong arguments were used by the professors of both faculties. The board finally amended section seven, of the rules relating to the same, so as to read: "Every professor of both the regular and homeopathic departments, when a student has finished his work and passed his examination, shall file with the president official notice of such examination and he shall notify the dean of the department of which the student shall be a member."

The Old Folks' Concert.

The delighted audience at the Presbyterian church, Tuesday evening, were carried back to the days of "auld lang syne," and introduced to the customs and costumes of our grandfathers' days, in a very pleasant and musical manner. All the singers filled their parts well, and showed the superior training of their leader, Prof. Wiley. The quartette club, consisting of the two Hodge brothers and Messrs. Mallory and Wiley, added new laurels to their already large supply.

High School Notes.

School closed today at one o'clock, and reports will be read tomorrow morning in chapel.

All persons desiring to obtain books for reading during vacation, had better attend to it this week, as the library will not be open at all next week.

Prof. Chute has posted the work for the first week in the laboratory for next term, and all who have physics are requested to copy it.

The Chi Tau literary society will meet at Miss Susie Harwood's, on Division-st, this evening, instead of meeting on Friday evening in the chapel.

The participants of the junior exhibition have been doing some remarkable rehearsing, the past few weeks, and something very interesting is expected tomorrow evening. The entertainment will open at a little before eight o'clock. Tickets are on sale at the different session rooms at fifteen cents each, or can be purchased at the door for twenty-five cents each.

Cocker League.

The entertainment given by the Cocker league, last Monday evening, was a great success. The large audience listened attentively and highly appreciated the excellent programme. Where all did so well it is difficult to specialize in reporting the entertainment. "Yraumerer" and "The march from Yarenschauer" (violin, cornet and piano) by Mrs. Hall and Messrs. Clement and Drake were well rendered and highly appreciated by all. The "Dental Octet" made its first appearance before the league and their excellent selections were so well sung that they will ever be popular with the league and the large audience who listened to their singing.

Miss Scraftford is an elocutionist of rare ability and completely won her audience. Her "One day solitary," and "The moon" were enthusiastically received by the whole audience.

R. S. Smith's bass solo, "The London bridge," was well rendered.

Miss Michener, from the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, with her violin, gave the audience a rich treat in playing "Cavatina" and other selections. Miss Michener's musical future seems bright indeed. Judge Cheever's address on "The real condition of the south," was instructive, entertaining and well received. M. H. Clark's whistling solos took the audience by storm. Miss Garrigue's rendition of "Cleopatra," and "The sister's bean," delighted the audience. They were received with great favor.

An Old Programme.

W. W. Wines, in looking through a lot of old papers, a few days ago, found the following programme, which, on account of its old age, we publish, thinking it may be of interest to some of our old subscribers:

CONCERT.

By the Choir of the First Presbyterian Church.

THIS EVENING.

Prof. Whiting, Organist. J. Ward Plute, Miss Swathel, Pianist. L. Mead, Trombone.

1. Chorus—Before Jehovah's Awful Throne, Choir.
2. Chorus—Lord of all Power and Might, Choir.
3. Glee—Hail Smiling Morn, Chandler, Newbury, Smith, Miller.
4. Song—Evening Song to the Virgin, Miss Waiter, Miss Miller, Mrs. King, Choir.
5. Chorus—But in the Last Days, Choir.
6. Song—Birds of Passage, Miss Halstead, Miss Mosely, Mrs. King, Choir.
7. Round—Ah! How Sophia, Chandler, Smith, Miller.
8. Chorus—Wake the Song of Jubilee, Chorus.
9. Glee—The Mariners, Chandler, Smith, Miller.
10. *Ocean, Choir.
11. *Montgomery, Choir.
12. Song—Messenger Birds, Misses Miller, Hill, Waiter.
13. Song—The Old Granite State, Misses Loomis, Halstead, Wells, Messrs. Chandler, Miller, Mead.
14. Song—We are Happy and Free, Miss Waiter, Miss Miller, Mr. Miller.
15. Chorus—Plunged in a Gulf or Dark Despair, Choir.
16. Glee—King Alcohol, Newbury, Smith, Miller.
17. Chorus—The Earth is the Lord's, Choir.
18. Chorus—"Old Fashioned Music."

ADMITTANCE—Twelve and a half cents. Tickets at the Book Stores of Maj. Mosely, and Judge Peery.

SEEKING FURTHER INFORMATION.

The courteous answers given to the questions asked a fortnight ago, lead the propounder of those questions, who still feels the need of light, to seek further information in the same way.

1. If the amendment is adopted and the legislature fails to enact a statute, can men be arrested and convicted and property in liquor be confiscated, simply on the strength of the amended constitution?

2. In the state of Iowa, the effort to amend the constitution failed, and the Clark Prohibitory Law was passed by the legislature upon the basis of the old constitution. This law provides for the seizure and destruction of all liquor, the confiscation and sale of furniture, and the closing of the building where liquor has been sold. Will the legal gentlemen point out the difference between the constitution of Iowa and that of Michigan, by which this is possible under one and not under the other?

3. Was not liquor confiscated and destroyed in Maine under statute, for thirty years before the constitutional amendment was adopted in that state? Did the constitution of Maine support a law which would be unconstitutional in Michigan?

4. The section of the constitution which it was intimated last week, might interfere with the execution of a "search and seizure" clause in a prohibitory statute, reads thus, "No person shall be compelled in any criminal case, to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law." Constitution of Mich., article VI, section 32. Will the gentlemen tell us whether there are not many decisions showing that the state has abundant power to confiscate any property, or forbid its manufacture, if it is deemed harmful or dangerous to the people?

5. Will not a statute based upon this amendment, which affirms that "spirituous, malt or vinous liquor" is sometimes property and sometimes is not, according to its future use, be far more difficult of execution than a law, based on our present constitution, which recognizes it as property and confiscates it, because it is dangerous to the public welfare?

6. If there are provisions in our constitution not found in that of Iowa, which forbid so strict a statute as the legislature of that state has passed, would it not be wiser to seek to remove these, rather than to put further limits upon our power to control and eradicate this great evil?

7. Suppose that of the 400,000 voters of this state, 100,000 should vote for the amendment and 90,000 against it, and suppose this small majority is given in a few legislative districts, so that a majority of the members of the legislature are from districts voting against the amendment, have we reason to hope that a legislature, now unwilling to give us a prohibitory statute, will give us one then?

8. Do the mandatory terms of the amendment involve any real authority over the members of the legislature, so that they can be punished for perjury or any other crime, if, after taking their oath of office, they fail to enact a prohibitory statute?

9. If we adopt the amendment and thus annul our tax law and surrender our power to levy taxes upon this business, are we not yielding a constitutional right which is of value and may be made of greater value in reducing and ultimately removing the evils of drunkenness? In 1874 there were in Michigan, two distilleries, employing twenty hands and manufacturing 280,000 gallons of liquor annually. In 1884 no distilleries of liquor are reported, and Professor Dickie says there are none. In 1874 there were 148 breweries employing 612 hands, manufacturing 217,950 barrels of beer; in 1884 there were 82 breweries, employing 627 hands, the amount manufactured is not reported. There were also in 1874, five places where wine was manufactured, employing 17 persons and manufacturing \$39,000 worth of wine. None are reported for 1884. In 1874 there were 5 breweries in Washtenaw county, employing 28 persons; in 1884 there were 3 breweries, employing 9 persons. When the tax law went into operation there were, it is said, from 60 to 80 drinking places in Ann Arbor; now there are 38. Is not the decrease of an evil a gain for righteousness, the reduction of the number of persons employed in this bad business and of the places of temptation, an advantage to the state and the community? In the long, hard conflict before us, can we afford to surrender any weapon we now possess?

As there will be but one more issue of THE REGISTER before the election,—which it is hoped will contain a searching answer to these queries,—and as this must, therefore, be the last communication from the writer upon the subject, he ventures to state what, with present light, seems to him, and to some other temperance men, as the wise course:

1. To vote down the amendment as putting limits upon our power to deal with the evils of intemperance, which may prove a serious embarrassment to us.
2. If there are at present any constitutional limitations which prevent our enforcing as good a statute as that of Iowa, to secure their removal as soon as possible.
3. To follow the example of temperance people in Iowa, who, when their effort to change the constitution, failed, elected a legislature committed to prohibition, and thus secured a constitutional and workable law.

Frank Otis is visiting his mother, Mrs. Aretus Dunn, on Washington-st. Mr. Otis has been sailing on the ocean for twenty-one years, and for thirteen years has been first mate on the palace line of Morgan steamers running from New Orleans to Vera Cruz, Havana and New York. He has made an engagement to sail on the lakes the coming season with Capt. James Congdon, from Buffalo to Chicago.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Dr. Arndt was in Lapeer Wednesday. Prof. Dennison was in Detroit Monday.

Business called John Gates, to Detroit, Tuesday.

Geo. Wahr was in Detroit, yesterday, on business.

M. C. Peterson has returned from his southern trip.

J. C. Watts, of Saginaw, was in the city over Sunday.

J. T. Jacobs was an Ann Arbor visitor to Detroit Tuesday.

Mayor Robison was in Detroit last Friday and Saturday.

