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OLD AND NEW.

What will the New Year be to me? Like its first day, clear and bright! This year I'll with the coming I will greet, With the old year, and with the new, Till the two years meet in the night.

Will this year bring me a precious gift, Or if measure its length days and night, Shall it with the world's long night, And content in the world's hand have wrought, Toil on in the world's hand wrought?

What will the New Year bring to me? Days of labor and days of rest, Days when the soul will be brought to rest, Shall years for the strife be to me; Days when life will seem fair to me; As I think not of care or pain; Days when the soul will be brought to rest, And the hot blood leap like a stormy wave, From passionate heart to eager brain;

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with them. She was wider-minded than the old days when there was no hotel, and no summer people, and no fine new name, and hardly anyone had heard of it except the few families who lived there. The place was delightful then.

"You had better call it a new name," said Ernest. "What was the old one?"

"Dragon," said Ernest. "What a queer name? Was it your home, Miss Dickson?"

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FARM NOTES.

SOME light soils suffer from certain manures as men suffer from alcohol. The stimulation caused by them is followed by an injurious reaction, resulting in debility.

RIENDELS sweet potatoes may generally be determined by cutting several and allowing the cut surface to dry. If they dry evenly white, without dark spots, the crop is considered mature and ready for digging.—North Carolina Farmer.

THE wicks of kerosene lamps should be changed frequently, or, if not too short, washed in strong hot soap-suds, with some ammonia in the rinsing water. We think the trouble with poor light from kerosene lamps probably arises from the wicks being full of the sediment or refuse matter which comes from the oil and which impedes the free passage of the kerosene through the wicks.—Christian Union.

HOW TO SAVE CLOVER SEED.—Cut the clover about the 15th or 20th of September. The usual way of getting the clover for seed is to cut with a scythe or mow very low, and then to cut it in small bunches. Then turn these bunches two or three times a day. Do not commit the common error of taking it in too soon, or the clover will be hard to thresh. The seed should be threshed out with a clover huller.—Toronto Globe.

THE end of the potato nearest to the plant is called the stem-end, and the opposite the seed-end. At these ends the eyes are much more numerous than elsewhere. It is generally conceded that these are more excitable than the eyes in the middle of the tuber. In illustration of this fact are the experiments of Dr. F. M. Hexamer, of New Castle, N. Y. Out of 100 potatoes planted whole, 98 started from the seed-end.—New York World.

CLIPPING FOWLS' WINGS.—To prevent poultry from flying, etc. it is a common practice to clip the primary feathers on a wing; but these, unfortunately, are the feathers which are the most important. A plan much adopted here is to cut the extremity of the pinion, or tip-bone, about half an inch from the articulation. This maims the wing for life. The operation may be done with a pair of sharp scissors or with a pair of shears, but the latter is the better method. The wing will heal, and the bird will fly as well as ever.—Paris letter to New England Farmer.

TEMPERATURE FOR SEEDS.—Seeds are more easily killed by high temperature than low. Though no seeds have been known to germinate below 37 degrees, those destroyed by a temperature above 168, and many kinds perish below that point. They will not germinate above 128 degrees. Most seeds will stand the severe cold of the winters in this latitude, but they are not so hardy in the Arctic region, where they have been found to have germinated freely.—Springfield Union.

MANY years ago a friend of mine had a dozen very large trees that were bearing heavy crops of apples every other year, so he took a long pole and gave the trees a good shaking, and the crop was about the size of hickory nuts, knocking off every fruit on the south side of the trees. The result was, as I saw for several years, that these trees bore heavy crops on one side one year, and the next year a heavy crop on the other side, but for many years they had plenty of apples for home use every year. His trees stood in a rich soil that was annually cultivated—no grass sod to cover the roots.—Weekly Rural.

SOOT AS A MANURE.—To strong growing greenhouse plants, such as pelargoniums, fuchsias, roses, carnations, chrysanthemums, azaleas, solanums, and many others, soot is a valuable and early obtained stimulant. A handful of it tied in a bag and stirred in a three-gallon can of water has a marvelous effect on all the plants just named, and on many others besides. It induces vigorous growth, and adds freshness and sheen to both leaves and flowers. It is better to use it in small quantities and often, rather than charge the compost with more carbon than the plants can readily assimilate. For the more robust growers, especially if grown in small pots, mixtures of fresh manure and soot are desirable, but this should be allowed to settle before using, otherwise the grassy particles will remain on the surface of the pots, and, while giving them an unsightly appearance, exclude the free aeration which healthy roots require.—Montreal Gazette.

HOUSEHOLD ECONOMY. BEFORE washing black and white cotton or linen dresses, or any of these dark colors, put in a salt and water and hang them in a shady place to dry.

Mix lightly one pound of Graham flour with a pint of thick, sweet cream; add salt, roll thin and bake as other pastry, and you will have a fine Graham pastry.

NICE BREAKFAST DISH.—Cold mashed potatoes in a little milk, and slightly flattened; dip them into an egg; slightly so, as to mix the yolk and white; roll them in cracker crumbs. Fry them in hot lard or butter. Send to table hot.

