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WHAT SEWERS WILL COST.

PROFESSOR GREENE SUBMITS ESTIMATES TO THE COUNCIL.

Two Estimates, One Calling for \$19,692 or Less, and the Other for \$47,391—Brick Sewers Impracticable—Other Matters Before the Council.

Which will you take, a \$19,000 main sewer, a \$47,000 main sewer, or none at all?

At the meeting of the council Monday evening the estimates for which the council called a month ago were furnished by Professor Greene, who had prepared maps and drawings showing the grades and elevations. He first submits the following: From the Michigan Central bridge over the Huron to the foot of Main-st, 6,500 feet, using 22 inch pipe, the cost of the main sewer would be \$9,466; from the foot of Main-st to Miller-ave, 2,600 feet, 18 inches, \$3,104; Miller-ave to William-st, 1,900 feet, 16 inches, \$3,217; William-st to Hill-st and creek, 3,500 feet, 12 inch pipe, \$2,115; total, \$17,902. To this must be added ten per cent. for engineering and contingencies, which swells the total to \$19,692. If the sewer be continued down to Bunker's dam, as proposed, the cost would be \$22,409.

If a 24 inch pipe be used in place of the 22 and 18 inch pipe from the bridge to Miller-ave and a 18 inch pipe be used from that point to Hill-st and the creek, the cost would be \$25,476. If continued to Bunker's dam, it would amount to \$28,757. If a twenty four inch pipe be used from the railroad bridge to Hill-st and a 22 inch pipe from Hill-st to the creek, the cost would be \$29,929. The cost, if the sewer were continued to Bunker's dam, would be \$33,210.

Professor Greene also figures on the cost of the proposed 30-inch sewer. In the first place he finds that no pipe is manufactured larger than 24 inch, so that it would be necessary to construct a brick sewer. The estimates are: Bunker's dam to Michigan Central bridge, 1,900 feet, 30 inch pipe, \$4,750; Michigan Central bridge to Huron-st, 9,800 feet, 30 inch pipe, \$29,400; Huron-st to Hill-st, 4,200 feet, 24 inch, \$8,125; Hill-st to creek, 550 feet, 22 inch pipe, \$808; cost of engineering and incidentals, \$4,368; total, \$47,391.

"As will be seen by inspection of the profile," says the professor, "to carry the bridge to Bunker's dam will require a lessening of the grade, and hence a diminution of velocity. I am therefore of the opinion that the lesser grade and the further diminution of velocity from the greater roughness of the interior will render the 30 inch brick sewer no more effective for conveyance of sewage than the 24 inch, and possibly the 22 inch pipe. As brick is not impervious to water, the capacity of the sewer will be further diminished by the infiltration of ground water, of which there is considerable all along the river bank.

"The author of the resolution under which the report is submitted did not probably notice that, on the general plan, the grade of the main sewer is steeper above the intersection of Main and Summit-sts than it is below, and that if the 24 inch pipe or 30 inch sewer is large enough below that point, it should, for due economy, be reduced proportionately above that point, not taking account of the increase of sewage from laterals along the way.

"The sewer, as estimated, is supposed to be tendered for by contractors of experience in this line of work, after public advertisement. A very material reduction from these figures can be made, if the line of the sewer can be laid in the neighborhood of Allen's Creek, across private property, thus avoiding the deep cutting shown on the profile on First-st, from Catherine to Washington-st, and in a less degree at the corner of Main and Felch-sts. For the deepest cut the saving would be from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per running foot.

"While from an engineering and sanitary point of view I am unable to see why it is suggested that the outlet should be carried down to Bunker's dam, I have estimated to that point as requested, in addition to the line originally proposed. I am still of the opinion, as expressed in my first report that, while it is wise to plan a grade which will admit of extension to the railroad bridge, there is no necessity for the present of carrying the sewer farther than the foot of Thirteenth-st."

Professor Greene, after reading the report, explained by the profiles the route proposed and the excavation that would be required.

The council received the report and ordered it spread on the records.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.
The most important business transacted was the passage of a resolution which authorized condemnation proceedings for the purpose of opening Fourth-ave from Madison to Hill-st. Mr. Parker, the owner of the land required has asked \$500, a sum which the council considered too large.

The proposition of the Thomson-Houston Electric Light Company, to furnish eighty lights at \$81 a piece, was accepted. When requested by the council, the company is to move poles without expense to the city.

A petition was received from a number of third ward people, who desired to have Summit-st west of Main straightened and widened.

Alderman Mann brought up for consideration the old cemetery matter. A resolution was passed authorizing the committee on parks to see if some arrangement could be made for renting the land for residence purposes.

Forefathers' Day.

The Congregationalists of Eastern Michigan meet annually to celebrate Forefathers' Day. This year they accepted the hospitality of the Ann Arbor church.

Nearly two hundred persons sat down at the tables on Thursday evening last. Rev. Dr. Holmes, of Chelsea, at the request of the president of the club, spoke a few words of grace. Dinner was enjoyed and then the club listened to a fitting selection by the church choir.

A number of speeches were made. Rev. Henry L. Hammond, of Chicago, told his hearers that he had been a member of the council which organized the Ann Arbor church. To him had fallen the duty of delivering the charge to the deacons. He closed with a number of reminiscences. After a short address by Rev. Mr. Bradley, a few words were spoken by Rev. J. H. Bradshaw, of this city.

Rev. Dr. Storrs, of New York, and Rev. Herman P. De Forest, of Detroit, eulogized the old Puritans, who ever contended for the development of purity and sturdy principles. Mr. De Forest traced the history of the Protestant tendency. Puritanism had always stood for religious freedom.

Rev. A. J. Covell, of Flint, thought that theology in the nineteenth century had made decided advance. The puritan sabbath had been lost, but he hoped that a Christian Sabbath would take its place. He revered Puritanism and could only wish that a little more of it might be infused into the life of the present age. After a selection by the quartette, the members of the club left for the depot. Among the guests were quite a number of prominent Detroit people.

Garnered Grain.

"Wheat improved somewhat during November," says Secretary Soper in the December crop report, "yet the condition December 1 was far from satisfactory. Compared with vitality and growth of average years the condition in the southern counties was 91 per cent; in the central, 97 per cent; in the northern, 101 per cent; and in the State, 93 per cent. One year ago the condition in the southern counties was 103; in the central, 99; and in the northern counties and the State, 102. The unfavorable showing is mainly due to the warm and dry September and the dry October, though the injury by fly is very extensive. Nearly forty per cent of the correspondents in the southern counties report damage by the Hessian fly. The improved condition as compared with a month earlier date is due to the heavy rainfall in November."

"In Washtenaw county the condition of wheat on December 1 was 92, while that of horses was rated at 99, of cattle at 96, sheep at 98 and swine at 98.

Fifteen mills and elevators in this county marketed 45,448 bushels of wheat during the month of November. The number of acres of land in Washtenaw county is 387,854, of which 278,538 are improved. There are 3,416 farms with an average of 113.55 acres apiece—which shows that the farmers in this vicinity are not land poor.

Pittsfield's Loss.

Henry Paul, one of the most prominent and most highly respected farmers of Pittsfield, died on Sunday last after a comparatively short illness. Mr. Paul was born fifty-one years ago in Seio. He has lived all his life in this county and has taken a prominent part in all public enterprises. He has held recently the offices of treasurer of the German Mutual Fire Insurance Company, treasurer of the fair association and trustee of Bethlehem church.

Mr. Paul leaves a wife and three children: Mrs. Andrew Reule, of this city, and Alfred and Augusta Paul, of Pittsfield.

Election of Officers.

The Maccabees on Friday elected the following officers: Past Commander, N. J. Kyer; commander, W. S. Banfield; lieutenant commander, F. E. Mills; record keeper, George Lutz; finance keeper, W. F. Stimson; physician, Dr. W. F. Breakey; chaplain, M. H. Mills; sergeant, Charles Esslinger; master at arms, Florin Muehlig; first guard, Wm. Allen, second guard, Nelson Esterbrook; sentinel, John Lutz; picket, G. P. Stauch; member of board of trustees, W. E. Howe.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

A DECISION RENDERED IN THE NICHOLS' CASE.

Does the Supreme Court Mean to Stop the Cars of the Ann Arbor & Ypsilanti Railway?—Prof. Stanley on Co-education—Death of D. McIntyre

The supreme court of Michigan has finally decided the famous case of Theodore S. Nichols, Ella E. Nichols and Lucy L. Granger vs. the Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti Street Railway Company. The verdict given in the circuit court is reversed and the following decree is recorded:

"It appearing to this court that the line of said defendant's said railroad is along the side of the highway across the lands of the said complainants and within two or three feet of the fence upon complainants' side of the highway and is built and constructed as an ordinary commercial road with ties and T rails; and that the place along said highway where so built and the manner of the construction such that said complainants are not permitted that free use of the highway or ingress and egress to their lands to which they are entitled; and that the place where built and mode of construction across complainants' lands is an injury to their property rights in said highway; therefore,

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said defendant, the agents, servants, employees and assignees be and they are hereby perpetually enjoined from operating said railway over and along complainants' said land over said railroad where now constructed and in the manner now constructed; and from running thereon cars along and over said railroad in front of the complainants' said premises," and then follows a description of the property. The complainants recover costs.

