

# THE NORTHLVILLE RECORD.

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## TEE HILL CONTEST.

SOME 20 CYCLISTS UNSUCCESS-  
FULLY TRIED IT SATURDAY.

Planned for Friday,  
May 22.

Aggregated Saturday  
the efforts of our local  
sport to climb Buck-  
horns were nearly twenty  
attempts a dozen of  
the same distance.

W. H. Yerkes succeeded  
it a dozen feet farther  
than others. About twenty  
wheelmen tried the  
day but with poorer suc-

cess.

Hill to be cleared of stone and  
Friday evening another at-  
tempt made. There will be  
prizes put up for this oc-  
casional climb nearly an  
hour's time.

A. Porter, G. H. Tap-  
ton, Neal will set up com-  
munications the time will  
be up; the entry fee 10cts  
to any wheelman and  
the United States.

AN SCIENCE,

ENTER TALKED ON

SUBJECT

an Church Sunday

night.

Mr. Hetherer's announcement

Sunday morning that he would talk on

Christian Science in the evening drew

out an unusual large audience. Every

room was full, every chair in use and

some stood outside. The text

was "Earnestly contend for the faith

once delivered to the saints," and in

substance he said:

I realize said he, that I have sensitive na-

tures with which to deal. Instead of taking my gloves off, I propose keeping them on.

Those who were offended with the logical

minister a few years ago when he was preaching

on this subject were not consistent with

their own belief. Besides, they ought to

be willing to take a hard blow as they give

though they often denounce the doctrines of

christianity as "false and foolish" and christians as "bigots and hypocrites." I shall not

retaliate. On the other hand I wish to admit

that Christian Science contains much that is

true. It would be well if we all realized

that excitement, passion, anger and rage do

not cease with the passing emotion. But bear

in mind that it is not only in the formation of habit, but

also in physical weakness and disease. It

must also be admitted that some of the cures

claimed by Christian Science are valid, but

they only prove that we do not fully ap-

preciate the influence of the human mind

upon the physical nature. A consummate

knowledge is known to improve in strength, and

when developing the idea that his

was increasing daily. A great pow-

er sometimes has as much effect as

when the patient does not know

as sugar, androgynous generally dis-

either temporarily or permanently dis-

ease of the disease's tools.

All the cures that Christian Science

claims do not prove that the divine has been

ever in effecting them, much less that the

miracles has been performed, but only that

the powers of the human mind are greater

than we suspect. Christian Science un-  
doubtedly and unintentionally deceives

and thereby cures many

of the disease's tools.

The teachers for the school for the

coming year with amount of salary

paid to each, will be as follows:

D. C. Blits, principal \$1,000.

Carrie L. Kelbourne, preceptress 400.

Belle Cover, 7th and 8th grade 400.

M. J. Ableson, 6th 350.

Emma L. Alexander, 5th 300.

Mabel G. Clark 4th 300.

Irene W. Greer, 3d 250.

Annie M. Blair, 2d primary 250.

Susie E. Wooley, 1st 300.

Total \$3,650.

The new room, requiring an additional teacher, causes the total amount to reach \$300 more than last year.

Wixom News.

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Asel Heath is visiting at his brother

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John Harding and family visited at

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Ben Burch's father, Wm. Burch is

very sick at his home in Milford.

Rush Cummings made a trip to Pon-

tic on his bicycle one day last week.

Mrs. Sutton from Highland comes

to this place with her millinery goods

every Tuesday.

Cornelius Barrett of Charlotte came

here to attend to some business and

had a stroke of paralysis since he

came.

W. H. Yerkes, our station agent and

postmaster, is away this day inter-

ested in the annual meeting of the

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## NEW STORE ON CENTER STREET.

S. S. Schantz Will Start in the Ball  
Block Next Week.

S. S. Schantz, formerly of Schantz  
Bros. of Woodland, has leased the Ball  
store at 78 Center street and will open  
the same next week with a general  
stock—dry goods, groceries and shoes.  
Mr. and Mrs. Schantz come to North-  
ville highly recommended both in a  
business way and in social circles. Mr.  
Schantz is, as the name implies, of  
German descent and speaks that lan-  
guage very nicely. They have moved  
into the B. A. Northrop house corner  
Dunbar and West street.

