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Around the Country.

A nice fat turkey down at Dundee. In a neighbor's yard was tied. The Ledger man he viewed the bird. And vowed he'd have its hide. On Wednesday night by a rope (was there) On Thursday morn he viewed a wrack. The Ledger man had cut the string. And, alas, the turkey's neck.

Milford will have a band concert Dec. 7.

Even Milford is after the Plymouth air rifle works.

"Sons of Toil" is the name of a society at Fenton.

The Webberville Observer is the latest newspaper launch.

A Milford man shipped 1,000 dressed turkeys to New York last week.

Della Skaltis is the name of a well known Morenci school m'am.

Mrs. Anna Shaw, the well known WCTU lecturer, will speak at Plymouth Dec. 17.

5,000 pounds of milk are being shipped daily from Plymouth to the Howell condenser.

Milford has 602 school children between the ages of 5 and 21. They will draw \$498.36 public money.

A young couple married at Clarkston last week received among other presents six silver butter knives.

Sheriff Collins says his election expenses were \$3,185.05. About \$1. a vote and an extra nickel for a cigar.

Forty-eight cents per day is what Sheriff Collins is allowed for boarding his guests. The average number is about 100.

Frank Protter is the very significant name of Northville's private watchman. He manages to keep evil doers on the run toons he paces to and fro on the walk. Time—Adrian Press.

The Orion Review's Oxford correspondent is telling about some ladies of the village who are "stealing" chickens and other articles from the village stores.

Treasurer Luckey of Washtenaw county has left for Germany. This is a new wrinkle, Canada is the usual place of rustication besides it is so much nearer.

Judge P. T. VanZile of Detroit is candidate for nomination for justice of the supreme court. The republican party would have to look long for a better candidate.

Millan village dads with an eye to the comfort of tramps, suspect and criminals have purchased a quantity of \$2 blankets with which to keep them warm at night.

A second revival meeting is in progress at Wayne and so far fully 100 persons have been converted in addition to the thirty resulting from Evangelist Sayles' efforts.

Some young ladies of Hillsdale college have formed a Kappa-Kappa society. And some of Adrian's young men have organized an Eat-A-Pie club. They don't mince matters either.—Adrian Press.

Among others drawn to sit on the December jury at Ann Arbor is president Angell of the U. of M., one of the most distinguished men of the United States, and he will probably serve too.

A person with a hundred or more letters to mail would look nice swabbing his tongue all over the envelopes. The new stamps will be all right when the government gets on its mullage job.

A U. of M. student was heard to remark at Detroit Saturday after the big football contest that he would then rather be captain of the U. of M. team than to be president of the United States.

Rosa Wiggle is the name of Oxford's champion waltzer and she drew the prize at a recent contest in that town. Rosa should persuade some nice young man to glide off with that inherited name of hers.

Bert Pearce of Dundee stepped on a rusty nail just to see if it would really pierce the sole of his foot as well as the sole of his boot. It did and Albert is now hobbling 'round town with a pair of borrowed crutches.

Joe Anderson, my Joe John, of Trenton built a veranda in front of his store contrary to village rules and then asked permission of the powers that be. It was granted though the city dads acknowledged the scheme was a little shady.

The Newaygo Democrat gets off a half column scorching on Congressman Burrows and winds up the argument in this strong manner: A man at Benton Harbor has 800 bushels of outions in his barn that he is trying to keep from freezing this weather.

Ed. Barry of South Lyon started out to build a house and at the same time the Excelsior started out to write it up. Away they went and as usual the newspaper came out ahead. When

the Excelsior had the house all complete last week ready for the plasterers, Mr. Barry had just got his cellar wall laid.

The statement that Frank Tucker the well known theatrical man had lost a leg by amputation proves to be a fake. The surgeons insisted on amputating it but Tucker threatened to shoot them if they did. They didn't do it and he has about recovered now and the only defect is, one leg is shorter than it really ought to be.

Almost everybody uses postage stamps and as the new stamps received are short on mullage, it might be of interest to the stamp using public to know that if they will only touch their tongue to the corner of the envelope they propose to put a stamp on, instead of molesting the stamp itself, they will be much surer of doing a good job. Many people lick the mullage all off the stamp and consequently it will not stick.—Ann Arbor Courier.

An original sentence was given lately by a magistrate in Missouri. A man who did not know how to read and write, convicted of a slight offense was sentenced to imprisonment until he had learned to read; another was sentenced to keep him company until he had taught him to read. After three weeks they were discharged, as they had fulfilled their task to the full satisfaction of the magistrate.

Marshall Baker having resigned, W. Brainard has just been elected marshal, by the Saline council. Mr. Brainard is a solid republican and an excellent man. The statements contained between the two last periods are made wholly without any knowledge on our part. We assume that Brainard is a republican, as none but republicans are elected this year. We assume that Brainard is an excellent man, because we dare speak no ill of republicans any more, although he may have roasted and eaten his grandmother for all we know—and we wouldn't be surprised to learn that he did.—A. A. Argus.

SEVERELY INJURED.

A Northville Lady Is Injured by Being Thrown from a Wagon.

Mrs. Alex. Daily and her son were both thrown from their wagon Monday morning near the city cheese factory where they were going with a load of milk. The accident was the result of the wagon seat tipping over endways. The son was not hurt. Mrs. Daily was severely injured about the face necessitating the taking of several stitches by the attending physician. She also sustained a severe shock besides more or less bruises about the shoulders.

Mrs. Daily is a brother-in-law of Will Taft. They live on the Taft farm in the northwest part of the village.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

A Mill Street Family Nearly Suffocated Monday Night.

Robert MacLucka and wife who live in Mrs. Hartwell's new house on Mill street had a very narrow escape from asphyxiation early Monday morning. Mr. MacLucka awoke just in time to be able to drag himself to the door and start towards a neighbors house. He was so overcome by the gas that he was obliged to creep on his hands and knees the entire distance to Mr. Kent's where by a faint tap on the door, and a few gasping words and faint signs he made known that help was needed. Dr. Swift who lives just opposite Mr. Kent's was quickly summoned and the victims of escaping coal gas were soon resuscitated. It was very fortunate that the coal stove from which the gas had escaped was located two rooms distant from the sleepers, also that Mr. MacLucka awoke just as he did.

MEAD'S MILLS NEWS.

Ray Rogers is in our city.

Harry King spent Sunday with his family.

Mrs. Ernest Westphall is quite out of health.

Lavina Greene has been visiting at Mr. Sawles.

The winter term of our school commenced on Monday.

A. M. Sculley from Northville called on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Martin visited at her son's in Northville Saturday and Sunday.

The Misses Shields of Plymouth spent Sunday evening at W. McRoberts.

Rich Benton is busy just now drawing lumber from Dearborn for the Globe factory.

Among other improvements which Mr. Boston is making about his home is the digging of a new well.

Some new lamps for the school house are to be furnished by the LTL. It is a long felt want and will be appreciated by the community.

We are "Sawing Wood"

While our competitors are wasting their breath and time in sally and sarcasm, while they are occupied in a wordy war, using their vocabulary as Minnie Guss we are hustling for Bargains.

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What We Have to Offer You:—

2 lb	25c
2 lbs. Brazil Nuts for	25c
Engl's Pecans for	25c
Paper Sh. Nuts for	25c
Shelled Almonds, per lb	25c
6 lbs. Seedless Almonds, per lb	40c
6 lbs. 2-Crown Muscatell Raisins for	25c
4 lbs. No. 1 Raisin	25c
5 lbs. Corn Starch for	25c
22 lbs. Granulated Sugar for	25c
3 lbs. New Dates	\$1.00
10 lbs. Rolled Oats for	25c
3½ lbs. Cleaned Currants	25c
3 lbs. Mince Meat for	25c
3 lbs. Milk Crackers for	25c

Chrysanthemums, choice for 30c

Nice Plants for 25c

Rollin H. Purdy,

88 Main Street. NORTHVILLE.

THE Thanksgiving Gift. Sixth Annual Holiday Offer!

As previously announced we present coupons Nos. 1 and 2, below which will entitle any of our readers to a copy of the picture, "Which is the Sweeter." We have about 500 of these pictures on hand at the RECORD office to supply all subscribers presenting coupon No. 2 at the office tomorrow (Saturday) until the supply is exhausted. Those living at a distance and those calling too late must use coupon No. 1 and send direct to New York enclosing 4c to pay postage and wrapping. Be sure to fill out the blanks properly and remember, positively, no coupon, no picture.

COUPON NO. 1.

W. J. DEMOREST,
15 East 14th St. N. Y.
Please mail me the water color picture "Which is the Sweeter" which I am entitled to by being a reader of the RECORD. Enclosed is 4c for postage and package.

NAME.....
POST OFFICE.....
COUNTY.....STATE.....
[Mail this coupon direct to New York enclosing 4c.]

COUPON NO. 2.

I am a reader of the Northville RECORD and present this coupon for copy of picture, "Which is the Sweeter."

NAME.....
ADDRESS.....
[Present this coupon at RECORD office Saturday, Dec. 1.]

A score or more of Plymouth young ladies have taken it upon themselves to raise money for a fire alarm for the village. They are rehearsing for a minstrel show, which will take place in about two weeks. The Herald speaks for a front seat.—Wyandotte Herald.

You are booked. Haven, Sec. A, Row 1, No. 9. The usher will seat you.

Extra copies of the village directory at 5 cents each. Send one to some friend.

