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left living, or beast, and that not a house should be left standing. These orders were carried out with deadly exactitude, and over 100,000 men, women and children perished by the sword. A mark was set on that Christmas in the northern counties that it took a hundred years to efface.

on Christmas day in the year 1300, Thomas a'Becket, the first who had been promoted since the conquest, stood in the choir of his Cathedral and preached as his own sermon in terms to the people.

ITS COMPLETED.

The Northville Water Works Is Now Practically Finished.

ITS THE BEST SYSTEM ON EARTH.

Cost Will Reach \$36,000 but It Is Worth It.

After an almost unceasing labor of eight months duration the water works system is now complete. The pipes from the springs were finished last week and a few leaks about town were stopped Monday. The water poured into the huge reservoir in immense quantities and it took but a short time to fill it. The system is without a doubt as fine as there is in the world and the expense for keeping it going will be practically nothing so far as getting the water is concerned. The cost, while at first only estimated at \$30,000 will reach some \$36,000 more than that on account of the trouble with the vitrified pipe which necessitated the purchase of a considerable amount of iron pipe, leaving the vitrified pipe on the village's hands. This will be no great loss however as it will no doubt all come in good use for sewerage purposes.

The water is of the purest kind, almost as cold as ice and is soft enough for all purposes. The pressure is sufficient to throw a stream 150 feet higher than Main street and a fire would stand but little show against such a foe.

The reservoir now filled looks several times larger than before, and has the appearance of a good sized lake.

LARGEST IN THE STATE.

A Two Year Old Steer That Weighed 1,485 Pounds.

Probably the largest and heaviest two year old steer ever sold in Michigan was the one C. Hoffman, a well known farmer living two miles east of here, sold Monday to Lewis Vickory of Plymouth. The animal was two years old and weighed 1,485 pounds. It was also a handsome creature, being white as the dripping snow.

WILL ADVERTISE AGAIN.

A Detroit Firm Now Wants to Bid for the Fire Hose.

Edwards & Co., a Detroit rubber hose supply house, got the date, for bidding on the hose for the Northville fire department, slightly mixed and asked a check to yet put in a bid. The date was Dec. 1st, but the Detroit people had it the 15th. At the special meeting of the council Saturday night the water board was instructed to advertise for bids again.

KICKED BY A HORSE.

Lyman Brooks of This Village Has a Narrow Escape.

During the auction sale at Geo. Hinman's Tuesday afternoon a horse was led out for inspection and sale. The animal became a little frisky at the crowd, and because of the chilly atmosphere, and let fly its heels among the people. The horse was newly shod and the sharp shoes struck L. L. Brooks on the right leg, above the knee, twice before anyone fully realized the danger. Mr. Brooks was picked up and conveyed to his home in this village, by Rev. L. G. Clark. Dr. Blanchard was summoned and found some tissues broken, and the limb badly bruised, but fortunately no bones were fractured as was at first feared.

Mr. Brooks is resting easy now and is very thankful it is no worse, for had the animal's heels struck him in the abdomen the results must have been fatal.

For A First class shave or Hair Cut call at the Bank building Tonsorior Parlor, West Main Street.

PETER CONNEL, Proprietor.

THE NEW SAVINGS BANK.

Will Open For Business Saturday Morning.

The new Northville savings bank will open for business at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. A Mr. Cleveland of Detroit has been engaged to assist Cashier Babbitt for the present. Mr. Cleveland has had years of experience in all departments of the banking business and Frederick Marvin of the Detroit Third National bank says he is one of the best all around bank men in the state.

TWO DEATHS THIS WEEK.

They Were Both Well Known and Aged People.

Martin Vansickle, a well-to-do farmer living two miles west of here, died Tuesday. He was a most highly respected citizen, a good neighbor and a kind friend and was well known throughout this section of Michigan.

Mr. Vansickle was born in Lodi, N. Y., Apr. 25, 1818. He moved to Michigan in 1881 and has resided here since that time. He was married in 1838 and two of his sons are yet living. The funeral occurred from the home this afternoon, his old friend Dr. J. M. Swift officiating.

Mrs. Samantha Gordon-Bailey, relict of the late Hezekiah Bailey, died at her home, Rogers street, yesterday morning. She had been ill since the death of her husband last September. She was a highly respected old lady and a faithful member of the Baptist church for many years. The funeral will take place tomorrow at two o'clock from the late home, Rev. Clark, her pastor, will officiate.

Mrs. Bailey was born in Monroe county, N. Y., April 27, 1816, and had been married some fifty-six years. She leaves two sisters, one brother, two sons and three daughters.

Council Proceedings.

A special meeting of the council was held Dec. 17, 1892 by order of trustees, Swift, Vanzile, Tingham and Rayson.

Present, trustees Johnson, Vanzile, Tingham and Rayson.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Moved and supported that the following bills be allowed and ordered paid: Lansing Engine & Iron works contractors for water works, \$2,000.

Ayes, Johnson, Tingham, Swift, Vanzile, Rayson. Nays, none.

W. S. Parker, on acct. eng. \$50.00.

Ayes, Johnson, Swift, Tingham, Vanzile, Rayson. Nays, none.

C. A. Downer assisting W. S. Parker \$7.00.

Ayes, Johnson, Swift, Tingham, Vanzile, Rayson. Nays, none.

F. & P. M. R. R. fr't on pipe \$355.62.

Ayes, Johnson, Swift, Tingham, Vanzile, Rayson. Nays, none.

John Barley, cleaning walk \$1.67.

Motion carried that the recommendation of the board of water commissioners in regard to buying hose be returned to them.

The sidewalk committee reported that the grade of the sidewalk in front of J. S. Lapham's property on Wing street, between Main and Cady street, was in very poor condition and needed repairing.

On motion the report was accepted and the Clerk was directed to issue a notice to Mr. Lapham to repair the same.

Mr. J. W. Davis requested the council to give him the minutes of all council proceedings, for free publication in the Detroit Courier, which was duly granted with the thanks of the council.

Council Adjourned.

C. A. Downer, Clerk.

Apples For Sale.

Nice selected Baldwin apples, \$2.75 per barrel. Leave orders at RECORD office or notify us.

BLACKWOOD BROS. 17tf

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

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

GIFTS. 1892.

Brown & Co.

Will give you the Choice of an Elegant Cabinet or 3x10 Frame with every doz. of their

New Aristo Cabinet

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1893.

BROWN & CO.

PHOTOGRAPHERS, Northville, Mich.

DO YOU KNOW IT?

Three-fourths of your life is spent in your clothes, and since this seems to be the case, why not have something that is all right. Everyone likes to wear good clothes, and when you can get them at reasonable prices, Webster's is the place to go. Though the season is late, that makes no difference, you want clothes for now—this cold weather—and can get them at "right" prices. Compliments of the season to all.

Yours truly,

J. GEO. WEBSTER.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Editor of RECORD.

Your article in the last issue regarding the Courier's reported falsifying and disreputable attacks on our village and wide awake citizens was well timed and to the point, and deserves commendation from every good citizen. As an old citizen and taxpayer of this village I have admired the course you have taken in your management of the RECORD in supporting and encouraging all improvements, calculated to benefit our town. Notwithstanding the fact that the correspondent of the Courier allows no opportunity to pass wherein he can insult the name of our fair village, and its best citizens, we still have cause to congratulate ourselves that all attempt so far has proven futile. The citizens of Northville have no use for fossils unless it be to adorn the shelves of some museum of antiquity.

Let croakers croak and growlers growl. It seems to be their make up. But when their medicine they take The RECORD gives them the shake up "TAXPAYER."

Editor Record:

I wish to compliment you on your last issue's article regarding the Courier's mudslinging practices. Every good citizen in this village—and there are many of them, who have so expressed themselves—are loud in your praises, but still louder in the condemnation of the Courier's insulting remarks.

OLD SUBSCRIBER.

BUSINESS FLASHES.

WANTED.—A small heating stove for a small room. E. N. Root Dentist.

