

THE NORTHVILLE RECORD.

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HEAR 'EM BELLS?

The American Bell Foundry Company at Work.

MADE THEIR TRIAL CAST ON MONDAY.

The Work Successfully Started Off on Wednesday Afternoon.

Northville's newest industry, the American Bell Foundry has commenced operations. The first casting trial was made Monday but as was expected the patterns swelled and shrunk enough to make the first bell imperfect. Though notwithstanding a hole in one side of it its tone was very sweet, far surpassing even the

high, painted with three coats of white paint, or vacate the main streets.

A Dundee Knight of the razor has erected a barber pole 33 feet high in front of his shop. Great feat that—regular Trial.

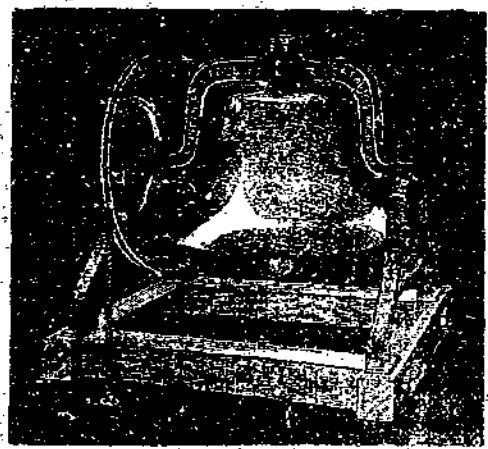
Wonder how much the Ash Arbor Courier gets for publishing the ad "Of Interest to Ladies" and then again we wonder if the editor ever read it?

Chas. Hannan of Wayne was accidentally shot in the neck Tuesday, with a floater rifle, by another boy while camping near Belleville. He may not recover.

Milan's great electric light outfit for lighting the village proves to be a single street light, and that is furnished by private enterprise. The council are economizing.

The Enterprise of last week gave a very glowing account of the Epworth League group meeting in Farmington last week. A number of Northville Leaguers took part in the meeting.

Louis Follet, the popular chief clerk of the passenger department of the DL&N RR, has been promoted to



makers' anticipations. On Wednesday the work was begun in earnest and four very pretty bells were the result. From now on the work of casting bells will be pushed to its fullest extent. The company expect to cast from one to forty bells a day and they will weigh all the way from forty pounds to one ton each. The bells are made of steel making them more durable and sweeter toned than brass bells and at the same time nearly one-half cheaper.

The new foundry is equipped with torrets and all the latest improved machinery and methods for handling and making the castings. Mr. Becker, formerly with one of the largest bell foundries in the west has charge of the foundry department and Mr. Diagona with the same company for several years is in charge of the office work and sales department. Both are experts at the work and hustlers for business and therefore the success of the new institution is assured from the start. The company already have a large number of orders ahead and more are coming daily.

NO COMPETITION THERE.

The Northville Post-office Doing a Rushing Business.

The Northville post-office is one of Uncle Sam's best payers. It is one of the places where the receipts are far in excess of the expense.

For the year ending June 30 the total receipts of the office including box rent was \$3,906.54. There were 2,400 money orders issued and 900 paid. The number of letters registered was 480 and there were 200 received. During the period not a money order or registered package has been lost.

It is safe to say that in but very few, if any, villages in the United States of 2,000 or less population does the post office receipts amount to as much as in Northville.

The business is somewhat larger than last year which may be taken as an evidence of more prosperity in business circles in general.

Suburban News.

Congressman Aitken would like to be governor about next year, maybe.

The Wayne Review acknowledges the necessity of running "dead ads" to save expenses.

After a good sized damage suit is on their hands the Fowlierville city dads are fixing up the corporation sidewalks.

The Observer is authority for the statement that day is now drawn into Fowlierville in wheel barrows instead of wagons.

Oxford has ordered the Bell telephone company to replace their poles in that village with new ones—50 feet

all the vacancy made by the resignation of General Passenger Agent, Geo. DeLaven.

Senator Warner of Farmington was seen carrying back and mortar one day last week in a Daddy style, demonstrating the fact that he could tend a garden as well as the business of the state legislature.

A cat with a mouse in the collar made a Miffard lady think there were burglars going in and she pulled the patrol box for the whole police department. The lady does not know which she would have been the most frightened at, the mouse or the burglar.