IF horse-radish be prepared in the fall, as follows, it may be kept all winter: To each coffee-cupful of horse-radish, allow one table-spoonful of salt; one table-spoonful of white sugar; and a pint and a half of good vinegar; bottle and seal.

RAT TRAPS.—Rats and mice will go into a trap more readily if a small piece of looking-glass be put in any part of the trap where they can see themselves reflected. They mistake the reflection for another rat, and where others are they follow.

FRUIT or wine stains can be removed from woolen or cotton goods by sponging them gently—do not rub the goods with ammonia and alcohol; a teaspoonful of ammonia to a wine-glass of alcohol. Then if needed the material may be washed.

A PIECE of red pepper, the size of your finger-nail, put into meat and vegetables, when first beginning to cook, will aid greatly in killing the unpleasant odor arising therefrom. Remember that for boiling cabbage, green beans, onions, chickens, mutton, etc.

HOUSE PLANTS.—Tobacco smoke—under cover—will be found an effectual remedy for aphides; but the larvae of many other insects, especially of the tipula and the tenth-redimids, which occasions the wrapping up and shriveling

JACK KEHOE.

Hanging of a Noted Mollie Maguire. (From the Philadelphia Record.)

"Jack" Kehoe, ex-convict, was the man who was hanged for the murder of Mollie Maguire, in King. As if to compensate, in a small measure, for the dying agonies of the man cruelly murdered upon the gallows in the Pottsville jail were terrible. Never has a criminal been so much excited in Pennsylvania. His death was universally demanded.

"I never felt better in my life," he remarked, as he prepared to receive his wife and bid her a final farewell. The woman, who has worked indefatigably to save her husband, went away broken-hearted. "All was now ready, and the great criminal came from his cell. He was dressed in black, with a heavy cloak wrapped about his shoulders. He walked steadily to the scaffold, and eyed the fatal noose for a moment. When the platform was reached the reverend fathers kissed the doomed man, who folded his hands, and, in a calm but clear voice, said, "I am not guilty of the murder of Maguire. I never saw the crime committed."

He then took the cloak off and announced himself ready. The Sheriff adjusted the noose. Kehoe nodded; the trap was sprung, and the body fell downward and brought up with a dull thud. It fell sideways, and the noose slipped; the body swung round, and, as it dangled at the end of the rope, the limbs were drawn upward and twitched violently, and the struggles of the Mollie criminal told the terrible agony he was suffering. The prison physician called the doctor down, and in four minutes, but other physicians felt the pulse for six minutes, and respiration was noticed on the fifth minute. The body was cut down at 10:37, the coat was taken off, and the displaced enough to show that the straps had been fastened from the left ear. The neck was very much discolored, and the hands were purple.

The body was given to the undertaker and taken to "Shenandoah. With Jack Kehoe died the greatest of all the Mollie Maguire cases. In his prison cell, in fancied security, he has seen a score of his tools go out to their death, while he remained to brag of his power and to mock at justice. In the coal regions this man was known to every one as the King of the Mollies. He was a man who would do anything. He kept a saloon at Girardville, held the office of High Sheriff, and, as county delegate of the Schuylkill county Mollie Maguire, opened the meetings with prayer, and immediately discussed the murder of Mollie Maguire. He was a man of the "Backwoods" for years he has been a member of the society, and was connected with deeds of violence from the first. For years he had planned and plotted the boldest of crimes. The fate of many a victim was discussed and settled in his private apartments. He was a man to commit murders, and was his loudest in his praises of a man capable of doing a "clean job"—in other words, killing a victim at the first shot. The years 1875-76 struck terror to the hearts of the Mollie Maguire men, and Kehoe was the man who was the most feared of them. Jack Kehoe alone felt secure. He had seen township misgovernment and robbed by his men; he had seen his candidates elected to the Legislature, and had been courted and bowed down to by politicians. It was wonderful then, that he felt his own power, and deemed it sufficient to keep him floating on the swift-running tide which was bearing so many of his daring and desperate followers to destruction.

FRUITS IN HONEY. The Michigan State Bee-Keepers' Association, in session at Grand Rapids, has adopted the following circular:

A few facts are necessary to preserve consumers of honey from imposition. Nice white comb speaks for itself and is generally admired, but the price many lovers of honey will not afford. It makes a beautiful dish for the table, but is no better than extracted honey. All comb is wax, and in the stomach it is perfectly indigestible. Extracted honey is the pure liquid honey, taken from the comb by the honey-extractor. It is entirely different from what is known in the market as strained honey. Consumers help to impose on themselves by the false idea that pure honey will not granulate. They desire ungranulated honey, and dealers have attempted to supply the demand. Almost all pure honey will granulate when exposed for some time to light and cold. The granulated state is an evidence of purity. Much of the jar honey heretofore sold and recommended not to granulate is either adulterated or contains largely of glucose. Granulated honey can be returned to its liquid state in a few moments by placing the jar in warm water. When thus liquefied, it so remains for some time before again crystallizing. Consumers may be sure of a reliable article by purchasing granulated honey and reducing it.