Alex. Angell, of Chicago, was home on a visit over Sunday.

Louis Taylor was home from Chicago, Sunday and Monday.

J. C. Knowlton was in Detroit Saturday, on legal business.

Miss Inez Fitzgerald, of Manchester, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Stone.

Charles Pantel, of St. Paul, visited friends in this city over Sunday.

G. Pennell, U. S. deputy marshal, of St. John, was in the city last Saturday.

Frederick Schmid, of the firm of Mack & Schmid, is in New York buying goods.

Miss Mame Benham, who is teaching school near Plymouth, is home on a visit.

Mrs. Augusta Cleff will go to Chicago next week where she will reside in the future.

C. J. Hand, of Alma, formerly of this city, is in town shaking hands with old friends.

Mrs. Christ. Binder will leave next week for Montana, where her husband located last fall.

Frank Brown, son of the general superintendent of the M. C. R. R., was in the city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Blitz, of Detroit, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Blitz over Sunday.

D. C. Goodspeed, a former Ann Arbor boot and shoe merchant, was in the city the first of the week.

Richard Kearns, of Detroit, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Kearns, in this city, over Sunday.

Sheriff Walsh took Bell, one of the Milan burglars, to Ionia, Monday. Bell will be absent one year.

Mrs. Savilla Schoff and son, of Marshalltown, Iowa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Schoff, on Division-st.

Miss Mae Smiley, who was the guest of Miss Mary Ashley, last week, returned to her home in Kalamazoo, Monday.

Dr. Sheldon, of Manchester, was in the city the first of the week. The doctor contemplates removing to Hillsdale.

T. F. Hill, who was called home last week to attend the funeral of L. C. Risdon, will remain during the summer.

Dr. Porter, of Bay City, formerly of this city, is in the city this week, attending the meeting of the state dental association.

A. C. Burnham, of Battle Creek, formerly associated with Randall, the photographer, is in the city visiting friends.

Hon. and Mrs. A. J. Sawyer, were in Stockbridge, Monday, attending the tenth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gildart.

John Lindenschmidt, with A. L. Noble, was very agreeably surprised, Tuesday evening, by a number of his friends calling upon him.

Mrs. Weissert, who has been visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allaby's, on East Washington-st, the past four weeks, returned to her home in Hastings, Mich., today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hinman and Mrs. Ryan of Battle Creek, Wm. Beers, of Algonac, and Mrs. Harriet Mead, of Saline, were among those who attended the funeral of L. C. Risdon, Sunday.

The wife and son of Dr. Frank Kraft arrived here last week from Chanute, Kansas, their former home. Dr. Kraft has been here since shortly before the holidays at which time he became associated with Dr. H. C. Allen, on the editorial staff of the Medical Advance.

A. E. Jennings, O. L. Miller, W. H. Walker, C. V. Nafe, C. A. Loomis, E. S. Shaw and A. C. Strickler have been speaking for the amendment in different parts of the county. Meetings are being arranged for these and several more of the boys for next week. The boys report good meetings.



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THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1887.

COUNTY NEWS.

Doings at Ypsil.

Prof. Putnam, of the Normal, filled the M. E. pulpit, Sunday morning.

The Normal lecture and music course is finished for the season. Next!

The township democrats hold their caucus at Babbitt's office, Saturday p. m.

Ed. Ferguson, teacher at Royal Oak, has been home to recover from slight illness.

Rev. Mr. Ellis, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Rev. Cheney, pastor of the Baptist church.

Miss Childs, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Miss McMahon, of the Normal, Monday.

Miss Ettie Grey, high school preceptress, is spending the vacation at her home in Gross Isle.

Geo. Schad, a young man living in the fifth ward, died of consumption last Friday and was buried Sunday.

Mud paint is being used largely in decorating our fashionable houses. The work is very striking and pretty.

It is rumored that interesting facts concerning the burning of Michael Casey's house last spring, will soon be brought to light.

Fred Hale, of Alma, has been in the city on business this week. He reports his father and the patients as being well pleased with the Alma Sanitarium.

The opera house was packed full, Sunday evening, by people eager to hear Col. Bain, of Kentucky, talk on the amendment question; and he stirred 'em, too.

The young men hold a big prohibition meeting tonight at the opera house. Five minute addresses by fifteen young men will be given. A big turn out is expected.

The amendment meetings are made very enjoyable by the assistance of the young men's quartette; composed of Messrs. C. Y. Smith, R. H. Edwards, Ben Boyce and Don Phillips.

Mr. Chas. Leonard, a former resident of this city, died last Wednesday, of dyptheria, while traveling in Wisconsin. His body was taken to Marietta, Ohio, his old home, for interment.

As every available space on the walks are being appropriated by the small fry for marbles, we are sure that spring, gentle spring, is about to be sprung upon us. Marble playing is a sure sign.

Dr. Radcliff, of Fort-st Presbyterian church, Detroit, and an elder from the Westminster church, visited the Presbyterian church, of this city, last Thursday, by appointment from Presbytery, to report its financial and spiritual condition.

Intense surprise was created Monday forenoon, by the announcement of the death of N. M. Thompson, who died in the morning, after only two or three hours illness. Paralysis was pronounced the cause of his death and was wholly unexpected, as Mr. Thompson ate breakfast feeling as well as usual, but soon after was prostrated. He had been in the insurance business a number of years, and was a greatly respected citizen.

Saturday afternoon, John Ellsworth, a farmer, drove to Deuble's mill with a load of grain, and after unloading, instructed his hired boy to drive out of the way of other waiting teams and wait for him. The boy drove to the bridge and suddenly recollecting a forgotten grain bag, left the team to watch some youngsters playing marbles, and ran back to the mill. The horses were more interested in the subject of the good supper awaiting them at home and so started, pell mell, up the street, running into Joel Ressler's carriage and throwing him and daughter out, and causing a regular wreck of the vehicle. No one very seriously hurt, but a big scare was caused all around.

Saline Sayings.

School closes this week.

G. J. Nissly visited Toledo the 22nd, inst.

A. K. Rouse has received a saligraph for trial.

R. H. Marsh and wife visited Ypsilanti last week.

Peter Aldrich, of Brooklyn, visited his brother Ed, last week.

Invitations announce the marriage of Mr. Lou. Brown, the 23rd, inst.

Several of our horsemen took in L. Yost's auction at Ypsilanti, the 15th.

O. E. Hawkins, of the Observer, is chasing a new devil around the office.

Dr. J. S. Reager, of Ohio, spoke upon the amendment Monday evening, the 21st.

W. Robison, superintendent of the Detroit schools, was in town over Sunday.

F. Henne advertises his entire stock for sale at cost as he is going out of business.

Mrs. F. Fellows has returned from Manchester, where she has been visiting friends.

A. J. Warren and wife have returned from their visit to the northern part of the state.

Suckers must be on the run from the amount of fish poles seen carried toward the river.

The social at the residence, of A. M. Clark the 15th, netted the nice little sum of \$17.00.

Many of our citizens attended the funeral of L. C. Riden, at Ann Arbor, the 20th, inst.

Several of our citizens took in the "Devil's Auction" at Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor last week.

E. W. Wallace and L. S. Pierce attended the funeral of Lyman Wallace, at Detroit, the 16th inst.

Prof. Dickie, of Albion, addressed the people of Saline on the amendment the 19th, afternoon and evening.

H. T. Nichols, who left for Texas and southern California, some ten days ago, has been heard from at El Paso, Tex.

Mrs. H. R. Mead has gone to Ann Arbor to attend the funeral of her brother L. C. Riden, which took place the 20th.

G. J. Nissly informs us that it takes

him most of his time, night and day, to keep his orders filled for poultry and eggs.

The walks last Sunday morning looked as if the devil's auction had stayed in town, or some other devil without the auction.

Mrs. S. H. Hartwell, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting at her uncle's, M. Reynolds, on her way to London, Eng., where she is going to visit her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Harrison.

Webster Whispers.

The church and school closed last Friday.

The school on the plains begins next Monday.

Elmer S. Cushman was in Sharon this week on business.

Wm. Boyden is in Vermont purchasing more fine wool sheep.

Mrs. S. W. Clarkson, of Ann Arbor, is visiting friends in Webster.

Farmers are sowing clover seed. This looks as though spring had come.

Elmer C. Allen, son of Capt. Allen, and Charlie Comstock are rusticiating in Webster.

Ray McColl is one of the speakers in the junior exhibition at Ann Arbor this week Friday evening.

Many of the farmers are taking advantage of the improved roads and are hauling wheat and logs to mill.

John Cushing's little boy, six years old, fell a distance of fourteen feet in a barn, while playing, and hurt himself quite seriously. He is doing well under the doctor's care.

Webster has been visited by musical tramps, foolish tramps and sullen tramps. The question is, ought we to board these fellows for doing this tramping business when there are other things that need to be done?

Tip Phelps bought a valuable cow of Wm. Ball a few days ago, paying \$250 for her, and before leaving the premises the cow threw herself in such a way as to nearly kill her. It was thought that she could not live, but she has been slowly recovering and will probably be able in a few days to be led home.

