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IN EFFECT DEC. 27, 1887.

NORTH 3:35, 9:35 a. m., 1:27, 5:40 p. m.

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PROFESSIONAL.

MUSICO—Will give instruction in piano and organ playing to a limited number of pupils—any desire them. Hours for lessons will be regulated by any other information given on application. —XMAS LETTER READ.

C. H. THORNTON, Jr., Attorney. Having had a large practice in Grand Rapids for several years, he has now removed to Northville, Mich., where arrangements can be made at the Recruit office.

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SOCIETIES.

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INVENTION has revolutionized the world during the last half century. Not least among the wonders of inventive progress is a method and system of work that can be performed all over the country without separating the workers from their homes. Pay liberal; any one can do the work; either sex, young or old; no special ability required. Capital not needed; you are started free. Cut this out and return to us and we will send you free, something of value and importance to you, that will start you in business, which will bring you in more money right away, than anything else in the world. Grand outfit free. Address Tree & Co., Augusta, Maine.

DEEP SEA WONDERS exist in thousands of forms, but are surpassed by the marvels of invention. Those who are in need of profitable work that can be done while living at home should at once send their address to Hallett & Co., Portland, Maine, and receive full information how either sex, of all ages, can earn from \$5 to \$25 per day and upwards wherever they live. You are started free. Capital not required. Some have made over \$50 in a single day at this work. All succeed.

TOWN TALK.

Alumni meeting to-night.

Miss Flora Hazen is clerking for J. R. Corson.

Clarence A. Hutton has the agency for a fine map and political chart.

Remember the meeting of the library association next Wednesday evening.

Any person can draw books from the circulating library by the payment of ten cents per volume.

Street Commissioner Blackwood with his force of men is doing excellent work on the streets.

Rev. M. W. Gifford, of Plymouth, will occupy the pulpit in the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

The suit of Barclay Smith against Messrs. Robinson, Hutton and White has been put over until Monday.

Wm. Harlan, of Farmington, is the representative to the grand Commandery which meets in Grand Rapids this week.

Dr. R. O. Sweeney, president of the Minnesota fish commission and Mr. J. E. Long of the Pennsylvania commission, were in town yesterday looking over that business at this place.

At the state prohibition convention at Grand Rapids last Wednesday, A. D. Power was elected as a delegate from this district to the National Convention which meets at Indianapolis May 20.

Rev. H. S. Jenkins' society in Hamtramck are contemplating the building of a \$10,000 church this season. It was started as a mission society when he went there but has grown so that they aspire to something grand and noble for an edifice.

The following are the officers elected for the Baptist Sunday School for the ensuing year: G. S. VanZile, Sup't; D. Knapp, sec'y Sept.; Mrs. May VanValkenburg, sec'y; Charles VanValkenburg, treasurer; A. A. Cushing, librarian; Nelson Bogel, chorister.

Dr. N. W. Hopkins, Farmington's successful veterinarian, was on his town Wednesday and made a call at this office. In his practice there he has had several cases this spring of scarlet fever in horses and has been successful in the cure of them all.

News was received here Tuesday that Walter P. Whalen, one of Northville's old citizens, had just died suddenly of apoplexy at his home in Flint. The older citizens of the place well remember "Walt" Whalen as for years he was in the jewelry business here.

The Tribune said Tuesday morning that "Plymouth republicans have nominated W. H. Amble for supervisor, Eugene P. Lombard for clerk and Augusta Pomroy for treasurer." The fact is they were elected to those offices nearly two months ago. That's a chink.

There will be a seventy-five cent excursion to Detroit, next week Wednesday. The train starts from Clio, passes here at 9:33 and arrives in Detroit at 11:30, leaving Detroit to return at 5 o'clock in the evening. Busi will be the battle of Atlanta, and wonderland are the attractions of that day.

The Knights Templar band, of Northville extend their hearty thanks to the Citizens band for the able support which they rendered at the Knights Templar exercises, Ascension day. Their kindness is truly appreciated and the K. T. band hope for a near opportunity to return the compliment.

Elsewhere we publish a very interesting letter from Robert Yerkes written from the mountains of the Pacific coast. He is in Union county, in the northeast corner of Oregon and engaged in herding sheep. Taking them to the mountains in the morning for pasture and returning with his flock at night.

