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STARTLING THOUGHTS.

DR. EDDY'S THANKSGIVING SERMON UNLIKE THE USUAL ONE.

He Likens Society to the Troubled Sea, and has Nothing to Say about Thankfulness.

The outlook from the window of any home in Ann Arbor on Thanksgiving Day was just such as to make the gazer shiver and feel glad to stay near his fireside. A fine mist filled the air, the small boy was skating on the sidewalk (which was not promising for the pedestrian), and the general appearance was that of a raw and disagreeable November day. In a large number of Ann Arbor homes this incentive to staying indoors was intensified by the presence of friends who had come to help enjoy the delight of a family reunion.

In spite of these things, the Congregational church was crowded at 11 a. m. to listen to the union Thanksgiving services. Even the galleries had occupants. The church was brilliantly lighted, so dark was the day, and was beautifully adorned with flowers, presenting in all a very pleasant contrast to the dreary scene without.

Rev. Dr. Ramsay, Rev. Dr. Ryder, and Rev. Dr. Eddy sat in the pulpit. Dr. Ramsay read the 103d Psalm beginning "Bless the Lord, O my soul!" and then prayed. The venerable Dr. Eddy had come from Detroit that morning expressly to preach the Thanksgiving sermon. It was very unlike the usual Thanksgiving sermon which begins with the landing of the pilgrims on Plymouth rock and presents a rose-colored view of things from that time to the present. Dr. Eddy mentioned the vessel Mayflower only once, another evidence that the old-fashioned Thanksgiving sermon is disappearing; and he hadn't a word to say about thankfulness.

Dr. Eddy had several texts. The first was from Daniel's vision in which the winds of the heaven strove upon the great sea. All his texts related to the sea, and from them he drew a highly symbolical meaning. After a fine apostrophe to the sea, he said that the sea in the earliest ages took possession of man's imagination. In Hebrew prophetic utterances this is especially so. The great sea which Daniel saw with the winds striving upon it means mankind with the lawlessness, turbulence, and wickedness seen in these and all times. In all ages the nations have been like the sea swept by the four winds of heaven. He pictured the Crusades, the Reformation, the discovery and colonization of America and the vast movements attending it, the French revolution, and all our later shocks and upheavals. Dr. Eddy takes no optimistic view of affairs at the present time. Germany, France, and Great Britain are honeycombed with conspiracies. The lawless elements of society are arising even in this country where we have universal suffrage. The ballot itself is used as a means of giving us bad government. "The lawless spirit is abroad," said Dr. Eddy; "the man who does not see this is blind." He thinks we should look out for a social revolution involving the destruction of society. The reign of terror is at hand, as proved by the increase of murder, incest, rape, drunkenness, and all the crimes. Many newspapers, he says, are unreadable because of the details of crimes which they give. The last quarter of this century, to which we were taught to look for the millennium, finds millions of men yet clothed and fed to slaughter each other. Jails and workhouses are yet seen. Our streets are thronged with pickpockets, burglars, drunkards, and harlots. The state of society alarms Dr. Eddy. The coming awful conflicts between Russia and Turkey, and between Germany and France; the great monopolies fostered in this country; the colossal fortunes which are becoming larger; the growth of socialism and anarchy; and the bold attempts to break down the Sabbath, are all signs to him of most startling import.

"Is there no hope?" Dr. Eddy asked. His second text, "The Lord sitteth upon the flood; yea, the Lord sitteth King forever," from the 29th Psalm, answered the question. God has not been dethroned by the rebellion of man. Evil, although an awful fact, is not from God. The speaker wants consolation: "the Lord sitteth King forever." God must have a purpose in this evil. Jesus walking upon the sea is symbolical of the coming of His spirit to walk upon the billows of this chaotic world. God is now walking upon the sea, and the morning is at hand. In Revelations it is said "there was no sea," from which the speaker drew a meaning which brought to him hope of a time when the evils of our day would disappear.

The use which Dr. Eddy made of the biblical poetic allusions to the sea was itself poetic and very striking.

At the conclusion, Dr. Ryder asked for the customary contribution to the work of the Ladies' Charitable Union. This organization was doing a noble work, he said. The city supplied the coarser articles necessary to the existence of the poor; but this Union prevented a large amount of suffering which the city authorities could not reach. The amount of the collection was \$109.21, of which \$29.50 consisted of a balance left after the entertainment of the 4th regiment some time ago.

It should be understood that the Conried opera company which presents "The Gypsy Baron" here next week, has Sig. Tagliari, Jaques Kruger, Laura Bellini, Helen Von Doenhoff, and other famous artists. The opera is under the direction of Heinrich Conried, late director-in-chief of the Imperial theatre, Vienna, and the Casino, New York.

FARMERS' BANK vs. WM. APRILL.

An Interesting Case.—Jury Stands 10 to 2 in Favor of April.

Since the famous Sophie Lyons' trial, no case in the Washtenaw circuit court has caused so much interest as that of the Farmers' & Mechanics' bank of Ann Arbor vs. William Aprill and John Keck. Sawyer & Knowlton and Chas. R. Whitman were attorneys for the plaintiff, and Kinne & Lawrence for the defendants. Judge Beach of Sanilac was on the bench, and won many pleasant commendations from all sides for the manner in which he presided. The suit began Nov. 22, and lasted until Tuesday evening Nov. 29, the court observing Thanksgiving day.

The case involved about \$5,000; but it was immediately concerned with a note for \$2,500 given by John Keck to the bank, and bearing the name of William Aprill as endorser. Mr. Aprill swore that he did not sign the note. Densmore Cramer testified that he knew that John Keck wrote the name of Wm. Aprill on the back of the note. Capt. Manly, of Ann Arbor, and D. B. Greene, of Ypsilanti, gave expert testimony which was against the genuineness of the signature.

The bank tried to prove that the signature was genuine; but endeavored to show that Mr. Aprill was liable even if the signature were a forgery, because Mr. Keck's property was turned over to him for the purpose of paying the debt, and for other reasons. The defence tried to show that the case rested entirely upon the genuineness of the signature. Mr. Aprill's defence was complicated by his having acted as trustee and quietly paid two forged notes of \$4,500 each at the National bank, probably for the purpose of shielding the good name of John Keck, who is his brother-in-law. He was secured for them by Mr. Keck, but claims that the property on which he was given a mortgage would not sell for enough to reimburse him wholly.

The judge read his charge to the jury Tuesday evening in less than 15 minutes. In conclusion he said that the burden of proof rested on the plaintiff in all the questions. If the jury should find that Aprill did endorse the note, or that Keck had authority to sign Aprill's name to the note, or that Aprill had ratified or adopted the signature, or by his conduct had estopped himself from denying liability, then in either case plaintiff would be entitled to a verdict; but in case not one of these could be found, than a verdict of no cause of action should be rendered.

The jury retired at 7:15 p. m. and remained out till 2 a. m. of yesterday, when it was found that it was impossible to agree. They stood 10 for the defendant and two for the plaintiff.

Great sympathy is expressed for Mr. Aprill, and once in a while some one says a good word for Mr. Keck, although the testimony is very damaging to him.

ERNEST EMANUEL MANN.

An Account of His Long and Useful Career.

The funeral of Emanuel Mann, who died Thanksgiving morning, occurred at the house on S. Main-st Saturday at 2 p. m. Rev. Mr. Belser preached the sermon in German, and Rev. Emanuel Schmidt, of Columbus, O., spoke in English. The choir of the Zion's Evangelical Lutheran church sang several selections. The funeral was largely attended.

The following sketch of Mr. Mann's life was written for THE REGISTER by Eugene K. Fruauff of this city:

Hon. Ernest Emanuel Mann, one of the most prominent and respected citizens of Michigan, departed this life Nov. 24 at his residence on South Main-st in this city. He was taken ill with jaundice some six weeks ago, and while his family and friends had entertained hopes of his recovery, he himself had not. As he grew weaker from day to day, it became evident that his end was near and he fell asleep quietly about 8 o'clock in the morning. He was a man who left his impress on the city and state, and was greatly esteemed by all.

He was born in Stuttgart, kingdom of Wurtemberg, June 4, 1814. In 1826 he with his mother and two sisters, Mrs. Louisa Schmidt and Mrs. Sophia Hutzel, joined his father Henry Mann, who had come to Reading, Pa., the year before. The family resided there till 1830. In the spring of this year they came to Detroit, and after a stay of about three weeks his father, Henry Mann, decided to locate his tannery in the village, now city, of Ann Arbor. The family arrived here June 20, and was the first German family to settle in Ann Arbor. During the first years of their stay in Ann Arbor they had many privations. It was at this time that the subject of our sketch was the means of influencing a large part of our Wurtemberg German population to settle here he wrote a long letter to his uncle in Stuttgart describing the country. This letter so much pleased his uncle that he had it published in the Schaebscher Merkur, one of the most influential papers published in Wurtemberg. In consequence of this letter Germans from that part of the country came direct to Ann Arbor on landing in America. At one time a party of 75 souls arrived, and were cared for by the Mann family till they found places to work or land to cultivate. He operated a tannery for some years, and then associated himself with his cousin, Christian Eberbach, in the drug business. He continued in this business till 1876

when he withdrew, and for the next two years he was a partner in his brother-in-law, August Hutzel, in the paint, oil, and glass business. He then established himself in the drug business which is still continued by his sons, Eugene and Albert Mann.

He was a man of unusually wide range of reading which he thoroughly understood and reasoned upon, and there were few subjects upon which he was not well informed and upon which he could not express his views. His careful and correct business habits and strict integrity secured him the confidence of all. For three years he served as alderman, and was some time a member of the board of education in this city. In 1870 he was elected as state senator on the Republican ticket, and served with great credit to himself and his constituents.

Oct. 21, 1843, he was united in marriage to Anna Niethammer, and she with one child preceded him to eternity. He leaves ten living children: Mrs. Eliza Schmidt, wife of Frederick Schmidt, Henry J. Mann, Miss Emelie Mann, Ernest, Eugene, Albert, Charles, Robert, and Misses Mary and Clara Mann, all of this city except Ernest and Charles who are in business in Detroit. His sisters Mrs. Louisa Schmidt, widow of Rev. F. Schmidt deceased, and Mrs. Sophia Hutzel, wife of August Hutzel, also survive him.

Electric Light Companies United.

A. L. Noble and Junius E. Beal went to Detroit last Friday, and met J. L. Hudson and W. F. Davidson, when arrangements were finally concluded for combining the Ann Arbor T. H. Electric company and the Ann Arbor Edison Electric company. The plan of the Edison company will be moved into the building now occupied by the T. H. company, and they will be one hereafter. Mr. Noble says that this arrangement will benefit the patrons of the two companies, because they can obtain better service.

Rev. Mr. Haskell wants to Retire.

At the monthly meeting of the Baptist church held last evening the deacons presented a communication from the pastor, Rev. S. Haskell, addressed to them in September. The letter authorized them to inform the church at such time as they should judge best, that the pastor in accordance with his plan of life long held, would expect to have his pastoral relation cease at the latest with the expiration of his present year, which will end with March next. A committee on securing a new pastor was appointed.

Mr. Haskell has been engaged as a pastor 41 years in Detroit, Kalamazoo, and Ann Arbor. He has been in Ann Arbor 17 years.

An Interesting Wedding Present.

