

# The Northville Record.

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## NOTICE.

Citizens Meeting Called for Monday Night July 18,

TO TAKE SOME ACTION.

On Proposition by the G. F. Co. Relative to the New Refrigerator Factory.

Whereas the Globe Furniture Company contemplate engaging extensively in a new line of manufacture, and have made a proposition to the Common Council of this village to establish the same in this village provided a suitable site and material for building are furnished by the citizens, or in some manner. Therefore notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting at the council room on Monday, July 18, at 7:30 P. M. to consider the matter and to take action respecting raising the bonus required.

All persons interested are urgently requested to be present.

By order of Committee of the Council.

## AREMINISCENCE.

The Editor is Agreeably Carried Back to His Railroad Days.

While on a Detroit trip last week the Editor had the pleasure of making a call at the division superintendent's office of the Lake Shore railroad, in whose employ the writer was for some years. We were met with a cordial and hearty grasp of the hand, by that affable superintendent, S. S. Hand. Mr. Hand was for many years freight agent at Detroit and was promoted to his present position about five years ago. He is in every sense of the word a gentleman—gentle, whole-souled, whom it is a pleasure, alike for the officials, an employee, or the public, to meet and converse with. Mr. Hand is not only the oldest division superintendent of the entire Lake Shore system, but is also undoubtedly the most popular one and the remarkable increase of business on his division the past few years reflects much credit as to his management.

We here too met the superintendent's chief clerk, W. E. Beal, and though not more than forty yet it seems as though he must have held this office of chief clerk at least 39 of those forty years. We remember our first introduction to the gentleman. It was back in '79 when the writer was operator and acting agent at Dundee, under the now Hon. W. A. French. It was, "Your oil can is at Mourée; why don't you send your requisition card to this office?" (signed) W. E. B. We did not know then who W. E. B. was—we had it copied Web, and for a long time wondered who Web was. Mr. Beal is a thoroughly posted railroad man and an exceedingly popular one.

And there was our old friend G. W. Johnson, who was chief train dispatcher during our time—now promoted to master of transportation. Mr. Johnson was as fat and jolly as ever he was when he used to fire in the train orders with his well known "12 G. W. J." on them. Mr. Johnson like all the officers in this office rose from the ranks and was at one time messenger boy down at White Pigeon or some place near there.

Mr. Johnson's former operator, Sam Edgner, is now chief dispatcher. Sam used to be known as the biggest "wire fighter" on the road and it was of no use trying to do business if Sam wanted the "line." Sam makes a tip-top "chief" and everybody likes him. Asst. Dispatcher France was away on his vacation and we missed the pleasure of seeing him. Mr. France, by the way, is quite well known in Northville, his wife being Hattie Clark formerly resident of the "Switzerland of Wayne county."

## FATAL ACCIDENT.

Seril Adams is Struck by the Cars and Meets Instant Death.

HE WAS VERY DEAF.

And Had No Warning of the Approaching Train.

Seril Adams, father of Frank, Edward and Riley Adams of this place, was struck by the 6:40 south-bound mail train last night and instantly killed. Mr. Adams lives on Wm. Einkerton's farm some four miles north-east of here and he was returning home from a day's work at his son Ed's, who lives on the Andrew Yerkes place, taking a short cut from the Novi road on the railroad track to where the track crosses the east and west road near the Knapp cemetery. Mr. Adams is almost totally deaf and the engineer's frantic endeavors with the whistle to warn the old gentleman of his peril was of no use. The train could not be brought to a stop in time and when but a few rods of the highway where he would have turned from the railroad track, the locomotive struck him, breaking his neck and throwing the body into the ditch. The train was soon brought to a stand still, the remains taken aboard and carried to Novi and the children notified. Mr. Adams was a highly respected old gentleman and his sudden death is a sad blow to his wife and sons. The funeral will be held from the late home at ten o'clock tomorrow.

## REJUVENATED.

The Cornet Band Getting in Shape Again.

Northville band had a meeting last week Friday night and resolved to get a jump on themselves. They propose to get in shape at once and in fact are now prepared for any engagement in the state. The boys are badly in need of some new inexpensive uniforms and if any one desires their services for a little money they are ready for the business. The band is now officered as follows:

President—H. C. Cray;  
Sec'y—Geo. Barley;  
Treas.—W. E. Hilborn;  
Bus. Mgr.—B. G. Fikine;  
Musical Dir.—Ike Crocker.

## Council Proceedings.

A special meeting of the council was held July 9, 1892.

President W. H. Yerkes in the chair.

Present, Trustees Vauzile, Johnson,

Titham and Rayson.

Minutes of the last meeting were

read and approved.

Estimate No. 3 of \$2619.15 due the Lansing Engine and Iron Works,

water works contractors, was approved

and ordered paid.

On motion the communication in regard

to furnishing location and material

for building the new refrigerator

factory was taken from the table and

referred to a committee consisting of

J. M. Swift, W. P. Johnson and George

Rayson, for the purpose of making a

thorough investigation of the same and

to report at the next meeting of the

council. Council adjourned.

C. A. DOWNER, Clerk.

## EXCURSION.

To Grand Ledge Via D. L. & N. R. R.

Sunday July 17th.

Train will leave Plymouth at 8:20

A. M., arriving at Grand Ledge at 11:00

A. M. Returning leave Grand Ledge

at 7:00 P. M. Round trip \$1.50.

## Dr. Bennett.

Dr. Bennett, Specialist, of Detroit, will be at the Macomber House, Northville, Wednesday, July 20th.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

## Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

## NEARLY DONE.

Great Improvements to the Town and Now It's Your Turn.

The new F. & P. M. depot is almost done and is a great improvement, not only to Northville people, but also to strangers going through on daily trains, and in consideration of the fact, I ask the gentlemen of Northville and also of neighboring towns, to call and get a nice suit of clothes, made up in the latest styles, prices equal to any Clothing House in the county, and far superior in quality or wear. Low prices from July 1st to Sept. 1st '92.



Fraternally Yours,  
J. R. DOELFS, The merchant tailor,  
Northville, Mich.

## Business Flashes.

Do you want help? Do you want a situation? Have you a house to rent? Do you want to rent a house? Do you want to buy or sell anything? If so put a liner in the Record.

WANTED—A number of horses to pasture. E. R. Reed. 36tf.

FOR RENT—Large desirable brick house on Rogers street. Inquire Record office. 47tf.

FOR RENT—South Store in Opera House. Inquire Record Office. 47tf.

FOR RENT—Nice large house in north west part of village. Inquire this office. 47tf.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—The Ives Hotel at Novi. Will sell or exchange for Northville property. This is a bargain and a paying business. E. A. Ives, Novi, Mich. 47tf.

FOR SALE—Good milch cow. Part Jersey. Bargain. Inquire Clark Carmer. 47tf.

FOR SALE—Houses and lots in the village of Northville. Inquire of E. S. Woodman, Att'y at Law. 47tf.

FOR SALE CHEAP—House and on acre land with good Well and Cistern and Fruit Trees. Inquire Wm. Ambler. 46tf.

FOR SALE—Elegant large house and big lot. Quantities of fruit, chicken park etc. Corner Yerkes and Atwater street. Inquire O. F. Carpenter. 42tf.

FOR SALE—Nice Bay-Driving Horse. Perfectly Gentle. Cheap. Bargain. Inquire Mrs. Emma Coates, Novi, Mich. 35tf.

FOR SALE—Good Building lots on Corton division. Terms 10 per cent down, 10 per cent in six months, balance on term of 3 years. Price \$100 to \$135. Inquire of A. D. Kendrick or M. D. Gordon. 32tf.