The reading circle meets at the residence of Geo. Phelps, Friday evening, April 1st. The programme is as follows: Music. Quotations: Essay, Henry Ward Beecher, Nellie Queal; recitation, Mary Blodgett; "Common errors in English," read by Munnis Kenny; discussion of paper by society; music; reading, Eddie Phelps; miscellaneous business; music.

Improved Gas Burners.

In the American Gas Light Journal for March 2nd, 1886, there appears a paper which was read before the American Gas Light Association at its recent meeting, on the use of the Siemens-Lungren Gas Burner, and its economy in the consumption of gas. This is the burner recently introduced by the Ann Arbor Gas Light Co. in several of our business houses and in the new M. C. R. R. depot, and which is now attracting much attention.

The article gives the result of the use of the burner in several stores where it was used. The burners used consume but 12 feet of gas per hour, and this is guaranteed by the manufacturers. Two burners displaced eleven large oil lamps, at an expense of \$2.48 each per month for May, June, July and August and since their adoption last April up to February 1st, 1887, with gas at \$2.25 per 1000 feet they have cost \$31.76. No single month shows an excess of \$4.50, with an average cost of \$3.17 per month for the ten months.

The article says: "I find upon careful calculation and almost eleven month's experience that two 12 feet Lungren burners light the same internal area equally as well as would be done by a full arc electric light with the positive advantage of two points of distribution, a light that is white, perfectly steady and under ones own control. They cannot pass or consume more gas than claimed, so the expense may be calculated to a nicety. A comparison with a charge of say 40 cents per night for an arc light and gas at or about \$2.00 per 1000 feet shows that two Lungren's will burn one year for one half the expense of the arc and light the same space.

Mr. Lungren the inventor of the lamp was a graduate of the University in the class of 1875.

Attention, Good Templars!

Good Templars of Washtenaw county, the time for work is very short. Let each one put his whole weight into the work from now until the polls close on the 4th of April. Our motto is, "abstinence and prohibition." See to it that no stone is left unturned. Now we have a chance to help accomplish what our noble order was organized for—to overthrow the terrible drink curse. Remember your obligation. Let us use our influence, energy, talent, time and money to secure success. Remember that the enemy with which we have to contend is crafty and powerful. Our work has been greatly held back by the liquor laws. We have an opportunity to remedy this. Let us do it. Hold open lodges and public meetings, not one but many. Let those who live where there is no lodge, or where the old one is not working, petition for a new charter or build up the old lodge. The amendment must be carried. All desiring information will be cheerfully answered by addressing. Yours in F. H. & C.

H. R. Crozier, District Deputy G. C. T.

Ann Arbor, Mar. 14, 1887.

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Are now ready with a full line of

Ready Made Clothing, Gents' Furnishings,

HATS and CAPS for Spring.

We would call your attention to our Hat and Cap Department. We have the newest shapes and

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A large stock of

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Mothers should see our line of

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THE TWO SAMs

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The most artistic line of Tailor-Made Suits. The material in these garments can not be found in any other clothing establishment in the city.

The unrivaled **Top Overcoat** of our own introduction. We have sixteen distinct lines in all colors and shades, and worn by the best trade.

The Men's and Boys' Suits of our regular ready made garments are full and complete. We shall again this season as in the past undersell any and all Clothiers.

The fine Spittlefield Umbrellas in Gold and Silver Heads at \$8.00 are perfectly beautiful; suitable for Ladies and Gentlemen. We have them in all grades and prices.

Our line of Gold Headed Canes, also Silver Horn and others are now in our window.

Our fine White Shirts, plain and plaited excell.

New Style of Cold Shirts. No other house has them.

Our line of Kid Gloves in all the shades, including ALL the English reds at \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25.

Our line of Gentlemen's Tecks, Four in Hands and all the novelties of the season.

Our New Shape of HAT for spring wear is pronounced by all as being the best shape and style as compared with other makes. They are low in shape and are Messrs. Youman's and Silverman's extremes.

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We have the Largest Stock in Variety.

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A LARGE STOCK OF FINE SHOES

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No. 7 S. Main Street.

Just Received!

The finest assortment of Curtains just received, the newest styles in Crete, Tapestry, Madras, Silk Bunting and Turkoman; Also Lace, Nottingham and Swiss in great variety and at all prices.

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20,000 Rolls of Wall Paper just received for the Spring Season, from the cheapest blanks to the finest French and English papers. Elegant Ceiling Decorations, and everything needed in the Wall Paper Line. I also carry a full line of Curtain Poles, Shade Fixtures, Room Moldings, etc.

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They must go They shall go!

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SEE SOME OF THE PRICES.

Men's All Wool Suits \$10.00

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The Best 50c Shirt Made.

An Elegant line of **Spring Overcoats** Satin Lined.

Four-Button Cutaway Suits. (A Beautiful assortment.)

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Our Goods are all made by first-class **American Houses.**

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THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1887.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

ANN ARBOR TOWNSHIP.
A Caucus of the Republican voters of the town-
ship of Ann Arbor, will be held in the Court
House, on

Saturday, March 26, 1887,
at 2 o'clock, p. m., to nominate Township officers
and for the transaction of any other business that
may properly come before the meeting.
J. D. WILLIAMS, Com.
C. M. OSBORN, Sec.
F. C. HUSON.

PITTSFIELD TOWNSHIP.
The Republicans of Pittsfield will hold a caucus
at the town house,

Thursday, March 31st, at 2 p. m.,
for the purpose of nominating a township ticket
and to transact any other business that may be
presented.
MORTON F. CASE, Chairman of town committee.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Justice of the Supreme Court (short term).
—JAMES V. CAMPBELL.
For Justice of the Supreme Court (long term).
—CHARLES D. LONG.
For the Regents of the University.
—ROGER W. BUTTERFIELD.
—CHARLES HEBARD.

For Circuit Judge—22d Circuit.
EDWARD D. KINNE.

DETROIT TRIBUNE: There are now
nearly twenty little Grover Cleverlands in
this county. Some parents never did like
children.

OUR honored fellow-citizen, Judge
Cooley, has received another testimonial
of his worth and character, and the high
esteem and confidence in which he is uni-
versally held, by his appointment on the
interstate commerce commission, with the
probability that he will be made president
of the commission.

From all quarters we hear only com-
plimentary things said of our candidate
for circuit judge. Recently one of the
prominent politicians of the county said of
him: "If I had the appointing power I
do not know of a man I could select who
possesses so many good qualifications for
the office as Mr. Kinne." The report that
Mr. Kinne has not consented to allow his
name to be used is untrue. He is in the
field, and desires his friends to vote for
him at the polls.

Those who favor the prohibitory amend-
ment are making a gallant fight in this
city. The opera house was packed to its
utmost capacity the last two Saturday
evenings, to listen to the convincing argu-
ments of Finch and Bain, and on Sunday,
Hon. E. B. Fairfield, of Muskegon, made
the strongest plea in behalf of the amend-
ment, yet heard in this city, at two
crowded houses, in the Congregational
church in the afternoon and the Presby-
terian church in the evening. He is one
of the most able and candid speakers on
the stage and no one will deny that he
has the good of his fellow men at heart.

ONLY twelve days more remain before
the important election of this spring will
take place. Two justices of the supreme
court, two regents of the University, cir-
cuit court judges, and township and city
officers are to be elected. Besides the
election of these officers the voters will
be called upon to express their opinion upon
three amendments to the state constitu-
tion, relative to salaries, circuit courts
and prohibition, the latter of which is es-
pecially important. Upon this question
every voter in the state should cast his ballot
so that the sentiment of the state may be
well known, and there can be no mistake
as to the will of the people in regard to it.

The republican party of Michigan, for
its invaluable services to the state and
nation for the past quarter of a century,
and for its strict adherence and practice
of the grand principles that are the
basis of this government, deserves a
continuance in power, and will cer-
tainly have it if every voter of the
party does his duty. It would be a seri-
ous calamity to the best interests of the
state to surrender its management at this
time into the hands of those who have
always stood in opposition to the states-
man-like policy of the party that has
brought it to its present enviable position.
We predict a great republican victory in
our next national election.

The ticket presented by the republicans
is an exceptionally good one. Its nomi-
nees are men of ability and strict integrity
of character, and no better choice of men
for the positions could be made. Republi-
cans, do your duty, as the hour demands,
and a proud victory for the right will be
the result.

"The farmer, unfortunately for himself,
is not always as shrewd as he is industri-
ous, and most of the time when he makes
a slash at the city's face he incontinently
cuts off his own nose. That is what he
is certainly doing when he attempts to
abolish brewing and distilling."—Evening
News, March 23, 1887.

If there is any more forcible argument
to induce the farmer to drink liquor than
this from the News, we hope it will never
be discovered; and if the News believes
that the statement of its utterance is the

truth, we must believe it has become in-
toxicated by the breath of the liquor
sellers and bunimers who gather about
it to applaud, and praise its grand
efforts for the establishment of the
grog-shop. The News may not have
received any benefit from the large fund
that is said to have been raised by the
liquor dealers with which to fight for their
cause, but it talks just as we should ex-
pect a paper would that wanted some of
it very bad.