The decision seems to be about as intelligible as David B. Hill's latest speech on silver. It is difficult to see whether it stops the cars of the railroad entirely or whether it simply compels them to change the manner in which the track is constructed. In either case, it is likely that some means would be found to keep the line in operation.

Prof. Stanley on Co-education.

The article on co-education in the December Inlander has given rise to much discussion, the general opinion being that Mr. Jacobs' logic was largely of the nature of a *non sequitur*. Prof. A. A. Stanley, in Monday's Tribune makes some pungent statements with regard to it. Says he: The reports circulated in Detroit regarding Ann Arbor doings are some times quite remarkable. Only last week I read in a Detroit paper that the entire December issue of the Inlander, the senior monthly, had been seized by the faculty on account of an article by Mr. Jacobs, of Detroit, in which he scored heavily the co-educational features of the University. There was really nothing true in the report at all, as at the same time I was reading that paper a copy of the Inlander was lying upon my table, having been received through the mail. It is true that some things were said about the faculty that were hardly warranted, but there was nothing about the article that would cause such high-handed action to be taken. The article in question stated that since the introduction of co-education into the University there had been a marked falling off in the strictly academic department, compared with the other departments. This was all blamed upon the poor 'co-ed,' for what reason I know not, and figures were given to show that at Harvard and Yale, in whose classic halls she has not yet dared to tread, the general condition of affairs is much better.

"Even if the conclusions of the paper were true, which they are not, the arguments used in arriving at them were fallacious and prove nothing. The substance of it is that women were admitted at a certain time and since then certain things have happened therefore the women were to blame. Why not, I say, blame the same things upon the Japanese who began coming to the University at the same time? The argument is just like attributing to the Democrats the good crops of this year because they gained some victories last year. As a matter of fact, however, the University of Michigan can hold her own in any department with any institution in the country.

Mr. Jacobs' whole comparison between it and other institutions was based upon statistics for the one degree of A. B. In the University the degree of A. B. is given only to those who have completed the required amount of Greek. For those not taking that study other degrees are provided. In Harvard and Yale all of these courses are provided in the A. B. course. There are in the University of Michigan today more people taking the advanced courses in Greek and Latin than in

Harvard and Yale combined. In Johns Hopkins University, too, it is possible to take this degree without having studied Greek and Latin at all. There is no question at all in my mind about the comparative merits of the University and the eastern colleges. As to the relative increase of the academic and professional departments, the tendency all over the country is the same. Wherever there are good professional schools they are generally found to be increasing faster than the literary schools with which they are connected. The reason is simply the fact that the number of colleges teaching only literary branches are increasing faster in the west than are the medical and law colleges, so that more people come from the west to study medicine than Greek, as the latter they can get at home.

"There is no doubt as to the popularity of the 'co-ed' in Ann Arbor and I hardly think that the article received much consideration either from the professors or students. In my mind, the admission of ladies to the classroom has not only refined the general body of the students, but has raised the standard of scholarship, as the 'co-ed' is almost invariably a good student."

The Death of Donald McIntyre.

Another prominent figure in the history of Ann Arbor has passed away. Donald McIntyre breathed his last on Monday afternoon. His death occurred from general debility, he being subject to no acute disease.

Mr. McIntyre had reached the advanced age of eighty-four years. He was born in Johnstown, N. Y., where he spent a large portion of his life. He was educated for the law and practiced for several years. In 1845 he came to Ann Arbor and engaged in the banking business. He was a member of the state legislature for several years and in 1858 he was elected regent, serving in that capacity for six years. He was one of the opponents of Dr. Tappan and was largely instrumental in securing his removal. From 1864 to 1871 he was treasurer of the University. Then he removed to Johnstown and lived there ten years, returning to Ann Arbor in 1881. Since that time he has lived in quiet retirement.

Mr. McIntyre took great interest in the Ann Arbor schools and to his efforts was largely due the successful establishment of the high school. He also had the distinction of being one of the staunchest advocates of co-education in the University. In church work Mr. McIntyre took a prominent part, he being a strong Presbyterian in belief. He was also an active worker for the cause of temperance and the abolition of the liquor traffic.

Mr. McIntyre was twice married, his second wife and four children surviving him. They are Mrs. J. H. Burleson, of Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. W. W. Wetmore, of Ann Arbor; Mrs. A. B. Pomeroy, of Westmoreland, Kansas, and Donald D. McIntyre, of Cadillac.

The funeral services over the remains will take place this afternoon at the McIntyre residence on West Huron-st, Rev. J. M. Gelston officiating.

A Prophecy Partly Fulfilled.

Five years ago Ann Arbor was just feeling the first results of the boom to which she owes her great prosperity today. On April 8, 1886, J. H. Stark wrote for this paper a poem in which he prophesied many things which have since come to pass. The late Mr. Kirtledge promised that as soon as these prophecies were fulfilled, he would republish the poem in THE REGISTER. Now that the Michigan Central depot has been erected, electric lights have been burning, electric cars have been running and sewers are practically assured, it is our opinion that the time has come for the fulfillment of the promise, and we therefore gladly republish the poem:

Friends, I am out of swaddling clothes,
And I can walk alone;
I know when I get water works
All other things would come.
I'll have the finest depot built
Within the mighty west,
And I'll accept of nothing now
That's not the very best.

I soon shall have electric lights
To turn night into day,
And then you'll see upon my streets
The gayest of the gay.

I now demand of you, my friends,
Sewers both broad and deep,
The germs of sickness and of death
Quickly away to sweep.

Street cars? Why yes, they'll come in time,
Have patience, dears, I pray,
Your little feet shall have a rest,
And at no distant day.

Our stalwart men shall have their shows,
Mark well what'er I say,
For I am the Athens of the West,
And I am here to stay.

A New Project.

The Maccabees talk of erecting a fine business block, to cost somewhere between \$10,000 and \$20,000. The matter was discussed at the meeting last Friday and the general sentiment of the members was favorable to the project. The proposed block would probably contain three stores with a large hall above.

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10 pieces 40 inch all Wool Silk Finish Henrietta, regular price 65c; this week 50c per yd.

10 pieces 40 inch all Wool Alma Serge, regular price 65c; this week, 50c per yd.

5 pieces 42 inch all Wool A. A. Henriettas (best make), regular price \$1.00; this week 75c per yd.

5 pieces 46 inch all Wool Alma Serges, regular price \$1.00; this week 75c per yd.

4 pieces 44 inch Silk Warp Henriettas, regular price \$1.40; this week \$1.15 per yd.

3 pieces 40 inch Silk Warp Henriettas, regular price \$1.00; this week 75c per yd.

3 pieces Silk and Wool Batiste (pretty as Silk); this week 85c per yd.

1 lot of imported Gamel's Hair Suitings at 75c per yd.

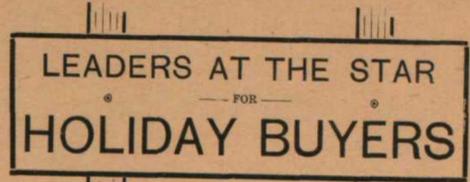
COLORED DRESS GOODS.

15 pieces \$1.00 all Wool 42 inch Coin Spots, Choice Winter Colorings, 47c per yard.

25 pieces Fancy 40 inch Plaids and Stripes, worth 25c to 30c; this week 15c per yd.

75 pieces Fancy French imported Novelties in Stripe, Plaids and Mixtures, worth \$1.00 to \$2.00; this week 57c per yd.

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DO YOU COUGH? DON'T DELAY TAKE KEMPS' BALSAM. THE BEST COUGH CURE.

THE WATERWAYS. A Convention in Detroit to Consider Needed Improvements. Resolutions Adopted Asking the Government to Construct a Route Twenty-One Feet Deep From Chicago to the Atlantic.

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JUDGE HIGGINS NOT GUILTY. The Slayer of Thomas B. Price Adjudged Innocent of the Crime. SEDALIA, Mo., Dec. 21.—Judge Higgins has been acquitted of the charge of murder, though there was no attempt to show that he did not fatally shoot his friend, Thomas B. Price, in a quarrel that occurred on a railway train last spring.

DEATH BY DYNAMITE. The Head of One Man Blown Off and the Heart of Another Blown Out. GRACEVILLE, Minn., Dec. 21.—Ira Bell and Henry Gordon met death in a horrible manner 3 miles southeast of this place Saturday afternoon.

