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## COMMUNICATION.

W. W. Wines.

Will you permit a long time friend of Mr. Wines to add a few words to your excellent editorial notice of him of last week?

Mr. Wines was a gentleman at heart, which is very different from being a gentleman on the surface only. Not only his conscious wishes, but his very instincts were kind, helpful to others, obliging, humane, sympathizing. He acted out the golden rule constantly and unflinchingly, and at the same time he carried out the scriptural injunction of not letting his left hand know what his right was doing. If we could have a mass meeting of all those to whom Mr. Wines had done some real favor, not of kindness simply, but some marked benefit, I think that it would not only be a large one, but that those present would be very much surprised at the others they found there. Perhaps no one would be more surprised than those who thought they knew him best. It was not so much that he was secretive about his kindnesses, as that they were to him like the song to the bird, so natural that they were spontaneous, and he gave them no thought himself.

He was a very active man, constantly bestirring himself in his business, or for his friends, or in the pursuit of some good work. His sympathies were always alive to anything that would benefit others or the community, and when anything had his sympathy it had also not only his financial assistance, but his active co-operation. He would give for public objects, not only money, but thought and work. He was always a mainstay and very active member of the church. Its business affairs, its Sunday school work; anything about it in which he could be of service, received always his active co-operation.

It took many years of acquaintance to thoroughly appreciate Mr. Wines, but when his friends at last grasped the full meaning of his broad sympathy for all that was in favor of religion and good morals, his generous, almost boundless, kindness to others, his untrusting activity which, when not spent in his business, was spent to benefit others, and his sterling virtues, they felt for him a respect and affection which it has been the lot of few men to call out.

I would like to give you some illustrations of what I know of Mr. Wines' good deeds, but it would be somewhat of a betrayal of confidence, so I will refrain. I will not, however, refrain from sending you this note as an indication of the regard I had for the man, and the reverence in which I hold his memory.

## The Masonic "Goat" in Public.

The joint installation of the officers of Golden Rule and Fraternity lodges, F. and A. M., which was held at Masonic Temple last Thursday evening, was enjoyed by several hundred friends of the members of these organizations who spent a pleasant evening. The ceremonies of installation were novel and interesting. The programme opened with a selection by the Chequamegon, during which the officers to be installed and those who were to take part in the ceremonies marched to the front of the hall and were seated.

After prayer by Rev. W. S. Studley and a selection by a male quartette consisting of Messrs. Wilsey, St. James, Mutschel and Fall, the officers elect were installed according to the ancient ceremonies of the order. Chas. E. Hiscock acting as installing officer and L. C. Goodrich as marshal. The officers installed were as follows:

GOLDEN RULE LODGE, NO. 159.  
N. J. Kyer, Worshipful Master.  
E. H. Guthbert, Senior Warden.  
J. B. Davis, Junior Warden.  
D. C. Fall, Treasurer.  
N. D. Gates, Secretary.  
S. Cramer, Senior Deacon.  
M. F. Lanz, Junior Deacon.  
E. A. Wiedman, Stewards.  
E. L. Seyler, Tyler.  
Z. Roth, Tyler.

FRATERNITY LODGE, NO. 262.  
C. B. Davidson, Worshipful Master.  
J. E. Best, Senior Warden.  
M. E. Cooley, Junior Warden.  
W. B. Smith, Treasurer.  
G. H. Pond, Secretary.  
W. R. Price, Senior Deacon.  
J. E. Dowdigan, Junior Deacon.  
C. W. Greenman, Stewards.  
C. Niehammer, Tyler.  
T. Taylor, Tyler.

After another selection by the quartette W. G. Doty, Deputy Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Michigan, was introduced to the audience and gave an address upon masonry. He gave those present an insight into the legends and traditions of masonry, its history in modern times and the object and attainments of the order. The address was a short, concise and scholarly defense of the masonic institutions and was interesting to the audience.

Music and the benediction by Rev. Dr. Studley concluded the regular exercises of the evening, but until 12 o'clock the Chequamegon gave a promenade concert in the drill-room, much to the pleasure of the younger guests present, who took the opportunity of indulging in the "mazy waltz" until the hour for closing came.

## Turned Out of His Store.

The financial event of the week has been the closing of the store of F. E. Yale on State-st, on a chattel mortgage, which took place on Monday morning. The mortgage was given last July by Yale to his wife, and was for \$3,000 which it was claimed she had let them have. Early Monday morning an assignment of this mortgage from Mrs. Yale to her son, Chas. Crawford, a banker at Caseville, was recorded and the foreclosure immediately followed, deputy sheriff Peterson making the levy and taking charge of the stock.

Monday night an effort was made by Mr. Yale to regain possession but without avail.

Tuesday morning the store was the scene of considerable amusement to the outsiders and a great deal of excitement for the officers in charge. T. F. Leonard, a constable, appeared at the door and demanded admission to serve an execution, which had been secured by Chas. Mellor for \$75 due him. This was refused but Leonard thought his 45 years services as an officer were not to be balked in this manner. He procured a step-ladder and proceeded to force open the transom over the doors. The transom was opened and then the battle began, Leonard, half way through the transom endeavoring to induce those inside to allow him to enter. Finding that this method would avail him nothing, he decided to force his way in.

Warning those inside to stand aside, Leonard swung himself partly in and prepared to drop. A drawn revolver presented at him stopped him for a moment, and several raps from a cane only aroused his ire. Letting himself drop, he was on the inside and proceeded to make a levy. He was finally put out by force by those in charge, and thus the matter now stands, Peters in still holding the stock under the mortgage. The sheriff, several lawyers and the interested parties have all taken a hand in the matter, and Leonard is threatened with arrest for breaking into the store, while he in turn contemplates having the entire party arrested for resisting an officer.

## The Lucky Winners.

The drawing of the New Year's gifts, offered by J. T. Jacobs & Co. to their customers, was held at the Armory yesterday afternoon. The hall contained fully 500 people who were to participate in the drawing, when J. T. Jacobs called the gathering to order at two o'clock and turned the details of the drawing over to the meeting. W. W. Watts was chosen as chairman, and Geo. Dengler and E. Dieterle as secretaries. M. C. LeBeau, S. W. Millard and George Foster were appointed a committee to take charge of the drawing. It was decided that the 50th number drawn should take the sewing machine, the 100th the harness, the 150th the stove, and the 200th the organ.

The committee put the duplicate tickets, nearly 16,000 in number, into a churn, from which they were drawn by a blind-folded boy. The tickets drawing the prizes were: Sewing machine, No. 8064; harness, No. 12,371; stove, No. 13,365; organ, No. 14,028. The holder of the ticket winning the stove was H. F. Babcock, a medical student, and Adolph Mogk, son of August Mogk, held the ticket which drew the harness. The holder of the other winning tickets have not yet made themselves known, but the articles drawn await them at the store. The drawing was conducted in a fair and impartial manner, and the meeting closed with three cheers for J. T. Jacobs & Co. and their New Year's presents.

## Family Reunion.

The fourteenth annual reunion and Christmas tree of the family of the late Orson Packard, was held at the residence of H. C. Packard of Salem, Dec. 25, 1889. After singing, prayer and recitations, the report of the historian was read, from which we glean the following facts:

Number in family, 37; number of family present, 31; guests, 6; families absent, Irving Quackenbush's of West Branch, Mich., and W. S. Packard's of South Dakota; number of deaths since last report, 1; Births, 5; the total age of family, 998; oldest, Levi Quackenbush, 65; youngest, 8 1/2 months; average, 27 years.

Following the report of the historian came the distribution of presents in which all were remembered, and which were numerous and useful.

Then followed the most enjoyable part of the day, the feast of oysters and chicken pies, supplemented by goodies of all kinds. After a social hour or two the family adjourned to meet in one year at Levi Quackenbush's of Superior.

## Regular Summer Weather.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Dec. 25th, 1889.  
TO THE REGISTER:—It may seem incredible to people in my native city—"The Athens of America"—in Michigan, that here in the "City of Roses" the dust has been about as plentiful during the past three weeks, as in the midst of summer, and the days have been almost as warm and balmy as the average summer days west of the Cascades in Oregon and Washington.

The grass and plants are still green. Overcoats during the present month have been a luxury. Windows are open and doors are daily left ajar. The thermometer has ranged between 60 and 70 degrees during the day. The sky for the most part free from clouds, and winds a gentle zephyr. The climate here compares very favorably with that on the Pacific coast, out the nights are not so cool in summer.

## Married.

Married in the city of Dallas, Texas, Dec. 25th, at the residence of the bride's brother, S. H. Carrington, Miss Florence Carrington, late of Goliad, Texas, to Mr. A. M. Hendon of Bessemer, Ala. They left immediately for their future home in Bessemer. Miss Carrington was formerly a resident of this city, but for several years past has made her home in Goliad, where she has established herself as a lady of rare culture and loveliness of character. Mr. Hendon is the principal of a large and flourishing school in Bessemer, Ala., and is a gentleman approved by the best standards. The young couple begin life under most favorable auspices and the friends of the bride in Ann Arbor, are profuse in their congratulations.

## A New Year's Caneing.

NO BONES BROKEN.

As the shades of the New Year's eve were beginning to fall, a mysterious looking package was handed in the front door of the senior editor's cottage. It might have been a stick of dynamite or some infernal machine from some contemporary whose efforts to blow us up in his editorial columns had been unsuccessful, for all he knew. But with careless disregard of the consequences the package was opened and great was the surprise at finding it to be a beautiful, gold-headed, ebony cane, on the head of which was artistically engraved: "From the employees to K. Kittredge, Jan. 1st, 1890." Attached to the cane was a neat card containing the names of the donors and the expression of their kind regards, which the recipient appreciates even more than the gift.

## TO THE EMPLOYEES:

You will please accept my warmest thanks for your testimonial, very appropriate now while I am unfortunately compelled to depend on a cane or two in my weak perambulating efforts. I shall ever cherish it as a memorial of the pleasant relations of the years we have spent together.

With earnest wishes for the prosperous future of every one of your number, I remain your friend,  
K. KITTRIDGE.

## His Head Blown Off.

Ellis Freese of Dexter, a young man whose father lives on First-st, in this city, met with a sudden and terrible death last Friday afternoon. He went to spend the day with a friend, John Pratt, who lives near Dexter. In the afternoon they went out on a hunting expedition. Returning to Pratt's house late in the afternoon, Freese went to the wood shed to clean his gun, Pratt stepping into adjoining room for a minute. The report of a gun was heard and Pratt stepping quickly out found Freese with the whole side of his head blown off. Judging from the position in which he was lying and the marks of teeth on the ramrod, it is evident that Freese tried to pull the ramrod from the socket with his teeth, and in so doing one barrel of the gun was discharged.

Freese was 28 years of age, a carpenter by trade, and was well thought of by all who knew him.

## ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Andrews & Co., the Huron-st book-sellers, contemplate going out of business and offer their stock at cost. S. C. Andrews will probably move to Chicago and engage in business. The firm has been engaged in the book business in this city for nearly 15 years, and their retirement will make a decided change in the book trade here.

A committee consisting of Mr. H. P. Glover, Dr. James Hueston and Alderman George, visited Toledo Tuesday in the interest of the T. and A. railroad extension to Detroit. The officers of the road gave them a hearing, and arrangements will be made for another meeting soon.—Ypsilantian.

Isn't it about time that our citizens used their influence in getting the T. and A. A. to run a branch into Detroit? A competing line to the metropolis would be a great advantage to Ann Arbor.

Subrinah Tice is an old lady, 72 years old, who has an ungrateful son. About a year ago she deeded her little property in the third ward in this city to her son, James M. Tice and his wife, the consideration being that the son should support the mother and her aged husband. This the son failed to do, but instead raised \$100 on the property, had a big time with the money, but did not contribute one cent to his mother. This Judge Kinne considered a little previous on the boy's part, and on Monday the deed was set aside by the circuit court.

Next week will be celebrated as the week of prayer by the evangelical churches throughout the country. The services in this city will be held in union each evening instead of afternoons as heretofore, at the various churches as follows: Monday, Presbyterian church; Tuesday, Baptist church; Wednesday, regular prayer meeting at each church; Thursday, Methodist church; Friday, Congregational church. The pastor of each church will deliver an address or sermon on the subject suggested by the Evangelical Alliance, on the evening that the service is held in his respective church.

The report in last week's REGISTER implying that young Mr. John Cranson of Dexter had committed suicide, was a very unfortunate mistake. We obtained our information from the dailies and hence printed what we did. The report of our Dexter correspondent, though sent at once, came just a few hours too late for us to rectify the mistake. Mr. Cranson was an exceptionally bright young man and was highly esteemed by all who knew him, and it is absurd to think for a moment that he took his own life. The one who started such a story owes the most humble apology to the heart-broken parents in their great bereavement.

## Marriage Licenses.

Earnest Paul, Lima..... 23  
Mary Klinger, Lima..... 20  
George J. Widmayer, Sharon..... 22  
Christina Gieske, Sharon..... 23  
Fred E. Palmer, Detroit..... 24  
Myrtle C. Hamner, Ypsilanti..... 20  
George Brenner, Lima..... 25  
Mary Kalmbach, Sylvan..... 18  
Frederick Mayer, Farmington..... 26  
Martha Jedele, Scioto..... 26  
Otto Shrader, New York..... 23  
Lena Gisa, Ann Arbor..... 22  
Thomas H. Leonard, York..... 21  
Gertrude A. Turner, York..... 18  
William Grannis, Milan..... 21  
Edith Sweet, Mooreville..... 18



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## WANTED.

WANTED—A Young lady to take a course in Shorthand and Typewriting and pay her tuition by doing light work. Call at school over Calkins' pharmacy on State St. S. A. Moran. If

WANTED—To purchase in first or second ward, a building lot or a medium sized house and lot. Address S. Rosenthaler, city. 85

WANTED—Two men to sell May's Cough Syrup, well introduced, easy to sell, good wages. M. C. Reeves, 5 Thompson-st.

WANTED—1000 bushels of rye at highest market prices. Allmendinger & Schneider.

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FOR RENT—Furnished house 31 Jefferson-st, corner of Maynard. Enquire at the house. 386.

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms in the Hamilton Block, suitable for light housekeeping. Also Room for office, apply to A. W. HAMILTON. 786

FOR RENT—Two houses, one with seven rooms and one with four rooms. Inquire at 41 North Fifth Street. 89

## MISCELLANEOUS.

TO LET—The farm known as the Eber White farm situated on W. Liberty-st., Ann Arbor. Inquire at the house. 85

\$50 TO \$150 A MONTH can be made clear of expenses selling a NEW PICTORIAL book we have just published. Agents meeting with great success. We furnish explanatory circulars free. Address O. A. BROWNING & CO. Toledo, Ohio.

P. S.—A few general agents wanted on special commission or guaranteed salary. 21-29-8m.

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THE REGISTER.

THURSDAY, JAN. 2, 1890.

AROUND THE COUNTY.