We would respectfully call upon producers and consumers to unite their efforts to procure, by petition or otherwise such legislation in their respective States as will prevent the placing of any adulterations on the market under the name of honey. This becomes the more important since, during the past year, some American honey has been condemned, in Great Britain, as adulterated. We certainly ought to prevent the sale of such adulterations as are forbidden in European countries. We suggest the following tests to prove the purity of honey:

1. Honey adulterated with a poor article of glucose will, when poured into a cup of strong Japan tea, turn black, by the action of the tannic acid upon the corpuscles left in the glucose.

2. A pure article of glucose is detected by pouring strong alcohol on it in a tumbler. The alcohol will dilute pure honey, but it will cause a deposit of glucose as a gummy substance at the bottom of the glass.

A GLOSS CIPHER. Vice President Wheeler understands fully the insignificance of his office during the tenure of a robust President, and doesn't hesitate to add a job of his own to the many current concerning the place:

"A few weeks after I became Vice President," he said, "I went one Sunday to a church in Washington. The good minister prayed for the President and the Cabinet, and the Senators and members of the House of Representatives, and the Governors of the several States, and, finally, for the heathen, but made no mention of the Vice President. As I was walking home Sam Shellbarger came up and took

THE PEDOMOTOR.

A Little Contrivance That Will Walk a Lazy Man Twelve Miles an Hour. (From the Philadelphia Record.)

The newspaper carrier who serves papers to the attendants in the Permanent Exhibition building goes his rounds at the rate of twelve miles an hour. He travels on machines not unlike roller skates, which are called pedomotors, according to the inventor, Mr. H. H. Wood, an architect on Walnut street. The cord is not far distant from the whole city will be on wheels—when pedestrians will be skimming through the streets at the rate of ten miles an hour without any more effort than is now put forth in perambulating half that distance.

The pedomotor consists of four tough, light wooden wheels, supplied with an outer rim of tough india-rubber. These wheels are secured to a frame the shape of a shoe, and are strapped to the feet of the user in the usual manner. Unlike roller-skates, the wheels of these little vehicles are not under, but are placed on each side of the foot, thus giving the wearer a good standing, as well as a slight footing. The rear wheels are four inches in diameter, and those in front are but two and a half inches. This gives the foot a slight incline, and, when in motion, has much to do in impelling the pedestrian forward. Extending from the toe, with a slight curl toward the heel, is a piece of cast-iron termed the pusher, which is simply used in mounting an elevation or steep incline. From the center of the heel a small brass wheel extends backward, serving as a guide as well as a brake. The whole scarcely weighs a scale, and is so simple in its construction that no more effort is required than in ordinary walking. The wearer steps with his regular stride, and is amazed to find himself skimming over the ground so rapidly with so little muscular effort. Mr. Hobbs explains the action of the wheels as follows: "The rear wheels are one foot apart, but the front ones are one-half further, with the pedomotor. This is because the body is in constant motion. For instance, says he, 'the treader takes a step, and his feet are one foot apart, but he continues rapidly onward until that foot is set down and the other raised to make another step. This gives him more momentum, and away he goes over two miles in the same time to accomplish a mile, and he does it with less effort than is required for their use, as in skates. The traveler simply plants one foot before the other, and finds himself whizzed along at a lively rate.'

Edison's Inventions. It may be premised that the popular idea that Edison's invention is embraced in one or two patents is exceedingly erroneous. Before it is absolutely complete, it will probably be covered by thirty, or perhaps forty, patents. Our patent laws do not permit the embrace of a single article, but require the details of a complex plan—each distinct feature must be patented by itself. This was the case with Edison's stock telegraph instrument, which, although not nearly so complex as the electric light, is protected by forty patents. The details of the system of his electric lighting are probably as numerous and require as many patents for complete protection as did the system of lighting by gas, with its purifiers, gasometers, retorts and all the apparatus which is necessary to make up the entire plan. Among the appliances of the electric light which will have to be secured, before the light as an entirety can be explained, are the improved dynamo machines, the regulators, condensers, etc., and the details of the various portions of the light proper and the various forms of conductors and lamps to meet the diversity in the wants of the consumers. When all these are completed—and not a day passes without a marked advance toward the completion of the electric light of the wizard of Menlo Park will be ready for inspection, criticism and use, but not before.—New York Herald.

New York City's Enormous Taxes. One of the most lively places in the city last week was the tax office, where a long procession was waiting each his turn at the desk. On the first day of the month the usual penalty of 1 per cent. was added. The tax levy this year is \$30,079,772. The tax for 1877 was \$28,000,000. Since 1875, which was the highest rate, forty years ago (\$188) the entire valuation was \$264,152,941. This year it is \$1,098,387,775, being an increase of more than \$800,000,000. This shows that every addition of 100,000 new population adds \$1,000,000 to the wealth of the city. You can see this ratio uniformly held during the last sixty years by reference to the published records. The worst feature in our municipal difficulties is the immense debt, the interest on which is \$25,000 per day. Our reformers, reformators and charitable institutions cost \$3,000 per day, while the daily expense of the judiciary is nearly \$4,000. Almost the same sum is required for prisons and almshouses. Education costs \$10,000 a day in the way of the imaginary daily item of \$2,000. Even the department costs nearly \$850 per day. Rather a large sum one might think for this item, but it is not surprising here, as in the way of taxation, while the amount of property stolen is almost equal, but of this our model police seem to have no knowledge. Their \$10,000 a day is paid to have them "mind their own business." If you want them to mind yours they must be paid at an extra rate.—New York letter.