A quiet home wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Mack Thanksgiving day at noon, the parties contracting being Miss Marie Amanda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack, and Willis J. Abbott, of Kansas City. The ceremony was performed by the bride's uncle, the Rev. Prof. Schmidt, of Columbus, O., assisted by Rev. F. H. Belser of this city. Only the immediate members of the two families were present. The gifts were numerous and elegant. Among them was a gold medal presented to the historian, John S. C. Abbott, grandfather of the groom, by Napoleon III, Emperor of France, in recognition of the service done by the Bonaparte family by the publication of Mr. Abbott's biography of Napoleon Bonaparte. After the ceremony the bride and groom left for the west. They will make their home in Kansas City.

Good Decision.

At a recent meeting of the Ann Arbor Temperance Union the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That while we believe in the principle of prohibition, and believe it a proper subject for discussion at our Sunday meetings; and while we disbelieve in the license system, considering it iniquitous in principle, unjust in operation, and sinful in the sight of God, and believe it proper to discuss its character at our meetings, we also believe that to bitterly arraign any political party, or to indulge in harsh recrimination, is at once unwise and improper on the sabbath day, and it will be our purpose and aim to conduct our meetings in accordance with the spirit of this resolution.

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ON THE CAMPUS.

Sam Jones Saturday evening.

There is some prospect of President Angell returning this week.

Mrs. J. H. Wade returned from Jonesville last evening where she has been visiting for a week.

A. L. Colton's 24 photographic views of the campus have been given a permanent place in president Angell's office.

The Pennsylvania students held a banquet Thanksgiving evening, and a permanent organization was formed.

D. den Bleyker of Kalamazoo will present a plow which was brought 40 years ago from Holland to the University.

The gymnasium fund is receiving assistance from sales made by the two Sams while ago and by J. T. Jacob & Co. this week.

Prof. C. G. Taylor, superintendent of the shops in the engineering laboratory, met with a painful accident yesterday. A piece of iron shafting 16 feet long and four inches in diameter, rolled from his position, crushing the large toe of the left foot.

The Chicago Herald devoted a column to telling about "Michigan University's crack team" of foot ball players and the game played with the Harvard school amateurs in Wanderers' park in Chicago on Thanksgiving day. It was an unequal contest, 26 to 0. The Herald says: "The Michigan boys were athletes, while the Chicago boys did not look better than an average amateur base ball nine." It further says: "The only successful rush was made by J. E. Duffy, of the Michigan team, who, receiving the ball near center, placed it under his left arm and started for the goal at a pace that would have done credit to one of Lucky Baldwin's flyers." The day was wet, and "the boys rolled and tumbled in the mud, and fell headlong upon each other, until their suits were changed from white to the color of the prairie mud." The University team beat the Notre Dame team last Wednesday 8 to 0.

Sam Jones Coming.

The newspapers at one time claimed that they saw Sam Jones, and Sam Jones replied, "Let 'em make another." The sublime impudence of the man is frequently as charming as that of the crack comic singer on the stage who smiles at you while he tempts you with "gags" to laugh. It is difficult at times to determine just how to classify Sam Jones, but the people of Ann Arbor will have an opportunity to try it next Saturday evening, when he will lecture in University hall on "Character and Characters." At times his vulgarity disappears and he rises to a considerable height; and at all times, except when in his coarser moods, he is entertaining and instructive.

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The story of Strauss' operetta, "The Gypsy Baron," which will be given in Ann Arbor Dec. 7, is founded on a novel by Jokai, and the scene is laid in Hungary, the first scene among the gypsies. Young Barinkay is the son of a nobleman who had died in exile. Returning to the castle of his ancestors, the son found that the gypsies, with Cipra as their queen, well established on his estate, where they had been a long time. He falls in love with the daughter of a wealthy pigdealer, who rejects him, when, greatly mortified, he accepts the proposition to become the Baron of the Gypsies, and marries, according to the gypsy method, a beautiful gypsy girl, Saffi. This girl helps him to find a great treasure which his father had buried. The Austrian government sends an official to look after the treasure and the marriage. He asks in terrible tones: "Who married you?" and Barinkay turning to his young bride, says: "Who married us? Speak out." But Saffi says, "You tell," and Barinkay sings "The bullfinch married us in the blue dome that spreads above." Saffi chimes in, describing how the nightingale sang of love. Then the question, "Who were the witnesses?" which the lovers answer by saying that a pair of storks stood by. It has been said that it is not possible to imagine anything more tender or delicate than this apotheosis of a gypsy union in the wood.

There is more of the story. Barinkay goes to the wars in Spain, and it is discovered that Saffi is not a gypsy but is the daughter of a proud pasha. The music is exquisitely tender, gay, and original. It moves along with great ease and lightness, but there are melodramatic scenes in it which afford relief to the livelier portions.

Horticulture in Washtenaw County.

In the forthcoming report of the state horticultural society for 1887, there will be a history of the horticulture of this county, written by T. T. Lyon, of South Haven. The following extracts will be of interest to horticulturists and old residents of the county:

"An orchard was planted, in 1824, by Oliver Whitman, in an arbor town, which was rapidly followed by other similar plantations, as settlements increased.

"A small apple tree nursery was planted in 1825, by Deacon Joel Branch, on the ground now occupied by the Buchos block. In 1827 Ezra and Horace Carpenter (father and son) planted half an acre with apple seeds, and two years thereafter commenced to sell trees therefrom.

"Deacon Mills raised a few locusts from the seed, and from them, in 1828, planted six trees on the block now occupied by Mr. Leach, which, mostly locusts, were also planted on Court House Square, which were committed to the care of the 'boys'.

"A general nursery, with greenhouse attached, was started in 1833, near Ypsilanti, by E. D. & Z. K. Lay, which at one time covered fourteen acres. It was continued until about 1850, when it was discontinued by the remaining brother as a result of excessive care.

"The first apple seeds were planted in southern Washtenaw in 1831, by Royal Watkins. These were selected seeds, from a favorite apple tree in Keene, New Hampshire, known by the family as 'Old Jincy.' The hope to succeed in securing the quality of the original tree, however, was not realized. The seedlings had been browsed by deer so severely that, when planted in orchard, two years later they were started anew from the ground. They were never grafted, and at present but one remains, which is kept as a landmark. It now measures nine feet and seven inches in circumference at one foot above the ground. The branches have a spread of forty-five feet. It has borne ten barrels of apples in a single year.

"In 1835 a nursery was commenced by Manchester by James Nowlin, and one in Freedom in 1838, by James Winton. From these were supplied the trees for nearly all the orchards of this region.

"In 1839 S. B. Noble (for some time horticultural editor of the Michigan Farmer) commenced a small nursery of fruit trees at Ann Arbor, which was discontinued after a few years, upon the death of the proprietor.

"In 1838 a number of old fruit trees were standing at Ypsilanti, which were said to have been planted by the early French traders. These have now nearly disappeared. Most of the earlier apple trees, planted over fifty years ago, are now dead or nearly so. Of grafted varieties, Rhode Island Greening has proved the longest lived.

"There is on the premises of O. H. Worden, of this city (Ann Arbor) a famous apple tree, of great age, which is yet vigorous. There were more than eight barrels of apples taken from it last year (1886). The fruit is of excellent quality, always taking the premium at our county fairs, whenever the committee can agree as to its name. The tree is known to be more than fifty years old, but how much older cannot be ascertained.

"Much taste is manifested at both Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor in the planting of shade and ornamental trees and shrubbery in streets as well as in public and private grounds. In the latter city, indeed, it may be fairly charged that the close planting of the subsequent growth, if it has not already unfavorably affected the cheerfulness as well as healthfulness of residences, must surely soon do so in many cases unless prevented by a resort to thinning.

"Fairview Park constitutes part of the ornamental grounds attached to the residence of Mr. A. D. Watkins, of Manchester, upon his farm of over eleven hundred acres of excellent land situated on both sides of the line between Washtenaw and Jackson counties. It was first planted by the present proprietor and covers about twenty-five acres. The location of this, as well as of the grounds more immediately about the residence, is naturally admirably adapted to the purpose, and these advantages, together with the original timber growths, have been carefully utilized for the purpose of securing early and satisfactory results. Among these native trees are nine white oaks ranging from twelve to eighteen feet in circumference. The plan involves the idea of a densely shaded centre with outlying groups and single trees, somewhat after the manner of the approach to a forest from an open prairie.

"Mr. George D. Kies has an extensive young fruit plantation near Manchester, including more or less small fruits, together with forty acres of pears, mostly Angouleme, a late autumn variety. Near this village are several other plantations of apples, pears, peaches and other fruits, for commercial purposes, to which the use of ice, he is enabled to keep even the most perishable fruits, during the warmest weather, at so low and equable a temperature that, when the state of the market renders it desirable, their over maturity may be prevented for several days, while long keeps can be kept at so low a temperature that the process of maturing is mainly suspended during winter and spring, enabling the owner to place them upon the market after others have disappeared, thus commanding higher satisfactory prices.

"In 1875 Jacob Ganzhorn, speaking of fruits in Washtenaw county, remarked: 'There are a few orchards here which bore large crops in 1874. These have gone through the cold winter of 1874-5 without injury to the trees, are finely filled with blossom buds, thus springing and seeing every way thrifty and healthy.'

"Of the pear he stated that Prof. Bair had planted one hundred and twenty acres of pear orchards in the immediate vicinity of Ann Arbor, that his own place is high, so high that his well

is one hundred and four feet in depth to the water, and that he gets peaches six years out of seven. His place is in southwestern Washtenaw.

"In the spring of 1870, Charles H. Woodruff, of Ann Arbor, planted seeds of Concord grape. From these sprang the grape known as White Ann Arbor, which first fruited in 1873. At the Washtenaw county fair of that year it was awarded a special premium. It is, however, alleged to have defects that stand in the way of its general popularity.

"Woodruff Red is another seedling of the Concord by the same person, originated in 1874, and first fruited in 1877. The fruit was shown at the meeting of the American Pomological Society, at Boston, in 1881, and was offered to the public in 1885. Its alleged hardiness and productiveness, together with the clear, bright color of the fruit, and the large size of both berry and bunch, combine to render it attractive as a grape for general cultivation.

"The cemetery at Ann Arbor is the work of a private association. It embraces a beautiful tract of land southeasterly from the city, upon the bluff overlooking the valley of the Huron, sufficiently but not objectionably diversified in surface. The natural growth, mostly of young oaks, has not been removed, and has been so utilized as to require comparatively little artificial planting.

"In laying out, advantage has been so far taken of the natural inequalities of the surface that comparatively little grading has been found needed, while a few evergreens planted mainly along the drives, suffice to impart variety to the whole.

"From its inception the enterprise has been under the management of J. Austin Scott, of this city, who has, without stint, given his time and energies to the work of bringing the enterprise up to its present very satisfactory condition."

Why the Students' Lecture Association is Not Well Patronized.

To the Editor of THE REGISTER:

Sir:—One of your correspondents complains because the people of Ann Arbor do not patronize the Students' Lecture Association as well as they might, and he intimates that this neglect reflects unfavorably on the good taste of our people. Probably the principal reason why more auditors are not drawn is because we have here such a surfeit of things intellectually good that there are not people enough to consume all; or, more probably, there are so many free lectures, like that given recently by Rev. Gladden, or the Hobart Guild courses, lectures which are as good as any offered by the lecture association, or even better, that our people see no use of paying for what they are urged to take gratis. This feeling is doubtless strengthened by the frequent disappointments which those have experienced who have attended the lectures of the association, when they have been compelled to sit for an hour or two on those execrable benches and look at some celebrity, whose name has brought them thither, but of whose words they can hear scarcely a single whole sentence, by reason of either the bad acoustic properties of the hall or the bad voice of the speaker; or, if they do hear what he says, it may be merely a string of platitudes, such as Parker put forth lately.