Pinkney now has street lights. Stockbridge wants less mud or better street crossings. A Unadilla farmer named Jamieson has lost his barn by fire. The Peninsular paper mills at Ypsilanti had a \$5,000 fire Saturday night. T. Wilkinson was elected "master workman" of the Chelsea A. O. U. W. A local entertainment at the town hall at Chelsea last Thursday realized \$200. A "Merchants' Carnival" is to be given at Dexter Tuesday evening January 21. Congressman Allen and his wife spent Christmas with the latter's mother in Sharon. Geo. W. Axtell of Howell has been appointed one of the door keepers of the House of Representatives. The wind last week blew down two smoke stacks at Dundee—at the paper mill and at the stove mill. E. N. Ball of Hamburg has been re-elected secretary of the Michigan Merino Sheep Breeders' Association. The Dundee depot of the T. & A. A. railroad has been repaired and fixed up, so that it is now quite a depot. The Italian contingent that has been working on the Michigan Central at Dexter has moved back to Detroit. Stansell Post G. A. R. has presented a U. S. flag to the South Lyon union school, which was dedicated last week. Ypsilanti and Pittsfield townships have a joint literary society. They think one good society is better than two poor ones. Mrs. Hulda Monroe of Lodi celebrated her 84th birthday on Dec. 21 by family reunion. She settled in that township in 1836. The house of F. E. Ortenburger in Bridgewater caught fire from a gasoline stove last week, but was extinguished before doing much damage. Dr. F. H. Bates of Stockbridge came near passing to the other shore by the "accidental suicide" route recently, taking an ounce of acetic by mistake. A debating society at Dexter did not meet with public favor, but a proposition to organize a social club brought out all the young people in the village. The first fire alarm in a year and a half was sounded at South Lyon Dec. 20. It wasn't much of a fire either, only a burning chimney at the Whipple House. The installation of officers of Stockbridge Lodge F. & A. M. was held at Christ's church last Friday evening. Rev. T. W. McLane of Bay City delivered an address. C. J. VanEvery of Manchester and Miss Caro Van Fleet of Bronson, started with the new year to share their lot together. They were married at Bronson Tuesday evening. The Stockbridge school has 149 scholars and four teachers. This makes 37 scholars to each teacher, with one odd one who keeps all the teachers busy looking after him. Robert Fowler and Helen E. Corbett were married at Ypsilanti Dec. 24, a peculiar coincidence being that the day was the anniversary of the wedding of the parents of both. At a meeting held at Whittaker last Sunday, over \$400 was subscribed towards paying off the debt on the new church. In the evening the church was formally dedicated. James McMahon, one of the proprietors of McMahon's circus, was a visitor at Manchester, his old home, last week. The circus named is one of the most successful on the road. The H. S. W. R. M. F. C. Club of Chelsea will give a social dance at the town hall New Years eve, Dec. 31, 1889.—Chelsea Herald. A club with such a name as this should be able to make a success of anything. Wm. Davis of York, 91 years old, has a pork barrel which he brought to the state from New York full of pork sixty years ago and has had it filled every year since. May he fill and empty it for many years yet.—Ypsilanti. The S. W. Farmers' Club discusses the question to-morrow: "What preparations can be made to meet the effects of a drought. Good time to think of such a thing when the rain has been putting in eight hours every day for a month. James Surridge, who moved from Milan to the wilds of Idaho about twelve years ago has been visiting his former friends at the "Electric Sugar" village. He is one of the owners of a small farm of 1,620 acres and lives 100 miles from a railroad. A savings bank has been organized at Milan to succeed the banking house of Barnes & Co. The new institution has \$25,000 capital stock. The officers elected are: M. Barnes, president; W. H. Whitmarsh, vice-president; T. W. Barnes, cashier. The Ypsilantian figures out that 234,675 has been spent in that city for improvements during the past year. Keep it mum. The county supervisors are watching for just such items to give them an excuse for "boosting" the assessed valuation of the cities. Brother Emmert of the Chelsea Standard and also proprietor of a grocery store in that village, is accused of charging excessive advertising rates to a rival and "freezing him out" of the columns of the Standard. He denies the charge and will wager that it isn't true. Claude Luxmore of Grass Lake is a school teacher who was anxious to get home to see his best girl last week Sunday. He caught on a freight train that didn't stop at Grass Lake. Claude stopped, but the stop was so sudden that he hasn't recovered from the shock yet. Manchester turns the cold shoulder on tramps. Three of them wanted to sleep in the large lockup the other night, and were accommodated, but when two of them insisted on having a fire built in their rooms, the night watchman could not stand it and turned them out. Supervisor Danesburg of Augusta drove his horse off the end of a bridge down in the muddy township one dark night last week. He was not injured,

but when the long supervisor untangled himself he concluded that it would be easier to walk home than to stop and fix up the wreck. A Chelsea merchant has had a jar of beans on exhibition which has caused considerable excitement in that town, where nearly everybody had a guess registered on the number of beans it contained. The beans were counted last week, there being 10,881. Ed. Moore came the nearest to this number and won the first prize. Thursday evening last, about 10 o'clock people in the vicinity of E. E. Shaver's residence were surprised to hear the brand play, but none were more surprised than Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Shaver, as the music was in the front of their house, and when they opened the door about 70 persons walked in, it being the 10th anniversary of their marriage.—Chelsea Standard.

LITERARY NOTES.

The frontispiece of the Magazine of Art for January is an etching by Leopold Flameng of Meissonier's famous painting, "The Halt." M. Flameng is one of the best of living etchers, and this is an admirable example of his work. The opening paper is most appropriate to the season. It is on "The Nativity of our Lord," as depicted in the National Gallery. Reproductions are given from the paintings of Fra Angelico, Botticelli, Rembrandt, and the early Flemish school. Following this comes an "In Memoriam" of Jules Dupré, by Ernest Chesneau. We are given the concluding "Stroll through the Peabody Museum at Cambridge, Massachusetts," by S. R. Koehler, accompanied by a portrait of George Peabody. "Hope Nursing Love" is a page picture after Sir Joshua, and then we come to a biographical and critical sketch of Carl Haag, by Frederick Wedmore. "Wild Wales" is the subject of a well illustrated paper, and then we are told "What a Memorial Window Should Be." The notes are full and comprehensive, and keep the reader well posted in the art news of the world. [Cassell & Company, Limited, New York, 35 cents a number, \$3.50 a year in advance.] This is a splendid number of Cassell's Family Magazine that ushers in the new year. In the first place there is a frontispiece printed in delicate fawn color, called "The Bridesmaids," and there are the opening chapters of three serials which give unusual promise of the interest to come. In the way of descriptive articles we have "The Artistic Aspects of Railways," "The American Farming for Woman," illustrated by Dellenbangh; and "A wonder of the North," the famous Forth bridge, which the North British Railway Company have undertaken to build across the Frith of Forth. There are a batch of recipes, and a word with the Family Doctor on the subject of invalids' diet. Then there are the fashion letters from London and Paris; and a "Gatherer," filled with practical information. [Cassell & Company, Limited, 15 cents a number, \$1.50 per year in advance.] The December Book Buyer is unusually attractive, with its 143 pages, its colored covers and its beautiful illustrations. It contains a review of Du Chailu's picture of the Viking Age by Hjalmar H. Boyenssen; a review of Quiet Life, by Mary Hallock Foote, and Christmas Giving, by Margaret Deland, besides numerous book notices and other reviews. [\$1.00 a year, Chas. Scribner's Sons, New York.] Mrs. Eyster's delightful "A Colonial Boy," which so deftly mixes up history and adventure that one scarcely knows where to draw the dividing line, proved so popular as to compel the publisher to issue a second edition even before the holiday rush set in. [D. Lothrop & Co., Boston.] The December Atlantic is, as usual, excellent. It opens with a descriptive paper on "The Old Bunch of Grapes Tavern," by Edwin L. Bynner; Bradford Torrey describes "December Out of Doors." Hope Notnor has a historical article on "The Nieces of Mazerin II," while Henry Van Brunt tells us of "Architecture in the West." "Delphi; The Locality and Its Legends," is a paper by William C. Lawton. This is followed by "Border Warfare of the Revolution," by John Fiske; "School Vacation," by N. S. Shaler; "Latin and Saxon America," by Albert G. Brown; "The Later Years of Wm. Lloyd Garrison," "The Century Dictionary," "Contributor's Club," etc. Besides these, there are some Lyrics by Aldrich, and continued stories by Henry James and Edwin Bynner. [Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston. Price, \$4.00 per year.] The December Cosmopolitan is a profusely illustrated number, only two articles are without cuts. "Child-faces Christmas Morning," the opening paper, is very suggestive of the season. "Kansas City," is a descriptive article by Earnest Ingersoll and another descriptive one follows on the "Capital of the Dragon's Empire," by Frank G. Carpenter. Wm. W. Astor discusses "New York Candidacy for the World's Fair" and Irving Bacheller tells us in one of the field papers about "The Turners of New York." Then follows "Fur Bearers and The Art Socialists of London," by Mary B. Ford; "Literary Washington," by Elizabeth A. Tompkins; "The Flower Market of New York," by Elizabeth Bisland and "Betty; Last Century Love Story," by Anna V. Dorsey, complete in this number. [The Cosmopolitan, New York. Price \$2.40 a year.] Advice to Mothers. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents bottle.

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RELICS AND RARITIES.

A STONE mansion built in 1650 on a farm near Greenbush, N. Y., still stands. A PETRIFIED rabbit and numerous old coins were found twenty-four feet below the surface in Portsmouth, O. At an auction sale of antiquities in Boston a cup made of wood from the ship Constitution brought \$10. A RESIDENT of Rockland, Mass., has a meerschaum said to have been smoked by General Robert E. Lee in the war times. LYON COUNTY, Kan., has a hand corn-mill which is 150 years old. It was captured at Cerro Gordo, and was the first corn-mill in the country. A FULL-LENGTH oil portrait of Washington, which was purchased for \$10 at the recent sale of the Barnum Hotel effects in Baltimore, is now estimated to be worth \$1,000, experts having pronounced it an original by Gilbert C. Stuart. A FARMER of Wyandott County, O., recently dug up the remains of a sword, supposed to be the same that George Washington presented to Colonel Crawford, one of the heroes of the Indian war. It was found near the spot where Crawford was burned at the stake 107 years ago. A CITIZEN of Germantown, Pa., recently sold an old Bible for \$125. It was a Bradbury edition, published in Philadelphia, and one of the first printed in this country. Very few copies of this edition are now in existence. The purchaser was a descendant of the publisher. A GENTLEMAN living in Richmond, Va., owns a violin which is associated with the early history of Virginia. It is one of the four violins connected with the early history of that section of the country. It is marked: "Nicholas Amati fecit, Cremona, 1651." This violin was brought to this country by Robert Bolin, the husband of Jane Rolfe, the granddaughter of Pocahontas, who was the daughter of the mighty Indian King Powhatan, of Virginia. The violin is of superior tone, volume and finish, and has been used by many prominent performers during the past century. QUITE a rarity in the way of an old book is exhibited in the second-hand book store in Hartford. The volume is a well-preserved copy of the "Works of Lucius A. Seneca, Translated into English by Tho. Lodge, D. in Physics." It was published by William Stanley, in London, in 1616. Evidently it is a first edition. The typographical work is excellent, in quaint old characters, but very clear. The paper is of remarkably fine texture, and much thinner than usually found in works of that date. The volume itself, which comprises about one thousand folio pages, has been rebound by a modern binder.

INTERESTING STATISTICS. It is said that France is the largest consumer of wheat bread in the world, her consumption of wheat per head being about 8 bushels against 5 1/2 to 5 3/4 bushels per head in Great Britain and Ireland. FIFTY HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHT MILLION letters, or forty-one per cent of population, were delivered in the United Kingdom during the year which ended on the 1st of last March. Besides that there were 800,000,000 postal cards, newspapers and parcels. The telegraph service showed a deficit of \$240,000. ACCORDING to a calculation made at the United States legation at Paris, it is estimated that 50,000 Americans have visited the exhibition. The Matin, reckoning the expenses at Paris of each of these visitors at 5,000 francs, calculates that the total sum they must have spent there can not be less than 250,000,000 francs. SIXTY years ago railroads were unknown in the United States, which then had a population of 12,000,000 people. To-day there are in this country 165,000 miles of railroad, on which were transported last year 475,000,000 people and 600,000,000 tons of freight. Upon these lines over 1,000,000 men are employed, and their annual disbursements for labor and supplies are above \$600,000,000. THE total number of arrests made by agents of the Treasury secret service last year, assisted in some cases by local officers, was 457, the great majority of which were for manufacturing, dealing in or passing counterfeit American money and raising Treasury notes. The fines imposed by courts in these cases aggregated \$14,848, and the sentences imposed to 373 years, 6 months and 21 days. Aliens are foremost among foreigners as counterfeiters in this country. The representative value of counterfeit and raised notes and other imitations of money captured during the year was \$477,031. A GRIST OF GRUNDYISMS. WHEN a policeman shoots it is safest to climb a telegraph pole. A DEAL of vulgar slang passes in these days for small talk. MANUAL labor is not half as hard as striving to keep up appearances. It is a mystery how so many people can keep up with the procession. THE writers of trashy novels appear to have got to the end of their rope. MEN anxious to be sons-in-law in rich families are unusually numerous. MANY a laundress suffers because her customers have "bet on the races." NATURAL, unaffected girls are very few and sadly far between in society. It is a mistake to imagine that the high-priced hotels are always the best. MARRIAGES of affection in fashionable life are fewer and fewer every season. THE girl of the period has altogether too much freedom and social latitude. SOME of the handsomest women are owned by people who are never in them. It is a great mistake to envy all of those who are within the "high life" circle. "KEEPING horses and carriages" in these days does not necessarily mean wealth. THE winter resort hotel men are the only ones who wish for "prolonged snow and ice." WOMEN who make a specialty of conspicuous dress in the streets are often nobodies.

READABLE RHYMES.

The Time Is Here. There is a time which all men fear, The season is at hand; When Discontent lifts up its head To scan a grieving land. The loeman grieves you double weight, And makes you heave a sigh To think how welcome 'twould have been Some time in last July. The plumber grins and waits with glee The bursting water pipe; The coal man grabs your pocket-book At one stupendous swipe. The fiend who haunts each office room Will see but to ignore The sign with letters big and bold, Which says: "Please shut the door." The actor soon will walk the track And wish he had a sled. You catch a cold and sit and wish That you were good and dead. —Merchant Traveler.

Song of the Husker. Hark! far in the field over yonder 'Tis the corn-husker merrily sings. Oh, why is he happy I wonder, As the ears in the basket he flings? As the husks he scatters a-vain, And reveals the smooth grain gleaming under As the ears in the basket he flings? "Ah, here is a plump one, and yellow, And here is another as fine, And this is the shore fair than its fellow, And this has a color divine;" So his voice by the distance made mellow Has a musical cadence and swell, oh! A swell and a cadence divine! Blithe husker, cease not from your singing, Though my sadness I can not control; While the ears you are carelessly flinging, I think of the state of my soul— These words in my brain keep a-ringing: "What harvest to God am I bringing? Should Death tear the husk from my soul!" —George Horton, in Chicago Herald.

"I Guess Dot's So." Komme here, now, little Gretchen, As I listen to your voice, As you flout me, cruel Maedchen, You vant a man of style, In swallow-built coat and trousers trim, A reclar vill you go! "And I'm a good long ways tom him"— Vell, I guess dot's so. You say I know no more als how To go in ven it rains; Your sweet-herz must have wit, you vow, And so no end of pains Com you vin your stubborn hand for me, Whose wort so stumbling flow, "I'm stupid as a man can be"— Vell, I guess dot's so. Qvite rich, as vell, you vant your knight, Tall houses yit a king, And old equipages sweet and bright, And money 'vay to fling; Grand lances by the score to run, Nor ever weary grow— "I couldn't give you even von"— Vell, I guess dot's so. Beauty, goit, a wit like sphynx— Ah, I have none of dese; Yet lookee here, you rogush mix, You're only blaying tease. Your heart is mine, it twinkles out Blue eyes vix love aglow— And Gretchen whisper, with a pout: "Vell, I guess dot's so." —N. Y. Herald.

Wonderful! A scientist old had oft been told Of strange monsters in the deep That came out from their homes in ocean caves To disport themselves in the saline waves, When landmen were sound asleep. In mermaids rare and wondrous fair, And serpents fathoms long, That could wreck a ship with a blow of their tail, Or churn the sea like a northeast gale, His faith was far from strong. In full dress coat with a telescope He boarded a dainty barque And turned its prow to the deepest main; "He's crazy," the landsmen cried, "'Tis plain, Or he'd not sail out in the dark." "It won't," said he, "and quite agree That for fishing 'tis rather late, But I fish not as others, with rod and line— I scorn the use of both wood and twine, Though I take a bottle of bait." He piled the oar until far from shore, And the moon arose large and green; Then shipped his oars and took up his glass, And eagerly peered in the deep, but alas! Not a single creature was seen. He happily thought of the bait he brought, And its virtue quickly tried, When up from the depths with many a twist Came mermaids, who at him their fingers Kissed, And snakes galore beside. With bated breath, and still as death, He watched their antics rude, And if from his sight they'd float away, He would use more bait without delay, Though trembling at what he viewed. When the morning gray chased the mist away A boat came on in the tide, In the bottom lump and all in a heap Lay the scientist, wrapped in slumber deep; A bottle was by his side. The story he told till worn and old Of his vision terribly grim, But his friends who knew said he went to sea, Not for the science, but a jamboree, And his yarn was fishy and thin. —E. R. Collins, in Texas Siftings.