Good Advice. Says the Elmira Gazette: "No; don't learn a trade, young man. You might soil your hands, will your shirt-collar and spoil your complexion, wearing. Go hang your chin over a counter; learn to talk twaddle to the ladies; part your hair in the middle; make a wavy that wouldn't support a Chinese laundryman on rice-fed rats and leave a big enough balance to pay his washer-woman—just because it is a little more genteel in the eyes of people whose pride prevents them from plain work; and you will be a success, and your wages will be more than one of those patent cross-legged clothes-pins. If the truth were only told."

WITH THIS NUMBER THE ARGUS completes its thirty-third volume. Its past record is known to its readers. Its future is with its subscribers, and this is a good time to show an interest in its future...

THE Legislature will meet in regular biennial session on New Year's day.

BEVERLY B. DODGINS, Representative of the First Virginia District, died at the National Hotel, Washington, on Sunday last, of inflammation of the bowels, aged 56 years the day before.

The Blaine investigating committee—on which Blaine would not serve—is in "a peck of trouble" at the outset. There is no appropriation from which its expenses can be paid...

THAT Blaine investigating committee was finally constituted as follows: Messrs. Teller, Cameron of Wisconsin, Kirkwood, Hoar, McMillan, Bayard, Wallace, Garland, and Bailey.

BLAINE refused as chairmanship of that investigating committee he was so anxious to raise, and it was exceedingly difficult for the Republicans to find any of their number who were willing.

THE LATE annual meeting of the Patrons of Husbandry at Lansing was the largest gathering of the order ever held in the State. The annual address of Master Woodman was received with great favor.

Down in Indiana a Republican-Greenback combination is reported, having in view the defeat of Senator Voorhees, whose friends have claimed that his reelection was a sure thing.

Now that "gold is at par" and redemption an accomplished fact, or in other words now that the credit of the Government is no longer at a discount, but its promises to pay or notes of hand—the greenbacks—are worth one hundred cents on the dollar in gold...

The Ann Arbor Argus devotes about three square feet of space to an unimpaired report of a lecture in that city by Governor Hendricks, an address to the law students, and a reception given to the distinguished Indian.

Isn't our friend of the Journal unnecessarily captious? The Lecture Association before which Gov. Hendricks appeared is not a political one; its subject is not a political one; and, while treated in a candid, calm, and scholarly manner, his lecture was by no means above the average of those heard before the same association...

antecedents nor love for Democratic legends as chart, compass, or balance wheel.

THE LATE GEN. A. S. WILLIAMS. Gen. Alpheus S. Williams, member of Congress from the First Michigan District (Wayne County) died in Washington, on Saturday last, at 4:20 a. m.

ALPHEUS S. WILLIAMS, of Detroit, was born at Snybrook, Connecticut, September 20, 1810; graduated at Yale College in 1831; was a student in the Yale Law School in 1832 and '33; traveled in Europe in 1834, '35, and '36; removed to Michigan in 1836, and commenced the practice of law; was Judge of Probate for Wayne County, 1840-'44; Alderman of Detroit in 1843, and Recorder of the city in 1844; was proprietor and editor of the Detroit Daily Advertiser in 1843-'48; was Postmaster of Detroit, 1849-'53; was member of the Detroit Board of Education, 1856-'57; entered the Union Army by appointment of the President as Brigadier-General of volunteers in 1862, and was distinguished in the Twelfth Corps in the battles of South Mountain, Antietam, and Gettysburg, and the Twenty-first Corps in the siege of Vicksburg...

We see no reason why the Bulgarians should not be indulged if they want to elect General Grant King of that interesting realm. His name of Ulysses may not be an objection, as the Bulgarians have not the same objection to the name of Ulysses as we have. It might be convenient in case the Bulgarians should grow strong enough to seek their revenge at once for the defeat and overthrow of King Sivasan by Sultan Amurath in the fourteenth century...

Ex-Governor Curtin, in his contest for the seat in Congress from the Twentieth Pennsylvania district, charges that 400 or 500 illegal votes were polled in Centre County, and that certain other places have been vitiated by the same vote.

THE Republican leaders, from Hayes on down, together with the entire Republican party, are now in a state of excitement, and are making a great howl about the elections in the Southern States, and threaten to make that question the absorbing issue in 1880.

Who would not be a United States Senator, with such a chance at the national bank as the following current exchange paragraph indicates? "The Senate expenses include for the 24 following items: Eight lunches furnished for appropriation and conference committees, during joint sessions, at \$15 each, \$120; to eight boxes lemons, at \$5, \$40; 120 pounds of sugar, at 12 cents, \$14.40; total, \$182. Lemons and sugar, but no spirit."

Blaine's incendiary scheme for firing the Northern horn against the Southern States will turn out a flat failure. It will be brilliant and all that as a party politician, but if such devices as this are the only practical outcome of his political genius he is to be set down as a quack of the first water.