FOR SALE—The property known as the Samuel Williams homestead Corner Main and Wing streets is for sale. Address Mrs. L. G. N. Randolph, 499 Third avenue, Detroit Mich. 32tf.

FOR RENT—Good living rooms in Cooney block. Inquire L. W. Simmons. 48tf.

## ODONTUNDER!

FOR PAINLESS EXTRACTION OF TEETH IS THE Grandest Success of the Age!

No Chloroform, Ether, Gas or Electricity.

This process is applied directly to the Gums, and the patients retain all their senses, having their Teeth extracted without pain. The only safe anesthetic. No bad results.

HUNDREDS OF TESTIMONIALS.

Dentist will be at Park House, Northville, Tuesday July 19, one day only. Please call early.

## HAVE YOU SEEN?

Our new method of framing Pictures? If not step in our Gallery and look at our stock of Mouldings and Framed Pictures.

150 Styles of Mouldings now in Stock.

Think of it! New shades to harmonize with any study. The new and correct way of Framing.

We are up with the times. Prices consistently low and prompt attention in filling every order. We invite your inspection.

BROWN & CO., Northville, Mich.

## Another Tailor

Shop in town ever Teichner & Co's Dry Good store. New Goods, and also repair work done on short notice. Come and give me a call.

B. FREYDL.

Formerly with J. R. Doelfs.

## \$10 REWARD \$10

Offered for any other filler found in our make of

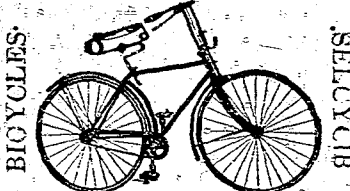
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than superior Yuelta Abajo Havana, grown in the Isle of Cuba. They are equal to most 10c brands and are sold by dealers at 5c straight. Call for 'em, try 'em and be convinced.

RATHBURN & FLEISCHER,

McClure's Wayne Mich.

## BICYCLES.



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We have secured the agency for Northville and vicinity for the Celebrated Bicycles manufactured by the Western Wheel Works, of Chicago, ranging in price from \$20 to \$135, and consisting of 12 different styles.

We warrant every wheel to be mechanically perfect.

They are made from imported seamless steel tubing, steel drop forgings, ball bearings all around, and there are no better wheels made for the money.

Be sure and see us before you make a purchase.

We also have the agency for the celebrated Victor wheel.

Sands & Porter

The reliable furniture dealers.

Try Dillam's Great German 25 cent Cough Cure at Geo. C. Hueston's.

## FREE EXCURSION

Would be an attractive thing about now would be well patronized, but the attraction this week is at the BUSY BIG STORE, and excursion there would cost you nothing; would certainly save you some money. No listen to the

## PROGRAM

of the entertainment we have for you: Beginning on

## SATURDAY JULY 16.

we will place on sale in the Dry Goods Department our entire line of Ladies and Miss Black and White Dress Flouncing, ranging price from 75c to \$2 per yard, and CLOSING THEM ALL OUT AT

## 1-2 PRICE

Think of it! only 50c on the dollar. Be sure and get the Plums and an elegant Dress at ordinary price.

IN THE GENTS FURNISHING DEPARTMENT we will offer the gentlemen 50 1 EXTRA HEAVY SEAMLESS HOSE worth 10 and 12 1-2c per pair and let them go at per pair. Yes, a nickle a pair! Now then do all come at once, but COME just the same a

## COME EARLY

for "time and tide wait for no man", and we few women and these Prices will HURRY THEM OUT QUICK.

T. G. Richardson  
The Cash Outfitter.

## DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard







## MY SHIP.

O, Captain, if you sight my ship—  
My ship that went to sea,  
I pray you, wait a message  
Over the salt waves home to me.

For she may be where breakers roll  
And roar on rocks above—  
The ship I fashioned from my soul  
And freighted with my love.

But the captains—they are silent,  
And the sailors do not see;  
And not in light and not in night  
Comes my lost ship home to me.

But ever in the darkness  
Of shores where breakers sound,  
One voice to me: the moaning sea  
That murmurs of the drowned!

—Frank L. Stanton in *Atlantic Constitution*.

## THE OLD TAVERN.

Twenty years ago, before so many railroads were built there was a great deal of travel over the old trail which runs through the mountains of North Georgia into Tennessee. This was sufficient excuse for the existence of the old Blue Tavern, crowded into a niche high up on the mountain side, just at the beginning of Hutter's gap.

Sarah, the daughter of the house, was a beautiful girl of 17. She had no remembrance of any other home than the bleak mountain inn, and if she was tired of the lonely life made no complaint. She had had a governess for several years so was better educated than most girls of her acquaintance and was very happy with her books and piano.

Will, the son, was a lad of 15, not fond of books, but perfectly happy with his gun and dog, spent half of his time in hunting, sometimes alone, but more often in company with Joe, the stable man.

Those were lawless times twenty years ago, but no trouble had ever come to Mr. Harbin through the lawless characters that infested the mountains until a few weeks before the time of which I write. Then a valuable horse had been stolen from the stable, of which no trace had yet been gained. Then, one day, in February, word was sent to him to come at once to the county seat, Delongah, some fifteen miles away, to see if he could identify his horse among a number which had been captured along with several desperadoes.

To do this he must leave the children alone, the two negroes being away at meeting on the other side of the mountain. They would be home before dark, and the boy and girl were quite destitute of fear, so they urged the father so strongly he saddled up and was soon on his way.

Now Will was a merry-hearted fellow, always whistling and singing. In fact his father often said he could make more noise in a day than any other boy he knew could in a month, but that morning, he went about so quietly, Sarah was quick to notice it.

"What is the matter, Will?" she queried, passing in her work as he came in with a big armful of wood, and after putting it in the box sat down with a moody face. "Why are you not whistling?"

"Nothing, only I wish father had not gone. I don't know what ails me, but I am sure something dreadful is going to happen."

"Why, what can happen?" cried Sarah, with a merry laugh. Then glancing from the window she added: "We may get snowed in, and have to stay alone to-night, but that will not hurt us. Poor papa! He is not half way to town yet."

In thinking of his father's discomfort Will forgot his gloomy fears, and by the time he had made things snug at the barn, he was whistling away as happy as ever. It proved to be the worst storm of the season, and all that day, all night and into the next afternoon, the wind blew and roared, and the snow came down in blinding sheets. The colored people did not return and time dragged by on leaden feet. How long they would have to remain alone was a question that troubled them not a little, when near night on the second day a man drove up to the door and shouted:

"He drive one horse hitched to a light wagon, with a queer, old-fashioned top which was drawn closely. The horse was well-nigh exhausted, and Will was not surprised when he demanded lodgings for the night. Sarah hesitated, not liking to take in a stranger in her father's absence, but it was still snowing heavily and she could not well refuse. So bidding Will show him where to put his horse, she set about preparing supper. The stranger was an evil-looking fellow and showed his low breeding at the supper table in various ways. He was very talkative and rudely inquisitive in regard to the affairs of the household. Will answered saucily at times, at which he scowled savagely at the boy in a way that made Sarah's heart beat quickly with fear.

When he had finished his supper he sat down beside the kitchen stove, where, after ordering Will to bring him some liquor, he proceeded to fill and light his pipe. Fortunately Mr. Harbin had taken the key of the spirit-room, so the man grumblingly contented himself with some bottled ale which happened to be in the cellar.

Sarah hurriedly finished her work and retired to the sleeping-room with her brother, and the fellow sat drinking and smoking until about 9 o'clock. Then he lighted the lantern and went out to see if his horse was all right, he said.

When Sully returned from the barn, he retired at once to his room, which opened off the kitchen, first inquiring where the others were to sleep. His face wore a look of satisfaction when told in the other part of the house that puzzled Sarah not a little.

