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SOCIETY.

G. A. R. ALLEN M. HARMON POST, NO. 315, G. A. R. Department of Michigan, meet every Friday. Visitors welcome. D. C. Curtis, Sec'y.

CHORAL FRIENDS Union Com. of No. 5 meets at 7:30 P.M. on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 7 o'clock. B. G. Wadsworth, Sec'y.

ROY W. DELPHIA is a candidate for No. 9 of the Order of the Sons of the Mothers of each month. L. E. Sutton, Sec'y.

C. E. CLARKSON is a candidate for No. 10 of the Order of the Sons of the Mothers of each month. C. E. Clarkson, Sec'y.

CLERGY.

Methodist Episcopal Church of Service, 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. Sermon by Rev. J. W. Hudson. Prayer meetings every Thursday evening at 7:30. Class meetings on Sunday at 10:30 A.M. and Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. Strangers are invited to all services. REV. G. W. HUDSON, Pastor.

Presbyterian Sunday Services at 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. Sunday School at 11 A.M. Prayer meetings every Thursday evening at 7:30 P.M. All will be made welcome. Young People's Society meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 O'clock. REV. G. E. PADDAK, Pastor.

Baptist Hours of Service on Sunday at 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. Sunday School at 11 A.M. Prayer meetings every Thursday evening at 7:30 P.M. Strangers are invited. REV. L. G. CLARK, Pastor.

SCHOOL OFFICERS.

Moderator—Dr. J. V. SWIFT.
Director—W. H. AMBLER.
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D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs; had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery. Trial Bottles free at A. M. Randolph's Drug Store.

NORTHVILLE

Is a thriving and growing incorporated village of about 1,500 inhabitants. It is situated in the north-west corner of Wayne county, 25 miles from Detroit and 50 miles from Toledo, on the line of the F. & P. M. Ry. It is surrounded by an excellent farming and fruit raising country. Its manufactures are numerous and contribute largely to the building up of a thriving town. It has an excellent school and excellent schools. Its moral and business are unsurpassed in any place of its size in Michigan which makes it a very desirable place for families seeking homes. It has the advantage of being near Detroit and yet so far from it as to be free from the evils of city life. Taxes are low, there being practically no village or county taxes. There is an abundance of good water and the place has an excellent reputation for healthfulness. There is no lack of undeposited water power. Manufacturers look for a location will do well to investigate this. They will find capital here ready to cooperate in any profitable investment. Any additional information on the subject will be gladly furnished on applying to the **Northville Record**.

TOWN TALK.

Additional locals on fourth and fifth pages.
Don't fail to see the Golden Temple at 10:15 P.M.
Mrs. Orange Butler is visiting her daughter in Georgia.
G. A. R. Golden Temple at the Rink next Wednesday evening.
H. Yerkes and wife returned from their Florida trip last Friday.
Frank Ambler and Don Yerkes left last Monday for the Agricultural College.

See advertisement elsewhere of a steam thrashing machine for sale on trade.
Mr. Dr. Arnold and two children are visiting at her mother's—Mrs. R. F. Allen.
King Ambler has accepted a position to travel for a firm that makes rubber stamps.
W. W. Dibble and wife of Detroit Sundayed with relatives in town last Sunday.
F. R. Beal was confined to the house by sickness Sunday and the fore part of the week.
D. B. Northrop has finished his work in northern Michigan and has returned home.

Don't forget that Gibson the artist will be here next Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 29 and March 1.
We are indebted to M. D. Gorton for Ludington papers. A do Rev. J. M. Va. Every for Dakota papers.
W. J. Burrows, W. J. Burrows' popular postmaster made this office a pleasant call on Washington's Birthday.

A fair audience at the Rink Wednesday evening to witness the Stereopticon exhibition of Egypt and the Nile.
O. Westfall has given the G. A. R. boys assurance that he will close his saloon during the hours of the rendering of the Union Spy.
Every lady in the place is interested in the W. C. T. U. and is earnestly requested to meet at Mrs. J. Sanders' next Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Capt. Horton is holding a series of meetings at Salem. He writes "God's movement here, a large number are coming to us." He will not be here Sunday to hold any services on that day.
Mrs. Emma Simonds lost her umbrella at the Va. Hotel and as her name is on the inside of the umbrella it would be an easy task for any one else to use it. You are asked to return it to her or to this office.

Last week the Fish car took a load of brook trout to distribute in the waters of Kentucky. This week they are distributing a load in Indiana. Last Saturday 1,000,000 white fish eggs were sent to London, England and yesterday 500,000 were sent to Winnipeg, De.

Two ty-one of the Sir Knights of P. have made a pilgrimage to this place last evening to confer the degree of a knight commandery. They were banqueted by our Sir Knights in the K. T. B. hall. Many of the members of this commandery formerly been stationed at Pontiac and have a very affectionate feeling for the old commandery.
W. D. Fuller one of the leading greenbackers of the state, is out with a strong letter to his fellow party members urging them to vote and work for the amendment. The greenback party cannot do anything else very well, but support it as their recent party platform declared in no uncertain terms against the liquor traffic and making it legal by a license.

AMENDMENT MEETING TO-NIGHT.

AT THE MISSION CHURCH.
ADDRESS BY REV. G. W. HUDSON ON THE MAINE LAW.
Rev. Mr. Hudson came to Michigan from Maine about four years ago and by invitation of the committee will speak on the workings of prohibition in that state at the Mission church to-night.
There was a good number in attendance at the Amendment meeting at the Mission church last Friday evening considering the inclemency of the weather. There were more present and more interest manifested than was expected. Dr. Swift was made chairman of the meeting and E. R. Reed secretary. It was decided to form an Amendment club to aid in carrying the prohibition amendment passed by the legislature in regard to the prohibition of the liquor traffic in this commonwealth.
F. R. Beal, L. W. Hutton, E. K. Simonds, Rev. G. E. Paddack and E. R. Reed were appointed as a committee to report at the next meeting a plan for organizing and to nominate officers.
Dr. Swift, Revs. L. G. Clark and G. W. Hudson were appointed a committee to arrange for speaking at the next meeting which will be held this evening at the same place and every citizen is invited to attend. The ladies are especially invited.

The second entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. course will be given Friday evening, March 11, by the Alton Quatuorlette club of Detroit. The Association are very fortunate in securing this famous club for an entertainment and we can assure our readers a rich treat is in store for them. The Association will go to a good deal of expense in getting this club here and we hope every one will make arrangements to attend.
We fear we did the Plymouth Mills an injustice last week in permitting an item to appear in one of our correspondence stating that they had raised the price of grinding feed because the Phoenix Mill dam was destroyed. The proprietors, Messrs D. B. Wilcox & Son inform us the price is the same for grinding that it was at the time the Phoenix dam went out. We gladly make the correction as we do not intend to do any one an injury.
The defeat of the amendment in April would not be a Democratic victory; it would not be a Republican victory. Neither would it be a defeat for either of those parties, but it will be a grand victory for the liquor traffic, and a disastrous defeat for the temperance cause. Who can doubt this? Who does not know that beer and whisky will flow in rivers all over the state to celebrate the defeat of the amendment, if it is defeated? Then why should any temperance man hesitate for a moment which way to vote on this question.—Ionia Standard (Democratic).

Bishop Gillespie writes to the Detroit Free Press proposing an amendment makes no provision for liquor used for sacramental purposes. Christian people have fought long for the suppression of the liquor traffic and it is hard for the average man to see why any sect or individual should insist on having intoxicating liquor at communion service. With all due respect for the good bishop we think that any temperance man who would divide the forces, or not vote for temperance because it would prevent intoxicating liquor from being used at communion, must be warped. We doubt whether the letter of the divine law demands such an article: the spirit of the law certainly does not.