AS OTHERS SEE HIM.

Monroe Commercial: Hon. Edward D.
Kinne, of Ann Arbor, who was nominated
last week by the republicans of this ju-
dicial circuit, as their candidate for circuit
judge, is one of the best selections that
could have been made. Mr. Kinne has
had some twenty years of active law
practice, has been a careful student, and is,
a fair minded, honest, able, thoroughly
competent and clean cut man, of a ju-
dicial turn of mind, and possesses just the
qualities that go to make up the able, just
and righteous judge. That he is popular
at home, and possesses the good opinion
and confidence of his fellow citizens with-
out regard to party, is shown by the fact
of his having been elected mayor of his
own city, which usually gives a large
democratic majority, and also serving one
term in the Michigan legislature.

Mr. Kinne is in every way entitled to
and should receive the full republican vote
of Monroe county.

Dundee Reporter: We learn that Hon.
E. D. Kinne has finally been persuaded
to accept the republican nomination for
circuit judge for this judicial circuit, deem-
ing such acceptance to be in accordance
with the wishes and demands of his party
friends in both counties comprising the
circuit. This action of his will be hailed
with satisfaction throughout the circuit,
as it insures the election of an able and
first class judge, whichever of the candi-
dates may receive the majority of votes.
Mr. Kinne is an attorney with eminent
abilities, and is generally regarded as the
leading member of the Washtenaw county
bar, with experience of an extensive prac-
tice in all courts of the state, and his ser-
vices are frequently sought for in various
portions of the state. Is in the prime of
life, a graduate of the University and en-
joys a great amount of popularity among
his fellow citizens of Ann Arbor and
Washtenaw county. For two years was
mayor of Ann Arbor, has also been re-
corder, city attorney, and held other
official positions. Was a representative
in state legislature session of 1881-2, and
acquired reputation of being a leading
member of that body. As a candidate for
circuit judge he will make a strong run,
and should be elected will make an
official who will rank among the best
judges of the state.

An Iowa Baptist Minister Talks About Olney Hall.

To the Editor.

I have just read in your paper the
article headed "Olney Hall at Ann Arbor."
I am not in favor of discouraging the
movement for an Olney professorship at
Kalamazoo college. As a Baptist and a
native of Michigan, I say "Amen" to that
project. But not only as a Baptist, and a
Michigan man, but also as an alumnus of
U. of M., who feels the great need of a
christian development of character among
students at a state institution, and of a
religious week-day home for our Baptist
students at Ann Arbor, I desire also to
sound a hearty "Amen" to the idea of an
Olney Hall. For the bible teacher, I
should desire to see a man in the position,
who is as intensely spiritual as a Moody,
and who shall teach, rather than cold
theology, the living practical truths of the
bible and the best methods of using them
in christian work.

There are among the alumni of Michi-
gan University a great many successful
Baptists scattered all over America, and I
am confident a call for such a hall would
meet a hearty response from them. The
Baptists of the United States would join in
this movement, because of their interest
in the University, and because of the
large place the memory of our beloved
professor holds in their hearts.

Let us have the chair at Kalamazoo and
that first. It was the great desire of
Prof. Olney to endow such a chair. But
why not have the other as well? It may
be too early to move in the matter but it
is not too early to think and talk about it.

Sincerely Yours,
FRED. E. BRITTEN.

Pella, Iowa, Feb. 21, 1887.

Teeth Pullers of Michigan.

The thirty-second annual meeting of
the State Dental society, began a four
days session in the Dental college building
Tuesday afternoon. The association was
called to order at 1:30 p. m., Tuesday, and
their temporary organization perfected.
The remainder of the afternoon was spent
in making acquaintances and visiting the
various college buildings. The mornings
of each succeeding days have been de-
voted to operations and demonstrating
appliances in prosthetic dentistry. The
afternoons are devoted to operations in
operative dentistry. At the evening ses-
sions papers are read and discussions fol-
low.

The increased number present and in-
terest taken, demonstrate the wisdom of
holding the meetings where such facili-
ties are offered as those furnished by the
dental college of the University.

A number of distinguished men from
neighboring states are present.

The last congress passed a bill prohib-
iting the employment of convict labor on
public buildings, but President Cleveland,
true to his monopolistic principles refused
to append his signature.

This being vacation week the Argonaut
will not appear Saturday.

Coming Events.

Henry George, the labor agitator, will
lecture in University Hall this evening,
on "Land and Labor."

The public recital announced to take
place in room 24, University building,
has been postponed until Friday afternoon
at four o'clock, at the same place.

The ladies of the Baptist church have a
new craze. It takes the form of a "Crazy
Tea," to be served in the church parlors
from 6 to 9, on Thursday evening, March
24th. Admission free.

Rev. Mr. Sunderland's subject at the
Unitarian church next Sunday morning will
be "Keeping Lent." In the evening he
will give a lecture on "The Causes which
produced the Reformation of the 16th
Century."

At White's Theatre last evening, "The
Two Johns" comedy company opened a
week's engagement in a three-act piece
entitled "The Two Johns." The prin-
cipal characters, the two Johns, are taken
by two really clever comedians, who are
so remarkably alike, in rotundity, features
and voice, as to occasion no end of laugh-
ter by the numerous cases of mistaken
identity and the laughable incidents con-
nected therewith. The play was un-
doubtedly suggested by the Comedy of
Errors. The support is good,—the com-
pany comprising several very fine singers,
who intersperse the performances with
their various specialties.—Detroit Tribune.

Gilmore's Band.

To the Editor:

New York, March 18, 1887.
I noticed by this morning's paper that
Pat Gilmore's band is due in Ann Arbor,
April 5th, 1887. If your readers want to
enjoy a treat, by all means attend. Some
years ago Gilmore took his entire band to
Europe, i. e., through England, France and
Germany, and took those countries by
storm. Should Paddy consent, get him to
play his own compositions, "Columbia,"
"The Turkish Patrol," and "The Lost
Chord," by Sullivan, and the selection of
popular melodies. You will have a rich
musical treat. The Twenty-second N. Y.
S. N. G. served in the last war, and is
one of our bon-ton organizations, and Paddy
leads the band. Their new armory
will surpass that of any regiment. By all
means hear Gilmore, even if you have to
"put up" your watch to do so. Nemo.

LITERARY NOTES.

The March Pansy opens with a capital
story for boys, written by Pansy herself,
followed by another for girls, "Fretting
Lettie," by Mary E. Matheny, of Tarsus,
Asia Minor. The leading stories, by Mrs.
G. R. Alden (Pansy) and Margaret Sid-
ney, possess unusual interest, while the
sketch of remarkable women (Queen Vic-
toria) with portrait and picture of the
queen's home in the Scottish Highlands,
the poem for recitation combining counsel
with history, the shorter stories, sketches
and verse, make up a number not to be
excelled in reading for boys and girls, as
well as the entire family. Illustrated.
\$1.00 per year. D. Lothrop & Co.,
Boston.

Prof. Louis McLouth, lit '58, for many
years a teacher in the Normal school at
Ypsilanti, and for the last five years a
professor in the Agricultural college at
Lansing, was some time ago tendered the
position of president of the Dakota Agri-
cultural college at Brookings, in the south-
eastern part of the territory. He has
finally decided to accept the position and
will leave for his new and enlarged field
of labor in a few weeks.

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Publications, with Maps,
describing Minnesota,
North Dakota, Montana,
Idaho, Washington and
Oregon, the Free Government Lands and Low
Price Railroad Lands in the Northern Pacific
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Caution! Some dealers recommend inferior
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knowledge their own inferiority by attempting to
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Made in Button, Congress and
Lace, Best Gait Skin. Unex-
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formation how to get this
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Territory.
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Our celebrated factory produces a larger quantity
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world. Thousands who wear them will tell you the
reason if you ask them. JAMES MEANS' \$3
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Full line of the above shoes for sale in Ann Ar-
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Of every variety. CARPETS in large
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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.

SPRING OVERCOATS AND CONFIRMATION SUITS

The line of Overcoats we show this season is conceded by every one, the
largest and most complete in the city. The styles, the very newest and; nob-
biest. Every Gentleman is invited to examine them.

Our German Friends will find the line of CONFIRMATION SUITS com-
plete in every particular. We have been fortunate this season to secure a
large assortment appropriate for this occasion. Prices from \$5.00 to \$20.00.
The Suits for \$10.00 are far superior to anything ever shown in this city.

A. L. NOBLE,

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NOW If not, Why not?

Is the time to put in your order for that

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Call and See Them!

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IF a new merchant enters into business in your city and invites
every one to come in and get acquainted and learn his business
methods, IS it not FAIR to give him a call?

If not, Why not?

IF this merchant sells you as good goods for as little money, and
uses you as well as dealers away from home, IS it not JUST to
give him a trial?

If not, Why not?

IF other dealers offer you goods which your home merchants can
furnish, and maybe cheaper, or else make the outsider sell
cheaper, IS it not POLIOY to get your home dealers prices, and terms
before buying?

If not, Why not?