The Detroit Evening News is progressive and cannot remain at any station for any point. It is continually enlarging or doing something of the kind. Last week it enlarged again by lengthening out its columns. This is the third addition built on during the past year and all caused by increasing demands on its space.

The Knights Templars desire to return thanks through the columns of the Record to the choir for the excellent rendition of their difficult manonic music on Ascension day, to the Methodists for the use of their beautiful edifice, to the bands for excellent music, and to the ladies for flowers and decorations furnished.

At a special board meeting held last evening the liquor bond of G. B. Brooks with L. N. Starkweather and Peter Gillespie as sureties was presented and accepted. The tax roll was accepted. \$100 was appropriated to pay an attorney's fee for defending Messrs. Robinson, Hutton and White. A committee was appointed to revise the ordinances.

One of the construction train engines was ditched on the siding at Sanfield yesterday morning, caused by the unballasted track spreading. The iron horse left the track entirely and lies turned over on its side. All on board jumped, including McRae & Lally's book-keeper—D. B. Northrup—who sprained his left ankle very badly.

Grand Lodge Independent.

Five years ago T. G. Richardson came to this place from Holly and started an exclusive clothing, boot and shoe store. He kept his store and dwelling at Holly so that he could return there if he did not like it here.

But he must like it in this vicinity for he has just sold his property there and purchased of E. S. Norton the Purdy farm just west of the village.

Henry L. Kendick and partner are apparently prospering in their business undertaking in St. Johns. In addition to their already large stock of dry goods and carpets they have purchased a stock of groceries adjoining their present store and now they have a monster. Their stores cover 5,000 square feet of floor and it does not take Henry long to get over the whole of it either.

The new Q. A. R. banner has arrived. It came Wednesday and is a beauty. It is three feet wide and five high, double silk, red back, white face, and bears the inscription "Allen M. Harmon Post, G. A. R., Northville, Mich." It bears emblems of the grand army and flag of the country. It is heavy and will call for the best man in the ranks to carry it. It was procured through C. R. Stevens. The post is to be congratulated on procuring one of the finest banners in the state. It is to be presented at a public meeting in the near future.

Can any one guess it? The Detroit Journal offers a cash prize of \$500 to any one who can correctly guess the three hottest days of this summer. The predictions must be mailed to the Journal one name and address with the three dates on each postal card before June 1st, and the award will be made October 1st. A special article upon the subject of these guesses will appear in every Saturday's issue of the Journal during the summer. Prof. Wiggins, the famous Canadian weather prophet, has predicted July 5 and 13 and August 2.

At a meeting of the new Library association last Wednesday evening the name was changed to "The Northville Circulating Library Association" and plans were laid for the foundation of a permanent circulating library. The meeting adjourned for one week to elect officers and complete the organization. This association now have 100 volumes of books as a nucleus to start from and it will be the society's own fault if they do not increase the number of the books and its usefulness. Such a library will be a fine thing for the place and is entitled to your encouragement and support.

J. C. Scott, of Junction City, Kas., is in town in the interest of the Board of Trade of the above named city and wishes to call attention to posters and circulars relative to excursions to Kansas. These excursion tickets will be sold by all the leading roads running west until June 20th, good for 30 days. This is an excellent opportunity for any one desiring to visit the west. Come and see us and the finest country on earth. Mr. Scott will be in Mich. for some time with headquarters at Eaton Rapids, Mich., and will cheerfully answer all correspondence and inquiry in reference to these excursions.

PERSONALS.

Frank Nice and bride, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Rev. Thos. Seelye of Dexter, was a caller at this office Wednesday.

Mrs. Eva King, of Kalamazoo, is visiting her parents, George Rayson and wife.

Myron White and family have moved to Wayne where he has secured work.

A. E. Whitehead and family moved to Flint where he has accepted a job at his trade.

Miss Eva Holmes, of Dexter, spent Wednesday with her friend, Miss Nellie McRoberts.

Deacon George Scott and wife, leave today for Minneapolis, Minnesota, to spend the summer.

Benj. Coe has his moved family from Birmingham into Mr. White's house in Bealton.