The G. A. R. post and Sons of Veterans camp will give that popular play "Union Spy" next week Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings for the benefit of their respective societies. Posters and programs have been issued giving all the particulars and casts of characters. The play is being arranged by E. Smith, of Rockwood, who is an adept in this line of work and has made the "Union Spy" a specialty. It will be a grand entertainment we can assure our readers. The societies for which it is given are worthy of your support.
The dates have been changed to Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week account of the Methodist social Wednesday evening.

Last Friday David Tools, who resides a little over a mile south of the village, was arrested on complaint for not supporting and taking care of his wife and children. He was tried Wednesday, found guilty, fined \$25 and costs or default of payment sixty days in the house of correction. He did not pay the fine and consequently is locked up. His wife and two little children (one two years old and the other not yet two weeks old) will find refuge in the county house. The examination developed the startling fact that here in this wealthy township a family have spent the winter with no shoes or stockings for the wife or two year old boy and but one quilt on the bed. During the mother's recent sickness she had not necessary clothing or food to make her comfortable until the neighbors brought it in. Such a man is a "lord of creation," is entitled to a vote and the intelligent mothers and women of the land have no say in the management of affairs.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY SUPPER.

A MOST ENJOYABLE TIME.
About thirty-five couples sat down to the bounteously spread tables at the Northville House Tuesday evening to a Washington's Birthday supper. The popular local crowd outdid themselves in the ample preparations they made for the occasion. After all had partaken until they could partake no more toast master L. W. Hutton offered the following appropriate toasts which were happily responded to by the gentlemen named.
"George Washington and the day we commemorate," response by Dr. J. M. Swift.
"Michigan, her agricultural advantages and her natural productions," response by Robert Yerkes.
"Michigan, her manufactures," response by F. R. Beal.
"The reverent clergy, their relations with and duties to the people," response by Rev. G. W. Hudson.
"The churches and Sabbath schools of Northville," response by Rev. L. G. Clark.
"Michigan, her common school system, her university, and her colleges," response by Prof. O. I. Palmer.
"The Young Men's Christian Association of Northville," response by F. N. Clark.
"Women, her work in the cause of temperance," response by Rev. G. E. Paddack.
"Michigan, fifty years ago and to day," response by E. S. Woodman.
"The Ladies," response by C. M. Joslin.
The RECORD may hopes these suppers will be repeated often as they are enjoyable and profitable occasions and unite the people together socially. The Northville House is a very appropriate place for them.

From the response of the toast on Michigan, her manufactures," by F. R. Beal we publish an interesting bit of history of the building of Northville's first flouring mill. This is interesting to us youngsters of the present day. "I candidly think that the greatest mechanical achievement in this country—and perhaps you might challenge America to equal it—was the building of the first flouring mill in Northville, on the site of the present Northville mills. On the authority of the late William Yerkes, I can state the actual cash capital employed to have been just \$100 and it built a dam and mill complete. After a little prospecting a big boulder was found in one of our hillides. It was drilled with great care by Israel Nash, a little here and a

little there—not one blow too hard, let the whole thing go to flinders—until it lay before the old man in two parts ready to receive the finishing strokes to make out of them the upper and nether mill stones. These must have been nearly five feet in diameter and did service for many years. They were finally sent to Detroit to be placed in a mill for grinding plaster."

BUSINESS FLASHES.

Prof. C. E. Charles's Golden Temple of Art and Music will be opened for exhibition at Princess Rink next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. The Temple is a most wonderful musical and automatic instrument, its construction requiring seven years' time. 1-4 musical pieces and many stage scenes are contained in it. The press and people speaks of it in the highest terms. The following is from several well-known business men of Flint:
We have seen Prof. Charles's wonderful Golden Temple and would recommend it to our citizens as something of a high order and entirely different from anything ever exhibited in our city. It is very instructive to children and something all should see. At the small admission none can afford to miss it and they are sure to be well repaid. Don't miss it when you have the opportunity.

W. J. WALTER,
R. PUTNAM,
W. A. MILLER,
H. H. WETHERELL,
J. H. ZIMMERMAN.

MISS CAROL PENNE has returned to Northville prepared to do dressmaking by the day. And may be found the second door from the Opera house east. Ladies a share of your patronage is so invited.

FOR SALE.
A good road house. Seven years old. Sound and kind. For further particulars enquire of
J. B. TRINHAM,
Northville.

HAVING SOLD OUT
Mrs. M. B. Roberts is prepared to do dressmaking by the day. And may be found the second door from the Opera house east. Ladies a share of your patronage is so invited.
MRS. EMMA PIPPERS.
DR. BENNETT

Has taken one day now in each month to treat chronic difficulties in Northville. He is now well known to all here. His success speaks for itself. He does it, gets them well. Go and see him March 2d, and go early to avoid the rush. Pills always cured without knife or ligatures and not an hour lost from business.
DR. BEEBES

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BUY YOUR Lumber, shingles &c. at Robinson's. NORTHVILLE MILLS Reconstructed to the Roller System especially as a Custom Mill. Farmers are invited to give us a trial.
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GOOD SEWING MACHINE For sale for \$15.00 on weekly or monthly payments. Inquire at this office.
DRY WOOD Of all kinds for sale at VanZile's.
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OATS Bought for cash at Smith's.
GO AND SEE These Jackson wagons at VanZile's

STATE CONVENTIONS.

Republican, Detroit, Feb 23.
Prohibition Lansing Feb 24.
Democratic, Detroit, March 1.

At the Republican State Convention which met in Detroit Wednesday, the following were the nominations made. Justice of the Supreme Court Judge J. V. Campbell, of Detroit and Col. Chas. D. Long, of Flint; For Regents of the University, R. W. Burleigh, of Kent and Chas. Hubbard, of Baraga.

The Lansing Republican is making considerable capital from the fact that in 1875 there were 1,867 saloons in Michigan when the present 300 license law went into effect while in 1885 there were but 3,001. The figures of the first named year are taken from the government figures which includes every dealer in the state for they all make it a point to get the government license which is but \$25. The figures of the last named year from the reports of the county treasurers of the number who have paid to them. It does not include the large number of dealers who have evaded the payment of the state license fee. In this county alone according to the Detroit Tribune of July 26, 1886 there were 722 saloons who had not paid their license. There would be encouragement to temperance people even if the number of saloons were diminished if the amount of liquor sold was also diminished but such is not the case. The fewer reported saloons of '85 paid into the municipal treasurers \$1,016,855.62 and yet flourished. The failures among them were so few as not to attract any attention and aside from this they spent as much more to defend themselves for transgressions and growing all the time. All this does not indicate any diminution of the traffic. The amount of liquor sold per capita has steadily increased according to government statistics. Since the license law went into effect twelve years ago we have had to build two prisons, two insane asylums, one reform school, and projects are now before the legislature to build a home for idiots and another insane asylum. We have built more of these institutions in the past twelve years than in the previous entire history of Michigan as a state. Territory. To-day Michigan counts her illiterates by 63,000. What monuments for a legalized crime making business? The man who votes to legalize such a business is as much responsible as though he cast the telling vote. If his son or daughter is drawn into the awful maelstrom he must assume his share of the result. The liquor interests ask for a continuance of the license law, what they want do temperance people want also? A safe rule to follow is to find out what your enemy wants and then go for the opposite.