Notice.
Any persons wanting fresh fish can get them at my place any evening except Saturday and Sunday.
521 W. J. LAFFRAUGH.

Positively the greatest inducement ever made by any gallery.

A Life-Sized Crayon Portrait and One Dozen Cabinet Artists Photographs for \$5.00.

This offer extends from Nov. 20th to January 20th, only. Sample Portrait on exhibition at gallery.

N. B.—My photographs need no comment—every one offers their excellence.

The portrait offered is my regular \$10.00 crayon when framed.

Is not a Bromide such as stores and cheap galleries handle but a genuine hand made crayon, guaranteed a perfect likeness and a work of art. Everyone from the easel of A. Worl Courrier, Detroit's best portrait artist, who makes us special prices for this offer.

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Enlarged Portraits,
Picture Framing,
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COAL!

Best quality and always the cheapest.

WOOD

A good grade Dry Mixed Wood delivered at \$1.50 cord.

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DRAIN TILE, ETC.

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Do you want a New Overcoat?

WE Do you want a New Suit?

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Do you want Anything to show you and We will be pleased to give you Prices which will please you.

M. D. GUNTON CO.,

RIGGS' OLD STAND.

At The Spot Cash Store!

We are still selling Fine Granulated Sugar 22 lbs. for \$3.00, and Rolled Oats 3c per lb.

ORANGES.

Nice Florida Oranges for 15, 20, and 30c per doz.

New Dates, 10c lb.

Figs:

New Bag Figs.....10c lb.
1 lb. Package Figs.....15c
1 lb. Finest Layer Figs.....20c

Canned Goods:

Have just received our new canned goods and would call your special attention to the following Three Bargains in Corn, Tomatoes and Peas.

1 can Star Corn 9c, or 3 cans for.....25c
1 can The Delicious Tomatoes 9c, or 3 cans for.....25c
1 can Empire Peas 15c, or 2 cans for.....25c

Have you tried our Imperial Cakes? They are nice, and only.....5c doz.
New Sweet Pickles, very fine, sample free.....20c per quart.
Sour Cucumber Pickles.....5c per doz.

Candy.

Mixed Candy.....10c lb.
Stick Candy.....10c lb.

Will have a fine line of Christmas Candy in due time.

B. A. WHEELER'S.

94 Main Street.

HERE WE ARE!

At No. 91 Main Street.

SKATES! ALL SIZES.

Remember we are headquarters for Skates. Ladies and Gentlemen's.

Garland Stoves!

Which radiate more heat for the amount of fuel used than any stove made.

CARPENTER & JOHNSON,

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An English cyclist claims that in his invention of an adjustable pedal shoe-block he has provided for wheelmen the means of gaining a largely augmented power over the machine, whereby its speed will be greatly increased, and its ascent in hill climbing made comparatively easy. The invention consists of two steel plates with leather blocks for fastening to the sole of the shoe, so as to give the cyclist a firm grip on the pedals. The object of this appliance is to prevent the shoe from slipping, and to enable the rider, "claw the pedal around" in a method of riding which is understood to be recommended by well known cyclists as the correct way of pedalling, since it overcomes the "dead center" to a great extent. When the blocks are not required for riding they can readily be removed, and the wearer is no longer incumbered with them in walking, as he would be under the old system in which the blocks are nailed to the shoe. The weight of the blocks complete does not exceed four ounces.

HOLIDAY NECKWEAR...

Just received this week; is now ready for your inspection, and we can say without fear of contradiction that we will show you the Largest, Finest and Best Selected stock of Gentlemen's Fashionable Neckwear ever displayed in this section of the country.

Here you are sure to find all the latest Fads in

Four-in-Hands,
Club-House,
Reversibles,
Teeks, Bows and String Ties.

Now, Girls:—If you wish to buy something that's stylish, useful, pretty and sure to please that "Best Fellow" of yours just step in at No. 81 and 83 Main Street and procure one of these elegant Christmas Ties. When you buy

Plush Caps, Hosiery,
Silk Suspenders,
Gloves and Mittens,

Consult your best interests and call on

M. N. JOHNSON & CO.
THE UNION BLOCK CLOTHIERS.

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NORTHVILLE

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WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY,
SILVERWARE, ART NOVELTIES,
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Remember we have the Best assortment for Holiday Goods.

Best Violin Strings at 15c.
\$30.00 Sewing Machine for \$17.00.
(Guaranteed for 5 years by New Home Co.)

We keep the Butterick Dress Patterns in stock and do not have to order them for you.
December Delineators and Ladies' Review on hand. Call and see us.

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Old papers, good as new, 25c per 100 at this office. Just the thing to put under carpets or on the pantry shelves.

Buy Dullam's Great German 15c Liv-
ar Pills 40 in a package, at Stevens.
Buy Dullam's Great German 25c Liv-
ar Pills 40 in a package, at Stevens.

NO HUMBUG.
Foley's Honey and Tar does not claim to perform miracles. It does not claim to cure all cases of consumption or asthma. But it does claim to give comfort and relief in advance stages of these diseases and to usually cure early stages. It is certainly worth trying by those afflicted or threatened with these dread diseases. 50c. Sold by C. R. STEVENS.

PURELY PERSONAL.

Mrs. Stanley is convalescent.
L. H. Barnum has been counted to his bed for two weeks.
P. E. White left yesterday for Grand Rapids on a business trip.
Major Bailey of Topeka, Kas., visited here a few days last week.
Miss Blanche Whitehead has been on the sick list this week.
Miss Minnie Beal was home from Brighton over Sunday.
Attorney C. C. Yerkes was on a business trip to Chicago this week.
Mrs. Wolf of Plymouth is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Macomber.
Miss Addie Spalding of Cadillac is among Northville friends this week.
Ed Merritt ate turkey and cranberries at the family board in Pontiac.
Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pashby of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neal yesterday.
County School Commissioner J. A. Sinclair was out this way on a business trip this week.
Mrs. P. L. Fitzpatrick of Detroit visited at Mrs. Geo. Hueston's a few days last week.
Grant Power and wife spent Thanksgiving in Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ely at Plymouth.
N. Neyson has moved back here from Fenton where he will remain through the winter.
Mrs. B. A. Wheeler gave a family dinner yesterday which was a regular reunion including her pastor.
Judge Maxwell of Mt. Pleasant visited his daughter, preceptress in the Northville school, over Sunday.
Mrs. Alice Whitaker left Monday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Webber, at Hillsdale.
Mr. and Mrs. Grant Gorthy have moved from Northside into the house vacated by Mr. MacLucha, 5 Mill st.
Miss Jennie Babbitt who has been on the sick list is nearly recovered and will soon resume her school duties again.
Mrs. Elizabeth Smith of Lansing and Mrs. L. Clark of Eagle have been visiting for a week with J. S. Teeples and family.
Mrs. T. M. Vail of Detroit and Mrs. Chas. Champion of Ypsilanti pieces of Mrs. Rachel Beal were Northville visitors last week.
The families of Robert and Charles Yerkes and J. W. Simmons all spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Yerkes at Milford.
C. D. Woodman continues quite poorly. It is to be hoped that the early spring will see a marked change in him for the better.
Messrs. T. J. Knapp, Geo. Gibson, Ralph Horton, and Misses Mabel Clark and Carolyn Babbitt, U. of M. students, were home for Thanksgiving.
Mr. and Mrs. John Ambler visited Miss Ida Bailey at Plymouth Sunday. Miss Bailey's many Northville friends are sorry to learn of her continued poor health.
It is understood that Mrs. Pinkerton has received word from John at Alpena to prepare to move there at once instead of remaining here the winter as was expected.
Miss Thompson who has been filling Miss Babbitt's place in the intermediate department of the Northville school for several weeks has made a very pleasing success of it.
W. H. Yerkes spent Sunday again with his wife in Detroit. Mrs. Yerkes is now at Mr. Yerkes' brother George's. She is steadily on the mend and will probably be able to return home next week.

SALE.
Mrs. Cynthia Smith of this place, O. L. Murray and wife, of Detroit; Al. Fuller wife, son, and daughter of Livonia and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith of Northville spent Thanksgiving with Luther Lapham and wife, 126 Centre street.
A genuine surprise took place Thursday evening, Nov. 22, at the residence of A. B. McCullough's, where guests to the number of sixty assembled to present to Mrs. McCullough a token of their esteem in the shape of a beautiful easy rocker, the gift of the Ladies of Forget-Me-Not-Hive, No. 168 LOTH. Lady McCullough was completely surprised and could scarcely find words to thank the bees for the lovely gift. The knights and ladies enjoyed themselves in various ways a few hours after which they sat down to partake of refreshments, which the ladies had prepared. All returned to their homes vowing they had spent a most pleasant evening.