Plymouth had a successful baby show last week. There were thirty-five entries. Zedora Kennedy was voted the prettiest, and then thirty-four mothers were read. The judges finally left town on the midnight train and will return after the floods roll by.

The overflow from Fenton's public drinking fountain meanders down through the beautiful streets and avenues of the village at a remarkable rate forming vulgar mud holes which call for a righteous kick by the inhabitants thereof. The people want a sewer or no fountain.

A Newygo doctor, was called in a hurry the other night and, though nearly wide awake, for some reason he didn't get the right name and in his confusion endeavor to administer some chloroform he woke up about half the families in the village before the really sick man rang in a second alarm.

The Record says of its celebration on the Fourth: "Nor was there a quail or profane word heard, or an unforgotten person seen." That's because the Record man was too high in the air—couldn't hear or see—Plymouth Mail.

Well Gray, you don't suppose the Record could keep an eye and ear on you and everybody else too, did you? We supposed of course that you would believe.

Holly people are having more fun than a box of monkeys over the stereographic reports of antics of the village council as published in the Advertiser. Their funny business don't seem half so funny when it's laid out before them in cold print. The village president is in for having the Advertiser choked off together with the city marshal. The Advertiser however is a slayer.

It is said that Oliver Perry will have over 1,000 bushels of peaches this season. Many trees are weighted to the ground with their burden of fruit. Orion Review.

This will surprise people who had formed the opinion that between the growth and the sex serpent there was nothing left around Orion this year except woodchucks and bags.

Hor and Harvey are having a hot and heavy debate this week in the windy City on the silver question. The debate furnishes interesting reading, and if closely followed, may lead to a little wider information on the over-worked silver question.—Fenton Independent.

Yes, and it may make bigger fools of

CUT ME OUT!



It will be a reminder that we are sole agents for Chase & Sanborn's "Seal Brand" Teas and Coffees. (The very finest of importations.) And for the celebrated Padang Java Coffee, the best medium grade Coffee on the market.

That we have an elegant line of Ceylon, Oolong English breakfast and Japan Teas.

That we have a magnificent display of everything to please the eye in our Crackery Department. You are especially urged to come in and look us over in this department whether you wish to buy or not.

That we have a fine assortment of Ladies and Gents Pocket books, Purses and Wallets.

That our line of Toilet Soaps is complete.

That we have a good assortment of Stationery including pen and pencil Tablets.

That we have a big line of Harmonicas.

That we lead with everything in Fruits and Vegetables.

That we have the biggest and best stock of General Groceries in town.

That we are the leaders in Fine Confections.

In fact we are the people that cater to the people's wants, and

That we want to see you.

Rollin H. Purdy,

Northville, 88 Main Street.

as than over. Both these gentlemen will get a good bit more of silver any way or another out of this debate than we will.

WILL DEDICATE IT.

The Big India Mission Bell to Be Given an Appropriate Send off.

The big bell which the American Bell Foundry Co. are to cast here within the next week or ten days for the India Mission is to be given a fitting send off here on August 20th in the shape of a dedication. The exercises will be of a public character and will probably take place in the Methodist church or in the open air. Among those from abroad who will be present are Mrs. Louise South who has charge of the missionary work at the point in India where the bell is to be sent; Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Potts of the Michigan Christian Advocate and Miss Franc Baker secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Michigan. Well known local speakers will assist in the exercises.

The Record will from week to week keep its readers posted on the detail of the proposed dedication.

Annual Petoskey Excursion via D. L. & N.

Will be run this year on Thursday, August 29th, affording an opportunity for everybody to visit the resorts of northern Michigan with little expense. The train will run as usual via Grand Rapids and the West Michigan "Scene to Lake," the popular route to Charlevoix, Petoskey and Bay View.

The beautiful scenery along this line north of Traverse City is alone a sufficient attraction to make the trip a delightful one.

Tickets will be good to return on all regular trains until Sept. 7, inclusive. Train will leave Plymouth at 8:05 a. m., stopping at Grand Rapids 30 minutes for dinner and arriving at Traverse City at 5:45 p. m., Charlevoix 8:45 p. m., Petoskey, Bay View 9:50 p. m. Round trip rate to either point \$5.00.

Stops will also be made at Manistee crossing (for Manistee), Thompsonville (for Frankfort), and at all stations north of Traverse City, to let off passengers. Baggage will be checked accordingly. No stop-off allowed on tickets. There's great fishing along the line north of Traverse City. Take your fish line with you.