Be Happy. Are you glad, in your heart, are you thankful For the blessings to-day hath given? Do your thoughts arise with a glad surprise To the throne of grace in Heaven? Do you feel, can you weigh all the pleasure That has fallen around your life? How much have you won at the setting sun Of that peace beyond the strife? Do you smile, are your spirits ascending, When the day is dark and drear? Or do you forget in your selfish fit The many days that are far? Do you weep, do you shrink from the future, With its burden of care and pain? After weary night, with its darksome blight, Comes the bright, glad dawn again. Do you sigh when the shadows are deep'n'g, And the fair, happy day is done? Oh, well will it be on your life's broad sea If your course has been well run. Then rejoice when your fate smiles upon you, And beneath the shadows of woe Forget not the joy with the dark alloy, For 'tis sure to come—and go. —Ella J. H. Sellington, in Troy Times.

In Autumn Days. Night brings with her a brooding chill, As hastening o'er the eastern hill She softly comes to chase away The tiresome tumult of the day. To sleep you sink—oh, blissful rest, Of all our earthly pleasures best! When South, with sable curtains drawn, Admits gray-bearded, halting Dawn, 'Tis then that from your bed you rise And stand and shiver in surprise To find that by some means unknown The atmosphere has colder grown. You strike a flickering, blinding light, Then seek the closet—curtains quite; The mattress then you raise on high And drop again, with weary sigh. You hurry through the house, but come Back to your chamber, cold and glum. You don your clothes against your will, Compelled by the increasing chill. The question still returns, unbid, Where are those extra covers hid? —Washington Capital.

The Sultan of Turkey is in a sea of trouble, as any man with 300 wives ought to be. Abdul Hamid detests 299 of the 300, and loathes the Turkish much married system. He would certainly give one eye to be rid of the whole thing, with the plague of 300 women, six female slaves to each, but what can he do? The customs of his country require that he should take all these wives and support them at an expense of \$20,000,000 a year. This is part of the show, and he cannot get rid of it. If he tried it there are mysterious Turkish ways of ending his career very shortly. Unhappy Abdul Hamid! Discipline in Colleges. In the July North American Review is a symposium on the question of how far a university should control its students. The question is discussed especially with reference to American institutions of learning. President S. C. Bartlett, of Dartmouth, mentions the German university, a cluster of professional schools for the law, medicine, theology, etc. Previous to this comes the seven years' rigid drill in what is called in Germany the gymnasium. This is not a place for physical exercising, but a school wherein literature and science are taught. The ordinary American college corresponds more nearly to the German gymnasium. Only here and there is one with regular university courses, where older students who have finished the ordinary college attend lectures and study their life professions. Consequently there must be considerably more control over the American college student, in the judgment of President Bartlett, than there is over the university student. The average age at which the American enters college is 18. This is too young for boys to control themselves. Therefore the college faculty should control him kindly but firmly. The learned presidents are nearly unanimous on one point. That is that the college faculty should cultivate close and friendly relations with the students. In this way they will be able to influence them greatly for good. President Angell, of Michigan university, thinks the question very much like this: "How far shall a father control his sons between the ages of 17 and 21?" Professor N. S. Shaler, of Harvard, and President Angell speak out the voice of the new time more than any of the others. They believe the old day of blind obedience to petty and exacting rules both in the family and in the school is over. Confidence, friendly understanding, affection and good comradeship are gradually taking the place of the old stern discipline. President Angell says the faculty should govern the college. But this being understood, let the hand of authority be displayed only when indispensably necessary. Let the professors get near enough to their pupils to exert a positive moral influence on them. Professor Shaler says in effect: Throw the boys on their own responsibility as far as possible; appeal to their higher sense and make them control themselves. This is the system of freedom, as opposed to the system of fear, and is the one largely adopted at Harvard. President Charles Kendall Adams advocates dealing with students as individuals and not as a class. He does not believe in the democratic form of school government so much as in that in which a respectful obedience is maintained. President Hyde, of Bowdoin, declares that a faculty should exercise an intellectual, religious, moral and physical control over the students, and also regulate department in and about college buildings. Principal Sir J. W. Dawson, of McGill university, Canada, says: "The control of young men and young women is to be exercised rather in the way of inducing them to like their work and duty than by an influence of the nature of coercion or restraint." In the University of California, President Horace Davis, there are eight courses of study, five scientific, three literary. The student may choose one of these and pursue it. In all the courses there are elective studies. There are no college dormitories. The students scatter to their homes in the afternoon and the college campus is deserted. There is ample opportunity for athletic exercises. To these things, and to the fact that 20 per cent of the students are women, President Davis attributes it that the faculty have no great difficulty in preserving order. President Davis advocates a careful supervision over the student's selection of studies, and over him in other respects during his early years. As his course draws to a close this may be relaxed.

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THE CRONIN JURY.

The Secrets of Their Meditations  
Brought to Light.

The Strange Position Taken by Mr. Cul-  
ver—Pointed Questions Put to Him  
by His Eleven Colleagues—  
Why They Yielded.

THE FAMOUS VERDICT.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—The record of the  
deliberations of the Cronin jury from  
the time the twelve "peers" finally re-  
tired until they returned to Judge Mc-  
Connell's court-room with the famous  
verdict that assigned Coughlin, O'Sulli-  
van and Burke to a living death in the  
penitentiary is one of the most interest-  
ing chapters of the great trial. The  
Herald, of this city, against which pa-  
per Juror Culver has brought suit in  
the sum of \$25,000 for libel, has never  
let up in its effort to solve the mystery  
of the jury's deliberations, and pre-  
sents a three-column article which it  
claims is a complete record. The fol-  
lowing is a synopsis of the Herald's  
article:

The first ballot was taken on this  
question: "Are any of the defendants  
guilty?" The result stood eleven in the  
affirmative and one in the negative.  
Culver was the minority. Several of  
the jurors talked to the real-estate  
man, and after trying to find out just  
what his position was endeavored to  
persuade him that a majority of the de-  
fendants were guilty. Culver, how-  
ever, maintained his position with  
dogged earnestness and turned a deaf  
ear to the arguments of his companions.  
The second ballot was ordered on the  
question: "Was Dr. Cronin killed in the  
Carlson cottage?" The result, as be-  
fore, was eleven to one, the majority  
voting in the affirmative.

Saturday morning Culver took the  
position that Burke's identification was  
by no means complete. In fact, he  
also claimed the identity of the furni-  
ture had not been established.

Several of the jurors held a short  
consultation in undertones, and at the  
suggestion of one of their number a series  
of resolutions concerning many of Cul-  
ver's utterances in the rooms the jury  
occupied at the Commercial Hotel was  
written out and fired at him in rapid  
succession. These in substance are as  
follows:

"Are you prepared to state, on your oath as a  
juror, that you did not come into the jury-room  
with the determination to force a disagreement?  
If not how do you explain the fact that you said  
to jurors before any testimony had been taken  
that you were almost prepared in advance to  
discount every thing that the State might do  
and disbelieve its testimony; that you believed  
Mrs. Conklin to be an immoral woman; that  
you were prejudiced against the State because  
it had used you brutally and you could not give  
it fair treatment; your remark during the first  
or second week of the trial that the jury would  
probably stand eleven to one; that the jury sys-  
tem was brutal and the State would not make  
any thing by treating you as it had done? Will  
you say that your determination to sue the  
county for damages has not influenced your  
opinion?"

The question relating to his threat-  
ened suit against the county was sug-  
gested by threats which he had made  
from time to time as the trial progressed.  
He seemed to believe that his dignity  
and integrity were outraged when he  
was given into the custody of bailiffs  
and practically made a prisoner, and he  
said more than once that he would  
bring suit against the county as soon  
as he should be released.

Culver did not answer one of the  
questions nor did he comment on them.  
Culver shortly afterward admitted in  
the presence of three jurors that he had  
entered the jury-room with a previously-  
formed opinion, and a conviction  
that those witnesses who were under  
the protection of policemen were not  
worthy of belief. He also admitted  
that he ought to have told the counsel  
of his conviction before he was sworn  
in as a juror.

Saturday morning at 9 o'clock the  
jurors, who had been debating earnestly  
for several hours, concluded to begin  
balloting again. The result was the  
same throughout the day—eleven for  
conviction, one for acquittal. Late  
Saturday night Culver took two jurors  
aside and told them that if they would  
let Kunze and Beggs go free he would  
vote to find the other three guilty. The  
proposition was instantly rejected. No  
further word was done that night, but  
at 7 o'clock Sunday morning Foreman  
Clarke ordered another ballot, and by  
agreement all the defendants were in-  
cluded in it. The result was as follows:

Name	GUILTY	NOT GUILTY
John Beggs	7	5
Dan Coughlin	12	0
Pat O'Sullivan	12	0
Martin Burke	12	0
John Kunze	8	4

Beggs' case was then taken up. On  
the seventh ballot only two voted  
"guilty" and ten "not guilty." The  
eighth ballot made the ex-senior guar-  
dian a free man. Kunze's fate was set-  
tled on the thirteenth ballot.

Then came the important part of the  
deliberations—the fixing of the punish-  
ment of the three chief conspirators.

After the twenty-first ballot, which  
was taken on Monday morning, Culver  
said he would consent to send the mur-  
derers to the penitentiary for twenty-  
five years, and a ballot was taken on the  
proposition. Every one of Culver's col-  
leagues voted against it. The twenty-  
second, twenty-third, twenty-fourth  
and twenty-fifth ballots were taken  
on the infliction of the death penalty  
for all three, and, as before, the result  
of each was eleven to one. There was  
no change until after the thirtieth bal-  
lot had been recorded. Then Culver  
threatened to withdraw his vote of  
"guilty" unless the others would cease  
voting for capital punishment.

At 12:30 o'clock the thirty-first bal-  
lot was taken on the proposition to send the  
murderers to the penitentiary for life.  
Marlor, Hall, Bontecou, Pierson and  
Bryan voted in the negative. The other  
seven voted in the affirmative. Thirty-  
five minutes later the thirty-second and  
last ballot was cast. All twelve "peers"  
voted to send the trio to the peniten-  
tiary for life. While the verdict was  
being written and signed Culver stated  
that he believed the men to be inno-  
cent, and that he only yielded to the  
majority because he believed they were  
conscientious men.

DANGEROUS INFLUENZA.

The Imported Russian Melady Claiming  
Many Victims.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The mortality  
reports at sanitary headquarters indi-  
cate that the prevailing epidemic of in-  
fluenza is dangerous to life. Although  
there has been no report of a death from  
influenza, there has been a marked in-  
crease in the deaths from bronchial  
troubles, and it is not unlikely that  
the influenza has been a contributing  
cause. There were 762 deaths in the  
city last week, and 665 deaths in the  
previous week. An increase of nearly  
100 deaths in the city in a week is, re-  
markable enough to attract attention at  
any time. Consumption and pneumonia,  
two diseases which are readily aggra-  
vated by influenza, have caused an in-  
crease of eighty-six deaths in the single  
week.

Unofficially representatives of the  
health department say that probably  
50,000 people in New York are suffering  
from more or less severe attacks of in-  
fluenza. In all there are eighty-one  
members of the Brooklyn police force  
suffering from the "grippe." Thirteen  
Staten Island policemen and 200 other  
people there have the grippe. There  
are 1,500 cases of influenza in Newark,  
N. J.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30.—A promi-  
nent physician of this city said yesterday  
that there were fully 25,000 persons now  
being treated for influenza. Thus far  
but one death is directly traceable to in-  
fluenza.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Julia A. In-  
galls, aged 72, died in this city yester-  
day from what is alleged to be "la  
grippe," or Russian influenza. A large  
number of other cases are reported by  
local physicians, but none of them are  
serious.

PARIS, Dec. 30.—The influenza is still  
pursuing its course in Europe. In this  
city the scare continues, and the alarm-  
ing increase in the death rate, which  
jumped from 120 per day to 586, is at-  
tributed to the epidemic. In Monte  
Carlo the epidemic is so bad that gam-  
bling has stopped. The King of Portu-  
gal is still in the grip of influenza.

The condition of Minister Freycinet,  
of France, a victim of the grippe, has  
changed for the worse. In Berlin the  
epidemic is also raging. Over 200  
operators in a firearms factory are down  
with influenza. In Stockholm, Sweden,  
the reports are as bad. Colder weather  
has set in, though, in Europe, and the  
doctors hope for a speedy cessation of  
the epidemic.

A GREAT PROJECT.

Plans of the Proposed Railway Con-  
nection with South America.

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 28.—The  
Wheeling Intelligencer gives details of  
the plan of the recently incorporated  
Columbia Railway & Navigation Com-  
pany just incorporated on the authority  
of the promoters of the enterprise. The  
company's capital is to be \$100,000,000,  
and Captain H. C. Parsons, of Virginia,  
is at the head of it. Briefly the aims of  
the company are: To construct a  
line of railroad from some point near the  
mouth of the Magdalena river, which  
empties into the Caribbean Sea in the  
United States of Colombia, southward  
along the eastern flank of the Andes and  
the head-waters of the Amazon to points  
in Peru, there to connect with the Per-  
uvian and Argentine system of railroads  
at present in operation or under con-  
struction. From the mouth of the mag-  
dalena river steamships will be run to  
the southern point of Florida and to New  
Orleans.

It is expected that the road will open  
up and bring close to the markets of the  
United States the richest mineral and  
agricultural lands and forests of South  
America, and by it a traveler will be  
able to make the distance from Lima,  
the capital of Peru, to New York in nine  
days, and the distance from Valparaiso,  
in Chili, to England in seventeen days.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Not only Mr.  
Blaine, but the President himself, be-  
lieves that the most important outcome  
of the present International American  
conference will be the establish-  
ment of communications between the  
American republics of railroad lines,  
as well as by sea, and both gentle-  
men favor the use of the credit and the  
authority of the United States Govern-  
ment to aid their American sisters in  
building a continuance of the line of  
track from the City of Mexico—which  
we now reach by rail—to Buenos Ayres.

KAROLYI'S SAD FATE.

The Austrian Diplomat's Neck Broken by  
a Fall from His Horse.

VIENNA, Dec. 28.—Count Aloys Karolyi  
de Nagy-Karoly, former Ambassador to  
Great Britain and Germany, met death  
while hunting on his estate at Press-  
burg, Hungary. Particulars state that  
he was hunting on horseback. It is not  
certain whether he was attacked by ap-  
oplexy and fell from his horse or  
whether he was thrown from the saddle.

Death of an Indiana Pioneer.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Dec. 30.—Martin L.  
Pierce, president of the First National  
Bank of this city, died Saturday night  
of old age. He was born at Portsmouth,  
N. H., in 1806 and came West in 1828,  
being one of the oldest settlers. In  
1853 he organized the First National  
Bank, and has been its continuous pres-  
ident. He was a thirty-second degree  
Mason and possessed a large wealth.

Heavy Failure at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30.—Alexander  
Beck & Son, carpet manufacturers of  
this city, made an assignment Saturday  
for the benefit of their creditors to  
Charles A. Furbush, of M. A. Furbush  
& Co., woolen-goods manufacturers. The  
assignee estimates the liabilities at  
\$130,000 and the assets at barely \$100,-  
000.

Kansas Farmers' Alliance.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Dec. 28.—The Farm-  
ers' Alliance of this (Douglas) county  
adopted resolutions here yesterday boy-  
cotting dressed-beef men or butchers  
who handle the products of the so-called  
beef combine.

Brothers Killed.

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 28.—In Burnett  
County Will and Calvin O'Dell  
(brothers), charged with murder and  
robbery, were killed yesterday by a  
deputy sheriff while resisting arrest.

NATURE'S ANTICS.

A FOUR-LEGGED chicken is a Wymore,  
Neb., curiosity.

A cow that always gives two calves at  
a birth is owned at Kennett, Pa.

NINE ears of corn grew in a bunch on  
a single stalk on the farm of John Wam-  
baugh near York.

A WHEELING (W. Va.) man caught a  
mouse with four ears in a trap in his  
store the other day.

A PAOLI (Pa.) calf with five legs has a  
harder time to get along than a Doyle-  
town pig with only three.

SAULT STE. MARIE has a cat which  
has seven legs and eight paws, with one  
head, three distinct jaws, and to com-  
plete the combination it has two tails.

A REMARKABLE sweet sugar pumpkin  
was raised on a farm in Stoneham, Mass.  
It was a "twin," two well-rounded,  
large-sized pumpkins being joined by  
skin and by stem, the weight being nine-  
teen pounds.