Wm. Naylor has been drawn to sit on the December jury at Ann Arbor.
Miss Ada Roe is the teacher at the Bullock school house for the autumn and winter terms.
Louis Manning is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. W. R. Hamilton, at Pebbles Corners.
Mrs. Judson N. Thompson is in delicate health, which her many friends will be sorry to learn.
During this fine autumn weather many farmers are getting along with their spring work by doing fall plowing.
Alwyn Beebe has moved from the Ledyard house at Thayers corners to one of Patrick Couley's houses in Waterford.
Mr. and Mrs. Shannon and Mrs. Lancaster Horton visited Mr. and Mrs. Tracey Gorton of Redford on Monday and Tuesday.
At the union Thanksgiving service at the Baptist church, a most excellent discourse was delivered by Rev. R. E. Manning of Detroit.
Abel Sheffield, the crack hunter of Salem, returned from his annual hunt in the north woods on Saturday, loaded down with game.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Toussy are now occupying their new house built by Charles Smith of Northville. Charles is an artist in his line.
Rev. Mr. Belding's address at the Sabbath school concert last Sabbath afternoon; at the Baptist church was thoroughly appreciated by a large audience.
The "Salem Pleasure Club" will give a social hop next week Friday evening Dec. 7. Music by Whitmore Lake orchestra, assisted by Prof. Smock of Ann Arbor.
Sylvester Ellsworth returned from his trip to New York, Brooklyn and New Haven on Tuesday, having become surfeited with the novel sights of those large towns.
Mr. Will Rider had an attack of congestion of the lungs on Saturday last from which he suffered intensely for a few days. Under treatment of Dr. Walker he is rapidly convalescing.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson are in receipt by express, from their sons Fred and Will of California, a barrel of fine California fruits and nuts. The aged people are justly proud of their eleven children—five sons and six daughters.
Deacon Daniel Smith narrowly escaped a serious accident last Friday. While in the woods chopping a falling limb struck him on the forehead and cut his face quite badly. A slight variation of the limb would no doubt have proved fatal. The Dr. Walker dressed the wounds and the patient is doing well.

HOW TO PREVENT A COLD.

After an exposure, or when you feel cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails. 50c. Sold by C. R. STEVENS.

YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO CHANGE.

A heavy cold may lead to pneumonia or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar taken in time affords perfect security from serious results. 50c. Sold by C. R. STEVENS.

REED'S BARGAIN STORE.

A Perfect Deluge
of Bargains...

To Commence
Sat'y Nov. 24th.



You just read
carefully.

Ladies' and Misses' Short Jackets, all wool at \$2.00.
Ladies' Newmarkets, while they last, for \$1.25 each.
All of our new style Ladies' Cloaks will be sold at a most fabulous reduction. All runs.
None to be carried over.
Double fold Wool Dress Goods 25c a yard.
40 pieces of Winter Dress Goods to go at 20c a yard.
Heavy Storm Serge, Navy Blue, 15c a yard.
Ladies' Shoes—a good one for 93c a pair.
A regular \$2.00 Shoe, best you ever saw for \$1.47 a pair.
Ladies' Rubbers for 29c a pair. Ladies' Vests 25c each.
Ladies' Silk Faced Eined Hose at 22c a pair.
Ladies' Good Heavy Wool Hose 25c a pair.
Men's Felt and Rubbers—a real good one at \$1.97 a pair.
Men's Saddle Seat Boots, a rattler for \$1.35 a pair.
Men's and Boys' Good Heavy Underwear at only 25c.
Men's Rubber Boots, any kind for \$2.31 a pair.
6 Teacups, 6 Sauces, 6 Dinner Plates, and 6 Sauce Dishes for \$1.00.
Our Best Kerosene Oil still 8c a gallon.
Old Government Java Coffee at 32c lb.
Our Broken Java and Rio Mixed 25c per lb.
With 1 lb. of our 50c Tea you can get 22 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.
And now the Greatest Bargain the people of Northville ever saw is a perfect Watch and just look at the price

\$1.50 each—Excellent Time-keeper!

Looks just as well as a \$35.00 Watch and will keep just as good time.
If you can beat these prices you are a dandy.

A. W. REED.

87 Main Street.

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Is near at hand, and we will endeavor to please you as before with

Appropriate Goods and
Bargains for **Presents.**

KEEP WATCH OF OUR STOCK!

Have you seen that Zanon! Rug Couch? It is the latest.

Windsor-Rug Couches are always good.

A new lot of Rattan Rockers just in.

Look out for Bargains.

SANDS & PORTER.

THE FURNITURE MEN.

* "THE FAMOUS!" *

AT HOME!—For the next week we will be at home from 6 A. M. until 8 P. M. every day with our extremely—AT HOME!

Low Prices.

Low Prices.

We have just received another large lot of

Extra Heavy Fleece at.....	48c	20 doz. All Wool Men's Red Shirts and Drawers.....	48c
Heavy Fleece at.....	24c	20 doz. All Wool Men's Sox at.....	23c
(Two Colors.)		10 doz. Men's Mitts at.....	23c

Ladies' and Children's Hosiery—Our Stock is very complete. Kid Gloves: Our stock is still large, having all sizes, in the Popular Colors and Evening Shades.

\$1.98 If you want a Cloak for warmth and comfort, come and see ours at \$1.98. We have a large line of Dress Flannels, all wool, which we will sell for the week at the unheard of price of **25Cts.**

Just received a large line of Christmas Goods. Announcement next week.

* **C. R. SMITH.** - - Northville, Mich. *

We are lending money at 7 per cent, long or short time. We are writing certificates at 4 per cent.

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JACOB MILLER & CO.

Hello! Here We Are!

We did not leave Northville but are located at

75 Center Street.

As cozy as you please with a full line of

Fresh & Salt Meats and Poultry.

With prices to suit the times.

JACOB MILLER & CO.

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MILK ROUTE—DELIVERS

PURE
STERILIZED
MILK

TO CUSTOMERS DAILY.

Milk from one cow especially for infants.

Sweet and Sour Cream furnished on application.

Ice Cream by the Gallon supplied on order.

SEND YOUR
LAUNDRY

To the Northville
City Laundry

IF YOU WANT
FIRST-CLASS WORK.

All newly equipped with Latest Improved Machinery. All work called for and delivered daily.

New Bath Rooms

Have been added to meet the increased patronage. Special prices to patrons of the Laundry.

B. S. Webber, Prop.,
51 MAIN STREET.

Clothing of all kinds. Renovated, and Pressed in the latest style.

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The celebrated D. & V. Brand of

Oysters Selects

Our line of Canned Goods is unsurpassed in the city for excellence of quality.

Col. River Salmon
Fine Brook Trout
Corn, Tomatoes
String Beans, Etc.

Headquarters for everything in the Tobacco line at the old stand.

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Successor to Stark Bros.

ELECTRIC BITTERS.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove pimples, boils, salt rheum and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all malarial fevers. For cure of headache, constipation and indigestion try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at C. R. STEVENS' drug store.

NORTHVILLE LOCALS.

W. H. Yerkes is the champion fancy ice skater of Northville.

One mail this week brought the Dubuair Manufacturing Co. in twenty-two orders.

Fourteen persons were received into the Baptist church Sunday evening by baptism.

Our esteemed friend Dexter White is again on the streets after several days storm bound.

Monday evening the Library had a goodly company of young people engaged in play.

There's a bad cross walk near the Presbyterian parsonage. Been there for some time.

A musical entertainment at the Library tomorrow (Saturday) evening. Everyone welcome.

Tuesday night the Presbyterian young people had a corn party at the parsonage, and report a fine time.

The primary school entertainment at the WCTU hall Saturday evening was well attended and very enjoyable.

A "minimiles walk through mammoth cave" is a lecture to be delivered in the Methodist church in the near future.

M. D. Gorton requests the Record to state that his stock in the Rural Hill cemetery association is positively not for sale.

Gardner Simmons has been awarded \$16 for eight sheep damaged by dogs a few weeks ago. Jas. Spencer got pay for ten at the same rate.

The prohibition club will meet at Mrs. Sands' next week Tuesday night. All prohibitionists are requested to be present. By order Secretary.

Remember the Quilt social at F. R. Beal's Friday evening Dec. 7, if you wish to meet Mr. and Mrs. Bowser, Mr. and Mrs. Allan and Mrs. Casdell.

The Library entertainment consisting of the "Phonographic Library" and a roving farce, comes off Dec. 11. Watch for posters later in the week.

Next Sunday morning Rev. J. M. Belding preaches a real old fashion Thanksgiving sermon. In the evening the week of special meetings begin.

Rev. Anna Shaw will give a lecture at Plymouth Munday evening, Dec. 17th. Subject, "The America Undiscovered by Columbus." Miss Shaw is so well and favorably known here that we bespeak for her a full house.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Tremblay rejoice in the advent of a brand new baby at their home. In after years the young lady will have a difficult task before her in figuring out whether her birthday occurs November 25th or 26th.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Tinkham-Allen, whose death was briefly announced last week, was held from the late home Sunday afternoon conducted by Rev. C. C. Turner. Heart trouble was the immediate cause of death. The interment was in Rural Hill.

Rumor has it that Nightwatchman Trotter run into a young man the other night 'bout twelve who was going home from seeing his best girl. Trotter said, "halt" and the "feller" took to his heels. Trotter fired a "scarer" in the air but the runner was out of sight before the sound reached him.

The Dubuair Mfg. Co. are putting up an extensive lot of lumber sheds just east of the office. The rapid increasing business of this firm finds the capacity of the present buildings altogether too small and it is only a question of a very short time when another larger building will have to be erected.

J. O. Eddy of Plymouth, the present town treasurer, gets a \$1,500 clerkship in the register of deeds office. There were two applicants from this place but Plymouth for some reason seems to have the inside track when it comes to getting the plums. It is understood that ex-Treasurer Hunter will become deputy treasurer to succeed Mr. Eddy.

Joseph Germaine manager for Madam Bellon the musical directress was greeted with a large audience here Monday night. It was the chance of a life time for those in need of voice culture but for some reason it was not taken hold of as it should have been. Mr. Germaine may return later providing a sufficient number of pupils are obtained to warrant it.