WANTED.—Boarders. Apply to Clark Willis, Plymouth avenue. 18tf

WANTED.—Two or three more boarders Mrs. C. Barry, Amherst house. Yerkess street, second house from Center street. 19tf

HORSE FOR SALE.—Black Gelding, 8 yrs. old. Sound gentle good traveler. For further particulars and price apply to Dr. Tweedale, Salem. 14tf

FOR RENT.—A farm of 60 acres, or 160 acres, 2 1/2 miles north and 3 1/4 miles east of Novi Corners. A. L. Darr, North Farmington. 7tf

FOR RENT.—Good living rooms. Inquire of A. McK. 18tf

FOR SALE.—Pure bred light Brahman and B. P. Rock cockerels and pullets choice "Birds" no fancy prices. Apply J. H. Selden Novi Mich. 19w2

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

FOR SALE.—A House and large Lot. If you don't get "mum" give me a nice lot in good location or a good straight pair of horses. Apply, A. S. Huff, North Center St. 19t

FOR SALE.—Good 30 acre farm, no waste and. Good buildings, fruit, etc. Easy terms. 1 mile west of Ash hatchery. Apply to J. S. Peoples. 20tf

Benj. F. Springer's Piano and Organ Sales

From Oct. 1, '91, to Nov. 1, '92.

The following report well represents the musical taste and culture of the people of Northville and adjoining towns.

NORTHVILLE:

T. G. Richardson, Fischer Piano.
Rev. L. G. Clark, " "
C. A. Hutton, " "
Belle R. Long, " "
C. M. Joslin, " "
Geo. Wager, " "
Marvin Borer, " "
Mrs. C. Thompson, " "
Mrs. G. B. Lake, New England Piano.
Edward Martin, " "
Yarnell Gold Cure, Harrington.
Keeley Institute, Starr Piano.
David Cagle, " "
Mrs. Martha Beal, Hardman Piano.
Dr. Walline, " "
Orange Butler, " "
Charles Colgren, " "
Miss Mary Howlett, Marshall Piano.
Z. G. Allen, Organ.
Miss Annie McKay, " "
Mrs. F. Chapman, " "
Geo. Hill, " "
Mary J. Crawford, " "
Northville Schools, " "
Walter Hewett, " "
Miss Mary E. Fry, " "
O. M. Lewis, " "
Miss Millie Siver, " "
Ossie Colgren, " "
J. H. Taylor, " "
James Savage, " "
Mrs. B. Northrop, " "
Mrs. Ada Burns, " "
Henry Priest, " "
Henry Smitherman, " "
Frank Shaffer, " "
C. Stewart, " "
F. D. Adams, " "
W. J. Little, " "
Morrell Simmons, " "
Wm. Linger, " "

PLYMOUTH:

Miss Lizzie Mead, Starr Piano.
Mr. Markham, Harrington Piano.
Mrs. Ida M. Dunn, Fischer Piano.
John G. Strong, Haines Piano.
Edith McCarty, Fischer Piano.
Mrs. Ladd, Starr Piano.
Mrs. Nellie Shall, Fischer Piano.
Nellie Blise, Organ.
J. C. Sommers, " "
Chas. H. Daley, " "
Miss Anna J. von, " "
Mrs. E. Blair, " "

SOUTH LYON:

Frank Oliver, Cable & Son, Piano.
Harrison Olsavov, Fischer Piano.
Mrs. A. Fisher, " "
Kingsley Calkins, Wood & Son Piano.
Leroy Richardson, Fischer Piano.
Bert Field, New England Piano.
J. B. Adams, Fischer Piano.
B. J. Jacobus, Cable & Son Piano.
J. Smith, Organ.
Henry Peterman, " "
Jennie Nugent, " "

WAYNE:

Mrs. E. H. Crosby, Starr Piano.
Wm. H. Cartmole, Fischer Piano.
Miss Clara Hitz, " "
Lizzie Valerius, Starr " "
P. R. Wilson, Fischer " "
Elna Howe, Fischer " "
Mary Curtis, " "
Mrs. D. D. Tyler, Organ.
C. H. Shiplain, " "
William Irwin, " "
F. Lewis, " "
W. A. Casruthers, " "
Jos. S. Corneceler, " "
Mary Goldsmith, " "
A. Barns, " "

MILFORD:

Duffy Bros, Organ.
Mrs. M. Hoisington, " "
Joseph Beal, " "
T. J. Curdy, Starr Piano.
Burt Hogle, Hardman " "
L. D. Lockwood, Organ.
J. H. Davis, " "

FLAT ROCK:

Mrs. Ellen Hall, Fischer Piano.
John McKenzie, Christie " "
W. S. Vreeland, Hardman " "
J. W. Vincent, " "

WYANDOTTE:

William Jacey, Fischer Piano.
A. W. Mapes, Organ.
Eliza Debo, " "

FARMINGTON:

J. Morley, Organ.
William Harlan, " "
Geo. C. Lamb, " "
Geo. Bradley, " "

HOWELL:

Ormer Benedict, Hardman Piano.
John White, Hardman Piano.
Jennie Lyon, Starr Piano.

WHITMORE LAKE:

Dr. E. Smith, New England Piano.
William Fields, Fischer Piano.

GROSSE ISLE:

James Holland, Organ.
Wm. Bruce, " "

NOVI:

H. C. Skinner, Organ.
T. Palmer, " "
Geo. Welfare, Organ, Walled Lake.
Mary Riggs, Organ, Wixom.
S. K. Cole, Organ, Belleville.
A. Perry, Organ, Traction.

Christmas Shoppers

Must not overlook our line of useful and appropriate articles for

Christmas Offerings.

See our new assortment of

METAL LAMPS!

Just Received.

These are beautiful goods and will make just the nicest kind of a present. We show also a large line of

VASE LAMPS!

and anything you want in

Fancy China And Glassware.

TEICHNER & COMPANY.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard

CHRIS

IN A COLLIERY.

It is now in order more especially at this time. The holiday season will be a Misanthrope's dream.

When lay an egg, so set self-glification as to feel whole universe must be summed up to take note of the momentous event. Joshua commanding the sun to stand still in the heavens till he had got through with his little local fight was modesty itself to the hen's private consciousness.

There are prospects of a change in the base-ball world. The southpaw twirler of great renown will probably hereafter receive less salary than a bank president. The prizefighter is still able to earn more in an hour than a minister of the gospel can in ten years. Perhaps reform will next strike a balance between pugilism and the pulpit.

One of the murderers just now attracting attention on the Pacific coast first hit a sleeping boy with a hatchet, then threw him overboard, and finally shot him in the water. The murderer's confession is several hours old, but as yet the waves of sympathy do not seem to be surging in his direction. The supply of murderers possibly is overtaxing the supply of sympathy.

One good service performed by the cholera has been figured out, and every one ought to be willing to give the scourge its due. It is claimed that its presence makes a European war impossible, as nothing spreads this disease as an army does and nothing destroys the efficiency of an army as cholera does. Until it disappears the war cloud must remain in abeyance.

The fact has been made known that Cream, the prisoner recently hanged in London, was guilty of more than murder. The day before his execution a guard asked him if he had swept out his cell. He replied that he had only swept out the dust, as to sweep out the cell would be impossible. The grim look that settled then upon the face of the guard was not dissipated until the drop fell.

It was the famous Knight of La Mancha who told the wandering Sancho Panza that when he saw him in some battle cleft asunder he should proceed to take up softly that part of his body which had fallen to the ground, and with the greatest nicety, before the blood was congealed, place it upon the other part that remained in the saddle, taking special care that the parts tallied exactly. Then Sancho was to give the dismembered knight two draughts of the balsam of Filabres, and instantly his body would become as sound as an apple. This is the kind of balsam that the surgeons now use on the foot ball field, with like results.

Young men are coming to the front in every department of business, in politics and in literature. They do not at first gain the ripened reputation that is conceded on all sides to the older men who they supersede. But as they do the work better than the old men the reputation is only a question of time. The only way for an old man to hold his own with the new comers is to be as young in heart as they, and if possible even younger. Having then the experience which only age can give, and a heart as young as the youngest, they need not fear the superseder until they voluntarily drop their work, because no longer physically able to do it. Keep the heart young, and there will be no trouble in keeping pace with the thoughts and feelings of successive generations of younger men and women.

The great advantage of electrical power at present is that it can be stored. Neither steam nor water power in their old-time form can be kept for any length of time without entire loss. Steam becomes cold water when the fire goes down. As for water-power, there is a familiar song which utters what used to be thought almost a truism, "You cannot run the mill with the water gone by." That used to be true, but it isn't true any longer. Put the water power into the form of electricity and it can continue to run the mill, even after the stream has reached the ocean, and may be there used again to store electricity from the power of the tides. The possibilities of this new electric power are among the things that might well make a man wish to live a hundred years hence, or, like Benjamin Franklin, wish to revisit earth a hundred years after his death, as Franklin expressed a wish to do.