The completeness of this Blaine fiasco is advertised in the composition of the committee. The head of it is Mr. Teller, the light of whose greatness has not been seen beyond the foot-hills. The tail of it is Judge Hoar, of Massachusetts, the only man of Mr. Blaine's party to vote against him on the committee of any particular note.

Candidates for position in the Legislature in this State are numerous and clamorous. We are glad to see that the Republican party has been organized into a "committee" of "organs" that all the office-seekers of the world were Democrats. But if a man keeps his eyes open in this city a short period he will conclude that there is now and then a Republican upon whose office can be trusted.

Blaine thinks witnesses in the South will be intimidated if they tell the truth in public. He says that he is sure they will be more truthful than if shut up in a private safe-box and encouraged to rehearse the part they have committed to memory. That is the difference between a bully and a statesman.

POLITICAL CLIPPINGS.

If it should be a fact that the "solid South" would be for Grant in the Republican convention, when not an electoral vote could be obtained for him in that whole region, the tendency might be to look upon the "solid South" as a hindrance to Grant's election.

The Detroit Tribune Leader, the organ of the liquor dealers, thinks that with united action the present Legislature will fix a uniform tax of \$50 on each liquor dealer, with no discrimination between beer and whisky.

Mr. Geo. W. Winslow, prominent in business, social and political circles in Galzmaroo for 40 years, died on the 21st, aged 70. He went there in 1834, and carried on the business of a merchant and importer until 1846 until two or three years since. His right leg, which had become badly diseased, was amputated a week before his death in hopes that his life might be prolonged, but it proved of no avail.

General Manager Lydard, of the Michigan Central railroad, denies the rumor that he has resigned, and says he is perfectly satisfied with his present position and has no idea of severing his connection with the road.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE! The annual meeting of Forest Hill Cemetery Company and Board will be held at the office of the Secretary, at the corner of Broadway and Broadway, on Tuesday, January 7, 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m.

HILL'S OPERA HOUSE. Monday Evening, Dec. 30th. Engagement of the justly celebrated HARRY WEBBER COMEDY COMPANY, who will appear in the great New York Comedy Success.

NIP AND TUCK! MR. HARRY WEBBER, in his intensely humorous character creation of NICHOLAS NIP, Detective. Supported by the following lights of the Dramatic Art: MISS LETTIE ALLEN, MISS MINA EDGERTON, MISS EVA WEBBER, MR. W. H. SOUTHWELL, MR. GEORGE BEARD, MR. ALEX. BYRDS, and other well-known artists.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw. In the matter of the estate of John Keenan, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned administrator of the estate of said deceased, by the Judge of Probate for the County of Washtenaw, on the twenty-sixth day of December, A. D. 1878, there will be sold at public sale, to the highest bidder, at the residence of said deceased, in the city of Ann Arbor, in the County of Washtenaw, Michigan, on the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate to wit: Beginning seven (7) feet east from the northwest corner of one (1) section east, twenty-six feet, thence south sixty-six feet, thence west twenty-two feet, thence north to place of beginning, with the appurtenances thereto belonging, in block two south, range five east, in the city of Ann Arbor, in the county of Washtenaw, in Michigan.

NOTICE. The undersigned has purchased the interest of George H. Winslow in the frame and picture building on the corner of Broadway and Broadway, and the business at the same place, giving prompt attention to all orders for frames, etc. A fine stock of Chromo, Engravings, and Photographs on hand and for sale cheap.

NOTICE. The annual meeting of the Washtenaw Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held in the city of Ann Arbor, on Wednesday, January 8, 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing officers and transacting such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. Located in a desirable part of the city, and in good repair. Also a house to rent on favorable terms. Inquire at the Ann Arbor office, or at 27 THOMAS STREET, Ann Arbor, March 14, 1878.

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VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE. 88 acres of improved land on Sec. 24, Township of Ann Arbor. Buildings, fences, etc. in good order. No encumbrances. Inquire at the office of the undersigned, at 11111 ARGUS OFFICE.

RINSEY & SEABOLT'S BAKERY, GROCERY, FLOUR & FEED STORE. We keep constantly on hand, BREAD, CRACKERS, CAKES, ETC., FOR WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE. We shall also keep a supply of DELHI FLOUR.

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Ann Arbor City Mills. The Flour we are making from Southern Illinois and Old White Michigan Wheat is giving the VERY BEST SATISFACTION. Ask your Grocer for it, or call at our Flour and Feed Store, Cor. Ann and Fourth Streets.

"CANDEE" PURE GUM RUBBER BOOTS. Being free from adulterative mixtures, will give longer service than common Rubber Boots. Their great popularity has led to many cheap imitations, having a DULL FINISH, but this season the "CANDEE" CO. WILL VARNISH Their PURE GUM BOOTS, and to distinguish them from the common kind, will attach a RUBBER LABEL on the front of the leg, bearing the inscription.

"CANDEE" CO. CUSTOM MADE. PURE GUM. Outside Stationary Strap. Instead of the very inconvenient web inside strap, used on other makes of Boots.