IF a dealer is established in your own city, where you can always
find him to have errors corrected and differences adjusted and
who is reliable and responsible, IS it not BEST to buy of him where you
can know everything will be as represented?

If not, Why not?

IF a man works to merit the confidence of the people, does every-
thing on the square, tells things as they are, uses you honestly
and well, IS it not RIGHT to give him your trade

If not, Why not?

I am here in your city with a full line of Musical goods. The cele-
brated Haines Bros.' Pianos, the New England Pianos, Famous Estey
Organs, and anything and everything a Music store should have.

I'm bound to sell honest goods at honest prices, tell things as they are,
and in this way try and build up a trade. If you do not call on me when
in need of goods, I can only ask,

IF NOT, WHY NOT?

LEW H. CLEMENT,

Successor to Alvin Wilsey, 25 Fourth St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

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We mean and wish to close the whole stock out in the shortest time
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The goods must go. Don't you miss the chance. We have Mechanics
to do repairing and upholstering, and have also a lot of No. 1 Clover
Seed for Sale.

RICHMOND & TREADWELL,

Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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Have just received a fine line of

Gold and Silver Headed Canes!

Also a fresh assortment of SILK UMBRELLAS in
New Patterns.

New Novelties in Jewelry just out for the Spring trade.

How to Read
your doctor's prescriptions. Send three 2 cent stamps, to pay postage and receive Dr. Kaufmann's great treatise on diseases; illustrated in color; it gives their signs and abbreviations; Address A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass.

"Our school teachers—seeking to improve their minds and methods, it is the headline of a Buffalo exchange. It is true, the minds of some of our school teachers need improving a good deal more than those of the pupils. What it lacks in humor it makes up in truth."

A SWINDLER
does not refer possible purchasers to his victims. The Athlaphoras Co. gladly refers sufferers from rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, nervous or sick headache, kidney and liver complaints to the man who has been cured of these diseases by Athlaphoras, and will furnish names and addresses of many such persons to those desiring them. Athlaphoras is the only remedy for these diseases that can stand such a test.

Lancaster, Wis.
I have suffered more or less with rheumatism, also general debility. For the past year the trouble has constantly increased so that for a month I could not dress myself, could not get up from my chair without help. From my head to my feet every cord and muscle was stiff and sore. During this time I used various remedies all to no purpose, and continued to grow worse. My attention being called to Athlaphoras I procured a bottle. I took five doses then slept easily till eight o'clock A. M. I got up and dressed myself and walked out without a cane. I was astonished at the result, could hardly realize that it had produced such an effect. I am getting to be an old man (72). I don't suppose it will make me a young man, but will help the lamp of life to burn calmly.

SAMUEL BARSTOW.
Montfort, Wis.
I have derived more benefit from Athlaphoras than any other medicine I have ever taken. I have been troubled with inflammatory rheumatism for about ten years, at times I was helpless, have tried all the medicine I could hear of but found no cure, until I got a bottle of Athlaphoras. After taking one-half of it I have not been bothered since. GEO. GALLOWAY.

Every druggist should keep Athlaphoras and Athlaphoras Pills, but where they cannot be bought of the druggist the Athlaphoras Co., 112 Wall St., New York, will send either (carriage paid) on receipt of regular price, which is \$1.00 per bottle for Athlaphoras and 50c. for Pills.

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All kinds of Berry Plants; Fine Plants of the Sharpless; The best Strawberry; Fruit and Ornamental trees from Ellwanger & Barry, Rochester, N. Y. Orders must be sent early.

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Sweet Home-made Wine for Invalids, and the Enchanter, Sour Wine, Raspberry Syrup, Shrub, Pear Syrup. Plymouth Rock Eggs.

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An Open Letter to Rev. W. H. Ryder.

REV. AND DEAR BROTHER: An article over your name containing five questions and a request that "some advocate of the proposed amendment to the constitution answer them," has been placed on my table and I have been asked to answer your questions.

As you ask for a "candid" answer it is but fair to suppose that "the temperance men," who are in the dark, are seeking light through these openings, and not controversy, and are candid in asking them.

I can only account for the fact that I am asked to give a few answers, on the ground that I am so familiar with the Iowa campaign. These and kindred questions appeared throughout the Iowa campaigns, and while perhaps they perplexed in a greater or less degree some "candid temperance men," they were chiefly used by high license men and liquor dealers as objections to constitutional prohibition.

If these interrogatories had not been promulgated from a source so high, and presumably in the fullest sympathy with any measure which in the light of reason, experience and testimony, is best calculated to "utterly annihilate the liquor business," (Public Leader), the public might think that they are still used in the interest of high license; "But, beloved, we are persuaded better things of you, and things that accompany salvation (not regulation), though we thus speak."

Question I. "Will not our present constitution support as strict a prohibitory statute as could be based upon the amended constitution?"

Ans. No doubt it would sustain as stringent prohibitory statutes as any legislative body elected on such an issue could enact. The United States supreme court has repeatedly and recently (see Iowa) decided that police and nuisance laws and whatever they necessarily involve, are not antagonistic to the spirit of constitutional law, state or national.

Question 2. "If the present legislature will not pass a prohibitory statute now, what reason is there to suppose they will after April 4th, if the amendment carries?"

Ans. A preceding legislature enacted a law, which in effect conferred certain informal chartered rights, conditionally upon all saloon keepers. Whether that body fairly represented the sentiments and wishes of the majority of voters (saying nothing of the non-voting classes) of this commonwealth, in that act, or whether that act now represents such majority is a matter of considerable doubt and controversy, indeed the rapidly changing sentiments everywhere manifest, and the increasing favor which constitutional prohibition is receiving in the nation, and the 25,000 prohibition votes cast for a new and prohibitory political party last fall, seem to challenge the policy of our present high license enactments. The present legislature, which was not elected on an amendment issue would hardly presume to make so radical a change as this "proposed amendment" would do, by passing prohibitory statutes of an equivalent nature, without the backing of a majority of the citizens.

How can they know what the "dear people" want until a direct vote is taken on the matter in issue.

Having of their own accord asked the people for a speedy decision, as to what changes they want in matters pertaining to liquor legislation, it is reasonable and fair to presume that they are and will be honorable and will enact suitable laws, well-calculated to enforce the decisions and declaration of the people.

Again, the proposed amendment declares that laws, necessary to enforce it, shall be enacted upon its passage. I understand that several such bills are now pending the decisive vote of April 4th. It is hardly to be supposed that this legislature will violate the constitutional requirements in this respect.

Question 3. "If we cannot elect a legislature committed to such a statute now, why can we hope to elect such a legislature after adopting the amendment?"

Ans. (A) In this you assume that such a legislature could not now be elected. This you do not know and I scarcely need ask you to differentiate between assumption and knowledge.

(B) Under the usual methods of constructing a legislative body, it is very difficult to divest the ballot of partisan design so as to obtain a fair expression of the people touching the presence of the saloon, but thousands of people can, and will vote for the amendment if it is offered now, who could not sufficiently free themselves from the influence of partisan politics and candidates to vote directly against the rum interests on any other plan.

This plan seems to carry wherever tried.

(C) Should a majority of the citizens vote for the amendment, it is but fair to presume that they will vote so as to construct a legislature pledged to enact laws sufficient to enforce it whenever the issue arises.

Every state which has carried the amendment in these latter days has been able to do so, and the enforcement party grows stronger yearly.—See latest from Rhode Island, Iowa, Kansas, Georgia and others.

After more than twenty-five years of trial of statutory prohibition, Maine by 47,000 majority, has recently put prohibition into her constitution to stay.

The people who voted on the amendment in Iowa were sufficient and proud to elect subsequent legislatures pledged to enact laws sufficient to prohibit, and supreme courts to give unbiased judicial decisions.

Question 4. "If we adopt the amendment, and thus annul all our present restrictive laws, and the legislature fails to give us a workable prohibitory statute, will we not be worse off than we are now?"

Ans. Perhaps so if it were possible. We however, should not sell any more rum than we now do. I have never heard of the failure of any man who had "spot cash" to obtain all he wanted and I doubt if men will all at once swell out and greatly enlarge their capacities. I

have never heard of an instance of any dealer being so restrained by our tax law, as not to sell all he could find purchasers for. And, indeed, the liquor dealers have told us over and over again (when we were asking a small tax only) that "where rum is sold without restraint or taxation many of the incentives to drinking do not exist, and consequently there is less drinking, drunkenness, poverty and crime under free rum than under high license."

The New York liquor dealers in a recent convention, called to oppose Dr. Crosby's high license bill, said: "Whereas the passage of such a law, instead of diminishing the number of saloons, would increase the present number, since it would attract to illicit and secret selling, the worst class in every neighborhood, and the increased revenue derived from those who would be able to pay the general fee of \$1,000 would be not sufficient to detect and prosecute the lawless seller."

Resolved, That in the interest of public morality and true temperance we protest against the high license bill."

Again, so far as the present amount of liquor sold and drunk, the number of children and drunkards admitted to the saloons generally, and the amount of idleness, poverty and crime produced by the business, are concerned, I do not see how we could "be any worse off."

Indeed the liquor dealers think we would be better off.