The matter of dividing up this township at the precinct line making this half Northville township and the south half Plymouth as at present seems to meet with much favor hereabouts. There is but little doubt but what Plymouth people will unite with us on the question. The town is altogether too large for one set of officers to say nothing of the inconvenience.

It is to be hoped that the council will not make the mistake of negotiating with outside electric lighting parties for lighting the village. The Globe folks are competent to give the village anything it wants to pay for in the way of lights—just as good and just as cheap or cheaper than any other firm in the world. Besides this the Globe folks are entitled to the business if anyone on earth is. Better the present system by putting in are lights and making some changes in the hanging of others, but a new firm, or a new plant, never.

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FOR SALE—House and lot on West Randolph street, \$750. A bargain. Inquire at Photograph gallery.

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WANTED—Pupils in Instructional Music. Three lessons for \$1. Satisfaction guaranteed. Also all kinds of fancy work taught. Mrs. Neal.

FOR SALE—A one and a two horse wagon. Best in first class condition—good as new. Cheap. Edward Whitaker.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House and lot on Center street, Northside. House in the condition and view for sale. Will sell and take weekly payments of \$1.50. Apply to C. J. Ball.

FOR SALE—First class Alexander organ, good as new, cheap. Apply at W. H. Brigham's, Main street.

FOR SALE—House and lot on city street by town church and factory. Cheap and easy payments. Apply Record office.

The advertised letters at the post office this week are for:
John Davis.
Mrs. E. Grover.
Aug. Krieger.
Miss Isabella A. Milne.
Mr. Walter Sligbt.
Mr. Wilson Stockwell.
Ailie Thorald.
R. I. Wingard.

C. A. Downer, P. M.

The Globe factory shut down yesterday on account of Thanksgiving.

Mother's meeting at WCTU hall next Wednesday at three o'clock.

Plymouth people have decided they will not bond the village for a bonus for the Pinkney Air Gun Co. and the company now talk of going to Monroe.

The Park house served up a special Thanksgiving dinner yesterday and it was a hummer. The layout would have done credit to the Cadillac hotel at Detroit.

W. A. Fry came carting into the office Wednesday morning a basket full of choice steel red apples. They're gone now but their delicious taste still remains.

R. H. Purdy and L. W. Hutton & Son have greatly improved the appearances of the interior of their respective stores by repainting and varnishing the same. Purdy's "blue room" for his crockery and china display is especially attractive.

The WRC will have a social at their (Ambley's) hall next Wednesday evening Dec. 5. Light refreshments will be served. All those holding tickets for the quilt will be sure to bring them. Admission 10c including supper. Those holding tickets admitted free. By order committee.

If our coming legislature will meet, do business and adjourn they will be forgiven for half the bad laws and blunders they may make. But if they "monkey" up around Lansing to see how long a session they can make of it they should be called down with a thud that will resound like the falling of wheat.

The Record does not club with any other paper for it does not intend to build up the subscription list of some metropolitan publication to the detriment of its own. The Record will however furnish any of its subscribers with any paper or magazine published in the world at greatly reduced rates. This will be done as an accommodation to patrons.

The Methodist ladies' quilt social, award and final settlement will take place two weeks from tonight, Dec. 7. It will be a rare occasion interspersed with a special entertainment after which refreshments will be served. The award and entertainment will take place at F. R. Beal's, 132 Main street. Refreshments will be served and the whole cost will be but a dime.

Many women attempted to vote in Indiana Nov. 6, but of course all were denied the privilege. "You cannot vote because you are a lady," said an inspector to an applicant in an Indianapolis district. "That is just the answer we wished," replied the lady. "We cannot vote because we are ladies, yet men who are not gentlemen are permitted to vote." The lady told the truth, as everybody knows.

Here is a record that our state can well feel proud of: Michigan has 75 building and loan associations, not one of which has reported a net loss during the year. The number of shareholders runs from 9,708 in a Detroit association—80 in Northville—to 33 in a Ludington association. The real estate held by Michigan associations is valued at \$5,087,137. The profits are \$1,025,864. And the beauty of these associations is that the shareholders divide the profits

See Thanksgiving offer and coupon in another column.

Mrs. E. Norine Law National WCTU organizer will be here next week Friday and Saturday.

Anything wrong with today's paper may be attributed to the editor's huge Thanksgiving dinner.

Some very pretty catalogues for the Dubuair Manufacturing Co. were issued from this office this week.

The deer hunters are all home again. Among the lucky ones were Geo. Hueston with 5, Jake Kimmel 2, Arch Morris, C. A. Sessions and Abeshefield one each.

E. Vradenburg was up there also for two weeks and returned with this company. A. Houk also brought home one deer and Will Stark captured a porcupine.

Frank Butler, C. G. Harrington and their party returned home Monday with one of two deer and fifty birds to their credit.

The first party had a variety of funny experiences. Archie Morris broke through the ice and got decidedly wet in his pursuit for a deer. One morning the tent got on fire and in the excitement of putting it out the occupants were chasing each other around the cloth building throwing water and snow down each others necks in a way that would have done credit to an insane asylum. The boys all report an extraordinary good time.

"You're wanted at the telephone office" said a messenger as he rang the editor's door bell about 8 o'clock Wednesday night. When inside the place the quill pusher was set upon by a dozen or more of the clerks and after a neat little speech by Clerk Webster, the lean bank record man was asked to read his hungry eyes upon a Thanksgiving dinner fit for a duke which was laid out upon the counter. Then he was ordered to proceed towards home and show the way to the family kitchen where, followed by the knights of the counter each carrying a package, the table was filled with turkey, cranberries, jelly, celery, crackers, oysters, oranges, etc., and yesterday morning a large basket full of pies was tugged in, all with the compliments of the village clerks. And the editor rises to give thanks to Northville's genteel, bustling clerks. May they increase in numbers, salary and prosperity, may some of the bright, happy moments they have dropped into the busy lives of others return to them in other days a hundred fold.

YOU ought to know that when suffering from any kidney trouble that a safe, sure remedy is the Clinie Kidney Cure. Guaranteed or money refunded. Sold by C. R. STEVENS.

Mr. Wm. Williams, Vicksburg, Mich., says: "I verily believe 'A. D. Rounds' Wheeler's Heart and Nerve Cure to be the most reliable remedy for heart irregularities that has ever been given to the public." Sold by Geo. C. Hueston.

Drs. Mixer, who will visit Northville on Wednesday, Dec. 5, are the manufacturers of C&S which is without doubt, the greatest remedy for the blood on earth. With this medicine Dr. Mixer cured himself of cancer over thirty years ago and is now in good health. His portrait on his paper "The Truth" shows his face as cured, the nose and other parts of face destroyed. There are hundreds as remarkable cures all through the country showing Dr. Mixer's ability to cure. A consultation will cost you nothing and may be of great good.

WANTED.
Ladies and gentlemen suffering with throat and lung difficulties to call at our drug store for a bottle of Otto's Cure, which we are distributing free of charge, and we can confidently recommend it as a superior remedy for Colds, Coughs, Bronchitis, Consumption, and all diseases of the throat and lungs. It will stop a cough quicker than any known remedy. We will guarantee it to cure you. If your children have croup or whooping cough it is sure to give instant relief. Don't delay but get a trial bottle free. Large sizes 50c and 25c. Sold by C. R. STEVENS.

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Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed to cure. Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at C. R. STEVENS' drug store.

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Sale!
We will sell at a great reduction all our Trimmings and Bonnets; also a reduction in Untrimmed Hats.
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STATE NEWS NOTES.

A CHAPTER OF THE DOINGS OF MICHIGANDERS.

Kalamazoo County the Scene of a Most Murder.—Well-to-do Farmer's Wife Succeeded Near Barren Springs.—The University Homeopathic Dean Resigns.

A Most Brutal Murder.—Mrs. Ephraim Maddock left the bakery of Toynton & Knudsen, at Pontiac, at 10 o'clock at night, with a loaf of bread. She lived in a cottage in the eastern portion of the city, quite a distance from the business section. She passed down Huron street, east to Mechanic street, where she was found dead, lying on her face in a pool of blood. The body was taken to the home of her daughter and an autopsy was held, which disclosed a wound made by a blunt instrument which penetrated the scalp and produced an extensive fracture of the left side of the skull, four inches back of the left ear, a wound sufficient to produce instant death.

In paying for the bread she had taken a wallet from her pocket, and the theory is that this action was observed by some one, who thought she had considerable money, and that the motive for the brutal deed was robbery. Her children say she had a little money in the purse and when the body was examined the purse was missing. The deceased was 65 years of age, and lived peacefully with her husband. She leaves six children.

Very Mysterious Murder.—A most cowardly and mysterious murder was that of the assassination of William Wickwire and the shooting of his sister at the former's home in Okemos township, Kalamazoo county. About 7 o'clock at night a knock was heard at the back door. An adopted boy opened the door and a man with a knife on his hip stepped in. Mr. Wickwire, without waiting for a reply he pushed past the boy and entered the dining room where Wickwire's wife and sister were sitting. The latter noticed that the intruder had in his hand a revolver and she tried to stop him, but he rushed into the next room where he met Wickwire, who was just coming out to see the cause of the noise. The masked man at once opened fire. Three shots struck Wickwire and one struck his sister. The three grappled with the desperado, but he escaped before the neighbors, whom the boy had called, could arrive. No motive for the strange crime is known. Wickwire's injuries were fatal, but his sister was scarcely hurt.