These are the days when we hear of "personal liberty" and "the right to buy and sell" in connection with the liquor traffic. But there is nothing said by the advocates of freedom to work ruin in the community, about the utter demoralization of the users of intoxicating drinks; nothing about the want and misery and squalor of the wives and families who had better never have been born than to endure the curse. And the arguments against the practicability of the prohibition law though sometimes strong and almost sure of realization, only go to prove how strongly drunkenness is entrenched in society. It cannot be eradicated without much careful work, nor can such a change take place without much friction. The sudden loss of the liquor tax may at the beginning cause embarrassment, but if every saloon was compelled to pay \$1,000 in place of a \$20 tax it would not half liquidate the debt annually incurred upon other tax payers to support paupers, provide for courts of justice, build jails and penitentiaries and meet other expenses that are the direct result of drunkenness. We may have to return to the high license system in the future even if the amendment carries, this spring, but for the present at least, it would seem that every man who is arrayed on the side of civilization, progress, sobriety and christianity is morally bound to vote for the amendment. Never mind filling your mind with gloomy forebodings of what the result will be; do your duty on election day. -Ludington Record (Republican).

BEWARE Coughs, Colds and Slight Throat Diseases often develop into Bronchitis, Severe Cough, Consumption, etc., and should have immediate attention and be checked in the first stages. Not only public speakers, but all, are liable to throat and to obtain relief should use Hamilton's Cough Troches, which relieve Coughs and Hoarseness, making the articulation clear. Warranted to give satisfaction. Price 25c per box. Sold by Geo. Hueston.

WHEN A CURE IS GUARANTEED Why will you refuse to be relieved of that cough which is liable to become settled on your lungs and to cause you many a suffering day and sleepless night? Your children are liable to be taken with Croup and die before a doctor can be summoned. Be wise and obtain a remedy that will not fail to give relief from Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Croup and all other Lung Difficulties. Hamilton's Cough Balm will do all this and costs but a trifle. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by Geo. Hueston.

AN END TO BONE SCRAPING. Edward Shephard, of Harnsburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. I have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped and leg amputated. I used, instead three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c per box at A. M. Randolph's.



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Remember the Golden Temple.
D. W. Dunham is possessor of a pair of twins calves. This is the second time this cow has cut up this same caper.

PLYMOUTH PARAGRAPHS.

There was a wedding in North Village this week.

Mrs. Peter Lockwood and Mrs. Balcom, of Marshall, are here and are forming a class for instruction in Metaphysics.

Mr. W. H. Merritt is visiting his brothers—C. S. Merritt this week.

Dr. F. B. Adams, as a delegate of Plymouth council, attended the grand council of the Royal Templar, of Temperance held at Lansing this week.

The Democratic caucus to elect delegates to the County and Judicial conventions will be held in the council room of Northville on Saturday, Feb. 29th.

Mr and Mrs. W. T. Conder will spend their honeymoon at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, nee Miss Emma Ross, after their wedding proceeded to Saginaw where it is understood they will be joined on Sunday by a friend of Mr. Brown's who is also to be married on that day and all will commence housekeeping together in Saginaw.

The ball given by the Sons of Veterans on Tuesday evening was well attended and a good time is reported.

Charley Miller says his pacer Jack Forbes is showing great speed in his practice under the management of Jack Wallace.

D. C. Clark D-Mitch was recently west to California as a type of regaining his mind at San Diego Monday night.

LYONIA MATTERS

The Lyonia boys are very well attended on the occasion of the ceremony of the Lyonia boys' outfit time having a very amusing and interesting time. Among the Lyonia boys were Jesse Gibson, George and Fred Turner, and Amos with five companions were Charles, John Patton and Sam.

D. Burrows lies at the point of death.

Mr. Asa Johnson is dead.

A strange occurrence at A. E. Millard's last Saturday evening.

Mr. Shook is on the steps of the mill on the side of the mask dated and located.

If you wish to subscribe for the paper eaching in the Union church you can find the subscription paper at the printer.

W. D. Davis is a flying visitor last Monday.

Some of our friends were here last week and tell me.

Charles Ferguson is reported feeding his poultry with worms. He thinks the price of worms will not warrant such expensive food.

Samuel Johnson will have an auction next Tuesday. He has rented his farm and will move to Stark and start a meat market.

Daniel Baur went to Fowlerville last Tuesday to look for a farm to rent.

A. F. Millard says he is going to take the Recon, this night Asher we always thought your head was level.

SOUTH LYON DOTS.

Stands post with their second campaign on Monday. They have engaged for the occasion several good speakers, Rev. W. Barber from Jackson, Messrs. Lawless, Atkinson, and others. Exercises were held at the Opera house in the evening.

A committee composed of citizens from Lansing and Lansing last week to see if they could do with the D. & A. Road about about complete. Regular passenger service to this point. The Governor and a Road Commission said they would be in the matter and the what can be done.

The Detroit Register is in Detroit looking for a new press and type for his office.

Mr. M. B. Webster, Clyde and White, San Francisco Detroit with the family J. L. Newmark.

F. D. Howell went to Detroit this morning to attend the banquet of the republican club of which he is a member.

The largest sign in town was placed

over the Picket office a few days ago. Hiram Fowler is the boy that did the work.

Considerable building is contemplated here this spring.

F. S. Moody will take possession of his hotel about May 1st. Henry Whipple retiring from the same.

MICHIGAN FRUIT TREES

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF WAYNE
In the matter of the estate of Wm A. Morton deceased. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order given to the undersigned, Wm A. Morton administrator of the estate of Wm A. Morton deceased, by the Hon. Edgar O. Durfee Judge of Probate for the county of Wayne, on the eighteenth day of October A. D. 1887, there will be sold at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder on the premises situated in Northville County of Wayne, State of Michigan on "Friday the Eighth day of April A. D. 1887, at 12 o'clock at noon of that day, the following described Real Estate, to wit: That certain parcel or parcel of land, situated and lying in the village of Northville, county of Wayne, State of Michigan, known and described as follows, on the north side of Main street and bounded on the west by lands formerly owned by Mary H. Wheeler deceased, on the north and east by lands owned by Mrs. Asa Smith, on the south by Main street.
Date, Feb. 23d, 1887
WM A. MORTON,
Administrator.
E. S. Woodruff,
Att'y.

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Money is a great cure for tooth aches, but a twenty dollar gold piece placed on an aching tooth don't seem to have the least effect. In fact, nothing is sure cure but Hamilton's Toothache Drops, which are warranted to cure in one minute. Price only 2 1/2c Sold by Geo. Huceton.

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Our Sales for the past year show a decided increase over the preceding year for which we return many thanks to our friends and patrons and in the future we shall endeavor to keep our Stock full—in the season—of all the latest styles in Novelties and Domestic goods at bottom prices. Being situated as we are in a large double store we are able to keep our Groceries strictly separate from our Dry Goods. Thus we are able to handle our large stock of

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without mixing all together.

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always first-class and we would call especial attention to our prices which we warrant pure and good to none in the market.

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We have just received from Grand Rapids a car-load of **CHAMBER SUITS**

in the assorted woods of latest designs and finishes. Have placed them on sale at prices to rush them off. We guarantee a saving of 50 per cent on a purchase from this lot.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

John Sherman Resigns as President Pro Tem of the Senate.

Other News and Congressional Items.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23, 1887.

Senator John Sherman has resigned as president pro tem of the senate, in order that some one whose time runs beyond March 4 may be chosen to swear in the new senators and assist in the organization of the 50th congress.

It is reported on most reliable authority that President Cleveland has decided from his determination not to consider members of the present congress in making up his appointments for the interim state committee commission, and has come to the conclusion that it would not be a violation of the spirit of the constitution to appoint present members after the 15th of March.

A bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to set apart the best price, surplus proceeds of public documents, not more than one copy to any one person, and the bill making appropriations for the military academy have passed the senate.

It is rumored that Martin V. Montgomery, commissioner of patents, has given up his position in the department, and that he will shortly resign. The report lacks confirmation.

Washington's birthday was generally observed in this city as a holiday. All the executive departments and many business houses were closed.

Any nation that provokes us to war now, must do so with the understanding that we are to be pretty well equipped, the military committee of the house having agreed upon a bill appropriating \$3,000,000 for a gun factory, heavy ordnance, moccasins and torpedoes.