The fact that young men have little chance in Canada as compared with older men is said to be the chief reason why so many Canadian young men leave for the states. Is not something like this the fact on most farms? Does it not explain why the boys and girls seek other work than the farm provides as soon as they are of legal age, if not before. In the city the boy can get a place, earn money and be able to spend some part of it at least as he pleases. Would it not be better for farmers if they allowed their boys at home the same chance.

ENGLISH MINERS LOSE THEIR LIVES.

Fire Added to the Terrible Disaster and Prevented Rescuers From Doing Much Work.

Kitty Were Killed.

A fearful explosion occurred at the Bannockburn colliery, Wigan, England, and not less than 50 lives have been lost. The men went to their work as usual after the colliery had been inspected in the usual way. They had not been at work long when a terrible explosion shook the earth for a great distance and a cloud of smoke shot up through the shaft into the air. A multitude of people rushed toward the mine and the greatest excitement prevailed. Steps were immediately taken to ascertain the full extent of the disaster and a crowd of volunteers promptly offered to explore the pit.

It was known that 100 men were imprisoned in the mine and the demon fire soon added to the awful calamity and hindered the work of the rescuers. Nevertheless they proceeded through all danger and during the day brought 30 men to the surface alive, but in an exhausted condition. Twenty dead bodies were also brought up. The flames then spread to the engine house and destroyed it, thereby cutting off the pumping of air into the terrible cavern.

The rescue parties reported finding the bodies of the men in rows and three along the main roads, face down, where they had fallen in an attempt to reach the surface. A number working near the entrance did reach the open air in safety, but of the 100 men employed in the mine at least 50 were killed. Several miners, who were just alive when found, died on their way to the surface, or shortly after being taken from the car. One rescue party reached the surface half suffocated by the heat and smoke caused by fresh outbreaks of the fire.

The rescued miners believe that the explosion was caused by sparks from the engine house, which is said to have caught fire a few minutes before the explosion. Men were sent through the mines warning the laborers and many of those nearest the shaft escaped. The miners who worked further from the shaft tried to push through fire and smoke and were suffocated in the effort.

Wants Gatling Gun—Geological Survey. In his biennial report, which will be out next month, Adjutant General Farrar will recommend that a permanent location be secured for the state troops' annual encampment, although he will not recommend any particular spot. He will also recommend that a company of artillery be organized as an auxiliary to the state militia. He is a great admirer of the Gatling gun, and will suggest that two should be obtained and 100 men drilled in their use.

Gov. Winans intends, among other things, in his farewell message to the legislature, to call attention to the mismanagement of the state board of geographical survey. It has transpired that during the 30 years of its existence the board has an annual appropriation of some \$8,000, and that during that time a good account has not been kept either of its work or its expenditures. The board has made a comprehensive report upon the matter and Gov. Winans will make some important recommendations as to the work of the board. The report will be presented to the coming legislature.

Muriel Three Times in Three Days.

John Soule, a young clothing clerk, and Miss Florence Compton, daughter of James P. Compton, a wealthy hardware merchant of Medina, N. Y., eloped to Lyndonville, N. Y., and were married by the Methodist clergyman there. They returned next day and announced their wedding. "The parents of Miss Compton were not satisfied and compelled the couple to be married that evening at the Compton residence by Rev. Lester, the Presbyterian clergyman of Medina. The groom's family, who are Catholics, wanted the couple married by their priest, Rev. Fr. McNab. The third nuptial ceremony of this interesting pair took place. These three marriages occurred in three days. The groom is 30 and the bride is years of age. The couple are living with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Compton refusing to receive them.

An Enormous Gold Find.

The greatest gold fever ever known is in Arizona now. Men are quitting their work on railroads and telegraph operators are leaving their offices for the grand rush to the placer grounds in San Juan river. Every team has been taken and fabulous prices are being offered for horses or any other means of transportation to the mines, which are 175 miles from the Atlantic and Pacific railroad. Prominent officials of the road have caught the fever and a party of 10 left Canon Diablo for the scene. One morning one man washed out \$700, and in a day and a half another man washed out \$8,800. Excitement is so intense that it is interfering with business in adjoining towns.

265,760 Deaths from Cholera in Russia.

Final official statistics of the cholera epidemic in Russia have been issued. According to these figures there have been 130,417 deaths from European and 135,343 deaths from Asiatic cholera, making a total of 265,760 deaths. Four leaders of the cholera riots have been sentenced by a court-martial to death. Eight of them were sentenced to imprisonment and condemned to hard labor, 30 to detention in the house of correction and 40 to prison without hard labor.

Suicide at Hastings.

Martin Devitt, proprietor of one of the bakeries in Hastings committed suicide by shooting himself through the head. He had been drinking some of late and became despondent. He was formerly from Grand Rapids. He leaves a widow and two small children.

Fire destroyed the Sumpter, S. C. opera house during a performance. No lives were lost.

J. H. Cole, circuit court commissioner of Lapeer county, has been selected for executive clerk by Gov.-elect Rich.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.

Held a Social Meeting at Jackson Which is Largely Attended.

Between 500 and 600 locomotive engineers met in Jackson, for a jubilee meeting behind closed doors. Grand Chief P. M. Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was present and engineers within a radius of 100 miles were there to greet him. Excursion trains were run from Fort Wayne, Ind., Port Huron and Bay City. It was rumored that there was a big grievance to be made but Chief Arthur denied this and said the gathering was only a social union. Chief Arthur said: "Our order has never been in a more flourishing condition. Since April 1, the close of the fiscal year, 11 new divisions have been formed. During my 19 years of grand chief I have never seen a more prosperous state of affairs than at present. Grievances have, of course, arisen at different times, but these have all been amicably adjusted and all of the 35 divisions are now happy."

In the evening the grand chief addressed a meeting held by the Ladies' Auxiliary Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Unofficially it was learned that the World's Fair traffic was discussed at length by the brotherhood. The engineers want a new scale of wages to be in vogue at that time, and a meeting with railway officials to adjust the matter will be soon held.

NEARLY 40 YEARS IN BED.

This Remarkable Case of a Woman Stricken With Paralysis When Nine Years Old.

Rose Donohue has just died at Pawtucket, R. I., aged 37. She was stricken with paralysis at the age of nine and for 38 years had not left the little crib in which her three feet of body reposed, nor during that time had there been an apparent growth in the limbs, shoulders or trunk. After a time her feet became locked, one on top of the other, and knit together so that the right foot, which was beneath the left, could hardly be seen. Nevertheless her head grew as rapidly to its proper proportions as that of a person who enjoyed good physical health. Her hands were pale and the fingers on her right hand and the three on her left were boneless bits of flesh six inches long. Her memory was remarkably clear and her eyes beamed with brightness and intelligence. She was a constant reader of religious works and remembered everything which she read and would repeat it from memory. She devoted all of her time to reading works of eminent Catholics and in prayer.

Cleveland at the Fair.

President-elect Grover Cleveland will be asked to make a speech on May 1 at the exposition. At the close of the speech, if he accepts the invitation, Mr. Cleveland will touch an electric button, starting the 14,000 horse-power plant over in Machinery Hall that is to run all the whirling wheels of the World's Fair. This was decided by the committee on ceremonies. The other exercises will consist of the reading of a poem by Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes and a prayer. It is intended to have the ceremonies of the highest character. The committee of the World's Fair expressed a desire to do away with all ceremonies at the May opening, but the plan outlined by the ceremonies committee will probably be followed.

Charles Dostie, 12 years old, of South Monterey, near Allegan, accidentally discharged his shotgun while hunting. The charge entered the stomach. The lad expired almost instantly.

THE MARKETS.

Cattle—Good to choice.		5.40	10.50
Sheep	.....	5.00	6.50
Lambs	.....	5.00	6.50
White spot, No. 1	.....	5.00	6.50
White spot, No. 2	.....	4.50	6.00
White spot, No. 3	.....	4.00	5.50
White spot, No. 4	.....	3.50	5.00
White spot, No. 5	.....	3.00	4.50
White spot, No. 6	.....	2.50	4.00
White spot, No. 7	.....	2.00	3.50
White spot, No. 8	.....	1.50	3.00
White spot, No. 9	.....	1.00	2.50
White spot, No. 10	.....	0.50	2.00

WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW.