What she had told him was strictly true, but owing to the peculiar manner in which the house was built, the back of Sarah's room adjoined that which had been given Sully. She was

so afraid he would mistrust her proximity that she retired without a light and lay shivering and sleepless for hours. Everything remained quiet, however, and she was beginning at last to doze when a noise in the next room startled her broad awake, and she caught a gleam of light through a crack in the thin partition. A moment she lay faint from fear, then slipping from the bed she put her eye to the aperture.

Sully had lighted both lamp and lantern, and with the latter in his hand was in the act of leaving the room, fully dressed, even to overcoat and mittens. Listening intently she heard the outer door open and shut, then ran quickly to Will's room, with the tidings. Quickly dressing he returned with her to the post of observation and together they waited for what might come. They soon heard him coming, walking as if he carried a heavy load. He made no pretense of being careful as to noise, but dug his burden upon the bed with an exclamation of relief, and stood a moment putting heavily.

It was a human form wrapped in a blanket, and Sarah had well-nigh uttered a scream of horror as he pulled the covering aside and she saw it was a man with his throat cut from ear to ear. Grinning horribly, Sully proceeded to arrange the body in the bed.

"The gal and boy'll find me mighty hard to wake in the morning," he chuckled. "I'd kinder like ter see it, but guess I hadn't better wait round."

When he had carefully arranged the bedding, he listened a moment, then, apparently satisfied all was right, he picked up the lantern and again passed out of sight.

Then a wild unreasoning terror took possession of the girl and grasping Will's hand she sprang up whispering shrilly: "He is coming to murder us! Let us hide in the store-room!"

Had they remained quiet, he would perhaps have not molested them, but, needless as were their movements, they heard them and followed ere they could close and bar the heavy store-room door behind them.

Sarah had caught up her watch as she fled and was thrusting it down in the meal chest, when he saw her and guessed she was hiding something valuable. Will had brought a lamp from the table in the dining room as he ran past, and had been but a moment in lighting it. So the man's tigerish face was plainly visible as he stepped to Sarah's side. He ordered her to give him whatever she had hidden. Seeing she was too frightened to stir, he turned to Will and with a savage curse called him to hold up the heavy lid of the chest while he reached for the things himself.

The boy obeyed, not daring to refuse and bending over, the ruffian began groping in the meal with his hand. Now this meal chest was a huge affair six feet long and four feet square the other way.

It had but little meal in it that night, and as Sarah saw the fellow bending so far over, an idea suddenly flashed into her mind. By motions she communicated it to her brother, and by united effort they sent him headlong into the big and slamming down the cover, fastened it with a lugs and wooden pin. A keg of white sand and a jar of meat were quickly placed on top of the cover and then the two, led at one another with quiet satisfaction. The murderer was caught and let him pound, rave and curse as much as he chose, it would benefit him not one whit.

"Will be smother in there!" asked Will after a moment, and a startled look came into his sister's face. A moment she stood in thought, then ran across the room and took an auger from the wall. The chest was of oak and well seasoned by age, but they succeeded in boring several holes in it near the top. Then, paying no attention to the cries and entreaties of the man, they went out, locking the door behind them. They also locked the door leading to the kitchen, shivering with dread, as they thought of that thing of horror in the bed out there. Then, sitting hand in hand by the fire in the front room, they debated what to do. Mr. Harbin had said he would be gone four days if not more. The negroes having gone on foot might not return in a week. There seemed only one thing to do, but neither mentioned it for a time. The snow had stopped, the wind had gone down and a full moon made it almost as light as day.

"The wolves will be out and the road may be impassable," said Sarah at length, voicing the thoughts of her brother.

"Still, I must go," and he rose with a resolute air. Sarah grew very white, but got his overcoat, muffler and mittens without a word, and the brave lad was soon on his way to Delongah, mounted on the best horse his father owned. Sarah bade him a cheery Godspeed and he never guessed the agony of fear she endured at being left alone in the great house with two such dreadful companions. It was only 1 o'clock and long hours must pass ere he returned with help.

The boy will never forget that night ride. His horse could only get along in a slow walk, the snow was so deep, and in places had to founder through great drifts. The howling of the blood-hungry mountain wolves made his blood run cold, but none molested him, and about ten o'clock he rode into the village and told his story. By the time he had breakfasted, his father and a posse of men, with the sheriff at their head, were ready for the return; but it was four o'clock ere they rode up to the door of the Blue Tavern.

Sarah opened the door, her worn, haggard face proving what a terrible waiting it had been to her. Sully was found where they had left him, half dead from cold and hunger, but lived to be hung for the crime he had committed. The children were highly complimented for the course they pursued, and the story of their bravery

widely repeated; but I wish to ask you which was the bravest, the one who went, or the one who stayed?—Rye Johnson, in *The Home*.

## THE GAY-GIRAFFE.

It Is Open to Anything—Green and Pleasant-Looking.

"Any man who can train to do tricks a kind of animal which has not been so trained before seems to be in a fair way to get rich," said a visitor to Barnum's circus, within hearing of a New York Tribune reporter. "Look at those cats for instance. How the crowd enjoys their antics, though in themselves they are not nearly so wonderful as those of the monkeys. But people are used to the monkeys' tricks and the cats are a novelty. I've a good mind to buy a giraffe and train him to run at full speed around the amphitheatre. There's a fortune in it."

That's not a very difficult trick to teach certainly," said the reporter. "But I don't think the public would care much to see that."

"Well, that's where I differ with you," replied the other. "I think they would almost split their sides with laughter. To see a giraffe at full speed is I think one of the funniest sights in the world."

There are possibilities for fun-making in the old camelopard, or "savage sheep," as Fluy called him, that you won't get in the first place, he has a gut between a canter and pacing.

One fore leg and one hind leg are shifted at the same time, but he does not go evenly; he manages to get the jump of a canter into a pacer's stride. Then again, the hind legs fly out from the side like those of a cow, and at the same time come very far forward in their stride. The long neck is stretched far out ahead and the head swings from side to side like a pendulum with every jump. The tail is thrown up upon the back, and there flops from one side of the spine to the other in opposite time to the swinging of the head. The nostrils and eyes are widely dilated and every motion is exaggerated, awkward and grotesque, yet the giraffe covers the ground like a race horse, and altogether presents a picture of motion which seems like a caricature of nature and would furnish the snap-shot photographer with an inestimable opportunity.

"As you look at him here in his cage, he seems like an only slightly animated hatter; but he is a lively beast in the open. Here comes his keeper with hay and carrots and a few big onions. Watch the giraffe's mouth fly like a hammer at sight of the onions. Giraffes seem to be guided more by sight than smell in the choice of their food. I've seen them pick the green leaves from the hat of a woman and only spit them out after chewing them.

"In winter quarters, where they have many more than in the cages, while on the road, I saw a peacock once strut proudly past the giraffe's pen, and one of the long-necked fellows reached over and, winding his wonderfully prehensile tongue about a dozen gay tail feathers, lifted the astonished bird off his feet and gave him a shake which took out about one-fifth of his gaudy appendage. When the giraffe tasted the feathers he gave them back, but the peacock had no longer any use for them.

Reiter the Bonus.

From Albany, N. Y., comes the story that in July, 1888, the bunco artist, John Fries, now serving a fifteen-year sentence at Dannemora, slipped up behind F. K. Dedrick just as he left his carriage in the front of the Farmers and Mechanics' bank and extracted from the seat a package containing \$25,000 in negotiable bonds. A few days after the bonds were received by ex-District Attorney Hugh Reilly. The package was intact and the accumulated interest makes them worth about \$43,000. There is no clue from where they came except that they were sent from New York city. The mystery lies in the fact that they were returned at all, as they are negotiable.