The senate has passed the river and harbor bill as amended and reported by the committee. The senate has also passed the bill to incorporate the ship and canal company of Nicaragua.

The conference committee on the Detroit federal bridge, as agreed on the amendment to the bill and it goes back to the house and senate, placing the limit of the cost of the building and site at \$1,000,000.

The bill to forfeit the land grant of the Ontonagon and Brule river railroad has been reported back to the senate. The opponents of the bill are trying hard to kill the measure, but if they do not succeed in this they will attempt to amend it by exempting the land which it is claimed the road has earned from the forfeiture.

In regard to the resolution adopted by the house inquiring as to the action taken by the department of state to protect the interests of American citizens whose property was destroyed by fire caused by insurgents at Aspinwall in 1855, the secretary says that negotiations were commenced in October last and are now pending between the United States and Colombia for the purpose of establishing an international commission to whom may be referred for adjustment the claims of citizens of the United States against the government of Colombia.

Another conference has been ordered on the bill repealing the pre-emption, timber culture and second land laws, as the house refused to recede from its disagreement to the senate amendments.

The acting secretary of the treasury has issued a call for \$10,000,000 three per cent bonds, the call to mature April 1st.

All reports to the contrary notwithstanding the secretaryship of the treasury has not been offered to any one, and Col. Lamont says the president has not yet settled the matter in his own mind.

A letter was received at the interior department a few days since addressed to Hon. Robert McClelland, who was secretary of the department in 1833, during the administration of President Pierce, thirty-four years ago.

Gen. Grosvenor, president of the national union league, has called a meeting of the national council to be held at the Ebbett house, Washington, on Tuesday, March 1st.

The director of the mint sent a communication to the house a few days since, protesting against reductions made in the estimates for the mint service by the appropriations committee.

The members of the house committee on foreign affairs had an interview with the president of the retaliatory fisheries legislation now pending in congress.

President Cleveland has vetoed the bill for the special distribution of seeds in the drought stricken counties of Texas. Briefly stated, he assigns as a reason that he does not believe in governmental charity.

The house refuses to concur in the senate amendments to the invalid pension bill, and a conference has been ordered.

The conference report on the Utah polygamy bill in the shape of a substitute for both senate and house bills, has been agreed to by the senate, and the bill is in the hands of the president.

The McAdo bill which appropriates \$20,000,000 for sea defence, came up in the house the other day. Lieut. Gen. Sheridan was present by invitation.

The president sent two more veto messages to the senate the other day. They were private bills, and in one case it was shown that there was fraud of a most flagrant order, and in the other that the applicant had neither moral nor legal right to the aid which he expected the government to give him.

The bill known as the "dependent" pension bill has been reported back to the house and it was recommended, notwithstanding the executive veto.

Both houses have agreed to the conference report on the trade dollar bill, and some action will probably be taken on this matter in the near future.

The opinion seems to be that there will be no action by the present congress authorizing the president to retaliate upon Canada for the insults to American fishing vessels.

The senate committee on printing has agreed to report adversely upon the nomination of Public Printer Benedict.

The contest between Bay City and East Saginaw, over the location of the United States court, which has been before congress since the 15th of January by Bay City. When the question was up earlier in the session East Saginaw was winner.

The bill to incorporate the ship and canal company of Nicaragua, with the principal office in New York city, the United States is to exercise such control over the project as is provided for by the treaty with Nicaragua.

Some Michigan friends of George L. Yaphle, candidate for governor in the last election, have, it is reported here, started a movement in favor of his appointment as a member of the interstate commerce commission.

A resolution was introduced in the house a few days since, requesting the secretary of state to inform the house whether the terms of the treaty of 1858 are construed to prohibit the United States from obtaining an effective navy on the northern lakes bordering on Canada.

The examination into the alleged political irregularities in Washington county, Texas, is now being held before a senate committee.

The house has passed the senate bill for the retirement and reconsignation of the silver dollar, first amending it so that the reconsignation of this coin shall not be considered as part of the monthly purchase of silver.

The senate has passed bills to abolish the superior court of Detroit; to provide for a deficiency in the amount appropriated for alphabetically indexing the names of all the soldiers from the state in the late war found upon the record of the adjutant general; and one requesting Michigan's representatives in congress to procure the passage of a law to adjust certain accounts between the United States and the states growing out of the direct tax of 1862.

It is stated on good authority that Secretary Bayard will succeed Secretary Manning, and that Minister George H. Fendleton will succeed Bayard in the state department.

The following is the status of the appropriation bills: The army bill is a law. The Indian, sundry civil, pensions and post-office bills have passed both houses and now await consideration by the house in the amendments or adjustment of differences by conference.

All business was laid aside in the house the other day, and the members paid tribute and honor to the patriotic life and character of Gen. John A. Logan.

Mr. Thomas of Illinois said that in battle Logan was a born warrior, full of overflows, and gladly bore testimony to the uprightness of his character, the gallantry of his military career, and his ability as a legislator.

Mr. Henderson of Illinois had enjoyed Logan's friendship for a quarter of a century, and gladly bore testimony to the uprightness of his character, the gallantry of his military career, and his ability as a legislator.

Mr. McKinney of Ohio thought that Logan justly represented one of the best types of American manhood, and illustrated in his life the outcome and the possibilities of the American youth under the generous influence of our free institutions.

Mr. Daniel of Virginia did not envy the feeling of the men who did not to-day mourn with those who mourned a strong man stricken down in his prime.

Messrs. Randall, Cannon, Springer, Buttrworth, Holman, Henderson of Iowa, Rogers, McGinnis, Weaver of Nebraska, Wilson of West Virginia, Cutchin, Rice, O'Hara, Osborn and Anderson of Ohio, paid glowing panegyrics to the dead statesman.

An important event in the social life of Washington was the annual dinner of the Washington Society of Michigan University at the home of Mr. William D. Willard.

The senate has passed the bill to provide for the increase of the naval establishment. The bill provides for the construction of heavily armed vessels for coast defence, and also for gunboats and torpedo boats, and appropriates \$13,400,000 to be available during five years from March 4, 1887.

The following substitute for the Eads Tehantepec ship railway bill was offered in the senate, and agreed to without division. It incorporates James B. Eads and some eighty other persons named.

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Among the presidential nominations sent to the senate is the following: Capt. Adolphus W. Greely of the Fifth cavalry to be chief signal officer with the rank of brigadier general, to succeed Brig Gen. Hazen.

The director of the geological survey, Maj J. W. Powell, says the increase of the production of pig iron was from 4,529,899 short tons in 1884 to 5,060,000 short tons in 1885.

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Mr. Logan has taken out letters of administration in the estate of the late Senator John A. Logan. The papers of administration were made out in the name of Logan administratrix, there being no will.

When you visit or leave New York City have baggage, express, and \$8 carriage hire, and \$2 tip for Uxor Hotel, Grand Central Depot.

A few years ago a little book fell into our hands, recounting the experience of a certain prominent business man, from which it appeared that, as with most Americans, too close attention to business had broken his health.

Nothing has ever been put on the market, we are told, the sale of which has been so great and kept up so wonderfully, and this alone is evidence that merit is at the bottom of its popularity.

The public is tired of the wrangles of this school and of that school, and it is quick to recognize any thing that has succeeded merit and on this ground alone can we count for its extraordinary sales and popularity.

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The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Co. has published a Pioneering Dictionary containing 330 pages, 42,000 words and 60,000 entries.

A Tribute to American Genius were the recent awards at Liverpool and Edinburgh of silver medals to Seabury & Johnson, Pharmaceutical Chemists, and proprietors of Benson's Caprine Plasters.

Colicis (No Colicis)—Those who are suffering from Colicis, Sore Throat, etc. should try BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROUSERS sold only in boxes. Price 25cts.