Train Wreckers' Trials Blocked.—The examination of the five men charged with wrecking at Battle Creek, three taken a new turn, and dropped a bomb at the prosecutor's feet. When the first witness was called it was Bodey, upon whom the prosecution depended for so much convincing testimony, but he created a sensation by positively refusing to say a word. An adjournment was then taken until morning, when Stanley Knowles, who has so often told the tale of the clambaw to the delight of the prosecution, was placed on the stand. He also refused to testify. This virtually blocked the examination and the court adjourned until Jan. 2, ordering the five men to jail.

Prominent Detroiters' Strange Death.—Willard Parker, senior member of Parver, Webb & Co., wholesale meat dealers at Detroit, disappeared very mysteriously from his home, and the case was reported to the police. No trace of him could be found until a message was received from Richmond stating that Mr. Parker was in a serious condition evidently from an overdose of morphine. He lingered for several hours nearly all the time unconscious and finally died. He was 65 years of age and his relatives say he must have taken the morphine to relieve pain as he was in ill-health.

Smallpox at Adrian.—The first case of smallpox to make its appearance in Adrian in 20 years broke out in the City Hotel and the victim was conveyed to the pest house north of the city. Mark Jones, aged 28 and married, living south of Blissfield, is the unfortunate. Seventeen inmates of the hotel are in quarantine. Twenty transients took dinner at the hotel with Jones and it is impossible to tell how many persons may have been exposed. Jones was exposed to the disease at Summit, Ill., two weeks previous.

Smallpox Causing a Fiasco.—Several new cases of smallpox are reported at Sebawa Corners, Ionia county. Albert Bradley, of Sebawa, died of contracted smallpox. The authorities are taking all precautions against an epidemic, but the exposure has been so general that little headway is made. There are now no less than 15 cases in Danby and Sebawa. Portland people held a public meeting and will keep a patrol on all points of ingress to keep out parties from infected districts.

Why Should She Wish to Die?—Mrs. Henry Lybrook, a farmer's wife in good circumstances, committed suicide at Berrien Springs. No cause can be attributed for the act as her family life was a very happy one. Two ounces of laudanum was taken. The body was discovered on the bank of the St. Joseph river where she went, intending to make sure of death by drowning. She was 28 years old.

The Homoeopathic Quarrel.—The Oberly quarrel and the row in the homoeopathic department of the Michigan University came to a climax with the resignation of Dean Oberly, and a request of the regents that all the other professors resign.

Judge W. H. Taft, of Cincinnati, of the U. S. circuit court and court of appeals, is holding his first term of court in Grand Rapids. In honor of his visit about 50 Grand Rapids and western Michigan attorneys gave him a reception and banquet at the Peninsula club.

MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS.

A poultry show will be held at Ionia, December 25-26.

Sydney S. Hastings, one of the founders of St. Louis village is dead. The Peninsula mine, near Hancock, is being pumped out, preparatory to a resumption of work.

The F. & A. M. of Manistee are thinking of erecting a \$35,000 Maskeville temple and opera house.

The suicide of C. G. Rumsey, well-to-do Pittsford farmer, is laid to the immoderate use of tobacco.

Peter St. Pet-r was instantly killed near Traverse City by having a log roll upon him from a wagon.

Grand township, Calhoun county, has from 10 to 12 cases of diphtheria. The schools have been closed.

The lifeless body of August Kintler, a German living alone near Eschewaung, was found hanging in his house.

About 500 bushels of potatoes were roasted by the burning of Wm. Richardson's home near Birmingham.

Rev. J. A. Cairns, a retired Wesleyan minister, was struck by a T. & A. train at Milan and instantly killed.

The dwelling of Charles Hills, of Leekousha, burned to the ground, the contents being saved. The loss is \$1,100.

Carl J. Ramsey, a well-known farmer near Hudson, committed suicide by shooting. Continued illness the cause.

Sportsmen of the upper peninsula have called a convention to organize an association for the preservation of game.

An aerolite fell in the field in which two Swedes were working near Benton Harbor, nearly frightening them to death.

The 22d sanitary convention, under the auspices of the state board of health, was held at Charlotte, lasting two days.

Jacob Crook, of Bay City, was run over and killed by a Michigan Central train near the Woodward avenue crossing, Detroit.

County Treasurer Sulzer, of Washtenaw county, is short \$5,500 in his accounts and has gone to Germany to get money to square up.

Rev. John Brock, of North Branch, while on his way to the R. & P. depot in Port Huron, was run down by a back and seriously injured.

Louis Souser passed a check at a Kalamazoo hotel for an overcoat. He was arrested and it was found that he had his pockets full of forged checks.

Detroit schools were all ordered closed for at least one week because of the diphtheria epidemic. All the school buildings are being thoroughly disinfected.

Noah Kissel, aged 48, a meat market owner, of Sherwood, was thrown from his buggy on his way home from Union City, and his skull was fractured so that he died.

In a quarrel which originated at a table, Louis Elsey, a stone cutter, aged 22 years, of Detroit, cut his brother Charles twice across the neck, inflicting fatal injuries.

William H. Barber, a farmer near Jackson, gave shelter to a stranger. He also sold his crop of wool and now both stranger and wool money and a good overcoat are gone.

Three cases of smallpox were discovered in Danby township, Ionia county. They were traced to Supervisor Holliday, who had the disease. Nine cases grew out of his exposure.

Lansing mail carriers and ex-carriers who recently filed claims for overtime, under the eight-hour law, have been advised that their claims, aggregating over \$7,000, have been recommended paid.

State Game Warden Zimmon pulled an Ohio hunter off the midnight train at Grayling and took a deer out of his trunk. When the buck came out of Squire Woodburn's justice mill, he had just 34 cents left.

A watch broke in two as a clock in T. A. Carter's dry goods at Ionia was striking it and the blazing head caught in some lace curtains. Before the flames were extinguished \$3,000 damage had been sustained.

Four boys, aged 12 to 15, were arrested in West Bay City charged with entering a building filled with big and steam furnishings, stored for the winter, and deliberately setting and smashing over \$1,000 worth of goods.

Bert Samson, a colored inmate at the State House of Correction, at Ionia, who is serving six years for burglary, from Jackson, attacked Foreman Menhenrick of the furniture factory, knocking him down. He is a tough character.

After an exciting election a proposition to bond Buchanan for \$10,000 for water works extension was defeated by a vote of 173 to 138.

Four Muskegon boys, ranging in age from 14 to 18, were arrested in a cave where they had dug in a bluff. The cave was stuffed full of plunder.

Saginaw has secured a new industry in the Meteor Cycle company. The capital stock is \$15,000 all paid in. Work will begin at once.

Robbers broke into the store of Max Wolf, at Attama, stole \$75 and assaulted the proprietor. He says personal enemies did the work.

Four girls escaped from the industrial home at Adrian. They got as far as the postoffice, but the cold, chilly wind soon drove them back again.

Pratt & Co.'s general store at Ferris, Saginaw county, was burglarized and \$150 in cash and goods taken. Officers are on a still hunt after the thieves.

George Muesen, a hunter from Saranac Lake, N. Y., shipped on a log. His rifle was discharged, sending a bullet through his thigh. He may recover.

St. Ignace minors who are found on the streets after 8 o'clock at night will spend 30 days in the city lock-up as a preventive against their doing so again.

John McDonald, engineer in the Bardeen paper mill at Osgood, fell into a tub of hot water and was seriously burned. A flesh below the waist dropped off in chunks.

Mrs. Ed Hares, in destitute circumstances took some morphine at Adrian, but her life was saved. Her husband is in the Ionia prison, and she is trying to secure a divorce.

Game Warden Hampton bagged a party of wealthy Seville, O. business men at Lewiston with five deer in their possession, which they were trying to slip out of the state.

The famous Cross Village convent in Emmet county, has been closed and the 11 nuns who kept it have gone to Joliet, Ill. Most of them had not been outside of the convent grounds in 35 years.

Prof. Delos Fall and Prof. E. C. Ford, of Albion college, are arranging an expedition for the exploration of the country north of Lake Superior in the direction of Hudson Bay. It will be for scientific purposes.

Lucius Street, a well-known business man, and a pioneer of Battle Creek, over 70 years old, while driving in the country had his horses run away. He was thrown out and badly injured on the frozen ground, but may recover.

Notion, the labor agitator, who had much to do in causing the strike of the miners at Ironwood last summer, and who was arrested at the time and locked up, has just been released without anything being done toward trying him.

So many deer have been killed in Ionia county this year by hunters who use dogs that it has been suggested that the board of supervisors offer a bounty for every deer found killed while on the track of a deer anywhere in the county.

Charles Wright, a trusty escaped recently from Ionia prison, and was captured at Chase. The sheriff attempted to take him back. Wright jumped off the train near Goven and escaped again. The train was moving at the rate of 35 miles an hour.

Berrien county lodge No. 6, I. O. O. F., has celebrated its fifteenth anniversary. This lodge was the first founded in the state of Michigan, and it is said, the first west of the Allegheny mountains. None of the original charter members are living. A banquet was served, and a large number of visitors were present from neighboring lodges.

The legislative committee of the State Teachers' association discussed a proposed law, requiring all teachers, county commissioners and county examiners in Michigan to be citizens of the United States. Another recommendation is that no person be granted a certificate to teach in this state who uses tobacco in any form.