We should probably lose our present revenue through the saloon, but who wants to exchange his boy for tax money in the liquor marts. All saloon revenue is collected from the people by the saloon-keepers, it is not brought into the state by him, nor dug out of the earth by his hands.

Question 5. "Is it wise or right for the temperance men of the state to so bind themselves that they must submit to 'free rum' until they can secure and enforce absolute prohibition?"

Ans. No man claims for a prohibitory amendment that it will of itself secure absolute prohibition of the use of liquor.

We claim that it will prohibit public places of selling, debauchment and crime as effectively as a galling gun will prohibit riotous processions and mobs.

God has never yet secured the absolute prohibition of any evil on earth, but notwithstanding this, He still insists on prohibitory laws, with severe penalties attached, and while some are seeking their repeal, and others are declaring them unconstitutional, and still others are violating them, God moves on undisturbed, maintaining that it is both wise and right to bind himself and the earth to just such a system, submitting as He does, and we do, to many infractions of the same.

God declares, I believe, that He will yet on the part of countless numbers, secure the absolute prohibition of evil, and on the part of the disobedient He will secure the enactment of the penalties of the P. Laws which say "thou shalt not," and thus secure their enforcement.

I see no real or imaginary hindrance in these positions which should cause any man for a moment to hesitate or waver, if he has at heart the determination to "do with his might" whatever his hands find to do in the present crisis.

It is enough for me that the liquor dealers don't want the amendment and have raised the flag of distress.

Let us push on to victory with such means as are at hand.

The eyes of many rum-cursed states are hopefully looking to Michigan. I am an anti-saloon republican.

W. A. WATERMAN.
(Pastor Ist Cong. Ch., Kalamazoo.
March 22nd, 1887.

Taxpayers Attention!

ANN ARBOR, Mar. 9, '87.

Mr. Editor: In high license Illinois the people pay \$7.00 per capita per annum taxes; in prohibition Iowa, less than 30 cents; in prohibition Kansas, 20 cents; in prohibition Maine, 10 cents; in prohibition Vermont, 10 cents. These latter states know a good thing and keep it.

Maine has had prohibition over 30 years, and it is the universal testimony of her governors, United States senators, representatives in congress, presidents of colleges, and other prominent men, that it is a success, and her people could not be induced to repeal it. The Kansas prohibition amendment went into effect in 1881, and Kansas today would vote down a proposition to repeal it by from 70,000 to 100,000 majority. As an illustration of the effect of the prohibition laws in Kansas, there was a monthly celebration July 4th, of last year, at Topeka, the capitol, with a population of 30,000. Thousands of strangers were there, and a big circus was running; and the next morning there were only two drunks before the courts. They said in the license days of Kansas that prohibition would injure the property of the state so that the Germans would not come to it. What are the facts? The assessed value of the state was then \$170,000,000, now it is \$500,000,000, and it has gained 500,000 in population. Ann Arbor, the greatest literary center of the west, should ponder these things. She has started out to grow, to advertise her educational advantages, and the biggest kind of an advertisement would be to publish to the world that she has no saloons to corrupt the youth. Parents hesitate to move here or send their children here. The writer hears this on every hand.

Taxpayers should arise and work heartily to carry the amendment, and rid Ann Arbor of the greatest hindrance to her prosperity.

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The enterprising Druggist, Mr. H. J. Brown has taken the agency of Baxter's Lucky Star Cigar. Hereafter the lovers of a good smoke can be accommodated with a cigar for five cents that will prove, upon trial, superior to the ten cent cigars sold. The Lucky Star is pure Havana filler and guaranteed unflavored.

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MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For Week Ended March 22.

British millers are agitating in favor of an import duty on foreign flour.

The report that small-pox is spreading at Janesville, Wis., is exaggerated.

Last year 135,000,000 pounds of copper were mined in the United States.

During the last week 436,805 standard silver dollars were issued from the mints.

A fifteen days' rat hunt at Dublin, O., ended with a total of 19,691 dead rats as the result.

An explosion in the United Oil Company's works at Baltimore caused the death of four persons.

The Governor of Nebraska has commissioned Buffalo Bill as aide-de-camp, with the rank of Colonel.

A heavy white frost has done much damage to fruit and early vegetables in Florida and Georgia.

The imported stallion King Ban, valued at \$35,000, died of spinal meningitis at Lexington, Kentucky.

Jose Sevilla, who died lately in Peru, left \$500,000 to establish in New York a school for poor girls.

The remains of Captain James B. Eads were interred Thursday in Bellefontaine Cemetery at St. Louis.

Cardinal Manning has heartily indorsed the policy advocated by Cardinal Gibbons toward the Knights of Labor.

Fire destroyed the Commercial press at New Orleans, with a large amount of cotton, the total loss being \$150,000.

The General Assembly of Virginia is holding an extra session, mainly to take action regarding the State debt.

General Bragg denies the report that he is a paralytic, and states that he has declined a District of Columbia judgeship.

Senator Curtis' bill empowering women to vote at school elections, was rejected Thursday in the Illinois Senate—25 to 18.

The Michigan G. A. R., in session at Grand Rapids Thursday elected L. G. Rutherford, of Hart, department commander.

The cotton-seed oil company recently organized in New Jersey has made contracts for machinery for eight mills, to cost \$250,000.

Daniel Allen, who poisoned Henry Wright, the husband of his paramour, was found guilty Thursday night at Neillsville, Wis.

E. C. Anthony's powder mill, near Ne-gaunee, Mich., blew up Monday afternoon. L. H. Stanley and his son Albert were killed.

The business section of Rock Hill, S. C., was almost wiped out by fire Thursday night. The loss is \$140,000, with about \$100,000 insurance.

D. Lynch Fringle, of South Carolina, was on Thursday commissioned by the President to be Consul-General of the United States at Constantinople.

It is thought the creditors of Walter E. Lawton, the missing guano magnate of New York, will receive about seventy-five per cent. of their claims.

A fire in Buffalo Tuesday morning destroyed the grocery house of Miller, Greiner & Co., and the Masonic Hall. The losses aggregate \$300,000.

The negro miners imported to Peoria from Grape Creek secured credit for provisions to last one month, and then struck for three cents per bushel.

The Treasury Department refuses free admission at San Francisco to the figure of a dragon 150 feet long, imported from China for use in a joss-house.

St. Louis has been designated by the Acting Secretary of the Treasury as a central reserve for National banks under the act passed at the last session of Congress.

W. J. Hutchinson, once a well-known broker in Wall street, was placed in the Tombs on Thursday for wrongfully converting stock certificates worth \$35,000.

Frank H. Scott, recently book-keeper for Webster & Co., of Newark, N. J., arrested on Thursday, confessed to taking \$35,000 from the firm by making false entries in the books.

Two stores at Flint, Mich., were gutted by fire Thursday night. Peter Burrell (colored) was suffocated, and his daughter dangerously injured by leaping from a window.

Suits against D. M. Sablin, Senator from Minnesota, for \$25,475 were yesterday commenced in the Federal Court at Chicago by H. H. Porter, R. R. Cable and William Coffin.

A fire on the Chautauqua (N. Y.) Assembly grounds on Sunday night destroyed eighty buildings and ruined the grand old trees on the lake front. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

Archbishop Lynch of Toronto has sent an open letter to Lord Randolph Churchill, in which he begs him to join with Gladstone, justice to Ireland to form the basis of the proposed coalition.

The past winter was a very disastrous one to stockmen in Montana, the season being the severest known in twenty-five years. The average loss of cattle was said to be sixty-five per cent. In some instances entire herds perished.

In the Illinois Senate on Thursday the bill pensioning policemen when disabled while in the performance of their duty, and all police officers who have arrived at the age of fifty years and having served for a period of twenty or more years, was passed.

A New Illinois Railroad.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 22.—Articles of incorporation were yesterday recorded in the office of the Secretary of State for the Indianapolis, Quincy & Missouri River Railway Company, with principal business office at Decatur; capital stock, \$4,340,000. The railroad which it is proposed to construct will extend from the eastern line of the State of Illinois, near Illiana, Edgar County, westwardly to the Mississippi river at Quincy, Adams County.

Negotiations on the Canadian Fisheries.

LONDON, March 22.—Sir James Ferguson, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, informed the House of Commons last evening that the Government hoped to be able to lay before the house a dispatch from the United States Government relative to the Canadian fisheries question before the Easter recess.

Threaten to Leave the Knights.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., March 22.—The Knights of Labor in this city and Milltown employed in the rubber industry, together with their New England brothers, have demanded a charter for a National Trade Council, and threaten to leave the order unless the charter is granted.

Appointments.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—President Cleveland yesterday appointed as district attorneys George E. Pritchett for Nebraska, Emory B. Sellers for Indiana, and Thomas Hayden for Nevada. It is said that W. W. Stewart, of Des Moines, will be given the vacant revenue collectorship.

Rejoicing Germans.

BERLIN, March 22.—Yesterday was observed as a holiday, and the day was noted by the arrival of many dignitaries to attend the festivities occasioned by the nineteenth birthday of Emperor William.