Imperial Egg Food. This justly celebrated compound, an advertisement of which appears in our columns to day, was the first article of its character ever put on the market.

Not one in twenty are free from some little ailment caused by inaction of the liver. Use Carter's Little Liver Pills. The result will be a pleasant surprise. They give positive relief.

Iron for the Blood, Sleop for the Nerves, Strength for the body, by using CARTER'S LITTLE PILLS.

As a raindrop foretells a storm, so does a pimple upon the human body indicate health destroying virus in the blood, which can be neutralized and expelled only by Dr. Harter's Lion Tonic.

If your Digestion is Poor, Improve it by taking CARTER'S LITTLE NERVE PILLS. 25 cents.

Interesting Brain Injuries. We clip the following from that incomparably valuable publication, Dr. Foot's Health Monthly:

A girl of eleven years of age was hit by the handle of the winch (in rapid motion at the time), attached to a draw well. The following account relates the history of this interesting injury.

"This case physiologically as well as phrenologically involves some points of considerable interest. A great portion of the cerebrum was not only destroyed, but completely swept away, yet the patient survived for upwards of four days, and as many nights, retaining her mental faculties entire to the last hour of her existence; nor was her sight impaired, the pupils of both eyes acting in the most regular and natural manner."

James Carey, of 185 Pinnacle avenue, Rochester, had inflammatory rheumatism and for five weeks was unable to walk or move without assistance.

Dragon silk for art embroidery is nothing but hosiery in any color desired, wound with gold, silver and tinted metal threads.

In the United States Senate, during a recent debate, Senator Vest of Missouri, paid a high tribute to the merits of St. Jacobs Oil.

New French sateen show Pompadour designs in bright colors, artistic groupings and finely drawn flower, leaf and tendril patterns on tinted grounds.

Throat troubles yield promptly to Red Star Cough Cure, as vouched for by U. S. Architect Clark. Its ingredients are purely vegetable and free from opiates.

Large and small plaids, clustered stripes and wide, and Pompadour designs are the features of new cotton goods.

Gold Mines are very uncertain property; for every paying mine a hundred exist that do not pay.

Sapphire blue plush makes a pretty pelisse for a little girl, and primrose or amber yellow silk makes a pretty lining for it.

The old style pills! Who does not know what agony they caused—what woe? You walked the floor, you groaned, you sighed, and felt such awful pain inside.

Mrs. Boulanger of Branch county, Michigan, gave birth to twins, then to a trio and now she has produced a quartet.

The Ruddy River of life is the blood. From it the system receives all its material of growth and repair. It bathes every tissue of the body, and wherever necessary, then that blood should be kept pure and rich.

Liberty is always pictured as a woman because liberty to survive must be vigilant and there is no blind side to a woman.

With stealthy hand he strove to clip One golden ringle from her head. "Ah, don't!" they cried, with a smiling lip, "They are my sister Jane's," she said.

Piso's Remedy for Catarrhs is agreeable to use. It is not a liquid or snuff. 50c

Vermont has ten living ex-governors, of whom four are each over 80 years old.

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THE STATE.

Gathered to his Fathers.

Godfrey Knight died at his home in Schoolcraft, Sunday, Feb. 20.

Godfrey Knight was born in Roscommon county, Ireland, May 23, 1780. He was married to Ann Kenny in June, 1823, and came to America in June, 1831, settling on a farm on Big Prairie Rondo, near Schoolcraft, where he has ever since resided. Mrs. Knight died March 7, 1863. They had nine children, the first three dying in infancy, the fourth, James K., died at St. Louis, Mo., November, 25, 1876. Four sons, William G., John T., Jeremiah H., Godfrey E., and one daughter, Mary Ann, are living. He was a positive democrat, a great admirer of "Old Hickory," and always voted and worked for the straight democratic ticket. He never sought or held an office of any kind, preferring rather to follow the calling of a farmer in which he was eminently successful. Patent right swindlers never affected him as he utterly refused to dabble in speculation of any kind. He never used tobacco, snuff or opium, but would take a glass of whiskey when he felt like it. He was a man of marked character and great vivacity, always ready with a witty answer to every question. His mental and physical condition was strong and vigorous, and he would pass in any crowd for a man twenty years younger than he really was. He was kind and generous, always ready to aid any public benefaction, and the worthy poor man never asked his assistance in vain. Many now prosperous young farmers owe their success in life to his kindness and pecuniary aid.

Proposed Amendment.

The following is the text of the proposed amendment to the constitution of the state, which has passed both houses of the legislature and received the signature of the governor, and now only awaits the ratification of the people at the spring election:

"There shall be submitted to the electors of this state, for their approval or rejection, the following amendment to the constitution of Michigan, to stand as section 40 of article 4:

Sec. 40. The manufacture, gift or sale of spruce or malt liquors in this state is prohibited, except for medicinal, mechanical, chemical or scientific purposes. No property rights in such spirituous malt or vinous liquors shall be deemed to exist, except to manufacture or sell for the foregoing excepted purposes. The legislature shall enact laws, with suitable penalties, for the suppression of the manufacture, sale and keeping for sale or gift of intoxicating liquor. This proposition shall be submitted to the electors at the next spring election, taking place on the first Monday in April, 1887, and the ballots shall be canvassed as in the election of supreme court judges and regents of university."

A Brutal Murder.

Mrs. R. Price, a respected old lady residing at Pound, near Iron Mountain, was assassinated while in bed the other morning by a brute, who chopped and otherwise mutilated her body. Her husband was away at the time, and only a young girl was present. The party committing the outrage has since been arrested.

STATE NEWS CONDENSED.

The Michigan Dairyman's association held its third annual meeting in Flint on the 15th, 16th and 17th inst. Matters of interest to dairymen were presented in carefully prepared papers, and discussed in such a manner as to benefit all who were present. The second day of the convention Gov. Luce was present and delivered an address.

The secretary of the treasury has appointed the following life saving station keepers in Michigan: Barney A. Cross, South Haven; Thomas Matthews, Frankfort; Harrison Miller, Point Betsey; Martin Dwald, Pontwater; Chas Lysaght, White River.

Prof. W. C. Ransburg, principal of the public schools in Quincy, has been summarily dismissed for improper conduct with young lady pupils. The irate citizens gave him 24 hours in which to leave town.

Daniel Shermerhorn, a member of the Old Settlers' Association of Grand River Valley, is dead.

The Michigan district of the Iron Molders' Union was organized in Grand Rapids recently.

Michigan Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. met in Jackson on the 15th and 16th inst., and elected the following officers: Grand Master, Silas S. Fallas of Cadillac; Grand secretary, E. H. Whitney of Lansing; Grand treasurer, B. D. Pritchard of Allegan; Grand Representative, Oscar A. James. There being no election of deputy grand master by the returns from subordinate lodges, the Grand Lodge proceeded to elect, the following being the candidates: George M. Dewey, Witter J. Baxter and John C. Jacobs. The ballot being taken the result was declared as follows: Baxter, 33; Dewey, 25; Jacobs, 63. On the second ballot C. V. R. Pond of Quincy, was elected Grand Warden.

Sonor-elect Stockbridge has presented the Y. M. C. A. of Kalamazoo with a building lot. The site is one of the most beautiful in the village.

L. L. Brainard, vice president of the state temperance alliance, died at his home in Saline on the 18th inst.

The new Congregational club in western Michigan, the movement of which began during December, has been organized, and is the first of the kind in the state. Its objects are to further the cause of education and religion. The new club starts off with flattering prospects. The newly elected officers are: James Gallup, Grand Rapids, president; Rev. J. L. Faxon, Greenville, vice-president; Rev. B. P. Breed of Reed City, secretary, and H. G. Post of Grand Rapids, treasurer.