Mrs. L. E. McRoberts spent the week at Lexington visiting her husband who is there.

John Scott, of Junction City, Kas., a nephew of the late Winfield Scott, is visiting old friends in town.

F. W. Greene, of St. Louis, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Stuart Greene at her cousin's, Mrs. R. C. Simmons.

Prof. Frank H. Loomis, principal of the Cheboygan schools was in town last week visiting his brother, Prof. G. W. Loomis.

Dr. Peet, of Rockwood, secretary of the county board of school examiners was in town yesterday visiting the school.

C. S. Barlow, of Tacoma, Washington Territory, and W. H. Deutel, of Ypsilanti, were in town yesterday visiting friends.

On account of the falling of J. Shewsmith at his home at Lexington, his wife's sister, Mrs. A. D. Kendrick and husband left for that place Wednesday morning.

Frank Emery was taken with a couple of fainting spells Sunday that used him very roughly for a time. He has recovered from the effects of them now however.

Jeptah Cummins, of Aberdeen, Dakota, has been visiting his father and relatives in town. He has purchased a home in Leslie and will make there preferring Michigan to the land of prairies.

Mrs. Belle Long is attending the Conservatory of Music in Boston and is contemplating continuing with the same company during the summer and fall giving concerts along the Hudson river and White mountains.

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEES.

At a citizens meeting held in the Council room, Monday evening, to make arrangements for Memorial day. Hon. E. S. Woodman was chosen chairman, and C. A. Hutton, clerk. Allen M. Harmon Post, G. A. R., reported through Comrade B. G. Webster that the Post have secured the services of Comrade Rev. J. Hamilton, of Birmingham, as speaker of the day. The following committees and officers of the day were appointed:

Committee on arrangements—

Capt. E. K. Simonds,

B. G. Webster,

Dexter White,

Committee on music—

J. H. Woodman,

J. W. Dolph,

James Hamilton.

Committee on flowers—

C. R. Stevens,

Mrs. A. M. Randolph,

" O. L. Palmer,

" C. R. Stevens,

" A. E. Rockwell,

" C. E. Clarkson,

Miss Georgia Simmons.

Committee on finance—

W. H. Brigham,

F. N. Clark,

M. S. Nichols.

Committee on printing and program—

E. R. Reed,

C. A. Hutton,

B. A. Wheeler.

President of the day—O. L. Palmer.

Marshal " " J. H. Woodman.

See notice of meeting to organize a fire company next Wednesday evening.

The children of Michigan are invited by the Detroit Journal to gather and send bouquets of wild flowers (or any other flowers) to decorate the soldiers' monument at Detroit, on Memorial day, May 30th, the flowers to be arranged by the ladies of the Women's Relief Corps, of Detroit, when received.

The children are invited to gather bouquets of wild flowers and take them, together with a card bearing the donor's name and address, to the trains on the morning of Tuesday, May 29, when in the baggage car, or in a special flower offering car, arrangements will be provided for their reception and transportation.

Soldiers' wives and friends and school teachers are requested to assist in receiving and forwarding the flowers. The ends of the stems should be protected with damp moss to keep the flowers from wilting.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Northville, May 15, 1888.

An adjourned regular meeting of Village Council, held in Council room, Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1888.

Meeting called to order by President Dolph. Present trustees Woodman, Waid, Brigham, Boever, Simmons and VanZile.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Committee on Finance report that \$2,900 are needed for improvements.

Motion by Trustee Boever that \$2,000 be raised by direct tax, \$45.00 of which shall be for Highway purposes, carried.

Bood of Wm. Macomber as marshal with E. S. Woodman and C. M. Thornton, Jr. as marshals was presented and upon motion was accepted.

Motion prevailed that Clerk be instructed to draw note in favor of E. S. Woodman for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars, dated May 12th, 1888, three months from date.

Motion prevailed that a board of assessors be appointed.

On motion the following persons were appointed as Board of Assessors, L. W. Hutton, E. S. Horton, T. G. Richardson.

On motion the following persons were appointed Building Inspectors, Mathew Greer, Marvin Boever, H. O. Wald.

Adjourned.