"CANDEE" BOOT. Abstracts of Titles. Perfect Statement as to the Title of any parcel of land in Washtenaw County, as shown by the original records.

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EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS. At the Cash Dry Goods House of BACH & ABEL.

50 pieces Black Cashmeres, all wool, at 50, 60, 65, 75, 80 cts. 50 pieces Colored Cashmeres, in all the new and desirable shades, from 25 cents up. 50 pieces American Dress Goods, from 12 to 25 cents. Foreign Dress Goods, single and double width, at all prices. 25 pieces Black Alpaca and Mohairs, from 15 cents up. Very cheap! Ladies' Cloth, in all shades, 87 1/2 cents and \$1.00. 50 dozen Ladies' Underwear, at 50 cents, worth 75 cents. 50 dozen Children's Underwear, all sizes, from 20 to 50 cents. 50 dozen Gents' Underwear, equally as cheap. Ladies' and Misses Hosiery, in all styles and prices.

Great Bargains in Flannels! Great bargains in Table Linens, Bleached and Brown. Napkins, very cheap. 50 dozen Towels at 25c, same as sold ten days ago for 40 cts.

IN OUR CLOAK AND SHAWL DEPARTMENT WILL BE FOUND TREMENDOUS BARGAINS!

150 styles of Cloaks to select from. Good Cloaks for \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. No person consulting their own interest would think of buying until they examine our tremendous stock. Our stock of Shawls is immense and very cheap. 50 double Shawls, very fine wool, at \$6. We guarantee them better than any \$8 shawl elsewhere. Paisley Shawls at all prices.

SPECIALTIES!

50 dozen men's all wool hose at 25 cents per pair. 3 cases Bleached Muslin at 8 cents, better than Lonsdale and just as good as Fruit of the Loom. 100 bales Brown Sheetings, the very best, at 8 cents, price last week 10 and 11 cents. Just received another 50 dozen PEARL SHIRTS all finished for \$1.00. They are guaranteed to fit and give satisfaction in every particular. Coats' Spool Cotton furnished to the trade for 57 1/2 cts. Live Geese Feathers always on hand.

OUR MOTTO IS CASH AND ONE PRICE TO ALL!

UNDERWEAR!

THE BEST STOCK IN THE CITY, AT THE LOWEST PRICES, at WM. WAGNER'S. Are you going to Paint? THE BEST IN THE WORLD IS THE Chemical Paint, MANUFACTURED BY Geo. W. Pitkin & Co., 65 & 67 Market Street, Chicago, Ill.

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RAILROADS. MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD. MAY 15, 1878.

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Toledo and Ann Arbor Railroad. Taking effect Monday, Nov. 4, 1878.

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DETROIT, HILLSDALE AND SOUTHWESTERN RAILROAD. To take effect Aug. 15, 1878.

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CANADA SOUTHERN RY. LINES. The Only American Route Through Canada.

Trains leave M. C. R. Depot, Detroit, city time, as follows: Atlantic Express, daily, 4:00 a. m., Wagner car to New York and Boston. Lightning Express, daily, 12:10 noon, Wagner car to New York and Boston. Toledo trains leave 7:00 a. m., except Sunday; 3:10 p. m., daily; 4:00 p. m., on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, 6:30 p. m., except Sunday.

A DOLLAR SAVED IS A DOLLAR EARNED!

NEW GOODS! And prices LOWER THAN EVER. I have purchased in New York for cash, and I am now daily receiving one of the largest and most select stocks of Groceries in Washtenaw County, consisting of a full and well selected stock of ALL the new crop—including Gunpowders, Imperials, Young Hysons, Hysons, Japans, Oolong, Formosa, Congous, Souchongs, and Teawarks.

SUGARS, SYRUPS AND MOLASSES,

AND HATS, CAPS, GLOVES. Together with everything in the line of Pure Spices, Canned Fruits, and Vegetables. We have a full and complete line of

EDWARD DUFFY.

"Maynard's Block," cor. Main and Ann streets, Ann Arbor, Mich. Highest cash price paid for all farm produce. \$4,735,092.86. \$6,792,649.98. Losses Paid in 55 Years. \$44,760,391.71. Surplus over all Liabilities, including Re-Insurance, Bonds, etc. \$4,735,092.86. Not Surplus over Liabilities, including Re-Insurance and Capital Stock, \$1,735,092.86. C. MACK, Agent, Ann Arbor.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Next Sunday the Reform Club will be addressed by student...

Monday's New York dailies were received yesterday noon...

Rev. J. M. Richmond, of Ypsilanti, has lost two children by scarlet fever...

Vigilant Fire Company No 2 give a ball at the Army next Tuesday evening...

Thanks to Edward Duffy for a fine and fat young turkey for our Christmas dinner...

Judge Harriman is wrestling with chills and is with the mercury hovering just about zero...

L. J. Liesemer, of the Saline Standard, gave the ARGUS office a call yesterday afternoon...

An adjourned session of the Board of Supervisors is to be held next Thursday, January 2...

Mr. Clark, of Saline, the new County Clerk, has appointed L. F. Wade, a young lawyer of this city, deputy...

Dr. Theodore F. Welch, eldest son of Gov. Welch, who resides at Deadwood, Dakota Territory, is at home on a visit...