It is likely that the musical entertainments would be better patronized if the programs offered more music such as people like to hear. People like to go to such things to be entertained, to have the cares of business swept away on the strains of melody, and they feel a disappointment when they hear only such music as none but those few admirer who have assiduously cultivated themselves to admire it. Of course it will not do for any one to avow a distaste for the so-called classical music, and therefore we shall continue to pay our money and make believe that we admire it; but we shall also continue to betray ourselves and to show our real liking, just as we have always done, by our tumultuous applause when the prima donna condescends from her flights in Italian to give to our delighted ears the simple melody of Comin' thro' the Rye, or the sweet strains of The Swanee River. Songs or instrumental pieces of this character, when they are well sung or well played, delight everybody. It is asserted that a taste for classical music may be cultivated, but so may a taste for alcohol, and perhaps both are equally intoxicating to those who are addicted to them; yet for all that a simpler draught may be more wholesome for the mind as well as for the stomach. E.

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Huldah J. Cole to William Tuttle, Ypsilanti city. 900
Nancy Baldwin to Andrew Keller, Ypsilanti city. 650
Ann Arbor. 650
Warren Wood (by heirs) to James Kehoe, Bridgewater. 490
Addaline Bliss to Chas. B. Stuck. 490
Hannah Stuck (by heir) to Chas. B. Stuck. 600
Henry M. Curtis, et al., to Emma Draper, Ypsilanti city. 600
Jas. R. Leonard and wife to Thos. Nudde, Superior. 1
Christian Bachich to Byron W. Cheever, Ann Arbor city. 1700
Thomas Nudde to W. H. Horton, Superior. 4900
N. W. Wilcox to Wm. Hooker, Milan. 225
Geo. and Eliza Logrove to Wm. C. Selco. 45

MOST FOUND GUILTY.

The Notorious Anarchist Convicted of Incendiary Speech.

It Takes the Jury but a Few Hours to Find a Verdict—Sentence Not Yet Passed—A Portion of the Prisoner's Evidence.

TO GO TO JAIL ONCE MORE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The case of the State against Johann Most, charged with making an incendiary speech, was given to the jury at 5:30 p. m. yesterday, and at 10 p. m. a verdict of guilty was returned.

In the course of the evidence given by Most in his own defense he said that the "ruling classes" were in rebellion, and it was possible that even what the people had—the constitution of the United States—would be taken away. His motto was "Education for organization; organization to put down the rebellion of the capitalist class." "We do not expect that the capitalist classes will give up what they have peacefully," he said. "There will be fierce fighting on both sides." "Bombs and dynamite?" asked Mr. Nicoll. "Yes, on both sides."

"Your idea is to conquer peacefully if you can, by force if you must?"

"That is history. We believe force will be necessary in time."

Most said he did not believe in a Supreme Being who punished perjurers. "I say," said Most, "as Socrates did: 'We know that we do not know.'"

On cross-examination Most said he had been convicted of treason in Austria in 1869 and had been imprisoned one year. In 1870 he was again convicted in that country of treason and got a five years' sentence, but gained his liberty in 1871 through amnesty granted to political prisoners. In 1872 he was sentenced to one year's imprisonment in Berlin for calling the Emperor of Germany "slaughterer" and "massacrer." In 1874 he was sentenced to imprisonment for one year and six months for a speech made in Berlin on the memorial day of the Paris commune. In 1877 he was sentenced in Berlin to two months' imprisonment for blasphemy. In 1881 he was sentenced in England to eighteen months' imprisonment for applauding in the Freiheit the killing of the Czar. When he got out of prison there he came to this country and has since remained here.

Most, when asked if the verdict was a surprise to him, said: "It would not be surprised at any thing, because the majority of people do not understand our views. If the jury were better informed concerning us it would have brought in another verdict."

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BURNED TO DEATH.

A Father and His Five Children Cremated at Wausau, Wis.

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There are a good many cold marriages of late—that is, the union of a bride in her first childhood and a groom in his second.—N. Y. World.

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Mr. A. S. White, the well-known author of "White's Phonography," famous as the Champion Shorthand Writer of the World, received the first prizes in the international contests at London, Edinburgh, Paris and Berlin; he came near being permanently disabled by rheumatism. His recovery by the use of a remedy infallible in curing rheumatism and all blood diseases is told in a letter from his office, 62 Washington st., Chicago, dated June 20, 1887.

He writes: "Your remedy has done wonderful service for me. For the past five years I have been troubled with rheumatic pains. My right hand had become almost useless and I was gradually losing speed as a shorthand writer. A friend of mine, Dr. Dederich, advised me of your remedy. I used a dozen bottles of S. S. and am now entirely recovered. I shall never cease to commend your excellent medicine, and wish you much success.

"Yours truly, A. S. WHITE."

And here is another witness: "BENTON, Ark., August, 25th, 1887. "Last spring I was dangerously afflicted with erysipelas, and my life was despaired of by my physicians. As a last hope I tried S. S. S. and soon found relief, and in two weeks was able to attend to my business. I used five bottles.

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It was midnight in the fall and she had waited long for him to go, but he persisted in hanging on and talking about the poets. Finally he said: "Why does Tenyson speak of men as God's trees?" "Because they don't leave till spring."

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

Interesting Reports from Two Important Branches. Work of the Mints During the Year—Nearly One Hundred Million Pieces Coined—The Postal Service—Increase of Post-Offices.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The annual report of the Director of the Mint says the value of the gold received at the mints and assay offices during the year was \$68,223,072; gold redeposited, \$15,193,706; silver deposited and purchased, \$47,756,918; silver deposited, \$462,113.

The value of gold and silver bars issued for use in the industrial arts was \$8,896,710 gold and \$4,471,646 silver. The director estimates the stock of gold and silver coins in the United States on November 1, 1887, to have been: Gold, \$574,927,973; silver dollars, \$277,110,157; subsidiary silver, \$75,758,186.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The annual report of First Assistant Postmaster-General Stevenson shows that the number of post-offices established during the last fiscal year was 3,043. The increase in the whole number of post-offices was 1,453, and the whole number in operation June 30, 1887, was 55,157.

As a result of the annual adjustment of postmasters' salaries, which took effect July 1, 1887, twenty-two offices of the third class were reduced to the fourth class, and two offices of the fourth class were assigned to the third class, leaving 2,336 Presidential offices. Divided into classes the numbers are as follows: First, 82; second, 433; third, 1,819.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—In reply to questions by Secretary Lamar relative to the adjustment of land grants under the act of March 3, 1887, Attorney-General Garland renders an opinion that the claims of bona fide settlers have priority over all others, and defines "bona fide settlers" as those whose homestead or pre-emption entries have been erroneously canceled on account of railroad grant or withdrawal.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The annual report of the General Superintendent of the Life-Saving Service shows that the establishment embraced 218 stations at the close of the last fiscal year. The total number of disasters within the field of station operations was 467, the total value of the property saved, \$7,172,000, and the total value of the property saved, \$5,881,000.

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Dr. Parker then defined Gladstone's position on the Irish question. He believed that Ireland was a land of genius; that her people were a proud people; he would trust Ireland with such a measure of home rule as would not impair the integrity of the British Empire.

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ROCKFORD, Ill., Nov. 29.—While the preparations were being made there last week for the wedding of Miss Nettie E. Hull, of Fort Dodge, Ia., and Mr. Edgar H. Scott, the young lady quietly but firmly linked herself to Mr. Charles E. Duncombe, proprietor of the Fort Dodge Chronicle, and the couple left for the East on their marriage tour.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 29.—In Indian Territory Sunday an officer named Dalton attempted to arrest a horse-thief named Smith, when a general fight ensued, which resulted in the killing of Dalton and Smith and a Mrs. Dixon.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 29.—By the explosion of a boiler yesterday attached to a kitchen range in the Kirby House the building was badly shattered and some twenty persons were injured, two of them fatally.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30. LIVE STOCK—Cattle, 5 00 5 00 Sheep, 3 50 3 50 Hogs, 5 00 5 30

CHICAGO. BEEVES—Shipping Steers, \$3 50 5 00 Cows, 1 75 2 75 Stockers, 2 10 2 60

CHICAGO. BUTTER—Creamery, 14 00 14 00 Good to Choice Dairy, 14 00 22 00 EGGS—Fresh, 30 00 31 00

CHICAGO. GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2, 75 00 75 00 Corn, No. 2, 40 00 42 00 Oats, No. 2, 29 00 30 00

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How to Buy and What to Buy.

There is something to consider in the daily expenses for the household necessities, which in the aggregate of the year amount to a good deal.

London mobs want to act on the square, but the police won't let them. Important to the Farmers of Lenawee County. ADRIAN, Mich., Sept. 1, 1886.

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THE SURPLUS AND PUBLIC DEBT.

Prof. Henry C. Adams of Ann Arbor has written the general subject of public debts, and they are told in his great book recently published, in which will be found a wide departure from the old idea that public debts are useful. There are those who look upon England's enormous public debt as one of her chief glories and safeguards. This is not strange in one who owns the bonds and draws interest in gold, but Prof. Adams' book ought to rid other people of that idea. He shows that public debts tend to perpetuate class distinctions.

Having such a belief it is not surprising that he has an essay in the Forum for December in which he suggests "a plan for refunding the interest-bearing obligations of the federal government so as to provide for their final payment by 1907."

The question of reduction of the surplus revenue is important; but not so important as the question of wiping out our public debt. If the revenue of the government should be reduced to its present necessities, the chances are that the debt, like England's, would become perpetual; because it might not be easy to increase the revenue to meet the principal of the bonds as it becomes payable, and the government might find it easier to pay the interest right along than to try to pay the principal.

The fact of our large surplus revenue may force Congress to the adoption of a sensible plan like that proposed by Prof. Adams, for the speedy payment of the public debt. His proposition in brief is this: To take up the present interest-bearing bonds and issue non-interest-bearing bonds which shall include the principal and interest. As regards the interest it would in effect take up the government promises to pay interest and give in their stead a promise to pay a fixed sum at a stated time. The plan could be made tempting to bond-holders, and at the same time on the whole public debt it would save to the U. S. treasury \$41,500,000. He would so refund the public debt as to have it divided into as many equal parts as there are years before 1907, and have one part paid each year. It would simplify our public debt and surplus revenue questions so that even a school boy could understand just how the government stood, and we could be reasonably certain that the debt would be paid by 1907. If we had the public debt without annual or semi-annual interest to pay, but principal and interest combined and all refunded so that certain fixed equal sums should come due each year for a number of years until the whole were paid, the question of how much to reduce the revenue and when to reduce it would be much simpler. A change in the revenue could be made with much more certainty of good results. No one will question that changing the tariff and internal revenue laws has a disturbing influence on industry, and hence common sense dictates that when any such change is made it should be reasonably permanent. If a radical reduction were to be made now, we would be met, when the bonds fall due, with the necessity of making an increase again in order to pay the bonds, and the industry of the country would thus be kept in constant alarm. Prof. Adams' plan of using the surplus revenue and of paying the public debt is a new one, and it deserves the attention of Congress.

THE THANKSGIVING SERMON.