DEATH OF ANN ARBOR'S EX-REGENT. ANN ARBOR, Mich., Dec. 22.—Donald McIntyre, ex-regent of Michigan university, died here Monday evening of general debility, aged 84 years.

Two Brothers Killed. CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—John and Nicholas Rad, brothers, who lived at Elkhardt, Ind., were struck and killed by a Lake Shore train between Michigan and Indiana avenues Monday night.

A Michigan Farmer's Loss. BAY CITY, Mich., Dec. 21.—Henry Hess, dairy farm barn was destroyed by fire, including seventy cows, three hogs, hay, grain, etc. Loss \$8,000; insured \$5,000. The barn was burned by an incendiary fifteen months ago, and this fire had the same origin.

Washington, Dec. 22.—During the week ended on the 19th the issue of standard silver dollars from the mints was \$359,978. The issue during the corresponding period of last year was \$602,845.

FOR THE HUNGRY. A Shipment of Flour Soon to Be Sent to Russia. Success of the "Northwestern Miller's" Scheme Secretary Rusk and Senator Paddock Plan to Kill Two Birds with One Stone.

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LYNCHED THREE MEN. A Mob Takes Summary Vengeance on Alleged Criminals at DeWitt. STUTTGART, Ark., Dec. 22.—A triple lynching occurred in the DeWitt county jail Monday morning, the victims being a man named Smith, his son-in-law named Gregory and a negro, Mose Henderson. The latter, it appears, had been arrested for attempting to assassinate the divorced wife of Smith and made a confession implicating the ex-husband and his son-in-law.

PAYING THEIR DEBTS. Kansas Farmers Rapidly Reducing Their Mortgage Indebtedness. TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 22.—The Daily Capital publishes the eighth monthly mortgage statement from registers of deeds in fifty-one counties. This represents about one-half the area of the state. It shows a net reduction of nearly \$500,000 in farm mortgage indebtedness in these counties. The summary of the eight months now reported shows a net reduction of \$2,778,594 in fifty-seven counties, averaging a period of six and one-half months, or at the rate of nearly \$10,000,000 of the entire state for a period of twelve months.

Two Democratic Candidates. BAYON ROUGE, La., Dec. 18.—Both democratic conventions were in session again Thursday. The anti-lottery convention nominated T. S. Adams for governor, but he declined, and Murphy J. Foster was named.

Eleven Houses Burned. SING SING, N. Y., Dec. 21.—A fire started at Croton Landing at 10 o'clock Saturday morning which burned eleven houses to the ground. All the stores destroyed were situated on River avenue, near the railroad station. The total loss is estimated at about \$95,000; partially insured.

ALTOONA, Pa., Dec. 22.—The Tyrone bank, a private institution, failed to open its doors Monday morning. The assets and liabilities are not known. An uneasy feeling prevails, and it is feared that a run on the other two banks will ensue.

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FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS. The Senate Not in Session—Little Work Done in the House. WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The attendance in the house was very small, owing to the understanding that the session would be a short one. A concurrent resolution was agreed to providing for a holiday recess from Wednesday, 23rd inst., until Tuesday, 5th prox.

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KATHERINE ROGERS DEAD. The Well-Known Actress Succumbs After a Long Illness. NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Katherine Rogers, the actress, died on Saturday afternoon at her residence, 840 West Twenty-first street, after a long illness. She was born in England and attained prominence as an actress in that country before coming to America.

GUILTY OF FRAUD. A Wisconsin Justice Convicted of Crooked Pension Work. MADISON, Wis., Dec. 22.—The sealed verdict of the jury in the United States court, which tried James S. Galloway, of Montfort, was opened at the morning session and read. It found Galloway guilty of conspiring with Mrs. Catherine Longmeyer to fraudulently procure a pension for her on the death of her husband, who was killed by a premature explosion of a blast in a mine, whereas the affidavits presented claimed that he died of disease contracted in the army.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY. Members of Congress Likely to Visit Chicago on That Date. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Congress will hold an informal session in Chicago February 23, 1892. That will be its way of celebrating Washington's birthday and at the same time informing itself about the world's fair. The proposed trip has been postponed until that time because it was found impossible to secure a representative delegation now. The postponement is the best thing for Chicago and the best for congress itself.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. 21.—Prof. R. F. Ramsey, for a few years principal of an East Tennessee seminary near Sweetwater, committed suicide here by jumping from the middle span of the county bridge into the Tennessee river. Despondency was the cause of the act.

THE MARKETS. NEW YORK, Dec. 22. LIVE STOCK—Cattle, \$2.80 to \$3.00; Hogs, 3.80 to 4.00; Sheep, 4.00 to 4.20.

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FARMS AND FACTORIES.

The alleged antagonism of interest between farmers and manufacturers is a favorite hobby with those whose partiality for foreign trade leads them to advocate privileges for outsiders that are necessarily beyond reach of citizens in this country.

By some peculiarity of logic never yet made plain, farmers are urged to discourage aggregations of population in this country as inimical to their prosperity, which they are asked to believe will be enhanced by building up the population and trade of foreign cities, to the detriment of those near home.

It would seem that no voter with intelligence enough to be a good farmer could be deceived by such a claim. He needs but to glance at official statistics to find that more than three-fourths of all the grains and meats he sells are taken and paid for by these very people whom he is asked to believe are the chief impediment to his greater prosperity.

Such facts within the observation of every man who cares to look at them, point to a conclusion diametrically opposite to that urged by the advocates of free foreign trade. The farmer must have a market for his surplus crops, or he must discontinue raising more than can be consumed at home. Prices for what goes upon the market are so largely determined by the trade law of demand and supply that his interest necessarily lies in having the largest possible number of buyers of such things as he has to sell, with as few competitors as may be in supplying the existing demand.

Evidently, then, if by legislation or from other cause the millions who are now engaged in some work other than farming should be thrown out of employment, or have their income materially reduced by foreign competition, many of them would probably resort to farming (Free-Traders say that is what they ought to be doing now) or at best their ability to buy what farmers have to sell would be seriously impaired. Hence, it follows that no other class of voters have equal interest with farmers in adding to the number of factories and keeping the contingent of buyers of agricultural products at the highest attainable point of efficiency for purchase and consumption.—American Economist.

President Harrison, in appointing both Republicans and Democrats to the new judgeships, has shown that he is a statesman of the highest type. No officer elected by the Tammany party would have done so magnanimous a thing.

The Michigan wool growers will not take kindly to the Democratic proposal that wool be placed on the free list. American prices are now considerably higher than European. There is no good reason why this satisfactory condition of affairs should be changed.

There has been an utter lack of enthusiasm on the part of the democracy since Charles F. Crisp became speaker of the house of representatives, but Tammany is happy. After all, Tammany is the only consistent democracy. Mugwumpery, at the best, is only hybrid politics.

There was absolutely no foundation for the sensational reports regarding the "suppression" of the December Inlander. The faculty took no action in the matter and did not pass on the famous co-education article at all. This much is true, that one of the professors who constitute the advisory board of the Inlander, asked that two passages which had personal reference should be cut out. This was done but the article in its entirety appeared as Mr. Jacobs had written it. It is very unfortunate that the imagination of young men on some of the Detroit and Chicago papers should run riot, to the detriment of the University.

DANIEL E. SOPER, by accident elected secretary of state, has been forcibly "bounced from his office" and is now in disgrace. Desire for fast living overcame his scruples, if he had any, and peculation was the natural consequence. Soper and Friedlander seem to be the scapegoats of the present state administration. It is hinted that they are not much worse than others holding office in this state. Verily, great is reform!

If Mr. Jacobs, of Detroit, had attended Michigan University in 1891 instead of 1871, he would never have written his famous article against co-education. There is no longer any antagonism to the "co-ed" felt by the students of this University. The ladies have shown by hard work that the regents made no mistake when they threw the doors of the great school open to all irrespective of sex, and if a vote were taken among the students it is probable that a majority of nine-tenths would be recorded in favor of co-education.

EVEN among the Republicans of Ohio their appears to be a sort of Tammany, composed of the politicians and the ringsters of the party. These men are loudly demanding the election of Forsaker and belittling the services of John Sherman. To a Republican who looks at all questions from a national standpoint, it is simply inconceivable that any intelligent men should prefer Forsaker to Sherman. The record of the former is short and not very creditable, the record of the latter is long and irreproachable. THE REGISTER earnestly believes that the failure to elect John Sherman senator would be almost as great a calamity as the refusal of James G. Blaine to accept the nomination for the presidency.

PRESTON B. PLUMB, the able senator from Kansas, is no more. His death removes from the senate one of the strongest and most interesting figures in American politics. Although a Republican by instinct, training and disposition, he seemed of late years to be somewhat impregnated with the views of the farmers' alliance. This is shown by the fact that he voted against the McKinley law and was an enthusiastic advocate of free coinage. How much of this change of views was due to individual reflection and how much to the influence of his constituents, it is difficult to say—at any rate no one has even accused Mr. Plumb of being a blind follower of popular whims, and no one ever questioned his integrity. With the exception of Mr. Ingalls, there is no one in Kansas who can claim to be his peer.