The Townsend Family Dramatic Company appear at the Opera House next Wednesday evening, and continue four nights...

Owing to the general blockade of the railroads on Monday and Tuesday, "Christmas packages" were delayed all along the line...

J. C. Kewitson has been taken into partnership by A. J. Sawyer. Jerry will run the office the coming three months while Sawyer runs the Legislature...

A "Subscriber" would be pleased to have the Supervisors order the weather-vane on the new Court House so regulated that they will tell the truth about the wind...

The new county officers—Clerk, Treasurer, Prosecuting Attorney, Circuit Court Commissioners, Coroner, and Surveyor—will enter on duty on Wednesday next...

The streets of this city were exceedingly dull on Christmas day, and nothing indicated that it was the feast day of the year. Charge it to the extreme cold which prevailed...

On Christmas day Sheriff Case was the recipient of a "magnificent gold watch"—a Waltham with all the "modern improvements"—from his deputies. Who wouldn't be a sheriff?

While in our city last week the Madjeska company stopped at Cook's Hotel, and the landlord asserts without qualification that it was the best behaved theatrical company he ever entertained...

At the Red Ribbon prize dance on Tuesday evening prizes were awarded to Carrie Williams and Wilton Wanic as the best waltzers, and to Lizze Lang and Kit Mathers for best square...

Nip and Tack: that is the name of the successful comedy to be played at the Opera House next Monday evening, by the Harry Webber Company. The company and play each have an excellent reputation...

The printer who made up our first page mistake Christmas for New Year's day and prematurely changed the number of the volume. Vol. XXXIV will begin January 3, 1919. Now is the time to pay for it...

We understand that an effort will be made at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Washtenaw County Agricultural and Horticultural Society to be held in this city to-morrow, to establish a system of monthly meetings for the discussion of agricultural subjects. Such meetings may be made productive of much good...

Messrs. Keating & Bryant, of this city, announce the issue about January 15, of a new monthly magazine, the Michigan and Surveyor. Y. C. Vaughan, of the Medical Department, will be managing editor; Prof. Palmer, Maclean, Langley, and Dr. Groff, of Pennsylvania, assistant editors; and Dr. Dunster, North, Ayles, Prescott, A. C. Maclean, and Harriet V. Byers, regular contributors. \$2 a year...

Motjeska had a large audience on Thursday evening of last week at the Opera House. We didn't find the highest opinion of the play of the evening, "Cinderella," but the acting of Motjeska was perfect. Her conception of the part, her success in rendering and her graceful movements, combined to win the admiration of her hearers. She was also well supported,—much better so than the average star of the troupe which so through the country...

Our thermometer said zero at 7 o'clock on Monday morning, and on Tuesday at the same hour 2 degs. below were recorded; but the biting wind which prevailed all day made a poor fellow who was compelled to face it think that the mercury was down to 20. It was the roughest day of the winter, and we didn't hanker after a rougher one. The morning of the 27th above was the measure, and yesterday the weather was quite mild again, with the wind from the South and more sun in prospect...

Dexter Leader, Dec. 20: "A railroad meeting will be held at Pinckney on Friday, Dec. 27, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering the propriety of extending the Toledo and Ann Arbor Railroad from Ann Arbor to Howell, by way of Dexter, Dover and Pinckney. All persons interested in the building of said road are requested to be present, and particularly the farmers living along the proposed line of said road are expected to attend, as it is of the utmost importance to them. The city of Ann Arbor is especially desired, and the villages of Howell, Dover and Dexter are requested to send delegates to this meeting..."

The snow storm which was inaugurated on Friday night last culminated in the drifts made by the heavy snow on Tuesday night and Tuesday. From East and West and North and South come stories of delayed trains. On Tuesday and Wednesday the M. C. R. R. held nearly all their freight trains, and the passenger trains were more or less behind from Monday morning until yesterday, when they commenced being on time. The Toledo and Ann Arbor road suffered more. Fewer trains being on the road the drifts accumulated in the cuttings so that no trains could be worked through either way on either Tuesday or Wednesday. The train south on Tuesday got out to the gravel road—seven miles, and the one north came as far as Aloxon. The drifts in the cuttings this side of Milan were from six to ten feet deep and a passage had to be shoveled out for several miles. Tuesday a baggage car was broken and on Wednesday a passenger car had a platform pulled off. Yesterday trains got through both ways, but a little behind time, and to-day regular time will probably be made.

NEW YEAR'S DAY Who will keep "Open House." In response to our invitation to the ladies who propose to meet on New Year's Day, to send in their names with the list of their friends assisting, we have the following: Mrs. Angell, South University avenue. Mrs. Beakes and daughter, afternoon and evening, assisted by Mrs. Sinclair, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. Swathe, Mrs. Milten, Mrs. Ashley, Mrs. Boudinot, Mrs. Kline, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Hamilton, and the Misses Ella Hill, Louise Richards, Sarah Henriques, Jennie James, Lulu Hubbard, and Hattie Swathe.