New York, December 19.—R. G. Dun & Co. estimate that the total value of gold and silver shipments of more than \$300,000 of gold to Europe early last week has caused some natural apprehension in speculative markets. It is true that the gold is demanded by Austria under such circumstances that an exceptional premium is paid for it, but the fact remains that the gold is being drawn from the United States at a rate which is not unusual unless there were heavy sales of American securities by foreigners. The exports of breadstuffs, cotton, provisions, cattle and petroleum in November amounted to \$25,000,000, and the aggregate exports of about \$25,000,000 per month and an excess of merchandise exports over imports not less than \$20,000,000. At the same time silver has been going abroad in large amounts. It is clear that unless securities had been moved this way in an unusual manner, the gold could not be taken abroad in the settlement of international exchanges. But the conditions of domestic trade are approaching healthy and the approaching close of the year will find a larger volume of business, both foreign and domestic, than has been the case for some time. The business figures occurring throughout the country during the past seven days number 24. For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 32.

There are 12 candidates for the office of postmaster at Marcellus.

A single jointer at Conins' mill at Bay City flew into a thousand pieces. Peter Snay had the left side of his face torn away and his jaw broken by flying pieces of iron. John Shaw was also slightly hurt.

Wm. Lonsberry, a young boy of Brady township, Saginaw county, was locked up on a charge of truancy. He says he'd rather go to the reform school than go to his home, where he claims to be ill-treated. Neighbors, with whom he has been staying, give him an excellent character.

CARSON'S NIGHT WATCH.

THE OLD HUNTER'S ENCOUNTER WITH A GRIZZLY.

Lieutenant Lazelle's Scare and Lucky Shot—He Was a Greenhorn, But a Number One Fighter—Caught Napping.

Kit Carson was at one time engaged in scouting and prospecting for the military and often scouted in company with a single companion, being furnished by the government with a horse, arms and provisions. It was while on one of his trips across the desolate and trackless solitudes along the eastern breaks of the Rocky mountains in company with a second lieutenant, by the name of Lazelle, a fresh recruit from West Point, that he experienced one of the most perilous adventures of his whole frontier life.

They had provided themselves with sufficient supplies for a week's scout for the purpose of locating the rendezvous of a roving band of Apache marauders. After being out three days they had reached a point, probably 100 miles from Santa Fe and in one of the most desolate and inhospitable parts of that uninviting wilderness.

About two hours before sundown they discovered a small spring, the stream which, soon lost itself in a small pool twenty steps away. They came suddenly upon a small band of antelope among the cañon near the spring, and killing they soon prepared a sumptuous supper of the broiled steaks and having secured their horses by their strong four-foot stake ropes they turned in quite comfortably for the night.

Lieutenant Lazelle, being wholly inexperienced in such a life and unacquainted with the nature and habits of wild beasts seemed to feel quite at ease and unconcerned about the night disturbances. Many of the most ferocious animals of the wilderness do not venture out for water till dark. Carson, well acquainted with the dangers of their position, proposed that one should stand guard while the other slept each two hours alternately, and informed Lazelle that they would probably witness the most stirring scene of their lives toward the middle of the night as that seemed to be a great resort for ferocious beasts for water and prey.

Lazelle readily consented to stand sentinel on the first watch and not realizing the true nature of the danger of the situation he was anxious to get in fact eager for something to "run up" to drive away the monotony of the dull tramp they had so far.

But the arduous ride of twelve hours without water or food was too much for his untutored nerves he had unconsciously fallen asleep soon after entering upon his watch, and was harder to arouse than the indomitable person who had been so accustomed to sleep with one eye open that the unusual sound which soon broke in on their slumbers aroused him to a full realization of their peril.

The full moon was just peering over the opposite wall of the canyon and lit up the whole valley. Kit's practiced eye was quick to take in the situation, and as forewarned is forearmed he was always ready at a moment's warning to enter upon the most deadly fray. The horses were in a perfect state of frenzy, snorting and plunging in the greatest desperation to free themselves from their fastenings and the hungry jaguars which had beset them in force. All charged upon the tigers with such desperate energy, discharging his carbine, the report of which sounded down the valley like a small cannon, that he scared the beasts away for a time.

On looking around for his companion he was nowhere to be seen, and he was beginning to feel some alarm when, to his surprise, the lieutenant called out from the top of a large cactus, "Kit did you kill anything?"

Carson told him no, but he would soon be compelled to kill something or be killed as he heard the roar of an approaching grizzly, and the safest place for him was on the ground, as the bear would break that cactus stalk with one desperate grasp. Lazelle was soon at his side performing the miracle act in grand style.

The approach of the grizzly seemed to be the signal for the departure of all other beasts, and the field was soon cleared of all other dangers and left to the monster of the canyon. He was not long in putting in an appearance to the great conservation of the lieutenant and Kit said he felt crowded to the wall closer than ever before. It so happened that they had placed themselves between their horses and the approaching bear, which somewhat quieted the poor beasts' apprehensions and they became less restive.

The lieutenant seemed thoroughly panic-stricken, but seeing no chance of escape he suddenly braced up to the inevitable contest and actually advanced to meet the monster. This maneuver had the effect of stopping the advance of the bear, and he seemed about to change his tactics, when a rather hasty shot from Lazelle brought on an immediate engagement.

The shot took effect in the forearm of the bear, shivering the bone and crippling him in such a manner that Carson was quick to perceive the advantages, and aiming at the other forearm at close quarters he placed his ball so well that the animal was made powerless and lunged and rolled about on the grass in a furious rage. He was then in their power and it was an easy matter to finish their work. The remainder of the night was spent by ordering the whole brigade on guard. He had confronted many like perils in broad daylight with an unfrightened front, says the Philadelphia Times, but he wished to be delivered from a night contest with a grizzly.

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PERSONALS.

Those Who Come and Those Who Go.

William Gurr is in Lynn, Mass.
Miss Lottie Howlett spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mabel Freeman has been very sick with malaria fever.

Miss Alta Bogart of Wixom visited friends in town last week.

Lawyer Geo. B. Yerkes of Detroit was in town Saturday.

Chas. Smith and Ed Hastings have been down with the "grippe."

Misses Jennie Blair and Cora Ingersoll were in Detroit last week.

J. N. Cook and W. E. Hunt are new residents of our "ideal suburban village."

Mrs. J. J. Chapman will spend the holidays with her parents near Lansing.

Mrs. Mary Carnes of Detroit, is the guest of her nephew, J. M. Simmons and family.

Miss Nellie Gillet leaves Saturday for a week's visit with relatives in Tennessee.

L. H. Barnum, wife and sister, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at New Hudson.

Rev. W. H. Shanon and wife of Salem were guests of E. B. Waterman and family Monday.

Fred. Gurgley started out Tuesday p. m. for Ohio points in the interest of the Haurahan Ref. Co.

Miss Francis McConnell leaves for her home in Grand Haven Saturday morning to spend the holidays.

Miss Ruthledge, Flint, visited Northville friends yesterday on her way to attend Handel's "Messiah" at Detroit this evening.

Mrs. Willard Burns was called to Jackson last week to attend her mother who is very sick.

Miss Lottie Johnson had a very pleasant visit from her mother and brother Saturday and Sunday.

Sam Robertson of Quincy, Ill. was in town a few days last week putting up the elevator in the new factory.

Miss Eaton, a typo on the Essex Centre Free Press, is visiting at Miss Lillie Crocker's. Miss Eaton made the Record office a very pleasant call Saturday.

John Ambler, who is doing some work for the Globe Furn. Co. at Duluth writes back to some of the men in the office that the chilly Minnesota breezes are frisking through his whiskers. He also incloses five or six verses of poetry in his letter and says it describes the state of his mind. The boys at the office say that if this is the case they are of the opinion that John is going crazy.

Mrs. J. A. Dubois and daughter Ethelwyn returned last week from an extended visit among relatives and friends at Fall River, Mass., and Rhode Island. They report a most pleasant trip and that the weather there was most delightful. The grass, Mrs. Dubois says, is as green and pretty as in the summer days.