L. M. FULLER, G.C.P.D. Northville, Mich.

MID-SUMMER SALE.

REDUCED PRICES ALL ALONG THE LINE ON

Men's Boys' Clothing

ALL SUITS
ALL HATS
ALL SHIRTS
GO!

IN THIS OUR

Clearance Sale.

M. D. GORTON & CO.,

92 Main St., Northville.

CRACKERS.

V. Crackers 7c, 4 lbs. for 25c
Snow Flake 5c, 6 lbs. for 25c

Mother's Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce.

They are very nice and only 5 cents a can.

Heisel Brand Potted Ham, 15c can
Fruit Flavored Eudine, 10c
2 pounds Prime Roast Beef, 25c

Celery, 2 heads for 5 cents.

A Big 3 pound can of Home Baked Beans, 10c
2 cans of Salmon, 25c
Hire's Root Beer, 10c
A good three string Broom for 20c

Fruit Cans. We bought ours before the rise and can do you some good.

TRY THE NEW FRUIT KEEPER. IT IS THE BEST THING YET OUT.

B. A. WHEELER'S.

94 Main Street, Northville.

10 CENT BARN. A rare opportunity for farmers to stand or feed their horses when in Northville. Go to the 10 cent barn. Water works connection.

Perfect Cleanliness. Most Skilled Attendance. These are what you get at PETER CONNELL'S (Northville) Hair Dressing Salon and Barber Shop.

Perrin & Tafft, Props.

...PAINT... WHEN IN NEED OF

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Turpentine, Japan Dryer, Machine Oils, Asphaltum AND Roofing Paint

GIVE US A CALL. Come to the Free Band Concerts Saturday Nights. GARPENTER & JOHNSON, 95 MAIN ST., NORTHVILLE.

Manilla Binder Twine 7 cents

AMBLER MERCANTILE CO.

Northville, Mich.

**A Whirl
In Hats!**

**For One
Week Only!**

Commencing **FRIDAY, JULY 26**, we will sell any **Stiff or Soft Hat** in our store, for one week.

AG 1-4 OFF.

All Straw Hats will go at cost.

Now's the Time to buy and we are the people to buy of.

M. N. Johnson & Co.

Union Block Clothiers, Northville.

New Goods! New Goods!

AND WHAT ARE THEY?

The nicest line of

Dining Chairs!

In Leather and Cane Seats. It is worth your time to examine those "up to date"

Cobbler Seat Rockers!

Beautiful Brocaded Parlor Suites!

Get our prices, sure,

Sands & Porter

The Northville Furniture Dealers. Undertakers.

PURELY PERSONAL.
NORTHVILLE

E. W. Taylor was home over Sunday.
Miss Eva Sackett of Radford is visiting Mrs. Daly.
Mrs. Tower went to the city for a day this week.
Bert Trippensee spent a few days in Toledo last week.
Mark Ambler is attending the races at Detroit this week.
Mrs. Geo. Lake of Wilcox was visiting in town this week.
Mrs. Neal visited Mrs. D. P. Yerkes at Milford Wednesday.
Miss Minnie Reed is expected home from Newaygo on Tuesday next.
Mr. Rich and wife of Lansing have been visiting at the parental home.
Royal Starkweather and Floyd Northrop spent Sunday in Pontiac.
N. H. Power and family of Detroit were guests of Northville friends this week.
Messrs. C. A. Gardner and Ed. Merritt made a flying trip to Pontiac Tuesday.
Mrs. M. Bovee and daughter Mae have been at Bay View for several weeks past.
Mrs. Peter Cook has returned from Midland where she has been visiting her son Ben.
Misses Myrtle Phillips and Lydia McRoberts were Milford visitors on Wednesday.
Mrs. Ed. Webber of Hilledale is visiting among Northville relatives and friends.
Mrs. Smith and daughter Minnie left yesterday for a visit in Pontiac and vicinity.
Mr. O. King and son, Ray, spent a few days of this week at the home of Geo. Bayson.
Miss Lizzie Rutledge of Bay City is the guest of her sister Mrs. Chas. Reed for a month or so.
F. D. Adams, Dr. J. M. Swift, E. S. Horton with their families are resorting at Walled Lake.
Swift family of Brooklyn, N. Y. is at the home of his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Swift.
Rev. C. C. Turner spent several days this week with his wife who is visiting at Port Huron.
Frank N. Clark and family leave Saturday to occupy their summer cottage at Walled Lake.
Mrs. M. K. Seely and daughter Bessie are spending a few days with J. M. Simmons and family.
G. E. Waterman and wife leave Thursday for a few weeks outing with their parents at Sand Beach.
E. S. Neal expects to leave for Chicago this afternoon to be absent until Tuesday or Wednesday of next week.
Mrs. A. J. Simmons, Master Willie and Miss Edith are visiting friends and relatives in Port Huron and vicinity.
M. R. Seely left Monday night for Syracuse, N. Y., in search of Holstein cattle for the Feeble Minded Institute at Lapeer.
Messrs. C. D. Clark, B. G. Filkins and Robt. Waterman biked out to Whitmore lake on Sunday. They report a very pleasant trip.
M. F. Stapleton is expected home from his three weeks vacation on Saturday. He rides the wheel from Cassopolis home via Grand Rapids.
Fred Wager and wife of Clyde, Ohio, were home over Sunday. Fred is running a good sized laundry in that town and we are pleased to learn that he is doing a prosperous business. Lee Wager of Detroit was also home