Deputies will have a system of water works in the near future. The common council adopted a resolution empowering the village to issue \$12,000 worth of 5 per cent bonds. It is expected that the construction of the plant will commence at once, giving employment to much labor which would otherwise be unemployed during the winter.

The Ypsilanti normal school was haunted by a ghost for several days. One night it was dressed in the conventional white, the next in black. The watchman couldn't catch the apparition, neither could any of the students, and a reign of terror existed among the ultra-superstitious. The city marshal solved the mystery by capturing the facetious lady student.

The many crimes now being laid at the hands of Geo. Swearingen, who so cruelly assaulted his son-in-law near Buchanan, and who is wanted in South Dakota for murder, recalls the strange disappearance of Isaac Kahn, of South Bend, Ind., about 20 years ago. Kahn and Swearingen started for Chicago with a lot of logs. Kahn disappeared and while the case was being looked into Swearingen dropped out of sight and the affair was always a mystery.

J. B. Sutherland, for many years a resident of Detroit, but who has lived in a small shanty near Copenheim, died and was buried in the Cleon township cemetery. The deceased, who was about 70 years of age, was at one time quite well off, and held the position of master mechanic on the Michigan Central railway. He had several married children, who are in good circumstances. His request was that they be not informed of his death until after he was buried.

The plant of the Smith Middleburg Purifier company at Jackson, the largest concern of the kind in the world, which was involved in such lengthy and disastrous litigation, and was finally sold to the Central Oil and Gas Store company, of Massachusetts, may start up again soon. Geo. T. Smith, the originator of the business, has completed the organization of a corporation composed largely of eastern capitalists, who will put \$1,000,000 cash into the purifier plant there, filling the buildings with machinery for the manufacture of modern mills, purifiers, engines, boilers, etc., on an immense scale and making it the largest concern of its kind in existence.

NEWS OF ALL KINDS.

EVENTS OF GENERAL INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE.

Port Arthur, the Prize of China. Surrendered to the Japanese—Chinese Loss, 1,000 Men; Japs, 200—Vast Stores of Supplies, etc., Captured—Other News.

Port Arthur Has Fallen.—The Foo: Dispatches have been received here stating that the Japanese captured Port Arthur after 13 hours fighting. The Japanese army, under the command of Field Marshal Count Oyama, minister of war, consisted of about 30,000 men. The Japanese navy did not participate with the exception of some of the torpedo boats.

Particulars of the Capture of Port Arthur.—London: A confirmation of the report of the capture of Port Arthur by the Japanese has been received, together with particulars of the fighting in detail. As has been told in these dispatches, Port Arthur had been surrounded for miles with fortified hills, and in anticipation of this attack the Chinese under direction of the war, several officers had planted mines in all the roads leading to the stronghold and had connected them with Port Arthur by electric wires. This necessitated caution on the part of the Japanese, and consequently they cut roads through the woods and morasses and hauled their light field pieces over these for over 40 miles. Notwithstanding these delays the Japanese crept nearer the point of attack with commendable speed. No organized resistance was offered by the Chinese for three-fourths the distance, and on Tuesday the first skirmish occurred in which the Chinese were repulsed in good order. The fort and the village were captured by the Japanese, and the following morning they carried an advantageous range of hills near Port Arthur with a rush. Guns were then dragged up and fired. The enemy returned the fire bravely. The Japanese infantry advanced against a well-directed fire without faltering. Shortly before 6 o'clock the fort was carried by storm in a most gallant fashion. The Chinese stood for a minute or two against the final onslaught, fighting heroically. Then they fled toward the dockyards. The right division then advanced in force against the dockyard, which was armed with several heavy Krupp guns, which were well served. Scores of men were killed or wounded in this brief advance. At noon the fort itself was stormed and captured after a short but desperate fight. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the right division was in full possession of the western part of the stronghold.

Meanwhile the left division had been engaged on the southeast where the ground was less difficult, but far from easy. Advancing over the hills the first division had to clear the enemy out of some outlying work apparently of recent construction. The Japanese artillery and Chinese spears in the forts kept up a steady fire. The latter were all heavy pieces, and they pounded away for some time at the Japanese infantry, who in the meantime were advancing all along the line. The final assault was splendidly delivered, the enemy being driven headlong from the works after making a gallant stand. By evening Port Arthur was in possession of the Japanese, but the enemy still held eight or ten redoubts with a total of about 20 guns on the coast line. Early Thursday morning Lao Mu and other forts were attacked in succession, all being captured without loss on the Japanese side. It is estimated that the Chinese loss was over 1,000 killed and wounded, and 20,000 were taken prisoners. The Japanese loss was about 250 killed and wounded.

The Japanese have taken quite 50 guns and the mortars that were in use in the captured forts and many others found in the dock yard. They have also captured an immense quantity of ammunition, completely equipped torpedo stores and large quantities of rice and beans. The part taken in the battle by the Japanese navy was that 23 torpedo boats made a concerted rush upon the entrance of the harbor of Port Arthur at the same time that the Japanese land forces attacked the place from rear, while a heavy artillery fire was poured into the Chinese forts.

China Sends a Peace Embassy to Japan.—Tien Tsin: The chief of the imperial customs here, De Ting, who was recently summoned to Peking, has left for Japan in order to arrange terms of peace.

Washington: The departure of the Chinese customs chief for Japan is regarded by officials here as the result of Japan's demand for a direct offer from China. The De Ting mentioned in the cable is said to be Diettering, a German, who occupies the position of commissioner of customs. An Associated Press cable from Japan states that China has intimated her willingness to pay an indemnity of 100,000,000 taels and, in addition pay all the war expenses incurred by Japan. This would make the total offer of China 250,000,000 taels. The tael is a Chinese silver coin worth about 75 cents, so that the whole payment would be approximately \$175,000,000 American.

News in Brief.—Fifteen of Kansas City's finest residences were destroyed by fire with all the household goods. Russians in Chicago are working earnestly in a movement to secure freedom in Russia. Henry Wolf, 22 years old, son of a well-to-do farmer near Dayton, attempted suicide by swallowing 35 grains of morphine. He will live. The body of Maggie Rodin, colored, was found at Memphis in an advanced state of decomposition, in a house which she occupied alone. Her clothes had taken fire and she burned to death. Gus Huber, jeweler of Fayette, ordered \$800 worth of diamonds C. O. D. from a Chicago house. The night they arrived Alton, near Fayette, the express office was robbed. The other day Huber sold one of the rings and this clue led to his prompt arrest for the robbery.

China-Japan War Geopol.

The third army has left Ujmon aboard the transports. The destination of this army is not known but it is rumored that it is intended to operate in the Yang Tse Kiang districts of China. The Yang Tse Kiang river has a total course of 2,500 to 3,000 miles and drains all its numerous large tributaries into the central provinces for China. The side ascends to Lake Po Yang, 450 miles from the sea, beyond which it is navigable for 250 miles. It may be navigated for 200 miles from its mouth by ships of the largest class and about 90 miles from the mouth is situated the southern capital of the China, Nankin, one of the most important cities of the empire. It is doubtless Japan's intention to advance upon Nankin.

Li Hung Chang to Depose the Emperor.—Washington: A prominent member of the diplomatic corps has received a letter telling of a conspirator now well underway in China, which if not checked, will result in the downfall of the present government and the establishment of another with Li Hung Chang on the throne. This will be accomplished by the murder or exile of the present emperor, Li Hung Chang, rendered desperate by the abuse and degradation which has been heaped upon him by the emperor, has concocted the scheme outlined above. The communication states that he has always had a contempt for the emperor who is of the Tartar race, believing that China should be ruled by Chinese. Uncle Sam's New Treaty with Japan.

Washington: Secretary of State Gresham, in behalf of the United States, and Minister Kurihara of Japan, in behalf of his own country, have affixed their signatures to a new treaty of amity and commerce between this country and Japan. The chief feature of the new treaty is its recognition of Japan as a civilized country. Former treaties have assumed that the native customs were so primitive and childish that it would not be safe to trust American, British and other foreign citizens to native tribunals, and the foreign consuls were given extra territorial jurisdiction in their great treaty ports of Japan.

Washington: The Chinese have lost the finest and most powerful vessel of their navy—the great battleship Chen Yuen, which stood the brunt of the fighting at Yalu. The Chen Yuen in leaving Wei Hai Wei harbor accidentally struck a torpedo. She was beached but was rendered useless for lack of docking facilities. In despair at the catastrophe, the commander, Commodore Lam, committed suicide.

CANAIGRE EXTRACT.

It is to be Manufactured on a Large Scale in the Pecos Valley of New Mexico.

Hide and Leather: the well-known organ of the leather industry in the United States, made the important announcement in a recent issue that a large factory is about to be erected in the Pecos valley of New Mexico for the manufacture of canaigre extract. This extract, which is for most kinds of leather the very best tanning material known, is made from the root of the canaigre plant, which grows in certain portions of the arid region of the United States and northern Mexico, and with especial insurance under irrigation in the Pecos valley, where from ten to fifteen tons per acre are grown. The cost of raising and harvesting is no greater than in the case of potatoes, and the farmers of the Pecos valley are assured of a market for all their crop, at 80 per cent, which affords them a handsome profit, and a considerable acreage is being planted at the present time. When it is known that Europe and America consume about \$700,000,000 of tanning materials annually, and that several million dollars' worth of inferior substances are each year imported into the United States, the importance of the industry can be appreciated. Large numbers of farmers will doubtless go to the Pecos valley in the near future to engage in this very profitable business.