YORK COUNTY, Pa., has an interesting  
freak of nature. It consists of six ears  
of corn grown together, something after  
the manner of the Siamese twins, from  
one stem. For about two inches from  
the stem the ears are all joined together  
as one ear. Above that point they  
branch out into five distinct ears.

IN Dublin, a small town in Laurens  
County, Ga., there lives a blue man. He  
is a Caucasian, but instead of being  
white is a greenish blue, and is known  
as "Blue Billy." His whole skin is blue,  
his tongue and the roof of his mouth are  
blue, and where his eyes should be  
white is seen the same blue color.

A FARMER living about three miles  
southeast of Akron has a hen which oc-  
casionally lays an egg of solid shell  
throughout, usually after none of any  
kind have been laid for several days.  
Six of these curiosities have already  
been secured. They are so hard that  
they can be thrown smartly against a  
wall without any visible effect.

A MAN thirty years old, with no hair  
on his head, no whiskers on his face and  
no eyebrows, is under treatment in a St.  
Louis hospital. He comes from Texas  
and claims to have been hairless from  
his birth. He has been married once,  
and another Lone Star belle has agreed  
to become his bride if the defects in his  
make-up can be remedied. That is why  
he put himself in the doctor's hands.

TWO MILD-EYED, pink-nosed, bawling  
calves are creating considerable of a sen-  
sation among the curious people of  
South Minneapolis. The calves are  
twins, about three months old, and they  
have only six legs between them. One  
of the creatures is without a fore-leg,  
and the other is minus a hind-leg, but  
they are pretty little animals and hop  
about as briskly as you please, appar-  
ently not understanding that nature had  
cheated them out of one of the legs that  
are the due of every well-regulated calf.

When a man succeeds in overcoming  
his disposition to talk too much he writes  
too much.

A man is never old enough to get mar-  
ried until he is so old he does not care for  
marrying.

It Is Foolish

To send for the doctor every time you  
don't feel just right. My doctor's bill for  
years was over one hundred dollars a year,  
which made a pretty big hole in my wages.  
For the past two years, I only spent ten  
dollars, with which I bought a dozen bot-  
tles of Sulphur Bitters, and health has been  
in my family since using them. Robert  
Johnson, Machinist.

The mischief of it is, that though trav-  
eling takes the conceit out of a man, com-  
ing back puts more in.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately re-  
lieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bron-  
chitis. Sold by Eberbach & Son.

CATARH CURED, health and sweet  
breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Rem-  
edy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free.  
Sold by Eberbach & Son.

Out of every ten statements made by  
the average man, he will finally deny  
nine of them.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so  
quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We  
guarantee it. Sold by Eberbach

White lace collars and deep cuffs are  
worn with dressy indoor toilets.

Friends, citizens, countrymen: "Hear  
me for my cause, and be silent that you  
may hear." Now, before Jupiter Tonans  
and all the gods at once, I do solemnly  
affirm that Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup is an  
infallible remedy for all lung and bron-  
chial disorders. If there is any man pre-  
sident who disputes this proposition, "let  
him now speak, or else hereafter forever  
hold peace."

How much more agreeable the man  
who wants to sell than the man who  
wants to buy.

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption  
Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It  
cures consumption. Sold by Eberbach &  
Son.

Broad-brimmed hats are adorned with  
rosettes made of accordion-plaited silk.

Peculiar

In the combination, proportion, and pre-  
paration of its ingredients, Hood's Sarsa-  
parilla accomplishes cures where other  
preparations entirely fail. Peculiar in its good  
name at home, which is a "tower of  
strength abroad," peculiar in the phenomenal  
sales it has attained, Hood's Sarsaparilla is  
the most successful medicine for purifying  
the blood, giving strength, and creating an  
appetite.

Gentlemen's dress gloves for evening are  
of pearl color, with pearl stitching.

The Father

Of all diseases is impure blood, when  
loaded with foul humor. How important  
then that the blood should be pure, rich,  
and strong, without which there can be  
no health. To purify the blood Sulphur  
Bitters is incomparably the best medicine  
that it is possible to obtain.—The Editor.

Haines Bros. Celebrated Upright Pianos

Are Used and Recommended by a Few Pretty Good Judges of

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Read What Some of Them Say:

CRAIG-Y-NOS CASTLE,  
YSTRADGYNLAIS (SWANSEA VALLEY),  
SOUTH WALES.

MESSRS. HAINES BROS.: The upright Piano-forte you shipped to me  
has arrived in perfect condition at the castle, and I must say I never  
heard one with such lovely tone. Each time that I use it I am the more  
surprised and pleased with it. Until I became acquainted with your in-  
struments I believed it an impossibility to find such pure quality and  
volume of tone in any instrument but the Concert Grand. Assuring you  
of my delight with my Piano, and with sentiments of distinguished re-  
gard, believe me,

Your sincere friend,

ADELINA PATTI

Do you consider Patti a Judge?

MESSRS. HAINES BROS.: The Piano-forte of your make used at my  
concert last night, is the most admirable instrument I have ever seen. I  
was especially pleased with its marvelous sustaining and carrying quality,  
as well as with the delicacy and evenness of its action, which I was af-  
forded a complete opportunity of testing in accompanying myself dur-  
ing the concert.

Very sincerely yours,

CHRISTINE NILSSON.

Do you consider Nilsson a Judge?

MESSRS. HAINES BROS.: I beg to acknowledge the receipt of the in-  
voice of the magnificent Upright of your make that I selected, and here-  
with enclose shipping directions. Neither in Europe nor America have I  
seen an upright that equaled yours in pure singing quality and great  
volume of tone, or elasticity and evenness of action. It will have con-  
stant use in the salon of my villa at Bologna.

Believe me, with much respect,

Sincerely your friend,

ETELKA GERSTER.

Do you consider Gerster a Judge?

MESSRS. HAINES BROS., NEW YORK: Gentlemen,—Permit me to con-  
gratulate you on your great success in the front rank of American man-  
ufacturers, who, beyond question, make the best Piano-fortes in the world.  
I am especially pleased with your Upright. It is superior in quality of  
tone and evenness of action to any instrument of this style I have ever  
seen, and fully deserves all the praises that can be sounded in its favor.

Sincerely yours,

CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG.

Do you consider Kellogg a Judge?

MESSRS. HAINES BROS., NEW YORK: Gentlemen,—After careful ex-  
amination, I have much pleasure in expressing to you my opinion of  
your Upright Piano-forte, which is, that in all the qualities an artist can  
require, it surpasses anything I have ever seen.

Sincerely yours,

SOFIA SCALCHI.

Do you consider Scalchi a Judge?

OPINIONS OF RESIDENTS IN ANN ARBOR.

JULIUS V. SEYLER, SON OF ADAM D. SEYLER.

NOVEMBER 10, 1889.

MR. LEW H. CLEMENT: Dear Sir,—My opinion of the Haines Piano?  
It is one of the best instruments made. I say it unhesitatingly. In  
judging an instrument, three things are considered: The tone, action and  
wearing qualities. The tone of the Haines Piano is remarkably sweet,  
the action well tempered, and the wearing qualities as good as any in the  
market.

Yours respectfully,

JULIUS V. SEYLER.

Read what the American Musician, New York, has to say of Mr. Sey-  
ler's ability:

Julius V. Seyler has met with most enthusiastic reception whenever  
he has appeared, since his return from Berlin, where he has spent two  
years under Professor X. Scharwenka. His first concert was at the De-  
troit Opera House, October 1st. He played the F minor Fantasia, by  
Chopin, a group of pieces by the Schwarwenka Brothers, and the 12th  
Rhapsodie Hungroise, by Liszt. His playing is virile, unctious, and  
consummately artistic, and his success immediate and pronounced. He  
has since played at Ann Arbor, under the auspices of Professor A. A.  
Stanley, of the University of Michigan, and at Ypsilanti, under the aus-  
pices of Professor F. H. Pease, of the State Normal School. At both  
places his reception fairly amounted to an ovation.—American Musician,  
Nov. 2, 1889.

We think you will acknowledge that Mr. Seyler is competent to judge  
on the merits of a piano and knows what he is talking about.

OUR GENIAL COUNTY CLERK IS SATISFIED.

ANN ARBOR, MICH., DEC. 16, 1889.

MR. LEW H. CLEMENT: Dear Sir,—The Haines Bros. Piano we  
bought of you some months ago, is wholly satisfactory to us and a source  
of continued favorable comment from our friends. If any one wants to  
know what we think of it, say anything in its praise, and you can't put  
it too strong.

Yours,

FRED A. HOWLETT.

Haines Bros. were established in 1851 by Mr. Napoleon J. Haines,  
who is still actively at work in his new factory, erected about one year  
ago, and which is considered by every piano manufacturer in New York  
City to be one of the largest and best appointed factories in America.  
Small dealers, who sell inferior instruments, and those but little known  
in the market, endeavor to claim that testimonials from prominent artists  
mean nothing; that they are all purchased and can be obtained for any  
piano by paying for them. We will defy any piano maker or any dealer  
to show us a testimonial equal to the above for any instrument whatever  
which does not stand among the trade as a first-class instrument, among  
which are Steinway, Knabe, Haines Bros., and others of equal merit.  
A first-class piano can get first-class testimonials from first-class artists;  
but no artist will lower himself in the estimation of musical people by  
giving testimonials for inferior instruments.

If you desire to know more of these standard instruments, we shall  
be glad to show them to you and furnish you further testimonials, cata-  
logues, and price lists.

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THURSDAY, JAN. 2, 1890.

"MICHIGAN is a good missionary field it ought to be a democratic state," etc., argued a local contemporary last week. Yes, it is a good missionary field for the democracy to cultivate if free trade principles are the seed they wish to grow. At the last election in 1888, on the Cleveland free-trade platform, the democrats carried only two districts in the state with a plurality of 3,569 for free trade, leaving nine districts for the republicans with a plurality for protection of 25,316. In 1886 the democrats carried six districts with a plurality of 5,655. Yes, it is a good missionary field, but where are the missionaries?

CONGRESSMAN ALLEN honored THE REGISTER with a pleasant call Tuesday. He appears well and hearty and in good shape to start out on the new decade just begun. He said he should leave for Washington the following morning. Strange to relate, Mr. Allen is not exactly satisfied with some things that have been said about him in connection with the postoffice appointment, and has prepared a long statement of his side of the question, which he would like to have appear in our columns. On account of its length, and New Year's intervening, we are obliged to defer it until next week when it will be published in full.

THE young man who edits the Charlotte Leader is, to say the least, a conundrum. Recently he claimed editorially that he clipped from "last week's REGISTER," an article that entirely misrepresented our position. When challenged to point out the article he claimed to have clipped, he backed down and said he found it in the Free Press, but did not know when, virtually admitting the deception he had practiced. Referring to the Free Press was, very probably, deception number two, for we have hunted our files thoroughly to see if such a sentiment had been expressed, and can not find any thing of it. The Free Press, of Detroit, and Argus (democrat), of this city, recently published the item referred to as the sentiments of ex-Senator Reuben Kempf, of this city, and it is quite probable that in some way the Charlotte editor got it into his head that THE REGISTER had conceded a rational idea to the democracy. He very foolishly thought he was making a good point for his party, but he is too reckless for even a democratic writer. To show how near the verge of lunacy the editor of the Leader is, we truly "clip" from his editorial column of Dec. 26th, 1889, his latest utterance on this subject:

"Our good friend, Mr. Kittredge, of the Ann Arbor Register, takes us to task for publishing an item in these columns two weeks ago credit to the Register. As Mr. Kittredge has not yet denied the authenticity of the article we can not see where-in we made any mistake in our credit or that he has any reason for complaint, unless it be that some one in his own office is imposing upon his duplicity."

We are willing to admit that this is decidedly demoralizing to our "duplicity."

THE Courier has said so much about the motives and opinions of THE REGISTER, and has gone so far in its feeble attempts to justify the course it has taken, and the policy Mr. Allen has followed in post office matters here, that we are constrained to make a few inquiries, in the hope that they may help to enlighten some who may have been misled in the matter, though we doubt if very many have been so easily deceived.

Why is it that Mr. Allen is not disposed to allow anybody to see the original petitions handed in by Messrs. Sumner and Beal, or why should he object to having them published? They are public documents, concerning a public office, and should be open to all. Why is it that so many republicans in Ann Arbor honestly believe that in order to give Mr. Beal a majority, Mr. Allen should "count out" a sufficient number of well-known citizens, men of unquestioned republicanism, under the flimsy plea that they were not loyal to the party? Why is it so generally believed that Mr. Allen has done this simply to gratify the wish of the editor of the Courier to have his uncle appointed postmaster in order to relieve said editor from an embarrassing position? Why is it that Mr. Sumner claims that if the original petitions and letters were submitted to an impartial committee who would not "count out" everybody who has ever dared to oppose the political policy of the Courier he, Sumner, would have a strong majority has not been discovered? If Mr. Allen has the proof he claims to possess and does not wish to give it to the public, why does he not submit it to some uninterested party, and let us have from him a statement of how matters stand?

This would simplify matters and in the main would satisfy all concerned. Mr. Allen claims to have been perfectly fair in the matter, but certain letters which he has written to certain prominent citizens prove conclusively that if his intentions are good, he has been grossly deceived and has "counted out" some of our most substantial citizens, and leading patrons of the Ann Arbor postoffice, simply because they have not seen fit to agree in all cases with the selfish policy of the Courier. THE REGISTER is willing to accept the certain voice of the undoubted republicans of this community, and will readily acquiesce in whatever the majority desires in the matter, but it does object to votes being thrown out because they have incurred the dislike of the Beal faction. The party has already submitted to too much bossism in this county and it is time to call a halt. It is surprising to us that Mr. Allen should allow himself to be led into any such scheme, for, no difference how much he protests his innocence or declares that he has tried to act fairly, people will condemn him for either doing it himself or allowing others through him to read prominent republicans out of the party by refusing them a voice in the actions of the party. It is unfortunate that this contest has occurred, and the only way out of it is to make public the whole matter or else submit all the evidence to a committee of uninterested people and let those succeed who deserve success. No person with a particle of reason could object to such a plan. Mr. Sumner stands ready to do this. Will Mr. Beal be as loyal to his party's interest and agree to the same. It is the only certain way in which he can save a split in the party over this question. By so doing he would run no risk of losing anything he deserves, and at the same time perform an act which would command the highest respect of his party. We shall, however, not be at all surprised if Mr. Beal should ignore all the rights of the other candidate, and the expressed wishes of, as we believe, the majority of the party, and accept his commission the very day it arrives.

**In What Lies the Power?**

What is it in the life of a man which always will and always does make him a power for good? This question has of late received a three-fold answer, and ought not to pass unnoticed. A business man, who, all testify, exerted a very wide influence for good, has just stepped from time into eternity. Now, what was it in the life of W. W. Wines which constituted his real power for good? It was his Christianity. He was a man of positive, christian belief, always active as a christian and always trying to enforce his belief by a consistent life. It was this, not his business ability, not his standing in society, or as a citizen; but preeminently this, his christianity, which gave him and made him a power for good.

The same answer to our question is seen in the lives of those eminent professors, H. S. Frieze and G. S. Morris. These men might have been as eminent in scholarship and as widely known without their christianity, but would they have exerted the same power for good? Surely not. They were men of positive christian faith, of active christian service and consistent life. It was this which constituted their essential power for good. Wanted to-day, everywhere, more of this active spiritual force which blesses all it touches and uplifts the world itself! Such a power any person can be, whatever the calling or station, if there is positive christian faith, active christian service, and a consistent life.

**Board of Managers.**

The following representatives have been chosen as members of the Board of Managers of the Washtenaw Agricultural and Horticultural Society for the ensuing year:

- George Sperry, Pittsfield.
- E. W. Hollen, Northfield.
- F. E. Mills, Pittsfield.
- J. D. Boylan, Ann Arbor.
- A. W. Robinson, Ann Arbor.
- Herman Hicks, Ann Arbor town.
- George A. Peters, Seio.
- J. H. Sperry, Ann Arbor town.
- Sampson Parker, Lima.
- D. L. Godfrey, Ann Arbor town.
- W. F. Bird, Ann Arbor town.
- P. G. Sneyke, Pittsfield.
- Fred Hutzal, Pittsfield.
- Wm. April, Seio.
- John Coyt, Webster.
- Theodore DeForest, Ann Arbor town.
- Jacob Ganzhorn, Ann Arbor.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

- John Lowery to Gottlieb Buchholz, Ann Arbor..... \$ 1
- Isaac B. Hall to Homer Hall, Manchester..... 500
- W. F. Bird to Peter Cash, Manchester..... 1500
- Jay Worden to M. E. Worden, Ypsilanti..... 10000
- John Doyle to Chelsea Savings Bank, Ypsilanti..... 8482
- Joshua Lambert to Charles P. and Nellie Lambert, Ypsilanti..... 500
- Chas. Tesserer to S. G. Miller, Ann Arbor..... 800
- Sam'l G. Miller to Chas. Tesserer, Ann Arbor..... 1
- Geo. H. Feldkamp to Babcock, Sears & James, executors, Sharon..... 9083
- O. W. Holt to G. E. Holt, Augusta..... 2993
- F. G. Sneyke to Orson Forshoe, Salem..... 300
- Horace A. Ledyear to Orson Forshoe, Salem..... 4100
- The Chelsea Savings Bank to L. A. & F. Wolf, Manchester..... 8000
- Joseph Goodman to John C. Chalmers, Pittsfield..... 150
- Frances Bow et al to Jerry Smirly, Ypsilanti..... 150
- Stephen B. Morse by executor to Jacob Brooks, Ypsilanti..... 150
- Judson Litch to James Gardner, Bridgewater..... 1620
- Thomas Andre to Herschel Goodspeed et al, Ann Arbor..... 1
- John W. Goodspeed to Thomas Ninoy, Ann Arbor..... 1
- Mary A. Rust to Charles H. Wilson, Milan..... 1

Catherine Stabler to Wm. April, Jr., Lima and Lodi..... 5387  
A. H. Pattengill to Regents of University of Michigan, Ann Arbor..... 870  
Alpheus Feich to A. H. Pattengill, Ann Arbor..... 850  
M. R. Osborne to George Osborne, Augusta..... 700

**DR. HARTMAN'S**

Great Lecture on Catarrh.

This Prevalent Malady Graphically Described.

An Eminent Actress Cured.

Polypus of the Nose, the Result of Catarrh.

Pe-ru-na and La-cu-pi-a.

**Chronic Catarrh.**

This term is applied to a low form of inflammation of the mucus membrane of the nose, gradually spreading through the head and down the throat.

Chronic (old) Catarrh (cold), hence Chronic Catarrh is an old cold. A person takes a cold in the head; in time he contracts another, which will increase the previous attack. In the course of time he is conscious of never being free from a cold. Hence, it is remnants of several colds that generally constitutes Chronic Catarrh.

Children take cold during an attack of Measles, Scarlet Fever, Croup, Diphtheria or Mumps, which may extend into the middle ear, producing running of the ears, and partial or even total deafness, or it may attack the tonsils, permanently enlarging them. The disease may extend into the larynx and destroy the voice—aphonia, or render it husky for life. Finally, it may pass down along the mucous membrane into the bronchial tubes, producing Bronchitis or Asthma, and may even extend into the air-cells of the lungs and awaken Consumption.

VARIETIES.—Humid, Hypertrophic, Suppurative, and Atrophic Catarrh.

HUMID CATARRH is a common cold, becomes chronic with discharges from the nose and throat. This form is often called "Follicular Pharyngitis."

HYPERTROPHIC CATARRH.—The mucous membrane is thickened, of grayish-red appearance, and elastic to the touch. The discharge is whitish, stringy and tenacious. Sometimes the thickened mucous membrane exercises so much pressure on the irritated nerves that it produces very annoying neuralgic pains or headache, which cannot be permanently relieved until the Catarrh is cured.

SUPPURATIVE CATARRH.—In this form of Chronic Catarrh the expectoration is greater, and finally becomes profuse, yellow and tenacious. The quantity of the discharge from the nostrils and through the posterior nares is sometimes enormous.

ATROPHIC CHRONIC CATARRH.—(ozæna), is also known as Ulcerative, Dry and Fetid Catarrh, and when the syphilitic or scrofulous poison is associated with this disease it is called Sympilitic Scrofulous Catarrh.

In this condition the phlegm and mucus become thicker and much more tenacious than in the other varieties of Catarrh described above, and instead of being expectorated, becomes dry, forming scabs or hard lumps, which cause Atrophy, or thinning of the membrane. When this form of Catarrh is fully developed it usually causes a green or bloody discharge, and yet in the majority of cases of this variety the patient can breathe fairly well through the nose.

In some cases the disease assumes the Atrophic form at once. Some linger long with this loathsome Ulcerative Catarrh, going on from bad to worse, able to work and apparently enjoy life, until finally the lungs are suddenly attacked with Galloping Consumption.

Catarrh is the most prevalent, the most productive of discomfort, and most liable to a variety of dangerous and distressing complications of all chronic diseases.

When Catarrh extends to the bronchial tubes it soon produces shortness of breath and palpitation of the heart on slight exertion.

Again, in the same manner, the disease extends down the mucous membrane of the œsophagus to the stomach, causing Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, and sympathetic derangement of the heart.

**Treatment.**

If the Chronic Catarrh of the nose, head or throat is of the humid form, or of a mild character, take a tablespoonful of Pe-ru-na before each meal and at bedtime, and continue it without the least interruption until a perfect cure is effected. But if the disease is of long standing, and is therefore of Hypertrophic variety, or if there is much hawking or expectoration—suppurative in form—take a tablespoonful of La-cu-pi-a before each meal and at bedtime, and continue to use it without the least interruption until six bottles have been taken. Then discontinue

**This is the Month to Clean up Stock.**

LOOK ON THE JOB TABLES FOR BARGAINS AT THE

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Suspenders, 3 for 50c, worth 25c each,

Silk Suspenders, only 48c,

Winter Caps, now 50c.

Quarter off on Suits,

Good Underwear for 29c,

Half Price Pantaloon,

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**Chancery Order.**

The Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw in Chancery.

MARY H. SOUTHAARD, Complainant, vs. ELLIOTT M. SOUTHAARD, Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the county of Washtenaw in chancery, at Ann Arbor, Michigan, on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1889.

Present: HON. E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge.

It satisfactorily appearing to this Court by affidavit on file, that the defendant, Elliott M. Southard, is not a resident of this State, but resides at some point in the State of Alabama, in the county of Charles H. Kline, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that the said defendant, Elliott M. Southard, cause his appearance to be entered herein within four months from the date of this order, and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to complainant's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on said complainant's solicitor within thirty days after service on him of a copy of said bill of complaint to be filed, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said non-resident defendant, and it is further ordered that within twenty days after the date hereof, the said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in THE ANN ARBOR REGISTER, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that she cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the above time prescribed for his appearance.

E. D. KINNE, Circuit Judge. CHARLES H. KLINE, Solicitor for Complainant. January 2, 1890. 790

**Probate Order.**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, }  
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, } ss.

At a Session of the Probate Court of the County of Washtenaw holden at the Probate Court in the city of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 27th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

Present: J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William W. Wines, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Elizabeth H. Wines, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to herself as executrix, or to some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 27th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor and show cause if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor Register, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate. Wm. G. Doty, Probate Register. 87

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## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Bert Fall is visiting his uncle at Albion.

Congressman Allen was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Richmond was at Detroit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Bliss spent New Year's in Jackson.

W. W. Hannan of Detroit was in the city Tuesday.

Miss Aggie Brown of Lodi spent New Year's in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Goodyear were in Detroit Tuesday.

Burt Turnbull of Chelsea is visiting friends in Ann Arbor.

Abram Wile of Laporte, Ind., is a guest of friends in this city.

Miss Florence Traver of Albion is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. George Larzelere of Saline, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Florence Cole of Chelsea, is visiting Mrs. George Dengler.

Morris F. Lantz has been spending part of this week at Corunna.

Wm. Tuomey has gone to visit his brother at Marysville, Mo.

Miss Alta Parker went to her home in Lima to spend New Year's.

Miss Mabel Phillips of Kalamazoo, is visiting Miss Allie Curtis.

Miss Edith Seyler returns Saturday to Muskegon, where she is teaching.

Miss Nora Wetmore of Concord, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W. Millen.

J. W. King of this city has gone to New York to spend this vacation.

Misses Edith and Mabel Bowen of Ypsilanti spent New Year's in the city.

Miss Florence Cole of Chelsea is visiting Mrs. Geo. Dengler on First-st.

Chas. H. Kline returned Saturday from a short visit at Liberty Centre, Ohio.

Mrs. N. Cochrane of Toledo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore.

Miss Lottie Millard has been visiting friends at Adrian during the past week.

Stuart Millen returns to school at the Gambrier Military Academy next Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Dubridge of Grand Rapids is visiting Miss Hattie Benham on Liberty-st.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mutschel are spending the week with his mother at Grand Ledge.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hale of Detroit, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. Wines.

Miss Bessie Powers of Grand Rapids is visiting Miss Hattie Benham on Liberty-st.

Mrs. F. F. Wallace and her sister, Miss Nina Henley, left for Chattanooga, Tenn., Monday.

Prof. G. A. Hendricks of the Minnesota Medical College is spending his vacation in the city.

W. C. Lemon of Union City, is spending the holidays with Spencer Sweet, No. 8 Felch-st.

Mrs. Jacob Wile, nee Nannie Hammond of Laporte, Ind., is visiting her father on Broadway.

Richard Kearns of Cleveland started in the new year by spending the day with his parents.

Harry Devlin and wife of Bay City, spent the past week with his sister, Mrs. W. A. Hatch.

John Stanger of Chicago, has been visiting his parents in the Second ward. He returned home yesterday.

Miss L. A. Holden, who has been visiting Mrs. C. W. Wagner, has gone to Allegan to visit her niece.

M. J. Slattery and wife of Cleveland are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Kearns on Spring-st.

Dr. Wm. Soule of Union College, Alliance, O., spent the holiday vacation visiting his friends in this city.

Oscar Tucker, who travels for a Philadelphia drug house, is spending his vacation with his wife in the Fifth ward.

Mrs. H. R. Morse of Alpena, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. N. Chute. She is accompanied by her two children.

Fredrick B. Ryder of Andover, Mass., is spending the holiday vacation in the city, the guest of Mrs. Chas. Tripp.

Herrnan Gundert of this city has accepted a position as teacher in one of the Lutheran parochial schools at Detroit.

Miss Grace Jennelle left Monday for Detroit to visit friends and attend the New Year's ball given by the Detroit cadets.

Mrs. August Hutzler and Miss Charlotte Hutzler, returned Monday from East Saginaw, where they were visiting Mrs. Henry Heim.

Julius V. Seyler, who has been spending a week's vacation with his parents in this city, returned to his home in Detroit yesterday.

Miss Alice Kaichen of Bay City, who has been spending several weeks with Mrs. S. S. Blitz, has gone to visit friends in Detroit.

Frank E. Bliss, a successful attorney of Cleveland, O., who claimed Ann Arbor as his home during his boyhood days, has been visiting his mother on Washtenaw-ave, during the past week.

Mrs. John Henley, left Sunday, for Smith Centre, Kan., for a few weeks. She expects to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Wallace, at Chattanooga.

James Jones of Port Huron, has been spending a week with his mother, on Broadway. Having been away from Ann Arbor a number of years, he has improved a portion of the time spent here by reviewing the many improvements made during his absence. He does not hesitate to praise the city and pronounce it the most beautiful city of its size in the country.

## LATEST COUNTY NEWS.

**Milan.**  
Rev. M. H. Bartram has been doing fine revival work this winter. Last week he received eight new members into the London church.

Mrs. Moffitt died very suddenly of heart disease last Monday.

Five sudden deaths in Milan and vicinity of heart disease in December.

Dr. Terhune of Toledo was the guest of D. Knight last week.

Rev. J. Huntington and family are entertaining guests from Detroit this week.

Wm. Whaley, Jr. and family are at home from St. Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. Mell Barnes returned from their Quincy visit Saturday.

Rev. J. Huntington gave Azalia a call Monday.

Anna Delaforce is entertaining Miss French of Ypsilanti this week.

Miss Grace Marvin is the guest of her grand parents for a few weeks.

Editor Allen of West Branch, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Houston.

Clas. Steedle is at home from Ohio on a few days visit.

**Ypsilanti.**  
Dr. Quirk, Jr. gives a New Year's Gerhan at his home on Huron-st.

Mrs. Rena Bowling of Detroit and Mr. Fred Williams of Charlotte spent Christmas with friends here.

Miss Minnie Sullivan of the Manchester high school spent her vacation with Ypsilanti friends.

Rev. Mr. Morey and family received their friends from 4 to 10 p. m. New Year day.

The Peninsular Paper Mill received about \$3,000 worth of damage by fire Saturday morning. The trouble started in the rag room, and had some of our highwinds prevailed the whole structure would have gone sure.

Sunday night balmy breezes lifted the tin roof clean off C. M. Norton's hardware store on Huron-st, but without particular damage.

Miss Louise Smith of Oberlin college spent the holidays with her father, editor Smith of the Ypsilanti.

**Slain in Their Beds.**  
MOUNT STERLING, Wis., Dec. 30.—An unknown assassin killed Jerry O'Neill and his wife in their bed Sunday night in their home at this place. The victims were well-to-do and inoffensive people, about 50 years of age.

**Killed His Mother.**  
BROOKLYN, Dec. 30.—Frank Bruck, a barber, killed his mother on Saturday and then himself, because the mother was sick and not expected to recover.

**THE MARKETS.**

**NEW YORK, Dec. 30.**

LIVE STOCK—Natives.....	\$3 65 @ 5 30
Sheep.....	3 50 @ 5 25
Hogs.....	3 70 @ 4 10
FLOUR—Good to Choice.....	3 00 @ 4 60
Patents.....	4 15 @ 5 40
WHEAT—No. 2 Red (f. o. b.).....	80 1/4 @ 87 1/4
May.....	80 1/4 @ 89
CORN—No. 2 White.....	42 1/2 @ 44
OATS—No. 2 White.....	30 1/2 @ 31
RYE—Western.....	55 @ 58
PORK—Mess (inspected).....	10 50 @ 10 75
LARD—Steam.....	6 12 1/2 @ 6 15
CHEESE.....	8 @ 10
WOOL—Domestic.....	32 @ 38

**CHICAGO.**

BEEVES—Shipping Steers.....	\$4 00 @ 5 30
Cows.....	1 50 @ 2 75
Stockers.....	2 00 @ 2 50
Fedders.....	2 50 @ 3 00
Butchers' Steers.....	2 80 @ 3 80
Interior Cattle.....	1 50 @ 2 75
HOGS—Live—Good to Choice.....	3 50 @ 3 65
SHEEP.....	3 25 @ 5 50
BUTTER—Creamery.....	8 @ 25
Good to Choice Dairy.....	10 @ 20
EGGS—Fresh.....	13 @ 18 1/2
BROOM CORN.....	3 @ 5
Self-Working.....	3 1/2 @ 5 1/2
Hurl.....	3 1/2 @ 5 1/2
Inferior.....	2 @ 2 1/2
POTATOES—(per bu.).....	25 @ 42
PORK—Mess.....	8 35 @ 9 47 1/2
LARD—Steam.....	5 75 @ 6 00
FLOUR—Patents.....	4 00 @ 4 75
Winter Patents.....	4 30 @ 4 40
Bakers'.....	2 90 @ 3 25
Straights.....	3 75 @ 4 25
GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Cash.....	77 1/2 @ 77 1/2
Corn, No. 2.....	31 1/2 @ 31 1/2
Oats, No. 2 Cash.....	19 1/2 @ 20
Rye, No. 2 Cash.....	41 @ 44 1/2
Barley, No. 2.....	56 @ 57
LUMBER.....	
Common Dressed Siding.....	17 00 @ 17 50
Flooring.....	35 00 @ 36 00
Common Boards.....	13 00 @ 13 50
Fencing.....	11 50 @ 14 50
Lath.....	1 00 @ 2 10
Shingles.....	1 90 @ 2 50

**KANSAS CITY.**

CATTLE—Best.....	\$5 00 @ 4 00
Fair to Good.....	2 00 @ 3 00
HOGS—Best.....	3 25 @ 3 55
Medium.....	3 00 @ 3 50
SHEEP—Best.....	4 00 @ 4 75
Medium.....	3 30 @ 4 00
CATTLE—Best.....	\$5 80 @ 4 40
Medium.....	3 00 @ 3 80
HOGS.....	3 40 @ 3 85

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FROM WASHINGTON.

News of General Interest from the National Capital.

Large Issue of Patents During the Past Year—Merchandise Exports and Imports—Immigrant Arrivals—Other Notes.

INTERESTING GOSSIP.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A call for the twenty-second annual convention of the Woman Suffrage Association to meet here February 18 to 21 has been issued. It recites the progress made in behalf of woman's suffrage during the past years and says: "The steps of progress already achieved should encourage the timid and the brave to renewed efforts."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Rodgers, wife of Rear-Admiral C. R. P. Rodgers, died at her residence in this city Thursday evening after quite a long illness.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The widow of General George H. Thomas died suddenly at her home in this city yesterday.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The merchandise exports from the United States during November were valued at \$93,660,859, against \$76,378,609 in November, 1888. Imports were \$59,007,173, against \$53,876,789 in November, 1888.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—During November 29,097 immigrants came to this country, against 25,419 in November, 1888. Germany furnished 6,782, England and Wales, 3,783; Italy, 3,147; Austria, 3,160; Hungary, 2,231; Russia, 2,819; Sweden and Norway, 1,968, and Ireland, 1,909.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Secretary Tracy has ordered Captain Schuyler to accept the cruiser Baltimore, conditional upon the completion by the contractors of any work remaining to be done under the contract. The Baltimore is the eighth vessel accepted by the Government since it undertook the reconstruction of the navy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The Secretary of the Navy has adopted a new design for the flag of the navy, to take effect July 1, 1891. It will be applied to both the flag and the union jack of the navy, and consists of a rectangular arrangement of the forty-two stars.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The majority of the ways and means committee of Congress will report in favor of a high tariff bill.

A BROKEN AXLE.

It Causes a Horrible Railway Accident Near White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.—Ten Lives Lost and as Many Persons Hurt.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 30.—The officers of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad have information from White Sulphur Springs, on that line, that passenger train No. 3 on that road, going west, was wrecked Saturday, about two miles west of White Sulphur Springs, by a broken axle. The mail car, combination car, coach and one sleeper were derailed. The sleeper was turned on its side. The other sleeper, Rockbridge, was not injured. The coach telescoped the combination car, and there the loss of life occurred. So far as known there were ten persons killed—five passengers and five employees. The killed are as follows:

Kidder Kidd, Hannibal, Mo.; Barksdale, baggage-master, Huntington; H. Morrison, mail clerk, Charleston; newsboy, name not known; two colored men, names not known; Thomas Karsh, Blackstone, Kan.; J. D. West, Howardsville, Va.

The names of the other two are not known. About ten are reported injured, but only the names of two are given who are most seriously hurt. They are Conductor Schweikert, who had his legs crushed, and Section-Master Meyers, who was hurt in the back and breast. The dead were sent to Ronceverte, and the injured to the Caldwell Hotel at White Sulphur Springs, where every thing possible was done for their comfort.

TRIPLE TRAGEDY IN MICHIGAN.

William H. Major Mortally Wounds His Wife, Kills His Daughter and Granddaughter and Commits Suicide.

PONTIAC, Mich., Dec. 30.—A triple tragedy occurred Friday night near Mount Vernon, Macomb County, fifteen miles east of this city. The murderer, William H. Major, was a well-to-do farmer, and through domestic troubles is supposed to have become insane. He killed his daughter, Mrs. Depew, by beating out her brains with an axe. He then murdered a young child of the latter, and next shot his wife, who can not recover. He then went to the corn crib and hanged himself. He and his wife had twice separated, and it is said lived unhappily together.

Losses by Floods in California.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 30.—The flood of the last few days has caused the river to change its course a few miles below the city and cut a new channel, thus turning the water on fruit lands. The owners claim that their property has been thus damaged to the extent of \$500,000 by bulkheading the stream, and that the city of Los Angeles is responsible.

Six Thousand Bales of Cotton Burned.

YAZOO CITY, Miss., Dec. 30.—The Citizens' warehouse, 6,000 bales of cotton and seven freight cars, with contents, were burned Saturday. The Yazoo oil works, near by, were saved by a change in the wind. The loss on the cotton is estimated at \$300,000; on building, \$16,000; on cars and freight, \$10,500.

Asphyxiated.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—In an Oakland boarding-house Sunday morning Mrs. Jane Erwin and her two daughters, Mary and Bessie, aged 16 and 12 years respectively, were found dead in bed, having been asphyxiated by gas.

Twelve Lives Reported Lost.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—At 2 o'clock this morning there was a rumor that an Illinois Central train was wrecked near the city and that twelve persons had been killed and many injured. Particulars had not been obtained.

He Accuses Parnell.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Captain O'Shea, ex-member of the House of Commons, has filed a petition for divorce from his wife on the ground of adultery, naming Charles Stewart Parnell as co-respondent.

A FIRE HORROR.

A Father, Mother and Eight Children Burned to Death.

A Lady Visitor Also Perishes—The Awful Disaster Occurred at the Home of Theodore Gross in Hurontown, Mich.

A FAMILY'S FATE.

HURONTOWN, Mich., Dec. 30.—In the town of Huron, where only a few days ago two women and a babe were burned to death and nine buildings destroyed, another terrible fire occurred early Sunday morning in which eleven persons lost their lives, ten of them being members of one family and the eleventh a young lady visitor. Theodore Gross, with his wife and family, occupied a small frame house, which, it is supposed, was set on fire by an explosion, although the exact origin of the fire will never be known. Of its thirteen occupants eleven perished in the flames. The names of the dead are:

Theodore Gross, aged 57; Mary Gross, his wife, aged 47; Katie Gross, aged 25; John Gross, aged 19; Anton Gross, aged 13; Mary Gross, aged 12; Lizzie Gross, aged 10; Joseph Gross, aged 9; Michael Gross, aged 6; Lena Gross, aged 3; Lena Erb, a young lady visitor from Lake Linden.

Theodore Gross and wife, with their eldest daughter Katie, went to an old people's dancing party Saturday night, returning home at 2 o'clock in the morning and at once retiring. Katie and Lena Gross occupied the same room, which was on the ground floor, and the other members of the family were sleeping in two rooms on the upper floor. Theodore, one of the sons, came home a quarter of an hour later from his work at the Huron stamp mill. He blew out the lighted glass kerosene lamp and went to bed in his room on the second floor.

About twenty minutes later he was awakened by screams and cries of "Fire" from his sisters. His brother Nicholas, who occupied the same room with him, was also awakened by the cries, and both jumped out of bed and tried to reach the adjoining room, from which the stairs descended to the first floor, but the flames drove them back. They then broke the glass in the only window in the room, and but partially clad and without any thing on their feet, jumped to the ground without injury. A blinding snow-storm was prevailing at the time and it was very cold.

They attempted to burst in the doors and windows of the lower story to rescue the imprisoned family, but the flames had made such rapid progress that nothing could be done and they could then hear no sound from within, the family having all been smothered. The young men then went to a neighbor's for assistance, but by the time they returned the little building was a heap of smoldering ruins, among which rested the charred remains of ten members of the Gross family and the young lady visitor, Miss Erb.

Great crowds were gathered all day about the scene of the awful calamity and the remnants of the burned bodies had all been recovered by noon. The mass of steaming flesh and bone was placed on a sled and carried to the fire engine house.

The members of the family saved are Nicholas, aged 20, and Theodore, aged 17 years, who escaped, and Peter, who is employed in the Osceola stamp mill and who had not returned home before the fire started. The only theory of the fire is that a lamp exploded shortly after it was blown out. There are rumors that the dreadful calamity was the result of the carelessness of the parents, who, it is alleged, returned home intoxicated from the dance. The children were all born in the house in which they died.

THREE MEN FATALLY BURNED.

Disastrous Explosion in a Cincinnati Show Case Manufactory.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 30.—An explosion occurred in the store room of Schmitt & Co., manufacturers of show cases at 55 and 57 Main street, at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The report of the explosion was heard for several blocks. The skylights running from the first to the fourth floors were demolished. The following persons were probably fatally injured: Engineer William Miller, Engineer Ed Boyle, of Charles Mosey & Co., Packer Ed Lutz. The victims were horribly burned and badly lacerated. What caused the explosion is not known.

Acres of Land Settled.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 28.—A cavern of large proportions occurred at Plains, a suburb, Friday afternoon. Without warning the surface of the earth settled and great holes were formed, some of them thirty feet deep. St. Leo's Catholic Church was damaged, as was the parsonage and several other buildings. Several acres were affected.

Fruit Trees in Full Bloom.

BELVIDERE, N. J., Dec. 30.—Peach trees are in nearly full bloom in several orchards in Hunterdon County. The owners are old peach-growers, and they say they never before saw the like in December. Pear trees in different parts of the country begin to show strong indications of bloom.

Nine Men Horribly Burned.

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 30.—By an explosion of molten metal in a mold at the Mosher Machine Company's foundry Saturday nine men were horribly burned, some of them fatally. The explosion was due to formation of gas as the metal was being poured in.

The Week's Failures.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Failures during the last seven days, for the United States, 249; for Canada, 39; total, 288, compared with 342 last week. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 279 failures in the United States and 23 in Canada.

Carlos is Now King.

LISBON, Dec. 30.—His Majesty Carlos I. was formally proclaimed King of Portugal at Lisbon Saturday. The royal party headed a procession through the streets, and no disloyal manifestation was made by the spectators.

A PRIZE DESIGN.

Plans and Descriptions from Carpenter and Building.

Here is a condensation of the matter accompanying the drawings of one of the prize designs recently published in Carpentry and Building.



VIEW.

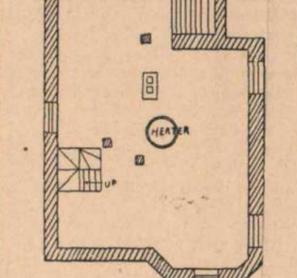
Building. The author of the design in his case is Mr. Edward W. Smith, of Jamaica Plain, Mass.

The height of stories: First story, 9 feet; second story, 8 feet 6 inches; cellar, 6 feet 6 inches.

DETAILED ESTIMATE OF COST.

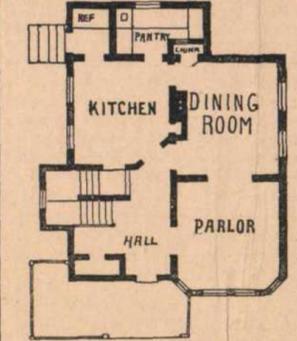
Cellar, 6,000..... \$250

Boards, 6,000..... 90



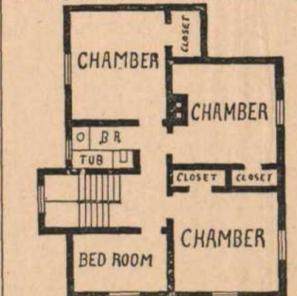
CELLAR PLAN.

Framing and studs, 7,500..... 128  
Furring, 1,800; grounds, 1,000; corner board, 100..... 30  
Doors, 22 complete..... 110  
Windows, 19 complete..... 76  
Outside finish, 1,000 feet..... 45  
Gutters and conductors (crossed)..... 19  
Inside finish, 1,000 feet whitewood..... 40  
Base, 300 feet..... 12  
Shingles, 19 M, choice cedar..... 62  
Clapboards, 600 choice spruce..... 18



GROUND FLOOR.

Flooring, kitchen hard pine, rest second spruce..... 36  
Stairs..... 50  
Sheathing, kitchen and bath room..... 10  
Bath room, stock whitewood..... 5  
Paper sheathing, 1 X L..... 5  
Flashing, zinc and lead..... 5  
Hardware..... 25  
Brick work, chimneys and piers..... 70  
Plastering..... 120  
Plumbing..... 175



SECOND STORY.

Mantels..... 10  
Two brackets, back door..... 3  
Piazza, porch and rail and floor..... 15  
Painting..... 125  
Outside steps..... 15  
Cellar windows..... 8  
Purcase..... 110  
Panels in bay for stairs..... 5  
Labor..... 406  
Total..... \$2,041

An Artistic Dining Room.

Here is a cut made from a larger plate recently published in Building, an architect-



DINING ROOM IN A HAVERHILL RESIDENCE. ural weekly of New York city. It represents the dining room in the residence of Mr. John H. Sanborn, Haverhill, Mass., and was furnished by Perkins & Bancroft, architects.

Babies in California.

At one time a woman could hardly walk through the streets of San Francisco without having every one pause and gaze on her, and a child was so rare that once in a theatre in the same city where a woman had taken her infant when it began to cry, just as the orchestra began to play, a man in the pit cried out: "Stop those fiddles and let the baby cry. I haven't heard such a sound for ten years." The audience applauded this sentiment, the orchestra stopped and the baby continued its performance amid unbounded enthusiasm.—Rehoboth Herald.

Did They Mean It?

A western paper prints the following singular card of thanks: Mr. and Mrs. Heays hereby wish to express their thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted at the burning of their home last Monday evening.—Youth's Companion.

FACTS ABOUT FLOWERS.

A SOLUTION of tobacco soap will keep the aphids away from honeysuckles.

CUTTINGS should always be made from healthy plants, otherwise they are sure to be poor and diseased.

FLORISTS say nothing is gained by starting gladioli in the house in advance of the outdoor planting time.

It is the nature of the poinsettia to drop its leaves after blooming when grown in the sitting-room. It often drops them before, unless a good deal of water is used on its foliage.

AMONG the most beautiful of the late autumn blossoms may be mentioned several species of blue gentian. The gentian is one of very few flowers which may be described as a true blue—most of those generally called blue being in reality more of a purple color.

As a florist's flower the orchid will hold a far more important place in the near future in this country than in the past, and the day is not far distant when prices of the different orchid blooms will be quoted together with roses and other flowers in the horticultural bulletin, and there will be few retail florists that can afford to do without them.

The beautiful daisy opens at sunrise and closes at sunset, whence its name, "day's eye." The morning-glory opens its flower with the day. The "John-go-to-bed-at-noon" awakes a four o'clock in the morning, but closes its eyes in the middle of the day, and the dandelion is in full bloom only during the hours of strong light. This habit of some flowers is certainly very curious, and furnishes one of the many instances which prove the singular adaptability of every thing in nature.

The fringed gentian is the species commemorated by Bryant. It closely resembles its relatives, but the flowers are few and the stems and leaves simple. Its chief claim to distinction is its fringed lobes, not petals, as the flower is all one piece, like a trumpet. The corolla is open and the lobes are developed so as to resemble petals of a deep blue with fringed border. The gentians form an interesting family of themselves and include a great number of foreign species.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS can be propagated by seeds and cuttings and by separating the old plants. The seed may be sown in February or March in well-drained boxes of mellow soil in which there is some sand. Sift a thin covering of fine dirt over the seed, press down into the soil with a block and water gently with a sprinkler. Keep moist and shaded. They will be up in about a week. When the little plants have three leaves sprout in a nicely-prepared bed in the garden, or, if the weather is cool, they may be put in other boxes or in jars, rather closely, say one inch apart.

ORCHIDS are not short-lived under careful treatment. The constantly increasing demand (there now being five hundred cultivators where there was one when they were first imported) has kept prices up, and the likelihood is that, while flowers may be somewhat cheaper, good plants for florists' stock will remain about the same; again, the cost of collecting is constantly increasing; it being almost impossible to estimate the trouble and hardships undergone, especially as the plants in their native homes become scarce, and the collector must travel greater distances than heretofore.

Eczema, Itchy, Scaly, Skin Tortures.

The simple application of "SWARTZ'S OINTMENT," without any internal medicine, will cure any case of Tetter, Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Piles, Pimples, Eczema and Scaly, Itchy Skin Eruptions, no matter how obstinate or long standing. It is potent, effective, and costs but a trifle.

Gothic points and Vandyked designs are very popular in both lace and passementerie.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the Remedy for you. Sold by Eberbach & Son.

Slate gray is the fashionable color for gentlemen's scarfs.

A Great Surprise

Is in store for all who use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, the great guaranteed remedy. Would you believe that it is sold on its merits and that any druggist is authorized by the proprietor of this wonderful remedy to give you a sample bottle free? It never fails to cure acute or chronic coughs. All druggists sell Kemp's Balsam. Large Bottles 50 cents and \$1.

When a man gets married he is apt to think everybody should give him a present, but how he hares to buy presents for his friends when their day at the altar comes around.

Salt Rheum.

With its itching, dry, hot skin, often broken into painful cracks, and the little watery pimples, often causes indescribable suffering. Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful power over this disease. It purifies the blood and expels the humor, and the skin heals without a scar. Send for book containing many statements of cures, to C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

The physical weakness of an acquaintance will call out a strong man's sympathy, but mental weakness only attracts his contempt.

Like the face of a clock, the condition of the skin indicates the regularity or irregularity of the internal machinery. Eruptions, ugly blotches and stubborn old sores are cured by Samaritan Nerve. At Druggists. "Has not had a spasm since." Col. L. H. Waters, U. S. Dist. Atty., Kansas City, Mo.

When a man has done a good thing he sits down to rest, but when he has done a bad thing he loses no time in doing another.

Dry sermons are bad enough, but for the minister to preach them through his nose is inexcusable. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will save both minister and sermon if taken in time.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts., and \$1. Sold by Eberbach & Son.

The woman hate a lair, but they force a man to be one.

Why Will You

Allow your health to gradually fail? If you are closely confined in rooms with little or no exercise, and desire good health, you must take care of yourself. Use Sulphur Bitters, and you will have a sound mind and a strong body.

Beaded straps with jeweled buckles fasten some of the latest French dresses.

An Eminent

Temperance lecturer in New England, Mrs. John Barton, says: I was subject to those deadly sick headaches and also dyspepsia. Sulphur Bitters cured me when all other remedies failed. Mrs. Barton is the wife of John Barton, Superintendent of Repairs, Pacific Mills, Lawrence Mass.

LEGALS.

Probate Notice.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate office in the city of Ann Arbor, on Tuesday, the seventeenth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

Present, J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Lorenzo M. Lyon, deceased.

Arthur S. Lyon, the administrator of said estate comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Friday, the tenth day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for examining and allowing said account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, in said County, and show cause if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed; And it is further ordered, that said Administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.

WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Probate Order.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.  
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, }

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Friday, the 6th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of John G. Hoffstetter, deceased.

Leonard Gruner, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such executor.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 7th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing said account, and that the devisees, legatees and heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of Ann Arbor, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed; And it is further ordered, that said executor give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Ann Arbor REGISTER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

J. WILLARD BABBITT, Judge of Probate.

WM. G. DOTY, Probate Register.

Commissioner's Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.  
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, }

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioner to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of John W. Cady, late of said County, deceased, hereby give notice that six months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence of said deceased in the city of Ann Arbor, in said County, on Tuesday, the 25th day of February, and on Monday, the 26th day of May next, at ten o'clock a. m., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated Nov. 25, 1889.

ABERT DUNN, Commissioner.

EDWARD TREADWELL, } ss.

Notice of Chancery Sale.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw in Chancery.

Made and entered on the first day of October, A. D. 1889, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein William H. Major is complainant, and J. G. Bailey, executor of the will of Julia A. Reynolds deceased, and Eliza Montgomery are defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, the south front door of the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court of said County), on Friday, the thirteenth day of December, A. D. 1889, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, all or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise the amount due to said complainant for principal, interest and costs in this cause, of the following described parcel of land, to wit:

All of the following described land situated in the township of Manchester in the County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, viz: The south-east quarter (S. E. 1/4) of section number thirty-five (35) in township number four (4) south in range number three (3) east, excepting fifty-five acres off from the east side thereof heretofore conveyed to John Smully, leaving the amount of land included in this description, one hundred and five acres more or less.

Said land at Ann Arbor this 27th day of October, A. D. 1889.

PATRICK MCKERNAN

Circuit Court Commissioner for Washtenaw County, Michigan.

NOAH W. CHEEVER, Solicitor for Complainant.

Notice.

ANN ARBOR, October 12th, 1889.

Office of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

WHEREAS, On the 31st day of December 1889, the present Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company will have been in existence 30 years, and according to the constitution and laws of the state, its charter will expire on that date, and as the Attorney General of the state, has decided that no mutual insurance corporation can extend its corporate existence beyond 30 years; Therefore it has become necessary to organize a new Mutual Fire Insurance Company, to take the place of the present company, and to commence business on the 1st day of January, 1890, and this notice is given for the purpose of informing all members of the present company, and all other interested, that such a company has been formed, and that it is proposed to transfer, all, now insured in the present company, to the new company, on or before the 1st day of January 1890, and that all members of the present company and all others interested, are invited and requested to attend a meeting to be held in the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, Mich., on Tuesday, October 29, 1889, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of hearing report of the doings of such organization. By order of the Board.

WM. K. CHILDS, Sec.

Proposals for Wood!

Sealed proposals for from 75 to 100 cords of Wood, four feet long, young, green wood of straight Hickory, hard Maple, and second growth white and yellow upland Oak, and 20 to 25 Cords of good straight body Bass Wood, in quantities not less than 10 Cords, will be received by the undersigned until the 4th day of January, 1890, up to 6 P. M. The wood to be delivered in the next thirty days after awarding the contract, at one of the different school houses in this city, in such quantities as directed. The right to reject any and all offers reserved.

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OFFICERS:—Christian Mack, President; W. W. Wines, Vice-President; C. E. Hiscock, Cashier.

## Report of the Condition of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank

At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business, Dec. 11, 1889.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$ 325,491 81	Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000 00
Stocks, bonds and mortgages etc.....	271,715 87	Surplus Fund.....	100,000 00
Overdrafts.....	4,617 86	Undivided Profits.....	17,292 75
Due from banks in reserve cities.....	50,239 70	Dividends unpaid.....	110 00
" " City of Ann Arbor.....	3,892 54	Commercial deposits.....	141,505 24
" " School Dist. No. 1, Ann Arbor.....	10,933 41	Savings deposits.....	359,080 32
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,930 85	Due to banks and bankers.....	1,438 62
Bills in transit.....	2,661 00	Certificates of deposit.....	12,371 51
Current expenses and taxes paid.....	2,732 85		
Checks and cash items.....	689 50		
Nicksels and pennies.....	88 62		
Gold.....	15,000 00		
Silver.....	1,900 00		
U. S. and National Bank notes.....	9,905 00		
	\$ 681,768 61		

## MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME.

GOING EAST.		GOING WEST.	
STATIONS.	MAIL.	STATIONS.	MAIL.
Chicago.....Lv.	7 30	Buffalo.....Lv.	11 25
Kalamazoo.....	12 55	Detroit.....Lv.	9 10
Ann Arbor.....	3 30	Ann Arbor.....	10 25
Detroit.....Ar.	4 55	Jackson.....	11 45
Buffalo.....Ar.	2 30	Kalamazoo.....	2 20
		Chicago.....	7 55

## Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan R'y

Time Table going into effect Sunday, Nov. 17, '89

GOING NORTH.		GOING SOUTH.	
STATIONS.	MAIL.	STATIONS.	MAIL.
Ann Arbor.....Lv.	7 30	Ann Arbor.....Lv.	7 30
Detroit.....	9 10	Detroit.....	9 10
Jackson.....	10 25	Jackson.....	10 25
Kalamazoo.....	11 45	Kalamazoo.....	11 45
Chicago.....	2 20	Chicago.....	2 20

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## MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

### Health in Michigan.

Reports to the State Board of Health by forty-seven observers in different parts of the State for the week ended December 21 indicated that cerebro-spinal meningitis, membranous croup and scarlet fever increased, and inflammation of the brain, cholera infantum, cholera morbus, diarrhea, dysentery, erysipelas, typho-malarial fever, inflammation of the kidneys and puerperal fever decreased in area of prevalence. Diphtheria was reported at twenty-nine places, scarlet fever at twenty-five, typhoid fever at twenty-one, measles at eight and small-pox at Muskegon.

### Claims Valuable Land.

Henry Caby, whose real name is Kishka-ko, lives in Arenac County, is a great-grandson of an Indian chief of the same name, and he sets up a claim that in 1819 his royal ancestor was, by treaty with the Government, given sections 28 and 29, on which the most valuable part of Bay City stands, and now his lawyers propose to get the land for him or get the money value thereof. It is alleged that the treaty records show no further disposition of the land has ever been authorized since the treaty of 1819.

### The Short-Horn Breeders.

The Michigan Short-horn Breeders at their recent meeting in Lansing elected the following officers: President, John McKay, of Romeo; Vice-President, W. E. Boyden, of Delhi Mills; Secretary, J. H. Butterfield, of Lapeer; Treasurer, Robert Gibbons, of Detroit; Directors, C. F. Moore of St. Clair, George Stuart of Grand Blanc and John C. Sharp of Jackson.

### The Merino Sheep-Breeders.

The Michigan Merino Sheep-Breeders' Association held its annual meeting in Lansing recently and officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, John T. Rich, of Alba; Vice-President, G. W. Stuart, of Grand Blanc; Secretary, E. N. Ball, of Hamburg; Treasurer, J. Evert Smith, of Ypsilanti.

### Short but Newsworthy Items.

It is stated that an English syndicate is now buying up the saw mills in this State.

A report from East Solon says that a little son of E. Manbeck cut off his baby brother's head recently while playing with a dull axe.

Mrs. Mary A. Presley, of St. Clair County, captured the seventh prize in the Rural New Yorker's National potato contest.

Lottie Lumbar has secured a verdict against the city of East Tawas for \$3,500. All on account of defective sidewalk.

The farm house of Samuel Cochran, of North Leslie, was burned the other night with all its contents, the family barely escaping alive.

The total value of the apple crop in Michigan this year is placed at \$20,000,000 by those who ought to know.

Harvey McKenna, the well-known phenomenal billiard player of Detroit, died at a New York hospital the other day of consumption.

The village of Oxford must pay \$1,000 and costs because Mr. Miles fell and hurt himself on an icy sidewalk there.

The Petoskey Business Men's Association have figured out that the pleasure resorters leave \$300,000 in that region every season.

A Michigan Southern train ran into a delivery wagon in Detroit recently and killed the driver, David Moshier, and team of two horses. Moshier was sixty-five years old and leaves a widow.

The post-office safe at Williamston was blown open the other night and robbed of its contents.

The body of an unknown man was found on the beach two miles north of Frankfort the other day. He was supposed to have been washed overboard from the barge Areadia two months ago. The mark "E. F." was on the left arm in India ink.

Barry County has twenty-three lodges of the Patrons of Industry.

Mrs. Achey, the Big Rapids woman arrested recently for shoplifting, has confessed to a long list of deceptions. Detroit has raised the \$10,000 necessary to secure its ball team for next year, and the base-ballists are happy.

John Bradley, an inmate of the Old Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, fell from a window of the home the other day and was killed.

B. Van Raalte, a Holland dealer in farming implements, was forced to the wall recently. The liabilities were \$20,000; estimated assets, \$15,000.

While skating the other night on Portage lake, opposite Hancock, Edmond Haskins broke through the ice and was drowned.

A green milk-ticket fell into the teapot from which Dr. and Mrs. Best, of Detroit, were taking their supplies recently, and the arsenic from it made them seriously ill.

Francis Christian, of Bluffton, near Muskegon, was one hundred years old the other day.

Congressman Wheeler, of Bay City, recently made his 700 employees happy by distributing 175 barrels of flour among them.

Reed City has voted to bonus a chair factory \$1,000 worth and a hame-making institution is to receive the same amount.

William Day, of Fort township, Mecosta County, was severely pounded by Charles Rogers several days ago and became insane from the effects of his injuries.

Michigan has expended about \$4,000 during the past year for the purpose of investigating the meteorology and displaying the storm signals of the State.

Michael Fitzgerald, of Bay City, had his neck broken by a log falling upon him thirty days ago. The man refused to undergo any operation, insisting that he was not seriously hurt, but he died the other day.

Charles Brearley, convicted at Grand Rapids of manslaughter in conjunction with Emil Gascha for the killing of Deputy Sheriff Dan Sinclair, was recently given twelve years in Jackson at hard labor.

## Gladstone and the Confederacy.

Banker Henry Clews has written an interesting book called "Thirty Years in Wall Street." In that book he mentions that, away back in war time, the British cabinet once seriously discussed the question of recognizing the Southern Confederacy. Lord Palmerston was at the head of the cabinet, and Gladstone was a member of it.

Gladstone read Mr. Clews' book, and sent a letter to him saying that the statement was a mistake. The letter shows more than anything else the admirable courtesy and graciousness of the grand old man. It is often asserted that at the most critical period of our war, both England and France were on the point of recognizing the Confederacy. Louis Napoleon certainly made a proposition to England to that effect. So much is established. But Gladstone says in his letter to Mr. Clews that the subject of recognizing the Confederacy was only mentioned once in Palmerston's cabinet, and that was at the time Napoleon III made his proposition. The British cabinet "declined to entertain that proposition without qualification, hesitation, delay or dissent."

This much, in justice to England, Americans should always remember. Mr. Gladstone is now almost the only surviving member of the Palmerston cabinet. If the British cabinet had sided with Louis Napoleon against the Union just at that time, who can tell what the end would have been? Mr. Gladstone continues:

You will, I am sure, be glad to learn that there is no foundation for a charge which, had it been true, might have aided in keeping alive angry sentiments happily gone by.

## New Homesteads.

There is yet some valuable public land to be opened to homesteaders. The Sisseton military tract will be available for settlement in a very short time. It is in northeast Dakota, and contains half a million acres. Adjoining it is a much larger tract, the Sisseton reservation proper, which will also be opened before very long. It is on Lake Traverse and Red river of the north, adjoining Minnesota. The Indians to whom the reservation belonged have been gradually taking lands in severalty, 160 acres each, ever since 1877. There are 1,800 of these Indians, and it is only a question of a little time when all will have separate farms. There will then be left still a large amount of valuable land, which government will open at once to white settlement. The Indians on the Sisseton reservation are civilized farmers and stock raisers.

Bradstreet's commercial agency has made an estimate of the losses of property by the recent floods, and it is \$44,250,000. Three million dollars were raised within a week in this country for the relief of the sufferers, and any amount that was needed was offered from Europe. After all, there is a kinship among mankind that comes out in times like these.

It is rather odd that an American system of drawing is in use in the schools of Italy. Charles G. Leland, "Hans Breitman," is the author of it. The schools of Hungary have also adopted his system of drawing and designing.

Very significant, when one comes to think about it, is that utterance of Salisbury in the English house of lords that it was never more uncertain whether the rulers of Europe would remain in power five years.

## Mexican Treaty with Japan.

Mexico has been in advance of other civilized countries in making a genuine white man's treaty with Japan. By the agreement that has been ratified between the two governments, Mexicans in Japan become subject to Japanese laws. Heretofore in China and Japan law breakers from European and American countries were tried at their own consulates by what was called extra territorial jurisdiction, and tried by their own countrymen. Mexico has abandoned this policy and acknowledged Japan as a civilized nation by meeting her on equal terms. Mexico fixes no rules or customs duties in her commerce with Japan. European nations and the United States still fix such duties and make their own trade regulations. In return for this liberality Mexican citizens are allowed to travel over all parts of Japan and engage in trade and large industrial enterprises. Foreigners have hitherto not been allowed to do this. Though our sister republic has been the first to take this step, it is gratifying to know that a similar treaty is in negotiation between Japan and the United States.

A committee of physicians recently presented to the New York board of health a startling report. It is that consumption, though more slowly working, is as directly contagious as diphtheria or scarlatina. Consumption causes more deaths than any other disease. It is more prevalent in crowded tenement houses than elsewhere, partly on account of the contagion.

Princeton college for a long time fought against modifying the old fashioned college curriculum and giving more liberty in elective studies. But even this venerable institution has now yielded to the modern spirit. The committee of trustees recommend that increased opportunity for specialization be provided, so that students may anticipate their professional studies by the choice of electives.



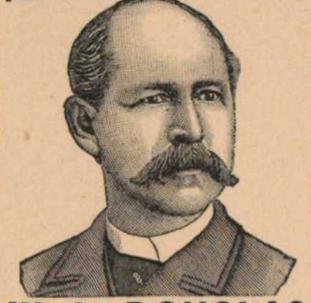
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THE CITY.

The University opens Tuesday. The schools begin again next Monday.

There have been 48 fire alarms during the past year.

Two ladies were baptized at the Baptist church, Sunday evening.

The New Year was ushered in by one of the heaviest rain-storms of the season.

The hop given by Company A on New Year's eve was attended by a large crowd.

Mrs. Dr. Dunster has been granted a pension, if the Washington dispatches are correct.

The C. L. S. C. post graduate circle met with Mrs. C. G. Darling, Tuesday evening.

The mechanical department of the University had just received a Rider hot air pumping engine.

Clifford A., the four-year old son of E. P. and Mary Cook, of First-st., died last Thursday of croup.

Frances, the wife of Richard Nowland, of Ann Arbor town, died Sunday, of cancer, aged 49 years.

What a fleeting shadow 'tis to be great. The Stockbridge Sun speaks of the wife of "Prof." Angell.

Louis J. Liesemer of the Washtenaw Post is sick with a severe attack of malarial fever and sleeplessness.

The temperance meeting at Cropsey's hall next Sunday afternoon, will be addressed by Prof. W. S. Perry.

The fire alarm Sunday afternoon was caused by a burning chimney at the house of Isaac Reynolds, on Mann-st.

The auction sale of Hunt's hardware stock was postponed from Tuesday to Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

Yesterday being the feast of the circumcision of Christ. Services were held at St. Andrew's church at nine o'clock.

Yesterday was the day for "swearing off" all bad habits. To-day sees most of the good resolutions broken.

The mercury registered 66 degrees above zero Sunday noon. Think of that "one of your hard Michigan winters."

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company, will be held at the court house next Wednesday.

At the city treasurer's office Monday \$10,716.68 were received for taxes—the largest amount ever received in a single day.

The Christmas blizzard promised did not arrive on time, but the weather Sunday night had the appearance of a cyclone.

The Register is in receipt of a beautiful calendar from the Log Cabin Stock Farm, of which Hon. T. W. Palmer is proprietor.

The subject of Dr. Studley's discourse next Sunday evening at the Methodist church will be, "Looking Backward and Going Forward."

George Sweet, formerly of this city, has been promoted to general train dispatcher of the Cincinnati, Jackson and Mackinaw R. R.

Judge Kinne granted a decree Monday dissolving the Saline Manufacturing Co., on petition of Andrew J. Warren, one of the stockholders.

It costs one per cent. more to pay your taxes than it did last month. Still another per cent. will be added if the tax is not paid this month.

There is a case of scarlet fever in the Tappan school building, one of the children of Wm. Cleaver, the janitor, being sick with this disease.

Dr. and Mrs. U. D. Billmyer, nee Wallace of Chattanooga, Tenn., formerly of this city, are the happy parents of a daughter, born last week.

Nelson Hill died at his home on North-st., Saturday, of consumption. He was 48 years and six months old, and leaves a wife and several children.

President Angell was elected second vice president of the American Historical Society, which closed its annual session at Washington on Tuesday.

M. J. Fanning one of the most popular temperance apostles in the country, gave an interesting lecture on that subject at the Baptist church, Monday evening.

Mrs. Mary C. Whiting is the donor of a library to the Thompson Memorial M. E. Sunday school at Stony Creek, a gift which the members are greatly pleased with.

A bill has been filed by Mahalia A. Hinkley, acting as best friend for her daughter Minnie Hartung, asking that the latter be granted a divorce from Frederic Hartung.

Ypsilanti has an old cemetery which it is thought can be put to better use, and on Monday Judge Kinne granted an order vacating the cemetery, on petition of the common council of Ypsilanti.

Rozalia I. Lovejoy was granted a divorce from Everett L. Lovejoy by Judge Kinne, Tuesday, on the charge of failure to support, the testimony being taken before Commissioner McKernan.

Lois lodge, D. of R., has elected the following officers: N. G.—Mrs. D. C. Fall, V. G.—Mrs. N. B. Covert, Sec.—Miss Ida Johnston, Representative to Grand Lodge—Mrs. F. Underwood.

While J. T. Jacobs was at Washington recently, Senator McMillan authorized him to subscribe \$100 for him to the "gym" fund. Following so closely upon the magnificent gift of the same gentleman to the Tappan Guild in this city, this donation is another evidence of Senator McMillan's liberality and interest in University affairs.

Fayette Green, a brother of M. M. Green of this city, died at Washington, D. C., on Christmas eve, aged 48 years. He was buried at Arlington Heights on Thursday, under the auspices of the G. A. R.

Charles L. Perrin has been bound over to the circuit court, by Justice Griffin of Ypsilanti for trial, on the charge of breaking into the school house in Superior, and stealing a clock belonging to the school ma'am.

The Oddfellows give another of their socials under the auspices of the Daughters of Rebecca, Wednesday evening, Jan. 15, at their hall over Jacobs & Co's store. All Oddfellows in the city are cordially invited to attend.

The address upon Japan, which was delivered by Dr. Studley last Sunday evening, was one of the finest in his course. The Japanese students in the city attended in a body and were greatly interested in the address.

Herman Gundert, Nathaniel Stanger, J. A. C. Hilder, L. Hilder and Simon Dieterle of this city went to Detroit last evening, and took part in a concert given by the Young Men's Society of St. Paul's German church.

Ann Arbor has been trying to keep up with the fashion and records several cases of "la grippe" during the past week, but the physicians spoil the effort and pronounce the cases nothing but common, ordinary epizootic.

During the month of December the receipts for taxes at the city treasurer's office amounted to \$52,175.95, as follows: General taxes, \$51,945.46; dog taxes, \$154; special sidewalk taxes, \$76.46. This leaves about \$23,000 still to be collected.

Anvils and guns were fired about different parts of the city, shortly after midnight Tuesday to announce the advent of 1890. About a hundred rounds were fired by the members of Company A from the balcony in front of their armory.

One of the large chimneys on the Psi Upsilon fraternity house was blown down during the wind storm Sunday afternoon. The slate roof was broken badly by the falling bricks, and the shower made it dangerous in that vicinity for a short time.

The examination of Tessler, Andres, Morrison, Bailey and Brown, for the assault on Wm. Feldhaeser, was to have been held before Justice Pond, Monday, but was postponed for two weeks on account of the illness of the prosecuting attorney.

Prof. M. E. Cooley has recently received an application from the Chicago and St. Paul railroad to furnish two mechanical engineers for their system. As the graduates of this school are in such great demand, it was impossible to comply with the request.

The children of St. Andrew's Sunday School were given a Christmas festival at Hobart Hall, last Thursday afternoon. The rector made a short address, after which each child received a present from the heavily laden Christmas tree which stood in the hall.

The Allmendinger Piano and Organ Co. had a contract to furnish a new organ to St. Thomas' church last week, which was only done, by Mr. Allmendinger working all night Christmas eve, and delivering the organ as per agreement, at four o'clock Thursday morning.

David Horton, father of Mrs. Judge Cooley, met with a painful and serious accident Monday afternoon. He went to sit down on a chair, but missing the chair he fell heavily to the floor, breaking his hip. Drs. Nancrede and Vaughan were called and attended the patient.

At the meeting of the American Historical Society at Washington Tuesday, President Adams, formerly of this city, paid a neat compliment to the aged Geo. Bancroft, the great American historian, resigning his chair to him and inviting him to preside over the meeting for the time.

Mrs. John Wahr died yesterday morning at her home in the second ward, after several months illness. She had been married just five years to a day, and leaves a husband and two children. The funeral will be held at the house Friday morning at ten o'clock, the remains being taken to Saline for burial.

The annual reunion of the family of the late J. G. Leland was held at the residence of H. Laraway in Northfield, on Christmas day. This was a custom started by Mr. Leland thirty or forty years ago, of gathering his family together once each year, and has been continued by his descendants since his death.

A quiet home wedding took place Monday afternoon Dec. 23rd at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carpenter, the contracting parties being Mr. Will E. Ryan, law '89, junior editor of the Allegan Democrat and Miss Ella M. Brush of this city. They will be at home to their friends in Allegan after to-day.

The Commercial is laughing at numerous county papers, among them being one published in this city, for copying a fifty year old fake regarding the Ypsilanti and Tecumseh railroad, from the Ypsilanti. That railroad is as near completion as it was half a century ago, and the prospects for its being built are just about as good.

The articles of incorporation of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Milan have been filed at the county clerk's office. The capital stock is \$25,000 the stockholders being Mell Barnes, T. W. Barnes, W. H. Whitmarsh, O. A. Kelley, W. H. Hack, R. C. Allen, H. P. Thompson, W. C. Reeves, B. F. Gooding, A. Bond and W. J. Barnes.

Fred, one of the fire department horses, has been sick during the past week, with inflammation of the bowels. His recovery was doubtful for a time, but he is now much better and will be ready for a "run" in a few days. It was piteous to see him when he was the sickest whenever the telephone bell rang. He would struggle to his feet forgetting his pains for the time and ready to start for a fire. His strength would gradually fail him and he would fall back exhausted.

E. K. Fruesuff received details Friday of the death of his niece, Mrs. Ellen C. Officer, which occurred at Denver on Thursday, Dec. 19. She was run over and trampled on by a runaway horse, and received injuries which caused her death in a few hours. The deceased graduated from the high school in this city in 1883, and while here made her home with Mr. Fruesuff's family.

Pomological meeting next Saturday at 2 p. m., in court house. Topics: Paper by Mr. J. Ganzhorn on the apple. Paper by Mr. Wm. McCreery on the ways of the commission men, the spraying of trees etc. Has the warm weather damaged the fruit buds? Report of committees. Exhibit of dried and green fruit. It will pay fruit growers and farmers to attend this meeting. All are cordially invited.

The street railway in this city will undoubtedly be built during the coming spring. On Friday, City Treasurer Watts received a certified check for \$200, drawn to his order, from Jno. B. Corliss of Detroit. The check was deposited for security in the Savings Bank, in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance, and unless work is begun by May 1, and completed by July 1, the \$200 is to be forfeited to the city.

Notice.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Ann Arbor Water Company at the office of the company in the Hamilton block in the city of Ann Arbor, State of Michigan, on the twenty-ninth day of January, A. D. 1890, at eleven o'clock a. m., to vote upon the question of increasing the capital stock of said company, and to transact any other business which may properly come before said meeting.

The stock transfer books will be closed on the 28th of January, 1890.

The polls will be kept open for one hour. ALEX. W. HAMILTON, President. CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Secretary. Dated Dec. 21, 1889.

Have you seen the 5-A five Mile Horse Blanket? If not, why not? If you have a horse you need it.

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Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Ann Arbor for the election of directors will be held at their banking house on Tuesday, January 14, 1890.

Polls will be open from 10 o'clock a. m. until 12 m.

By order of the Board, S. W. Clarkson Cashier. Ann Arbor, Dec. 3rd, 1889.

Forest Hill Cemetery Company.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Forest Hill Cemetery Company will be held at their office on the grounds on Tuesday, January 7, 1890, at 10:30 a. m., for the purpose of electing three trustees for full terms, in place of William Wagner, Fredrick Schmid and William W. Wines, whose terms of office then expire, and the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting.

W. W. Wines, Secretary. Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 17, 1889.

Though an oversight the list of officers elected by Welch Post, G. A. R., was omitted from THE REGISTER last week. The election resulted as follows:

Prof. Loissette's Memory System is Creating greater interest than ever in all parts of the country, and persons wishing to improve their memory should send for his prospectus free as advertised in another column. 52 4t.

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Notice of Dissolution.

Notice of dissolution of the partnership heretofore existing between J. & W. E. Armstrong is hereby given. The said W. E. Armstrong having violated the agreement by which he became partner, all persons are forbidden to trust said W. E. Arms.rong on account of said partnership; or to pay to him, the said W. E. Armstrong, any moneys or other matters belonging to said partnership now and after this date. December, 16th, 1889. JOHN ARMSTRONG.

Administration Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. COUNTY OF WAYNE, } In the Matter of the Estate of Phebe Merritt, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, That in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned James Merritt, administrator of said estate, by the Hon. Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate for Wayne County, on the Fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1889, there will be sold at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises herein described, on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M. the following described parcel of land:

Beginning at the northeast corner of the east half of the southeast quarter of section number one in township one south of range seven east, running west on the north line of said east half of said quarter section forty rods, thence south parallel with the east line of said east half of said quarter section twenty rods, thence east parallel with the north line of said east half of said quarter section forty rods, thence north on the east line of said east half of said quarter section twenty rods to the place of beginning, containing five acres of land and no more.

JAMES MERRITT, Administrator. Dated May 17, 1889. 799

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A FEW WORDS FROM Santa Claus.

Don't expect me to do it all this year. I'm the same old Santa Claus, but there are more people expecting

Christmas Presents than I can attend to. So everybody ought to make it their duty to help me as much as they can. I have looked over the markets of Washtenaw County, and find the largest assortment of useful presents at

Koch & Henne's Their store is just filled with beautiful things of the latest designs which they have just received especially for the Holidays. As I have said before, I am the same old Santa Claus. I have been about the country for a good many years but I never saw a lot of fine, useful goods, appropriate

For Presents! sold so cheap as those exhibited at

KOCH & HENNE'S. I will mention a few articles which took my fancy particularly: Their large line of

Fancy Rush and Willow Baskets, Stands, Music Racks, etc.,

are really fine. Most of them are imported from Germany. They have a large, fine assortment of Fancy Chairs, and

ROCKERS Rattan Chairs, Easels, Music Racks, Fancy Tables and Stands, Carpet Sweepers, Lace and Heavy Curtains and many other articles too numerous to mention. Don't forget their

Carpet Department, for among their fine selection of Art Squares, Rugs, Mats, etc., you will find presents that will always be appreciated. In short, KOCH & HENNE will please you at astonishingly low prices I am yours truly,

SANTA CLAUS.

GET YOUR POCKET BOOKS READY FOR THE Annual January Green Ticket Mark Down Sale AT SCHAIRER & MILLEN'S. This Sale Will Begin Friday Morning, January 3, 1890, AS A Happy New Year Offering and continue for 30 days. This Sale does not apply to one thing, but everything in our establishment. We are going to make you Happy with Low Prices. Buy Black and Colored Silks Now. Buy Black Mohairs and Henriettas Now. Buy Hosiery, Gloves and Underwear Now. Buy Corsets, Ribbons and Kid Gloves Now. Buy Flannels, Blankets and Comfortables Now. Buy Table Linens, Towels, and Napkins Now. Buy Lace and Chenille Curtains Now. Buy Embroidered and White Goods Now. Buy Shirts, Tickings and Gingham Now. Buy your Spring Cottons Now. Buy Misses' and Children's Cloaks Now. Buy Ladies' Plush Cloaks and Jackets Now. Buy Cloth Jackets and Newmarkets Now. BUY EVERYTHING YOU WILL WANT For the Next Six Months, Now, and Save Money. Cash only can do the business this month. Schairer & Millen.

REMNANT SALE EXTRAORDINARY Black and Colored Dress Fabrics One-quarter to one-half below Piece Prices, at Bach & Abel's.

This week we inaugurate a Remnant Sale in Dress Fabrics, which, from whatever point considered, is decidedly one of the most eventful of the year. It became a necessity through our accumulation of short pieces, which have been far in excess of the outgo, especially during the last six weeks.

For several days we have been busy clearing shelves, sorting, measuring, marking and ticketing, so as to avoid confusion and to make selecting easy. Blacks and Colors in every texture, from the most ordinary up to the finest. Every piece under eight yards. The reductions are one-third and one-quarter from the every day selling prices, and the sale will be continued until all are closed out. Naturally, choice lots will go first.

To-day sees the greatest, as it is also the best bargain offer of the New Year. We are determined to push our Glove Department into the prominence it deserves. To that end we offer a real neat Kid Glove, which we have been advertising at \$1.50, at the remarkable cut price of \$1.00.

Another bargain worthy of attention for the New Year. Gents all wool Scarlet Underwear in all sizes, from 34 to 44, at the very low price of 79 cents.

On account of mild weather during December, we find at the beginning of the New Year a surplus of very fine Plush Sacks in our Cloak Department. We wish to dispose of them before stock taking. To accomplish this we offer to-day all of our \$45 Plushes at the remarkable low price of \$35.

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\$100 REWARD To anyone finding anything but Solid Leather in Our SHOES.

Job lot at less than cost to manufacture. Men's Calf Boots, 6 and 7, \$1.50 less than cost.

Women's Calf Sewed Lace Shoes, 2 1/2 to 5, 75c a pair less than cost.

Misses' Calf Sewed Lace Shoes, 11 to 2, 50c a pair less than cost. Child's Calf Sewed Lace Shoes; 6 to 10, 40c a pair less than cost.

We have the above in pegged goods also.

They are all Hand made and are great bargains. Come early. We also have a lot of Women's Kid Button Shoes, former price \$3.00 and \$4.00, now \$2.00.

Remember at all times we carry the most complete stock of Boots and Shoes, and from the best manufacturers.

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