Reed's Bargain Store!

We Have to Do It!

On account of my continued illness, and prospects not flattering for my being any better for some time, I have concluded to take a partner in my business, and to meet his capital our stock must be reduced at least \$1800 and now for 30 Days you can buy at ACTUAL COST and so thumbing ever pair of Shoes in our store, every yard of Carpet, every roll of Wall Paper and every piece of Crockery at just what it cost. Do you understand that this is a chance seldom offered. Look, Look!



Men's 75c Shirts at 47c. Men's \$1.25 Pants at 79c.
Men's \$1.75 Shoes at \$1.27. Ladies Seamless F.B. Hose only 10c.
Misses' and Children's Fast Black, Ribbed Hose 10c.
Ladies' \$1.50 and \$1.75 Shoes at only \$1.27.

And still you can get the great bargain, 10 bars of excellent Soap for 25c. A Jam up good Tea at 20 cents a pound. If not satisfactory you can return it and get your money back. Try it; it is good. Do you want to save a few dollars? If so, come to our store.

ADAM W. REED.

87 Main Street. NORTHVILLE.

We do our work as well as any one.

We do it better than some do theirs.

We do it at prices as reasonable as anybody's.

Merritt & Co., Jewelers.

Fine Watch Repairing a Specialty. 85 Main Street, NORTHVILLE. Opticians.

Sunday Excursion to Saginaw and Riverdale Park.
The F. & P. M. R. will run an excursion to Saginaw, Sunday July 25. Train leaves Northville 8:25 a. m. Returning leaves Saginaw 6:20 p. m. Fare for round trip \$1.00.
H. E. LAKE, Agent.

HIGHTAROFF OR LOW TARIFF
does not interest the individual who is suffering from Colds or diarrhoea. What he wants and wants badly is Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure. 25c and 50c. C. R. Stevens.

SHORTSIGHTEDNESS.
To waste your money on vile, dirty, watery mixtures compounded by inexperienced persons, when you have the opportunity of testing Otto's Cure free of charge. Why will you continue to irritate your throat and lungs with that terrible hacking cough. When C. R. Stevens will furnish you a free sample bottle of this great guaranteed remedy? Hold a bottle of Otto's Cure to the light and observe its beautiful golden color and thick heavy syrup. Largest packages and purest goods. Large bottles 50c and 25c.

DON'T STOP HIM!
He has a bad attack of colic and is making for Stevens' drug store after a bottle of Foley's Colic and Diarrhoea Cure. 25c and 50c.

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.

81 MAIN STREET. Clothing of all kinds Renovated and Pressed in the latest style.

HATS.

Men's and Boys' HATS at HALF PRICE.

We are getting into shape for Fall trade. We find that we have too many lines and will close our the Hat stock this week. Beginning Saturday we will sell all Men's and Boys'

HATS at Just HALF PRICE.

This Means:

10c Hats05c.	\$1.00 Hats50c.
25c Hats12 1-2c.	1.50 Hats75c.
50c Hats25c.	2.00 Hats1.00.

HOLMES, DANCER & CO.,

The New Store, - - - NORTHVILLE.