C. C. Mitchell of Gaylord has been spending a few days with Edward Whitaker and other friends. Mr. Mitchell was a former resident of this village having settled on the old Whitaker farm in 1831. He left here in '47. This is the first return visit to Northville for forty-five years and he found many changes. Mr. Mitchell is register of deeds of Osage county and one of its most influential citizens.

L. T. L. Work.

The Loyal Temperance Legion meets one week from Wednesday at 4 o'clock, at the school house. For the benefit of the mothers who are not acquainted with the work of the Legion, here are a few words of explanation. The Loyal Legion is a temperance society for boys and girls. They sign temperance pledges; wear temperance badges; sing temperance songs, and most important of all, learn the effects of alcohol and tobacco upon the human system. It is a branch work of the W. C. T. U., and the teachers appointed are from their members. Francis Willard says: "It is a fact of statistics of every one hundred men who reform from drinking habits, ninety return to those habits again, while of every one hundred boys and girls who sign the pledge ninety remain true to it through life." It is desired that the mothers will co-operate in this work by having their children attend regularly and by manifesting an interest in the work themselves. The Legion meets every two weeks on Wednesday, at the school house for the present. The subject of physical culture will soon be taken up in the Legion.

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" " No. 4, 10:15 a. m.	" " No. 3, 9:45 a. m.
" " No. 6, 2:25 p. m.	" " No. 5, 2:25 p. m.
" " No. 8, 3:35 p. m.	" " No. 7, 6:45 p. m.
" " No. 10, 1:32 a. m.	" " No. 9, 7:20 p. m.

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ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Letters remaining in the Post Office Dec. 14, 1892:
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LOCAL GLEANINGS.

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

When in Detroit stop at the Wayne hotel.

Did you read the "business flashes"? If not, do so at once.

The ladies' Auxiliary club will give an entertainment and social at the Yarnell institute next Tuesday night. Everybody cordially invited.

The attention of our readers is called to the ad of the popular banking house of J. S. Lapham & Co., in which there is a slight change this week.

President Beal of the Globe company informed the factory men that if they would work nights this week that he would not ask them to work nights again this year.

Now that the water works are completed, would it not be well for the water board to establish water rates etc. There may be some few even yet this winter would want to put in a tap.

The Hinman district school just east of the village has an attendance of just two scholars, Nellie and Anna Hinman. In fact they are the only pupils in the whole district. It must be fun for the teacher.

The Globe Furn. Co. recently put a lot of elegantly finished pews in the Methodist church at Scranton, Pa. A few hours after their workmen completed the job the church was totally destroyed by fire.

Our merchants are displaying some very handsome holiday windows. A very pretty and unique arrangement is that at A. W. Reed's store, consisting of a huge spiderweb, filled with attractive Christmas goods.

The Methodists will have a resident Bishop in Detroit Bishop Nide recently of Topeka, Kans. will be stationed there. A reception will be given next Tuesday evening and several of the Northville Methodists will attend.

The government wishes to call in all the \$500 United States legal tender notes of the issues prior to that of 1880. It is thought there is a dangerous count, terfeit out of the issues named. We are sure that it isn't in our possession, anyway!

Holly is tickled half-to-death over what they claim to be the best electric light plant in the state. Are lights are used for the streets and incandescent for business places and residences. The streets are light till 1 a. m. and the incandescent run all night.

Remember the date of the Ideal Banjo club's appearance at the opera house here is next Wednesday, Dec. 28 instead of Monday. The manager of the opera house has gone to considerable expense to book these people but believes Northville people will appreciate it.

Rockwell, the jeweler, says he has good reason to think his advertisement in the RECORD is read very closely and that prices talk. As an indication of this his immense holiday trade bears out the assertion. He informs us that among his sales last week was six gold watches and he sold four more on Monday of this week.

Owing to the Christmas entertainments at the churches, the date for the Ideal Banjo club entertainment has been changed to Wednesday evening, Dec. 28. This will be one of the most pleasant affairs of the season. The club consists of twelve members and their entertainments are considered very fine by Detroit society people.

Christmas exercises will be held at the Summit church Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Monday evening, Dec. 26 a chicken pie supper will be given at the residence of C. P. Angell for the above Sunday school. To all connected with the school the supper will be free. The ladies will be glad to serve supper to as many others as may come at 15 cents each.

The following is from the Detroit Tribune:

"No musical organization has ever been accorded a more hearty reception in this city than that which has been given to the Society Maudslayi, Banjo and Guitar Club (now called the Detroit Ideal Banjo Club) under the management of Henry Haug. Every member on the program was encouraged or more and the club was called out to repeat one number four times." At the Northville opera house, Wednesday night Dec. 28.

It might just as well be understood first as last that we are neither publishing, nor attempting to publish, a spelling-book or a grammar. We are endeavoring to publish a first-class weekly paper, nothing more. We have not the least doubt that if one sits down for the purpose they may find a number of errors every week. No one realizes this more than the editor, and no one but an editor realizes how impossible it is to issue a perfect paper. We pride ourselves however that the RECORD averages well with other Michigan newspapers.

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Mrs. C. M. Joslin is on the sick list.

On January 1st the fee for registered mail matter will be reduced from 10 to eight cents.

The base ball club gives a Christmas party at the rink tomorrow, Friday night, Dec. 23.

The Methodist Sunday school will have a Christmas offering at the church next Monday night.

What would be nicer for a Christmas present to some friend of yours than the RECORD for one year.

The Ladies Library association will meet at the library Dec. 23d, at 4 p. m. General attendance is desired.

Northville now has five physicians. A portion of their cards will be found in another column of this paper.

The Presbyterian people will have Christmas exercises Sunday morning. There will be no services in the evening.

The third payment to the refrigerator bonus fund is now due and the collector will call on the subscribers in a few days for the amount.

The Ladies' auxiliary club are preparing to give a play at the opera house after the holidays. It will no doubt be well received.

Lost—Last week Saturday, in front of Miss Boyce's store, a boys overcoat. Will finder please leave at RECORD office for Mrs. Lottie Hill.

We should be awfully pleased if our readers who are in arrears on their subscription would make us a Christmas present of the amount due.

J. S. Teeples brings us in a hen's egg which by quantity, is great. It weighs a quarter of a pound and measures 1 1/2 inches in circumference.

A fine portrait of F. R. Beal appears in the current number of the American School Board Journal together with a few words about the school furniture business.

The Detroit Journal says, "Jay Gould began life as a barefoot boy." Just at the present time we fail to recall a single Northville boy who didn't begin life barefooted.

Remember "Odds with the enemy" at the opera house tomorrow, Friday night. It is for the benefit of the school library and certainly deserves your patronage.

Have you heard of "The Boys Brigade"? It is the finest organization for boys from nine to twenty years in the world. A company is about to be organized in connection with the Methodist church. Look it up.

C. C. Chadwick and Fred Quigley swapped experiences the other day and they discovered that they both were newboys in Buffalo during the year 1873. Chad said that the boys then were generally more intelligent than they now are in that place.

The new refrigerator factory, while not formally opened up for business yet on account of the machinery not all being in shape, has some fifteen men at work. They expect to be running in business shape the first of Jan. with from fifty to seventy-five new men at work.

Mrs. Nellie O'Hara of Saginaw, deputy great commander of the Lady Macabees, gave a school of instruction to the Northville tent last week. After the exercises, a number of the ladies accompanied by Mrs. O'Hara went over to Plymouth and "surprised" "Bina M. West" hive of that village. They had a royal good time.

The proceeds of the eleutinary entertainment at the Presbyterian church last week were about \$13 and after expenses were paid, the remainder was very generously donated to the Y. P. S. C. E. The members of the society desire to take this opportunity to express to the class their sincere appreciation, and thanks.

There will be a reunion of the ex-prisoners of war held in Lansing next Tuesday, Dec. 27. Gov. Winans Judge A. B. Morse, and Gov. Elect John T. Rich, have promised to be present. This association has been organized for fifteen years and since the meeting in Detroit in 1878 the meetings have been held too far distant for the members of this locality to attend. It is presumed on good foundation that the trains will stop on the D. L. & N. road at any station for the veterans, and some from this place will no doubt attend.

The Presbyterian church was crowded to more than "standing room only" Sunday evening to listen to Rev. Jaques' farewell sermon, and many were unable to even gain an entrance at all. The sermon was a fine one, and at its close Rev's. Parrish and Clark made some fittingly appropriate remarks. Mr. Jaques said that among the dearest remembrances of his life will be those years spent in Northville. "No people," he said, "could have ever shown a person more kindness than has been shown me here, and never did I expect more kindness shown me from any people. Northville will be doubly dear to me, for here it was that the little heavenly sunbeam was sent us to cheer our home."