Hawaiian Royalists Talk Revolution.

Advises from Honolulu say: That the government is still slightly in fear of the royalists uprising has been evident of late. All the guards in the suburbs have been doubled, and a close watch has been kept on all suspected persons. The cause of this sudden activity is the discovery of a plot to restore the ex-queen. A considerable number of guns and ammunition have been secretly brought here during the last few months and the royalists evidently intend to make use of them. No uneasiness is felt by the government party, however, which seems perfectly well satisfied that it can hold its own.

Some Prospects of Peace in China.

It is officially announced that Japan recognizes that the United States minister at Tokio, Mr. Dunn, is a suitable channel through which China can open up negotiations for peace. The powers will not take any part in the negotiations. They will simply remain spectators. It is considered that China is in a position to pay the Japanese demands, if the war ceases now. Japan to hold Port Arthur until her demands are satisfied. The destination of the third Japanese expedition which is now afloat is supposed to be Wei-Hai-Wei.

The Bonds Bring 117.677.

Washington: The bids for the \$30,000,000 bond issue recently offered by Secretary Carlisle were opened at the treasury department and it was stated that a calculation showed that the total number of separate bids was 297, aggregating \$151,570,903. The largest bid was the syndicate bid of the United States Trust company, Drexel, Morgan & Company and others, of New York, London, Boston and Philadelphia, at 117.677 for the whole amount or none.

The Car Is Wrecked.

Czar Nicholas II. of Russia, has been married to Princess Alix, of Mecklenburg. Large crowds of people assembled on the Newbury prospect in order to secure places along the route of the royal wedding procession. From the Antioch palace to the Winter palace the whole avenue was lined with troops. The procession and the carriages were very imposing. The rites of the Greek church were used.

The executive committee of the W. C. T. U. has resolved that men must not be admitted to membership in the young ladies' branches.

80,000 TO 100,000 SLAIN.

The Frightful Slaughter of Armenians by Kurds—Cholera Result From Carcasses.

Boston: Further information, relative to the massacre of the Armenians near Bitlis, Turkey, has been received by Secretary Gulian of the United Friends of Armenia. In the region back of Moosh, villages are said to have been wholly blotted out. Another letter states that from Moosh has been received information of the outbreak of a virulent form of cholera which was killing from 35 to 35 persons daily. It is said, it is said, by the stench of carnage which has taken place. The number of massacred will reach between 80,000 and 100,000.

The government tried to get the people there to sign a petition to the sovereign, expressing satisfaction with his rule, and asking sympathy with the Armenians who have "ruined matters up." The people have refused to sign the address. The massacre occurred in the early part of September. It was the result of an affair between some Kurds and Armenian villagers whom the Kurds had stolen from. The sultan ordered infantry and cavalry to the scene to put down the Armenian rebellion.

Another of Ohio's Favorite Sons Dead.

Cen. Wm. Harvey Uibson, the silver-tongued orator, died at his home at Titlin, O., in his 74th year. The end came quietly and peacefully. His illness, which was of about three months' duration, consisted of a complication of diseases, the foundation of which was chronic diarrhea, contracted in the army.

Gen. William H. Uibson was born in Jefferson county, Ohio, May 1st. His early education was received in the pioneer days in a log school house situated with good advantage. He began his law career at the age of 18, and was admitted to the bar in December, 1844. He was a licensed minister of the M. E. church, and was elected pastor of the church at Titlin, Ohio, in 1846. In 1853 he was elected treasurer of the state of Ohio. The opening of the war between the states of the Union found him at Atlanta, Georgia, where he was waiting for duty. He was in which he served as was commended by every superior officer. In January, 1861, President Harrison appointed him postmaster of Titlin.

Samuel C. Seeler, an assistant bookkeeper in the National Safe & Leather bank, New York City, has disappeared with \$551,000 of the bank's funds. Seeler was aided by a confederate, the bank officials are certain.

Another industry has been added to Saginaw's manufacturing institutions in the shape of the American Potato Flour company, which recently burned out at Fostoria, O. The stockholders of which reside in Detroit. This winter employment will be given to 50 hands, and next fall it is expected the number will be increased to 150. This factory will give the farmers an excellent market for their potatoes.

THE MARKETS.

Tolago-Grain.			
Wheat, No 2 red	53 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2
Corn, No 2 mixed	40 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Oats, No 2 white	25 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Buttalo-Live Stock.			
Cattle, mixed shipments	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Sheep	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Lambs	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Hogs, choice weights	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2
Common and rough	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2
Cincinnati.			
Cattle, best grades	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2
Lower grades	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Hogs	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2
Wheat, No 2 red	53 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2
Corn, No 2	40 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Oats, No 2 white	25 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Pittsburg.			
Cattle	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Sheep	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Wheat, No 2 red	53 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2
Corn, No 2	40 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Oats, No 2 white	25 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Cincinnati.			
Cattle, good to prime	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2
Lower grades	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Hogs	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2
Wheat, No 2 red	53 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2
Corn, No 2 mixed	40 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Oats, No 2 white	25 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
New York.			
Cattle, fair to choice	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Hogs	4 1/2	4 3/4	4 1/2
Sheep, good to choice	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Lambs	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Wheat, No 2 red	53 1/2	54 1/2	55 1/2
Corn, No 2 mixed	40 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Oats, No 2 white	25 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Chicago.			
Cattle, best steers	3 1/2	3 3/4	3 1/2
Common	1 1/2	1 3/4	1

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One case Men's Heavy Underwear.....	29 cents	One case Dark and Light Striped Outing Flannel (3 cents for).....	5 cents
Ten dozen Men's Wool Fleeced Underwear.....	74 cents	Cotton Flannel, heavy and fine.....	8 cents
One lot of Men's Wool Kersey Pants.....	79 cents	38 inch Wool Serge 39c. Lonsdale and Fruit Bleached Cotton.....	7 cents
One lot Men's Ulster Overcoats.....	\$3.75	Prints 4c. Ladies' Cashmere Wool Hose worth 37 1-2c for.....	23 cents
One Better lot.....	6.75	Just received: another lot of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloaks, prices \$2.75 to \$15.00; also another lot of Fur and Astrakhan Capes, 7.50, 10.00, 12.50, 17.00, 20.00 and \$22.50.	
Two cases Men's Calf Balls Shoes.....	99 cents		
Sixty pairs Ladies' Button and Lace Shoes (small sizes 2 1/2 to 4).....	99 cents		

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NOVI LOCALS.

Two dancs each perched on a chair, held, suspended in the air, a string. They said it was a telephone. With deceptive words and melody, was string to catch the youth, who now admit it as a trill.

Two "suckers" that the girls were after. They caught them, and roars of laughter, we croak.

Adelle Devereaux is sojourning at Mrs. H. H. Jones.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. E. Goodell visited Milford friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Smith are visiting relatives in Ohio.

The official census gives Kimmis a plurality of 618; Watson 1,356.

Mrs. Jas. Palmer entertained her brother and other friends Sunday.

Henry Wight will probably engage in gospel mission work in Detroit.

It is rumored that W. B. Francis of Northville will soon remove to Novi.

This town has 512 school aged children and will draw \$212.16 public money.

Mr. and Mrs. Delos Leavenworth spent Thanksgiving with friends at Howell.

Jay Hazen has started his feed mill, with the assistance of Mr. Krumm and his engine.

Thanksgiving services were held at the Baptist church, Rev. Brundage preaching.

Miss Lillie and master Willie Tingle spent last Sunday with friends near South Lyon.

Miss Nina Clark and Fred St John of Milford were the guests of Lizzie Taylor Sunday.

The bible day exercises at the Baptist church Sunday were well attended. Proceeds \$6.48.

John and Eugene Root have been spending two weeks with their brothers at Cass City.

Religious services at the W. Novi school house four evenings this week, beginning Tuesday night.

Mrs. Lyman Perrigo, who has been spending a week at her former home here, has returned to Detroit.

Harry and Lulu Bogart spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. McGuire at South Lyon.

It is about time to begin preparations for Xmas trees, entertainments, etc. What are we to have this year?

The West Novi school is prospering finely under the management of Jas. Halstead who is well liked by his pupils.

A select company surprised Mrs. B. L. McCrumb and Floyd Parker last Wednesday night. Pleasant time reported.

Hon. A. N. Kimmis was called to Cassopolis on account of the severe illness of his mother-in-law who lays at the point of death.

One of our citizens allows a colt to run about our streets, tearing up lawns etc. We may hear of a complaint being made to the proper authority ere long.

A. N. Kimmis Jr. will sell his entire lot of stock and tools at public auction

on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 10 o'clock, at ten a. m. with lunch at noon. See bills for full particulars.

The Russian cream separator, or steam, and the champion churn are for sale by F. E. Quigley. Every dairyman should get full particulars from him. Catalogue free.

We suppose the parties from West Novi who had their turkeys stolen last week will not have a roast for Thanksgiving. Well such is life; some do the work and others reap the harvest.

Mrs. Bathrick had five turkeys stolen Tuesday night. People mean enough to steal from that lady are not too good to board at Jackson for a while. They are not fit to live among civilized people.

It has never occurred since Judge Patterson was elected that all Court officers were republican but after Jan. 1st, he will have to claim exclusively with republicans, but it won't make any difference, whatever to the Judge for they are all his friends.—Holly Advertiser.