Mrs. S. P. Jovett, West Huron street. Mrs. S. T. Otis, West Huron street, assisted by Mrs. John F. Nichols, Misses Anna Nichols and Mary Beckus, and the two Mrs. Wardens. Mrs. and Miss Winchell, at No. 11 North University avenue, assisted by Misses Millie Knowlton, Jessie Taylor, Edith and Rebecca Wood, Lulu Parsh, Bessie Hunt, Rebecca Brown, Lulu Bell, Lulu Goff, Bertha Hill, Hattie McBurnie, and Clemmie Houghton, all of this city, and by Miss Mary Foster, of Ludington, and Miss Clara Miller, of Detroit.

The New England Society Festival. The New England Society of this city celebrated its twenty-first anniversary on Friday evening last at the Congressional Club. The public exercises were presided by the hostesses, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Cyrus A. Lewis. Vice-President, P. L. Page. Recording Secretary, A. W. Hamilton. Corresponding Secretary, Prof. C. E. Greene. Treasurer, Theodore Taylor. Executive Committee, Prof. W. H. Pettet, Prof. H. S. Frieze, and E. J. Knowlton.

After the election was over, President Dunster called the public meeting to order and a voluntary organ was given by Prof. Frieze, followed by prayer by the Rev. Dr. Brown. Then followed a solo and chorus from Mendelssohn's Oratorio of St. Paul, and after that the anniversary oration was given by Prof. W. H. Pettet. Prof. Pettet reviewed in a scholarly and attractive manner the early efforts of the New Englanders to establish institutions of learning in this country, informed and higher. It was historically full of interest, and was a fitting tribute to those educated and far-seeing pioneers who laid so broad and deep the foundations of school and college, even while battling with the savages and chopping down the forests.

After the address the audience joined the choir in singing the following ode, written as the programme advises us, for the occasion: "The Men of New England, 1878. We come, we come to honor New England's glorious band, Whose spirit gave to freedom A heritage so grand. A land where heaven's abundance The laborer's toil shall find, And not a chain shall shackle Freedom's feet and hand."

Then honor to the Pilgrims On Plymouth's windy shore, And those who coming later, Like hardships also bore. And honor freedom's banner, Which holds the torch of light, A symbol of their earnest, A hope to all the world. Honor their patient labor, Honor their courage brave, That braved every danger, And never flinched in prayer; Their faith and their endurance Brought copious blessings down, So let New England's children With praise their memory crown.

The benediction was then pronounced by Rev. W. H. Ryder, after which the audience adjourned to the hospitable and beautiful parlor in the basement. The call was soon given to the supper room, where the tables had been abundantly and bountifully spread by the ladies of the church, and where the members of the society, invited guests and friends to the number of some 120, were made heartily welcome, courteously waited upon, and generously feasted. The ladies in charge of the tables vied with each other in ministering to their guests at home and in ministering to their guests at home.

After full justice had been done to the feast, Dr. Dunster, in a few happy remarks, introduced the exercises, by announcing that heretofore it had been the custom to toast "The Women of New England" and call upon a gentleman to respond, but that this year a custom was to be reversed and a lady called upon to speak for the sterner sex. He, therefore, gave as the first toast, "The Men of New England." "They say the best men are moulded out of faults," then with a sorry set. New Englanders once were, "framed in the prodigality of nature" they are "no longer men as ever trod upon neat's leather."

The response by Miss Cora Benison of the Law Department was appropriate and well delivered, and the list of eminent New Englanders she named was a titanic to the pride of their descendants gathered to glorify their ancestors.

Our Guests: Thank you, good air, you are more than one, for it is a well-settled paradox that the pressures of hospitality are most onerous to those who are not.

Responded to in a humorous and happy vein by Hon. T. W. Palmer, of Detroit, who proclaimed himself, though born in Michigan, "a Yankee Mosiac," with his ancestors spreading all over New England and almost crowding the "Blue Noses" of Nova Scotia.

The Inventive genius of New England: "Hit a griddle round the earth in forty minutes."

Response by Prof. J. W. Langley, who was very happy in his reference to New England inventors. Whitney, Morse, Morton, Good-year, and Howe were named, and the work their inventions had done for the world briefly sketched.

Before the next toast the choir sang "Israel's Sons with one accord"—solo and chorus.

Our Educational System—New England's Precious Gift to Michigan: A son of New England took—in unity of organization and in unity of development it has even outstripped its parent in the number of its institutions.

Prof. Adams, in response, credited the educational system of Michigan and the Northwest to the ordinance of 1877, especially to a clause prohibiting slavery and setting apart a portion of the public lands for the support of schools both of primary and higher grades, which clauses he claimed, in the light of recent disclosures, for a son of Massachusetts—the Rev. Mansfield Cutler, president of the purchase of lands in Ohio.

5. New England's Place in Literature: Built upon a foundation whose corner stone was "The Book of Books" she has now a proud name in the world of letters, in spite of material disadvantages.

Response by Rev. J. T. Sunderland, who named many of the well-known authors of New England in the several departments of literature, history, poetry, theology, law, fiction, etc. The speaker attributed any superior short comings in any department to the fact that while the world's authors whose names are so famous were and are the products of centuries of culture, New England institutions and New England scholars are the growth of to-day.

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