J. C. Cobb, a well known business man of Cadillac, is dead.

Theodore Burdon of Cass City has been sued on a Bohemian od note, and a number of his neighbors have combined to make it a test case.

There is an expressed suspicion that Bert Garfield of Convis, Calhoun county, the brakeman recently found by the side of the railroad track and supposed to have been killed by a fall from his train, was murdered.

The store of J. H. Lavin & Co., at Swartz Creek, near Flint, was entered by burglars the other night and jewelry and clothing to the amount of \$250 taken.

It is said that not less than \$100,000 per year is paid at the Jackson prison for free labor.

George Torril, the young blood of Grand Rapids recently convicted of manslaughter, has been sentenced to two years at Ionia. Torril had a fight with a young man named Skinner. Torril pulled a revolver, and the bullet killed James McCulloch, who was endeavoring to make peace.

The national greenback party of Michigan will hold a state convention at Mead's hall in the city of Lansing, on Tuesday, March 1, 1887, at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating two justices of the supreme court and two regents of the university.

The spring term of the agricultural college opened on the 22d inst with a larger attendance there ever before. There is urgent need of more room to accommodate the increasing throng of students. Endeavors will be made to provide every qualified applicant with a place this spring, and it is hoped to turn away none on account of lack of room. All, both of officers and students, will do their best to make room.

At the annual reunion of the Washington Alumni association of Michigan University, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Thomas W. Palmer, first vice president, Byron M. Cutcheon; second vice president, Cushman K. Davis; third vice president, Jas. R. L. Cook; fourth vice president, R. H. Thayer; treasurer, Arthur Birney; secretary, Dunane E. Fox.

Mrs. Frank Schoten of Kalamazoo, has brought suit against Lyman Blakeslee, for \$10,000 for damages alleged to have been received from an assault committed on her by Blakeslee.

A. W. Hammer, a Bohemian oats agent of Ypsilanti has been held for trial in Flint charged with obtaining the signature of Abraham Litzworth, an Atlas farmer, to a note of \$100, under fraudulent pretenses.

The three little children of Edward Hoffman of Detroit, who were so terribly a few days ago, died the next morning. The children were buried in one grave.

Mrs. Ann E. Gridley, formerly of Hillsdale, for many years an attaché of the patent office, has been transferred to the land office as a copyist, at a salary of \$900 a year.

A passenger train on the G. R. & I. road was overturned on the Luther branch the other day, and several persons were severely injured.

S. H. Van Leuven of New Haven, Gratiot county, who was recently taken on a requisition to Duvatt's Bluff, Ark., on a charge of murdering Thomas Iler, was discharged after a brief examination but was subsequently re-arrested and has waived examination to await a decision of the grand jury of that state.

President and Mrs. Fiske of Albion college have gone on a two months' tour of California.

Prof. W. H. Payne of the University, is enjoying life in Florida.

Inspector LaDu's report for the past year shows that 213,000 barrels of oil were inspected and that the receipts of his office exceeded the expenditures by \$5,000. The inspector says that no loss of life or injury resulted from oil explosions during the year.

Dr. C. E. Rogers, a brother of Randolph Rogers the sculptor, died in Quincy a few days ago.

Outside of Detroit Michigan has 101 national banks with a combined capital of \$10,535,500. Their deposits amount to \$20,403,622.73, and liabilities to \$30,726,970.55. The seven national banks in Detroit have a combined capital of \$3,300,000, and they hold deposits of \$8,402,467.53. There has never been a failure of a Michigan national bank, though 39 have gone into liquidation. Seven new banks were organized during the last year.

E. J. Hargrave of Bay City died in London, Eng., Feb. 20. He went abroad some months ago for his health.

David Wells, who travels with several aliases, was arrested at Mecosta the other day by Pennsylvania officers charged with being one of a gang of firebugs and thieves which infest Indiana county, Pa.

The quarterly report of Assistant Adj. Gen. Lochhead of the department of Michigan G. A. R., just completed, gives the following interesting statistics concerning the organization. Total number of posts in the department to December 31, 1886, was 323. Total membership, 22,032; showing a net gain of 2,213 members for the preceding nine months; total number of posts organized to date, 375; number of applications for posts still pending, 16; expended for relief in the department during the past year, \$8,702.16; number of members and their families relieved, 657; number of persons not members relieved, 607. During the last quarter the sum of \$2,407.44 was expended for relief purposes.

P. D. Brady of Saginaw, has lived in Michigan 51 years, and he brought to Saginaw the first plow and lumber wagon.

The water supply at Hancock is so low that the people are threatened with a water famine before the spring thaw.

Henry Duffany of Bay City, is in the toils for an alleged improper use of the mails. Duffany advertised bogus money by sending circulars through the mails.

Jerry Hopper, for many years a partner in Barsum's circus, died in Bay City recently, aged 44 years.

Three large stamp mills in Butte City, Mont., have been obliged to close on account of inability to secure the necessary material because of the snow blockade. Nearly 4,000 men are thrown out of work.

By the new Indian treaty a vast tract of land in Montana is to be opened to settlement.

The coroner's jury in the Baltimore and Ohio railroad accident has returned a verdict holding the company and the conductor of the freight train, F. L. Fletcher, responsible for the accident.

The Grand opera house in Columbus, Okla., was destroyed by fire on the 20th inst.

Two freight trains collided near Collins, Pa., the other day, causing \$300,000 damage to the rolling stock.

Port Arthur, Ont., was the scene of a very destructive fire the other morning.

Attorney-General Hunt, who has taken up his quarters at the Grand Pacific in Chicago for the next two weeks, is preparing his brief in the cases of the anarchists, which will be laid before the supreme court during the first week in March.

Paul C. Russell, editor of the Postoffice Bulletin of St. Louis, was instantly killed by a train on the Illinois Central tracks at Twenty-second street in Chicago the other night. He was stopping out of the way of an engine and encountered another going in the opposite direction.

John Girdler and Carrie Gill of Grand Rapids have been convicted of adultery. Girdler pleads hard to be allowed to suffer the full penalty alone, but the judge thought both should be punished, and sentenced Girdler to the state prison for one year, and Carrie Gill to the Detroit house of correction for the same time.

The store and dwelling of Albert R. Foster of Otsego was completely wrecked by dynamite the other night but almost miraculously no one was injured. A reward of \$50 has been offered by the village authorities for the arrest and conviction of the dynamiters.

Mrs. Amian E. Stone of Reese sued George Kippmiller, a saloon-keeper, for selling her husband liquor. The jury awarded Mrs. Stone \$50 damages.

The Congregational church in Big Rapids was badly damaged by fire the other day. The fire caught from the furnace.

Miss Sarah Willett of Fair Plains, Mont. cald county, a maiden lady aged 53 years committed suicide the other morning by hanging herself to a bed-post with strips of a sheet. She was at her brother's house. No cause is assigned.

Capt. E. P. Allen, member of congress elect, has been officially notified that a cadetship in the Annapolis naval academy awaits a representative from the second district, and a competitive examination will be held at Adrian March 9. Candidates must be between 14 and 18.

Grand Rapids temperance people are making an effort to secure Gov. A. H. Colquitt of Georgia, for a series of prohibition campaign speeches.

H. D. Dodds of North Branch, who had been ill for several weeks, took 15 grains of morphine to allay pain, and in three hours he was dead.

Mrs. George Oaks of Wheatland, Hillsdale county, has pared 1,450 bushels of apples this winter besides attending to her other work.

Bellair was a broom handle factory.

Corunna boasts that it is one of the best points in the state for the brick and tile business.

G. F. Buckley, formerly of Coldwater, suicided at Nebraska City, Neb., the other day.

Mrs. John Reed of Michigan, whose son was killed in the war, was granted a pension after her husband deserted her. Mrs. Reed died, and the husband then applied to have the pension transferred to him. A bill to that effect was passed, and the President returns it with his veto, giving the facts in the case.