C. A. Hutton, Clerk.

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STATE DEMOCRATS.

Choose Delegates to the National Convention.

The platform—State Central Committee. The democratic state convention was held at Grand Rapids on the 10th inst. After prayer by Rev. Dr. Campbell Fair of Grand Rapids Gen. L. G. Rutherford was called to the chair. He was afterward named as permanent chairman of the convention, and Peter Ross was chosen permanent secretary. The committee on resolutions presented the following, which was adopted:

The democratic citizens of Michigan, by their delegates in state convention at Grand Rapids assembled, agree with all voters in accord with the national administration, in its efforts to reduce taxation to the legitimate wants of the government, economicaly administered, do declare:

1. We believe now, as always, in that

old rock principle of all democratic government, that all national and state legislation should secure the greatest good to the greatest number of the people.

2. We believe that the habitual disregard of this principle, in the legislation of the republican party for the quarter of a century, which is an insatiable Providence suffered, that party to intercept the continuity of democratic administrations, is the prolific mother of business demoralization and of the burdens laid on labor, disconcerted because buried beneath highest class legislation.

3. We believe that this system of class legislation cannot long be continued; that the living question of the hour is, whether it shall be gradually and wisely changed, or whether it shall be continued until it becomes a burden too grievous to borne.

4. We believe in that principle of civil service, which requires the citizen fulfilling any post of public duty to give his time and ability to the honest and conscientious discharge of that duty. We also believe that he can best do this when in sympathy with the principles held and the ends sought to be attained by the administration entrusted with the executive duties of government.

5. We believe in a strict construction of the Constitution, without the assumption of implied powers, not delegated to the United States, but reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

6. We seek by national legislation, among other, these ends:

(A) Gradual but certain reduction of the tax upon imports in the direction of a revenue basis; to the end that excessive burdens shall be removed from the laboring classes and an accumulating and corrupting surplus in the treasury diminished to the lowest point consistent with the maintenance of the national faith and credit.

We declare ourselves in the fullest sympathy with the letter and spirit of the President's message upon this subject.

It is a mark of state paper, which is to the interest of the laboring taxpayer, in strict with the incorrigibility of Will of "Old Hickory," and, by the way, it has pure justice and high truth for its inspiration.

(B) Such legislation as shall further save for the citizen and the nation the public domain, and wrest from corporate and speculator every acre not now legally theirs. That all unclaimed land grants to corporations be returned to the government as speedily as possible, for the use and benefit of actual settlers.

(C) Just and liberal penitentiaries, carefully planned from the interests of those not entitled to the bounty of the government;

and the democratic party sincerely pledges its gratitude and indebtedness to those who nobly risk their lives for the preservation of the Union. We proudly approve of the conduct of the peace administration by the present administration under the past noble John C. Breckinridge, as the best and surest test of the war, and we concur in the strongest terms, the recent slanders of the memories of the dead patriots who gave their lives and best services to our country. That the heretical system of unremunerated contract labor, inaugurated by the republican party, is detrimental to the interests of the working classes of this country, and has been productive of discord and conflict in the past and is derogatory to the genius of American liberty; and while extending a hearty welcome to honest labor seeking a home among us, we depurate the policy which has inaugurated such a system, and demand its entire suppression.

No radical reduction of the internal revenue from whisky and tobacco until the burdens upon the necessities of life shall have been largely removed from the taxpayer and his family.

A distinct and manly recognition of the effort of all nations for free government and home rule.

That we appreciate the honor conferred upon Michigan by the wise appointment to the national cabinet of our able and distinguished fellow citizen, Hon. Dan M. Dickinson.

That in Grover Cleveland we have found a fearless, honest and able leader; a man with ability to form convictions and moral courage to assert and enforce them, a true exponent of democratic principles, and a safe man to execute the laws governing a free and independent people. We therefore join in the spontaneous and universal demand for his renomination and re-election.

The laboring man, bearing in his hand an indispensable contribution to our growth and progress, may well insist, with manly courage, as a right, upon the same recognition from those who make our laws as is accorded to any other citizen having a valuable interest in charge, and his reasonable demands should be met in such a spirit of coperation and fairness as to induce a contented and patriotic co-operation in the achievement of a grand national destiny.