PROF. GREENE'S last report to the city council, with reference to the cost of sewers, is a very valuable document. In the opinion of THE REGISTER it proves conclusively two things: First that the city need not use a sewer pipe larger than thirty inches and, second, that the pipe need not be carried down further than the first railroad bridge. Prof. Greene's statements are valuable, because they are not based on mere opinion but on careful investigation. He shows that a sewer large enough for the drainage of a city twice as large as Ann Arbor carried to the railroad bridge would cost only \$19,692. If the pipe were allowed to terminate at Thirtieth-st., the expense would be still less. But if, on the other hand, the ideas of those who desire a large sewer continued to Bunker's dam were carried out, the city would be obliged to pay \$47,391. This last figure is large enough to convince almost any one that Ann Arbor cannot afford to build a large underground tunnel, when a sewer of moderate size would do the work equally well. The thrifty denizens of this city would not for a moment countenance such extravagance.

Grand Opera House. Atkinson's Comedy Company will appear here on Monday night in the musical comedy, the "New Peck's Bad Boy," a dramatization of the famous bad boy sketches of George W. Peck, editor of the Milwaukee Sun. The entertainment is in three acts or scenes—the grocery store, the policeman's home and the picnic grounds. The leading characters are the bad boy, his chum, his girl, his pa, the policeman, the servant girl, the doctor, the old soldier, and, last but not least, Mrs. Duffy. As Mr. Peck says: The counterpart of this boy is located in every city and village throughout the land. He is wide awake, full of vinegar, and is ready to crawl under the canvass of a circus or repeat a hundred verses of the Testament in Sunday-school. An exchange says that although called a bad boy, he proves that he is only mischievous and has a good heart and is really one of the best boys in Milwaukee. If every boy was as good as Peck's "Bad Boy" of the stage, there would be no bad men in the world. The tendency of the character throughout is to produce a good influence. The press generally acknowledge that the dramatist has admirably illustrated Peck's stories, sustaining a wonderful fidelity to the scenes and language of the original sketches, and the company is pronounced every way competent for the rattling fun, and the grocery store set a marvel of realistic effect.

If you want a good spring bed buy the Ideal of Martin Haller, the most comfortable and luxurious spring in market.

SOCIETY NEWS AND GOSSIP.

PARTIES, VISITS AND VARIOUS SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Personal and Social News of the Week Given in Brief—Who has Come and Gone.

THE HARRIS-GAYLEY WEDDING. An notable society wedding occurred at Christ Church at five o'clock Thursday afternoon, Bishop Davies assisting Rev. Dr. Johnson in the ceremony. The bride was Miss Sallie Pickett Harris, beloved by all who know her, and the groom Charles Mills Gayley, of Berkeley, Cal. The altar was appropriately decorated with flowers and plants, and the solos on the organ by Mrs. Alex. Sibley were charming, Mendelssohn's bridal march being rendered with fine effect as the party left the church. The bride-maids were Misses Frances Sibley and Kathleen Trowbridge, and little Miss Frances Dickinson was the maid of honor, while Andrew Brown, of Chicago, was best man and Wm. P. Harris gave the bride away. Messrs. James Angell, of Ann Arbor, and Arthur Parker, Clarence Lightner, Percy Dwight, A. W. Chittenden and Samuel Smith Harris acted as ushers.

Following the wedding there was an informal reception at the residence of the bride's mother on Rivard street and Prof. and Mrs. Gayley left on the evening train for his home, where he is professor in English literature at the University of California.—Detroit Free Press.

Until recently Prof. Gayley was assistant professor of English literature in Michigan University. His many Ann Arbor friends will wish him joy.

SOCIAL DOINGS. Mrs. S. Sheldon is visiting in Jackson, W. N. Henderson is visiting in Montreal.

Miss Helen Terry is visiting in Toledo.

Miss Abbie H. Pond is spending the holidays in Flint.

Mrs. B. St. James and family are visiting in Detroit.

Miss May Corson will spend Christmas in South Lyon.

Children's service will be held tonight at Zion's church.

Miss Kate E. Jacobs returned on Sunday from New York City.

Miss Mattie Huddy expects to spend the holidays in Richmond.

Miss Eva Leonard will spend the holidays in Gambia, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Clement will spend Christmas day at Homer.

Mrs. E. H. Splain, of Detroit, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. F. Mills.

Wicker Maynard will visit his uncle at Grand Rapids during the holidays.

Mrs. Lizzie Bowdish and daughter Belle will spend Christmas in Detroit.

Mrs. M. W. Culver has gone to Mason, Mich., to spend the winter with her son.

Dr. E. L. Avery and wife, of Stockbridge, have been visiting Mrs. J. C. Corson.

Miss Mattie Hirth, of Chicago, spent Tuesday with Henry Krause and family.

Mrs. B. J. Boutwell returned Friday from Adrian, where she had been visiting friends.

John Whittlesey, of New York city will spend the holidays with his uncle G. M. Hayes.

Dr. D. A. MacLachlan and E. A. Clark expect to spend Christmas in Alynor, Ont.

J. N. Riley is entertaining his little daughter Edna, who has been attending school in Monroe.

Mrs. Chas. Hutchinson and family, of Battle Creek, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harriman.

Miss Cora Riggs, of Yankton, South Dakota, is the guest of Hon. Rufus Waples and family.

Dr. F. H. Brown has gone on a business trip to New York State. He will be absent two weeks.

The marriage of A. E. Mummy and Miss Jennie E. Fitzgerald will take place on Tuesday next.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Woodward, of Detroit, will spend Christmas day with M. F. Lantz and family.

The Good Templars were entertained last evening at the residence of Miss Strickler, of Elizabeth-st.

George L. Watson, of Homestead, Pa., will spend the holidays with his old schoolmate and friend, M. Duke.

Eugene F. Lohr, of South Bend, Ind., Ed. Lohr, of Toledo, will probably visit their parents during the holidays.

Philo Lockwood, president of the high school junior class, who has been ill with diphtheria, has recovered.

Miss Nellie S. Childs, who has been teaching in Manistique, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Childs.

Mrs. G. W. Miley expects to entertain over Christmas Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hiller, of Saginaw, and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hart, of Port Huron.

Miss Nina Fall was pleasantly surprised, Thursday evening last, by about twenty-five of her friends, who spent several hours in dancing, games and other amusements.

The families of Alvin Wiley, Joseph Wiley, David Wiley, Mrs. Kendall Kittredge, A. H. Holmes, E. A. Calkins and E. E. Calkins will hold a reunion tomorrow at the residence of Alvin Wiley.

Washenaw Lodge No. 91, O. O. F. will give a social and hop this evening to a number of invited guests. The committee in charge comprises the following persons: C. H. Jones, G. Scott, H. C. Clark, H. Richards, W. L. Frank and J. Sprague.

Gilbert C. Rhodes and Miss Clara G. Woodman were quietly wedded on Saturday last at the residence of the groom's parents. Mr. Rhodes is in the employ of A. P. Ferguson and the bride has been for some time a teacher in the third ward school. Both will receive the hearty congratulations of many friends.

The Maccabees will give a reception in the rink on Wednesday next to the members of the order and to invited guests. The following committee have the affair in charge: Arrangements, J. G. Lu z, J. O. Jenkins, F. E. Mills, F. Eslinger, H. Hester; reception, N. J. Kye, J. T. Jacobs, W. F. Simons, S. W. Millard, P. S. Balford; floor, John Fischer, Chas. Diatas, Jr., F. T. Neurer, C. H. Jones, Robert Haywood, W. Gabrielski.

A Section of Michigan Law.

A correspondent has discovered and sends to us a secret provision found on our statute books. For the benefit of students of law we publish this communication, containing matters not generally known to our people.

EDITOR REGISTER:—I make the following extracts from Act No. 213 of the Public Acts of 1889:

"SECTION 7. If any person or persons shall in any manner violate any of the provisions of this act, such person or persons shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, if there is no specific penalty provided therefor by this act, shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than two hundred dollars and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than ten days nor more than ninety days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court. And in case such fine and costs shall not have been paid at the time such imprisonment expires, the person serving such sentence shall be further detained in jail until such fine and costs have been fully paid: Provided, That in no case shall the whole term of imprisonment exceed six months. Each violation of any of the provisions of this act shall be construed to constitute a separate and complete offense, and for each violation on the same day or different days, the person or persons offending shall be liable to the penalties herein provided.