HOLMES, DANCER & CO., NORTHVILLE.

BATTS DIRECT from the FACTORY.

We have just received several hundred pounds of Cotton Batting. We have eight different grades at prices from 5c per roll upwards. We have the best batt in the market today. The

ELECTRIC.

This batt is recommended for weight, cleanliness and purity. No old rags in Lindsey's. We also sell

PEARL and PARAGON.

Batts and other grades which we will show you when you call.

TERMS: CASH, No Goods Charged.

HOLMES, DANCER & CO., NORTHVILLE.

Some great values in Summer Goods are still offered.

They are going fast, but had a large quantity.

It will pay you to look them over and buy for future use.

CASH MERCHANDISE.

WITH WOLVERINES.

BRIEF ITEMS ABOUT MICHIGAN PEOPLE AND THINGS.

St. Clair Visited by a Destructive Storm.

The Marquette County Mines Strike. Forest Fires Still Continue to Burn. Michigan Visited by a Destructive Storm.

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Large Amusement Centre at Detroit.

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HERE AND THERE.

VARIETY OF NEWS ITEMS FROM VARIOUS PLACES.

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THE FIEND INCARNATE.

Eight Murders are Now Said to be the Deed of H. H. Holmes.

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REBELS WINNING.

Spaniards Defeat in Cuba - Campos Reported Wounded.

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MICHIGAN HAPPENINGS.

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THE MARKETS.

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REVIEW OF TRADE.

Review of Trade. The week's work is not entirely satisfactory, but it is the most natural...

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A GOOD APPETITE

Indicates a healthy condition of the system and the lack of it shows that the stomach and digestive organs are weak and debilitated. Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful power to tone and strengthen these organs and to create an appetite. By doing this it restores the body to health and prevents attacks of disease.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the only true blood purifier prominently in the public eye today.

Hood's Pills

Are the after-dinner pills and family cathartic.

Amos' character is born with him, he gets his reputation from other people.

Burdock Blood Bitters is nature's true remedy for constipation and indigestion. It acts directly on the bowels, the liver, the skin, and while cleansing the blood imparts strength to the digestive organs.

STOP IT NOW!

Stop It Quickly, Just the Same as Did Mr. Charles H. Hoffman, of 132 Ton Eyck Street, Jackson.

If you have a pain in your back, stop it! A lame back, stop it! An aching back, stop it! Do you want to know how? Let us tell you. In the first place, never try to force yourself of pain without knowing the cause. If pain or ache exists there is a reason for it. Find out this reason and get after it. Strike cause a stiff blow with the right weapon, and its ailment will be like a leaf blown off the wind. To get right down to it, backache is indicative of kidney disorders. A key placed there by nature. Listen to his warnings and take up the weapons, strike before disease is reinforced with allies that can not be treated by heat of man, such as Druggists' advice. Do not let this ailment get so bad that you have to resort to other means. It is a slow but sure.

Mr. Charles H. Hoffman is from the M. C. R. and resides at 132 Ton Eyck Street, Jackson, Mich. He says: "I have suffered for a long time from a kidney ailment which has at times rendered me incapable of work; have been at the hospital for my complaint and discharged from there as cured. But the ailment has invariably come back again. Some time ago I heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and began taking them, with most gratifying results. My urinary complaints which bothered me greatly are very much improved, and the pain and stiffness in my back has entirely left me. My general condition is much improved. I would not like to be without Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I think others should know what a valuable remedy it is."

For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-McMillan Co., 233 Broadway, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remedy Co. of the U. S. and take no other.

SWAMP KIDNEY, LIVER & BLADDER CURE.

Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y.

IMPERIAL GRANUM

IT IS THE BEST FOOD FOR INVALIDS

JOHN CARLE & SONS, New York.

VASELINE PREPARATIONS.

It is the best of all ointments for the United States with the principal ones of the very many useful and effective articles made by this Company. It is the best of all ointments for the United States with the principal ones of the very many useful and effective articles made by this Company.

BLOOD POISON

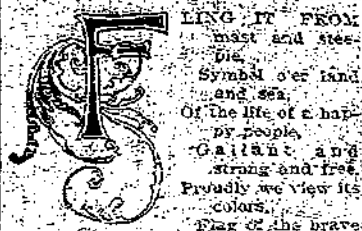
A SPECIALTY

Dr. J. C. R. & Co., Chicago, Ill.