On the 2nd of Nov. a little dog, shaggy and mouse colored, answering to the name of Chaney was lost. Yes, lost, and has not found his way back yet. As this is the week of Thanksgiving the dog should return to its owner, Mrs. Phil McCrumb, and enjoy the festivities of the week.

Alonso Dodge, who has been sick for several weeks, died Friday, Nov. 23. Funeral services held at the Baptist church Sunday morning, conducted by the pastor, Mr. Brundage. A large concourse of relatives and acquaintances assembled to pay the last tribute of respect to the deceased and family.

The members of the WNDC highly appreciate the help given them by the publication of their programs in the Record and would greatly enjoy a visit from the whole office force some fine evening. They would be given "front seats" and the "freedom of the city."—[Thanks, they're coming.—Ed.]

Sam Bassett, our Jersey dairyman, lost a valuable cow last week. Sam seems to be a victim of misfortune. A few weeks ago he lost eight hogs caused by an overfed of peas. About two weeks ago he killed a fine porker and put it in his new cellar. Next morning pig was gone, and now the cow is lost. Three times out and we should hope.

From A. W. Hovey, superintendent of the poor, we learn that the number of inmates in the County House is about 50. Between the sexes there are more males than females. This is a permanent County institution, supported by taxation, and as such is of interest to the people. The farm is not large but is one of the best and most productive in the county. The expense of the care of inmates is about 50 cents per capita in excess of the farm supplies.—Gazette.

G. M. Wight and F. E. Quigley, one fine morning in November, took a notion to go hunting. They were tired of the small game near home and their aspirations went out for big game, such as deer, bear, etc. They boarded the F&P train armed and equipped for Hutton and its vast range of country where big game roam at large. Not long after their arrival on the hunting grounds they started up a deer. Charley and Quig both fired—somewhere—then took in the woods

after it, supposing of course they had an animal. After traveling forty-five or forty-six miles (Quig says "I don't know") been forty-seven in the excitement of the chase he didn't note the distance exact they overtook the deer which had lain down to rest, but when they came in sight it sprang up and took its back track. Quig was ahead and saw it coming and thought it was after him. He turned and fled for all he was worth and when he came up to where Charley was he shouted: "Run! Charley, for your life, the deer is after us!" This account comes well authenticated. They boarded one of the "don't-stop-at-Novis" on their return and had to get off at Wilcox coming home from there by the way of Foot & Walker line getting here tired and hungry, a sad contrast to their brilliant departure. P.S. One little incident we forgot to mention Quig was telling in the post office about his killing a little animal, which upon inquiry he learned was a porcupine. He thought what a lot of "tooth picks" its quills would make and visions of wealth fairly danced before his eyes. But alas, his spirits fell when he read in Dick's show case "500 tooth picks for three cents." Now if you want to see a shadow come over Quig's face just ask him, when he is going hunting for big game again. It's time to run when you ask it though.

An unusually interesting session of the WNDC was held last Saturday evening. Some of the speakers were absent, but those present seemed to endeavor to do doubly well to make up for the loss. The exercises were well rendered and special mention should be made of the fine violin playing of Johnnie Green who is a little prodigy in that accomplishment. He was accompanied by his brother Lon. A vote of thanks was given them for their excellent addition to the evening's entertainment. The question of military instruction in our public schools proved to be especially interesting and the gentlemen discussing it all spoke so well that it was difficult to decide which side was best handled. The affirmative was victorious, however. It was decided by vote of the society to regularly open and close the meetings with singing by the audience and Miss Rose Wade was chosen to act as organist. A motion to apply the society funds to reseating the school house was laid on the table, to give the members time to consider the proposition before voting pro or con. Miss Dunham as executive committee submitted the following program for Dec. 1:

Usual business.
Answers to queries.
Music—Lulu and Harry Bogart.
Reading—Mrs. Richardson.
Recitation—Will Wilson.
Vocal Solo—Miss Congdon.
Impromptu—N. A. Clapp.
Recap.
Collection of queries.
Reading—Mrs. Harmon.
Recitation—Harry Bogart.
Violin Solo—D. Gage.
Critic's report—Mrs. Wade.
Ten min. talk "Frogs"—Mr. Johnson.
Discussion—Question: Resolved that in view of the present condition of hostilities between China and Japan the president of the U. S. was justifiable in offering to perform the office of mediator. Affirmative: Kimmis, Clapp, Dunham, Wade. Negative: Johnson, Gage, Leavenworth, Courter.
Music—Mr. Gage.
Appointment of ex. com.
Critic—Lulu Bogart.

SCHOOL NOTES.
Vacation in our schools Thursday and Friday on account of Thanksgiving. One day to eat turkey and another to recover from it. See?

Our teacher will spend the vacation with friends in Oxford and then attend the teachers institute at Pontiac on Friday.

Birds net and Hazel Coats were absent this week on account of sickness.

We had another new scholar this week, making a total of 38 enrolled.

The sixth grade will soon finish translating maps of the U. S. We have now maps of Africa, Germany and some of our own groups of states.

Miss Wallace, our teacher, is very popular among her scholars, who seem to be doing very nicely in their studies. Kindness seems to be a pretty good substitute for severity, in handling a school successfully.

Notice to Novi Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that on each Thursday, during the month of Dec. I will be at the Novi Town House and at Wilcox each Friday of said month and at Northville the 15-22 and 29 of said month for the purpose of collecting taxes. ARTHUR JOHNS, Treasurer of the Township of Novi.

FARMINGTON.

All the stores closed Thanksgiving day at noon.

Wm. Thomas will soon be ready to start his feed mill.

Lawyer John D. Harger of Detroit was in town a part of this week.

Mrs. Wm. Knowlton has been to live with her son at Livonia Center.

Miss Aggie Buno of Milford is the guest of relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Gen. Tremper of Pontiac was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. E. J. Tremper, over Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Tremper has returned from Pontiac where she has been caring for a sick sister-in-law.

Mrs. John Pinkerton and son Tom of Northville are guests at the parental home of Mrs. L. Power.

Mrs. C. E. Allen has returned from Pontiac where she has been visiting her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Hylcomb entertained Mrs. H's sister, Miss Emma Sherman, over Sunday.

Harvey Haywood of Wayne was entertained Sunday at the home of L. C. Philbrick and wife.

The Methodist prayer meeting will be held Friday evening this week instead of Thursday, the regular evening.

A meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in the Methodist chapel to make arrangements for a Christmas entertainment.

Mrs. E. D. Grace speaks in a very moderate tone, or rather, no tone at all—merely a whisper, caused by a severe cold.

The Universalist society are making preparations for a Christmas entertainment to be held at the church on Christmas eve.

The teachers of our high school with quite a number of the pupils will attend the teachers' association to be held Saturday at Pontiac.

The YPSU will hold their next meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 6, at the home of L. C. Philbrick and wife. All are cordially invited to attend.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the needle and hammer social to be held this Friday evening at the home of F. J. Smock. The entertainment is under the auspices of the "Torch Lights."

Mrs. E. M. DuBois of Detroit returned to her home Monday after a few days visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Hogle. Mrs. DuBois was formerly a resident of this place and her many friends were glad to welcome her in their midst again.

Glad to hear from you again my most esteemed Novi correspondent even though receiving such an accusation. However am glad you have missed me, or rather as you term it my "spas." Will make the promised call at my earliest convenience.

The LU will hold a social Saturday evening, Dec. 8, at the town hall and dispose of a fine rag carpet which the society has made. A literary program is being prepared for the occasion. A social program will also be served to all for the sum of ten cents. A pleasant time is expected and all are cordially invited to attend.

The teachers of this town and vicinity met last week Friday evening at the home of Charles Pettibone and organized reading circle. Their next meeting will be held Friday evening, Dec. 7, at the home of Samuel Lamb. These meetings will not only be of interest but instructive as well and it is hoped that all will attend and assist in the work.

Calvin Lapham and J. W. Hatten made happy their escape Monday morning while driving a span of untrained horses. On going south from the Owen hotel, about ten rods from the turnpike, the colt sprang into antics and caused its mate to cling to the side walk and high board fence. Meanwhile Lapham and Hatten landed on sure foundation toward Northville, but were soon at hand to right up things, which proved to be but a lively scare.



GIVING

THANKS.

This is the time of giving thanks and while everybody else is doing their duty in this regard we want to get in line and take this opportunity to thank our many friends and patrons for past favors. We assure you that we appreciate your trade and aim to merit it. Without any bragadocio we wish to say that we have been well pleased with the liberal patronage we have received, still we could do more, and as we are human, we are anxious to get all the GOOD TRADE we can, and do it on the square. We don't want it on any other terms; and we hope by square dealing and low prices to obtain a share of the patronage of those who have not as yet favored us.

6 lbs new raisins.....	25c	Lion Coffee (New grades).....	25c
5 lbs corn starch.....	25c	Catawba grapes.....	05c
3 lbs (Choice) candy.....	25c	Malaga.....	20c
New French Prunes 10c.....		Cranberries.....	10c
" (Good) currents.....	08c	Florida oranges.....	30c

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STATE OF MICHIGAN,
COUNTY OF WAYNE, (S. S.)
At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Detroit, on the thirteenth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety four, Present, Edgar O. Berlee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of HENRY TOSSEY, deceased, Francis G. Terrell, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, having rendered to this court his first administration account. It is ordered, that the eighteenth day of December next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for examining and allowing said account. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Northville Record a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne. EDGAR O. BERLEE, Judge of Probate.
(A true copy.) HOMER A. FLINT, Register.

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