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Mr. Mushroom—I don't see why it is that my gas-bills are so much larger than last winter. Little Willie—Why, sister's engagement is on now, and it was off last winter. Angie—I guess you don't know Charlie and me. If his calling here affected the gas-bills at all, it made them less.

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50 doz. real Kid Gloves in the new Spring Shades, 4 button, at \$1.25. We guarantee this glove to be as good as an \$1.75 Kid in the Market.

Just for amusement we will sell for a short time, black, all silk Mitts at 25c per pair. 50 doz. on Sale this morning.

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A good girl wanted, german preferred, for small family. Apply 48 South Main St. 639-41

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LOST—A red Spectacle Case from Smith's, Detroit. Containing a pair of Steel bowled Spectacles with large round lenses. Return to REGISTER office. 639-41

WANTED—A girl who understands cooking and other household work. Apply at No. 39 Thompson St. 639-41

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TO RENT—A small neat cottage. An elderly couple desired, to whom answer, March 27, J. D. Baldwin. 637-41

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THE CITY.

S. W. Saxton has closed up his saloon on Main-st.

Mrs. Paul Christman died last evening, after a long illness.

The new M. C. depot was opened to the public Monday morning.

Fred Schlenderer is not a candidate for alderman, so he says.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene K. Frueauff, visited friends in Manchester over Sunday.

William Hauck was admitted to citizenship in the circuit court last Saturday.

Judge Joslyn granted Loretta D. Root a divorce from Charles M. Root last Friday.

Messrs. Mack and Schmid will erect two fine residences on S. Fifth-st, early in the spring.

Hack and bus drivers and news boys will not be allowed to loaf in the new M. C. depot.

The Knights of Labor, of this city, will tender Henry George a reception this evening.

Gilmore's famous band is underlined at the opera house, for Tuesday evening, April 5th.

The manager of the opera house has the famous Gilmore band underlined for an early date.

One hundred and fifty-three persons went to Detroit on the excursion from this city, last Saturday.

The Chequamegon will furnish music for the junior exhibition of the high school, tomorrow evening.

The South Lyon Excelsior has donated a new head which is quite an improvement over the old one.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunn, of the Fifth ward, died last Saturday, with the measles.

A Tessler will erect a fine residence on the corner of W. Third and Madison-sts, early in the spring.

Frederick, the fourteen-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland, of Bridge-ward, died last Saturday.

Increase of practice has compelled Dr. Darling to purchase another horse, and he now drives a fine gray.

Ypsilanti lodge, E. and A. M., will visit Ann Arbor this evening and exemplify work in Golden Rule lodge.

H. S. Warner, who formerly ran a variety store in this city, has purchased a similar store in Battle Creek.

The circulation of THE REGISTER this week is over 2,000 copies. Advertisers will please make a note of this.

John S. Johnson and Miss Myria Stone, both of this city, were married in Moore-ville, last Sunday, by Rev. Mr. Fisher.

J. M. Stafford is having the front and ceiling of his merchant tailor to its beauty.

The "club man" in the Chicago Mail, of March 18th, gives a very readable three-quarter column article of Judge Cooley.

There is an effort being made to probate the will of the late Dr. Rogers in the probate court of Washtenaw county.

Mrs. E. L. Munyan is distributing cards to the ladies for an opening at her millinery store next week, beginning Tuesday, the 29th.

T. V. Powderly, Grand Master Workman, of the K. of L., is booked to speak in favor of the amendment in this city before election day.

Three of the most prominent professors in the literary department, have offers from other colleges, at an increase of salary, under advisement.

Mrs. John Leslie, of Webster, died Monday, of consumption, aged 52 years. The funeral will be held at the residence, Friday morning, at 11 o'clock.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Roath, of the Second ward, died Monday evening, with the measles. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon.

Andrew Birk, an old and respected citizen of the Second ward, died Monday evening, after a lingering illness. The funeral was held Wednesday morning.

Married at the residence of the bride's uncle, Ludwig Wals, on W. Liberty-st, Feb. 12th, Edwin Allen Dunn, to Miss Julia Catharine Haebich, both of this city.

The first affair to break the Lenten fast from amusements will be a ball given by the knights templar commandery, in their asylum, on the evening of Easter Monday.

The company formed to bore for gas are meeting with good success in getting leases and will probably organize in a few days and file their articles of incorporation.

The Jackson Citizen, Congressman O'Donnell's paper, appeared St. Patrick's day, not only printed on vivid green paper, but also wrapped up in green wrappers.

Wm. A. Guthrie, of the Fourth ward, died Monday, aged 70 years, after a lingering illness. The funeral was held at the residence on N. Fourth-st, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. White, of Keokuk, Iowa, has bought the property owned by Dr. Parsons, corner of Washington and Fifth-sts, and will shortly remove his family to this city.

It is important for the republicans to nominate a good man for mayor, it is equally important to nominate a good man for recorder and the very best men for aldermen.

The many friends in this city of Mr. and Mrs. Justice A. Wilson will be pained to hear of the death of their infant daughter, at their residence, in Chicago, last Tuesday, the 15th.

The University glee club will leave Saturday for a brief western trip. They will sing in Milwaukee, Hyde Park, Evanston, Oak Park, Ottawa, Dubuque, Rockford, and other places.

Geo. Wahr has this week added to his already fine selection of English and foreign literature two large boxes of books from Germany on religious and miscellaneous subjects.

S. Wood & Son, who have an interest in a wholesale manufacturing harness and saddle shop, at Jackson, are endeavoring to move the same to this city. They employ several hands.

Mrs. Dennis Warner, the wife of an old and respected retired business man, of Dexter, was struck by a train on the M. C. R. R., and instantly killed last Sunday, while crossing the track.

Lansing traveling men have discovered a Pinckney youngster from the back of his neck the entire length of his spine and from 12 to 18 inches long.

Ald. A. F. Martin, of the Sixth ward, whose term of office expires April 4th, has been an efficient and painstaking alderman, and his constituents could do no better than to re-elect him.

Chas. W. Hawes, a hotel man of several years' experience, of Ohio, has rented the Arlington house, for a period of ten years. Mr. Goodrich, who has been running it for some time will return to Saline.

Washtenaw county pomological society meeting, April 2, at the court house, at 2 p. m. Every fruit grower is invited, as cheaper rates of transportation, and other matters of general interest will be discussed.

Rev. Fairfield, of Manistee, who occupied the pulpit in the Congregational church last Sunday morning and the pulpit of the Presbyterian church in the evening, was greeted by a large audience at both places.

Gen. Clinton B. Fisk, of R. I., will speak in favor of the amendment at the opera house, in this city, Friday afternoon and evening. The noted Silver Lake quartette, which accompanies the speaker, will furnish the music.

The Congregational church celebrated their fortieth anniversary, Wednesday evening. C. Bliss and wife, August and Frederick Hall and Horace Carpenter are the only ones now living in this city of the original 40 members.

Mrs. Tracy Root filed a petition in the circuit court, Monday, praying that an injunction be issued restraining James Kearns, register of deeds, from keeping C. H. Manly's abstract books in his office. Judge Joslyn will hear it Thursday, March 31st.

There was quite a strife at the new depot, Monday morning, to see who bought the first ticket. Prof. Dennison, however, was the successful one, and now enjoys the proud distinction of having purchased the first ticket in the new building.

Joseph Blackburn, colored, was arrested last Saturday, and put in jail, charged with stealing \$13.50 from Mrs. Schauble. He was given a hearing before Justice Pond, Tuesday morning, who found him guilty and sentenced him to Ionia for 90 days.

Here is an opportunity for the business men's association to distinguish themselves. Says the Evening News: "Jones & Son, the Troy, N. Y., street car builders, are visiting various Michigan towns with a view of moving their works west and enlarging them."

At the annual charter election at Manchester last Monday, the following village officers were elected: President, Amariah Conklin; clerk, John F. Nestel; treasurer, Edwin S. Schmidt; street commissioner, Mathew Blum; assessor, John D. Van Durn; constable, Fred O. Marty.

Joseph Parker, of this city, who was arrested last Friday, by the sheriff and taken to Grand Rapids, on the charge of larceny, was honorably discharged Monday. It seems to have been the work of an enemy with whom he has had personal dealings. There was no ground whatever for the arrest.

Bro. Gildart and wife, of the Stockbridge Sun, celebrated the tenth anniversary of their married life last Monday, and from all reports our respected neighbor was very handsomely remembered by his friends, of whom he seems to have an abundance. The presents were numerous and valuable.

Following is a list of the officers elected at the Milan village election: President, E. F. Pike; clerk, C. A. Moore; treasurer, M. Barnes; street commissioner, P. M. Edwards; assessor, A. D. Jackson; Hitchcock, C. H. Wilson, W. Robinson, J. C. Brady and M. C. Edwards.

We copy the following item from the Ypsilanti Commercial for the consideration of the business men's association of this city: "We understand that an offer has been made by a manufacturing firm employing twenty-five hands to remove their headquarters to this city providing a bonus would be guaranteed them."