## THE WORK OF WOMEN.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MIS- SIONARY SOCIETY.

At the Wayne Baptist Association  
Meetings Yesterday.

The Wayne's Missionary society of

the Wayne Baptist Association held

their annual meeting here yesterday.

In the morning Mrs. Burgess, secretary,  
gave an extended and interesting  
report of the society's doings for the  
past year; the president, Mrs. Wilcox,  
gave fraternal greetings; Mrs. E. L.  
Beale a reading paper on "Our workers in  
foreign fields." Half-hour devotional service concluded  
the morning session.

After a half-hour's devotional service  
in the afternoon, Mrs. K. C. Northrop  
delivered the address of welcome  
which was responded to by the pres-  
ident. Mrs. West read a condensed re-  
port on "Foreign Missions," Mrs. E. L.  
Beale on "Foreign Missions" and then  
Mrs. F. Flint responded with a very  
pretty solo. "The model woman" by  
Mrs. W. A. Banglin was very interesting.  
The local W.C.T.U., the Methodist  
and the Presbyterian societies gave  
greetings.

In the evening in addition to the  
singing and devotional exercises

Miss Jessie Fielden sang a very sweet solo.

Miss Tuckner made a touching "Please  
for foreign missions" and then Miss

Louise Tourteau gave the address of

the day.

The address was a fine one well delivered and was chock full of entertainment.

This concluded one of the most suc-

cessful meetings of the society held for

years. There were some fifty delega-

tes present besides a large attendance  
of interested people.

### THEY WILL TEACH.

Northville's Young America Instruc-

tors for 1896-97.

At a meeting of the school board  
Friday night it was decided to give  
the position of preceptress to Miss Kil-  
bourne of Lansing, a former U. of M.  
student, to succeed Miss Ben who de-  
clined the place for another year.

Miss Alexander, a former well known  
teacher, has accepted the position of

instructor in the new room. The

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## About Memorial Day.

Editor Record.—At a regular meeting of  
Allen M. Harmon Post, held May 8th,  
a committee was appointed to make request  
through the columns of your paper, that in  
memory of the one hundred and ten thousand  
and seventy (110,070) who fell, killed on the  
field of battle, of the two hundred and sev-  
enty-five thousand, (275,000) severely wounded  
and of the three hundred and thirty-five (335,  
755) whose remains rest in the eighty-three  
national cemeteries, in behalf of those yet  
remaining who wear the uniform of our  
country and who revere the uniform of May  
as a day of national mourning, and also in  
memory of 94,000 killed and 230,000 severely  
wounded who wore the gray.

Memorial day may be so observed that  
the friends and relatives of those gone before  
may have cause to say that this people  
have forgotten the trying scenes of the  
days from 1861 to 1865.

The old veterans will well know that the  
base ball club have a perfect right to play  
ball on that day, but would most respect-  
fully ask the manager to be so kind as not to  
make arrangements for a game on that day  
but wait until the day in memory of the  
dead is over.

Committee from J. R. LOWDEN,  
Allen M. Harmon, AUGUSTUS JOYNER,  
Post, No. 828, James McHale.

## YOUNG AMERICA REMEMBERED.

### Children's Day Under the Biggest Show's Big Tops.

If there were no children there would  
be no circus, which requires and self-  
evident dictum we supplement with the  
remark that the management which most generously recognizes this  
shining truth accumulates the most  
singular shacks. That the head centers of  
the grand circus of the grand Hippo-  
polis and the Adam Forepaugh and Sells  
Brothers' seventeen years ago were  
the most magnificient infants. They are exhibited in a huge tank filled  
with water and hose on the grand ring  
in front of the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' consolidated  
menagerie, circus and Hippodrome—the  
greatest aggregation of separate  
shows, by the way, ever concentrated  
under one management. The acrobatic  
maneuvering of tropical animals has  
necessarily been a problem of the greatest  
difficulty and the resultant aggregate  
loss is enormous, but those equatorial  
beasts, even more sensitive to cold, than monkeys, have been gradu-  
ally trained to lie in water of almost  
any temperature. While these hippo-  
polans cannot be said to rival the  
Maid of Athens in beauty, they are  
enormous and fearfully and wonder-  
fully made curiosities, the like of which  
never be again seen in this vicinity.