"Sec. 16. All saloons, restaurants, bars in taverns or elsewhere, and all other places except drug stores, where any of the liquors mentioned in this act are sold, or kept for sale, either at wholesale or retail, shall be closed on the first day of the week, commonly called Sunday, on all election days, on all legal holidays, and until seven o'clock of the following morning, and on each week day night from and after the hour of nine o'clock until seven o'clock of the morning of the succeeding day: Provided, That in all cities and incorporated villages, the common council or board of trustees, or council, may, by ordinance, allow the saloons and other places where said liquors shall be sold to remain open not later than eleven o'clock in the afternoon and no longer of any week day night, except on election days and holidays. The word 'closed' in this section shall be construed to apply to the back door or outer entrance as well as the front door. And in prosecutions under this section it shall not be necessary to prove that any liquor was sold: Provided, The fact that the door of any saloon, restaurant or bar is open at any time when by the provisions of this act such saloon, restaurant or bar is required to be closed, shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of the provisions of this act.

"Sec. 31. During the time when, by the provisions of this act, places where liquor is sold or kept for sale must be closed, all curtains, screens, partitions and other things that obstruct the view from the sidewalk, street, alley or road in front of or at the side or end of said building, or the bar or place in said room where said liquors are sold or kept for sale, shall be removed. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this section, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished as provided in section seven of this act."

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Query. How many thousand dollars might have been saved to the county if the prosecuting attorney had proceeded against every violator of any of the provisions of the act?

Possibly if Justice Grant, of the supreme court, were to give an address or two here, such as those he has delivered in Lansing and Detroit, some of our officials would get their eyes opened. R. F. N.

Claims that He Was Innocent.

EDITOR REGISTER:—Permit me in justice to a dying man to make a statement correcting the report that he had acknowledged taking Jas. R. Bach's money. He has denied from first to last, and anybody knowing his extreme weakness would not believe that he could accomplish a crime that would require strong nerves.

Willie Johnson gave up money to Mr. Bach that had been contributed by friends to enable him to go west to a brother, in the hope of benefiting his health. He had no way to prove his innocence of the theft, and he gave up all that he might not die in jail, but be where he could be cared for by friends. He was requested by Mr. Bach to sign a paper that he had paid him the amount missing. He did so seeing no other way of escape. I was present at the time, and I am convinced that he never took that money, and I sincerely hope the real thief may yet be discovered and punished for causing the sick man and his father so much trouble. A FRIEND.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Table listing marriage licenses with names and locations such as Ann Arbor, Detroit, etc.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Table listing real estate transfers with names and locations such as Northfield, Ann Arbor, etc.

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LATEST COUNTY NEWS.

Sci.
Mrs. Van Camp has returned from a three months stay in Lansing.
Clinton Snyder is sick with la grippe. S. R. Wheeler has returned from a visit in Saginaw.
Miss Bessie Daily will give an entertainment at her school in the Boyden district Thursday night.
Itan.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Freer, of Dansville, spent Sunday at Lewis Freer's.
Mrs. George English, of Branch County, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jay Wood.
Died, at Christian Kline's on Friday, the 18th, Miss Ida Eisenbach, of Freedom.
A masquerade ball was enjoyed by the young people at the town hall last Friday evening.
W. G. Dancer's horse ran away near Dr. Gates last Saturday, throwing Mr. Dancer out and breaking the wagon.
Herbert Dancer, of the University, is quite sick at Ann Arbor. His mother, Mrs. W. H. Dancer, is at Ann Arbor with him.
Lafayette Grange elected officers for the year 1892 at J. J. Wood's last Friday as follows: M. H. D. Baldwin, O. W. E. Stocking, Jr.; Mrs. H. D. Baldwin, chaplain; T. Baldwin, S. J. Easton; A. S. J. J. Wood; L. A. S. Mrs. J. J. Wood; T. Mrs. W. E. Stocking, Sec.; O. C. Burkhardt; G. K. W. H. Dancer.

Milan.
Miss Grace Huntington returned from Detroit Saturday morning.
Mrs. A. Davis returned from Stony Creek Saturday after an absence of six weeks.
School is out for two weeks. Prof. Dennison has gone to Ypsilanti to spend his vacation.
The Lucius Taylor Post G.A.R. elected the following officers a short time since: Commander, A. M. Sloan; senior vice commander, S. H. Evans; junior vice commander, Charles Shaler; chaplain, Rev. Jay Huntington; quartermaster, Alex. Smith; officer of the day, J. Steiler; color-bearer, A. H. Lewis; surgeon, J. G. Sherman; delegate to department encampment, J. T. Hafford.
Milan has a fire engine purchased of Ann Arbor for \$425 with hose cart and 750 feet of hose. They organized a fire company last week with E. C. Hinkley as chief. The following are the members: P. M. Edwards, foreman; Frank Gury, H. A. Taylor, A. M. Gaunt; hose cart, L. Smith, D. Moody, C. F. Needham, F. G. Wilson, E. Blackmer, W. P. Lemkins, C. A. Taylor, C. Gardner, L. Ward, W. Blackmer, T. Day, Axman, H. Braman; Pipe-men, A. Whitehead, C. Davis, L. Libby and Ed. Farrington.

Chelsea.
Geo. Begole, of Jackson, spent Sunday with his family.
Elmer Smith and wife, of Chicago spent some days here.
Mrs. Bailey, from Chicago, is visiting her son, Rev. O. C. Bailey.
J. D. Schnaitman has secured a position with the Ann Arbor Organ Company.
Miss Anna Henjes, of the Normal, was the guest of Mrs. E. Negus over Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Negus will entertain a large company of friends at Christmas time.
Miss Nellie Taylor was called suddenly to her home in Jackson by the death of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Codd, of Detroit, will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Collin Babcock during the holidays.
The Congregational Sunday school will give an entertainment at the town hall some time between Christmas and New Year's.
The Baptist Sunday school will have a Christmas house; the Methodists and Lutherans will have a Christmas tree on Christmas eve.
The Swedish Male Quartette will give an entertainment at the town hall, Friday evening, December 25, assisted by Miss Laura Barden, the popular reciter from Detroit.

As the Grand Rapids train neared the depot, Thursday evening, and the passengers were alighting, the North Shore Limited, which was late, came rushing down the track, and but for prompt action a terrible accident would have ensued. The American Express company's truck was smashed.
Salem.
Mrs. Perkins and daughter, Miss Marion, are recovering from la grippe.
The Congregational church will have a Christmas tree entertainment this year.
Chas. Noller, formerly agent at Beech on the D. L. & N. R. R., left on Monday for Montana.
A goodly sum of money was realized by the ladies of Lapham's Methodist church by their fair and supper.
Rev. W. H. Shier is seriously ill with an aggravated form of la grippe. His wife is also suffering from the malady.
The ladies of the Baptist church held an oyster supper at Smith's store last Friday evening. It was fairly well patronized.
The Congregational church bazaar, held last Thursday evening, was a successful affair. The ladies served tea in the evening. About \$95 was realized.
Rev. W. H. Shannon will preach a sermon under the auspices of the K. O. T. M., of Salem, in the Congregational church on the evening of January 10th. Maccabees from neighboring lodges are cordially invited to attend.

The following are the officers elected for Salem Lodge No. 140 K. of P.: Dr. Tweedle, P. C.; Geo. Rider, C. C.; Arthur Vansickle, V. C.; A. D. Chisholm, K. R. S.; Newell Withers, P.; Semer Sealey, F. K.; P. Murray, M. Ex.; Chas. Calderon, M. A.
There was a full attendance at the Maccabee Review last Tuesday. The following were elected officers for the ensuing term: N. Rider, P. C.; A. D. Chisholm, C.; H. C. Wheeler, L. C.; Dr. C. B. Tweedale, Chap.; Henry Stanley, F. K.; Fred C. Wheeler, R. K.; Dr. Tweedal, Phys.; F. Coles, Serg.; J. L. Austin, M. A.; W. Geigler, 1st M. of G.; W. Mosher, 2 M. of G.; A. Geigler, Sent.; E. Naylor, Picket.

Webster.
Some of our townsmen have been buying corn from the west.
Mr. S. J. Seers had a sudden attack of the grip last Saturday. He is much better now.
George Lomas, jr., started last Friday for Chicago, where he will be engaged in business for the winter.
There will be a social, Wednesday evening, December 30, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Latson.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boyden were on a Lansing tour last week, including Saturday evening. Consequently, on that evening their home furnished a turning table for the would be surprisers.

The Webster Reading Circle meets this week Saturday evening with Will Alexander. The question for debate is, "Resolved, that the system of farm villages is more beneficial than the present custom." The annual election of officers takes place.
Bridgewater.
Mrs. Fox, of Tecumseh, being unable to attend to household duties, is staying with her mother, Mrs. L. A. Katner.
Fred Palmer, a sophomore in the medical department at Ann Arbor, is spending a part of his holiday vacation with his grandparents, D. W. Palmer and wife.
Miss Lucy English, who went to Chicago about two months ago to engage in work in the mission school, returned to her home in South Manchester, last Saturday, to remain an indefinite period.