E. M. Weston, G. L. Yapo, M. H. Chamberlain and P. White were chosen delegates at large, and L. G. Rutherford, R. A. Montgomery, F. A. Dean and L. C. Holden, alternates. The following district delegates were chosen: First—District—Judge Edward Hang of Wayne, Rufus W. Gilbert of Wayne, alternates, F. H. St. Aubin of Wayne, J. W. French of Wayne. Second—Lester H. Salisbury, Leavenworth; Charles R. Whitman, Washington; alternates, C. F. Cook, J. M. Stirling. Third—Col. N. Richards, Jackson; Gen. John G. Parhurst, Branch; alternates, R. J. Frost, A. B. Baughman, Fourth—Harvey C. Sherwood, Berrien; Wm. G. Howard, Kalamazoo; alternates, Frank W. Little, Lester W. Tabor. Fifth—Thomas Savage, Ottawa; Thomas McGary, Ionia; alternates, Joseph Hosmerian, F. C. Knapp. Sixth—El B. Winsor, Livingston; Byron G. Scott, Oakland; alternates, Joseph Busbey and Wm. M. Stephens. Seventh—Fred W. Hubbard, Huron; Alex McClellan, Lapeer, alternates, A. M. Clark and Abram Smith. Eighth—Freeman Esty, Isabelle; J. S. Crosby, Montcalm; alternates, Jerome Turner and Mason Anderson. Ninth—Wm. P. Nisbett, Monroe; A. V. Mass, Macomb; alternates, George Goodsell, Fred Nelson. Tenth—John Terrell, Bay; J. Mauricio Finn, Crawford; alternates, Judge W. H. Simpson and C. W. Perry. Eleventh—A. J. Scott, Houghton; R. C. Flanagan, Menominee; alternates, Charles H. Parker and James Galagher.

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THE ROSE-JAR CRAZE.

A fad originating in the Orient that has spread through the world.

A short time ago there was a fad for rose-jars, says "The New York Mail and Express." Now it is a craze. Everybody has it. In some drawing-rooms they are elaborate and costly, in less pretentious apartments they are handsome and effective, and in still humbler apartments they are pretty. The stems of the leaves with which they are filled add a pleasant perfume to the room. They are employed not only in parlors and reception-rooms, but in my lady's boudoir, and in some cases each room in the house has one. So popular have they become that a form of jar-worship now prevails. At ladies' teas the latest designs are discussed and rated, about, and every new acquisition is hailed with delight. The history of the evolution of the rose-jar is quite romantic and reaches back some distance into the past. The rose-jar proper was in the shape of an urn and originated with the Turks centuries ago. They were usually made of lead and were one of the indispensable adjuncts of the bazaar. The old palaces of Oriental countries were without windows, and the rooms were inclosed by rough walls which were covered with various-colored hangings. These apartments were decorated most sumptuously, and the atmosphere was rendered delightful to the scenes by perfume emitted by vases containing rose leaves. This use extended throughout Turkey and Persia, and even to India, where they are still employed.

An importing house of this city, having business representatives all over the world looking for curios and antiquities, first introduced the rose-jars into this country. Their trade extends as far as Japan in one direction and to Constantinople in the other, and they conceived the happy idea of applying the Japanese tea-jar to the Turkish use as a receptacle for rose leaves.

The tea-jars of Japan and the origin with the establishment of a secret society called the Chano-ryu, about four hundred years ago. This society was a strong political power for many years.

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E. R. REED, Editor and Prop'r.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1888.

R. N. Root has been elected as secretary of the Oro Kino Mining Company and H. E. Lake as one of the directors. This company has several stockholders in this vicinity.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From a letter from Robert Yerkes, dated May 4th, we are permitted to copy the following: "Our otherwise very pleasant weather has been interrupted for the last two or three days by a cold north wind, bringing with it some much needed rain, which has put the farmers in good humor, as they had begun to fear a dry season."

From the top of a mountain yesterday I witnessed a somewhat peculiar and novel sight. It was a pillar of sand and dust between one and two hundred feet in height, moving down the valley, part of the time quite slowly, and again attaining considerable speed, and although it varied from side to side, its general course was toward me, and I hoped it would last until I could get a nearer view, but I was disappointed, as it went to pieces when about a half mile from me.