"Case Firing."

There recently died at Rome, Ricci Consorte, the well-known master of ceremonies of the capitol. Formerly he was the officer who preceded the pope's carriage in the streets to open the way and keep order. An anecdote connects his name with the memorable Sept. 20, 1870. About 10 o'clock on the morning of that day he was seen, in his usual lively, running-hastily into the vatican through the bronze doors where was stationed the papal guard, and crying loudly: "Cease firing! his holiness the pope has given orders to yield!" Soon after the white flag floated from the cupola of St. Peter's, the roll of cannon ceased at the Porta Pia and the temporal power fell!

Not to the Point.

"Where were you last night?" asked Jolliboy, addressing Chappie, who was looking very much out of sorts.

"My mind is a blank," said Chappie.

"That's not what I am talking about," said Jolliboy. "I was asking where you were last night."—N. Y. Press.

To Alay Seasickness.

By a combination of morable ballast in the form of pendulums controlled by water cylinders fitted with loaded valves, it is proposed to control the rolling of vessels in a seaway that the disagreeable features attending their want of steadiness will entirely disappear.

Appropriate.

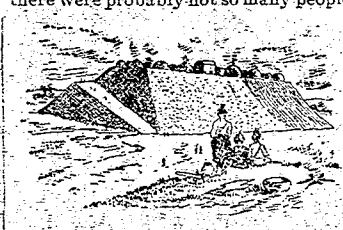
Cumso—What are you going to do with that mouse, Johnny?  
Johnny Cumso—Use it for bait.  
Cumso (astonished)—For bait?  
Johnny—Yes, I'm going to try to catch some catfish.—Jester.

## OLDEST SETTLERS.

### THE PRE-HISTORIC INHABITANTS OF AMERICA.

It Is Believed That They Crossed the Pacific in the Fifth Century—Some Relics of Their Existence—Serpent Mound of Ohio.

Four hundred years ago the country we live in was unknown to the rest of the world. There were no cities, no railroads and bridges, no horses and wagons, no broad smooth roads. The people were of a dark, reddish brown color, and lived in wigwams covered with bark. In the whole space between the Mississippi and the Atlantic there were probably not so many people

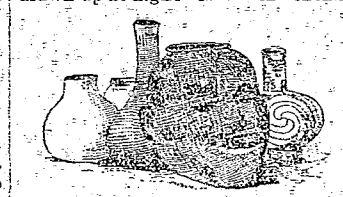


ETOWA MOUND.

as live to-day in a single city like Boston or Cincinnati. Far away to the southward, where corn grew with little care and where bananas and other tropical fruits were native, there were large villages in Mexico and Yucatan, and even on the dry plains of Arizona and New Mexico, but with these exceptions America might be called "an empty continent," a desert land awaiting its inhabitants.

The central part of America had not always been so lonely. The country drained by the Mississippi and the Great Lakes bears traces of a large population the white men found there. These little known people are called Mound Builders, from the huge piles of earth which they raised, for various purposes. They are supposed to have been of the same race as the Indian tribes found by Europeans. But while ten thousand mounds are found within the single State of Ohio, the same region was without settled inhabitants two hundred ago.

Many of these mounds were for purposes of burial. We learn something of the habits of the people from the ornaments of copper, stone and shell which they buried with the dead. Other mounds were bases of watch-towers and signal stations; some were fortresses, and their angles show much skill in the art of defense. On some, houses were built for safety against attack. They were reached by graded road-ways or by ladders which could be drawn up at night or when enemies



SOME POTTERY.

were near. Effigy mounds were rudely shaped to resemble men or animals. One of these, in Adams county, Ohio, is like a serpent, over a thousand feet in length, in the act of swallowing an egg, one hundred and sixty-four feet long.

Knives, chisels, and axes of flint and copper; carved pipes, beads and bracelets; vases of polished and painted earthenware have been found in the mounds, and some of them are of fine workmanship. Smoothly hammered plates of copper are stamped with figures of men and birds, which, though rude to our notions, show some idea of art.

Whence came the early inhabitants of America? is a question that can not be positively answered. A company of Chinese sailors, in the fifth century, driven off shore by westerly winds, sailed many weeks until they came to a great continent.

Here they found the aloë and other plants that were strange to them, but which we know to be Mexican. The savages on either side of Bering Strait meet every year to barter their fish and furs. Many from Asia may have wandered southward along the coast.

Even within the last hundred years fifteen vessels have been driven across the Pacific to our western shores; and during all the previous ages we may believe that many like things had taken place.

Doubtless, also, the Greek and Phœnician sailors may have crossed the narrower Atlantic. The first white visitors to America, of whom we have any trustworthy record, came from Iceland, and its present white inhabitants are of European descent.

Iceland had been occupied about a hundred years by a hardy, seafaring race from Norway, when, in A. D. 985, Eric the Red, an Icelandic chief, discovered Greenland, and planted a colony on its southwest shore. This became a thrifty settlement through its trade with the Esquimaux, and paid a yearly tribute to the pope. One of Eric's comrades, driven out of his way



SOME HUMAN BONES.

by a storm, saw the mainland of North America stretching far away to the southwest.

In A. D. 1000, Eric's son, Leif the Fortunate, undertook, with thirty-five brave companions, to examine this more fertile and attractive shore. They saw the flat rocks of Newfoundland,

the white banks of Nova Scotia, and the long, sandy beach of Cape Cod.

From its great numbers of wild grapes, Rhode Island was Good Vinland.

Leif's party wintered in New England, and in the spring carried home news of their discovery.

Parties of Icelanders are thought to have visited the shores of what are now South Carolina and Georgia. The northern natives had told them of a "white man's land" to the southward, where fair-faced processions marched in white robes, with banners at their heads to the music of hymns.

Though they never found this abode of pale faces, the Northmen named it Great Ireland, and some writers believe that Irish fishermen had indeed settled on this continent.

Thorfin Karlsefne, a famous Icelandic sea-rover, explored the bays and harbors of the New England coast. Huts were built and a brisk trade was carried on with the natives, who were glad to exchange their furs for the bright colored clothes, knives and trinkets.

At least one little Northman was born on the American continent. His name was Snorri, and from him, in our day the great sculptor, Thorwaldsen, and the learned historian, Finn Magnussen, traced their descent.

In time, however, the Northmen loaded their ships with timber and sailed away to Greenland, and thence to Iceland.

If any settlers remained behind, they became so mingled with the dark brown natives that when white men came again, their descendants were not to



DOSE DILEMMAS.

be distinguished from other Indians on the coast.

### COLUMBUS'S LOST ANCHOR.

The Oldest Relic in Existence of the Great Navigator.

On the night of the 2d of August, 1498, the little fleet of Christopher Columbus, the discoverer of America, he being then upon his third voyage, lay at anchor just off the southwest point of the island of Trinidad, off the mainland of South America, which he had seen that day for the first time.

"Being on board of his ship," says Washington Irving in his history of the great navigator, "late at night kept awake by painful illness and an anxious and watchful spirit, he heard a muffled roaring from the south, and beheld the sea heaped up as it were, by a great ridge or bill, the height of the ship, covered with foam and rolling toward him with a tremendous uproar. As this furious surge approached, rendered more terrible in appearance by the obscurity of night, he trembled for the safety of his vessels. His own ship was suddenly lifted up to such a height that it seemed lest it should be overturned or cast upon the rocks, while another of the ships was torn violently from her anchorage, leaving her anchor behind her. The crews were for a time in great consternation, fearing they should be swallowed up, but the monstrous surge passed on, and gradually subsided, after a violent contest with the counter-current of the strait. This sudden rush of water, it is supposed, was caused by the swelling of one of the rivers which flow into the Gulf of Paria, and which were as yet unknown to Columbus."