A. F. Clark, of Saline, is trying to organize a singing school at Manchester. He is at present giving vocal lessons to several students in town, and if the number will be increased will establish a regular school there.
J. B. Murrah, of Goldthwaite, Texas, arrived here last week with two carloads of sheep, and, having disposed of them all, started for home last Monday. Lisle Mills accompanied him as far as Kansas, but will proceed to California.
Fred Wright, son of Rev. G. P. Wright, left this town with his young bride about three years ago for a home in Minnesota. Last November for the first time they visited their native place. While happy with old friends a telegram came stating that their home and barn had been consumed by fire. Mr. Wright left at once, and has since been fitting a place for his family. Mrs. Wright departed last Saturday, her mother, Mrs. Bond, going to Chicago with her.

Whitmore Lake.
The lake is frozen over again and the festive skater is happy.
John Weber has the Buchoz farm leased for three years more.
Collie Stevens, of Ann Arbor, was the guest of Johnnie Rane over Sunday.
Geo. Sheffer was shaking hands with old acquaintances here the first of the week.
Henry Stilson, of this place, and Miss Mary Root, of Toledo, Ohio, were married last week Tuesday.
The Epworth League now numbers thirty members. The next meeting will be held Saturday, December 26th.
Mrs. Dodge and daughter, of Laingsburg, arrived here last Saturday evening. They are visiting E. M. Dodge and family.
The marriage of Henry Dodge and Miss Allie Pray took place yesterday at the residence of Jas. Pray. Rev. Jennings officiated.
Mit Todd and Miss Lena Schleimer returned home the first of last week from their extended visit at Dimondale and other points.
A lie Stevens came near being killed last Saturday while shingling the roof of his hotel. As it was, he received a bad jar and scar—he slipped but caught on the hip of the roof, luckily for him.
Miss Carrie Rosenberger was married last week Wednesday to John Heusel from Scioto. The happy pair was honored by a serenade from a mixed orchestra in the evening whose strains were heard plainly at this point.

ANN ARBOR MARKET REPORT.
Prices Paid by our Merchants.
ANN ARBOR, Dec. 24, 1891.
Apples, early..... 50 @ 60
Barley, per cwt..... 1 00 @ 1 20
Beef dressed, per cwt..... 6 00 @ 6 20
Butter, per lb..... 18 @ 20
Hops on foot, per cwt..... 3 00 @ 3 25
Beans, cut, per bush..... 1 00 @ 1 10
Chickens, per lb..... 8 @ 10
Half Skins..... 8 @ 10
Corn in cob, per bush..... 25 @ 28
Eggs per doz..... 5 10 @ 6 25
Flour, per bush..... 1 12 @ 1 15
Honey per lb..... 3 00 @ 3 25
Hops on foot, per cwt..... 3 00 @ 3 25
Hides, green..... 35 @ 37
Hides, cured..... 35 @ 37
Hay, Timothy No. 1, per ton..... 10 00 @ 10 50
Lamb..... 6 @ 8
Mutton, per lb, dressed..... 7 @ 8
Oats..... 40 @ 42
Pork, dressed, per cwt..... 4 00 @ 4 25
Potatoes, per bush..... 28 @ 30
Sheep pelts..... 40 @ 50
Straw, per ton..... 4 00 @ 5 00
Tallow..... 3 @ 3 50
Veal..... 35 @ 40
Wheat..... 80 @ 90

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Read The Two Sams Ad to day. 86
Mr. D. B. Tracy, Northern Passenger Agent C. H. & D. R. R., will be at Arlington today and tomorrow, and would be pleased to see all students going south for the vacation. Be sure to see him before leaving the city.
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Eternal Vigilance
Is the price of good health. But with all the precaution we may take there are enemies always lurking about our systems, only waiting a favorable opportunity to assert themselves. Scrofula and other impurities in the blood may be hidden for years or even for generations, and suddenly break forth, undermining health and hastening death. For all diseases arising from impure blood
Hood's Sarsaparilla
Is the unequalled and unapproached remedy. It is King of them all, for it conquers disease. It builds up in a perfectly natural way all the weakened parts, vitalizes, enriches and
Purifies the Blood
And assists to healthy action those important organs, the kidneys and liver. If you need a good medicine you should certainly take
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Sold by all druggists, \$1, six for \$5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.
100 Doses One Dollar

W. H. STARK
THE GOLD PEN MANUFACTURER
Has returned from New York, where he has been employed for the past five years with one of the largest eastern firms. Mr. Stark has again opened his FACTORY at MANCHESTER, MICH. where he is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line. All kinds of FOUNTAIN PENS MADE AND REPAIRED. Repairing a specialty.
POINTING GOLD PENS, 50c.
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The J. T. Jacobs Co. inform us, and you too, in their new advertisement this week that somebody is going to have a rare chance for a few days in the purchase of ulsters and overcoats.
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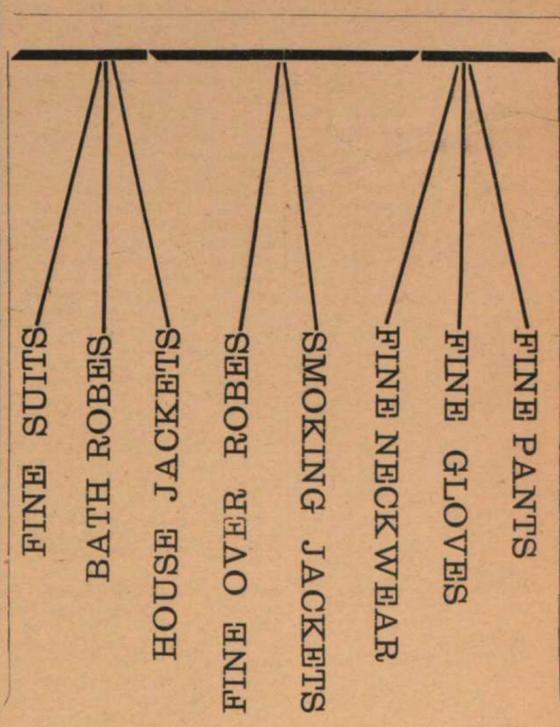
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On December 10th, 1891 we shall make our usual display of
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From December 14th to January 1st we shall sell Candies as Follows:
Ordinary Mixed Candies..... 8c.
Cream Mixed Candies..... 12c.
Chocolate Creams..... 14c.

For beauty, variety and price our Stock will not be surpassed in Central Michigan.

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SEWING MACHINES.
NEEDLES; PARTS FOR ALL MACHINES; SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED, ALSO RENTED.

The one dollar a week system of selling Sewing Machines saves you from \$10.00 to \$25.00 on a machine.

J. F. SCHUH
31 South Main Street, Ann Arbor
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Some Facts in Brief.
The idea that there should always be in existence two measures of value, fluctuating in their relations, and that the debtor should always have the option of paying in the cheaper, is not supported by any principle of morality with which we are acquainted. That the gold dollar has appreciated in purchasing power within recent times, and that the currency of the world is suffering from contraction, are assertions incapable of statistical proof. As to the latter, we have every reason to believe that exactly the opposite is true of the United States. Another essential fact is that gold is the standard of value of the whole commercial world. It was because of that that the world got along very well when the gold dollar was worth less than the silver dollar. If all the world were to change to the silver standard, it would probably get along very well now that the silver dollar is worth less than the gold dollar. But to force back the market value of silver by adherence to the old ratio is a task which all our experience, and especially that of later years, shows to be too great for the United States alone to accomplish. It is indeed, it could be accomplished at all. That the whole body of silver should be used as money, but at its market value, is an idea that has had much favor. It was the basis of the plan proposed long ago by Professor Sylvester. It was, essentially, the fundamental principle of the plan of Mr. Windom for the issue of treasury certificates. But it was the advocates of free coinage who killed that measure. As the matter now stands, it is a perfectly true and fair statement to say that free coinage means that the government shall purchase the whole product of the silver mines at 30 cent more than its market price.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

The Bounteous Harvests.
American farmers have sent 87,000,000 bushels of wheat to Europe within two months past. This means that about \$85,000,000 in gold will have to come to the United States to pay for only a part of two months' harvest of our soil. It is difficult in imagination to present an adequate picture of the richness of this year's entire harvest, nor can the wealth to be brought in the next year to these shores be fully realized by any mere figures, though estimates of it are common enough. To say that the balance of foreign trade is now in favor of this country at the rate of nearly \$2,000,000 each working day, or \$600,000,000 a year, probably presents a less striking fact to the fancy of most people than the statement that solid trains of grain laden freight cars, twenty-five miles long, arrived in Duluth, Minneapolis and Chicago within the space of twenty-four hours last week!

The western railroads are having only one trouble at present. They can not provide cars enough to send the harvest of 1891 to the sea board for shipment to Europe. Grain elevators in all the northwestern states are now jammed with wheat and corn, and some of them cannot be emptied before next summer, although Europe is dependent upon their store for bread. About 1,000,000 bushels of wheat per day are now being brought by the railroads to this port, and the steamship and sailing vessel agents are as unable to cope with the enormous product of our soil as the railroads.