Half rates on railroads.

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

TIME TABLE

In effect Nov. 24, 1855.

Trains leave Northville as follows:

(STANDARD TIME)

Going South	Train No. 1	Going North	Train No. 2
Train No. 1 10:22 a.m.	3 4:30 p.m.	Train No. 2 1 3 4:30 p.m.	Train No. 1 10:22 a.m.
6 1:15 p.m.	3 9:10 a.m.	6 1:15 p.m.	3 9:10 a.m.
5 2:45 p.m.	5 7:15 p.m.	5 2:45 p.m.	5 7:15 p.m.
6 3:30 p.m.	6 7:45 p.m.	6 3:30 p.m.	6 7:45 p.m.

Train No. 1 connects at Ludington with Steamer for Milwaukee during season of navigation, making connections for all points West and Northwest.

Steaming and Faster cars between Bay City, Saginaw and Detroit.

Connections made at Port Huron and Detroit in United Depot for all points South, Canada and the East.

For further information see time card of this company.

Through tickets to all principal points in the United States and Canada are sold at lowest rates.

Biggs' express office.

H. E. L. Agent, Northville, Mich.

E. S. NEAL, Editor and Prop.

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Drawing Room Cars between Manistee, Saginaw and Detroit.

Connections made at Detroit in Union Depot for all points South, Canada and the East.

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New York railroads are now controlled by stock companies, the same as our trunks, and they must smash 'em either

Some scientists intend to go to Mexico to study stars. It is said it was for that that Pepe Meyer ever there wasn't.

General Webster's work is deteriorating rapidly, but there can do

no less than worse. After all, it is not calm and peaceful.

The man who wrote "After the Ball" has been sued for damages by a actress. It appears to be a case of screecher vs. screecher.

Sabine M. Armstrong has to pay the State of New York \$1,150,000 for selling chloroform, the "fertilizer" of Hayes' Congress, will be considerably covered.

A shortage of thirty millions has

been discovered in the production of the leather and silk in the leather and silk industry.

It's the same in politics as in other business. The "boss" is always off to the people to do his own way, while they don't hold him responsible.

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## FOR MCKINLEY.

REPUBLICANS OF MICHIGAN IN CONVENTION

At Detroit Instruct Delegates to Vote First and Last for McKinley. D. L. Ferry, of Detroit, New Chairman of the State Central Committee.

The Michigan Republican state convention to elect delegates to the national convention and to choose a chairman of the state central committee was held at Detroit, the opening session being called to order by Dr. A. W. Smith, chairman of the executive committee. A vote was given, the large assembly a stirring speech by the section chairman, Depew. That gentleman received a big ovation and his speech aroused great enthusiasm.

After prayer Senator O. A. Jones of Hillsdale, was made temporary chairman and Frank T. Dodge of Detroit, temporary secretary. Committees were then named and a recess taken.

The Auditorium was completely filled and nearly every delegate in his place when the convention assembled. Telegrams of greeting were received from Indiana and California Republicans endorsing McKinley. It was then passed the wills of the delegates.

Resolutions of thanks to the chairman and secretary of the convention were adopted, and then with three great big cheers for William McKinley, of Ohio, the convention adjourned.

The American people, from coast to coast, are in favor of bimetallism, and the Republican party demands the use of both gold and silver as standard money, and demands that all debts, whether due to the government or to individuals, shall be payable in gold or silver. But the government has been buying gold and silver, and the result of its purchases is to increase the amount of paper money in circulation, the American system of money based upon gold and silver without advantage to either, at least in my judgment.

We demand that the silver coinage issued by the government shall be redeemable in gold or silver at the touch of the government, and that the return of the silver coins shall be made to the Union, the money favored by Lincoln.