Happy and content is a home with "The Recorder," a lamp with the light of the morning. Catalogues, write Rochester Lamp Co., New York.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE—IN THE

matter of the estate of JAMES OWEN, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the house of E. K. Simonds in the village of Northville, State of Michigan, in said County, on Wednesday, the 4th day of January A. D. 1893, at ten o'clock A. M. of each said day, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 30th day of November A. D. 1892 were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated, December 5th, 1892.
EDWARD S. HORTON,
CHARLES G. HARRINGTON,
Commissioners.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE—IN THE

matter of the estate of S. ELIZABETH McFARLIN, deceased. We, the undersigned, having been appointed by the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, do hereby give notice that we will meet at the residence of William Yerkes in the township of Plymouth in said County, on Monday, the 9th day of January A. D. 1893, at ten o'clock A. M. of each said day, for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims, and that six months from the 9th day of November A. D. 1892 were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.
Dated November 9th, 1892.
WILLIAM PINKERTON,
GEORGE F. BATES,
Commissioners.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have formed, pursuant to Chapter 32, of the provisions of the revised statutes of 1846 as amended, a limited partnership to be conducted at the village of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan under the firm name of THE AMERICAN MEAT & BUTTER COMPANY. The general nature of the business is the buying and selling of fuel, ice, building materials and farm supplies. The names of all the general and special partners interested in said co-partnership business, and their residences are respectively as follows: Mark S. Sherrill, general partner, Northville, Michigan, and Edwin S. Sherrill, special partner, Detroit, Michigan. The amount of capital stock which Edwin S. Sherrill, the special partner, has contributed to the common stock, is three thousand dollars, viz: \$500 in cash, \$1,000 in real estate, \$1,000 in merchandise and \$500 in horses, wagons, tools and implements. The said partnership is to commence December 1, 1892 and shall terminate on the 31st day of December, 1895, from and after that date.

Dated Dec. 20, 1892.
MARK S. SHERRILL,
EDWIN S. SHERRILL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, BANKING

department, office of the Commissioner. Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned it has been made to appear that the Northville State Savings Bank of Northville in the village of Northville, in the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, has complied with all the provisions of the General Banking law of the State of Michigan, required to be complied with before a corporation shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking. Now therefore I, Theodore C. Sherwood, Commissioner of the State Banking department, do hereby certify that the Northville State Savings Bank of Northville, in the village of Northville, in the County of Wayne, and State of Michigan, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in section seven of the General Banking law of the State of Michigan. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office at Lansing this tenth day of December, 1892.
The Commissioner of the Banking Department.
(No. 145.)

MORTGAGE SALE—A MORTGAGE

dated April 21, 1887, executed by J. H. Woodman to J. S. Lapham, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wayne County, Michigan, on May 7th A. D. 1887, in Liber 23 of Mortgages on page 624 upon which there is due and unpaid Five Hundred and Twenty Dollars and an attorney fee of twenty-five Dollars as allowed by law, for the recovery of which no suit or proceeding at law or equity has been instituted, will be foreclosed under the power of sale therein contained by a statutory sale of the premises described therein as follows: Lot six of Block 12 addition to the village of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, to highest bidder, at the westerly or Griswold street entrance to the City Hall in the city of Detroit, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said Wayne County is held) on the 20th day of January A. D. 1893 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.
Dated Oct. 25, 1892. JARED S. LAPHAM,
C. C. YERKES, Mortgagee.
Atty. for Mortgagee

MORTGAGE SALE—DEFAULT HAV-

ing been made for more than thirty days in payment of an installment of interest due on a mortgage executed by Myron H. Stanley as administrator of the estate of Charles H. Stanley deceased and Marion W. Stanley and Myron H. Stanley to Clement W. Gill dated June 22d, 1891. Recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wayne County, Michigan, June 25th 1891 in Liber 248 of Mortgages on page 157 for which default the Mortgagee has elected to consider and treat the whole amount of said mortgage as now due and payable as provided for in said mortgage, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal, interest and attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage the sum of Two thousand and one hundred sixty-five dollars and forty-three cents. Notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 21st day of March next, at 12 o'clock noon at the easterly front door of the City Hall in the city of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan (that being the building in which the circuit court for the County of Wayne is held) to satisfy the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage and all legal costs and expenses. The east half of the south-west quarter of section number thirty, Township of Van Buren County of Wayne State of Michigan.
Dated December 15th 1892.
D. C. GRIFFIN, CLEMENT W. GILL,
Atty. for Mortgagee Mortgagee.
Ypsilanti Mich.

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To THINK About Buying a Christmas Present.

Santa Claus is billed to appear in less than 3 days. Remember that in addition to our extensive line of Plush Goods, in

DRESSING CASES, TOLLET SETS, SHAVING SETS, COLLAR AND CUFF BOXES, ALBUMS, ETC.

Our regular line of goods will be found exceptionally fine. Especially

Silver and Plated Ware.

If you seek a present for your father, mother, sisters, brothers, cousins, aunts, uncles, or sweetheart, don't fail to see our beautiful line of Watches from the higher grades down to the Little Waterbury. You can have more value for our money this season than ever before. We have a few more of these 25c Books for 15c. They will not last long at the price.

No charge for testing eyes. Hypermetropia; Myopia; Simple, Mixed or Compound Astigmatism, corrected perfectly.

A. E. Rockwell.

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But it is Not All—The Half has never been told.

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SHOES!

Fall and Winter wear. A Fine Line.

We always carry a full line of

FIRST CLASS GROCERIES!

Our stock of Candy for the holiday trade is very complete. How would you like 3 Big pounds of extra nice Candy for 25 cents?

Stark Bros.

Never Fail Cutlery!

We have just received a large and complete stock of

Never Fail

Pocket Knives Butcher Knives and Shears.

These Goods are Warranted to Never Fail and if they do you can return them. Do not buy until you see them

We are here again with the celebrated

Peninsular and Jewett

Coal and Cook Stoves

We had a very large sale on them last year. All you have to do to find out their merits is to ask anyone of the many customers who bought of us.

Fall stock of General Hardware. We handle the Wiard Plow Coal on hand and delivered promptly

CALL AND SEE US!

Knapp & Yerkes



FAVORED LOVERS, TENDER
maiden, hearts that feel affection's blaze,
Listen to a Christmas story of our old colonial days;
When the Yule log cast its crimson over per-
fume and rose, and "Sir Roger" to the
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In a thrifty little village stood a mansion and
a forge;
In the former dwelt a soldier high in favor
with King George;
Colonel Geoffrey was large-hearted, and his
doors were open wide;
But he drew the line at blacksmiths save at
merry Christmas tide.

But true love will send the barrier 'twixt the
wealthy and the poor;
Isabel, the Colonel's daughter, ne'er could
pass the smoky door;
But a tear would tell the secret that no maiden
lip could speak.

And poor Jean would say "Good morning"
with a blush upon his cheek;
He had much of manly beauty; from his honest
brow were rolled
Yellow curls that in the sunlight seemed a
crown of richest gold.

On his tongue was merry music, humor
sparkled in his eye;
And his only times of sadness were when Isabel
passed by.

In the late days of December, one, a stranger,
sought her hand;
Means were his and noble station in the far
off motherland.
Flattered was the soldier father, and his
thanks he scarce could tell;

Christmas eve, he told Lord Curtis, he should
wed sweet Isabel.



"JOHN WOULD SAY GOOD MORNING."
Maiden pride was sorely wounded thus so
cheaply to be sold;
And she longed to teach his lordship how she
valued rank and gold.

Hope unto her heart gave promise father's
purpose to defeat;
When the broken-hearted Vulcan poured his
sorrows at her feet.

She would brave her father's anger, but her
lover must reveal
In the winning of her favor ready wit and
heart of steel.

Said the smith, "I vow to kiss you first be-
neath the holly green,
Though the friends of noble Curtis draw a
dozen swords between."

There was dancing in the parlor, there was
courtship on the stair,
There was plenty in the larder, there was
pleasure everywhere;

And the person preached a sermon which
the people could enjoy
When he roused around the table with the
miller's little boy.