Dr. Eddy's Thanksgiving sermon is a remarkable one, and coming from a man who was born in the early years of this century, and who yet unites with ripe scholarship a clear mind, it ought to have great effect. One of the most beautiful traits of the American Indian in his prime was the deference with which he listened to the words of wisdom from the aged men. We Americans have not so much of this spirit, and do not take heed. Somehow there has become imbued in the American mind the idea that this country has none of the evils which afflict older countries. The old Fourth of July speeches and Thanksgiving sermons in which the Yankee spirit of "brag" predominated, are largely to blame for this. The extreme optimism (or blindness) of such harangues now appear absurd to many who see in the signs of the times the same forces at work here which destroyed Rome and have brought London to the terrible condition in which it is. Dr. Eddy's words of warning had no uncertain sound. We should heed them. The conflicts of party or faction are infinitely small compared to the questions he raised.

The venerable speaker proposed no remedy; but he has a sublime faith that God will bring good out of all our troubles. This faith is beautiful. At one time when a New York city mob, angry and excited concerning the vague

reports of Lincoln's assassination, was bent on mischief, Garfield, then comparatively unknown, calmed the crowd by springing to a commanding position and exclaiming: "God reigns, and the government at Washington still lives."

It is very fine, and undoubtedly useful. But, after all, it comes to political economy at last. The man alone in deep water, no matter how much faith in God he has, must swim or go down. And so with society. We must find out and destroy the cause of the evils, or our civilization will perish as others have.

Our current political economy gives no hope; for it is saturated with the Malthusian doctrine which makes poverty, misery, crime, and disease necessary. According to this doctrine more people are born into the world than there can possibly be food for. It is manifestly absurd, of course, but John Stuart Mill taught it, and it is supreme. If it be true, then Dr. Eddy's faith in God has no good foundation, and there is no hope. If there can not be sufficient food in the world for all, then some must suffer; selfishness follows as a necessity and a mad scramble for wealth in which the weakest go to the wall, and all the bad passions of man are intensified.

On the other hand, if the Malthusian doctrine is not correct, and this hunger and the scramble are not caused by a law of God, what does cause them? It might be well for some of our clergymen to take hold of that question. It is far more fruitful than most of the sermonizing on abstract themes that are worn out.

The Courier, a paper published in Ann Arbor, is vexed (and it took a quarter column last week to tell about its grievance when the whole thing might have been put in a few lines) because at the recent Prohibition conference, THE REGISTER was praised "right out in meetin'" by the chairman. What the chairman said was this: THE REGISTER would give a fair report of the conference, and in the past had treated the Prohibitionists fairly. What he said about the Courier is this: It had — well, it had not treated them fairly. THE REGISTER can afford to have such comparisons made. We mean to treat every one fairly.

The Michigan prohibitionists will be happy to learn that their idol, Prof. Dickie, was chosen chairman of their national committee yesterday. He says he will resign his professorship in Albion college, which he can well afford to do as he is guaranteed a salary of \$3,000 a year by the committee.

Word comes from Washington, D. C., that 1,500 of the needy poor of the city were supplied with an excellent dinner on Thanksgiving day by one mission; and that is in the beautiful capital of the United States!

Bronson Howard Again.

Bronson Howard, the dramatist, who has been spending a few weeks in Ann Arbor, was interviewed by a reporter of a Detroit paper recently, and expressed himself as delighted with our University town. He would like to spend all his time here. He is especially enthusiastic about Prof. Hennequin and his lectures on dramatic construction. It is only in the University of Michigan that the drama is treated from the standpoint of art. Mr. Howard attended these lectures, and thinks that Prof. Hennequin's work will have a decided bearing on the future of American dramatic literature, for which, he says, he is doing more than any other man. Mr. Howard has taken a house on Jefferson-st and will remain in Ann Arbor some time.

Judge Cooley for the Supreme Court.

A. O. Crozier, of Grand Rapids, was interviewed last Monday in Chicago by a News reporter relative to the vacancy on the bench of the United States supreme court. He thinks that Mr. Lamar would not be confirmed should the president send in his name for the place; and in that event there is a strong probability that Judge Thomas M. Cooley would be nominated. Mr. Cooley, he says, is understood to be a "mugwump;" the president is under obligations to him for the manner in which he has worked on the difficult inter-state commerce law; Mr. Cooley is a complete master of constitutional law, and is a writer widely known; he has a marvelous constitution and is a hard worker so that he could push the work of the supreme court; these and many other reasons Mr. Crozier gives why Judge Cooley is likely to be chosen.

Almost as Good as Going to Greece.

At the Unity club Monday evening, Mr. Sunderland gave the fourth of his short "Talks on Ruskin," speaking especially of Ruskin as a teacher of nature. The "Wit and Wisdom Budget" was read by Mr. Kendall, and a beautiful piece was played on the piano by Miss Jessie Taylor. The principal paper of the evening was by Prof. D'Ooge, who spoke for an hour of his experiences in Greece where he spent last year. He took his hearers with him in imagination on a journey of a week or more which he made from Athens to Olympia, the place where the famous Olympic games of ancient times were celebrated. Many towns and localities of historic interest which he passed through on the way were described in a most interesting manner. At the close fifteen or twenty minutes were spent in asking and answering questions. The audience dispersed saying that what they had heard was almost as good as going to Greece themselves.

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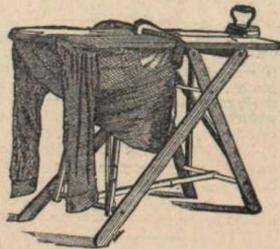
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COUNTY NEWS.

There are 42 Good Templars in Mooreville.

Miss Colgrove of Ann Arbor is teaching in district No. 8 in Lima.

Manchester expects to hear Prof. M. W. Harrington of Ann Arbor lecture.

The residence of Dr. Pyle of Milan had an scorching last week; damage \$50.

There is a fine mill site at East Manchester, and J. A. Kingsley is improving it.

Young ladies broom brigade in Saline, and the Saline G. A. R. want to produce the Union Spy.

Dr. Kapp of Ann Arbor attended Miss Olive Kuhl of Freedom whose right leg was fractured last week.

Peter Gable of Whittaker was seriously hurt in the eye by an overloaded gun breaking from the stock.

A long German clay pipe has been presented to Mr. Gregory of Lima, chairman of the board of supervisors.

Miss Jennie Brown of Lima will spend the winter in Chelsea, and Miss N. Storms of Lima is attending school in Ann Arbor.

The North Sharon young ladies missionary society gave an oyster supper at the residence of G. S. Peckins last Friday evening.

Miss Lucy Burch gave such satisfaction as teacher in district No. 9 of Sharon township that she has been engaged to teach the winter term.

Misses Bertha and Marie Kirchofer of Manchester attended the Abbot-Mack wedding in Ann Arbor last week; also Mr. and Mrs. N. Schmid.

School district No. 8, Milan, commenced school last week with Miss Annie E. Tenant teacher. Miss Annie brags about her school a little.

The unfortunate item about the death of Rev. Samuel Clements of Ann Arbor is going the rounds of the county papers. Please correct it: he is not dead.

W. H. Pottle, a successful business man in Manchester, will go to Arkansas City, Kan., to assume control of a flouring business. His family will remain till spring.

A "fish-pond box social," so-called, was held at the residence of John Wheeler in Webster, Nov. 29, and in Stony Creek, Nov. 25, they had a "rain-bow" social.

Broncho John and his troupe of cowboys and Sioux Indians have been entertaining the Manchester people. The Indians camped out, and attracted great attention. One of the cowboys did the William Tell act.

On Thanksgiving day, at the residence of the bride's father in York township, Miss Linnia A. Richards was married to James Murphy of Ann Arbor. Rev. Samuel D. Breed performed the ceremony. There was a large company and fine dinner.

Last week Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams gave a very pleasant social at their residence in Pittsfield township near Ann Arbor. A collection was taken for the benefit of the Pittsfield Sunday school, whose superintendent is Mark Williams of the University.

Webster.

Munis Kenney, one of Webster's most promising young men died on Monday. The members of the N. E. reading circle will meet at Osbert Williams on Dec. 2, at which time they will wrestle with the historical facts connected with the Revolution. Master Ray Olsvater will read a paper, subject, Washington and his contemporaries. There was quite a ripple in short-horn circles on reading the announcement in Michigan Farmer of the joint sale of a draft from the herd of Ball & Boyden at the Spring Brook farm next June. Winter wheat that previous to the last rains seemed to be suffering from an attack of jaundice now shows signs of convalescing. Rev. Jas. E. Butler last Sabbath returned to his pulpit to find that the interior of this old-time structure had, under the hands of carpenters, painters, decorators, and the ladies, become a thing of beauty and, let us hope, a joy forever. North Webster people, with Capt. Allen at the helm, are making it warm for the postal authorities about the cutting down of mail facilities. There are strong symptoms of the revival of the Nelson amateur club. Ray McColl is home from the Agricultural college, and says it is prospering. Messrs. Ira Backus, Geo. Phelps, and Wm. Latson have each erected fine residences on their farms the past season. Members of the Webster Farmers' club should bear in mind that the meeting at the town hall the second Saturday in December is an important one, it being the time and place for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

Whitmore Lake.

Fred. Roper and wife of Ann Arbor, spent Thanksgiving here. L. J. and V. R. Stiles were at Toledo on business Tuesday. Fred. S. Horner spent Thanksgiving at his father's at Cherry Hill. A ten-cent social in the interest of the M. E. church will be given at the residence of Wm. Rane Friday evening. Prof. Lumbard's singing class is progressing nicely. Wild ducks have been very plenty on the lake recently. A family reunion made Thanksgiving very pleasant at Postmaster Stevens. Rev. S. W. Bird and family attended a wedding at Albion last week. Our postoffice with its improvements is by no means the worst office ever seen. Thanks, Uncle Sam. Our citizens "do pray and petition" the commissioner of highways for the opening of two new streets in our village. If the project is carried out, there will be obtained a good opening to the T. & A. A. station, which is very much needed. Stiles & Pray is the firm which succeeds L. J. Stiles at the "Old Reliable."

Ypsilanti.

Ben. Kief spent Sunday in Charlotte visiting his sister Fannie, who is teaching in that city. Miss Minnie Adams starts for Chicago next week to stay for a number of weeks. Mrs. Maria Scott, an old resident of this city, died very suddenly last Thursday while visiting her daughter in Detroit. She was feeling quite as well as usual, but suddenly complained of a pain in her head and died within a few moments after her first outcry. She leaves three children. Thirty young couples hopped a thankful hop at the Follett house last Thursday evening, and about twenty couples

went to Cherry Hill in the rain for the same purpose. Prof. and Mrs. Sill and Mrs. Graham spent Thanksgiving with friends in Jonesville. It is stated that Mrs. Ella Spencer's children are very dangerously ill with diphtheria. It is rumored that owners of the property on Congress-st, between King's grocery and Gaudy's bakery, are thinking over the matter of building a fine business block in place of the crazy patch-work lot of buildings that now ornament the ground. Merchants say that business was never more rushing in this city than at the present time, and that the outlook for December trade is most flattering. Perry F. Powers, junior editor and proprietor of the Ypsilanti, has sold his interest in that sheet to Prof. W. M. Omand, and has gone to Cadillac where he has purchased The Express, which is a very out and out Republican paper. Ypsilanti regrets to lose him.

Chelsea.