VETERANS' CORNER.

CAMPFIRE SKETCHES FOR THE OLD HEROES.

Captain William E. Jones, of the Forty-second O. V. L., to Make a Pilgrimage to the Battlefield on Which He Was Captured.



With the clustered stars and the steadfast stars.

The red, the white, and the blue.

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MR. WIGGLESWORTH.

HERE it left gleefully cried Mr. Wigglesworth, running to his window.

Mr. Wigglesworth followed in a flutter. It was her birthday, and she had been hoping since morning that her husband would remember. She saw a fat, red-faced man loading a tall sorrel horse into the yard.

"What's that? Is it Ellery?" she asked in a mild wonderment.

"What is it?" asked Mr. Wigglesworth, smiling. "It's a horse of course."

"What a fine horse!" she said, looking at the animal with admiration.

"Oh, yes, of course," said Mr. Wigglesworth, holding his hat and fork and end, addressing the sideboard.

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He Will Not Drown Himself.

R. W. Edwards, of Lansingburgh, was prostrated by sunstroke during the war and has entailed on him peculiar and serious consequences.

"What shall I do?" wailed his wife, wringing her hands.

"Do you get an axe and chop his blasted head off!" he said, and set a wood saw and a block in his hands.

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THE LOST LETTERS.

An English merchant was notified by his agent that a check for \$500 would be sent to him by the next mail.

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FOR SATURDAY AT T. G'S.

One case Standard PRINTS in Light, Dark and Blues, 4c.
One case CHALLIES All Colors, 2c.

Just 4c.
Just 2c per yd.

Just the thing to make up Comfortables and Quilts.
To go with the above I will sell

Two cases China White BATTES at 9c.

Just 9c.

The Biggest Cut in REMNANTS, and LIGHT WEIGHT
Goods ever offered at T. G's. Busy Big Store.

T. G. Richardson,

THE CASH OUTFITTER.

F. & P. M. R. R.

TIME TABLE
To effect June 22, 1895.
Trains leave Novi as follows:
STANDARD TIME
GOING NORTH: Train No. 1 8:55 a. m. Train No. 3 12:15 p. m.
GOING SOUTH: Train No. 2 9:10 a. m. Train No. 4 1:30 p. m.
Drawing Room Cars between Marquette, Saginaw and Detroit.
Connections made at Detroit in Union Depot for all points South, Canada and the East.
W. S. NICHOLSON,
Agent, Novi.

NOVI LOCALS.

Mary had a little lamb
That trotted by her side,
But when she got her blossoms
He tumbled down and died.

Mrs. J. S. Taylor Jr. is quite ill.

Chas. Rice has gone to Pontiac to seek employment.

Miss Lizzie Taylor is spending a few days out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Biery entertained company from Northville on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Strong of Walled Lake spent a part of the week with Mrs. E. J. Doolittle.

Phillip Bridge and Mrs. James of Detroit were guests at Frank Pratt's over Sunday.

Amazing services will be held at the Baptist church as usual, during the absence of the pastor.

Vegetation of all kinds shows the effect of the recent rains in its highly improved appearance.

Rev. J. J. Tinker and family are occupying a cottage at Long Lake during their vacation.

The social on Friday evening was well attended. The profits were a little more than four dollars.

The bridge over the river at Novi has been rebuilt and is a great improvement over the former structure.

Mrs. J. B. Leavelle's son has returned from Nebraska where she has been spending some time with her daughters.

Mrs. Samuel Spencer and Mrs. Stella Kingsbury spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends in Plymouth.

E. F. Onizley received the largest mail on Saturday that has been received by any one in Novi. The weight was 100 pounds.

Mrs. P. McCroft was called to New Hudson on Friday last to attend Geo. Huger, who is dangerously ill with typhoid pneumonia.

The boom of the threshing machine is beginning to be heard in the land and the ubiquitous traction engine is ready to strike terror to the hearts of nervous equines and ditto drivers.

A well known farmer near Wixom went fishing during the recent drouth, and said that the party kicked up such a dust on the lake while trolling that they were obliged to quit and go home.

Novi was short from center to circumference last Friday by the announcement that H. H. Jones had been appointed postmaster vice R. M. Tourey resigned. Mr. Tourey could no longer remain in the office on account of the above contingency, which seemed to render his long

FARMINGTON.

Lyman Spencer is quite poorly.