One of the most difficult things to become accustomed to here is the calculation of distance. When we first caught sight of the Rocky Mountains, from the car window, I ventured the assertion that I could walk out to them in a couple of hours, and was somewhat surprised when told they were one hundred miles distant. Since then I have been very careful about expressing my ideas of distance.

From where I am I can see the village of LaGrande, twenty miles away, although it does not look five. The view one obtains of Grande Ronde Valley from the surrounding mountains is like looking at a beautiful oil painting as "distance lends enchantment to the view," and although a closer observation robs it of some of its beauty, yet the fertility of the soil, delightful climate, and happy-go-lucky, don't-care-whether-I-make-more-than-a-living-or-not, style of the inhabitants, makes what seems to me, a very pleasant place to live.

Yet, like every other place it has its drawbacks. I found one the other day which I will relate. I was seated on a rock on the mountain-side, and had just reached Michigan (in my mind) when I was brought back across the intervening spaces with the most startling suddenness, by a sharp business-like rattle which lifted me off the rock, and sent me down the mountain with a velocity I was not aware I possessed. As soon as I could stop I went back and found a large rattlesnake had just emerged from under the rock, and was working him up in a high pitch of excitement, in which state he remained until his death, which occurred shortly afterward. For the remainder of the day it would have been laughable to have watched me dodging at every sound that had in it any resemblance to that of a rattle. And what spare time I had was occupied in grinding out the following machine poetry, which you will observe is a direct outgrowth of uncle Z. D.'s Florida verse and rhyme as follows:

I'd rather live on the old home place
And work the farm on there,
Than in this wild western place,
So full of snakes and rattle bears,
But don't remember feeling lusted for that day only.

From a letter written by Lieut. John C. Waterman, from Fort Meade, Dak., to his grandfather, John Waterman, in this place, we are permitted to make the following extract:

"But I must tell you we are ordered to make a move this spring. We the 7th Cavalry, are to take station at Fort Riley, Kansas. Fort Riley is near Junction City, Kansas, and is about 100 miles almost due west of Kansas City, Mo. You will find it on most maps. We search there and expect to be 40 days or two months en route. We will march almost due south and pass through the following places, probably: Buffalo Gap, Dak.; Ft. Robinson, Neb.; Sidney and Ft. Sidney, Neb.; then turning to the east will pass down the South Platte River then across to the Republican Fork and down this to our destination. Can you follow this on your map? Were it not for the long separation from Gars and the children I would like nothing better than this march."

We expect to have to start on or before June 1st and my post office address after that will be Fort Riley, Kansas.

A Sanilac county man who went to Dakota some time ago has written home as follows: "Offer a premium at your county fair next fall for the biggest fool in the universe, and I will be there, if the walking is good, and draw the prize."

A boy of Neligh, Neb., if he lives to be an old man, can tell an experience that no other man can, and few persons will believe it at that time. Parties were boring a well, twelve inches in diameter to the depth of 78 feet, after which an eight inch drill was used. Into this by some means, a little three-year-old dropped, going straight down 78 feet, where he stopped, of course, the hole being too small for further progress. All other means of rescue failing, the men went to work, under the lead of Jas. Stratton, formerly a well digger of Manchester, and sank a shaft beside the hole from which they cut through and rescued the child. By constant work they reached him in 48 hours. That boy ought to turn out well.

SOUTH-LYON DOTS.

The measles are abating somewhat, but a great many are yet sick.

Surprising that there is nothing being done about building up our grist mill.

A. M. Potter late of Providence, Rhode Island, has located here to practice dentistry. Office with W. C. Brown, M. D.

Reporters say that Kingsley Calkins will soon put in a stock of clothing and gents furnishing goods in connection with his groceries.

E. M. Sellman and L. B. Manning will return to Iowa in a few days to resume work for the Johns Bros. selling seeds and fruit trees.

A great chance is offered to some good man to start a foundry in connection with the new factory here. The right man would meet with sufficient encouragement to warrant him in the venture.

Wm. Greig, manager of the Church & Other Furniture Co., has recently recovered from his fall from the roof of the eagle house and will be able to look after his part of the business in a few days.