Married, at Chelsea Nov. 23, by Rev. Thomas Holmes, D. D., Arthur Scofield of Ypsilanti, and Miss Jennie Perry of Chelsea. At the residence of the bride's father in Chelsea, Nov. 24, Lila Winans was married to Wm. Campbell, by Rev. T. Robinson. Mrs. J. H. Durand and her sister, Mrs. Lansing, ate Thanksgiving turkey with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Mitchell in Lima. The W. W. and E. J. Fair association are paying premiums awarded at their late fair in September. Miss Tillie Mutschel, Normal student at Ypsilanti, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kempf the latter part of last week and Sunday. T. E. Speer, late clerk in C. H. Kempf's furniture store, has gone to Detroit to take a commercial course. Mrs. Brackbill and son of Macomb county, are visiting Mrs. Barlow. Lorin Winans, late of Chicago, has accepted a situation as clerk in the furniture store of C. H. Kempf & Son. A "bucket shop" is to be opened again in this place, for which telegraph wires were put up last week. Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Kellogg of Brighton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Freer on Thanksgiving day.

Dexter.

The following persons were licensed at the Dexter examination Nov. 25: Anna Carragher, Myra Baird, Sara Zimmerman, Anna L. Hughes, W. H. Sales, Zilla Hicking, Henry A. Conlin, Hattie B. Lucas, Jessie E. Williams, K. H. Wheeler, and Frank H. Wheeler. Claire Allen, architect and contractor of the school building, was in town Thanksgiving looking at the progress of the work. Special Pension Examiner McGinnis was in Dexter last week taking testimony in some pension cases. The Congressional society have "given a call" to Rev. Clafin of Williamston, Mich. Mr. Andrews of Ypsilanti has bought a half interest in Davis & Co.'s general store. M. Kinne, Webster, was buried on Nov. 30. He had been sick of typhoid fever for a month. Mr. Benton, father of George Benton of Lima, died last Sunday morning. Deceased was one of the old settlers in the county.

Thanksgiving in Pittsfield.

Joseph Wilsey of Pittsfield has an old-fashioned fire-place that was built nearly fifty years ago. Could the old bricks against which innumerable "back-logs" have been piled and burned relate what has transpired in their time, it would be an interesting tale of changes in families, communities, the nation, and the world. Mr. Wilsey's father and mother, who died a few years ago aged 90 and 94 years, spent many hours in the genial warmth of this old fire-place, and many children and grand children and friends and neighbors have basked in its warmth and light. Last Thursday it again made the inside of the old domicile cheerful, while outside the weather was dismal. Twenty-five relatives enjoyed the day very much in the good old Thanksgiving style, each one doing his part in feasting, making merry, and being thankful. The company included fifteen from Ann Arbor, one from Chelsea, besides the families of David and Joseph Wilsey.

Licensed to Marry.

Table with columns: NAME AND RESIDENCE, AGE. Lists names and ages of couples licensed to marry.

The supervisors proceedings are now to be had in printed form by going or writing to County Clerk Howell. He has sent them to all the supervisors except those near the city.

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Ann Arbor Preserving Co. For jams, confections and preserves, manufactured by the Ann Arbor Preserve Co., go to Brown & Cady, State-st., sole agents in Ann Arbor, or to the Factory, Pittsfield road, south. 672-75+ "Cawn't do it, ye know," comic song from "Little Tycoon" at Clements.

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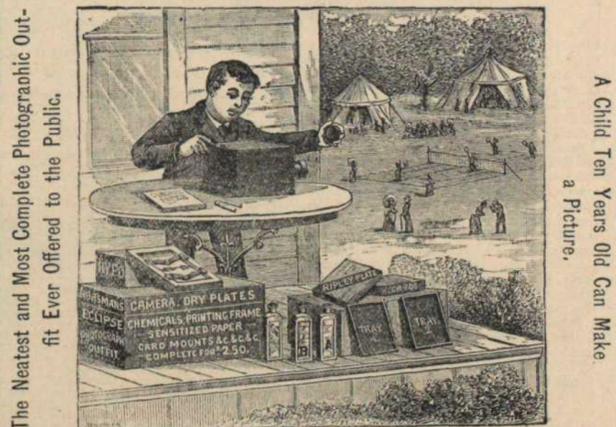
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Strong Evidence for the Defense in the Arensdorf Trial.

Testimony of the Prosecution Broken by the Tactics of the Other Side—The Alibi Apparently Established.

IN ARENSDORF'S BEHALF.

STOUT CITY, Ia., Nov. 28.—The defense renewed the taking of testimony in the Arensdorf case yesterday morning. Twenty witnesses are to be examined...

STOUT CITY, Ia., Nov. 28.—Paul Leader and Harry Sherman, saloon-keepers, who were jointly indicted with Arensdorf for the Haddock murder...

STOUT CITY, Ia., Nov. 28.—The high level bridge across the Mississippi river at this place was formally dedicated and opened yesterday. A very large military, civic and trades display was made...

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LAND-GRANT ABUSES.

A Summary of Secretary Lamar's Forthcoming Annual Report.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30. Secretary Lamar's forthcoming annual report will say that upon becoming familiar with the public land system, its organization and the workings thereof, he became more and more impressed with the fact that the public domain was being diverted from its legitimate purpose...

It does not for a moment mean to question the wisdom of aiding in the construction of railroads. That policy was at the time a wise one, but in the light of experience it may well be asked whether it would not have been wiser to have aided these great enterprises otherwise than by grants of the public domain...

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THE JOINT SNAKE.

Some Interesting Facts Concerning This Almost Fabulous Reptile. The snake lizard, or "joint snake" as it is called in some localities, is a peculiar reptile, says the Scientific American...

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A traveler who frequently met with the "glass snake" during his botanical rambles says: "It is as innocent and harmless as an earthworm. When full grown it is about two and a half feet in length and three-fourths of an inch in thickness..."



THE GLASS OR JOINT SNAKE.

mal is much like bluish-green glass, which, together with its fragility, almost persuades a stranger that it is in reality that brittle substance. Though quick and nimble in twisting about, yet it can not run with much rapidity, but quickly secretes itself in the grass or under leaves...

In life the head of the snake lizard is mottled black and green, yellowish about the jaws. The body and tail above are marked with lines of black, green and yellow, corresponding to the position of the scales. The under surface of the whole animal is yellow, most brilliant along the abdomen...

It has been found in all of the Southern States from Southern Virginia to Texas inclusive; and in the West its range extends as far north as Wisconsin and Iowa. It seems to prefer open fields and dry or sandy localities, and is frequently met with in sweet potato fields in the South. It is said to feed mainly upon insects.

The Isthmus of Corinth Canal Company has been obliged to obtain an extension of three years from the Greek Government in which to complete its works. The canal, which was commenced in 1882, was to have been opened in 1888. Great mistakes appear to have been made in regard to geological strata, which have to be dealt with. Rock instead of sand or gravel has been encountered in certain places.

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MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For Week Ended November 30.

Larty Finn killed his wife with an axe at Marquette, Mich.

The Cherokees are still in a ferment and indulge in a talk of war.

James B. Chess, of Indiana, has been appointed United States Consul at Durango, Mex.

A reduction of Western Union telegraph rates at all points east of Utah and Montana is announced.

Nelson Mather & Co.'s furniture factory at Grand Rapids, Mich., was destroyed by fire Sunday. Loss, \$200,000.

T. V. Powderly is in New York working for a Government telegraph system. He will go to Europe in May.

Twenty-six of the leading shoe manufacturers of Rochester, N. Y., have abolished the Saturday half-holiday.

At Huron, D. T., on Tuesday the bodies of John H. Gowen and his 16-year-old daughter were found frozen stiff.

Frank McCutchen, a Mexican boy charged with incendiarism, was taken from the jail at Oakland, Cal., and lynched.

An incendiary fire on Saturday at Doniphan, Neb., destroyed nearly the entire business portion of the town.

The Chicago hoodlums were on Tuesday saved from the penitentiary for a while by the granting of a supersedeas.

A seven-foot vein of lead, containing small quantities of silver, was discovered at Royal Center, Ind., Tuesday.

A Washington dispatch says Mr. Blaine will return to this country, landing at San Francisco June 29 next year.

William Narvald died in New York on Tuesday of hydrophobia. He was bitten by a Newfoundland dog last August.

A company has been formed at Boston for the purpose of building a telegraph line from New York to San Francisco.

A collision at Lima, O., on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad resulted in the death of the fireman and engineer.

The residence of ex-Postmaster Kendrick, of Hoboken, N. J., was robbed Sunday of \$8,000 worth of money and jewels.

The Pennsylvania courts decided adversely to the power of the mine-owners to evict the striking miners from their homes.

Colonel R. Penn Smith, who served with distinction through the war, died Monday at his home in Brighton, Staten Island.

Friday's sales of whisky in the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce reached 2,720 barrels, the largest on record for one day.

Meta, a yearling filly by Onondago, made a half-mile at Lexington, Ky., Friday in fifty-seven seconds, carrying 100 pounds.

At Sydney, N. S. W., on Saturday William Beach won the sculling race for the world's championship over Edward Hanlan by two lengths.

By a fearful explosion in the Abernethy mines in Aberdure, Eng., 340 men were for a time buried alive. A relief party rescued them all.

At Waterloo, Ia., Tuesday, William Mandatorm was sentenced to imprisonment for life for the murder of his uncle, Christian Hemme.

Ex-County Treasurer W. J. Burke, of Galveston, Tex., accused of defrauding the county out of \$36,000, has been declared not guilty.

The Northern Pacific Dining-Car Company's hotel at Thompson Falls, M. T., was burned Tuesday morning, causing a loss of \$60,000.

The American Bank of Pittsburgh, Pa., with a capital stock of \$200,000, closed its doors Saturday. It hopes to be able to meet all its debts.

The Buffalo (N. Y.) Union Stock Yards strike ended on Monday, the strikers returning to work without having gained their point.

By collision between two freight trains on the Cincinnati Southern road near Nemo, Tenn., two men were killed and two others were injured.

M. Gaunt, a wealthy colored man living near Xenia, O., has given \$30,000 to Wilberforce University, an institution for colored people.

For the first nine months in 1887 railroads in Michigan earned \$58,693,242—an increase of nearly 15 per cent over the same period last year.

At Cincinnati on Monday Chris Ebert was killed and George Thiesing seriously injured by a passenger train striking a hand-car upon which they were.

Ten thousand dollars reward is offered for the capture of the Mexican bandit Eracito Bernal, who has "ruined and almost depopulated districts in San Ignacio."

The superintendent of the insane asylum at Oshkosh, Wis., claims to be part owner in a valuable gold mine situated about eighteen miles from the city of Washington.

On the pickered grounds of Lake Erie, near Erie, Pa., the fishing boat Maggie was wrecked Tuesday and Robert Pryor and James McLaughlin were drowned.

At Johan Most's trial in New York on Monday one of the defendant's witnesses said he did not believe God bothered himself about such trifling things as perjury.

At the close of the business on Saturday the stock of wheat in sight in this country was 39,362,059 bushels, of corn 6,241,274 bushels, and of oats 6,502,424 bushels.

A New York syndicate has bought 10,000 acres of land in Gadsden and Columbia counties, Fla., and will plant over 1,000 acres in tobacco during the coming year.

The Mansion House at Andover, Mass., was destroyed by fire on Tuesday. The house was built over one hundred years ago, and has been used as a hotel ever since.

C. R. and C. K. Garrison, sons of David R. Garrison, were almost instantly killed Monday by falling down a shaft in a mine near Webb City, Mo.