The anchor thus lost on the night of August 2, 1498, nearly 400 years ago, from one of the ships of Columbus, off the southwest extremity of the island of Trinidad (Point Araya, as Columbus named the spot, vide Irving) has recently been recovered by Senor Argosino, the gentleman who now owns the point of land in question. It has the rare merit of being the oldest relic extant of the great navigator and of the discovery of America.

As would be expected from the age of this relic, it is an anchor in the simplest form of expression. The shaft is round and 8 feet 9 inches in length. At the head of the shaft is a round ring nearly a foot in diameter to which the cable was fastened. The flukes have a spread of about 5 feet. The total weight is 1,100 pounds.

This anchor was dug up by Senor Argosino in his garden from a depth of six feet at the distance of 327 feet from the nearest beach of the sea. His first supposition was that he had stumbled upon a relic of the Phœnicians or of some other of the ancient nations who have been supposed by many to have visited the coasts of America thousands of years ago.

But an examination of local facts and authorities soon convinced him that a portion of his garden now occupies the very spot at which the ships of Columbus lay at anchor on the night of August 2, 1498. The land is constantly rising from the sea along the entire coast, as has been shown by Humboldt, Findlay and scores of others who have written upon the subject, and the rate of this rising is known to have been quite sufficient to turn in 400 years the anchorage of the great fleet into the garden of a private citizen.

There is not a particle of doubt, therefore, at the end of the rigid inquiry that has been made that the anchor recently found by Senor Argosino is really and truly the lost anchor of Columbus.

A German has invented an incandescent lamp apparatus for showing the interior of boilers while under steam.

Waterproof cellulose paper, of one and two colors, is being introduced by a German firm for tablecloths, book back, temporary covers for roof, etc.

## ALL IN THE FINISH.

The Reason Why Fire-Proof Buildings Burn.

Any one who has ever witnessed the rapid spread of a great fire may well doubt the resistance of a steel building guarded only with a thin veneer of non-heat-conducting material says the *Engineering* magazine! In the great Boston fire the writer witnessed the spread of the flames to windward across a street 120 feet wide in such a manner as would utterly forbid him from ever granting a policy upon a tall office building constructed in the manner described, which might be exposed to the heat generated by the combustion of a warehouse of ordinary construction in proximity to it.

The instances of the complete destruction of so-called fire proof factories, store houses, wheat elevators and other buildings composed mainly of iron and brick are so numerous as to have given underwriters a profound distrust of iron or steel, unless so thickly encased with non heat conducting material as not to be liable to be heated to the point of dangerous expansion.

I once computed the heat units in the many cords of pine wood partition sheathing, etc., in what purported to be a slow-burning warehouse of heavy mill construction, and I found that it would have sufficed to supply charcoal enough to melt a large charge of pig-iron in a puddling furnace.

It thus happens that one often finds in the papers a record of the complete destruction by fire of what had been called either a fire-proof building or a building of so-called mill construction or a slow-burning building free from hollow spaces and free from many of the faults which infest the common examples of combustible architecture—merely because the same foresight which had been exercised in the main elements of construction had been lost in dealing with the finish. All these causes of danger are very prevalent even in buildings which might be wholly safe from the rapid combustion of any part of the building itself if common sense had been applied to the finish.

It therefore follows that the true question of safety does not consist wholly either in limiting the height or the number of stories, or the width and length of floor areas. Each of these elements must be dealt with in connection with the method of finishing, and even then the final consideration must be given to the proposed use of contents of such buildings. Until all these elements have been carefully considered, and until specific rules have been established in regard to each and all the elements that I have named, no absolute conclusion can be reached, either in respect to height, number of stories, or area of floor, so far as the danger of loss by fire is concerned.

### HE JUMPED OFF THE THRONE.

The Rajah of Sikkim Encountered a Snow Storm and Came to Grief.

The Rajah of Sikkim owes political allegiance to the government of India, but his heart is with the Grand Lama of Tibet, according to the New York Sun, and he is finding it exceedingly difficult to serve two masters. His little country is just north of Bengal, and Everest, the loftiest summit in the world, overlooks the Rajah's domain on the west. A few months ago the Rajah decided that he would have relations with the Indian government no longer, and as he could not loosen his grasp on his little country, he decided to run away. He packed his treasures and with his harem and children, set out for Tibet, intending to abandon his country forever. He had not gone far on his way before a terrible snow storm filled the mountain valleys, rendered the passes almost impassable and covered the lofty summits with a thick mantle. He pushed on with his train of camels for nearly a fortnight, while the poor women and children of his household were suffering terribly from cold. Then the camel drivers declined to go any further in the direction of Tibet. They said that to attempt the passes in that direction would be nearly to court death. They had lost much of the awe with which they regarded the Rajah formerly, for a self-deposed ruler did not seem to them to be very far above ordinary mortals.

In spite of his Highness's protests, they turned to the west, and in a few days they landed the ex potentate in Nepal. That country is very friendly to India, and the rulers decided that they would do a very good thing for themselves: if they turned the fugitive Rajah over to the Indian government. They set his caravan marching southward with a guard of soldiers, and before long his unhappy Highness found himself a prisoner in the hands of the Indian government.

He is now in a great dilemma. As he has deposed himself, the Indian government regards him as politically dead, and now the officials are hunting around for some trustworthy member of his family to install in his place. The ex-Rajah, therefore, has no country to rule, and he is also further from Tibet than he was when he jumped off the throne. If it had not been for that aggravating snow storm he would probably have reached Lhasa in safety, and would then have been secure among the fanatical Thibetans, who have succeeded in keeping their capital and its environs entirely free from foreign influences.

### Spurgeon and Beecher.

Henry Ward Beecher once said that Spurgeon owed his popularity no more to his Calvinism than a camel owed its excellence to its hump. "I replied," said Spurgeon, "that the hump was a store of fat on which the camel lived on a long journey, and that its value depended on its hump."—Argonaut.







# F. & P. M. R. R.

## TIME TABLE

In effect June 12, 1892.  
Trains leave Northville as follows:  
STANDARD TIME  
Going South  
Train No. 2, 8:45 a. m.  
No. 4, 10:15 a. m.  
No. 6, 11:45 a. m.  
No. 8, 1:15 p. m.  
No. 10, 2:45 p. m.  
No. 12, 4:15 p. m.  
No. 14, 5:45 p. m.  
No. 16, 7:15 p. m.  
No. 18, 8:45 p. m.  
No. 20, 10:15 p. m.  
Train No. 5 connects at Ludington with  
Steamer for Milwaukee, and Train No. 1  
connects with Steamer for Manitowish  
(during season of navigation), making  
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west.  
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Local time table June 12, 1892.

Going West	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Lv. Detroit	7:05	10:50	6:40
Beach		11:25	5:25
Elm		11:35	5:35
Stark		11:45	5:45
Plymouth	7:45	11:55	5:55
Salem		12:05	6:05
So. Lyon	8:10	12:15	6:15
Green Oak		12:25	6:25
Brighton	8:27	12:35	6:35
Howell	8:45	12:45	6:45
Ar. Lansing	8:55	12:55	6:55
Going East	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Lv. Lansing	6:25	10:10	7:30
Howell	7:27	10:23	8:35
Brighton	7:44	10:40	8:52
Green Oak	7:59	10:55	9:07
So. Lyon	8:14	11:10	9:22
Salem	8:30	11:25	9:38
Plymouth	8:49	11:40	9:57
Stark	8:59	11:50	10:07
Elm	9:09	12:00	10:17
Beach	9:25	12:15	10:33
Ar. Detroit	9:35	12:25	10:43

Through time table west.