Rustle wives and dames of polish in their
admirable rind,
As the Colonel bade them welcome, on his
arm the lovely bride;

And Lord Curtis topped his snuffbox with a
smile of pure delight;
For a score of guests had promised to be
cowards—for that night!

Laughter at the bald deception strove against
a visage grim;
When the father told the party of his daugh-
ter's merry whim;

How, to gain a valiant husband, Isabel had
made a vow
To espouse the first to lead her underneath
the kissing bough.

Forward stepped a dour gallant, but Lord
Curtis thundered "Stay!"
I will wonder lead the dais, though my
sword must cut the way!

"Catch her first, my Lord Fine Feathers!"
cried the smith; "my horse is fast!"
And with strong arm thrown about her
swiftly from the room he passed.



CHRISTMAS CRUSADE OF THE CHILDREN.

Quickly every steed was saddled; father-
guests, with hoes and
Tore along the frozen highway 'neath the
moonlit winter day.

"Tis a madman has my daughter!" bitterly
the Colonel cried;
"Darts of flame, his life is forfeit!" hissed the
lover at his side.

On they spurred, and soon the cattle, beaten
in a hopeless race,
Reined his sorry beast and waited Colonel
Geoffrey's charge to face.

Well in front of all rode Curtis, shrieking,
"Draw, you scoundrel, draw!"
And he plunged his thirsty weapon through a
hideous thing of straw!

Underneath its hat, tied firmly, teeth of snow
white paper grinned;
On its coat sleeve, idly flapping, was this note,
securely pinned:

"As you read this modest billet, how Lord
Curtis ground his teeth!"
Isabel and I stood, wedded 'neath the festive
holly wreath!"

When the valorous pursuers galloped up, the
game to bag,
Nothing saw they in the moonlight save a
broken windmill flag.

Soon they found a prostrate figure hacked by an
infuriated sword,
And they found a crumpled letter, but they
never found my lord!

Geoffrey trotted home in silence, he—a soldier
to the core;
Could but like the clever fellow who'd out-
generaled a score.

First was he to reach the parlor, first to cast
chagrin aside,
First to pledge an honest bumper to the
bridegroom and the bride.

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Crusade of the Children.

On Christmas day in the year 1212,
3,000 children marched from Cologne,
France, with flying banners, crucifixes
and other evidences of their adherence
to the Christian Faith. They were on
their way to Palestine where pagan
chiefs were ruling the land in which
Jesus was born. For centuries the
Christians had been sending crusades
against the pagans, and this one be-
came famous in history's pages as the
Crusade of the Children. The saddest
fate possible awaited them. As days
passed on storms of wind and rain cut
down their ranks.

So, one by one they scattered;
And ever, day by day,
Straying and lost and dying,
The great host ebbed away.

Not for them was the battle;
Not for them was the crown—
The glory of strife and struggle,
Or the victor's green renown.

Time has grown old and forgotten;
Deep buried in dust of years
Are the broken hearts of the mothers
And the children's helpless tears.

And we number the centuries seven
Since they marched by the Rhine away,
But to them, in the holy city,
It counts as a single day.

FAITH IN GOD.

A Christmas Story by Dr. Talmage.

I never like a Christmas season to
pass without telling to some one a
thrilling incident which happened at
my house just eight years ago. This
coming Christmas, perhaps I have
told it to you, but I think not. We
had just distributed the family pres-
ents Christmas morning when I heard
a great cry of distress in the hallway.
A child from a neighbor's house came
in to say her father was dead. It was
only three doors off, and I think in
two minutes we were there.
There lay the old Christian sea
Captain, his face upturned toward
the window as though he had sudden-
ly seen the headlands, and with an
illuminated countenance as though he
were just going into harbor. The fact
was he had already got through the
"Narrows." In the adjoining room
were the Christmas presents waiting
for his distribution. Long ago, one
night when he had narrowly escaped
with his ship from being run down by
a great ocean steamer, he had made
his peace with God, and a kinder neigh-
bor than Capt. Pendleton you would
not find this side of heaven.

He had often talked to me of the
goodness of God, and especially of a
time when he was about to go into
New York harbor with his ship from
Liverpool, and he was suddenly im-
pressed that he ought to "put back to
sea." Under the protest of the crew and
under their very threat he put back to
sea, fearing at the same time he was
losing his mind, for it did seem so un-
reasonable that when they could get

into harbor that night they should put
back to sea. But they put back to sea,
and Capt. Pendleton said to his mate,
"You call me at 10 o'clock at night."
At 10 o'clock at night the
Captain was aroused and said:
"What does this mean? I thought I
told you to call me at 10 o'clock, and
here it is 12." "Why," said the mate,

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"Told tell you at 10 o'clock, and you
get up, looked around, and told me to
keep right on this same course for two
hours, and then to call you at 12
o'clock." Said the Captain, "Is it pos-
sible? I have no remembrance of that."
At 12 o'clock the Captain went on
deck, and through the mist of the
cloud the moonlight fell upon the
sea, and showed him a ship-
wreck with one hundred struggling
passengers. He helped them off. Had
he been any earlier or any later at
that point of the sea he would have
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Oh, that the old sea Captain's God
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if it should happen to be a Christmas
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distributed and we are celebrating the
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shipwrecked world, all the better, for
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Christmas Music.
"Or is it the sun who are chanting,
Chanting sweet and low,
A rhyme of forgotten childhood,
Less so long ago?"

"Or is it the waifs at my window,
Out in the driving gray,
Singing of Bethlehem's manger,
And the Child that was born to-day?"

Yes, it is the sweet childish treble of
the waifs, seasonably returning, like
the birds of spring, with carols on the
wintry morn of the birth of Christ.
The snow lying white on the fields,
the frost flowers on the pane, sparkle
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ously chanted words:

"Hark! the herald angels sing
Glory to the new born King,
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God and sinners reconciled."

Then there is another sound outside
the door—a sound, not so melodious
as the chorals, but just as merry and
sweet. It is the children in their
night gowns, rushing about the house
proclaiming the generosity of the good
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ited the open-mouthed stockings over
night.

The morning having dawn on wings
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overhead, and the rich tones of the
organ pervading all the place.

More divine music! It is the full-
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Date of Christ's Birth.
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orders were carried out with fiendish
exactitude, and over 100,000 men,
women and children perished by the
sword. A mark was set on that Chris-
mas in the northern counties that it
took a hundred years to efface.

It was on Christmas day in the year
1170 that Thomas Becket, the first
Englishman who had been promoted
to any great office since the conquest,
ascended the pulpit of his Cathedral
church at Canterbury and preached
what may be described as his own
funeral sermon. He alluded in terms
of reproach and indignation to the
treatment the English people were
receiving at the hands of their Norman
conquerors. The feast is well known.
"In the name of Christ and for the
defence of my church I am willing to
die," were his last words to his mur-
derous assailants.

Turning to another Christmas day
scene in the year 1214 is a more agree-
able picture. In it there is no blood-
shed. There is an assemblage of
knights, prelates and a primate. They
have set their hearts on winning a vic-

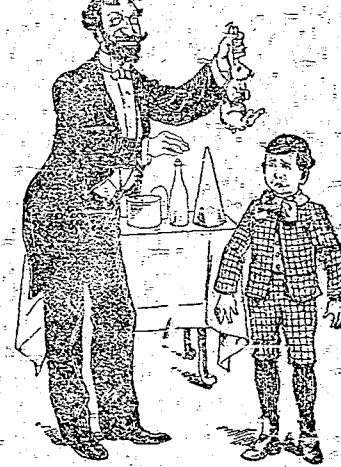


THE MAGNA CHARTER.

the greatest the nation had won
since the Norman conquest to obtain
the signature of King John to the great
charter of English liberties. They
were before the King in a body. How
they pleaded with the King, how the
King temporized and put them off till
Easter and tried every trick to thwart
them, and how finally he was forced to
sign the charter, are matters familiar
to every one. All in all, England has
never had a more creditable Christmas
day.