One hundred and forty-nine steamers have actually been chartered to load grain alone at Atlantic ports since November 1. Prior to November 1, 1891, steamers had been chartered. Ocean freights have advanced as a consequence from about five cents per bushel for Liverpool and Glasgow on August 1 to fourteen cents per bushel last week. This extraordinary increase in price of ocean freights, and the fact that charters are now made up to June, 1892, both indicate the prospective prosperity of the United States, compared with which every other nation on the planet is this year poor indeed.—New York Press.

The Argus' Quibble.
The city of Ann Arbor don't raise much for taxes, but we observe that Treasurer Benkes reports that he has drawn orders on the treasury for more than \$8,000 in excess of the city funds to meet said orders, and the bank cashier certifies as to the correctness of the overdrafts. Look out for a city debt there, gentlemen. That's the definition of overdraft.—Adrian Press. The voters of this city are agreed that this kind of debt is not to be augmented.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.
If it is true that philosophers are wise men, then Dr. Bull, of Cough Syrup fame, must have been one of the greatest of philosophers. A new mineral has been discovered in Texas which is said to be seven times stronger than any other when made into wine. I have been a great sufferer from catarrh for over ten years; had it very bad, could hardly breathe. Some nights I could not sleep and had to walk the floor. I purchased Ely's Cream Balm and am using it freely, it is working a cure surely. I have advised several friends to use it, and with happy results in every case. It is the medicine above all others for catarrh, and it is worth its weight in gold. I thank God I have found a remedy I can use with safety and that does all that is claimed for it. It is curing my deafness.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Conn.

Recently two cases of idiocy, in Cincinnati, resulting from retracted skull growth, were cured by a surgical operation followed by trephining. Capable surgeons believe that all similar cases can now be cured.

Christmas.
"Christmas comes but once a year"
Christmas, once again is here.
Ye, it comes to remind
Of God's love for mankind.
It tells of the eventful morn
When Immanuel was born.
It tells us of the star that led
To the Saviour's humble bed.
As its rays we to foretell
Promises day of Israel.
So to us the gentle race,
It ushered in the dawn of grace.
Let each heart with rapture swell,
As children's lips the story tell
Of the Saviour's wondrous birth,
How he came from heaven to earth.
His grand mission to fulfill
According to his father's will.
Today the winds from Bethlehem's plain
Wait redemption's song again:
"Peace on earth, good will to men."
Let every mortal sing, amine!
JACOB H. STARK,
Ann Arbor, December 24.

Something for the New Year.
The world renowned success of Hostetter's Bitters, and their continued popularity for over a third of a century as a stomachic, is scarcely more wonderful than the well-known fact that the annual appearance of Hostetter's Almanac. This valuable medical treatise is published by the H. Stetter Company, Pittsburg, Pa., under their own immediate supervision, employing 60 hands in that department. They are running about 11 months in the year on this work, and the issue of same for 1892 will be more than ten millions, printed in the English, German, French, Welsh, Norwegian, Swedish, Holland, Bohemian and Spanish languages. Refer to a copy of it for valuable and interesting reading concerning health, and numerous testimonials as to the efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, amusement, varied information, astronomical calculations and chronological items, etc., which can be depended on for correctness. The Almanac for 1892 can be obtained free of cost, from druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the country.

Does Protection Protect?
Certainly, in one instance, it does. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great protection against the dangers of impure blood, and it will cure or prevent all diseases of this class. It has well won its name of the best blood purifier by its many remarkable cures.

The highest praise has been won by Hood's Pills for their easy yet efficient action. Sold by all druggists. Price 25 cents per box.

Divided Democracy.
It was General Grant who said: "The Democratic party can't win the election against the danger of impure blood, and it will cure or prevent all diseases of this class. It has well won its name of the best blood purifier by its many remarkable cures."

A Wise Young Woman.
Young Adolphus Fitzwilliam, he loved a fair maid,
But to ask her to marry him he was afraid.
Because of catarrh, which she had very bad,
So much so that often the youth was glad
To omit, at the parting, the kiss of a lover.
To show her how she should discover
"Catarrh makes me loathsome. It's fatal to love,
O, darling Adolphus, by all that's above,
I vow I'll not kiss thee if something there is
To drive out catarrh and to sweeten a kiss."

Animal Notelets.
Scientists say that a grasshopper has its ears on its forelegs. A naturalist says that of all animals the horse has the acutest sense of hearing. A Colorado cat viciously attacked a burglar and forced him to withdraw seriously wounded. A prominent Indianapolis business man has two cats that are better retrievers than most dogs. A deer was shot in a Bohemian forest on whose head was a huge ball of bone or horn in the place of the usual antlers.

Wise Mothers.
Will never be without Dr. Rossie's Certain Croup Cure. It is a sure and prompt cure for croup in all forms, also a preventative of Diphtheria and Pneumonia. It contains no opium, and causes no nausea. Ask your druggist to send to any Detroit wholesale drug house for it. 50 cents per bottle.

Used to the Diet.
The tinplate industry will have been established so firmly in this country before the Presidential election next year that the Democrats will be obliged either to eat their words or remain silent.—Cleveland Leader.

For Over Fifty Years
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

The "World's" View of Harrison.
They who credit Mr. Harrison with small ability either as a President or a politician are mistaken in their estimate. The Republican party has very few able men than Benjamin Harrison.—New York World (Dem.).

Judge Waxem's Proverbs.
Most politicians are narchical born trimmers.
Politicks can't make good craps nor plenty of them.
A first rate farmer can't be a first rate politician.
Uncle Sam ain't afraid of nothin' on God's footstool.
'Taint always the man as gits the most votes as is the most deservin' of the office.
Some statesmen with No. 6 heads gits suffein' of the brane tryin' to fill No. 8 hats.—Detroit Free Press.

Worn and Wan and Weak and Weary.
Hol ye women, worn and weary, with wan faces and so indubitably weak. These distressing, dragging down, pains and that constant weakness and wornness and weariness can be cured. For all such sufferers, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a panacea of inestimable value. As an invigorating tonic, it imparts strength to the whole system. For "over-worked," "worn-out," debilitated teachers, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing, cordial and restorative tonic. As a soothing and strengthening nerve, "Favorite Prescription is unequalled and invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, exhaustion, prostration, hysteria, spasms and other distressing nervous symptoms, commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

Comparative Longevity.
At the recent International Congress of Hygiene the comparative mortality of persons in various professions between the ages of 25 and 65 was rated as follows: Ecclesiastics, 100; gardeners, 100; farmers, 114; grocers, 139; fishermen, 143; cabinet makers, 148; lawyers, 152; workers in silk, 152; mechanics, 155; merchants, 158; clothiers, 159; miners, 160; shoemakers, 166; commercial travelers, 171; bakers, 172; millers, 173; upholsterers, 173; masons, 174; blacksmiths, 175; clerks, 179; road laborers, 185; workers in wool, 186; gunsmiths, 186; tailors, 189; hatiers, 192; printers, 193; workers in cotton, 196; physicians, 202; stone quarry men, 202; binders, 210; butchers, 211; glassmakers, 214; plumbers, painters, etc., 216; cutlers, 223; brewers, 245; cab. drivers, 267; wine merchants, 274; potters, 304; Cornwall miners, 331; weavers, 338; hotel boys, 397.

Figs and Thistles.
When people do not love they are not fit to live.
Hatred is a fire which burns, but consumes not.
Meeting and overcoming difficulties makes character.
An hour lost will get behind you and chase you forever.
It is easier to run with the crowd than it is to walk by itself.
The first test of love is its willingness to suffer without complaint.
Distrusting everybody is a good way to have the friendship of nobody.—Ram's Horn.

An exchange states that the male who does not sting. Before investigating the truth of this assertion, we would advise our readers to secure a bottle of Salvation Oil.

The Berry Above the Flower.
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It is sometimes hard to distinguish innocence from bluff.—Des Moines Register.

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That the Democratic House will pass a silver free coinage bill is a sure thing, if the election of Crisp is any indication of its sentiment. There may also be enough silverites in the Senate to pass such a bill. But it is a consolation to know that there are not enough silver Senators to pass such a bill over President Harrison's veto.—Burlington Hawkeye.

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COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, J.S.S.
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THE REGISTER.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1891.

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DEEP CUT IN THE PRICE OF CLOAKS FOR DECEMBER SALES.

Our Entire Stock of Misses' and Children's Cloaks to be Sold Out at Cost and Below Cost.

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Our \$30 and \$32 Plush Sacques to be sold at \$25 during this sale. These goods are made from Walkers'... Guaranteed Plush. No such bargain was ever offered in this city.