The official count in Virginia gives the Democratic majority at 426. The estimated majority in counties where there were no Democratic candidates will swell the majority to 3,160.

A tremendous flow of natural gas was struck Tuesday at Xenia, near Wabash, Ind. A blaze sixty feet high was issuing from a three-inch pipe all night and the people were highly elated.

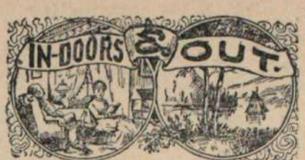
Tippeco Tib has not sent the promised carriers to Stanley's rear guard at Yanbagua with stores for Emin Bey. Stanley has proceeded without them. Many of the men have starved to death.

The Ohio live-stock board has issued a call for a meeting of similar boards of the Northern States to be held at Springfield, Ill., December 13, to take action to prevent the spread of Texas fever.

Henry Overholtz, president of the collapsed Fifth National Bank of St. Louis and ex-mayor of the city, died Tuesday. He had been ill for some time, and did not know that the bank had suspended.

The schools at La Salle, Ill., which have been closed for several weeks on account of the prevalence of diphtheria among the children, have been opened again, and the city is declared to be in a healthy condition.

The police prevented the holding of a demonstration in honor of the Manchester martyrs at Lincoln Park Sunday. They had several encounters with the crowds in the streets, in which a number of people were injured.



AIRING THE ROOMS.

The Importance of Complete Ventilation in Our Homes—Some Practical Suggestions.

Heaven's sweet air is the "breath of life" according to the laws of nature, says the *Deliberator*, but its impurities are the misery of humanity. Because this is true, it is as much one's duty to learn which are the best methods for securing and retaining it, as to acquire knowledge of ethics or morals.

Upon this intelligence, to a large extent, rests the physical fate of the family, and one is not able to acquire too much scientific information that may be practically utilized in every-day domestic arrangements.

To commence at the beginning. The doors and windows of a house are the mediums through which the benedictions of health should be cordially invited to enter at least twice a day during the winter, and strong, pure air should be an all-day visitor—indeed, an all-night one, too—in fine summer weather. The proper airing of rooms includes also the letting in of sunshine whenever and wherever it is possible to obtain it.

Unfortunately, with a large number of housekeepers, the admission of fresh air is an accident rather than a thoughtful proceeding. It is not uncommon to find homes of the poor where cleanliness and pure, fresh air give to the place a mark of refinement quite unattainable in many finely-appointed houses that are laden with poisons of an exhausted atmosphere. Invalids fall to recuperate with the rapidity which nature intends, and not infrequently they die of weakness, unable to contend against the poisonous influences of the vitiated air.

Impurities in the air always rise, and to an unwholesome cellar many an illness and death may be accredited. Consequently, this part of the house should be regularly aired with scrupulous care. Not infrequently deadly fevers have originated in a small unnoticed heap of decaying debris in a cellar. Upon entering one may find only an apparent tidiness, all visible litter having been removed; but the poison is generated in something that would pass unnoticed by any except the most watchful eyes. Every particle of material that can be transformed by decay into putrid matter should be removed, and the place where it has lain thoroughly cleansed and unslaked lime or fresh wood ashes strewn upon it.

The early autumn is the time during which warmth combined with dampness makes the atmosphere of cellars most dangerous, and during this period the walls should be whitewashed with lime in which fresh wood ashes have been sifted. The windows and doors should be left open as long as practicable during the day, but carefully closed at night to prevent the outer air that may be tainted or laden with the unwholesome vapors of the night from penetrating the sleeping rooms. A sensitive perception of odors assists in protecting us while awake, but during sleep these senses are useless except when violently aroused. Unusual odors, even though faint, should always be heeded, and their source investigated and discovered if they be innocent or hurtful. Standing water, in which there is a multitudinous life invisible to unaided vision, soon becomes vitiated, perhaps because of the death of the animalcules. At all events, the odors arising from it inaugurate illness and even fevers of the most dreaded types.

Vessels in which such water has been standing should always be thoroughly purified with boiling water, in which washing soda, coppers or fresh lime has been dissolved. Lye of moderate strength is also a perfect purifier of ill-smelling water or metal vessels. Sinks can not be too carefully watched during warm weather, for, for that matter, throughout the year. At least once a week boiling water should be poured through them, and if sal soda is dissolved in the water all the better. It is from cellars, drains, impure wells into which water is filtered through unclean earth and from winds blown over decaying substances that disease gathers its subtle and insidious poisons; hence this plea for a sweet atmosphere throughout the house, especially during the night.

Sunshine is man's best friend, not only because of its destructiveness to those infinitesimal living germs which are always preying upon all living organisms, but also on account of the warmth it contributes to the earth. If only for economic reasons, one ought to make the most of its cheering, sustaining and protecting beams.

A walk through the living rooms on the floor above the cellar will too often discover the windows closed, the blinds fastened and the curtains let down to keep out the heat—as if a moment's reflection would not convince us of the truth that hot, pure air is far more endurable than the lifeless, stuffy atmosphere of a closed room. To keep insects out of the house are there not easily fashioned appliances of netting to insert into casements, and double doors of the same that even a woman's hand is able to construct?

If, for any special reason, light as well as heat is offensive, all the living out of a home should be thoroughly aired during the early morning, and the closing of them until the early twilight will not then be so injurious to health or as suffocating and hurtful to lungs that perform their office properly only in the sweetest and cleanest atmospheres.

In the winter time the sun should be let into all rooms in use and the doors of the sleeping rooms opened wide. Airing the house should not be confounded with ventilation. The first is a clean sweep of outer air, while the latter means letting out the accumulated impurities of such air as has been inhaled and exhaled and requires for health's sake a replacement by the purer outside oxygen. Just before retiring, provided one has been passing any considerable part of the evening in the bed chamber, plenty of pure air should be admitted before arranging the ventilation for the night.

To ventilate properly lower the window at the top and raise it from the bottom as much as may be considered desirable. Since, as before stated, the impure air of a house or room always rises the windows of sleeping apartments should reach almost to the ceiling. Indeed, those who have investigated the subject from a scientific standpoint pronounce in favor of rooms with moderately low ceilings and high windows.

The President Decorated.

Men are not naturally fond of flowers, and only wear them in their button-holes, as a concession to the ladies in whose company they appear. There is not one man in a thousand who would ever buy a flower for himself. Indeed, it is not a woman's idea of a manly man, one who would sit down to sniff a bouquet or go about with a bunch of pansies in his hand.

President Cleveland is no exception to the rule. Flowers bore him except at a State dinner or in the garden beds; but he wears a boutonniere in deference to fashion, and accepts the offerings of friends as graciously as if he desired them. Now that he has

his young wife to divide honors with he does not pay much attention to bouquets, but passes them over to her.

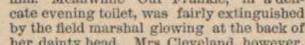
Appropos of this, a little incident occurred at the theater last winter during the engagement of Lawrence Barrett. The management had draped the President's box handsomely on one side—that facing the audience, the seat which the Chief Magistrate always occupies—had arranged a mass of martial bloom, the high-colored heroic flower, with palms and ferns and conspicuous foliage. Upon the other side was a large wreath of delicate La France roses, with their pure, pale, pink faces and shadowy perfume. By mere hocus-pocus or caprice of destiny the President exchanged the seats and the lace-paper ornaments of La France roses tickled his head, and his robust physique overthrew the cameo-pink loveliness of the exquisite decoration above him. Meaning "Our Frankie" in a delicate evening toilet, was fairly extinguished by the field marshal gloving at the back of her dainty head. Mrs. Cleveland, however, was not long in discovering the incongruity. She leaned over and whispered to the President, and at the end of the first act she quietly and gracefully changed places with him.

Ladies who had noticed the episode smiled, the audience applauded, the orchestra played "Hail to the Chief," and the President tenderly rubbed the spot on his head which the ornaments of the floral piece had abraded.

Mrs. M. L. RATNE.

Apparatus for Lifting Heavy Weights.

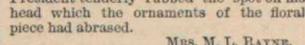
We here give an illustration of a handy and powerful lifting apparatus, which any farmer can readily make for himself. It is soon put in place, and for lifting large stones into the wagon is very serviceable. The stone is lifted to a suitable height, held there, and the wagon backed under the stone. The main piece is six inches square and can be made of pine. The slot in it is made just large enough to receive a stout lever, which swings on a heavy bolt. To prevent the bolt from working into the



WOOD IRON PIECES ARE FASTENED AT EACH SIDE, THROUGH WHICH THE BOLT PASSES. BRACES ARE MORTICED IN THE HEAVY UPRIGHT POSTS TO ACT AS SUPPORTS. TO PRESERVE THE STRENGTH OF THE LEVER INTACT, INSTEAD OF BORING A HOLE THROUGH IT, ATTACH AN EYE TO THE UNDER SIDE OF THE LEVER FOR THE BOLT TO PASS THROUGH. THE LEVER SHOULD BE OF HARD WOOD, ABOUT TEN FEET LONG. THE WEIGHT TO BE LIFTED IS ALWAYS ATTACHED TO THE SHORT END OF THE LEVER, WHICH GIVES ADDITIONAL POWER TO THE MAN OPERATING IT.

A Simple Fodder Carrier.

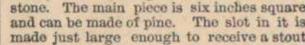
On farms where the corn-stalks are left in stacks in the field to be carried to the yard as wanted, the use of a convenient carrier saves much work and time. Such an one is shown in our illustration, a sketch of which was sent us by A. G. Knapp, Pottawattamie County, Ia. It consists of the front wheels, axle, bolster and pole of a



common farm wagon, with the ends of two poles, or a common cord-wood rack fastened to the bolster. The other ends of the poles drag on the ground. A cross-piece three feet long is securely fastened to the poles about three feet from their lower ends, and two upright stakes four or five feet long complete the arrangement of this farm convenience.—American Agriculturist.

A Convenient Article.

The cut below shows a cheap and easily constructed bag-holder.



can see from the picture how it is made and used. It is very handy, and can be folded up and put away when not in use.

A Decorated Work-Basket.

This oblong rush basket is mounted on a frame of bamboo bars that are capped with metal at the ends. The inside is lined with old-gold satin. Two small plush mats are hung cornerswise on the long sides, with the opposite corners which hang inside and outside decorated with embroidery; the design is applied in tussore silk, outlined in gold



cord, and shaded in terra-cotta silk. The plush squares differ in color, one being peacock blue, the other terra-cotta. The edge is trimmed with a narrow crochet galloon; to make this work first a chain of the required length with threefold gold cord; on this work with colored untinsel cord a row of picots, for which work a single crochet on a chain stitch of the cord, a picot (for a picot 3 chain, a single on the 2d and a double crochet on the 1st of the 3d); in a chain, repeat. On that part of the square which hangs outside, small crochet balls of the untinsel cord are attached to every other picot, and to every second ball a ball tassel is fastened. Clusters of tassels are also attached at the corners.

The eyebrows may be darkened permanently by a silver hair dye, which can be had from any druggist.

OLD ORCHARD BEACH.

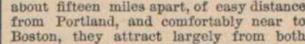
A Delightful Watering Place—Kennebunk Also an Enjoyable Spot at Which to Rusticate—Splendid Bathing.