After Richard II., described as
"the shuffling king, who ambled up and down
With shallow jests and rash bavin wits,"
had been supplanted by King Henry, a
plot in which the Earls of Huntingdon,
Kent, Surrey and Rutland were the
principal conspirators, theyaving
been the special favorites of the de-
throned monarch, was concocted to
seize and murder, "under pretense of
jousting," as historians put it, the
new King at Windsor castle, where he
was to spend Christmas. Everything
was arranged, but the plot was dis-
covered. King Henry was not mur-
dered on that Christmas day, but the
heads of the leading conspirators gar-
nished the gates of the principal towns
of England. The spirit of conspiracy,
however, survived; for it is recorded
that shortly after "there was found in
the King's bedchamber an iron with
three sharp points, slender and round,
standing upright, laid there by some
traitor, yet when the King should have
lain him down, he might have thrust
himself upon them."

At the Christmas Entertainment.



Prestdigitateur—Hut what have we
here? A live rabbit in this boy's
pocket! Now, let us see what else he
has concealed about him.



Frightened Youth (producing cigar-
ettes and dime novel)—Here they are,
Mister; that's all I've got—honest!

Santa Claus can hardly be called a
saying clause. He comes high, but we
must have him.



MERRY CHRISTMAS!

TOO BUSY to write an extended Advertisement this week, as it is a positive fact that we have never been busier during the 19 years of my Business Career than during the present week.

But Watch Out For Next Week!

And the reason for all this is because you have always found the bargains advertised in this space JUST AS ADVERTISED

We heartily thank you all for past favors, and hope to merit a continuance of your favors.

Wishing you all a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS,

And A Happy New Year,

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"The Rochester."

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Interesting Notes Gathered by Our
Hunting Correspondents.

SALEM.

Marshall Withers has been visiting friends in Detroit during the past week. The Baptist social fast Thursday at Dr. Tweedale's was well patronized. Saturday evening the Pebbles' Congregational Sunday school have their Christmas tree.

The official board of the three Methodist churches held a sitting at the residence of Rev. H. F. Sider on Tuesday. About forty persons attended the ladies' aid society dinner and exercises held at Mrs. Smith's, in the interests of North Salem Methodist church.

The young son of Mr. Allen, living two miles north of the village, severely injured his right eye, through the slipping of a pair of shears, that he was using.

Tonight, Thursday, the gypsy concert, under the auspices of the Congregational church is to take place in the Haywood hall. Umbrella drill and other interesting features.

Dean Perkins, our genial and obliging station agent, spent a part of last week visiting friends out of town and supervisor Vansickle did duty in his absence.

W. C. VanLoton, who has been supplying as station agent at Beech for the past month on the D. L. & N. railroad, is now engaged in the same capacity at Plymouth.

One of the most successful socials of the season was held at L. Bussey's last Friday. Oysters was the chief repast. The house was crowded. On the same evening a social was given at the house of W. L. Hamilton, under the auspices of Pebbles' Congregational church. Rev. Shannon gave a digest of his visit to the world's fair building.

Some fifteen members attended the C. L. S. C. held at Mrs. Jud Austin's on Monday evening. The next session will be held at the home of Dr. Tweedale. A full attendance is earnestly desired. Following is the program:

Singing and prayer.
Roll call.—Name and incident of a Greek Dicty.
S. American Rivers.—Will Frederick Retrospect of 1892.—President.
Story of the Battle of Thermopylae.—C. Dake.

U. S. and its rebellion with Japan—C. Ryder.

City of Athens and its people—Mrs. J. Austin.

Duet.—Revs. Conrad and Shannon.

Migration of the early Greeks—Rev. Shannon.

Lesson on Grecian History—Rev. Conrad.

Next Sabbath morning special Christmas sermons in the Congregational and Baptist churches and the dedication of the Methodist church at Leeland's. In the evening the Congregational Sunday school render a beautiful program of Christmas exercises. Next Monday evening the Baptist Sunday school have a Christmas tree in the church; the Congregational school will have a Christmas supper in Haywood's hall.

SOUTH LYON.

The roof of Mr. Drake's house was damaged about fifty dollars' worth by fire Sunday morning.

Robt. Little, of South Lyons, pleaded guilty before a Milford jury to the larceny of a coat and vest from in front of a clothing store and was sentenced to pay \$30 or spend 90 days in Detroit house of correction.

A POSITIVE FACT.

Ladies do not delay your valuable time by waiting and suffering, but secure a bottle of Dullam's Great German Female Uterine Tonic and be cured of your trouble either in old or young. It is the very best prescription I have ever prescribed in my extensive practice. It has given the best results in the greatest number of cases of female troubles of any medicine that I ever used. I do not make a practice of using or recommending patent medicines, but this remedy is prepared by a very competent physician and chemist of my acquaintance and I can cheerfully and conscientiously recommend it as the best.

A. C. Fruth, M. D.
For sale by C. R. Stevens, Druggist.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Miss Musa Pierce Bence, that charming young elocutionist, will be with the Detroit Ideal Banjo club here next Wednesday night and give three or four readings. Miss Bence has graduated as an elocutionist since appearing here last March. She is well known here and her many friends will be glad to welcome her again.

NOVI.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dutham has been quite sick, but is now better.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hogle, who has been so alarmingly ill, is reported to be better.

Remember the donation to Rev. D. Q. Barry at the Baptist church, next Tuesday night, Dec. 27.

Thomas Palmer of West Novi has bought out the butcher at Walled Lake and will remove his family to that village.

Clement Gage, operator at Mt. Morris spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gage. He was accompanied by his wife.

On Christmas eve the Sunday school at the Griswold school house, Mr. Reel of Northville, supt. will have a Christmas tree with appropriate exercises.

Alvin Dennis has returned from his home in southern Illinois to stay for a time with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dennis. His health is very poor and he intends to remain until he is better.

Jud Chapman lost a fine ox the other day. It had been trying a diet of ropes, bags, clothing, etc., but the experiment did not prove successful, consequently Jud has an ox hide for sale.

Mr. Furman, living in the northern part of the town, lost a valuable horse on Thursday of last week. It was found cast in the stable and had injured itself by its struggles so that it had to be killed.

Mr. Mis. C. C. Pennel made a trip to Ypsilanti Friday, to see their old family physician, Senator Hueston. Mr. Pennel's health is in a precarious condition but their many friends hope to hear of his speedy improvement.

The holiday observance at the Baptist church this year will be a "New Year rally" on Sunday, Jan. 1st with a preliminary service on Christmas morning. There will be a Christmas tree and exercises at the Methodist church; in which the Baptist Sunday school is invited to join.

VERY MUCH SURPRISED.

I have been afflicted with neuralgia for nearly two years, have tried physicians and all known remedies, but found no permanent relief until I tried a bottle of Dullam's Great German Linctament and it gave me instant and permanent relief. 25 cents per bottle. A. B. Small.

Hamilton, Mich. April 11, 1890.
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FARMINGTON.

A Merry Christmas to all. School has closed for two weeks.

Frank Moore of Northville was in Farmington last week.

Mrs. Chas. Moore entertained guests from Southfield last Friday.

Miss Florence Gibbs and a friend, of Northville Sundayed at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Anna Ethier of Wixom was the guest of Miss Carrie M. Murray Saturday.

A. R. Newendorp reports a pleasant visit at Howell, Brighton and Parshallville.

Wm. Thomas has sold his farm and cider mill to Carl Tibbets and will soon move to Farmington village.

Quite a number of Farmington young people will attend the New Years party to be held Dec. 30, at the Nichols' house, Walled Lake.

Cyrus Wordworth and wife of Southfield were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wordworth last Friday night and Saturday.

Thomas McGee has returned to Saginaw after assisting in the inventory of the goods in the drug store formerly owned by Dr. Eli Woodman deceased.

Married, Dec. 15, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Clyde Adams, of Farmington, to Miss Lita Newman of West-Bloomfield. Rev. D. Q. Barry of Novi officiated.

Hon. H. R. Pattengill of Lansing delivered the lecture, Gumption with a big "G" at the town hall Friday evening, to a large and appreciative audience. Mr. Pattengill never fails to please—he is a grand success. He is a jovial man and his audience listens to original and practical philosophy of that inculcates principles which go to make up greatness of the soul.

Mrs. Stephen Tredway died Saturday afternoon after a short illness. The funeral services were held from her late residence Monday at 2 o'clock, Rev. D. Q. Barry of Novi officiating. The remains were interred in the village cemetery. The family have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Married, Wednesday, Dec. 14, at the Baptist parsonage, Novi, Mr. Arthur Tredway to Miss Wilda Adams, both of Farmington. Rev. Mr. Barry perform the ceremony.

Stark and Harding can suit you in Fresh and Salt meats.