Our gardeners did not have to look after the registering of their thermometers yesterday morning, the tomato plants told the sad news. But our hot house men smile and say it only increases their sales.

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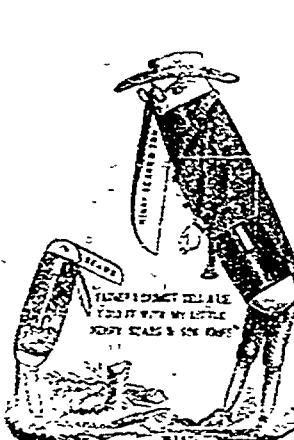
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PLYMOUTH.

Plans are made in five, and two
again.

The persons are plastering low Vandyke's house.

Harry Bennett "Bul" has his wind
mill up and it towers above all.

Eddy Post, G. A. R. met Wednesday
evening, to make arrangements for dis-
cession day.

There will be preaching morning
and evening at the Baptist church
next Sunday.

Report comes to us from the health
officer of Canton that diphtheria is
raging fatally at Cherry Hill.

Mr. Grant was buried Tuesday in
Riverside cemetery. The funeral was
at the house. Rev. Shanks preached
the sermon.

Samuel Lyndon was buried Friday,
May 14th, under the auspices of Plym-
outh Rock Lodge, F. & A. M. Funeral
was at the house.

Lee Nowland is moving into Kel-
logg's house on Union St., and Hale
Cape will move into the Dodge house
vacated by Nowland.

Rev. Robertson, late of Grand Rap-
ids, is spending the week here and vis-
iting the members of the Baptist
church. They expect to retain him
permanently.

Monday night there was a meeting
held in the M. E. church, to consider
what they should do to the church and
it was decided to re-carpet and re-seat
with modern seats.

E. J. Bradner has "sought and found
light" in the rear of his store by a win-
dow on the side next to Mr. Boylan's
house. It makes it more cheerful in-
side and promises to save Mr. B's eye
sight.

Henry Anderson wants to know
who can catch more mice than he can,
one in every hole in trap. But the
joke was when the boys threw them
out on the side walk to heat the ladies
say, oh! and get to the other side of the
walk. Well it was not very running
after all boys.

FARMINGTON NEWS.

The sick in our midst are all better.
Mark Hance lost a valuable horse
last Saturday night.

Mrs. John Miller, of Northville, vis-
ited her parents last Sunday.

For hair and millinery goods call on
Mrs. McRoberts, of Farmington.

The Misses Eisenlord, who are at
tending school at Vassar, passed last
Sabbath at home.

Mrs. P. Dean Warner contemplates
visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Van-
Denbergh, of Belvidere.

Preparation is being made for the
observance of Children's Day, in the
M. E. church, June 1st.

Mrs. John Pinkerton, of Northville,
was a guest of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Ira Power, last week.

Dr. J. J. Moore and wife returned to
their home in Farmington, Friday,
May 11, after a two week's pleasant
outing in the sunny south.

Mrs. F. D. Sperry and Mrs. Horace
Furber, of Detroit, who have been vis-
iting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli
Furber, have returned home.

Any one wishing to buy a first class
sewing machine just call on Edgar
Dobois, who now resides on Detroit
St., Farmington, and examine the
new home.

(Received to use for six weeks)
Mrs. Orrilla Edwards is convales-
cent.

The new school house is progressing
finely.

Dr. Truscott, of Wayne, was in town
last week.

Mrs. Mark Hance is visiting friends
in Detroit.

Mrs. J. P. Eisenlord has been visit-
ing friends and relatives in Macomb
county for the past few days.

C. A. Beardsley and wife, of Detroit
were the guests of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Mark Harce, Sunday, May 5.

Miss Minnie Collins, of Detroit,
spent last Sabbath at home with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins.

Gleme, a three-year-old son of C.
Frank White, had his arm broken last
Monday. The little boy bears it very
bravely.

Dr. J. J. Moore and wife, who are
still traveling in the southern states re-
port to their northern friends as hav-
ing a very pleasant time, and express
themselves well pleased with the cli-
mate and inhabitants of the south.

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