William Bird, colored, of this city, who has quite a local reputation as a first-class drunkard and wife beater, was arrested last Saturday, on complaint of his wife, charged with being drunk and threatening to take her life. He pleaded guilty before Justice Frueauff, Tuesday, who sentenced him to thirty days in the county jail.

The wife of Rev. H. F. Belser died last Monday, after a lingering illness with consumption, aged about 50 years. She was a lady who had made many friends by her many christian acts and was much respected in the community in which she lived. The funeral will be held in the Zion church, this afternoon, at two o'clock.

A camp of the sons of Saturday was organized in this city last Saturday evening. Horton B. Bryan was elected captain; C. R. Mahan, first lieutenant and Frank A. Gardner, second lieutenant. Another meeting will be held in the county hall this evening to arrange minor details and give those who have not yet joined an opportunity to do so.

Geo. Avery and Geo. Shepherd, of York, were taken to jail Saturday evening, by Marshal Siple, and looked up as disorderlies. They were discharged Thursday morning.

The opera house was filled from top to bottom last evening to see Prof. Norris' dogs. It was beyond question the finest dog entertainment ever seen in this city. The many different tricks they perform would be hard to enumerate, so many and wonderful are they. By request the performance was repeated this afternoon.

Prof. de Pont informs us that those who take part in the "Kirmess," which will be produced at the opera house, April 27th and 28th, are rehearsing once a week, and everything is being arranged to make it an assured success. Sixty-five ladies and thirty-five gentlemen will take part. After the performance a social party will be given in the gymnasium.

"Wouldn't it be funny if the state of RI should adopt prohibition?"—Utica Observer. "O, la, now; Nev. touch it; don't Pa.; Wis. you don't; but all the same you Kan. have a Ga. old time on the prescription of an Md."—Chicago Mail. "Not Mich. you Conn. if the amendment should be carried in Mass."—Hillsdale Leader. We are afraid some of those fellows will yet be taken ill.

It has been oft and pertinently remarked that the only reason a hotel clerk has for taking a summer vacation is for the sole purpose of getting his name in the paper, but we are led to believe, from personal observation, that Charles Woodward, the "genial" and ever courteous clerk at the Cook house, was inspired by a higher motive (than to get his name in the paper) in shaving his whiskers off, last Tuesday.

The superintendents of poor, of Lenawee county, have commenced a suit in a justice court, at Manchester, against the superintendents of poor of Washtenaw county, to recover money they have expended to sustain a woman alleged to belong to Washtenaw county. The woman in question was sent from this city to Adrian about two years ago, at the request of her daughter, who lived there, saying that she would care for her. The case will be tried in the above court on April 28th.

A nice question of law has been raised in the Washtenaw circuit court which will be watched with a good deal of interest. In October, 1879, William H. Calkins, of Chelsea, died, leaving his property to his respective heirs, and named James Taylor as trustee. The will provided that a house and lot, which was named, be given to Mrs. Alice Billings, one of the heirs, and that the said trustee keep it in good repair and insured. On the 19th day of January, 1887, the insurance policy on said building expired and was not renewed. On the 24th day of the same month the house caught fire and burned to the ground, entailing a loss of about \$1,200. Mrs. Billings now comes into court and prays that the trustee rebuild the house at the expense of the estate.

It seems that at least a part of our people do not completely the real value to the community generally, of having a fruit evaporating, canning and jelly establishment stand in this city. In the first place the projectors of this enterprise agree to build the factory and stock it with all the machinery necessary to run it, before they ask for the bonus from the community. In the second place a home market will be opened which will be permanent. Apples, peaches, plums, pears, quinces, strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, currants, grapes, etc., will always find a ready sale at market prices; or, if the producer prefers, he can have his fruit evaporated, put into jellies or canned for him at reasonable rates, or he can have it done on shares. In the third place the canning department will open up a large field of profit for the fruit and vegetable raisers. Small producers can derive quite a little income from their labors, and all this will tend to give new life to the mercantile interests of our city, and our business men should contribute freely to establish this worthy industry. If Adrian and other places can make a success of the business, why not Ann Arbor? Mr. Corbin, of Adrian, built a factory some years since, and has now over \$30,000 invested in the same. One firm in Rochester, N. Y., first commenced work in a kitchen, and now a large factory employs from 600 to 800 hands and is doing an immense business. Now, Ann Arbor can have a boom in this line if the fruit growers and business men will only contribute a small sum to establish a plant. If only about \$350 more are subscribed, the necessary capital will be forthcoming to perfect the work. Let it be done at once, and we will have a factory with all its machinery in working order, ready for business.

It seems too bad to see fine goods sacrificed as they are doing at the great bankrupt sale of Hardware, on Main-st, but the strong hand of the law knows no sympathy, and the goods must go to make settlement.

It will pay any man to buy an Overcoat for next winter at the prices that Wm. W. Douglas & Co. are selling them at. 638 tf

Reinhardt & Co., 42 S. Main-st., sell the celebrated W. L. Douglas \$3.00 shoe. It costs nothing to try on a pair. 637-8

Wagner & Co., merchant tailors, are offering splendid value in spring suits to order for \$25.00.

Heavy weight pants to order, worth \$7.00 and \$8.00, for \$6.00. WAGNER & Co.

Wm. W. Douglas & Co. now have a fine line of Children's Shirt Waists at low prices. 638 tf

Our special lines of ladies' fine Shoes at \$2.50 and \$3.00 are the best ever brought to this city. Every pair guaranteed. Call in and examine them.

Reinhardt & Co., 42 South Main-st. Money to Loan

On first class and first mortgage Real Estate. Apply to S. H. Douglass, S. H. DOUGLASS, I. W. HUNT, Trustees. Ann Arbor, Dec. 1886. 626tf.

Beautiful satin lined Prince Albert Suits can be found at Wm. W. Douglas & Co's 688 tf

One would think by the loads of goods going away from the great Bankrupt Sale of Hardware, that our people were bound to load up while they can secure such bargains. 1w

One of those new and elegant Standard sewing machines would be a valuable present. Don't buy until you try a "Standard." Fine new stock at Wilsey's

The Candy Kitchen

Is still at the front for the purity and freshness of its goods, manufactured daily at its new location, No. 22 East Huron-st. While thanking friends for former favors we would respectfully invite all to the special opening of the new store on Saturday, March 26.

639-f MRS. S. C. PRATT & Co.

Horses for Sale.

Farm, Family and Draft Horses always on hand. Eight hundred sold in six years. Every horse guaranteed as represented or money refunded. We refer with pleasure to all purchasers. All correspondence promptly answered.

Chelsea, Mich. NOYES & WALLACE.

The trade of Ann Arbor just now seems to be all centered at the Great Bankrupt Sale of Hardware on Main-st. 1w

Just think of it. A child's Suit for three dollars, and a beauty too, at W. W. Douglas & Co's. 638 tf

New England Pianos

Best medium priced Pianos. 638-40 CLEMENT sells them.

NOTICE.

The Ann Arbor Savings Bank, to accommodate the public, will keep the bank open every Saturday from 7 to 8 p. m., to receive savings deposits.

An elegant line of those four button Cataway Suits now on sale at W. W. Douglas & Co's. 638 tf

Haines Bro's. Celebrated Pianos

All artists use them 638-40 CLEMENT sells them.

Fence Posts and Lumber. Sawn swamp-oak fence posts for sale. Will also fill orders for all kinds of green, hard wood lumber. HENRY RICHARDS, East Huron-st, next to fremen's hall, Ann Arbor, Mich. 637-8

Florida oranges at Warner's, State street.

The Famous Estey Organs.

Best Organ in the world. 638-40 CLEMENT sells them.

FOR SALE—Residence, 85 South Main-st, between Liberty and Williams Sts. House contains 8 good rooms, besides Bath-room, Pantry, etc., with cellar and entire house, facing a large box stall and other stalls. Lot has been set with Raspberries, Grapes and Peaches. Enquire on the premises. E. A. Phillips.

FARM FOR SALE—160 Acres, 2 1/2 miles southwest of Ann Arbor. A first-class farm, well under-drained and improved. Address Israel Clark, Ann Arbor. 483-4f

WEATHER STRIPS, CHAMPION—Best in the world. Exclude rain, wind and dust. Leave orders at Eberbach's Hardware store or No. 12 Lawrence-st. No extra charge for repairs. M. J. FURNUM, Prop.

FOR SALE—My house, No. 27 Ann street, or well located vacant lot. H. M. Taber. 638tf

FARM FOR SALE—160 ACRES, 2 1/2 MILES southwest of Ann Arbor. A first-class farm well under-drained and improved. Address Israel Clark, Ann Arbor. 483-4f

FINE FARM FOR SALE—Two miles from Ann Arbor, consisting of 160 acres, a high state of cultivation. Has been used as a dairy farm for 18 years, consequently soil is very rich. Splendidly watered by creek and springs, large two story frame house, large basement barn, carriage house, large shed with hay loft, also grain barn; good orchard. Terms one-third cash, balance on long time to suit purchaser. Address, R. Waterman, Ann Arbor, Mich. 624tf

Probate Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, J. S. 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 fifth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

PRESENT, WILLIAM B. HARRIMAN, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Samuel P. Foster, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of William C. Foster praying that certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate