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## SOCIAL DOINGS.

### RECORD OF A WEEK'S PARTIES, ENTERTAINMENTS AND VISITS.

#### The Coming Knight Templar Party—Progressive Whist—Templars—Fraternity Hop—Social and Personal Notes.

Lent, with its figurative ivy of sack-cloth and ashes, has thrown a deep shadow over the social world, but even Lent has not been able to subdue entirely the inborn gaiety of Ann Arbor people. A quiet card party here, a surprise party there, and even an occasional hop, serve to remind us, in the midst of our self-imposed gloom, that man is still a social being. Recognizing this truth, THE REGISTER has the temerity to inaugurate, even now, what has, we believe, never before been attempted in this city—a society column. No pains will be spared to make it a success, and the co-operation of subscribers and readers is earnestly requested. Accounts of social gatherings, as well as personal items, will be gladly received and printed by THE REGISTER.

#### KNIGHT TEMPLAR PARTY.

The Knights Templar have decided to give a reception on Easter Monday, March 30. A committee, consisting of the three highest officers in the commandery, John R. Miner, L. C. Goodrich and M. E. Cooley, was appointed to make the necessary arrangements. Invitations will be issued to the friends of the commandery, and a large number of out-of-town people are expected to be present. The reception will be one of the most brilliant of the season.

#### PROGRESSIVE WHIST.

The commodious new residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stinson, on Liberty-st., was on Monday evening thrown open to some twenty guests, who played progressive whist in a scientific manner. There were five tables. After a lively contest the head prize was awarded to H. L. Crummer. The foot prize—a tin scoop—was scooped in by Edward Eberbach. George H. Pond tried hard for this prize but failed to win it.

#### A SURPRISE PARTY.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, a number of young people gathered Tuesday evening, for the purpose of surprising Miss Ida Pulcifer. The company was entertained by games of various kinds and by dancing. The following young people were present: Misses Anna Ray, of Whitmore Lake, Kate Irwin, Grace Jennelle, Roba Pulcifer and Nina Fall; Messrs. Edward Taylor, Vincent Crittenden, Ed. McAlister, Ralph Pinckney and Ambrose Pack.

#### ZETA PSI PARTY.

A pleasant little party was given at the Ladies' Library, Friday night, by the gentlemen of the Zeta Psi fraternity. Mesdames V. C. Vaughn and J. C. Knowlton acted as chaperons. The following young ladies were present: Misses Ada Skinner, Maud Merritt, Achah Hiller, Mary C. Colver, June Carpenter, Emma Ballentine, Grace Ford, Grace E. Raffensberger, Josephine Hyde, Bessie Dunster and Sallie Szold.

#### HERE AND THERE.

The Sons of Veterans expect to give a dance soon.  
Miss Kate Haarer, of Owosso, is visiting Miss Emily Gwinner.  
E. C. Warner, of Fenton, is visiting his brother, C. C. Warner.  
Miss Carol Britton, of Detroit, is visiting Miss Bertina Bliss.  
Col. H. S. Dean has been attending the army encampment at Muskegon.  
Rev. Mr. Varnam, of Muskegon, has been visiting Mrs. Florella Harris.  
Mrs. John Patchin, of Manchester, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. S. W. Clark-son.  
L. D. Hubbard and Miss Jennie Monroe attended a party at Saline Friday night.  
P. V. Perry, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. W. S. Perry.  
M. G. Paul has been obliged to return home on account of his father's poor health.  
The whist club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Martin next Monday evening.  
Jas. R. Bach has returned from Cleveland, bringing with him his little daughter.  
David Smith, of Van Wert, Ohio, has been visiting his two children in the University.  
Sylvester Gaunt, of Chicago, an old Ann Arbor boy, spent Monday with Dr. F. Schairer.  
Miss Jennie Wines, of the fourth ward school, has recovered from her recent illness.  
Mrs. P. T. Gibney, of East Saginaw, attended the funeral of Mrs. Jas. McKerran in Northfield.  
Mr. and Mrs. Austin Buckalew, of Dexter, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Tuttle.  
Miss Frankie Pierce, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Johnson, for over two months, has returned to her home in Homer, N. Y.

Dr. A. D. Lake, of Kalamazoo, is spending a few weeks in the city, studying under Dr. Carrow.

C. M. Belding returned home last week after a three months' stay in Colorado Springs, Col.

Louis Blitz and Mrs. B. Frank, of Detroit, and Isaac Frank, of Pittsburg, spent Sunday with S. S. Blitz.

Ackland Stiling and bride, of Union City, Ind., have been visiting Mr. Stiling's uncle, J. H. Nickels.

Stuart Millen is managing editor of the Tattoo, published by the students of the Kenyon Military Academy.

The young ladies of E. E. Calkins' Sunday school class were entertained, last Friday night, by Miss Nina Fall.

Arthur Clements has returned from an extensive business trip and is now spending a few days at his home.

The Algonquin club gave a very successful hop at Hangsterfer's hall last night. Some 100 dancers were present.

The "Willing Hearts" enjoyed a pleasant entertainment at the residence of Mrs. Jennie Cheever on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lily St. James, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Goodyear, for some time, has returned to her home in Detroit.

Miss Milly Pippes, of Brighton, has returned home after a two weeks' visit with her friends, Mrs. A. and Mrs. C. M. Belding.

Theodore Wetzel, W. R. Price and Dr. Hannou went to Detroit, Tuesday evening, for the purpose of seeing "Bluebeard," jr.

Mrs. Elisha Jones and J. G. Patten-Gill left Tuesday morning for South Bend, where they attended the funeral of a brother.

Every Friday evening balls are held at Grangers' Hall by a dancing club, composed almost equally of University and town people.

Misses Marie Negus and Inis Stocking, of Chelsea, and Misses Irene Mills and C. Hess, of Clinton, spent a few days with Mrs. A. Belding.

The members of the business men's quartette, their wives and friends, were pleasantly entertained last night by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mutschel.

The members of the "C" club, and their friends, met with Clint Millen, last Saturday evening, and amused themselves with a magic lantern.

Dr. Avery and wife, of Stockbridge, have been spending a few days with Mrs. J. C. Corson. Dr. Avery is a graduate of the dental class of '87.

W. L. Hubbard, of Battle Creek, teacher of calisthenics, organized on Tuesday evening a class for gentlemen and on the following evening a class for ladies.

The Kings Daughters on Saturday afternoon gave a thimble party, at the residence of Prof. W. S. Perry, in honor of Mrs. E. B. Perry, nee Susie Harwood, who is visiting in the city.

A surprise party in honor of the birthday of Miss Emily Gwinner was given Monday evening at the residence of her father on west Liberty-st. Some fourteen or fifteen couples were present.

C. H. Richmond celebrated his seventieth birthday, last Saturday evening, in a quiet manner. Three of his old friends, Philip Bach, Edward Treadwell and E. B. Pond, were unexpectedly present.

## AROUND THE CAMPUS.

The regents will meet the last of the month.

The University chess club is holding a tournament.

An indoor athletic meeting will be held on March 26 or 27, at the rink.

The Phi Gamma Deltas banqueted Col. H. C. Dane after the lecture Friday evening.

The Webster and Jeffersonian societies are arranging for a series of three debates.

Henry Wade Rogers will resume his lectures before the law department on March 25.

About 300 students attended the funeral of the late Professor Wells, in Detroit, last Friday.

Hon. Carroll D. Wright lectures before the Political Science association, tonight, on the "Ethics of Machinery."

Hon. Carroll D. Wright delivered his first lecture on Statistics, Monday morning, before the political economy students.

The Choral Union had a very enthusiastic rehearsal Tuesday evening. Out of the whole chorus only seven members were not accounted for.

The first annual sparring and wrestling contests for the championship of Michigan will be held at Detroit, under the auspices of the Michigan Athletic Association, on Friday and Saturday evenings of next week.

The gymnasium entertainment given last Thursday evening by the Glee club, Banjo club, Chequamegon orchestra, and S. C. Park proved very enjoyable.

Mr. Park's ventriloquism and take-off on mind reading were especially good. About \$800 was netted for the gymnasium fund.

## POMOLOGICAL.

### MEETING OF THE WASHTENAW POMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

Country Roads—Speeches by J. Austin Scott, Jacob Ganzhorn and W. F. Bird—Changing the Name.

At the monthly meeting of Washtenaw Pomological society, J. C. Schenck, who was to collect dues from fruit shippers, reported his inability to make these collections. They are all glad to share in cheaper transportation, but the sharing in the burden with the few active members of the society seems to some of them quite a different question. L. Gruner is ready to receive their two cents per bushel for berries shipped by the Ann Arbor fruit car. The society ordered the bills for printing posters for the fruit car to be paid at once. John Allmand was added to the committee to see all the fruit shippers personally, and J. J. Parshall volunteered to see those on the east side of the city.

The undersigned reported that he had sent the petition of the society, for the improvement of roads, to Representative J. L. Lowden, who at once attended to it, and answered that Mr. Gibson has introduced a bill in regard to the making of permanent country roads, as suggested by the petition.

J. Austin Scott, in his address to increase the membership of the society, stated that all who are interested in horticulture should be active members of the society. The fruit interest was one of such importance that it needed an organized effort to carry on the business. He felt ashamed of those who try to shirk their duties to the society. The society loses its reputation and character by non-payment of an honest debt contracted to accomplish a timely and safe delivery of fruit at Detroit.

The members should be prompt and on time in their attendance. We should invite our friends. This society has been quite an educator, not only in fruit, but in horticulture, farming and roadmaking. In fruit growing, as in other industries, we cannot expect to succeed every year. It is our duty to do our fellow-men some good and to cheer them up. Set-backs strengthen character. He never made a failure at anything he ever undertook, because he was determined to succeed. When he first began fruit growing, he trimmed high, and, in consequence, nine-tenths of his trees died. This did not discourage him, and when he had seen his mistake he adopted low bodies and succeeded. He continually attended to fertilizing and general culture of the trees. He loved the work. He would like to see the money returned to the counties for war-expenses used for the improvement of the roads.

Mr. Ganzhorn, in his interesting paper on the sale of fruit, stated: This is the most important question before fruit men. I can well remember when the foremost questions were, Which is the best location, what varieties to plant, how to cultivate and prune? Will not the business be overdone? The timid ones were afraid the business would come to grief when prices of grapes, shipped from California, dropped to three cents per pound. The wholesale price of grapes, which used to be ten cents per pound, dropped to 1½ cents in the principal markets. I used to ship peck crates of peaches to wholesale houses in Chicago for \$2. One of my neighbors sold his peaches right under the trees for \$3 per bushel. Peach men then said, ten per cent is too much for selling fruit, but as the net increase from fruit was so large no attempt was made to reduce the rate of commission. We have now come down to the bed-rock of our business, and it has become a question of the survival of the fittest. We can only hope to succeed by trimming away unnecessary expenses. We have made a beginning by breaking away from the express to the shipping by freight. Fruit men must combine. It is wasteful to make so many individual and small shipments to one market. In many cases there is a waste in cartage and freight, both in shipping and in return of empty packages. There is as much freight on three empty crates, or baskets, as on twenty-five. The commission man has to deal and keep accounts with so many small lots, while he would save much clerical service, postage and draft expenses, had he but one party to deal with, from one place, instead of so many. A single fruit farmer in Illinois sells 100 carloads of fruit for his neighbors. The grape crop of Chautauqua county, between Buffalo and Dunkirk, N. Y., amounting to from 1,600 to 2,000 carloads, is sold in charge of one man. Agents are sent out to make sales of carload lots at different places, as Chicago, St. Paul and even down to Georgia and Texas. Chicago sells her fruits largely by auction. California has developed great skill in grading, packing, and sale of her fruits, otherwise their shipments to distant markets would be impossible. We shipped

in the neighborhood of 20,000 bushels of peaches last year at an average price of \$2 per bushel, the crops amounting to \$20,000. The commission on the same is about \$4,000; on berries, perhaps \$1,000, making a total of \$5,000. The berry crop of 1891 promises to be much larger than last year. One hundred thousand bushels of peaches is a possibility. There is yet a great deal of fruit shipped by express for want of organization. A large saving could be made right here. Although we pay large sums of money every year for the sales of our fruit, we meet with frequent losses for want of better distribution. The commission man takes no risk with us; we have to bear all the loss. Against wasteful gluts we can do much ourselves by preparing for canning, evaporating, manufacture of jellies and fruit syrups. These canned goods cannot well be put up by individuals. The factory will be the proper place, where a surplus of fruit can be disposed of on a large scale, and sold to advantage under properly organized facilities. In 1889, we averaged \$2 per bushel, for berries. Such seasons will come again, and, in such cases, the saving of unnecessary expenses may be all that is left for our earnings. Fruit will be raised on a larger scale in the future, and the sooner we adapt ourselves to the inevitable, the better for us. This paper was discussed with great interest and animation.

W. F. Bird addressed the society on the best pumps for the application of insecticides. He exhibited two pumps of the Field Force Co., one a large, double-acting pump for orchards, the other a knapsack sprayer made of copper, for the application of the Bordeaux mixture and other poisons among grapes, potatoes and small fruits. This took the eye of His Honor, the mayor. This looks like warfare, he remarked. Those who need the best instruments for the destruction of these insects may inspect these pumps at Mr. Bird's on the Jackson road. He can give an intelligent insight into these formidable weapons, without which our fruit will be destroyed by the enemy. Prof. Cook, of the Agricultural College, and the Cornell University use these pumps.

The name of this society was changed from pomological to horticultural by a majority of votes. This opens the doors to all our vegetable gardeners, florists and farmers. They will receive a hearty welcome. Different varieties of winter apples and the Champion peach were discussed. All were in favor of the bill before the legislature that commission men should give bonds. Ann Arbor lost quite a sum of money in Detroit, East Saginaw and Bay City.

Topics for April meeting: Fruit prospects, package, how to take care of tree planted, by Mr. Ganzhorn, prospects of fruit the coming season, is there a home market for all the strawberry plantations about Ann Arbor? What kinds of fruits to plant, by the president. Report of committee on collection.

E. BAUR, Cor. Sec.

### A Little Mathematics.

The salary of Ann Arbor's mayor has been increased 100 per cent. Formerly he received \$1 a year.—Adrian Press. He formerly received one dollar and now \$100. Figure again, Bro. Smith.—Saline Observer. We have. It should have been 10,000 per cent; but we were only 9,900 per cent out of the way, and it looks pretty small in the Observer to pick up a little thing like that.—Adrian Press. What, call 9,900 cents a little thing!

### The New Literary Monthly.

The Inlander, the new monthly magazine, which is on sale today, contains the following articles: Lack of Interest in our Foreign Relations, President Angell; A Social Experiment, Isabella M. Andrews; Sonnet Found Out on a Post of the Campus Fence, Elsie Jones Cooley; The Monk of Dusseldorf, J. K. Friedman; Ten Years of Political Economy in the United States, Prof. H. C. Adams; The King of Norbonia, Prof. F. N. Scott; Editorials; The Angle of Reflection, and Every Man in His Own Humor. The Inlander is printed by the Register Publishing Company.

### Notaries Public.

The following filed bonds as notaries public during January and February: E. K. Frueauff, F. A. Howlett, Reuben Kempf, N. W. Cheever, W. M. Shadford, J. F. Lawrence, H. S. Dean, L. Gruner, E. B. Norris, J. M. Wilcoxson, F. H. Belsler, J. Q. A. Sessions, E. H. Scott, M. C. Peterson, J. W. Bennett, J. H. Morris, F. L. Parker, P. McKernan, H. T. Morton, W. B. Smith, J. R. Miner, W. R. Price and H. A. Williams, Ann Arbor; Thomas Ninde, D. B. Green, C. M. Fellows, Ypsilanti; G. S. Wheeler, Salem, John A. Palmer, H. M. Woods, Sylvan; G. C. Page, M. S. Cook, J. L. Smith, Scio; J. W. Blakesly, W. J. Rainey, D. P. McLachlan, York; H. C. Waldron, Worden; Henry Gorton, Lyndon; J. D. Van Duyen, Manchester; E. E. Leland, Northfield.

## OUR 25 CENT COLUMN.

Advertisements, such as To Rent, For Sale and Wants, not exceeding three lines, can be inserted three weeks for 25 cents.

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WANTED—A girl to do cooking and general housework. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. A. W. Hamilton, 44 Madison-st.

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FOR SALE—A small farm, two and one-half miles from Ann Arbor. Address FARM, this office.

FOR SALE—Or Exchange for Ann Arbor City Property—A stock of goods, consisting of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Clothing, in a good location and an old-established trade. For further particulars inquire of McC. LeBaron, 25½ Lawrence-st.

FOR SALE—A three-year-old Colt, sound and well broken. I am at home Monday each week Webster, March 5, 1891.

FOR SALE—A large safe, in good condition. Also a lot of Household Goods of all kinds, cheap for cash. J. S. Mann, 32 E. Huron-st.

FOR SALE—Horse, Phaeton and Cutter. Inquire at 56 Williams-st., or at my office, No. 3 N. Main-st. J. Q. A. Sessions.

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### MISCELLANEOUS.

FOUND—A pair of Nose-Glasses, with case. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for adv.

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saying my increase the reasons there-made, and able to ice, and as I am the manufacturers on on the other side, mothers in every I have also some which, although are equally asserted in a spacious twenty-two broad-in a handsomely appointed store, at 35 south main-st., ANN ARBOR, and I am a popular priced child's suit, sold at the star clothing house, by

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTICES.

Brighton is experiencing a revival. Dexter will organize a woman's relief corps.

Chelsea received, last year, \$990 in liquor taxes.

The enrollment of the Manchester schools is 328.

The citizens of South Lyon want a new charter.

The Oakland Excelsior is ten years old and a model child.

The roller skating craze has been revived at Pinckney.

The Chelsea House has passed into the hands of E. G. Hoag.

The Good Templars of Manchester are eighty in number.

The Quakers are trying to establish a branch church at Willis.

In Stockbridge they won't let you play card games of any kind.

The Manchester masonic directory is now ready for distribution.

Abelber, of Saline, has sold his livery business to A. Miller & Son.

The Congregational church at Chelsea has thirteen new members.

The Chelsea fire department expects to give an entertainment soon.

Thirty-four persons recently joined the South Lyon Presbyterian church.

The village of Grass Lake will erect six new street lamps in the spring.

The ice-cutters at Whitmore Lake have fled to Lake George, farther north.

All the Chelsea churches have good choirs—at least, so saith the Standard.

The Methodist Sunday school at South Lyon has an average attendance of 153.

John G. Hoover, of Chelsea, will erect a fine house on Orchard-st, next spring.

Mrs. A. M. Chamberlain, of Webster, will erect a \$3,000 residence in the spring.

Geo. Webster, a Chelsea tailor, has given up his business, for the reason that it didn't pay.

A union meeting of the Patrons of Industry will be held at Sylvan Center tomorrow evening.

Thomas Bahn, section foreman of the Michigan Central at Ypsilanti, has been made overseer at the Jackson prison.

Fr. Considine, of Chelsea, will deliver a lecture, next Sunday evening, on "Ireland's Faith—Her Saints and Heroes."

Scholars of the Saline high school are practicing for "The Spirit of '90," a play which will be given in the near future.

Heck Bros', flouring mill, in Tecumseh, burned to the ground last week. The loss was \$40,000, and the insurance \$20,500.

A Demorest medal contest will be held at the Chelsea town hall, Friday evening, March 13, under the auspices of I. O. G. T.

A glass filled to the brim at night will fill a hat to the brim in the morning—Standard. Do you speak from experience or hearsay?

Frank Rane, of Whitmore Lake, attended the funeral of General Sherman. He was one of the escorts from the Ohio State University.

Ho for temperance: Shad Snylandt recently kicked a four-year-old steer to death, because it refused to drink a barrel of cold water.—Munith correspondence Stockbridge Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bissel, of Vermont, were guests at A. A. Wood's last week. They were on their way to Australia, by way of San Francisco. A long journey.—Saline Observer.

The young man Gunn, who was arrested a short time ago for stealing an overcoat, is wanted in Illinois for stealing a quantity of shoes.—Chelsea Standard. Well, doesn't the world owe everybody a living?

The Stockbridge Patrons of Industry are considering the advisability of erecting a co-operative elevator. They propose to issue shares of \$25 each, no one person being allowed to take more than one share.

Canton people expect that the Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti street railway will be extended to their village and are becoming very happy over the prospect. One farmer has already given part of the right-of-way.

The largest single clover seed ever delivered in Stockbridge was sold to Isbell & Co., recently, weighed fourteen pounds and cost ninety-eight cents. It was a stone.—Chelsea Standard. Fie on this world of shams.

Chelsea evidently proposes to try another fair, the coming season. Better join hands with the old folks of the county and not only help money than better but save some good money.—Saline Observer. Good advice.

John Smith, the shoemaker in the Burg building, was found sick and alone in his old shop, and suffering for care and proper nourishment. Medical aid was produced and charitable ones are aiding him, but he is in a critical condition.—Saline Observer.

Many and various are the ways of recording a birth. Says the Oakland Excelsior: South Lyon has long wanted a miller located in our midst, we now hasten to report our success. He arrived Monday evening, is now making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Art Miller.

"Old Spot," of Superior, is no more. At the time of his death he was thirty-nine years old. He was an old veteran, having been captured by Capt. Quackenbush, from a confederate soldier. Although he was only a horse he was buried with military honors, and the stars and stripes now float over his grave.

Last year at this time eggs were worth 12 cents, butter 14, potatoes 25, oats 22, corn 22, and wheat 71 cents. Compare these prices with quotations this week.—Chelsea Standard. The prices last week in Chelsea were as follows: Eggs, 15 cents; butter, 13@22c; potatoes, 90c; oats 51c; corn, 60c; wheat, \$1.00@1.04.

We notice by the Centralia (Washington) Daily News, that Bert Bliton, one of our former Saline boys, who for several years has been giving Wheatland, Dakota, a local paper, much too good for the patronage it apparently received, has been sipping up Washington and will bid good bye to the land of blizzards and hail himself to Centralia.—Saline Observer.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

The Supreme Court Renders a Decision of Interest to Newspapers.

The supreme court, in an opinion denying a mandamus to Schmedding, a reporter, vs. May, Wayne county clerk, compelling him to give the reporter access to records in a certain case, the court holds that in certain cases of disagreements between parties the contents of papers filed in the preliminary framing of the case is not to be considered public record when the case is concluded, and suggests that it has no right to it in divorce cases in any event; it being a private affair of no interest to the public, except as a matter of curiosity; also that a newspaper has no right to publish the fact that a man is to be sued, as the case might have no foundation in fact, and the publication seriously affect the business reputation of the party. Justice Grant writes the opinion.

FOUL WEEDS.

A Bulletin from the Agricultural College of Value to Farmers.

Bulletin No. 73 of the experimental station, botanical department, is ready for publication. It contains a description of and a remedy for six of our worst weeds, viz.: Canada thistle, red root, moth mullein, toad flax, rib grass and narrow dock. While the bulletin was being prepared Mr. Wheeler, of the botanical department, conceived the idea of sending a sample of seeds of each of the above named weeds by gluing them on the first page. If this plan proves successful, and he has every reason to believe it will, many other varieties of seed will be sent, and in the same manner; and this will prove a wonderful aid to the farmer in giving him a chance to compare and the more readily detect the foul stuff among his seeds.

A CLOSE CALL.

A Sleighting Party Narrowly Escapes Drowning in a Michigan Lake.

A dozen people had a narrow escape from death near Houghton. A sleighing party was crossing a little lake on their way to a concert when the horses took fright and dashed toward a large hole where ice-cutting had been in progress. Just before reaching the water the horses swerved, overturning the sleigh and throwing the occupants out. A moment later the horses plunged into the water and were seen no more. Had not the sleigh upset all in the party would doubtless have perished.

OF MEDICAL BENEFIT.

At last it has been discovered that the cranial virus persist in starving themselves for certain periods in dime museums will be of some benefit to medical science. It transpires that Wulmeau, of Detroit, who recently completed his thirty-first day, had a complication of diseases before he undertook the fast that left growths of abnormal tissue on his body. With the starving process, these have all disappeared. This startling discovery has been made by the physicians who have him in charge, but they announce the extraneous growths will probably appear again.

Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health by fifty-nine observers in different parts of the state for the week ended February 28 indicated that measles, cholera morbus and whooping cough increased, and membranous croup, inflammation of the bowels, cerebrospinal meningitis, typhoid fever, diphtheria and puerperal fever decreased in area of prevalence. Diphtheria was reported at twenty-nine places, scarlet fever at forty-six, typhoid fever at fifteen and measles at thirty-five places.

William P. Wells Dead.

Michigan lawyer, dropped dead in the county court at Detroit just after he had finished an argument. He was collector of customs under President Johnson; was chairman of the general council of the American Bar association; was professor of law in the university of Michigan, and a leading democrat. He had appeared in all the great Michigan cases and practiced for many years before the federal supreme court. He was born at St. Albans, Vt., 1831.

Short but Noteworthy Items.

The direct tax bill passed by congress gives Michigan \$426,498.

John Canfield, a man of millions, gives Manistowic 240 acres for park purposes, and will donate a big site to any location-seeking factory.

Little George Chase, of Clare, tied his sled to the rear end of a passenger train the other day and boarded the sled for a ride. He was killed.

Frank Peterson, of Dollar Bay, was killed by a falling chimney during the burning of Toney Schutte's house at that place. The money loss was \$2,000.

At Kalamazoo an electric street railway company has been organized.

Joseph Gerr, aged 63 years, an old and respected resident of Pinconning, died suddenly after an illness of one day.

Two new grist mills will go up at Marlette in the spring.

Eight of the men employed at the log camp of E. K. Potter & Sons in Alcona county were more or less seriously injured in a runaway accident.

A fall of rock in the bottom of Tamarack Junior mine at Red Jacket killed Charles Martowain. He was a single man, 30 years old.

The bill to establish an Indian school, to cost \$25,000, in Isabella county, has been signed by President Harrison and it is a law.

Charlesvoix has offered the West Michigan road \$25,000 to extend its line from Traverse City.

The store of Heinrichs & Simonsky, general hardware dealers at Menominee, was seized by the sheriff under two chattel mortgages, aggregating \$12,000.

Lucius Daniel Johnson, aged 85 years, ex-city attorney of Lansing and a prominent member of the Ingham county bar, died at the home of his parents of tubercular laryngitis.

KNIGHTS OF RECIPROcity.

The New Order Working in Opposition to the Farmers Alliance.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Western people here are taking a great deal of interest in the new semi-political organization known as the "Knights of Reciprocity." They think they see in it a counter-irritant for the Farmers' Alliance. The Knights of Reciprocity started in Kansas last November after the triumph of the alliance. Mr. S. R. Peters, one of the founders of the order, has gone back to Kansas. Before going he said: "Application has been sent from Washington for the establishment of a lodge of the Knights of Reciprocity here. Applications have been received at the central office from every state and territory in the union. The new order is a secret organization, and therefore the public has not been made aware of its rapid growth and development. It has the same social features as the Farmers' Alliance, and its object is to embrace, eventually, all those who believe in the following principles: First, a desire for the perpetuity of the union, advocacy of liberal pensions to all honorably discharged soldiers and sailors of the late war, the protection of American industry, reciprocity between all friendly nations, or fair trade, especially with those nations on the American continent; reciprocity also between all classes in our nation, including a community of interest which should exist between producers and consumers, between manufacturers and operatives, between common carriers and shippers; a fair and honest ballot; and lastly the disfranchisement of every person offering or accepting bribes or attempting improperly to influence the ballot-box."

Terrible Fate of an Ohio Farmer and His Two Daughters.

LIMA, O., March 7.—A terrible accident occurred at Sharkey's crossing, near this city, Friday evening, by which Lyman Hyde, an old farmer, and his 23-year-old daughter Judith lost their lives and Emeline, a 16-year-old daughter, was fatally injured. The trio were driving toward Lima and at the point named, which is at the end of a deep cut and on a curve, attempted to cross in front of a freight train. The horse balked and the frightened occupants of the buggy became too bewildered to attempt to save themselves.

Two Babies Cremated.

Left Alone by Their Mother They Climb Up on the Cook Stove.

WEST MILTON, O., March 10.—Late Saturday evening two little children—a boy and girl, aged 4 and 6 years—of William Brinkman were burned to death in the absence of their parents. The mother having started a fire in the cooking stove left the children by the fire and went to do the milking. The younger child climbed up on the stove hearth, his clothing became ignited, and his sister, in endeavoring to extinguish the flames, came in contact with them, her own apparel caught fire and both were horribly burned. They died shortly after.

American Flocks on the Decrease.

BOSTON, March 7.—The Boston Commercial Bulletin publishes statistical articles based upon the agricultural department reports in which it is shown that the total number of sheep in the country to-day is 43,431,136, against 44,253,973 in 1890, and consequently the wool clip will be 5,000,000 pounds less than last year, when it was 276,000,000 pounds.

Cyclone in Mississippi.

DURANT, Miss., March 9.—News has reached here of a cyclone which struck the region of Newport, Attala county, Saturday morning. Information is meager, but it is learned that the cyclone made a clean sweep of houses, barns and trees, and it is said two colored people—a woman and a boy—were killed.

Expensive Prairie Chickens.

YANKTON, S. D., March 9.—William Staughton has been arrested at Vermilion for having in his possession nineteen barrels of prairie chickens. The penalty is a fine of \$10 for each bird, and, as there are 2,000 of them, they will prove expensive.

A Testimonial to Blaine.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The wholesale merchants and exporters of New York city, irrespective of party, have presented Secretary Blaine a testimonial of their appreciation of his efforts in favor of reciprocity with Brazil.

Population of Missouri.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—The census bureau has announced the population of the state of Missouri by races as follows: Whites, 2,524,468; colored, 154,131; Indians, 168; Japanese, 4; Chinese, 413; total, 2,679,184.

Miners Starve to Death.

PHILADELPHIA, March 9.—Hannah Williams, aged 70, and her son David, aged 32, were found dead in their house in this city. They were miners, worth \$75,000, and had starved themselves to death.

Mail Matter Burned.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 10.—Eighteen sacks of letters and thirty-five sacks of newspapers bound west in a baggage car on the New York Central road were burned near Cranestville yesterday.

Census of Texas.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The census office announces the population of Texas by races as follows: Whites, 1,741,190; colored, 492,837; Indians, 766; Chinese, 727; Japanese, 3; total, 2,235,523.

Fate of Two Miners.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—Hannah Williams, aged 70, and her son David, aged 32, were found dead in their house in this city. They were miners worth \$75,000, and had starved themselves to death.

Over a Century Old.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., March 10.—Mrs. Mary Bell died at her home in Groveland last night, aged 108. Her youngest child now living is 65 years old.

A Printing House Burned.

OMAHA, Neb., March 10.—The printing house of Gibson, Miller & Richardson has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$100,000; fully insured.

Death of Bishop Paddock.

BOSTON, March 10.—Right Rev. Benjamin H. Paddock, episcopal bishop of the diocese of Massachusetts, is dead.

CANADA'S ELECTION.

Returns from the Recent Political Strife in the Dominion.

The Conservative Majority in Parliament Reduced to 21—Rejoicing in the Mother Country—The Result in the Provinces.

ELECTION IN CANADA.

TORONTO, Ont., March 7.—Returns are all in with the exception of three seats where elections will be held later. Returns received late give several seats to the government that were reported as going liberal. One of these is Richmond and Wolfe, where Hon. Wilfred Laurier, liberal leader, was reported to have been elected. Laurier does not lose his seat, having been returned last week by acclamation for east Quebec. It is understood that the government will immediately move in the direction of trade negotiations with the United States. Complete returns show that the government lost 9 seats in Ontario and that the liberals are in a majority of 8 in the province of Quebec. The result of the vote in the province is as follows:

Table showing election results in Canada by province and party.

WASHINGTON, March 7.—Secretary Blaine said that he had nothing to say with regard to the Canadian election, except that there seemed to be an impression in some quarters that President Harrison's administration was interested in the election.

LONDON, March 7.—The result of the Canadian election is received with general satisfaction. It is looked upon as a triumph of British feeling and a pledge of attachment to the mother country. The St. James' Gazette is exultant, and winds up a leading editorial by declaring: "Canada is British still. Washington does not yet rule over Ottawa."

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Awful Mishap to the Family of William McLaughlin in Michigan.

LANSING, Mich., March 10.—William McLaughlin and his son were instantly killed and Mrs. McLaughlin fatally injured by a Grand Trunk passenger train near Shaftsbury. The family were arriving home from a Sunday visit to a relative. They did not see the approaching train and drove fairly in front of it. The train was going at a terrific speed. The engine struck the rig between the wheels and threw it into the air. Both father and son were dead when the train was stopped, and the mother can not recover.

Windfall of a Pauper.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 10.—John Carrera Spear, an old inmate of Bay View asylum, is one of the many who will be benefited by the act of congress providing for a settlement of the French spoliation claims. He has been in Bay View for many years, the ill-luck having followed him soon after the close of war. Through all this time he clung to the papers that will now bring him nearly \$25,000.

Rather Risky Treatment.

PARIS, March 10.—The Figaro asserts that four deaths have occurred within five days as a result of the transfusion of blood according to the method of Dr. Bernheim. The Figaro declares that the Bernheim treatment is more dangerous than treatment by the Koch method. Dr. Bernheim, however, maintains that he had had success in eighty cases of tuberculosis.

A Terrible Revenge.

NEW YORK, March 10.—A mob of Polish Hebrews partially destroyed the house and stock of Herman Greenbaum, a cloakmaker of Jamaica, L. I., beat him and his wife, and fatally burned his 4-year-old son with oil of vitriol Monday because they heard he was employing non-union work people.

Railway Wreck in Nebraska.

OXFORD, Neb., March 10.—A Burlington & Missouri freight train broke in two going down a steep grade 10 miles east of here and the two sections collided. Swanson, the engineer, was instantly killed and fifteen cars were knocked into splinters.

Profits of the Sugar Trust.

NEW YORK, March 10.—In the sugar trust investigation Monday an accountant testified that the trust had made a profit of \$11,900,000, of which 10 per cent. had been paid to stockholders, and that the rest is held by the constituent companies.

Clothing Lockout at Rochester.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 9.—The clothing manufacturers of Rochester, the most promising branch of industry here, entered on a lockout at noon Saturday. If not settled soon 20,000 people will be affected.

Death of a Southern Banker.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 10.—Josiah Morris, the richest banker in Alabama, died Monday of heart disease. He was largely instrumental in building up Birmingham and developing the resources of this section.

A Steamer Founders.

SEATTLE, Wash., March 10.—It is rumored here that the steamer Buckeye went down in the sound between Edmonds and Apple Tree cove with twenty passengers Sunday night.

Has Really Got the Stage.

LONDON, March 9.—Miss Mary Anderson (Mrs. Navarro) has advertised the sale of her various stage properties, including her dresses.

John C. Eno Refused a Pardon.

WASHINGTON, March 10.—The president has refused to pardon John C. Eno of New York, who was convicted of bank wrecking.

No Liquor in Africa.

The act of the Brussels Congress, of July 2, is before the United States Senate for approval. It comes, of course, through our state department. The twin evils are to be excluded from the great body of the "Dark Continent," from 20 degrees north to 22 degrees south (the central 42 degrees, leaving only the extreme south and the extreme north to take care of themselves. The liquor article reads: "In the district of this zone, where it shall be ascertained that either) on account of religious belief or from some other causes, the use of distilled liquors does not exist or has not been developed, the powers shall prohibit their importation. The manufacture of distilled liquors shall be likewise prohibited there. Each power shall determine the limits of the zone of prohibition of alcoholic liquors in its possessions or protectorates and shall be bound to make known the limits then to the other powers within the space of six months. The above prohibition can only be suspended in the case of limited quantities intended for the consumption of the non-native population and imported under the regime and conditions determined by each government. To be fair, the slave article should be equally lenient. It should except from its action those places where slavery and the slave trade do not exist or have not been developed." But there is a difference. The wicked Arabs want slaves and all the seventeen Christian nations like liquor and want to sell it. In one week there was entered at Madeira \$5,250,000 worth of liquors going to Africa, and many vessels do not stop there. The dark heather are good absorbers of New England rum and Yankee religion. It is said that nine-tenths of the liquors going to the Congo Valley are made within five miles of Boston. So the liquor article had to be drawn with great skill; it would not go to prohibit where there is nothing to prohibit—if there is such a place,—and if you expressly provide that "non-natives" can take in all they like that is "coral sympathy" and "protection to home industry." Christian conscience and human pity ask the Christian powers to protect the heathen against the damning drink from Christian lands; they ask a fish and get a serpent—in a fish skin. The show of prohibition is conceded, but absolute license is enacted and all the powers firmly bound to protect each other in unrestrained liquor trade in its own territory. "Ethiopia stretches out her hands to God." We fill one with bottles of whiskey and the other with bibles. Whole villages, men, women and children, full of "American industry," forced upon them in payment for labor and goods, howl, fight and murder each other—beating even Ann Arbor. The chiefs ask the missionaries: "Why did not you God men come before the drink? The simple souls don't know that they were sent with the drink and by the drink to sanctify the drink, and that the drink is baptized in Christian license, and that in Anglo-America, the highest type of Christian civilization, the government and almost everything is run by the drink motor. O. R. L. C.

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Schedule of November 30, 1890.

Table showing train schedules for Detroit, Lansing & Northern R.R. including GOING EAST, GOING WEST, and GOING NORTH.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RY.

Schedule for January 4, 1891.

Table showing train schedules for Chicago & West Michigan R.R. including GOING SOUTH and GOING NORTH.

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ANN ARBOR & YPSILANTI Street Railway.

TIME TABLE. [In effect February 15 1891.]

Table showing train schedules for Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti Street Railway, including LEAVE YPSILANTI and LEAVE ANN ARBOR.

SUNDAY TIME. LEAVE YPSILANTI at 1:00, 2:40, 4:25, 6:05, 7:45, 9:20 P. M. LEAVE ANN ARBOR from Court House, at 1:30, 3:10, 4:55, 6:35, 8:10, 9:50, P. M. NOTICE—The time at Ann Arbor is from the Court House.

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**FLOODS DOWN SOUTH.**

Many Cities and Towns Suffering from Too Much Water.  
Hundreds of Persons Driven from Their Homes and Thousands of Acres of Land Under Water—The Loss Will Be Heavy.

**RIVERS OVERFLOW.**  
NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 10.—The Cumberland river is rising from Burnside, Ky., to this point. The gauge here reads 48 feet. The backwater covers a great deal of territory here, and several hundred families have been forced to seek safety on more elevated ground. Several large manufacturing establishments have suspended operations, their yards being flooded, and within the next two days others will be obliged to cease business. The street railroad tracks in some portions of the city are covered by water. There is already much suffering among the poorer classes who have been obliged to move, and the relief society is making arrangements to properly care for them. Fully 3,000 people have left their homes and many others will be driven out to-day. No loss of life is reported, but numerous narrow escapes have been made. At Burnside, the head of the river, people are moving to the upper stories of their homes and the streets are being navigated by boats. In Nashville, boats manned by men are busy moving out the people who failed to appreciate their danger and were caught by the rise, which cut off all avenues of escape for them.

**OKOLONA, Miss., March 10.**—Reports just received show that great damage has been done throughout the country by the floods of Saturday and Sunday. At Lexington, Miss., the storm was the most destructive ever known in that community. The town is almost entirely cut off from all communication with the outside world. The Illinois Central bridge 1 mile east of that town is entirely destroyed, so that trains cannot come, and the loss is incalculable. The track is washed out in many places. Saturday evening Minnie Bray, a young colored school teacher living near here, while standing on her gallery viewing the storm was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Bridges, both wooden and iron, were washed away, and roads were washed into gullies in many places, rendering them impassable. Farming operations have been entirely suspended and the land that had formerly been plowed is badly washed, delaying planting two or three weeks. Fences along the creeks are completely gone. Farmers are greatly discouraged at the outlook.

A terrible storm passed within 3 miles of Brandon, Miss., late Sunday night, carrying destruction in its path. Every house of Senator Donald's place was blown away and he and his wife seriously injured. The splendid residence of David L. Wilson, near Brandon, together with every building, including cotton gin, barn and tenant houses, was blown away, leaving only the floors and foundations. Mrs. Wilson and her invalid son were carried with the bed upon which they were sleeping out into the front yard and completely covered by timbers and debris. They were severely bruised and had to remain out in the pouring rain all night.

**COLUMBUS, Miss., March 10.**—This city is now entirely surrounded by water. The lowlands on the east side are covered with water for some distance, and there has been considerable loss of cattle, many people having abandoned their homes and come here for shelter. The Tombigbee river is higher than in many years, and still rising at the rate of 2 inches an hour. At Aberdeen the Tombigbee river is 8 miles wide and rising half an inch an hour. All farmers who reside on the lowlands have been driven from their homes and taken refuge in the hills.

**PICKENS, Miss., March 10.**—This place has been isolated since last Saturday, when the last train passed north. Continued rains since Thursday night have raised the water in Big Black river higher than ever known, and it is still rising rapidly. It is up to the floor of the bridge. All the other bridges in the county are gone and communication cut off. The Illinois Central railroad track is lifted bodily from its bed and deposited in the ditch for miles below and above here and the embankment swept away. Incalculable damage has been done by the water.

**A Blizzard in England.**  
LONDON, March 10.—A terrible blizzard prevails throughout the southwest portion of England. The storm is the severest on record in that part of the country. Many small vessels have been wrecked off the coast. The loss of live stock is also reported to be heavy. Hundreds of sheep and lambs have perished in the storm. A snowstorm has been raging in Scotland and the north of England for a week past.

**Resigned.**  
WASHINGTON, March 10.—Quite a flurry has been caused at the treasury department by the announcement of the resignation of John G. MacGregor, chief of the customs division, which is one of the most important subordinate positions in the treasury department. MacGregor has held the position since 1885 and is an extremely valuable man.

**Strike of Miners Ended.**  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 10.—Six thousand miners in the four coal pools in the Monongahela valley have resumed work at the increased rate of wages conceded by the operators. There is general rejoicing in the valley over the settlement of the long strike and the prospect of steady work through the spring.

**Mrs. Leslie's Plan.**  
NEW YORK, March 10.—Mrs. Frank Leslie will make a new will on Wednesday by which the bulk of her fortune amounting to at least \$600,000 will be left in trust for the establishment of a great institution for the instruction of women and the advancement of higher education of the sex.

**Three Men Sealed.**  
PATRIOT, Ind., March 9.—The drumhead of the steamer Buckeye State exploded when opposite this place, and James Jones, Ash Wheelock and Sam Hamilton were fatally sealed.

**A Creek Murderer to Be Shot.**  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 10.—Judge Colbert, of the Creek nation, has sentenced Sam Logan to be shot at Cheektoah, I. T., March 30 next, for the murder of Joe McIntosh.

**A Girl's Terrible Crime.**  
ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 9.—Lena Cunningham, of this city, threw vitriol into the face of her sleeping sister and was terribly burned. Jealousy prompted the deed.

**A BROKEN RAIL.**

It Causes a Bad Wreck on an Illinois Road.  
An Express Train Derailed—The Smashed Cars Take Fire and All Are Consumed—One Life Lost—Several Persons Wounded.

**MANY INJURED.**  
HAVANA, Ill., March 9.—The Jacksonville Southern passenger train was wrecked about 3 o'clock Sunday morning half a mile above the city limits. The wreck was caused by a broken rail. The cars were all piled in a heap except the last, and taking fire were all consumed. Freeman Sadler was instantly killed. Charles Mulhoney, of Stratton, Ill., and Walter Conover, of Manito, Ill., have since died of their injuries. The injured are: George Birkenhead, engineer, left leg crushed below the knee, right arm cut and lower part crushed; Batesman, express messenger, had left foot torn off at the ankle and badly bruised; M. J. Kennedy, conductor, head, face and hands cut and bruised; C. Hughes, brakeman, head, face, legs and body cut and bruised and hands scratched; F. H. Lewis, passenger, Peoria, injury to the left leg, face cut and bruised, no bones broken; E. H. Emmett, Peoria, head and face bruised and burned, chest hurt and fingers badly bruised, no bones broken; Mrs. Thomas Martin, passenger, Denver, head, face and hands cut, right shoulder and side scalded.

All the injured except Lewis and Emmett, who are taken care of by friends here, have been taken to Jacksonville. The corpse of a Mrs. Woods, which was being taken from Chicago to Jacksonville, was partially consumed. The passengers seriously injured were all in the smoker.

The train was entirely new, the cars not having been in service quite a month. The loss to the company, including death and accident claims, will not fall short of \$100,000. An unusually small number of passengers were aboard the train, and this accounts for the small loss of life. The people in the sleepers were not injured, but had to make their way for a mile through the terrible storm to shelter without their shoes or much clothing.

**CRIMINALS HANGED.**  
Two Men End Their Lives on the Gallows on Friday.  
BOONVILLE, Mo., March 7.—John Oscar Turlington was hanged here Friday for the murder of Sheriff Cramer of Cooper county. Turlington's neck was broken.

**NEW CASTLE, Del., March 7.**—Shakespeare Reeves, alias Jacob Sharkey (colored), was hanged Friday for felonious assault committed upon little Grace Clark, a white girl of 11 years, near New Castle, on Sunday, September 28, 1890.

**Salvador's New President.**  
SAN SALVADOR, March 7.—The national congress, which has been in session since February 1, has verified the returns of the presidential elections and has ratified the election of Gen. Carlos Ezata as president of Salvador, with Gen. Antonio Ezata, his brother, as vice president. This choice was ratified by acclamation, and great enthusiasm prevailed throughout the capital as soon as the result was made public.

**Concessions to the Laborers.**  
CHICAGO, March 7.—Eight hours will constitute a day's work for all labor employed in the construction of world's fair buildings, and a system of arbitration to include all cases of disputes between employers and employees will be established. These two propositions of the world's fair directory Friday night by a vote of 23 to 2 decided should be made a part of future world's fair building contracts.

**The Population Verified.**  
WASHINGTON, March 9.—The first fully revised, accurate official showing of the population of the United States has just been concluded at the census bureau. The verified population of the United States in 1890 is shown to be 62,623,250. Total population of Illinois is given at 3,836,351; Chicago by wards, 1,699,850.

**Died to Save His Brother.**  
READING, Pa., March 9.—A sad drowning accident took place here Saturday night. John Sellers, aged 6, fell into the Schuylkill canal, and his brother Samuel, aged 8, jumped in to save him. When the bodies were pulled out Samuel was dead, and his young brother was revived with difficulty.

**A Boy's Terrible Fate.**  
BOONE, Ia., March 10.—Owen Southworth, the 13-year-old son of ex-Mayor Southworth, of this city, was caught by his arm between two fast-revolving cogwheels in the Centennial flouring-mills Monday and drawn through them, being cut in two across the breast.

**Killed 600 Natives.**  
PARIS, March 9.—The French Senegal expedition has won another victory on the river with native troops and French officers. The natives were beaten with a loss of 600 killed and wounded, including their chief. The French lost seven killed and many wounded.

**They Are After Funds.**  
LONDON, March 10.—Messrs. James J. O'Kelly, John O'Connor, Henry Harrison and John Redmond, Irish members of parliament, sailed from Queenstown for this country Sunday to solicit funds to carry on the Parnell campaign in Ireland.

**THE MARKETS.**  
NEW YORK, March 10.  
LIVE STOCK—Cattle..... \$1.50 @ 5.00  
Hogs..... 3.00 @ 3.75  
FLOUR—Fair to Fancy..... 4.10 @ 5.10  
Wheat—Patent..... 2.00 @ 2.50  
WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... 1.12 1/2 @ 1.13 1/2  
No. 3 Red..... 1.07 @ 1.07 1/2  
Corn—No. 2..... 65 @ 65 1/2  
Ungraded Mixed..... 63 1/2 @ 64 1/2  
OATS—Mixed Western..... 54 @ 57  
POLY—Western..... 81 @ 84  
PORK—Mess, New..... 10.50 @ 11.25  
LARD—Western Steam..... 6.07 1/2 @ 6.10  
BUTTER—Western Creamery..... 35 @ 35  
CHICAGO.  
BEVES—Shipping Steers..... \$3.30 @ 5.00  
Cows..... 1.50 @ 3.25  
Stockers..... 2.25 @ 3.75  
Feeders..... 2.00 @ 3.75  
Butcher's Steers..... 3.00 @ 3.20  
Bulls..... 1.50 @ 3.00  
HOGS—Live..... 3.25 @ 3.75  
SHEEP—Crombie..... 4.25 @ 5.00  
Good to Choice Dairy..... 25 @ 35  
Eggs—Fresh..... 15 1/2 @ 15  
BROOM CORN..... 3 1/2 @ 5  
Hurl..... 3 1/2 @ 5  
Self-wringing..... 3 @ 5  
Panned..... 2 @ 3  
POTATOES (per bu.)..... 90 @ 1.10  
POLY—Western..... 7.0 @ 9.75  
LARD—Steam..... 5.75 @ 5.75  
FLOUR—Spring Patents..... 4.00 @ 4.00  
Winter Patents..... 4.00 @ 5.00  
Bakers..... 3.20 @ 3.75  
GRAIN—Wheat No. 2..... 99 @ 1.00  
Corn No. 2..... 58 @ 58 1/2  
Oats, No. 2..... 48 1/2 @ 49  
Rye, No. 2..... 92 @ 92 1/2  
Barley, Choice..... 72 @ 73  
LUMBER—  
Sliding..... 19.00 @ 22.00  
Flooring..... 22.00 @ 24.00  
Common Boards..... 13.00 @ 13.50  
Fencing..... 13.00 @ 16.00  
Lath, D.P..... 2.40 @ 2.70  
Shingles..... 2.00 @ 2.00  
ST. LOUIS.  
CATTLE—Steers..... \$3.00 @ 5.50  
Stockers and Feeders..... 2.25 @ 3.50  
HOGS—Fair to Choice Heavy..... 3.50 @ 3.70  
Mixed Grades..... 3.00 @ 3.05  
SHEEP..... 4.00 @ 5.00  
OMAHA.  
CATTLE—Prime..... \$3.00 @ 4.50  
Fair to Good..... 2.75 @ 4.15  
HOGS..... 3.00 @ 3.50

**BURIED IN DRIFTS.**

A Furious Snowstorm in Portions of the West and Northwest.  
DENVER, Col., March 9.—Reports from the San Juan country and Conejose range state that the country is completely buried in snow. Railroads and toll-roads are blockaded, all traffic has been suspended, and can not be resumed for weeks. The fall of snow has been the heaviest for years and covers the ground in many places 20 feet deep. The towns of Silverton, Lake City and several mining camps are entirely cut off from telegraphic communication with the outside world. Their provisions are running low, and unless the blockade is soon raised considerable suffering will be felt.

**BRainerd, Minn., March 9.**—A terrible snow-storm, covering the whole north half of the state, has raged all day. There is nearly 2 feet of snow.  
**WORTHINGTON, Minn., March 9.**—There is scarcely a wheel moving in southwestern Minnesota. Not an hour has passed in the last twenty-four that it has not snowed, and it fell so fast from noon to nightfall that it was impossible for men and horses to face it. No trains are arriving here, and it is supposed they are hung up in the drifts.

**OTTUMWA, Ia., March 9.**—A howling blizzard and snow-storm, the worst of the season, set in Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock and has continued ever since. A 12-inch snow-fall blockaded the street-car lines during the night. The trains have all been late, the worst delays being on the north and south roads.  
**BOONE, Ia., March 9.**—The worst snow-storm of this winter set in Saturday morning. The roads are drifted full, street cars are completely blockaded, and business is generally suspended. All trains are late.

**WINTERSET, Ia., March 9.**—Twelve inches of snow fell here Saturday night. Immense drifts fill the roads and travel is almost impossible.  
**MURDERED HER DAUGHTERS.**  
After Cutting Their Throats Mrs. Belknap Commits Suicide.  
MILAN, Tenn., March 9.—Mrs. Sarah Belknap, at Darden, Henderson county, Friday night crept into the sleeping-room of her two daughters, Mary and Ella, and cut their throats and then cut her own. The tragedy was not discovered until Saturday morning. A physician was immediately summoned and the woman revived for a short time, but finally expired, giving no reason for her terrible act. The children are dead.

**EVILS DOERS PUNISHED.**  
The Wreckers of the Bank of America Sent to the Penitentiary.  
PHILADELPHIA, March 9.—George F. Work and James S. Dungan, the convicted wreckers of the bank of America and the American Life Insurance Co., have been sentenced by Judge Arnold to four and three years respectively in the eastern penitentiary. Louis E. Pfeiffer, the president of the wrecked bank, who pleaded guilty and turned state's evidence, was sentenced to two years in the same institution.

**Sea Post Offices to Be Established.**  
WASHINGTON, March 9.—A new feature of the postal service will go into operation April 1 next, when sea post offices will be established on the German steamers plying between New York and Hamburg and Bremen. Each ship will carry one American and one German clerk, who will distribute as closely as possible all letters and postal cards on shipboard. It is expected that a great saving in time will be made in the delivery of mail matter, not only at the American and German ports but inland as well.

**Memorial Services for Beecher.**  
BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 9.—A special memorial service was held by the Sunday school of Plymouth church Sunday in commemoration of Henry Ward Beecher. After an elaborate musical programme and a prayer by Rev. Lyman Abbott, Superintendent Shearman made an address, relating incidents in the life of the great preacher.

**Little Sunshine in London.**  
LONDON, March 10.—During the month of December last the sun did not shine here one day. During the entire year of 1890, out of a possible 4,450 hours when the sun should or might have been visible, it was visible only 1,092 hours, and these were mainly in the afternoons.

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**Report of the Condition of the Ann Arbor Savings Bank**  
At Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the close of business, July 18, 1890.  
RESOURCES. LIABILITIES.  
Loans and discounts..... \$ 544,369 24  
Stocks, bonds and mortgages etc..... 252,294 95  
Overdrafts..... 2,461 76  
Due from banks in reserve cities..... 93,791 69  
Due from School District No. 1, A. A..... 3,827 49  
Bills in transit..... 3,383 30  
Furniture and fixtures..... 1,930 85  
Current expenses and taxes paid..... 115 64  
Checks and cash items..... 325 78  
Nickels and pennies..... 91 84  
Gold..... 15,000 00  
Silver..... 1,600 00  
U. S. and National Bank notes..... 14,224 00  
\$ 736,128 54  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss.  
I, CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
(CHAS. E. HISCOCK, Cashier.)  
CORRECT—AIDES: CHRISTIAN MACK, DAVID RINSEY, WM. D. HARRIMAN, LIEUTENANT.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of May 1890.  
HENRY J. MANN, Notary Public

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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For Justice of the Supreme Court, ROBERT M. MONTGOMERY, of Grand Rapids. For Regents of the University, HENRY HOWARD, of Port Huron. HENRY FEES, N. COOK, of Shiawassee County.

WAGES IN AMERICA.

THEY ARE NOT YET AS HIGH AS THEY SHOULD BE.

That They Exceed by Far the Wages in Any Other Country—What Will Make Them Still Higher Here?—More Industries Will Do It.

There is no reason whatever why every man in the United States should be willing to pay such rates of wages and such prices for commodities as shall naturally result from the free and unrestricted competition of all our own people.

When trade between a people is perfectly free, as in this country, there cannot, on the average and in the long run, be higher wages paid to those employed in one industry than to those in another. Whenever any one industry gives indication that the compensation paid to those engaged in it is on the average greater than the compensation paid in other occupations, the industry paying the higher compensation is invaded by men from the occupation paying less, and thus wages constantly tend to an equalization.

Under the Democratic policy, if wages in Europe or our industries stand in danger of destruction. On the other hand, while professing to be the special friend of the workingman, the Democratic party would set on foot a policy which would render impossible any increase in the wages of our own people.

A tariff wall should be erected so high that no possible reduction of wages in Europe would enable the foreign manufacturer to scale it. It should be so high that absolutely nothing but the competition of our own workmen with one another would fix wages in this country.

What is competition enough among 23,000,000 workers. The people in this country are entitled to such wages as result from the unrestricted competition of their own producers.

In the debate on the tariff in both Houses of congress long discussions were devoted to the exact amount of duty which should be levied on imported goods to make up for the difference between wages in this country and wages abroad. In these discussions the Democrats affected to admit that their object was to keep the duty at such a point as would provide for the difference.

But such an admission presupposes that wages in this country are now exactly what they should be. This is denied. The proper rates of wages for American labor should result from the unrestricted competition of our own people, and the American laborer as yet does not get his full share of the products. Wages are not yet what they should be.

The true wages that should obtain in the United States will never be known until, first, all our workmen shall be protected absolutely against the squalid competition of other lands, and second, until they shall receive the equivalent of the value which they severally contribute to the products of their industry.

It is sometimes charged as a reproach against the Protective policy that in more special protected industry wages tend to a minimum. Where this occurs it is an unerring indication of the vicious competition of industries and one of the most distressing consequences of their misadjustment. The remedy indicated is not a reduction of the tariff, but a wider diversification and distribution of industries, so that all persons who want employment may not be compelled to seek it in the same occupation.

It is obvious that if industries be relatively few, with large numbers of men seeking employment, those men must distribute themselves as best they may, and without intelligent adjustment, among the few industries in operation. If a larger number enter into any special pursuit than are needed to meet the demands of production in that pursuit wages will inevitably decline. The function of a Protective tariff, carried to its farthest limit, is to obviate the necessity for this. Its tendency is to encourage the establishment of a variety of industries, and so to increase opportunities for employment, not in one or two but in a great diversity of occupations.

No inference injurious to the tariff can therefore be drawn from the fact that in some occupations wages tend to a minimum. This is rather a sign that the tariff is too low to encourage the establishment of a sufficient variety of industries to absorb all the labor of the community.

But whatever the condition of labor in this country it is infinitely superior to the conditions of labor in the home of free-trade.

Under the blundering and blustering management of the Tory leaders in Canadian politics Canada is fast reopening for annexation and will drop into Uncle Sam's outstretched apron in due time without any shaking.—Chicago Tribune.

A New Venture.

The following extract from the U. of M. Daily of last Friday will be of interest to our readers. The REGISTER Publishing Company is starting out in a way that insures success. For its efforts to build up a publishing business in this city, an enterprise that has long been neglected here, it deserves, and no doubt will receive, the hearty support of our citizens:

No provision has ever been made in the University of Michigan, as in several leading Universities in this country, for a department of publication. In times past several enterprising publishers of Ann Arbor, recognizing the need of such a department, have made unsuccessful attempts to establish a publishing house which would be in Ann Arbor what the Clarendon Press is to Oxford or the Riverside Press to Harvard. The attempts have in each case failed for want of proper support from the professors of the University, who were, from time to time, having books published. Within the past year, however, a similar enterprise has been started here which gives indication of success. This time it is the REGISTER Publishing Company which has undertaken the project. The press will be known as "The Inland Press," a happy and suggestive name.

Although the enterprise was only started this year, it has already published several works and has in press others. Thus far the following books have been issued: "Outlines of a Critical Theory of Ethics," by John Dewey. "The Principles of Style: Topics and References, with a Prefatory Essay," by F. N. Scott. "Aesthetics: Its Problems and Literature," by F. N. Scott. "Paragraph-Writing: With Appendices on Newspaper 'Style' and Proof-Reading," by F. N. Scott. "One Hundred Suggestions to Shorthand Students," by S. A. Moran. There are in press two mathematical works, which will be published in a few months. They are, "The Mathematics (Theories of Planetary Motions," by Dr. Dziobek, of Germany. This edition is a translation by M. W. Harrington. The other work is a translation of Dr. Netto's, "The Theory of Substitutions and its Applications to Algebra," by F. N. Cole. In addition there are in preparation "A General Chemistry," by Paul C. Freer; "Fundamental Principles of Musical Science," by A. A. Stanley; a "System of Harmony," and "Book of Music," by the same author; the "Planisphere," by M. W. Harrington; "Logarithmic Tables," by W. J. Hussey, and "Practical Astronomy," by W. W. Campbell. The books thus far published reflect credit upon the new enterprise.

A Unique but Reasonable Suggestion.

EDITOR REGISTER: A good deal has been said recently, in our city, about saloons, and about a first-class hotel. The argument has been against the former and for the latter, but no one has seemed to think that the question of either is in any way related to the other. While visiting a town of about 2,500 inhabitants recently, the writer was surprised to see, among other evidences of thrift, including waterworks, electric lights, paved main street, and magnificent school buildings, three handsome brick, well-appointed hotels, the poorest equalling, if not excelling, the best in our city. Accommodations to travelers were of the most generous character, while rates were only \$1.50 to \$2.00 per day. How such elegant places, with all modern conveniences, could be maintained at all in a town of that size, was a puzzle, but the riddle was solved when it was learned that there was not a saloon in the place. All the liquors drunk—certainly much less proportionately than in our city—were sold in the four hotels (the fourth only slightly inferior to the others), and the drug stores. Your recent suggestion to tax the saloons \$1,000 for license may lessen their number, but may not help the hotel project. The plan in the little city mentioned above would accomplish both objects—do away with saloons and give us first-class hotels. No fair-minded person will deny that both objects are desirable and devoutly to be wished for in such a city as Ann Arbor. Here, then, is the solution: license only hotels to sell liquors, make the poorest hotel pay the heaviest license tax, and compel each to observe the laws regulating them. There will then be no call to invest large capital in a new building which could never pay under existing circumstances, or, if it did, to render worthless the money already invested in the present hotel buildings, which, by the way, are good enough if properly equipped and managed. CITIZEN.

Choral Union Concert.

The concert on Friday evening promises to be an event of extreme musical importance. The principal work to be given upon that occasion is the extremely difficult and dramatic cantata by Josef Rheinberger, entitled Christophoros. This work is illustrative of the legend of St. Christopher, and by virtue of the dramatic element pervading the story, is replete with all of the stronger elements of the modern romantic school of composition. The introductory overture is a noteworthy piece of sympathetic writing, and it is to be hoped that all will be in the hall in time to enjoy this number. The Choral Union has become a chorus of such importance that its first appearance this season will be a revelation to those who are unaware of the development of this organization. To seat the chorus and orchestra the extension stage has to be enlarged, and University Hall will present a wonderful sight on Friday evening. Part II of the program contains four numbers happily contrasted. The Choral Union will be assisted by competent soloists and an orchestra of thirty musicians, headed by Mr. Wilhelm Yunck.

W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

(EDITED BY MRS. ALLIE LANE DICK, A. M.)

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held on Thursday afternoon, February 26. Our numbers are increasing rapidly, which has a tendency to awaken new life and energy in our society. We had on Thursday, February 26, a most enthusiastic meeting. Mrs. Stannard, our district superintendent, and Mrs. Warner, one of the leading members of the Ypsilanti W. C. T. U., were with us and entered into the discussions of the afternoon. Mrs. Stannard expressed herself as greatly pleased with our rapidly increasing numbers and general prosperity.

A. J. Gordon, of Boston, in his Bible readings at Mr. Moody's Bible Institute in Chicago, recently said, "If we cannot put away an evil it is even then our duty to testify against it. Not success, but fidelity, is commended. Christ will not say, 'Well done, good and successful servant,' but 'Well done, good and faithful servant.' The great need of the age is men and women who will be uncompromising in their testimony for truth and against error."

Mrs. Bloomfield Moore, of California, has sent \$1,000 to Mrs. Lucinda H. Stone, of Kalamazoo, Mich., to assist in establishing in Michigan University the professorship for women.—Union Signal.

Josiah W. Leeds says: "The cure of the existing wrongs in our relation toward the red men rests not now in the transfer of responsibility from one department to another, but in giving an extra good look at the Golden Rule, and in taking heed to the pertinent maxim of Penn. 'It were miserable indeed for us to fall under the just censure of the poor Indian conscience, while we make profession of things so far transcending it as there not in the above food for reflection for all of us who make profession of great and good things, when we remember the liquor traffic, the labor problem, and other blights upon our fair land!'"

WOMAN'S CHARITABLE UNION.

Annual Meeting, Election of Officers, Report of Secretary, Treasurer's Report, and Miscellaneous Matters. The annual meeting of the Woman's Charitable Union was held at Harris hall on Thursday, March 5, and the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Mrs. C. A. Jaycox; vice-president, Mrs. Phoebe Steele; secretary, Mrs. W. J. Booth; treasurer, Mrs. Philip Bach; executive board—Mrs. J. M. Wheeler, Mrs. M. E. Gilbert, Mrs. B. D. Mrs. Jerome Knowlton, Mrs. Dr. Prescott, Mrs. J. T. Sunderland.

The secretary in her report says of the union: "During the past year our ward committees, who personally visit and aid the destitute, made and received 321 visits, gave assistance to families 123 times, distributed second hand clothing valued at \$177.40, and new clothing to the amount of \$44.00. There have been much sickness and a number of deaths among the beneficiaries of our society, and calls for aid have been frequent. Suitable food for the sick, bedding and clothing for the destitute and dying, have been furnished to the unfortunate and sorrowful ones where charity was most needed. The donations of money and provisions for Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners were very liberal and more than fifty homes were made glad on those annual holidays. The sewing school, under Miss Brown's careful supervision, is the kind of charity that does much good, assisting the children to help themselves, and we trust this branch of charitable work will receive a generous support. We would thank the following persons for gifts of money: Mrs. Royer, Mrs. Beal, Mrs. Angell, Mrs. Prescott, Mrs. Elisha Jones, Mrs. Bach, Mr. J. L. Babcock, J. T. Jacobs & Co., Blitz & Langsdorf; also the Presbyterian and Congregational Sunday Schools, the Union Thanks-giving collection, and St. Andrew's church offering. We thank the following societies for contributing in aid of a free bed at the homeopathic hospital: Golden Rule Lodge, Fraternity Lodge, Washburn Chapter, Ann Arbor Commandery, Knights of Maccabees, Kings Daughters of Presbyterian Sunday School, and Mrs. Prescott. We also extend thanks to the city press, through whose kindness our work has been kept before the public. We would close our report with the request that persons having clothing to spare, would send it to any of the ward committees, or place it in the box under the front stairway of Harris Hall, and in this way aid the good work that needs so much assistance. No money can be more wisely spent than that which is sent to the treasurer of the W. C. U."

The treasurer reported that \$320.96 had been collected during the past year. There is now a balance of \$77.47 in the treasury.

RESULT OF MAYOR'S BALLOT.

Table with 2 columns: Candidate Name and Total Vote. Includes names like E. F. Mills, J. T. Jacob, Reginald Spokes, S. W. Beaker, Wm. Biggs, A. L. Noble, N. W. Cheever, L. J. Liesemer, G. F. Allmendinger, F. A. Howlett, Col. H. S. Dean, J. F. Lawrence, David Rinsey, C. H. Manly, W. E. Hancock, John Moore, Patrick Ryan, A. W. Hamilton, S. A. Moran, Wm. C. Thompson, John J. Robinson, Thomas J. Keech, F. Schmidt, Major Wm. C. Stevens, Prof. H. M. Thompson, Edward Treadwell, Prof. H. S. Chute, Prof. Perry, Philip Bach, Wm. C. Cook, M. E. Cooley, L. Gruner, J. J. Bell, R. E. Miller, W. J. Miller, John O'Mara, L. H. Williams, G. Blum, F. O'Hearn, W. W. Watts.

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WEATHER REPORT.

The following is a record of the meteorological changes during week up to and including Saturday, February 28:

Table with columns: Thermometer-Degrees Fahr., Wind, Clouds, Registering Thermometer (Max. Min.), and Precipitation. Includes data for March 1-7.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Table with columns: Name, Description of Property, and Amount. Includes entries for J. R. Lowrey, Conrad Beutler, Mary Ann Clark, Nelson Garlingho, J. S. VanDyne, L. C. Burbanck, E. B. Morehouse, E. M. LeBaron, J. J. Robison, W. H. Parker, E. B. Ford, Geo. J. Zahn, J. G. Reischler, Wash. Beaman, C. Mack, J. Roath, Reuben Kempf, W. E. Hancock, W. J. Miller, John O'Mara, L. H. Williams, G. Blum, F. O'Hearn, W. W. Watts.

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Have you been in the habit of purchasing

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- 50 pieces Light Prints, best quality, now..... 4½ "
- 50 " best Indigo Prints, worth 7c, now..... 5 "
- 20 " extra wide Indigo Prints, worth 12½c, now..... 9½ "
- 10 " White Check Apron Goods, worth 8c, now..... 5 "
- 1 case Men's Socks, worth 10c per pair, now 4 pair for.... 25 "
- 1 case Just Right Unbleached Cotton, worth 6c, now..... 4½ "
- 10 dozen Boys' Tennis Shirts, worth 50c, now..... 25 "
- 10 dozen Men's Tennis Shirts, worth 50c, now..... 25 "

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A line of UNDERWEAR at Half-Price.

Also, a Great Cut on other goods, too numerous to mention.

Any one in want of Clothing, etc., will do well to purchase now, as this sale will positively close on March 14, 1891.

Do not forget the place.

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A lot of Chamber Suits, Tables, Chairs, etc., that should have been here three weeks ago are rolling in in immense quantities, the choicest patterns on which Grand Rapids manufacturers were over-sold. I cannot carry them through the Summer, and they must be moved now.

## CASH

Will catch a Bargain. I confess I want your money, but I will make it pay you to have it with me.

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N. B.—Just in, a lot of nice Coverings, and I am prepared to do your Upholstering thoroughly and in first-class style.

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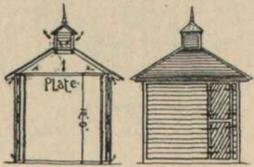
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## FARM AND GARDEN.

INFORMATION OF PRACTICAL IMPORTANCE TO RURAL READERS.

The Ground Plan, Elevation and Side View of an Ice House of Sufficient Capacity for a Large Farm Dairy and Household and Farm Use.

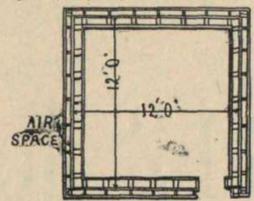
The capacity of the house is 12 by 12 by 12 feet. This will hold over 100 tons of ice, or over half a ton per day for six months in the year. The soil upon which the house stands, if not porous should be well drained by means of a foot of gravel, rock or other suitable material.



A DAIRY ICE HOUSE.

with a drain leading away from it. The specifications are as follows: Sills are to be 2 by 12, bedded level on the ground; the inner studs, 2 by 6, sheathed on both sides with common boards, the outside to be covered with felt paper, the space formed by sheathing to be filled with tan bark or sawdust. The outer standing to be 2 by 4, spiked to outside sheathing and covered with common siding, leaving a space under frieze and above base of three inches. The floor to be constructed by spreading from four to six inches of tan bark or sawdust; level the same and cover with common boards, leaving a three-quarter inch space between each. The plates to be the same as studs, 2 by 12; rafters, 2 by 4; roof shingled. Ventilators in top should be 2 feet 6 inches square. Doors doubled and filled with sawdust.

The bill for lumber is as follows: Eight pieces, 2 by 12 by 14, for sills and plates; 30 pieces, 2 by 6 by 12, for inner studs;



THE GROUND PLAN.

5 pieces, 2 by 6 by 12, for hip rafters and collar beams; 38 pieces, 2 by 4 by 12, for outer studs; 20 pieces, 2 by 4 by 12, for rafters and ventilator; 750 feet siding, 14 feet long.

Two thousand feet common boards, for sheathing, floor, roof, etc.; 24 pieces fencing, surfaced, 12 feet long, for corner boards, etc.; 80 yards building paper; 3,000 common shingles.

### Our Agricultural Exports.

According to a report of the statistician of the department of agriculture, about one-tenth of our agricultural products is exported. The sum is, however, made up from a very few articles. These are cotton, tobacco, meats, breadstuffs and cheese. Seven-tenths of the cotton product goes to foreign markets. All other articles, except those above stated, when put together are but 3 per cent. of the exports. The exportation of tobacco is not increasing materially or so rapidly as home consumption. More cheese could be sold if its reputation for quality should be kept up and there were more disposition to cater to fastidious or peculiar foreign tastes. Butter exports could be made larger if they were of better quality. Our great American crop—corn—is chiefly consumed on the spot, not more than one-sixth, it is said, going beyond the boundary of the country in which it is grown, and only 2 to 3 per cent. being now exported. Nearly two-thirds of this crop is produced in seven states—Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, few others producing more than is required at home, and the larger portion having a deficiency to be supplied by those seven states.

There are strings to everything in these times; even the harp that we are going to have in heaven will have strings to it.

### The Worst Cough Can Be Cured in Two Weeks.

Get two bottles of Pe-ru-na; then get four ounces of rock candy, and put half of it in each bottle of Pe-ru-na. Take in tablespoonful doses every three hours. This does not relieve—it cures. For the first three or four days there is no great improvement in the cough, but from then there is a gradual improvement until, at the end of two weeks, it is completely cured. It never fails. Whether the cough is due to incipient consumption or chronic bronchitis, or whether it is caused from a heavy cold, Pe-ru-na is a specific. Mrs. Mary Fritz, Box 125 Pearse City, Mo., writes: "I had consumption. I was confined to the bed, and the doctor said he could do nothing for me. I was entirely cured by seven bottles of Pe-ru-na." A pamphlet on catarrhal diseases sent free by The Peruna Medicine Company of Columbus, O. 846

### ANN ARBOR MARKET REPORT.

Prices Paid by our Merchants.

ANN ARBOR, March 12, 1891.	
Apples, per bu.	75 @ 1.00
Beef dressed, per cwt.	4 00 @ 7 00
Butter, per lb.	16 @ 4 00
Beef on foot, per cwt.	2 30 @ 4 00
Beans, per bu.	1 40 @ 1 75
Chickens, per Doz.	9 @ 7
Calf Skins,	9 @ 7
Eggs per doz.	25 @ 28
Corn in cob, per bu.	50 @ 6 25
Flour, per bbl.	5 50 @ 6 25
Honey per lb.	3 00 @ 3 75
Hops on foot, per cwt.	3 00 @ 7
Hides, green,	9 @ 7
Hides, cured,	8 00 @ 7 50
Hay, Timothy No. 1, per ton	7 @ 9 00
Lard, per lb.	7 @ 8
Lamb,	7 @ 8
Mutton, per lb., dressed	42 @ 45
Oats,	42 @ 45
Pork, dressed, per cwt.	4 40 @ 4 75
Potatoes, per bu.	40 @ 80
Sheep pelts,	40 @ 80
Straw, per ton	6 @ 4 00
Wheat,	8 @ 7
Wheat,	90 @ 97

## OUR YPSILANTI RAMBLER

Tells What He Has Seen and Heard in that Burg During the Past Seven Days and Nights.

If you care to enjoy something "divinely hevingly" you must get an invitation to one of the cooking club spreads. There was one at Miss Mamie Wallace's last Saturday, and there were the delectablest new-fangled salads and breads and cakes and things, and the girls were so sparkling and bright that some of the city bachelors are thinking seriously of stepping in and thinning out the ranks of that charmed circle of fair cooks. Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Rickey gave a pedro party at the Hawkins house. Several Ann Arbor gentlemen were among the players. Do you remember my telling you awhile ago that we were on the verge of a boomlet? You thought I was "gassing" about it—but I wasn't—for folks do say, what ought to know all about it, that the Follett House is to be turned into a boot and shoe factory, another block into an edged tool concern, and another into a gum mill. The man that locates the last named enterprise here knows the signs of the times better than you think. He reasons that there are many studios students here, to whom gum chewing is recommended as a brain stimulant. Then the factory girls are incessant chews. Besides, there's a score or two of invalids who chew up a box a week to keep digestion a-going; and then the school girls—but we will wait until the gum man begins operations before giving the thing away entirely. There was a first-class, way-up, A No. 1 recital at the conservatory of music Monday night. We take no back seats on recitals in Ypsilanti. The Ypsilanti dress stay factory received a shock Monday morning but recovered itself before its agitation was noticeable to the cold, unfeeling world. The shock was occasioned by the sudden uprising of twenty-two young ladies in the pinking department and demanding an increase of twenty-five per cent to their wages. They claimed that after paying for the "wastes" each week they hadn't enough left to pay board, etc.; or, in other words, they were just "earning their salt," with nothing thrown in. Of course their demand was denied them, whereupon they rolled up their aprons, shook the dress stay dust from their apparel and left, leaving the pinking room with two lonely girls who were too busy, or weary, or contented, to strike with the rest. The vacancies will be filled within a day or two, no doubt—but this is probably just the beginning of a new set of experiences in our factories. We noticed Joseph Soper getting ready to start for California this week.

### Another Pioneer Gone.

Another pioneer of Washtenaw county has passed away, in the person of Sherman Hinckley, of Pittsfield. His death occurred on Monday evening. He was born Nov. 23, 1803, in Toland county, Connecticut. Until he came to this county he followed the shoemakers' trade. Of farming he has made a great success, his estate being estimated at \$75,000. He was married in 1831 to Orpha Gates. Four children are still living: Mrs. Peter Cook, of York; Mrs. Fred Johnson, of Pittsfield; Mrs. J. F. Sanders, of Ypsilanti, and Frank Hinckley, also of Ypsilanti. Mr. Hinckley had been justice of the peace for about fifteen years, and has always held a prominent place among the farmers of this county.

### A Great Attraction.

The attraction at the Opera House next Friday night is a lecture with stereoscopic effects by J. Nelson Lewis, assisted by the famous Ladies' Schubert Quartette of Boston. Of the entertainment the Boston Herald says: "Few lecturers have the power to draw from their homes on so stormy an evening as last Saturday, so large and select an audience as filled Opera Hall, Malden, when Rev. J. Nelson Lewis told in his own graphic manner of Bro. Jonathan and his exhaustless resources. The whole lecture was a grand object lesson of patriotism and the almost infinity of resource of our country; and the lesson was made the more impressive by Mr. Lewis's earnest, vigorous, clear cut and intelligent words, abounding in thoughtful suggestions, and by the beautiful music of the Quartette in its almost matchless rendering of the old home and army songs." The entertainment is interspersed throughout with beautiful transformation scenes. During one of these the Quartette sing "Nightingale" as the evening shadows deepen over the fall of a beautiful New England scene. The view of Washington in his tent at Valley Forge, and the "Fall of Fort Sumpter" and others are soul-inspiring and should be seen by every patriot and especially by G. A. R. men who will be able to appreciate them first.

### Educational History.

The Inland Press has just finished for Prof. B. A. Hinsdale a work, in pamphlet form, entitled, "Topics in the Educational History of the United States." It is divided into four parts: 1. Views of the Presidents in Relation to a National University. 2. National Legislation in Relation to Education. 3. Massachusetts Documents. 4. Michigan Documents. This extremely instructive work can be bought for twenty-five cents.

### The First in Ann Arbor.

At the Allmendinger music store may be seen a Mehlin parlor grand piano, the first to be placed on sale in this city. It will be used at the Choral union concert to-morrow night. It is a style which will doubtless become popular.

## LA TEST COUNTY NEWS.

### MIAMI.

G. R. Williams has just received pay for his nation's which his Uncle Samuel failed to furnish him when held as prisoner of war in 1862. He smiles when he says he don't propose to use that money for "hard tack."

### WEBSTER.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kenny have a little daughter.

The Congregational Sunday school will hold an Easter concert. The services are to be held in the morning.

Mrs. Averill Burnette and family leave next Saturday for Swellia. The auction held last Saturday was attended by about two hundred people.

### SALINE.

A. Miller & Son have purchased the livery of J. A. Alber.

Mrs. G. B. Mason started for Detroit Monday night for a short visit.

At the corporation election last Monday only one ticket was in the field.

John Smith, a shoemaker, was found just alive, Wednesday night, having been without food and fire for five days. He died on Friday morning. He was buried in Oakwood cemetery.

### LIMA.

Willie Wedemeyer, of the University, spent Sunday with his mother.

The Patrons will give a match social at O. C. Burkhardt's on Wednesday evening, March 18. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

There were only eighteen present at the grange last Friday at E. Keyes', on account of the snow. The next grange will be held at E. A. Nordman's on Friday, March 20.

The remains of Walter Besley were interred in the Clements cemetery last Friday. Mr. Besley was formerly a resident of Lima. He was an uncle of W. H. Dancer. His death occurred at St. Louis, Mo.

### DISBORO.

Thomas Fennell is ill.

C. L. Downer is expected homeshortly.

Miss Matie Galpin was quite sick during the past week, in Ann Arbor.

Our well-known thrasher, John Campbell, has purchased a new machine.

Mrs. Geo. Fisher and daughter, of Ann Arbor, are the guests of Thomas Fennell.

After four months of very successful teaching P. S. Townsend on Friday last closed school.

A tobacco agent passed through here leaving a sample on every gate-post. Soon after he left two of our villagers turned out and "gathered up the shell."

### STONY CREEK.

Henry Finch is quite sick.

Barney Davis is very low with pneumonia.

Mrs. MaGraw has gone to Chicago on a visit.

The Patrons held an open meeting on the 4th.

Wm. Crane has moved onto the Peter Rogers farm.

E. C. Crane attended a Masonic meeting at Detroit yesterday.

Fred Douglas has gone to Saline, to work for H. Wheeler during the coming season.

Richard Hopson has gone to Detroit to fill a position in the Michigan Central yards as check agent.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of York will hold a social and literary entertainment at the church, tomorrow evening.

School in the Tamarack district has closed, Mr. Whiddon being called home to Vassar on account of the death of his father.

### CHELSEA.

Chas. Depew has bought Mrs. Newton's property.

Mr. Kalmbach has purchased the Young farm of 120 acres.

Geo. Webster, tailor, with W. P. Schenk, has gone to Detroit.

Hummel & Whittaker will soon open a hardware store in the Klein building.

D. Dancan and wife, of Duluth, Minn., spent a few days last week with J. McLaren.

J. Hummel has sold his interest in the farm of Hummel & Fenn to Dr. R. S. Armstrong.

A. T. Clark, of Detroit, tenor of the Mozart Quartette, accompanied by Mr. Rouse, a fine baritone singer, gave a recital in the Congregational church on Monday evening.

The Woman's Relief Corps gave an oyster lunch and social last Saturday afternoon and evening at the Post room. The time passed pleasantly, with refreshments and music. The sum of \$15 was cleared.

The election on Monday resulted as follows: President, Wm. Bacon; clerk, Albert Winslow; trustees, Frank Staffan, Alonzo Conkright and Chas. Whittaker; treasurer, Fred Roedel; assessor, James Wood; constable, Ed. Moore.

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stand. I looked like a person in consumption. Hood's Sarsaparilla did me so much good that I wonder at myself sometimes, and my friends frequently speak of it." Mrs. ELLA A. GORF, 61 Terrace Street, Boston.

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LITERARY NOTES.

Colonel John P. Irish and M. M. Estee are to discuss the McKinley bill and its bearings on California history, in the Overland Monthly for March.

The March number of the North American Review contains a long article by the Irish historian, Lecky, showing "Why Home Rule is Undesirable"; and also articles on "Self Control in the Cure of Insanity," by Dr. Wm. A. Hammond; on "The Scandal of the Rear Guard," by Lieut. Rose Troup, who sharply criticises his former commander; on the possibility of commercial union with Canada, by Erastus Winan; on "American National Literature," by Walt Whitman, and on the "Discouragement of Matrimony," by Mrs. M. E. W. Sherwood.

The Magazine of Art for March has for its frontispiece an etching after Ludwig Knauts, called "Hunger Hath No Ears," which represents an apprentice boy eating an apple and holding a squalling baby in his arms at the same time. The opening article of the number is on "Current Art," by that distinguished critic, Frederick Wedmore. Mr. Holman Hunt contributes a carefully prepared and admirably written article addressed to students on "The Proper Mode and Study of Drawing." Cassell Publishing Company, 35 cents a number, \$3.50 a year, in advance.

The March Eclectic offers an attractive volume of contents. The article on Finland, signed by E. B. Lavin, is an interesting study of a little known people. Sir Morell Mackenzie contributes a conservative but appreciative estimate of Koch's cure. Count Tolstoi talks about "The Ethics of Wine-Drinking and Tobacco-Smoking" with great pungency and earnestness, if not with convincing logic. An object lesson is given in H. H. Champion's account of the "Crushing Defeat of Trade Unionism in Australia." There are numerous other lighter articles, sketches, essays, poems, and a powerful short story, published by E. R. Pelton, 25 Bond Street, New York. Terms, \$5 per year.

Paragraph-Writing is the subject of a neat little book of 107 pages in pamphlet form and manilla covers, by Assistant Prof. F. N. Scott and Instructor J. V. Denney, both of the department of English and Rhetoric in the University. The book should be in the hands of all teachers of rhetoric in high schools and colleges. It deals with the paragraph as an "essay in miniature" and makes paragraph building the approach to rhetorical structure in general. Abundant material is furnished for profitable exercise, together with rules and explanations. The second part, a discussion of the theory of the paragraph, is intended for the use of teachers and advanced students. In the appendices are to be found various rules of punctuation and capitalization, in accordance with the usage of a number of daily newspapers; also a short explanation of the method of correcting proof sheets. The whole is eminently practical and useful, supplying as it does the missing link between the standard rhetorics on the one hand and the so-called "newspaper style" and the observed practice of modern authors on the other. It promotes a discussion of principles as well without giving rules too dogmatically. Price, fifty cents. The Register Pub. Co. The Inland Press, Ann Arbor, Mich.

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Just Like Byron. "You snored terribly in church last Sunday. You set everybody talking." "Yes, I remembered Byron." "I don't understand." "I woke and found myself famous."

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Protection's Results Speak for it. Bradstreet's remarks upon the large number of new woolen mills which are being built in the Western States, and mentions nine enterprises of this kind recently announced in seven different States. The spread of these industries will carry with it the diffusion of sound ideas on the tariff.—Boston Journal.

A Chance To Make Money. I feel it my duty to inform others of my success plating spoons, castors, jewelry, etc. The first week I cleared \$27.50, and in three weeks \$30. By addressing the Lake Electric Co., Englewood, Ill. you can get circulars. Six months ago I was poor, I now have a nice home and bank account—all the product of \$3 invested in a plater. A READER.

Intemperate men should learn a lesson from the Christmas stocking that gets full but once a year.

Every man should arrange for a little idle time after he passes forty or fifty. He will need time in which to take care of his teeth and silver.

To overcome the marks of age, all who have gray beards should use Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers, the best and cleanest dye made for coloring brown or black.

When you are sick and send for a doctor to tell what is the matter with you, he gets you to tell him what is the matter with you.

"Heaven's last gift—my ever new delight" is not my brown-stone house, nor my carriage and pair, nor my fine new yacht, nor my prettiest girl, nor my hopes of a seat in congress, nor these, but my wonderful cure for pain, Salvation Oil.

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His "Last Days" Aren't Here Yet. The Democratic organs are piping "the last day of Tom Reed." The aforesaid Thomas will be on the floor of the next House of Representatives to make the lives of the majority miserable unless they live up to the law and the rules of the House.—Albany Express.

Life is too Short. and time and money too precious, to be frittered away in the trial of uncertain means of cure, when one is afflicted with any lingering or chronic ailment of the liver, lungs or blood. Now, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is such a positive remedy for all such ills, as to warrant its manufacturers in selling it as they are doing, through druggists, on condition that if it don't do all that it is recommended to, the money paid for it will be promptly refunded. There are a great many blood-purifiers advertised, but only the "Golden Medical Discovery" of Dr. Pierce could sustain itself and be sold under such trying conditions. To sell any ordinary medicine under such a guarantee would bankrupt its proprietors, but with the "Golden Medical Discovery" all that is asked for it is a fair trial, and if it don't do all that it is advertised to, the manufacturers will cheerfully and promptly refund all money paid for it. By this singularly peculiar method of business, alike liberal to the purchasers and exacting to the manufacturers, the invalid can be sure of getting the value of his money, which is not true of any other medicine. All diseases arising from a torpid liver, or from impure or poisoned blood, are conquered by the "Golden Medical Discovery." Especially has it manifested its marvelous potency in curing Salt-rheum, Tetter, Eczema, Psoriasis, Impetigo, Erysipelas, and all skin and scalp diseases, no matter of how longstanding. Scrofulous affections, such as swellings, as Fevers, sores, White Swellings, Hip-joint diseases and kindred ailments yield to its positive, purifying, strengthening and healing properties. Lung Scrofula (commonly known as Consumption of the Lungs) also yields to it, if it be taken in time and given a fair trial. Contains no alcohol to inebriate, no syrup or sugar to ferment and impair digestion; as wonderful in its curative results as it is peculiar in composition. Don't accept any substitute, said to be "just as good," that the dealer may make a larger profit on.

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LEGALS.

Probate Notice. STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss. COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw, holden at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, the 18th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one. Present, J. Willard Babbitt, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of William H. Dell, deceased. Joseph A. Dell, 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 17th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be and is appointed the day for said Executor to 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 bearing 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. [A true copy] Wm. G. DOTY, Probate Register. 46

Mortgage For closure. DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE in the payment of a certain mortgage, made and executed by CHARLES M. DRAKER, of Mooreville, of Washtenaw County and State of Michigan, to Hanson Sessions, of the City of Ann Arbor, County and State aforesaid; said mortgage bears date July 10, 1889, in Liber number 54, on page 656 of mortgages of Washtenaw County, State of Michigan, and there is claimed to be due the sum of Two thousand and Fifty-two Dollars, principal and interest; also twenty dollars attorney's fee, as provided in said mortgage; and also other legal costs and expenses in enforcing the said mortgage, taxes and insurance included; therefore Notice is hereby given that we will, on the 17th day of March, 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, in the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan, at the Probate Office, in the County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, sell at public vendue, for the satisfaction of said mortgage, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as will satisfy said mortgage. Premises described as follows: Being in the village of Mooreville, Washtenaw County, State of Michigan, lots numbered four (4), and five (5) and six (6), in block number two (2), north of range number one (1) west, excepting that portion of lot number four (4) heretofore deeded by two conveyances by Henry Maper and wife to James McMillen, and recorded in Liber 48, on page 231 of mortgages of Washtenaw County, State of Michigan, according to the recorded plat of the village of Mooreville. Dated, ANN ARBOR, January 8, 1891. EDWARD TREASHER, J. B. WELLS, Executors of the last will of Hanson Sessions, deceased.

Mortgage Sale. WHEREAS, OWEN R. L. CROGIER and MARIA F. A. CROGIER, his wife, executed a mortgage to HUDSON A. WOOD, which mortgage bears date November 9th, A. D. 1888, and was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, Michigan, on the second day of February, A. D. 1889, in Liber 69 of Mortgages, on page 154; and Whereas, default has been made for more than thirty days in the payment of an installment of interest which became due thereon on the first day of January, A. D. 1891, as well as the succeeding installment of interest, which became due thereon January 1st, A. D. 1891, and by reason thereof and pursuant to the terms of said mortgage, the principal sum unpaid of said mortgage of eighteen hundred dollars, with all the arrearage of interest thereon, at the option of the mortgagee, became due and payable immediately thereafter, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage became operative; and that being the place of sale does hereby declare it to be his option and does hereby elect to have the principal sum of said mortgage, with all interest thereon, become due and payable. And Whereas, there is now claimed to be due and payable, as aforesaid, upon the date of this notice, the sum of two thousand and eleven and 61/100 dollars (\$2,011.61), in addition to all costs of foreclosure, and no suit or proceeding in law or equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof. 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The two hastened to the pier, and were just in time to see Mr. Emerick going aboard the steamer. On their way down they had called for the captain of the vigilantes, and he approached Mr. Emerick, saying quietly in Spanish: "I wish a word with you. This woman states that you know something regarding the disappearance of Mr. Huntly, the Englishman who was staying at the Hotel Victoria."

"Certainly I do," replied Mr. Emerick. "I have just received a letter from him bearing the San Nicholas postmark. He is about to take a trip into the interior and will not be back, probably, for several weeks."

As he uttered these words he drew the letter from his pocket, and offered it for inspection. Several of the bystanders looked at it, but as none of them knew the supposed Mr. Huntly's hand-writing, none could dispute the genuineness of the letter coming from him.

"This clears up all the mystery," said the captain as he walked away. Belle Lorimer, without a vestige of color in her cheek, was left alone beside Mr. Emerick. "I will be revenged for this," she hissed in his ear. Then she followed the captain of the vigilantes along the pier.



CHAPTER XIII.  
 While Mr. Emerick was chafing under the restraint placed upon his movements by the iron walls of an ocean steamer, occurrences in New York were taking unexpected and almost sudden turns.

From the day when Armida saw Eugene Bregy picked up in an unconscious condition after the collision of the grocery wagon and the carriage, her interest in him had been on the increase and, what was more, was undisguised.

After his final recovery she insisted that all the supplies in that line for the house should be purchased from the Harlem grocery. To this of course no one made any demur, nor could they reasonably, so long as Eugene supplied goods of a quality good enough for their use. But after a while Armida's interest had increased to such an extent that she had spoken to Eugene regarding the benefits which might accrue to him in after life if he possessed at least a few accomplishments. So to give the suggestions some practical shape she had suggested giving him lessons in music herself and he had eagerly accepted her offer.

The result was that Eugene's presence at the house near to Gramercy Park became such a frequent occurrence that Mrs. Delaro very naturally remarked it and in a confidential moment referred to the fact when speaking to Mr. Wilcox. The old man's reply was that he did not think there was any impropriety in Eugene coming to take the lessons, inasmuch as he understood he returned the favor by giving Armida an opportunity to prevent her knowledge of French from rusting by means of conversation in that language. At the same time he pointed out, in as careful a manner as his frank, open nature would permit, that it would be advisable not to leave the young couple too much alone. In this opinion Mrs. Delaro readily concurred and she resolved, in view of the fact that so many highly bred young ladies had lately eloped with low-born coachmen and street-car conductors that she would exercise at least a little care in watching over her beautiful daughter's association with this young grocer to whom she had taken such a fancy. Not that she really imagined Armida was in love with him, but inasmuch as his lot in life seemed to be cast in so different a channel to Armida's she thought it well to enforce her motherly prerogative just a little, as a precautionary measure.

It was rather strange (at least so Mr. Wilcox thought) that Armida's regret over the absence of Percy Lovel had not been as marked as that of her mother or as sincere as he knew his own to be. The Englishman had found a warm and lasting place in the old man's heart; his society had been half the pleasure of old Wilcox's later years, and he missed Percy sadly.

It was one night about the time when Percy was being invited to permit one of the card parties at Buenos Ayres to shed his heart's blood, that Mrs. Delaro and Mr. Wilcox were sitting in the library, wondering part of the time and discussing during the remainder in regard to the probability or otherwise of Percy Lovel's mission being one which would terminate profitably—at least so far as the object was concerned—whether it would be only one more to add to the already long list of failures, when they heard notes of music in the parlor and the voices of Armida and Eugene.

"Dear me," said Mr. Wilcox, "but this matter is getting serious. Here's that young grocer again. He was here last night, too; he'll begin to think he owns the place very soon, and all because he happened to be laid up a week or two on account of an accident. It would have been better for all concerned if he had taken the five hundred dollars we offered him; we should then have been rid of him with all obligations canceled."

"Armida tells me he makes very rapid progress in his studies and is really a very remarkable man," responded Mrs. Delaro, without accepting Mr. Wilcox's remarks in their serious sense. Then noticing that her apparently light manner of treating a subject which each had a short time before thought so serious did not seem to please Mr. Wilcox, she remained perfectly silent and continued to read the evening paper, she again spoke: "Mr. Wilcox." The tone in which she addressed her old friend was quite sufficient; had the paper been hot the venerable millionaire could not have dropped it quicker, and in an instant he was all attention. "Do you not think it would be wise to concoct some plan whereby we could, for a time at least, interrupt the studies which are being pursued with such indefatigable zeal in this house?"

"That is something which has occurred to me very many times of late, but I have been waiting for the first suggestion to come from you," was the answer.

"And I am very much puzzled to conceive of a suggestion which is worth offering," answered the widow.

For a few moments they both appeared to be lost in thought, from which quiet state they converged simultaneously. "Sup—" they began together, and both smiled. Mrs. Delaro gave way to Mr. Wilcox, who said: "I will wager a pair of gloves, which is the most serious amount I ever bet in my life, that we are each thinking of the same thing."

"That is probably so," said Mrs. Delaro, "but I will defer to you and permit you to give your suggestion first."

"Well I was about to say, suppose that when Percy comes back we all go to Europe."

"Precisely the current of my thoughts," was Mrs. Delaro's ready response.

"Then Percy can not come back a moment too soon and this Mr. Emerick, whoever he is, can pursue his vocation without interruption. For Armida's future, which is really threefold (and here the old man spoke with great earnestness) 'is far too serious a matter to be trifled with, and must be sacredly guarded.'"

"If Mrs. Delaro had only guessed the true meaning of these words of one of nature's gentlemen, she too would have rejoiced at their import, but she did not, or she would have been more earnest in her manner.

"Let Percy remain where he is for a few weeks longer, then if he does not meet with any success, cable him to return home," said the widow.

"At any rate I must send him a message to-morrow, for I have not had a word from him now for three weeks, and my instructions were that he should send a line or two at least once a week," were Mr. Wilcox's next words.

There was just the slightest look of alarm in Mrs. Delaro's face as she glanced up at Mr. Wilcox and questioningly said: "You do not mean that?"

"Indeed it is true," he replied.

"Then I fear some harm must have happened him," said Mrs. Delaro.

"No, I hardly think that. He may have had occasion to go up into the country hurriedly, and, anticipating that he might have a message of importance to send us, has delayed his communications. In fact, there are a hundred things which are liable to happen on a journey of that kind," were Mr. Wilcox's words as he again took up the paper.

"In the meantime I think it may be as well to caution Armida, mildly, about making too free with Eugene Bregy. And by the way I forgot to tell you" (here Mrs. Delaro indulged in a suppressed ripple of merry laughter) "that your old friend Mr. Blodger who turned up again so unexpectedly a few days since has made it his business to investigate into the antecedents of this bumptious young grocer, as he terms him, but he does not appear to have anything to report at present beyond the fact that Mrs. Bregy is a very estimable woman and knows good soap from bad."

"When Blodger dies," said Mr. Wilcox, "I think some one will have to invent an imperishable soap monument to place over his grave, for I never knew a



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man so devoted to it. He must have made a great study of the article, but having made a fortune in its manufacture I think he should limit his present acquaintance with it to that required for personal toilet purpose."

After this Mrs. Delaro resumed her fancy work, which she continued until she leaned back in her chair and listened to her daughter's voice in the room across the hall until she almost fell asleep under its sweet influence. As for Mr. Wilcox, he read his paper until he too succumbed to the benign influence of the sweet strains of vocal music. Armida all this time had been alternately conversing with and teaching Eugene in blissful ignorance that she

was the cause of so much concern to her mother and self-appointed guardian. It had never once occurred to her innocent mind that her intercourse with the bright young Frenchman possessed even the slightest element of danger to herself or any one else concerned. Yet her pleasure in his society was of a most genuine nature.

To-night there had not been much study, for Armida was in a very good mood, and she entertained Eugene in the same manner as if he were a high-bred lover who had never known what it was to wear an apron or roll a barrel of sugar. The young grocer was in an ecstasy of delight and almost revelled in the mild enjoyment of the hour. Armida's influence had awakened bright aspirations in his heart; new feelings had found birth in that susceptible organ and he lived but to leave the store each evening and bask in the bright sunshine of his idol's presence. He did not love Armida—he worshipped her with the same adulation which a slave might render a princess. They were familiar to a degree with each other, and yet were very far apart. Nevertheless they neither of them ever recognized the dangerous character of the ground on which they stood. An interested observer would soon have prophesied that something must soon happen which would expose to their view the dangerous shoals upon which they were fast drifting. And so it was. This very night Armida was to change the whole current of Eugene's thoughts, and she did it in a song—one (as she admitted to Eugene) that she had written herself and had asked an old German professor to set the music for her.

Had she merely sung it and never drawn his attention to it in so marked a manner he might have listened to the sweet tones without ever noticing the words, but as he sat and listened to her and noticed the quiet earnestness with which she wrought out the full meaning of each line, his heart beat rapidly and loud. The words were simple but they were set to most effective music, both words and music being interpreted to their fullest extent by Armida's expressive singing:

When my ship comes in—when my ship comes in—  
 Shall I hear sweet strains of music thro' the busy city's din,  
 Heralding my hero lover, whom I've pictured in my dreams,  
 Till I see him so fair and handsome, a reality now seems?

When my ship comes in—will he stoop on bended knee  
 And tell of weary days and hours in which he longed for me?  
 And as he slowly rises to fill my heart with the trifled with, and must be sacredly guarded."

When my ship comes in—I care not if it be  
 The finest of craft that ever sailed upon the sea,  
 If it brings my intrepid hero, though no wealth of gold has he;  
 I will welcome him so gladly, and my true heart he may win,  
 Forever and forever—when my ship comes in.

She sang the song right through and as the last vibrating sounds of the accompaniment died away she turned around on her stool as though to mark the effect on her listener. There he sat entranced and spoke not a word.

"Have you nothing to say about my song, Mr. Bregy?" she asked.

"It is very beautiful," was all he said.

"Now, do not suppose that I am fishing for compliments, for nothing was farther from my thoughts. But I do like people to say something, even if it is disagreeable, when I sing a song, and especially one of my own composing," she said in a half-joking manner. But the young man before her was in no joking mood. "Could it be," he thought, in a moment of almost ecstasy, "that she meant those words for me?" And as he pondered he said to himself: "Some day I will ask her."

Just at this moment Mr. Wilcox looked over to Mrs. Delaro and said: "Is that Harlem gentleman going to stay here all night?"

"They certainly must be too busily engaged to notice the time," was the reply, "but I will remind Armida, by walking into the parlor, that I am preparing to retire," and with these words she rose to put her words into effect.

When Mrs. Delaro, walked into the parlor she spoke very kindly to Eugene and no one could have told that she cherished any feelings of suspicion towards him. They conversed together for some moments, during which Mrs. Delaro made kindly inquiries regarding Mrs. Bregy. This seemed to remind Eugene of a duty he had to perform and he commenced it by asking Mrs. Delaro if she could give him Mr. Blodger's address, as he and his mother wished to see him on some business matters. As they had never seen Mr. Blodger except at their store they had never known his address. Mrs. Delaro told Eugene where he could find Mr. Blodger most of the time, and Eugene in confidence said that Mr. Blodger had offered to rent him a larger and more convenient store a little farther down-town, and it was on that account he wished to see him.

As Eugene finally rose to go Mr. Wilcox observed that he would probably willingly carry a message to Mr. Blodger from Eugene as he saw that gentleman down town nearly every morning. But Eugene was not disposed to intrust Mr. Wilcox with his business, as he said: "Oh, it does not matter," and then bid them all good night.

Before retiring Armida and her mother sat for a long time talking in the freight. "Why, mamma, how serious you are becoming," said Armida.

"This is a serious matter," said her mother. "You know not what hopes and aspirations you may have already engendered in that young man's heart,

nor into what foolish delusions you may lead him."

"I had never thought of it in that light, mamma, dear," was the reply.

"But it demands your thought, my child."

"And must I tell him not to come again?"

"Well, no, not quite that, but do not invite him to come again," said the sweet-tempered widow, as she kissed the one treasure of her widowhood.

CHAPTER XIV.  
 "Good afternoon, Mrs. Bregy," said Mr. Blodger, as he entered the store on the following afternoon. He had come up to Harlem to inspect some buildings which he was having erected, and thought he would call on his prospective tenant on the way home. "How are you, and how is the grocery business?"

"Well, my health is good, and business is as good as usual," was the ready response.

"And where is your son to-day?"

"He has just gone to put the horse in the stable and will be back in a few moments."

Upon hearing this reply Mr. Blodger seated himself on an upturned cracker barrel and resumed: "Mrs. Bregy, that son of yours is a very industrious young man and is sure to prosper."

"Yes, he works very hard," asserted the lady, "but it is uphill work and there is a great deal to contend with in running a store."

"I don't doubt it, for I have had my own experience and know what it is; still perseverance will overcome every thing, and many a hindrance have I found in my way," said Mr. Blodger.

"Did I understand you to say that you were once in the soap business?" asked Mrs. Bregy.

"Yes, ma'am, until recent years I was engaged in the manufacture of that very useful and necessary commodity."

"And where is your son to-day?"

Here he picked up a sample from a box at his side, smelled it, examined it with a critical eye, and continued: "But I am no longer identified with that business, although the name of Blodger will live as long as there is nothing invented to supersede the use of soap."

"Then soap has made you the wealthy man you are to-day?" said Mrs. Bregy.

"Yes, madam," replied the talkative old fellow. "I owe a good deal to soap. I am tolerably well off, and it is a great deal of satisfaction to know that while I have been accumulating a fair competence I have at the same time been helping to make the world a good deal cleaner. And, by the way, I attribute not a little of my success to my knowledge of the best methods of bringing my soap to the notice of the public and singing its praises in verse. Allow me," said Blodger, producing what looked amazingly like a scrap-book from the recesses of his coat pocket, "to read to you what was conceded by a gentleman of my best effort in that line. A gentleman (he was lapsing into soap once more) literary production, one which set all the people of the United States talking and wondering who wrote it on the morning when it appeared, at the foot of an elegant cut of a washtub, in all the newspapers from Maine to California. Here it is:

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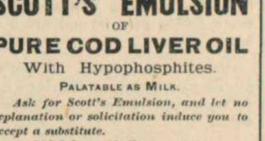
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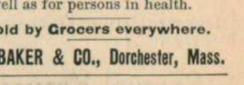


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THE CITY.

A. L. Noble was in Detroit yesterday. There are about 700 pupils in the high school.

J. H. Cutting left, Sunday morning, for Boston.

File-driving on the Swift mill dam will soon commence.

The case against Adolf J. Diehl has been discontinued.

The sum of \$16.08 was paid for sparrow scalps last week.

In the case of George April vs. Henry Krause judgment has been entered in favor of the plaintiff.

A. P. Ferguson went to Lansing, Tuesday, on business.

F. W. Buss will erect a house on West Second-st, this spring.

Harrison Soule went to Lansing Tuesday morning on business.

Electric lights have been placed in the store of Koch & Henne.

There is considerable talk of nominating a citizens' ticket this spring.

Railway Commissioner Whitman went to Lansing on business, Tuesday.

Between seventy and eighty men are now employed at the agricultural works.

Frederick Kalmbach, an old resident of the fifth ward, was buried on Friday last.

The next state encampment of the Michigan Grand Army will be held in this city.

The lavatories at the high school have been reconstructed and are no longer offensive.

H. Richards will build three new residences next spring, on the old fair grounds.

A meeting of the State Arbeiter Verein will be held in this city on June 9, 10 and 11.

Mayor Manly went to Grand Rapids Tuesday on business connected with the Soldier's Home.

The county treasurer received, during the month of February, \$37,701.03 and disbursed \$4,458.19.

S. S. Blitz, who has been seriously ill for several weeks with pneumonia, is now out of danger.

Congressman Allen has kindly sent THE REGISTER a large government map of the United States.

Maggie, wife of Jas. McKernan, of Northfield, died Monday last. She was thirty-seven years old.

Charles O'Connor, of Northfield, and Joseph Ashley, of this city, will spar at Hangsterfer's hall tonight.

Company A will be inspected next Tuesday night by H. B. Lathrop, inspector general of the state.

Work on the old cemetery has been temporarily suspended. The number of bodies thus far removed is 837.

Wheat is being marketed freely at the mills. Some of it weighs as much as sixty-two pounds to the bushel.

All books belonging to the Ladies' Library Association must be presented at the library on or before March 14.

The Huron Valley Building and Loan Association, although in existence only six months, has lent \$3,400 to borrowers.

Another flowing well has been drilled at the water works. The company expects to strike still another.

The total amount of delinquent state and county taxes reported to Treasurer Brehm is \$201.17. Last year it was \$264.46.

Ypsilanti failed to collect \$443.73 of her taxes, of which \$233.90 was real estate, \$185.83 personal and \$24.00 dog tax.

There is some prospect of the Michigan Furniture company erecting a large factory on the site of the refrigerator works.

On Friday the juries brought in verdicts of no cause of action in the cases of David Ehnis vs. Abraham Deubel and of Cordary vs. Goodman.

Frederick Mayer, of Port Huron, spent Sunday in the Hotel Dwyer. The night before he had imbibed very freely. The county paid his board bill.

The play, "Soldiers of the Union," given by the Sons of Veterans on Thursday and Friday evenings was enjoyed by all who attended. It was repeated at Saline last night.

Catherine Black, of Northfield, died on Sunday of pneumonia. She was seventy years old. Her funeral took place at ten o'clock Tuesday morning. Her remains were taken to Chicago.

Mrs. Catherine Farley, of north Fourth-ave, died on Tuesday of dropsy of the heart. She was fifty-two years old, and leaves two daughters. The funeral was held at St. Thomas' church this morning.

Single tickets to the choral union concert can be procured only by those who hold season tickets. Seventy-five cents will be charged for this concert. \$1 for the Boston Symphony, and seventy-five cents for the final concert.

Irwin Jones, the negro who stole some articles from the Beta Theta Pi house several weeks ago, was tried before Justice Batts yesterday and sentenced to jail for thirty days.

The University Senate adopted, last Monday, a fitting memorial on the late Professor Wells, which, on account of the press of matter, cannot be printed in THE REGISTER till next week.

Said a prominent democrat, when asked what he thought about the proposed citizens' movement: "Does Chris. Millman favor it? Don't know? Well, I'm afraid there is no hope for it, then."

A mass meeting will be held by Carpenter's union, No. 85, at their hall, 57 South Main-st, on Saturday evening next. All tradesmen and laborers are invited. The subject for discussion will be a short work day.

Veeder B. Payne has been appointed to make allotments of lands to the Sac and Fox Indians. Mr. Payne formerly resided in this city but is now in Indian Territory. He has two daughters in the Ann Arbor high school.

The case of Kate L. Moore vs. Wilfred B. Thompson, in which \$5,000 is claimed for slander and false imprisonment, has occupied the attention of the circuit court since Monday. Large crowds have attended the trial.

At the meeting of the Golden Rule lodge, Thursday evening, eighteen new candidates were voted in. Three of these were initiated on Friday, ten on Monday, and the remaining five will ride the goat tomorrow evening.

On Thursday the case of Sarah A. Cole vs. Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railway was continued over the term. In Eliza H. Cordary vs. Joseph Goodman arguments were completed and the charge of the court was delivered. The case of William Judson vs. Orville Gorton was settled, each party paying his own costs.

The school board, at their meeting Tuesday evening, allowed bills amounting, in the aggregate, to \$313.11, permitted the junior class in the high school to hold a social in the hall and referred the matter of introducing the study of trigonometry to the committee on text-books.

The city treasurer has collected all the taxes levied except \$562.15, distributed as follows: Real estate, \$125.86; personal, \$499.50; sidewalks, \$15.40; real estate rejected, \$47.25. The total amount of the taxes collected was \$82,241.90; of which \$12,363.48 was for state and county, \$33,344 for schools, and \$36,534.42 for general municipal purposes. The balance on hand with the city treasurer, March 1, was \$11,878.75, as against \$10,793.62 at the same time last year.

The two huts which stand on the old brick yard near Hill-st serve as a rendezvous for a number of the young men of this city. It is said that they are in the habit of insulting women and drinking large quantities of lager. Two of them, last Sunday evening, attempted to pick a fight with Chris. Weinmann, who lives in that vicinity. They succeeded, but both of them are now laid up for repairs. The neighbors threaten to clean out the huts unless the authorities take action.

On Monday the case of L. M. Stevens vs. H. S. Dean et al. was discontinued by stipulation. The case of John G. Koch vs. Martha Seeger was discontinued without costs. The judge directed the jury to bring in a verdict disallowing the appeal of Sarah A. Cole (from the decision of the court which disallowed the claim of L. Winans in the estate of Mary E. Winans) but granted the appellant until the first day of the next term of court to prepare and serve a bill of exceptions. The case of Johanna Gregory vs. the Western Union Mutual Society of the United States was continued over the term.

The saloon of Millman & McNally was the scene of a disgraceful and almost fatal melee on Friday evening last. Reuben Miller, of Pittsfield, who is taking some special work in the dental department, got into an altercation and, it is said, drew a knife. He was hustled out of the saloon and was followed by a negro named John Robison. The quarrel was then renewed, and Robison finally picked up a large stone which he threw at Miller, crushing in his nose and knocking out several of his teeth. Miller was taken to the University hospital where he still lies. Robison was arrested and sent to jail.

The annual junior exhibition will be held this evening in High School hall. The programme is as follows: "The Results of Arctic Exploration," David E. Carman, Berrien Springs; "Echoes," Gertrude M. Case, South Lyon; "Some Strange Prophecies," Theresa A. Grube, Ann Arbor; "Forestry a National Necessity," Conrad Georg, Ann Arbor; "Bones," Mabelle Halleck, Ann Arbor; "A Piece of Patchwork," Eunice A. Jones, Ann Arbor; "What Our Boulders Teach," Edson R. Sunderland, Ann Arbor; "A Peculiar People," Emma C. Klais, Ann Arbor; "The Holy Vehm," Johanna Neumann, Ann Arbor; "The Man who Knows More than the Captain," Bessie B. Stevens, Ann Arbor; "Castle Garden," Theodore C. Williams, Stockbridge.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

Baptist Church. Rev. A. S. CARMAN, Pastor. Special meetings each evening this week.

SUNDAY—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 12 M. Young people's meeting, 6:30 P. M. Special meeting for prayer at 9:45 A. M. Rev. J. C. Carman, of Zanesville, O., will remain over Sunday and for several days of next week, and the meetings will be continued.

Week day services at 4 P. M. and 7 P. M., beginning with a service of song. Pastor at home, 71 E. Washington-st, Saturday afternoons, from 3 to 5:30.

Congregational Church. Rev. J. W. BRADSHAW, Pastor. SUNDAY—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 12 M. Young people's meeting 6:30 P. M.

FRIDAY, 7:30 P. M.—Service for young people. All are invited.

Disciples Church. Social meetings will be held in the parlors of the new church on South University-ave, at 10:30 A. M., every Lord's day, until the building is entirely completed and dedicated.

German Evangelical Bethlehem Church. Rev. JOHN NEUMANN, Pastor.

SUNDAY—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 12 M.

WEDNESDAY, 7:30 P. M.—Prayer meeting

German Lutheran Zion's Church. Rev. MAX HEIN, Pastor.

SUNDAY—No service. THURSDAY, 7:30 P. M.—Lent services.

German Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. ANDREW KUMBLING, Pastor.

SUNDAY—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 9:30 A. M. WEDNESDAY, 7:30 P. M.—Prayer meeting.

Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. R. H. RUST, D. D., Pastor.

SUNDAY—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 12 M. Young people's meeting, 6:30 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

Presbyterian Church. Rev. J. M. GIBSON, Pastor.

SUNDAY—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Rev. W. W. Wetmore. Evening lecture on "Dante," by Rev. Howard Duffield, D. D.

Ladies' F. M. Society every second Friday of each month. Ladies' H. M. Society every fourth Friday in each month.

St. Andrew's Church. Rev. HENRY TATLOCK, Rector. Rev. W. WATERS, Assistant.

SUNDAY—Holy communion, 8:00 A. M. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:30 A. M. Sunday school and Prof. Scott's bible class, 12 M. Sunday school at Geddes and Foster's, 3:00 P. M. Evening service and sermon, 7:30 P. M.

MONDAY, 7:30 P. M.—Confirmation lecture in the chapel.

TUESDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Evening prayer. WEDNESDAY, 7:30 P. M.—Evening prayer and address.

THURSDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Evening prayer. FRIDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Liturgy and address. Confirmation lecture, 7:30 P. M.

SATURDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Evening prayer.

Unitarian Church. Rev. J. T. SUNDBERLAND, Pastor.

SUNDAY—Morning service, 10:30 A. M.; subject, "Alleged Miraculous Predictions in the Old Testament. The Transient and the Permanent in Prophecy." Evening service, 7:30 P. M.; lecture by Hon. Carroll D. Wright, "Religion in Politics." Student's Bible Class, 12 M.; subject, "Elijah and Elisha." Free reading room is open from 2 to 6 P. M.

MONDAY, 8:00 P. M.—Unity Club. African M. E. Church. Rev. A. COTTMAN, Pastor.

SUNDAY—Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 2:00 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES. Rev. Max Hein, of the Zion church, will preach in Detroit next Sunday.

Confirmation services will be held at the Bethlehem church Sunday after next.

The regular monthly social of the Presbyterian church will be held this evening.

Rev. L. P. Goldrick, of Northfield, delivered a Lenten sermon at St. Thomas church last night.

The Congregational young people will give a social Saturday evening at the residence of Prof. Perry.

Hon. Carroll D. Wright will deliver a lecture at the Unitarian church, next Sunday evening, on "Religion in Politics."

Rev. J. W. Bashford, of the Ohio Wesleyan University, delivered a very instructive lecture on John Wesley, Sunday evening last.

The vested choir of St. Andrew's church sang in St. Luke's church, Ypsilanti, last night. A large number of Ann Arbor people attended the services.

Rev. M. P. Dowling, president of the Detroit college, will address the Foley Guild in University Hall, next Sunday evening, on "Is the Present Condition of Society an Indictment Against Christianity?"

The programme of the Unity Club will be March 18, is as follows: "A Descent into the Crater of Pichincha, Illustrated," by E. M. Brigham, and "Different Interpretations of the Geological Phenomena at and near Niagara Falls," by Prof. W. H. Pettee.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES. The following licenses were granted during the past week:

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FOR MAYOR ANN ARBOR MY CHOICE IS (Write Distinctly One Name Only.) The Ballot will close at Night, March 10th, and the Result will be announced in THE REGISTER of March 26th.

CITY NOTICES.

Samuel Krause has a new adv. State Street Outfitter—Fourth page. Easter bonnets at Mrs. M. M. Tuttle's. See change in Mack & Schmid's adv. Goodspeed has good news for you on the first page. Noble has something to say on the first page. See change in Samuel Krause's advertisement. Adams has something to say in this issue about his famous bazar.

Read the salutatory of Wadhams, Kennedy & Reule on the fourth page.

The "Same Old Story" by E. F. Mills, will be found on the fourth page.

Three of our most interesting items may be found on the fifth page, in the adv. of the Two Sams.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. The board of directors of the Ladies' Library Association requests all persons holding books to return the same to the library on or before Saturday, March 14, 1891.

Ice Creams and Ices served to family in 1, 2, 3 or 4 qt bricks. Hangsterfer, 32tf

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Buy 1 lb. of candy and guess at weight of large stick free at Hangsterfer's.

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Happy and content is a home with "The Rochester," a lamp with the light of the morning. For catalogue, write Rochester Lamp Co. New York.

Ice Cream. Vanilla, chocolate, coffee, pistachio, strawberry, macaroon, tuffifruiti, bisque, nonquat. All Sunday orders should be given the day previous. E. V. HANGSTERFER.

Completed to Deadwood. The Burlington Route, C. E. & Q. R. R. from Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis, is now completed, and daily passenger trains are running through Lincoln, Neb., and Custer, S. D., to Deadwood. Also to Newcastle, Wyoming. Sleeping cars to Deadwood. 46

NEXT TIME —YOU ARE IN SALINE!— get a POUND of A. M. HUMPHREY'S 28c COFFEE!

SAW MILLS ENGINES, Improved Variable Friction Feed. Send for catalogue and special prices. A. E. FARQUHAR CO., York, Pa.

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A close, fine Serge at 50 cents, worth..... 75c per yard. A fine 46-in. Serge at 75 cents, worth.....\$1.00 " Fancy Stripes, in Blacks, at 50 cents, worth..... .75 " Black, silk-warp Henriettas, at \$1.00, worth..... 1.25 " Black, silk-warp 46-in. Henriettas, at \$1.00, worth.... 1.25 " 40-in. Black Mohair Brilliantines, at 40 cents a yard. 46-in. Pure Black Mohairs, at 50 cents, worth..... .75 " Extra Fine, 40-in. all wool Henriettas, at 50 cents a yard. Beautiful quality 46-in. Black Henriettas, at 75 cents.

Then comes about 200 pieces Fine Imported Dress Goods, Choice of the Lot, 50 cents a yard!

Consisting of Spring Serges, Henriettas, silk and wool Plaids, Home-spuns, Boucle Plaids, Scotch Plaids, black and white Plaids and Checks, American Wool Novelties, and many styles worth 75c, all 50c a yard.

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This will be the greatest Gingham Season ever known. The styles are very pretty and the PRICES ARE SO LOW, starting at 8 and 10c a yard. Then comes the Fine Zephyrs, at 12c a yard, and the Scotch Ginghams—wonders of beauty—at 25c a yard.

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