At a saloon row in Iron Mountain Louis Panakatoz was knifed to death by a drunken brute.

John Westman a muner in the Columbia mine near Marquette, fell to the bottom of the shaft the other day, a distance of 110 feet. He died in a few hours after suffering terrible agony.

Prof. M. V. Rork's school of practical education in Lansing, has been suspended.

Dr. H. B. Hemingway has been appointed on the Kalamazoo pension examining board.

Frank Riley of Vernon is under arrest on a charge of arson.

Egbert Marshall of Leona county, has been sent to the insane asylum, and his insanity is thought to be caused by the conviction and sentence of his brother Harvey, last fall for attempting rape on Dolla Drake of Woodstock. He was tried three times before he was convicted, and the costs of the various trials about used up the large property of the Marshall family.

Sixteen miles of railroad between Ashley and Greenville are graded and ready for the ties. The west end of the line from Greenville to Muskegon is not yet located, but it is thought the route by way of Cedar Springs is the most feasible. Sparta Center has raised its quota.

Dell Winters, an estimable young man of Charlotte, was drowned in Thornapple river, a few days ago.

Death of Col. Delos Phillips.

Col. Delos Phillips of Kalamazoo died on the 15th inst., aged 48. He has for many years been one of the most prominent citizens of Kalamazoo, being engaged in the music and jewelry business and a prominent republican politician. He was proprietor of the Star organ factory, which at one time did a thriving business, but of late years he had done but little manufacturing, and has sold instruments manufactured by other firms. He was deputy oil inspector under Gov. Alger.

THE NATION.

The secretary of the interior concurs in the recommendation of the commissioner of pensions that provision be made by congress for the establishment of an additional pension agency. The commissioner says New Orleans would be the most suitable location for the new agency.

It is reported that the Apaches are leaving their reservation in Southern New Mexico in large numbers for their old reservation in southern Colorado.

Gen. W. T. Sherman was tendered a reception in New York the other night by Abel Smith post, G. A. R.

Dr. John H. Douglas, General Grant's physician, is preparing a complete history of the general's case.

Major Gordon, who has more relics of the Custer massacre than anybody else, sold his Texas ranch the other day for \$20,000.

John A. Logan, jr., has sold his interests in the real estate firm in Washington, and will go into business at Youngstown, O.

Congressman Aikin of South Carolina, is not expected to live. His illness is caused by a wound in the lungs received at the battle of Gettysburg.

Nancy A. Murphy, aged 81, is suing for a divorce from her husband (1) aged 74, on the ground of incompatibility of temper.

The Minnesota thresher company was organized in New York a few days ago, with \$5,000,000 capital.

Prof. L. E. Barnard of Vanderbilt university, Nashville, Tenn., has discovered another comet.

The G. A. R. of Illinois at its annual state encampment adopted resolutions demanding that congress pass the dependent pension bill over the president's veto.

The Massachusetts legislature has passed a resolution urging congress to take steps toward building coast defenses and strengthening the navy.

Mrs. D. P. Hathaway has been appointed a deputy commissioner of the chancery court at Louisville, Ky.

Dr. E. R. Way of Helena, Ark., a well known physician, was assassinated at his home the other night by unknown men.

The Arkansas legislature has passed a bill repealing the law punishing members of religious societies for indulging in secular pursuits on Sunday who religiously observe one day each week as Sabbath. Under the existing law there have been numerous prosecutions for Second Adventists working on Sunday.

The Sixth U. S. Cavalry has been ordered to the scene of the recent Indian troubles near Mamolita, Arizona territory.

Another call for \$10,000,000 3 per cent. bond will soon be issued.

Three sailors from Gloucester, Mass., were drowned off Grand Banks the other day.

In sustaining a demurrer to a complaint for libel in Chicago, Judge Blodgett in the United States district court held that the term "crank" is not libelous and cannot be brought into disrepute to the person to whom it is applied.

A bill is before the Dakota legislature appropriating \$150,000 to purchase seed grain for needy settlers whose last year's crops were destroyed by drought.

The governor of Iowa has issued a proclamation forbidding importation of cattle from Illinois.

Gottlieb Sauchi and his wife of Pekin, Ill., have been convicted of inhuman treatment to their 10-year old child and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

The immense tobacco factory of Daniel Dunlap in Petersburg, W. Va., was totally destroyed by fire the other night, at a loss of \$250,000. The factory was one of the finest and best in the United States and gave employment to over 400 employes.

Many people while stopping at hotels, make themselves miserable by worrying about fire. The Grand Union Hotel, New York City, has just had erected eight large fire escapes. All through the halls are fire hose, Babcock fire extinguishers and hand grenades. Four watchmen constantly patrol the building during the night.

King county, W. T., wants \$4,168 from the government for expenses incurred in enforcing the law during the anti-Chinese disturbances in Seattle. Secretary Lamar thinks the claim is a just one.

The president has appointed Samuel N. Aldrich of Massachusetts to be assistant treasurer of the United States at Boston and Arthur K. Delancy of Wisconsin to be collector of customs for the district of Alaska.

A frightful accident occurred on the Santa Fe road, near Chicago, the other night, and several persons were killed and wounded.

Reported that Queen Victoria has been investing in property in the District of Columbia.

The Ohio legislature has repealed all laws discriminating in any way against colored people. This legalizes the marriage of whites and blacks.

A semi-official report of the gold and silver product of the Black Hills for the last year places the total at \$2,854,687. This does not include the ores and base bullion shipped out of the Hills.

Lookout Mountain in Tennessee, celebrated as the scene of the battle among the clouds, has been sold to a company which has been organized to build a broad gauge railroad by July 1 and erect the handsomest hotel in the south on the historic heights. Work on the railroad will commence at once.

Gen. James Loraine Geddes died at the state agricultural college at Ames, Iowa, the other morning of a pulmonary disease. He was born in Edinburg, Scotland, in 1807. He won distinction at Ball's Vicksburg, Corinth and Mobile.

The treasury department decides that falsified photographs from negatives taken for citizens of the United States, while visiting the Canadian side of Niagara Falls, must pay duty when sent to the purchaser in this country.

James W. Forshay, president of the Broadway and Seventh Avenue railway, died at his home in New York on the 15th inst. Indictments are on file against him for being a party to the giving of bribes to the boodle aldermen.

Judge McLeary of Montana supreme court, says that the lowest estimate of the Montana cattle loss for the season is 25 per cent, while many cattlemen say it will be from 40 to 50 per cent. One Bozeman owner will lose 10,000 out of a herd of 25,000.

Bryan, Ohio, is fairly wild over the discovery of oil. The purity of the oil and the amount of the flow is a great surprise to old oil men.

San Francisco was four days without mails from the east, owing to a snow blockade on the Central Pacific.

A terrific storm passed over the west and northwest on the 15th inst. Rain, lightning and snow caused great damage. A warehouse in New York, containing 10,000 bales of cotton, was struck by lightning the other day, outalling a loss of \$350,000.

George Schroedell and Peter Schwollenbach, two school boys of Jefferson, Wis., quarreled about some trifling matter when the former stabbed his companion to the heart.

J. C. Pendegrass' residence near Roseville, Ark., was destroyed by fire on the 18th, and his five little boys who were sleeping up stairs and could not be rescued, were burned to death.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad company has equipped several passenger trains with steam heating apparatus. The experiment has proved a decided success.

The sheriff's and clerk's office of Logan county, Ark., were robbed the other night. The robbers secured about \$50,000.

A number of places in Minnesota experienced severe earthquake shocks on the 18th inst.

Lincoln, Neb., had a mud shower the other day.

Borton Corbett, the man who shot J. Wilkes Booth, has become insane, and has been sent to the Kansas asylum.

Gen. Butler won his suit against J. H. Lester.