We are opposed to the issuance of interest-free money, and we oppose the policy of Grover Cleveland and John G. Carlisle in contracting the sale of government bonds, thereby taking the people's money and giving it to the enemies of the people.

J. C. Gray, of Kalkaska, and F. W. Gilchrist, of Alpena, were named presidential electors-at-large without a contest.

The selection of a chairman of the Republican state central committee brought out a rather peculiar contest. It was pretty generally believed that Mayor Purdee, of Detroit, desired the selection of Gen. Alger while his opponents in the gubernatorial race favored Hon. D. M. Ferry, of Detroit, but when the two were named communications were read from each denouncing the honor. Nevertheless the various districts continued to support either one of these two without naming another candidate, and finally Gen. Alger's name was withdrawn and Mr. Ferry was chosen with great enthusiasm.

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### POLITICAL NOTES.

Maryland Democrats will select national delegates June 10 at Baltimore. At Morrissey, Md., May 25, the White-side county democrats will hold their convention.

In Democratic primaries at Aurora, Ill., thirty-seven county delegates in favor of Altgeld and free silver were elected.

Republicans of the forty-fifth Illinois senatorial district will hold their convention May 19 at Mount Vernon.

Daniel F. Jones has a majority of fifty-two delegates thus far over Colonel Harrod in the Arkansas democratic gubernatorial race. One-third of the counties have held conventions. Some candidates are free-silver men.

Members of the Ellison Club committee have engaged three floors of a large building opposite the Southern Hotel to accommodate members who will attend the national republican convention at St. Louis. Seven hundred coats will be placed in it.

The unofficial returns show F. B. Doran, republican candidate for Mayor of St. Paul, secured a plurality of 3,253. The republicans elected their entire ticket, 311 the members of the assembly, and 31 but no alternates can date.

After ten years of private life, ex-Governor O. H. Astor, of Texas, has re-entered the political arena. He will ask sound money Democrats to support him as the successor of Governor Calhoun, the leader of the silver, democ-

rats. He scored the Dem-McKinley democratic primaries by a large majority, thus placing Polk county in the Buoy column.

The free silver democrats have won on the primary issue in Chicago.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

As a result of the inquest held upon the remains of the late Colonel Nothnagel, a verdict of death from natural causes was returned. A physician testified that he had previously shown symptoms of heart disease, which he asserted was the cause of the colonel's death.

Miners at Ironwood, Mich., have made a demand for an eight-hour day. Trouble is expected.

Notices have posted in the mills at Bedford, Me., announcing a reduction of 10 per cent in wages, effective May 10. This will affect 2,500 employees.

The attorney general of Wisconsin has taken steps to annul the charter of the Wisconsin Electro Medical College, of Milwaukee, charging that no teacher is qualified to teach there.

Twenty-four females employed by the American Packing Company at Kansas City are on a strike for \$2 for eight hours' work. The company says new men will be employed.

The burial of George W. Laduke, of Green Bay, Wis., was postponed to admit the public to the services.

With a clutch of documents from his Republicans, soon drew the delegates away from the anti-slavery platform. "Look at our convention," he said, "how much more resolute than we are the slaves. Don't believe this is the only way to save the country. We must have an industrial and social basis restored."

The principal restorer of the principles of the American party is James C. Blaine, and of his restoration as a candidate for president, the following is the opinion of the nation:

"Whatever modifications the system of our industries may receive, this is the only way to save the country. We must have an industrial and social basis restored."

The principles of the American party are to be upheld, as will secure the party of values of the country, and the restoration of the principles of the American party is the best guarantee for the safety of the nation.

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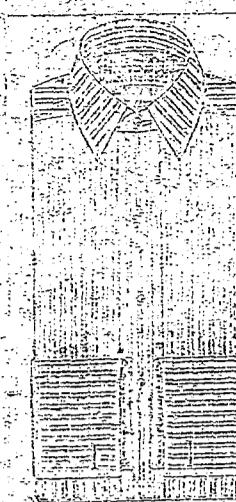
## ...Shirts

Saturday we will show you our new line of Shirts at prices from

50 cents to \$1.50



New Line of



THIS SHIRT 50 CENTS.