THE traveler, either on paper or in public conveyance, who has followed the series of illustrations which Mr. Harry Fern has made of the watering-places along the New England coast, none of these delightful resorts is more attractive than Kennebunk and Old Orchard Beach. Situated about fifteen miles apart, of easy distance from Portland, and comfortably near to Boston, they attract largely from both places. But perhaps no watering-place in the country is so frequented by Canadians as Old Orchard Beach. They come from Ottawa, Montreal, St. Catharines—yes, and Quebec—bringing with them the strong, healthy natures of a Northern climate, and a ready zest for out-door sports. The explanation of this is found in the fact that Canada possesses so few watering-places; there are only about three or four frequent resorts.

The beaches at Kennebunk and Old Orchard, instead of being small and rock-bound, as are many of the beaches nearer Boston, here open out into an amplitude which is more than gratifying. Wide, firm, long-shelving, free from shells, pebbles and stones, they stretch away for twenty miles. Except for the Saco river and two little creeks, there is no break in the beach from Kennebunk Beach to Old Orchard Beach. All the country around possesses a historical interest, and was included in Sir Fernando Gorges' "Province of Maine," which was settled in 1623-4. Kennebunk is situated on a narrow river of the same name, three to five miles from its mouth (distances in the country vary in ratio according to the imagination of the guide), while Kennebunkport is on the coast at the mouth of the river. Before the ship-building industry vanced, both of these towns were, some thirty years or so ago, the scene of active ship-building. Many were the vessels here constructed, and lofty towering three-deckers were not uncommonly floated off the ways at high tide and down the narrow little river. Though this industry has died out, the appreciation of the many fine qualities which the place possesses as a summer resort has opened up a lucrative business in the entertainment of guests.

Old Orchard Beach, as regards its general appearance, might be classed with Atlantic City, but there the resemblance ceases.



CHURCH AND BRIDGE AT ORCHARD BEACH.

The bathing is altogether unique, in that, though the surf is a moderately heavy one, there is no undertow, and life-lines are deemed a superfluity. With such an advantage, the sport is largely indulged in, and eleven o'clock witnesses a gay crowd of bathers and lookers-on, many of the latter on their way back from the morning ride on the beach.

The hotels and cottages are numerous, from those which accommodate a single family to the largest hotels accommodating four hundred guests. A fire in 1875 destroyed much hotel property, and consequently many of the buildings are of recent construction. It is an old saw among the New-Yorkers who frequent the place that it "cost ten dollars to get there, and any thing to board you want to pay." Kennebunk has its ship-yards and fishermen's houses for land-marks, but Old Orchard has a park, or rather had a park—for it is fast falling into decay—in the thick pine woods, which, beginning just back of the beach, extends into the country for miles. The park was laid out by a gentleman of means, who, twenty-five years ago, betook himself to a log-cabin in the woods for the cure of some pulmonary complaint, and no Hamilton Gibson sought out the cozy nooks with more zest. Over each nook was placed a small painted board bearing an appropriate quotation from a nature-loving poet.

Cottages extend along the beaches in either direction—to the eastward where Mr. Winslow Homer made the studies for his recent and most successful marine pictures, at Scarborough; and southward to Camp Ellis and the twin cities of Saco and Biddeford, on either side of the Saco river. Both these latter are prospering cities, the scenes of mercantile industry. Seals frequently disport themselves on the rocks along the shore, and an interesting sight of an evening is to be had by walking along the beach and watching them tumbling in the breakers close to shore. Kennebunk, Kennebunkport and Old Orchard Beach are too varied in their numerous attractions to receive justice from mere description, but one of the signs in the play-woods park bears a quotation which seems particularly apt, and tells the whole story: "Who, if master of a vacant hour, Here would not linger, willingly detained?"

An Unjust Suspicion.

Wife (who has been very silent all through breakfast)—John Smith, you talked in your sleep last night about a Miss Ford. I distinctly heard you say that she was a daisy. And you the father of a family! Mother said hear of this.

John (who had been to the races)—Miss Ford, my dear, is a horse.

Wife—John, love, let me send you some hot coffee.—Harper's Bazar.

Not a Bad Outlook.

"You must understand, Mr. Dumley, in seeking the hand of my daughter," said the old man, "that she will bring you no dowry until after my death."

"I understand, sir," responded Dumley, hopefully; "but you must bear in mind, my dear sir, that you are getting well on in years."—Harper's Bazar.

He Had Been There.

Miss Waldo (who has traveled)—Have you ever been in Greece, Mr. Wabash?

Mr. Wabash (of Chicago)—In Greece! Oh, yes, I entered Porcine & Co.'s pork-packing establishment when I was a boy, and have been there ever since.—N. Y. Sun.

HABITNESS was a rose bud, dot growed itself up out of the ground on der street, but der bloom doud come, except when der locality vas pure und heldy.—Carl Prezel.

He is a dull and unimaginative editor who can not make a waste-basket out of one of his wife's old hoop-skirts and a spring bustle.—Falls River Advance.

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The turkey's opinion of Thanksgiving: Stuff and nonsense.—Courier-Journal.

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THE CITY.

The water works has telephone No. 67, three rings.

The sale of pictures in Hobart hall closes this evening.

James Hulbert on Monday paid \$5 to Justice Frueauff for getting drunk on Sunday.

Randall has an "opening" today, which will continue on Friday and Saturday of this week.

R. F. Sanford has been elected chief of the fire department, and Moses Seabolt his assistant.

Herman Graf had a finger badly smashed Tuesday morning at the Michigan Furniture Co's shop.

The case against the two students for hitting "Tony" Schiappacassa was adjourned to tomorrow.

The concert given by St. Thomas convent on Thursday was very interesting and financially a success.

The Ladies' Charitable Union will hereafter meet in Hobart hall. A meeting will be held to-day at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Caroline Collum, of Ann Arbor, died Nov. 23, aged 50 years, of inflammation of the bowels, and was buried last Friday.

Mrs. W. H. Burleson sold her confectionary store on Huron-st. Monday to W. F. Russell, of Milford, Mich., who has taken possession.

W. G. Dieterle has just sold an elegant \$500 parlor set of red mohair plush furniture to a lady in Milan. It is one of the finest ever sold in Ann Arbor.

Dr. Rose starts for the west this week looking for a place to locate. He may go as far as the Pacific coast if he finds nothing to suit him this side of there.

Godfrey Gochenbach had two of the fingers of his left hand cut off and others injured last week while running a whittler in the Michigan Furniture works.

Mrs. John Pfisterer died at her residence in the Second ward Friday night from inflammatory rheumatism. Funeral services were held at Zion church Monday.

The school board met Tuesday evening and agreed that Mr. Kinne should be their lawyer in case their trouble with the architects, Donaldson & Meier, led to a lawsuit.

Mr. Eiting, janitor of the Second ward school, has a child about four years old sick with diphtheria, and as a precautionary measure the school was closed for this week.

James Dorothy and William Johnson, two tramps, were sent to the house of correction at Ionia Monday by Justice Pond. They stole a fine robe and tried to sell it.

Frank Eisele, a former Ann Arbor resident, about 24 years old, died in Belleville, Wayne county, Tuesday evening. His father, Anton Eisele, died about a month ago.

William Rheinfrank, of Bridgewater, has begun suit in the circuit court against Gottlob Hang for \$5000. He claims that Mr. Hang called him "a bad man and red-headed thief," and charged him with stealing an altar cloth in the Catholic church.

Fred Root was convicted of assault upon J. A. Polhemus before Justice Pond Nov. 22, and was fined \$10.00 and \$2.70 costs.

The Ann Arbor Temperance Union holds a meeting in Crosey's hall every Sunday at 3 p. m., and interesting times are reported.

Mrs. Amanda Yale of this city is engaged in a lawsuit in the Huron circuit court in which is involved her claim to interest in the estate of her former husband, Francis Crawford.

Twenty persons have been received by baptism into the Baptist church within the last two weeks; thirteen being baptized last Sunday morning. Others have applied to be thus received.

The Two Sams were not satisfied with their sales last Saturday, the day was so stormy, and they will in the future set another day on which they will give 5 per cent. of their sales to the poor.

A youth's band of some fifty members has been organized, under the superintendency of Mrs. Prof. Stevens, meeting every Friday at 4 p. m. for purposes of christian instruction and missionary activities.

Thomas G. Burlingame, highway commissioner, and John Huldy, of Ann Arbor township, have filed their answer in chancery to Charles Howell, in a case which involves the laying out of a road in the township.

The Ann Arbor Temperance Union, at its meeting Sunday, elected Alvin Wisley delegate to the National prohibition conference held in Chicago yesterday. Mr. Wisley could not go, and his alternate, B. J. Conrad, went.

W. W. Douglas began an auction sale of his entire stock of clothing and furnishing goods, last week, and it is fast disappearing under the eloquence of the auctioneer, F. J. B. Forbes of Detroit. The business will be closed out.

The president of the Washtenaw county republican club has called a meeting at the Courier office next Monday at 10 a. m., to select delegates to attend the convention of republican clubs to be held in New York city, Dec. 15-17.

The Elgin, Ill., Courier of Nov. 15 praises the work of Hutzel & Co. of this city, the firm that put in the water-works plant in that city. The work is completed, and Hutzel & Co. will next put down about six miles of water mains in Streator, Ill.

J. T. Jacobs & Co., are making a sale all this week for the benefit of the students' gymnasium fund. Five per cent. of the sales will go to the fund. J. E. Ryan of Rochester, N. Y., has come on to help take care of the large trade and more help will be had.

The fine old card pin advertised in THE REGISTER of last week as lost, was found by G. King of this city and brought to this office on Monday. It belongs to Mrs. Bishop, of Ludington, who is visiting in the family of N. W. Cheever, and was a family relic much prized.

Thursday last, while Mrs. John Kuhn of Main-st. was placing some vessels on a shelf at the head of the cellar stairs, she was seized with a fainting spell and fell the length of the stairs. She was badly bruised by the fall, and a deep gash was made in the back of her head.

A. L. Noble of the entertainment committee of the Cocker League says that they have some very fine entertainments in view, including a discussion of the subject of "Protection and Free Trade" by two prominent lawyers. The Shakespeare-Bacon controversy will be discussed.

Timothy E. Carroll, of Ann Arbor, died last Sunday, of consumption, aged 24 years. He was a member of the fire department and was on duty at the time of the fire in the university laboratory last spring when he caught a severe cold, from which he never fully recovered.

The Chautauqua circle met at Mrs. Libby's residence Tuesday evening. Mrs. Dr. Darling gave a sketch of Rhode Island; Mrs. Neal read a paper on Benjamin Franklin; and H. L. Benschoter read an essay on "False Public Sentiment," which included some verses entitled "Unfortunate Nina Van Zandt."

The Washtenaw lodge L. O. G. T., Monday evening, gave Mr. and Mrs. George Scott a pleasant visit. It was a surprise for Mrs. Scott, and was for the purpose of helping her celebrate her birthday. As a token of the estimation in which that lady is held, the lodge presented her with a set of silver knives and forks.

A conference of the Unitarian and independent churches of the State will be held at Jackson, beginning next Tuesday and lasting through Wednesday and Thursday. Rev. Mr. Sunderland of this city will read a paper on "Christianity and Unitarianism," and Mrs. Sunderland will speak on "Sunday-schools."

Those who have charge of the Chamber concerts desire to improve the course of concerts as planned, and 50 tickets will be offered for sale for the remaining six concerts, at \$2.25 each, the entire proceeds of which will be used in adding to their attractions. They have sold enough already to carry out the plans now made.