Plush Jackets Reduced in Price to close out. We want to sell them all; so begin early that everybody may take advantage of the reduction.

One Lot Black Cheviot Jackets, Astrachan Trimmed, reduced from \$10 to \$7.50.

One Lot Plush Cloaks, 40 inches long, reduced from \$18 to \$12.

All of Entire Stock of Cloaks, Jackets, Newmarkets, Capes and Wraps at prices that will sell the whole lot out in quick time.

Big Reductions in Dress Flannels and Homespun.

Bar gains in Dress Goods that will make it lively during the months.

Blankets and Comfortables at prices that will sell the whole lot in short order.

The Underwear Department has been visited and the prices revised for this sale.

One Case Ladies' all Wool, Sanitary Vests and Pants, worth \$1.25 reduced to 90c a Garment for this sale.

Astonishing Low Prices for Beaver, Velvet and Camel's Hair Shawls.

All Prices Greatly Reduced for this Sale.

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THE CITY.

John Donovan, of the fifth ward, has received an original pension.

G. C. Rhodes has started a new house on Broadway. It will cost about \$1500. Joseph Clark and H. J. Reeves will build houses near the new hospitals in the spring.

F. W. Buss has moved into his new residence on the corner of West Second and Madison-sts.

The supreme court has affirmed the decision of the circuit court in the case of Tolbert vs. Burke.

The case of Fred Schaible vs. the L. S. & M. S. railway has been continued without costs with consent.

The Ann Arbor Commandery, K. T. conferred the order upon J. D. Colvin, of Ypsilanti, Tuesday night.

The new homoeopathic hospital will not be ready for occupancy until next spring and possibly not till summer.

Miss Emma Hutchinson, of the fifth ward, last Saturday caught her foot and fell in such a manner as to cause quite serious injuries.

Mrs. Regina Switzer sued her brother-in-law George Switzer, for slander, asking \$5,000 damages. The jury on Monday awarded her \$1,000.

W. E. Beach, of Howell, takes the position of cashier at the Toledo and Ann Arbor freight office, in place of E. S. Gilmore, who goes to Saginaw.

Thomas Fordham and Frank Howard, two traveling gents, stole two pairs of gloves from Goodspeed's store Friday and were arrested. They will spend sixty days at the Detroit House of Correction.

At the meeting of the Michigan State Teachers' Association to be held in Grand Rapids next week, Superintendent W. S. Perry, of this city, will read a paper on "Psychic Studies in the Public Schools."

A billiard tournament between Ered Olp and Arthur Seymour, two of the best players in the city, was held Thursday night in Hazelwood's parlors. Seymour won three out of five games, after a close contest.

The ladies of the sewing school again appeal for donations. They have 100 to provide for and are anxious that all contributions be sent in before January 1, as their entertainment will take place the following day.

The high school lyceum and the newly organized University lyceum will hold a joint meeting on Saturday evening next. The subject for discussion is "Resolved that prohibition in any of its existing forms is a failure."

The prohibitionists will hold a county convention in the supervisors' room at the Court House, Saturday, December 26, at 1 p. m., to elect delegates to the Federate Reform convention at Lansing, December 29, and for other business.

Ann Arbor Encampment No. 7, I. O. O. F. has elected the following officers: George Scott, chief patriarch; Eli S. Manly, high priest; J. J. Ferguson, senior warden; H. Krapf, scribe; James Otley, junior warden; C. Schlenker, treasurer.

Faith has almost entirely disappeared from the soul of one little miss of Ann Arbor. She was informed that Santa Claus was a myth and that no such person really existed. "Well," said she, "the next thing they will tell us is that there isn't any God!"

Three boys, all under sixteen, whose names are Adam Ritz, Wm. Bowen and Frank Garlinghouse, were arrested Friday for breaking into Donovan's store in the fifth ward. They returned the stolen articles, paid costs and were dismissed by Justice Butts.

Mrs. May Jenkins, formerly Miss Murray, died on Sunday last, in Toledo, of peritonitis. Her remains were brought to this city and funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of H. Krapf. Mrs. Jenkins was twenty-seven years of age at the time of her death.

Mrs. Etta G. Watson, wife of the late Ethan Watson, passed away on Saturday last at her home on South University-ave. The cause of her death was cancer. She was forty-seven years of age. Her funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Watson was a sister-in-law of the famous Prof. James C. Watson.

Mrs. Julia E. Shankland, of Salem, commenced suit against Alexis P. Renwick, some time ago for selling her an unsound horse. She returned the animal, it was claimed, but Mr. Renwick did not return the money. On Saturday last the jury brought in a verdict of \$165 for the plaintiff. O. H. Butterfield was Mrs. Shankland's attorney.

The committee of the Business Men's Association, who are soliciting subscriptions for the guarantee fund of the proposed school of music are meeting with great success. Only a limited number of men have been approached and nearly fifty have subscribed already. There can be no doubt but that the requisite 100 names will easily be secured.

John Taylor, drunk on the streets, on Monday was fined \$2 and costs.

Two new houses will be built in the Hamilton addition early next spring.

The Methodist Sunday school will hold its Christmas festival this evening.

Philip Schumacher has taken a position as collector in the First National Bank.

About forty persons have been employed by Mack & Schmid during the past week.

Frederick Schaible, aged twenty-six years, died on Tuesday morning of consumption.

A boy named Kaynska had one of his fingers cut off in the furniture factory yesterday morning.

Drs. Nancrede and Carrow on Tuesday attended the meeting of the Tri-State Medical Society at Hillsdale.

Der Deutsche Hausfreund argued last week to the extent of a column and a half against the proposed five mile act.

The work on the new Toledo bridge is progressing very slowly. It is hoped, however, that it will be completed by February 1.

The fair given last week by the young people of the Bethel African Methodist church proved a great success. The net receipts amounted to \$112.

The baggage men of the two railroads handled 1311 pieces of baggage during three days last week. The exodus of students was unusually large.

Martin Clark, health inspector, says that the sanitary condition of Ann Arbor is now very good. Diphtheria has almost entirely disappeared.

The Ann Arbor Young People's Literary Society has been disbanded, all revenues in the treasury being turned over to the lodge of Good Templars.

Rev. Mr. Stewart, State Evangelist of Illinois for the Disciples church, will preach in the Church of Christ, South University-ave, next Sunday evening.

Everybody is delighted with the Christmas souvenir gotten out by the REGISTER. Any subscriber who has not received a copy may obtain one by calling at this office.

Next week THE REGISTER will give a complete list of the building improvements made in Ann Arbor during the past year. The record of '91 is quite likely to exceed that of '90.

The jury in the case of Martha L. Smurthwaite vs. Mary A. Thomas were out twenty-four hours before they could agree upon a verdict. Their decision was in favor of the plaintiffs. A motion for a new trial has been filed.

The Jeffersonian society of the law department will meet tomorrow evening and discuss the following important questions: First, "Resolved that the junior class of the law department is the missing link; second, "Resolved that the criminal should not gain relief by turning state's evidence."

The Ann Arbor Knights of Pythias have elected the following officers: Dr. J. L. Ross, C.; Dr. F. H. Brown, V. C.; J. H. Hurley, P.; J. H. Otley, M. of F. and K. of R. and S.; John Looker, M. of E.; Wm. C. Jacobus, M. at A.; Leslie A. Walker, I. G.; Emil Baur, jr., O. G. Fred Barker, Rep. to G. L.; L. J. Damm and Fred Barker, trustees.

The railroad commissioner, the Ann Arbor council and Czar Ashley of the T. & A. A., held a high joint session last week and a system of protection against killing any more of the university city people was agreed upon. It is very rarely that such august bodies come in perigee and a radical change of weather is looked for, to occur soon, if not earlier.—Adrian Press.

The January meeting of the Washtenaw Horticultural Society will be held January 21, in the court house at 2 p. m. The topics are, To increase the interest in our society, by President Scott; "Nut Culture," paper by J. Ganzhorn; "Reviewing the lessons of the past season," paper by W. F. Bird; "Entertainment of the next annual meeting of the State society, by this society and the citizens of Ann Arbor," A. A. Crozier; exhibit of fruit and jellies.

There will be a merry Christmas time at the Presbyterian church next Monday evening at 6 o'clock for the special benefit of Miss Brown's industrial school. It will be in the audience room. Songs and speeches will be given, and a large Christmas tree loaded especially with useful articles will make up the entertainment. The Sunday school is getting up the affair, and will have a bountiful supper at the close of the entertainment in the rooms below.

Special Christmas services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday. In the morning there will be a trio, "Lord, Thy Glory Fills the Heavens," Mercadante; duet, "Forever with the Lord," Gounod; in the evening, Christmas anthem, "Sing O Heavens," Tour; tenor solo, "Christmas," Shelley. In the morning the subject of the sermon will be "Christmas Idyl—the Madonna." The presiding elder, Rev. Dr. Ryan, of Adrian, will preach in the evening.

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