Mrs. Melvin Newton is entertaining a sister.

Mrs. John B. Bapham is very low at this date.

The school house furnace has been undergoing repairs.

Mrs. Palmer Sherman reports a pleasant visit to Canada.

Miss Lena Eisenberg is visiting Miss Helen Duncan at Plymouth.

Miss Rhoda W. Sherman has been spending the week at Southfield.

Lester Vincent of Milford is being entertained at the home of Frank Reynolds.

Prof. Field, a former teacher in our school, was a Farmington visitor Sunday.

E. R. Edwards has resigned his position as janitor in the Methodist church.

Miss Jennie M. Hayes of Detroit is visiting the Misses Stella and Nina Chamberlain.

Mrs. Will Stone and daughter of Long are visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Miss Grace Hitchcock is visiting at Northville, the guest of Elizabeth Dingman and family.

Many thanks for your call when in Farmington my fair sister of Novi's Room department.

Prof. George McGee, wife and daughter of Reading, are the guests of Thos. McGee and family.

Another horse race will be held Friday July 20 at the fair grounds by the Farmington driving club.

A most enjoyable time was had by the L. U. one day last week at the pleasant home of B. B. Northrup.

The Misses Mary and Lella Sowle left Monday for Ridgeway where they will visit for about two weeks.

Miss Lulu Aldrich has returned to her Detroit home after a delightful visit with Farmington friends.

Mrs. Mary Hodges and children of Kalamazoo are visiting the former's parents, Jas P. Allen and wife.

Mrs. Cora Murray and Mrs. Jas. L. Hoyle were at Orchard Lake one day last week making arrangements for their summer outing.

Miss Lottie Ward has returned to her home in New Hudson after a two weeks visit at the home of her grand parents, B. B. Mosher and wife.

Miss Minnie Cory of Detroit is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Hugh Reel.

Mrs. Chas. Murphy has been quite sick but is now slowly convalescing.

Rev. C. E. Allen of this place and Rev. Mr. Ninde of Wyandotte will exchange pulpits next Sunday. Mr. Ninde is a son of Bishop Ninde, formerly of Detroit.

A lawn social under the auspices of the Epworth League, will be held this Friday evening at the home of J. G. Francis. A pleasant time is anticipated and all are cordially invited.

WIXOM.

Selyer Johnson and wife are visiting in town.

Mr. Perrigo from Owosso is visiting his mother.

Mr. David McFadden took a trip to Detroit on Monday.

Mr. Willis Braughn was in Northville Wednesday on business.

M. Bogart's sister of Detroit is visiting at his home for a time.

The rains and cool weather have made everyone much happier.

Wm. Mayhew is having a car of rye drawn here by Virgil DeMont.

Dr. Baber's green lawn is a great credit to the water works he has in his yard.

The crusaders have struck Wixom again with their yearly visit, but not to stay.

The 1st and 3d Thursday of each month occurs the L. U. M. meeting of Wixom Biv.

Next Sunday evening occurs the monthly E. U. services at the church. A fine program is always prepared.

Mr. and Mrs. Glover of New Hampshire arrived on Tuesday of this week for a month's visit with his brother, Glover of Wixom.

Nearly every day brings the campers carriages to Wixom from Walled Lake for accommodations on the railroad to Northville and elsewhere.

Wixom is as pleasant a little village as can be found and we are as proud of our advantages in regards to railroads and business as any town can be. Come and see us Mr. Editor.

This summer there has been added to Wixom, the thriving village, several new branches of business among the number being a carriage and farming implement shop, and also an artist, as the berry-pickers have had a fine picture taken. Wish we were favored with a copy.

MEAD'S MILLS.

John Barber was home over Sunday.

Ray Rogers was a visitor home over Sunday.

Charles Eckels and wife are visiting at Wm. Eckels.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Thornton were at C. Rogers last Sunday.

Jerry Matthews is working with a team in Detroit on public works.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Stevens (Sundered at Wm. Sauvages in Dixborough).

R. Benton's running horse seems to be in training again. Perhaps another race is contemplated.

Wm. McRobert's delay in approval of the tenants' methods of doing business in the city so he came home.

Your correspondent attended the baby show at Plymouth on the 19th. Over thirty babies were in the exhibit.

The reservoir will not be cemented until the banks settle. The water was turned on Wednesday that it might sink into the pebbly sand banks and cause them to do so.