Going West	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Lv. Detroit	7:05	10:50	6:40
Plymouth	7:45	11:55	5:55
Howell	8:45	12:45	6:45
Lansing	8:55	12:55	6:55
Ar. Iowa	11:25	3:30	9:20
Howard City	1:00	5:15	11:10
Gen. Agent	11:50	5:15	11:10
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Miss Fuller, of North Center street  
having returned home and resumed  
dressmaking, would like to see her old  
customers and also new ones. Prices  
reasonable.

## NORTHVILLE POSTOFFICE.

Mails arrive and depart from the North  
ville post-office as follows city time.  
MAILS CLOSE  
Going South 3:32 a. m., 2:42 p. m., 8:09 p. m.  
Going North 9:38 a. m., 3:30 p. m.  
MAILS ARRIVE  
From South, 10:10 a. m., 2:50 p. m., 7:15 p. m.  
From North, 3:10 p. m.  
E. S. HORTON, P. M.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Letters remaining in the Post Office  
July 12, 1892.  
Mr. Ward Clark.  
Mrs. J. M. Chambers.  
Mrs. Napier Ensign.  
Mr. Frank H. Fiehart.  
Mrs. Frank Wilkinson.  
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## LOCAL GLEANINGS.

Things Said and Did in the Liveliest  
And Prettiest Village in Michigan.

When in Detroit you will not miss it  
if you stop at the Wayne hotel. You  
will be well and courteously cared for.  
Manager Brown of the ball club says  
he will play the Northville corner  
hard a benefit game in the near future.  
A good scheme.

Union services at the M. E. church  
Sunday evening. These Sunday even-  
ing union services will be continued  
through the summer months.

Last week must have been a great  
visiting week for Ann Arbor. The  
Courier puts up four columns of 'em  
and the half was not told.

Cleveland and baby Rufus; Harrison  
and baby McKee. Take your choice.  
Farmingington Enterprise. The advan-  
tage is all with McKee. He stands a  
chance of wearing grandpa's hat some  
day; Ruth never.

The band boys are getting in shape  
to play on the streets again evenings.  
The boys also need some cash with  
which to put themselves in shape  
again and if you are called upon, please  
respond as generously as the occasion  
will permit.

Some suggest that now would be a  
good time to buy the mill pond of Mr.  
Gillespie. Fill it up, and have the Re-  
frigerator company build the new fac-  
tory there. It looks quite possible and  
if it could be accomplished it would be  
killing two large birds with one stone.

We neglected to mention before that  
Oscar Percy had returned from North-  
ville, where he has been taking the  
gold cure treatment. He considers  
himself completely cured of the liquor  
habit, and could not, if he would, drink  
a glass of liquor—Mifflord Times.  
That's the way we fix 'em all up that  
come here.

In speaking of the Walled Lake cele-  
bration last week we were negligent  
enough to entirely forget mentioning  
the oration delivered by Northville's  
popular orator, Rev. W. T. Jaquess.  
Like all of Mr. Jaquess' remarks, they  
were exceedingly good and thoroughly  
patriotic eliciting much applause  
from the crowd.

The papers all over the state are tel-  
ling how Prince Michael sold his hair  
and whiskers to Wonderland, Detroit,  
for \$750. "The fact of the matter is Won-  
derland did not pay a cent for them  
but they were presented to Manager  
Moore by Warden Davis of the state  
prison. Wonderland now has a very  
correct wax figure of the Prince with  
his own hair and whiskers and another  
as he appears since being shorn.

About \$2,000 would accomplish  
all the Refrigerator company ask for.  
The majority of our people are in favor  
of it. Some suggest it be raised by  
popular subscription, while others  
favor a direct taxation. The latter  
would seemingly be the proper course,  
as in that case the expense would fall  
alike on all, and inasmuch as every  
man, woman and child in the village  
would receive a benefit, all should  
share alike in the expenditure.

Don P. Yerkes one of Michigan's  
well known athletes and ball players  
has been engaged to captain and coach  
the Northville ball club the balance  
of the season. Mr. Yerkes will resume  
his old position in the box and with  
his past reputation in view there is no  
particular reason now apparent why  
Northville should lose another game.  
The citizens, business men particularly  
have subscribed \$100 towards a reserve  
fund to back the club the year out  
should the gate receipts fail to main-  
tain the expense.

The editor of the average country  
newspaper is generally not only will-  
ing but glad to publish anything in the  
shape of news he can get hold of, and  
the more he gets the better it suits him  
and his patrons. But he is neither  
omnipotent, nor omnipresent; and yet  
people often think they are intention-  
ally slighted because he does not pub-  
lish some item that does not come un-  
der his observation, but which he  
would just as cheerfully publish  
whether it concerned friends or ene-  
mies did he only know of it. The  
moral of the above is, when you know  
of anything that you think would  
make your home paper more newsy  
and readable just give the editor a tip  
and see how quick he will grasp it.

We manufacture Sash, Doors, Blind  
Mouldings and all kinds of mill work  
York & Tiltonson, Northville, Mich.

Another base ball club has been  
organized.

Ormal King and Lute Elliot have  
opened a shooting gallery in the south  
Opera House store.

Our boys say that it is no trouble at  
all to beat "Brown's Colts," and they  
hope for something harder next time.  
—Plymouth Mail. We can assure the  
Plymouth boys that their hopes will  
be well provided for.

In every community in this broad  
land of ours there are people who con-  
sider that because they pay \$1 per year  
for their home newspaper, which costs  
from \$1.25 to \$1.50 for every copy that  
is issued, that the publishers are under  
lasting obligations to them and must  
run his paper exactly to suit the taste  
of each individual.

Ralph Wilkinson, son of Judge Wil-  
kinson, of Detroit, well known in  
and about Northville, will be candi-  
date for circuit court commissioner at  
the coming republican convention.  
Mr. Wilkinson is a member of the De-  
troit bar; a popular young man, well  
qualified for the position and if nomi-  
nated will undoubtedly make a vic-  
torious canvass.

Messrs. Waterman & Carpenter who  
have purchased the hardware store  
now occupied by Knapp & Yerkes do  
not expect to occupy the same until  
next spring. The firm say their pres-  
ent quarters were becoming too small  
and the change for a larger building  
was necessitated. Knapp & Yerkes  
as yet have made no definite arrange-  
ments as to where they will move to.

Eleven members of the Northville  
wheelmen "cycled" over to Orchard  
Lake Tuesday. They were Dr. Bur-  
gess, Claude Burgess, M. A. Porter,  
Geo. Waterman, H. Teichner, Will  
Capell, Swift, Miller, Ed. Simonds,  
Ed. Lapshin, Thad Knapp and Eugene  
Briggs. The boys averaged some  
nine miles per hour. Five of them  
went on in to Pontiac while the bal-  
ance took in the sights at the lake.

The council did a creditable act at  
their special meeting Saturday night  
when they placed in the hands of a  
committee the communication from  
the Refrigerator company. The com-  
mittee were Councilmen Swift, Ray-  
son and Johnson, and they were in-  
structed to confer with the directors  
and see just what the Refrigerator  
company wanted, probable cost, etc.,  
and report at the next meeting, July  
19.

As will be seen in another column,  
the committee, appointed by Council  
to confer with the Globe Furniture  
company regarding the new refrigera-  
tor factory, have called a citizens  
meeting for Monday, July 18. Every  
citizen, having the interest of North-  
ville at heart should be on hand.  
The question of raising a bonus for this  
new institution, as we said last week,  
means something. For fact, a great  
deal more than may appear on the sur-  
face to the casual observer, and it be-  
hooves every citizen who has the  
slightest interest in Northville's  
welfare to put his shoulder to  
the wheel and help the new enter-  
prise along.