A large number went to the rink Thanksgiving afternoon and evening. About 150 were on skates in the evening, including a party from Ypsilanti. An effort is on foot to have a private skating party in the rink of Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor people. There is not much doubt that the rink will be open for skating on Friday and Saturday evenings during the winter, the skating craze having come to the front a little again.

"The Gypsy Baron" is an opera not only of exquisitely tender and bright music, but of gorgeous costumes and fine stage effects. Mr. Sawyer has received several large photographs taken of different scenes in the opera, and they are very fine. The opera is divided into three acts, all elaborately placed upon the stage. The first is an encampment of gypsies; the second a ruined castle, and the third a public square in Vienna where Hungarian troops are triumphantly returning from a war. In the last act is a march by female hussars.

Prof. J. C. Wood performed Battey's operation upon a patient in the hospital last week. The lady is recovering rapidly, having had no fits since the operation, while she had had from two or three to a dozen in a day, and for years she had been troubled with hystero-epilepsy. The operation is a rare one, quite often fatal, involving the opening of the abdomen.

Miss Fannie Bloomfield, of Chicago, who appears tomorrow evening in the Chamber concert as a solo pianist, was born in Austria in 1864, and was brought to Chicago in 1866. When 15 years old she was sent to Europe to study music. She returned to America in 1884, and made her first appearance in Chicago before the Beethoven Society, and made a great impression. She will be assisted by our Ann Arbor singer, Miss Ida Belle Winchell.

It is said that the costumes used in presenting "The Gypsy Baron" were made from a design by Gaud, the historical painter of the Imperial opera house at Vienna. Musically "The Gypsy Baron" is among the most beautiful of the works of the Vienna waltz king. The opera will be produced with the original scenery and costumes, and same regard to detail, as originally produced in New York for 150 nights. Janius Schnitzer, who wrote the libretto for "The Gypsy Baron," based the incident upon a novel by Jokai, the famous Hungarian poet, and tells a romantic story, blended with humor, of the life of a Magyar gypsy of the last century.

Coming Events.

Prof. Elisha Jones on "A Winter in Rome" this evening in the Congregational church.

The Chancel society of St. Andrews church will hold a social in Hobart hall Dec. 7. Supper served at six.

Prof. Clark lectures in Hobart hall Saturday evening on "Personal culture and religion," and Sunday evening on "The unity of Christian doctrine."

Rev. W. W. Ramsay will preach morning and evening next Sunday in the M. E. church. His subject in the evening will be "Elements of Influential Lives."

Mrs. Sunderland will address the Temperance Union at Crosey's hall, Sunday at three p. m. Subject: "The license system, or the modern sale of indulgence."

The Jubilee cook book is ready and the "fair" opens next Tuesday at 4 p. m. at M. E. church. It will continue through the afternoons and evenings of Dec. 6, 7, and 8.

On Dec. 19 a musicale under the direction of Edward Bilbie will be given in the Unity club parlors. This is the first of a series in charge of Miss Marian Smith, Orin B. Cady, and others.

Prof. Henry C. Adams will deliver a lecture before the Cocker League in the M. E. church, Dec. 12, on "The effect of the invention of machinery on the laboring classes." Music and recitations also.

The Sons of Veterans will hold a meeting in Grand Army hall next Friday evening, and all who know themselves eligible to join are especially requested to attend. Students who are sons of veterans will be welcomed.

Rev. L. R. Fox of the Union Presbyterian church of Detroit, will preach in the Presbyterian church in Ann Arbor next Sunday. Dr. Eddy goes to New York to be present at the dedication of a church built in memory of his father.

The Young Peoples' Missionary society of the Congregational church is preparing for a fair, to be held Dec. 15, afternoon and evening. Some novel attractions will be offered, besides a fine assortment of fancy and useful articles which will be sold at reasonable prices.

Rev. Albert Walkley of Manistee, will preach at the Unitarian church Sunday morning and evening, in exchange with Rev. Mr. Sunderland. The subject of "College Secret Societies," upon which Mr. Sunderland was announced to speak, will be deferred to some future time.

Next Monday evening Dec. 5 at Unity club, Rev. Dr. Sunderland gives his fourth talk on Ruskin, and Prof. Demmon presents a paper on Emerson, the Man and Poet. Miss Myra Pollard will give select readings, and Messrs. Blair and Ewald will render selections on the mandolin, guitar and banjo.

Capt. James' Return.

Capt. L. L. James returned to Ann Arbor in time to spend Thanksgiving day with his charming family of five children. During his absence in Ohio he delivered sixteen temperance lectures in three weeks, and Ohio papers speak very highly of them. The Iron Valley Reporter says: "His addresses are quite different from any we have heard. They are almost entirely statistical, philosophical, argumentative, and historical, and are emotional in but a slight degree. He appeals to the reason and common sense of his audiences, instead of pumping tears by recital of affecting incidents. He does not abuse the drunkard or belabor the saloon."

Capt. James seems to be a temperance worker of a practical kind "from way back." When in command of a military post on the Pacific coast in the 60's he established some wholesome regulations relative to the use of liquor, and his command flourished. He says that he is substantially in accord with the views of THE REGISTER relative to prohibition as expressed last week.

High School Notes.

School re-opened Tuesday for regular work.—The classes in physics start on the subject of heat first this term.—The standings were read in chapel Monday morning, the most of which were very satisfactory.—On account of the scarcity of room in the building, there are six classes in the afternoon.—The officers of lyceum No. 1 are as follows: President, A. B. Johns; vice president, W. W. Griffin; secretary, Le Roy Southmaid; editor, Ira Severance. The program for tomorrow evening includes an extemporaneous speech by Mr. Hossack; debate, Resolved, That ancient history should be taught in schools. Affirmative, Messrs. Chalmers and Babcock; negative, H. F. Johns and Mr. Tichenor. Also a humorous reading by Mr. Spencer; an essay by Mr. Crozier; critic's report by S. Osborne.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Ralph McAlister spent Sunday in Jackson.

Miss Maude Hudson is visiting in Towanda, Penn.

George Werner of Jackson spent Thanksgiving in this city.

Judge Beach returned to his home Wednesday morning.

Dr. T. J. Sullivan, of Chicago, spent Sunday with his family.

Z. Waldron, of Northfield, is dangerously sick with typhoid fever.

H. E. H. Bower is very sick, and W. W. Watts is picking up news for him.

Mrs. D. C. Fall and family have returned from a visit in Springport.

W. H. Dimond of Ogemaw county is in Ann Arbor on pleasure and business.

Jonathan Josenhans, of York township, was visiting in Ann Arbor last week.

Frank Mallory has returned from northern Michigan to Ann Arbor for the winter.

Miss Mary D. Cochran, of Toledo, visited Miss Lulu Moore Thanksgiving day.

O. L. Matthews, of Ann Arbor, is in Dundee today attending to pension business.

Dr. Hugo Lupinski, health officer of Grand Rapids, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Ha'tie Hudson, of Lansing, visited Mrs. Hudson, of the Cook House, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Doty, of Ann Arbor, spent Thanksgiving day in Manchester.

Mrs. Caspary and daughter Frances visited relatives and friends in Detroit the past week.

Arthur Brown, our deputy county clerk, was entertained by Saline friends Thanksgiving day.

Justice Frueauff is quite sick so that he has been unable to attend to business most of this week.

Frank Bower, of the Detroit Tribune, spent Thanksgiving day with his mother in Ann Arbor.

P. C. Hudson of Toledo spent Sunday at Mrs. Warren Hamilton's residence where his son is living.

I. K. Pond, architect of Chicago, spent Thanksgiving day with his father, Justice Pond, of this city.

S. C. Andrews returned from New York city last Saturday, where he went to buy holiday goods.

Rev. J. K. Kost of Findlay, O., editor of the National Presbyterian, was in Ann Arbor on Wednesday.

J. J. Robison and wife spent Thanksgiving day with their daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Eamon, in Anderson.

M. D. Fohey has just left Marshall to accept a position in Toledo as train dispatcher on the T. & A. R. R.

Godfrey Dieterle and wife, of Detroit, ate Thanksgiving dinner with their parents and other relatives in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. A. B. Wood and daughter left yesterday for Europe, intending to spend the winter in the south of France.

James Carroll, of Bay City, and George Carroll, of Cadillac, attended the funeral of their brother, Timothy, on Tuesday.

Prof. and Mrs. de Pont, of Jefferson-st., on Friday evening last gave a pleasant reception for Bronson Howard the dramatist.

Rev. Dr. R. H. Steele delivers a lecture this evening on "The Ethics of Humor," in the Memorial Presbyterian church of Detroit.

T. J. Keech went to Detroit yesterday. Miss Emily Clapp, a sister of Mrs. Keech, from Lancaster, N. Y., is at Mr. Keech's residence.

Mrs. E. M. Mann has gone to Galveston, Texas, for a few weeks, and her two daughters are staying at Secretary Wade's residence.

Miss Paulina Bengel, music teacher of Detroit, visited her sister, Miss Thekla Bengel, at the residence of L. Gruener, Thanksgiving day.

Israel Hall and wife will next week join their son Charles in New Orleans, and will then make a trip to the table lands of Honduras.

George Keek, a former Ann Arbor boy who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Con. Hildner the past week, returned to his home, Grand Rapids, Friday.

Mrs. Dr. J. S. Johnson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nickels of State-st., the past two months, returned to her home at Orfordville, Wis. Monday.

Capt. Manly and family were surprised on Thanksgiving day by Mr. and Mrs. Seth Newell, of Owosso, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Riggs, of Belleville, and Mr. and Mrs. House, of this city.

W. W. Wines had 18 at his table Thanksgiving day among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Andrews, Mrs. E. J. Hale and daughter, of Detroit, and Stephen Hedges, of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. James W. Ross and daughter, of Fulton, Ill., Mrs. L. A. Russell and brother from Vermont, and S. Rolla Barney, of Kalamazoo, Mich., are the guests of their brother R. O. Barney, 47 Washington-st.

Mrs. E. E. Hillis, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, for the past six weeks, left with her two daughters, last Saturday, for Chicago, where she will visit relatives prior to her departure for her home in Pittsburg, Kas.

A well-planned masquerade surprise party gave W. W. Watts and wife, of Fourth-st., a pleasant time last Friday evening. Mr. Watts was the one surprised. About 50 young people participated.

George Osius, jr., father of George Osius, jr., who once was partner of George Wahr in the stationery business, came lately from Germany with his family to Detroit where he now resides. He visited his cousin, L. Gruener, of this city, over Sunday.

The marriage of William Harry Hawkes, of Birmingham, Mich. and Miss Fannie Stimson, was solemnized at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stimson, of West Huron st., at 8 o'clock, on Thursday evening. The bride received a large number of valuable presents from her many relatives. They left on the 11 o'clock train for their home in Birmingham, amid showers of rice and old shoes.

Too Full for Utterance.

Thanksgiving is over; the turkey is eaten; My clothing no longer seems loose; With sauces and gravies, and game pies and puddings I feel like an overfed goose.

It's nice that relations get up such good dinners, I really am glad to be here; Yet thankful I am for the sake of digestion Thanksgiving don't come twice a year.

The Lockport, N. Y., News has the following to say about an Ann Arbor boy: "The bass solo of Alvin Dodsley of Ann Arbor, Mich., who kindly consented to favor the audience with the selection, 'Flee as a Bird,' was very finely rendered, and showed Mr. Dodsley's fine bass voice to good advantage."

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Do not fail to attend the Grand Holiday Opening at Brown's Drug Store next Tuesday, Dec. 6. 675

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