The local board of health of Des Moines, arrested and quarantined a clergyman who conducted the funeral services of children who died from diphtheria, contrary to regulations prohibiting public funerals in such cases. He appealed to the state board of health, which affirmed the action of the local board.

The American board of commissioners for foreign missions has rejected R. O. Morse, a Yale divinity student, who applied for a license to preach, because he believed in a future probation.

The minority of the foreign relations committee of the house recommend the passage of the senate retaliation bill in order to save time.

The Secretary of the Interior thinks that another pension office should be established.

Carpenters and builders of New Haven, Conn., demand nine hours a day after May 1st.

Mr. Powderly is said to have ordered that no boycott be placed hereafter without the assent of the general executive board of the K. of L.

The world's christian temperance union appeals to the governments interested to keep whisky out of the independent state of Congo.

Reported that the Czar of Russia has ordered a picture of the St. Paul ice palace. Ramon Luerna, a Mexican, is now en route to Washington to recover certain tracts near Nuevo Levado, from which he and his heirs were driven by force. The said tracts contain a number of valuable mines, and have 15,000 tenants located thereon.

Charles Baughman of Fort Wayne, Ind., was showing his sister how actors play tragedy on the stage. He drew a revolver and accidentally discharged it, the ball taking effect in her head, killing her instantly.

Tennessee also submits a prohibitory amendment to popular vote.

Blizzards and snow storms of unprecedented severity have been raging in Montana for several days. The loss of stock is appalling.

Frank J. Bowman, a well known lawyer of St. Louis, Mo., has brought suit against Pulitzer of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, for \$100,000 damages for libel.

President Cleveland has received 320 applications for positions on the inter-state commerce commission.

The Merchants' National bank in Deadwood, Dakota, has been obliged to close its doors.

Judge B. B. Brown, a prominent railroad attorney of Little Rock, Ark., is dead.

The probability of the Edmunds-Tucker polygamy bill becoming a law creates considerable excitement in Utah.

The Chinese informer, Quong Seng, on whose evidence the conspiracy to murder the Chinese detective was revealed, is almost insane in jail at San Francisco.

James C. Barrett, a leading member of the bar in Rutland, Vt., was instantly killed the other night while tobogganing. A piece of board which formed part of the bottom of the chute had become splintered and displaced, and projected into the slide pointing upward. The board struck Mr. Barrett on the under and inner side of the thigh, extending up through it and his abdomen and coming out at his back. One of the ladies on the toboggan was badly injured and may die.

The governor of Kansas has signed the bill conferring municipal suffrage upon women.

The Ohio legislature has repealed the bill providing separate schools for the colored children.

Northville Record

WALLED LAKE.

Sunday a Christian association was organized among the young people of our village, Miss Gertrude McKinney is president. They are to have meetings on Sabbath afternoons.

Mrs. Boss lectures on the Amendment in the M. E. Church Tuesday evening. You must not suppose Mr. Entor you have all the temperance people in Northville, we have a goodly number here, and we hope that every man who loves sobriety will cast his vote for the Amendment. We have one drinking place without license and we are waiting for this new law before we take action.

R. v. L. Hazard is conducting successful revival meetings at the Eagle school house. A number are turning to God.

Mrs. Eva Smith is to be the next teacher in our public school. She has been here before, and her many friends will give her a hearty welcome.

On last Friday evening a pleasant supper was given Mr. and Mrs. O. Weaver on the anniversary of forty years of wedded life. They were completely surprised, not having the slightest idea of anything unusual until a happy company began to knock at the door. All were greatly pleased. Many beautiful presents were given.

FARMING ON NEWS.

Old Mr. Hatten while at her son's John Hatten, felt last week and hurt her hip very badly. No bones broken however.

John Thayer an old and highly esteemed resident of this town, died last week Tuesday Feb. 13th. He has been in poor health for some time but able to be around. The day before he died he was up and dressed. The funeral was at M. E. church Thursday Rev. W. C. McIntosh officiating. His life speaks for him, better than we can and we only can say, "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord," and asure the bereaved family of our sympathy.

J. B. Webster gave his friends quite a fright last Friday, having been taken suddenly ill. For a time his life was despaired of, but he rallied somewhat before night so that he could be taken to his room at the hotel. He is now around and feeling quite as well as usual.

O. A. McIntosh is home from Vassar and went to his appointment at Livonia Sabbath pm.

Mrs. Mavlat, of North Farmington, fell down the cellar stairs one day last week while carrying an armful of wood. She was quite badly injured, and a physician was immediately summoned, she is better at the present writing however and I thing sustains no serious injuries.

AMENDMENT WORKERS.

On Sunday last, February 20th, at a citizens' mass meeting in Albion the audience was asked to give one hundred dollars for amendment work, one half for local work and one half to the State Committee. To the surprise and delight of every one they promptly raised two hundred and forty dollars! Cannot your town do something in the same way? Remember this is not a local question, we must send literature and speakers into the Northern Peninsula, or be in great danger of defeat. Much other work must be done. We are already contracting for work, relying wholly upon you to act, and to act at once! Hold your meeting, raise what you can, and send one-half to the Treasurer of our Committee, Hon. W. H. Brookway, Albion, Mich. S. Dickle Chairman.

Be on your guard for those Red Line wheel men, who may call on you, if they succeed in capturing you, they will show you no quarter—no eye-blinks. Some of these highly polished, open faced, screw buzzed and jeweled busy fellows, hay been conspicuous at the Rease house, in the village of Reest, this county, of late, and show the thorough manner in which they feel it is enough to say they are in this place and in a few days will be the confidence of some of our best men, and "done them up" for \$150 to \$400 each in the Red Line. Two farmers from the village, who had dealt with them, volunteered to serve on their board, lively and full at the hotel (the proprietor in which had his eye teeth out previously, required dash or security), and are all in the pockets as sure as the sun.

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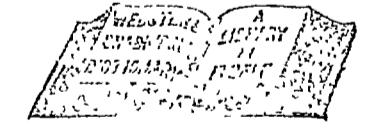
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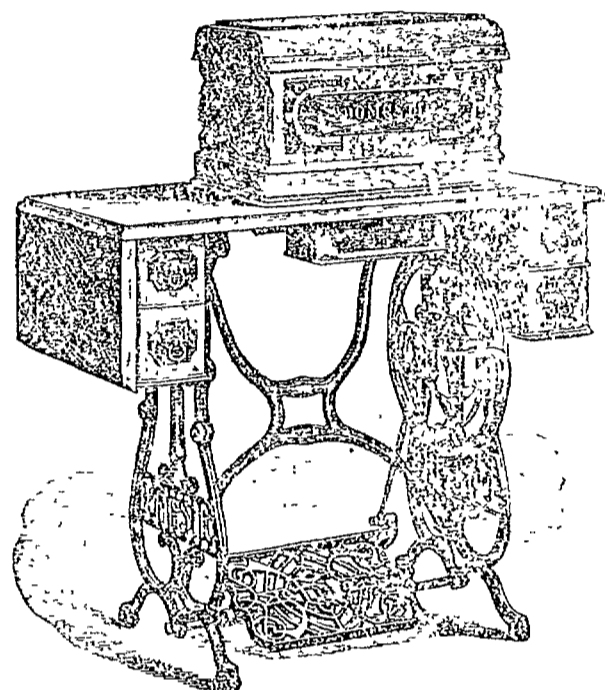
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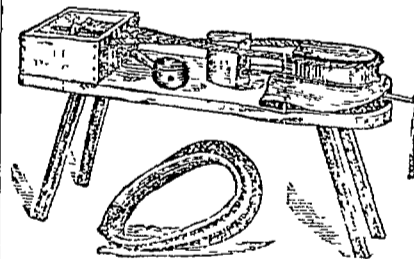
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