Superstitious people will be sur-  
prised to know that on the new silver quarter  
dollars there are thirteen separate  
representations of the number thirteen.  
It was probably the intention of the  
designer of the new silver piece to have  
this unlucky number occur thirteen  
times, but there are few people who  
have noticed this fact. There are 13  
stars; 13 letters in the scroll head in  
the eagles' beak; 13 marginal feathers  
in each wing; 13 tail feathers; 13 paral-  
lel lines in the shield; 13 horizontal  
bars; 13 arrow heads in one foot; 13  
leaves on the branch in the other foot;  
and 13 letters in the words "quarter  
dollar." Do not carry one of the un-  
lucky coins around in your pocket, but  
bring it to this office and get the Re-  
CORD for at least three months.

Every year that it is published the  
local newspaper gives from 5 to 20 col-  
umns free for the sole benefit of the  
town in which it is located. No other  
agency can, or even offers, to tax itself  
to such an extent. The publisher of a  
local newspaper, in proportion to his  
means, does more for his own town as  
a rule than any other ten men, and in  
all fairness, man to man, he ought to  
be supported not because you happen  
to like him or admire his writings, but  
because his paper is the best invest-  
ment the town can make. It may not  
be brilliant or crowded with great  
thoughts, but financially it is more  
benefit to the town than the preacher  
or the teacher. Now we are not refer-  
ring to the RECORD this time at all.  
We have in mind simply the news-  
papers of other towns outside of North-  
ville. The RECORD "cuts no figure."

Don't fail to try the Domestic Sew-  
ing Machine before purchasing. Mrs.  
Clara Allen, agent, over Wilcox's shoe  
store.

Try Dullam's Great German 15 cent  
Liver Pills, 40 in each package, at Geo.  
C. Hueston's.

BATHS.  
Ladies desiring baths at our Bath  
rooms will please call at Laundry  
office first. WEBBER & ADAMS.

The Eureka Mill men at Wyandotte  
are out on a strike.

There are twenty-one patients here  
at the Yarnall Gold cure and six more  
new ones will arrive Saturday.

Dr. Tweedale of Salem who adver-  
tised for his lost medicine case in the  
RECORD two weeks ago has had the  
same returned to him.

Ambler's hall is undergoing a lot of  
repairs in the way of paint and paper,  
and, when complete, the societies will  
feel quite proud of their quarters again.

Under the present management the  
RECORD has never mentioned a drunk  
or fight in this village. In fact there  
has been but little call for it, but of  
late, brawls and drunken men stag-  
gering along the streets, or lying in  
the cutters, is getting so common that  
it leads one to almost remark, "is this  
Northville?"

The laying of the water works pipes  
about the village is about completed.  
The well at the springs is finished and  
the pipes are being laid from there to  
the reservoir. The work on the reser-  
voir is progressing very slow, no work  
having been done on it for some time,  
but when they get at it again it will  
soon be in readiness.

Pastor Clark and a number of the  
members of the Baptist church are  
attending the International Con-  
vention of the Baptist Young People's  
union of America, held in Detroit July  
14-17. As Mr. Clark expects to remain  
over Sunday there will be no preach-  
ing service at the Baptist church next  
Sunday. Sunday school as usual.

The Odontunder dentist of 24 Wash-  
ington ave., Detroit, will be at the  
Park House, Northville, Tuesday, July  
19, for painless extraction of teeth.  
One day only; please call early.

What Makes a Beautiful Woman.  
ELEANOR, IND., July 31, 1891.  
DILLAM'S GREAT GERMAN REMEDY CO.  
My daughter has been afflicted with  
female trouble for over six years and I  
have paid out over \$750 in vain, trying to  
find relief for her. A lady friend advised  
her to secure a bottle of Dillam's Great  
German Female Uterine Tonic and she has  
been completely cured by it. We gave it  
a fair trial and the results were wonderful.  
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If you don't take advantage of our great offer in Men's Negligee Shirts for the coming week.

Monday last we received from a large New York house 25 dozen Men's Shirts, ranging in quality from the Finest Black Sateen, sold regularly at \$2.00 to the cheap Cotton Shirt at 25 cents.

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75c Shirts now 55c.  
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You can't appreciate these values till you see the goods, and remember also these prices are for one week only.

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### OUR NEIGHBORS.

Interesting Notes Gathered by Our Rustling Correspondents.

#### PLYMOUTH.

Our water works will soon be completed.

C. H. Rauch has returned home from the east.

Off on all kinds of Hats at Rauch's this week and next.

Mr. Herbert and Frank Wherry of Detroit were in town over Sunday.

Paul Voorhies is breaking in a new safety bicycle. Success to you Paul.

Mr. John Gale has purchased a new safety bicycle for his wife. Not for John.

This week has been fine bay weather and most of the farmers around here are making use of it.

A. W. Patches is improving the look of his store, occupied by H. G. Clark, with a new awing.

Miss Maud Wherry of Detroit is making her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wherry a visit.

Any one wishing to purchase a second hand bicycle, cheap, inquire at J. R. Rauch's store, Plymouth.

Master Bert Ray while playing ball last Saturday was struck by the ball in the eye, injuring it quite badly.

Rauch has a full line of ladies waists. Come and see them.

Lloyd L. Lewis will commence thrashing wheat next week. Mr. Lewis has a good outfit and does fine work.

Mr. James Calloun, who has been clerking for J. R. Rauch, returned home last Monday on account of sickness.

Mrs. G. A. Starkweather was severely injured by being thrown from her carriage in a runaway accident last night.

Joe Fuller and family who have been residing in Chicago during the winter have returned home for the summer.

There is a large number of new side-walks being built here this summer. They were needed very badly and are an improvement to the village.

Jessie Morgan, who has been visiting friends in Plymouth for the past week, has left for a short vacation at Bay View, after which he will teach school at Bad Axe, Mich.

#### FARMINGTON.

F. M. Warner and M. B. Pierce now own a fine new horse.

Mrs. E. H. Roberts has returned from her vacation visit.

E. N. Turber of Detroit was in Farmington the fourth.

Miss Carrie M. Murray returned home from Detroit Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Barry of Novi visited friends in our town last Saturday.

Harry W. Moore of Detroit Sunday-ed at home with his parents.

Richard Marsh of Pontiac has been visiting friends in our vicinity.

Mrs. J. L. Wilber is again very sick. Dr. Holcomb of Southfield attends her.

Mrs. C. W. Botsford and sister Dolle of Wixom spent the fourth in Toledo.

Mrs. Holbrook of Ypsilanti is the guest of her son, Albert Holbrook and family.

Miss Nina Chamberlin has been visiting friends in Detroit for the past few days.

William Power was taken quite sick last week but is now better, able to be out again.

The Helping Hand society convened Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Knapp.

Edgar Kennedy of Detroit was the guest of his sister Mrs. M. B. Pierce a part of last week.

Cyrus Wright and family of Detroit were entertained Sunday at the home of Abram Wright.

Miss Jennie Palmer of Morenci has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. L. Wilber, for the past few days.

W. O. Fisher of Belle Branch has rented the wagon shop owned by Ira Tollman and is now prepared to do work.

E. R. Edwards, wife and daughter, of Northville are the guests of Mrs. Edwards parents, M. Augustus White and wife.

Miss Myrtle Brown, who has been visiting her grand-parents, Ledger Cowley and wife of Lansing returned home Saturday.

Rev. James Ball of Troy Saturday-ed and Sunday-ed with friends in Farmington. Elder Ball was formerly pastor of the M. E. church in this place. He preached morning and evening two fine discourses which were listened to with deep interest by large and appreciative audiences.