SALM.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Mosher in the loss of their little child last week.

Dr. George A. Waterman of the Connecticut State Agricultural College arrived here on Saturday for his annual vacation.

The severe drouth had so lessened the supply of milk at the cheese factory that it was thought best to suspend operations for a time at least. The drouth however has been getting black eyes for the past week about every alternate day so that now a prosperous future seems assured for the growing corn and potato crops and for late oats. Everybody is jubilant over the showers we have received.

Messrs. Thompson and Street delegates from the Y. P. C. of the Congregational church at Pelee's Corners to the recent national convention of that society at Boston, returned on Friday of last week and by request of Pastor Shaugon they occupied the hour of Sunday morning service. Submitting quite a full report of what they saw and heard at the convention. The large audience was thoroughly interested in their report.

Mrs. Aaron Dean whose sickness has been mentioned frequently in this correspondence, died at her home in this village on Wednesday of last week. She had been a great sufferer for many months. She was an early settler in this locality, having come to Michigan with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett, about the year 1832, being only six years of age. Her father settled about one mile west of here on the farm now owned and occupied by his grand-son, John D. Bennett. She was married to Aaron Dean about the year 1848. She is survived by her husband, and one son who resides in Detroit and one daughter a resident of Kansas. Mrs. Dean was a kind hearted, christian lady, who had the esteem and respect of her entire circle of acquaintance. The funeral took place at the Baptist church on Thursday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. H. Benton, assisted by Mr. Shannon, her own pastor; Rev. Mr. Conrad, being out of town.

Annual low rate excursion to Petoskey this year via D. L. & N. and C. & W. M. Rys. will be on August 20th. Tickets good until Sept. 7th to return. Rate from Plymouth is \$5.00. Ask agents for particulars or write to L. M. FULLER, Chief clerk, Grand Rapids.



There's only one thing that can be said in favor of the boots—they make a man forget all his other sorrows.—John Billing.

Trading at the "BEE HIVE" goes a great way toward helping one out of a tight place, for several reasons.

- 1st. We guarantee everything we sell.
- 2nd. If anything bought of us does not give satisfaction, we cheerfully make it right.
- 3rd. We buy the best goods and sell at fair prices.
- 4th. We pay cash for our goods, and get the benefit of cash discounts.
- 5th. We gladly welcome all, only asking that we have our pay promptly for what we sell.
- 6th. We cheerfully do all in our power to accommodate our patrons.
- 7th. We cordially invite you to share your trade with us.
- 8th. We will use you square.

Yours respectfully,
L. W. Hutton & Son.,
THE LEADING GROCERS.

COAL. COAL. COAL.

Saturday is the day to order your COAL and take advantage of the LOW PRICE.

We shall sell Coal for SPOT CASH ONLY.

We shall also continue to make the CORNER HARDWARE STORE HEAD-QUARTERS for everything in our line at Prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

W. G. YERKES,
Successor to KNAPP & YERKES.

A very few dollars will pay for a ticket to Petoskey and return on the D. L. & N. and C. & W. M. excursion August 20th. Tickets good ten days. Ask agents or write to L. M. FULLER, Chief Clerk, Grand Rapids.

Sunday Excursions to Delightful Places.
Another opportunity will be offered on Sunday, August 4th, by the D. L. & N. R. R. for you to visit Island Lake, Detroit or Grand Ledge with little expense and enjoy a delightful day at one of these popular resorts.

WONDERFUL! MARVELOUS!
Are expressions frequently heard about cures effected by Chilo-Kidney Cure. Do not fail to try this great remedy for any kidney trouble. C. R. Stevens.

Spiritualist camp meeting is open at Island Lake, and aside from that the place possesses great attractions for excursionists. Everybody knows what pleasant places Grand Ledge and Detroit are.

You Need a Vacation
And the best place to spend it is in Northern Michigan. Take advantage of the D. L. & N. and C. & W. M. excursion to Petoskey August 20th. Rates are very low and tickets good ten days. Ask agents about it.

Special train will leave Plymouth for Detroit at 10:20 a. m. Round trip 50c. Leave for Island Lake and Grand Ledge at 8:45 a. m. Round trip 35 and 75 cents. Returning trains will leave Grand Ledge and Island Lake going east at 7:00 and 9:00 p. m.; leave Detroit going west at 7:00 p. m.

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