Did it ever occur to you that there are some things in this world better than others? Well, there are a good many things and one of them is Hartzell's Cough Syrup. It is better than the best of its kind, and what is more, the proprietors warrant it. For sale by Geo. C. Hueston.

#### SOUTH LYON.

School board meeting last Monday evening.

Dr. Avery and wife are out of town for a few days.

The band gave us some very fine music last Saturday evening.

L. S. Allen and wife spent Sunday with D. Water's family of Salem.

Mr. McBane of Wooster, Ohio, is to be the Prof. of our school for the coming year.

Miss Ella Adams is working in the Review office at Fowlerville for a couple of weeks.

Some of our young men are preparing for an outdoor life at Island Lake for a week or so.

The South Lyon mill ground flour today for the first time in several weeks. The people here hope it will do so some more.

The musical and elocutionary recital given by the pupils of Mrs. Austin and Mrs. Blackwood last Wednesday evening was well attended and highly entertaining.

Union services every Sunday evening for six weeks. Rev. J. D. Spriggs gave a very practical sermon last Sunday evening upon the subject of "Warm weather religion."

#### NOVI.

Farmers have commenced cutting wheat.

Mrs. P. J. Taylor is entertaining her cousin from Nyack, N. Y.

Mrs. Maze of Hudson is visiting her niece, Mrs. Mattie Webb.

Judge Taft of Pontiac was entertained at C. E. Goodell's last week.

H. B. Wight and W. A. Garrett spent a few days in Detroit this week.

Miss Jessie Clark of Highland is the guest her aunt, Mrs. R. M. Johnson.

Miss Dupee of Detroit was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Mercereau over Sunday.

O. S. Hulett and family of Detroit are spending a few weeks with relatives here.

Miss Nellie Root and brother John left Monday for Saratoga, N. Y. to spend the summer.

E. W. Bloomer and E. Sperry spent several days at R. Tancary's camp at Brighton last week.

The pleasant days of the past week was of great benefit for the farmers in gathering their hay.

Miss Marie Johnson returned home Monday after a pleasant visit with friends at Grand Blanc and Highland.

Rev. D. Q. Barry and wife and several other young people of the Baptist church attend the B. Y. P. U. A. convention at Detroit this week.

#### BELLE BRANCH.

Chas Smith was in Saginaw one day last week.

James Loomis Jr is working in Farmington.

The Ladies Aid society met at Mrs. C. D. Collin's home Thursday.

Mrs. C. C. Smith is spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. M. J. Withee and Mrs. E. J. Robinson of Detroit visited at H. M. Slater's Monday.

Miss Madge Shields of Canada has been spending a short time with her brother, Dr. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Emery and daughter Lizzie of Northville spent Sunday with H. M. Slater and family.

Tom Hunt of Northville spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in this vicinity. Tom was down on his bicycle.

Mrs. H. M. Slater who has been on the sick list for the past six months is improving slowly, but is not yet able to get about much.

Mrs. A. S. Tedman who has been spending the past two weeks with her parents of Bennington has returned and reports a good time.

Clifton Forden principal of the Highland Park school is spending a part of his vacation with his sister, Mrs. R. A. Lyons. Clifton is one of our most successful educators.

Mr. Eugene Warden and wife of Ecorse are spending their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Warden. Eugene was principal of the Ecorse school last year.

Our school closed Friday, last week, with an exhibition. The school was small and therefore the program short, but great credit is due the scholars and teacher, Miss Maggie Vetal.

There is no doubt that all important events that happen after July 25 will be reckoned from that date. That is the day the Belle Branch K. O. T. M. cent No. 568 have their great basket picnic. They have invited the tents of Northville, Plymouth, Birmingham, Southfield, Franklin, Dearborn and Perrinsville, to take part in this enjoyable occasion. Some of the most prominent

Macabee speakers in Michigan will be there, and other attractions will be a base-ball game between two of the best amateur clubs. A great balloon ascension, a bowery dance and other sports to numerous to mention will be indulged in. Music will be furnished by a first class band. Refreshments will be sold on the grounds and everybody will come and enjoy this great event.

#### A Communication.

Farmington, July 11, 1892.

Editor of Record:

Will you kindly allow me to say a few words through the columns of your valuable paper by way of reply to the communication published in your last edition and entitled "One of the colts." I deeply regret that my unpurging on that occasion was the cause of creating in "one of the colts" that spirit of ungovernable rage which so clearly manifested itself in his characterizing me as anything but a gentleman. While I think I have many reasons for feeling sore over the manner in which I was treated on that occasion, yet I harbor no ill feeling toward any one, in any way connected with N. B. B. club. I esteem the mark of a gentleman too highly to allow myself to indulge in such a superfluous use of adjectives, or a senseless condemnation of rational expressions as "one of the colts" seems to delight in. I would not assume to instruct you, but allow me to say to you my dear young friend: I do not deem it prudent at all times to criticize people quite so severely for their acts, even though you be confident you are right, and they wrong. I think it would be well for you to learn that lesson now, for if you do not, I fear that sad experience will some day teach you that others have rights and privileges as well as you, and that others can state comparisons as significant as your own. You evidently were misinformed regarding my experience as an umpire. I have umpired both previous to and since the game at Northville and have always given satisfaction. I admit that one of the Farmington players requested me to give place to Mr. Fitzgibbons, and why simply because Mr. Webster of your club, on a visit to Farmington, the first time, requested for his player that Mr. Fitzgibbons would sell out for twenty five cents if in so doing he could defeat the N. B. B. club. I have the greatest respect for Mr. Webster and believe him to be a gentleman, but whenever I think of the unlimited amount of cash he must necessarily possess to ask me to give place to an umpire whom he openly declared would sell out for twenty five cents, I feel greater. But further comment is unnecessary. If you my dear young friend, or you Mr. Brown, or any member of the N. B. B. club are sincere in your declaration that I deliberately and wrongfully wronged you on that occasion, kindly inform me of the fact and I will willingly write you a personal letter of apology, but if the article as published was merely intended to gain news paper notoriety, or was simply a grammar grade school boy bluff, I shall be obliged to say of it as Peck's bad boy said of the poli cat—"a colossal ode", but of diminutive significance.

Yours truly,  
HAROLD MCGEE.

#### TOURISTS' RATES TO BAY VIEW.

VIA THE FLINT & PERE MARQUETTE R. R.

Interest now tends toward the delightfully cool climate of Bay View. Besides, on July 12th the summer university there opens, and on the 20th, the great assembly, attracting thousands of people by their superior advantages. As usual the Flint & Pere Marquette R. R. will sell round trip tickets to Bay View every day from July 11 to 20 inclusive, return limit Aug. 12, at rate of the fare one way for the round trip. The delightful climate, splendid recreational enjoyments and superior social and educational advantages make Bay View par excellence the finest summer resort in the West. Send to J. M. Hall, Bay View, Mich. for the Assembly Herald, telling all about the attractions and expenses.

H. M. Dunlap has opened rooms in the Macomber building, where he is ready to give prompt attention to all patients desiring the MASSAGE TREATMENT.

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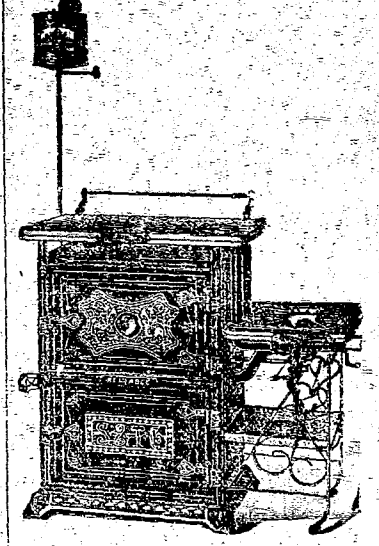
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