## Collars and Cuffs

JUST OPENED.

All the new things out this season, we are showing in

## Straw Hats

At 25 cents a garment we defy competition. Before buying ask to see ours.

Have you been thinking about buying you a New suit this spring? We are over-stocked with Clothing and can save you money. Come and see us, we will prove our assertion.

## Clothing House

## Do you intend papering this Spring?

If so why not give me a trial? If you are not acquainted with me or my work ask for references (best given). I am prepared to do all kinds of

Wall Papering and Tinting  
House Painting, Graining  
Calsoining, etc.

Special attention given to Ingrains and all high grade papers

**C. A. BLAIR, The Decorator,**  
30 Wing Street.

## LEADERS

THAT  
STAND  
THE TEST

Champion Binders and Mowers  
Oliver Chilled Plows  
Monarch Gasoline Stoves  
Sherwin-Williams Co's Paints

All sold at the old reliable Corner Hardware

The easiest running Lawn Mower made is the "New Departure." Try it, or a "Velvet."

Imperial Corn Planters  
Hammocks  
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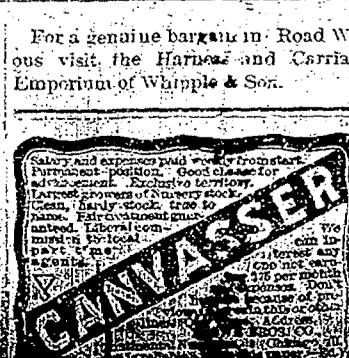
Don't forget summer necessities

**YERKES & HARMON,**  
Corner Hardware.  
Northville.

**MILLER'S  
MEAT  
MARKET.**

Fresh Meats,  
Smoked Meats,  
Salt Meats.

A. Miller Prop.



Reed of Flint.

Mrs. D. F. Hartenberger Novi was a guest at the home of Mrs. F. S. Neal yesterday.

Miss Emma Brokershaw of Oxford was the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Priest, one day this week.

G. C. R. and R. H. Bedford of Lenior are making an extended visit at the home of their mother, Mrs. J. Bedford.

A. D. Brooks attended the grand Lodge K. of P. meeting in Jackson this week in company with E. C. Stark.

Mrs. Hazen who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. T. Thornton, returned to her home in Ypsilanti Saturday.

Among the latest boys as bicycle riders are John Hirsh, B. A. Wheeler, E. S. Morton, C. J. Ball, P. E. White and Geo. Huston.

Twenty Detroit wheelmen dined at the Park house Sunday noon. The Detroit papers of Monday said they had an elegant dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vredenburg were called to Novi Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. H. A. King of Detroit, an aunt of Mrs. Vredenburg.

D. B. Northrop moved to his new home on Plymouth avenue, which has been under going some marked improvements of late preparatory to the reception of its owner, Dr. McPhail has moved into Mr. Northrop's city residence.

Carl Capell, for a year past job printer in the Record Printery, left Tuesday to accept a similar position in Bornman & Son's big Detroit office at an advanced salary. Carl is a faithful and competent workman and will no doubt make rapid advancement in his profession.

Charles Reed moved his family to Gillett Block this week. There are nine in Northville but whom will be sorry to lose this family from our midst. Mrs. Reed and the two children were special favorites everywhere and their departure is regretted on every hand.

A Mr. Lockhart of Detroit has purchased the Charter fruit farm and now occupies the same. He intends making some needed improvements thereon and anticipates being able to supply the demands of Northville people this year for table fruit. Mr. Lockhart has moved into the Miss. Reed's house.

Following from the Wrightland news refers to Mr. Schantz who commences business here next week. Schantz Bros. have decided to move their store of goods to Northville, where they have secured a good location. They will hold greatly to the stock and carry a general line. S. S. Schantz will conduct the business alone and as he is truly a hustler and going to a hustling town we can safely be peacful for that although success. While we are exceedingly sorry to see Mr. Schantz and his family leave Woodland we feel satisfied that Northville will secure a business man and a family that they may well proud of.

Dr. M. A. Patterson came up from Northville Tuesday and straightway headed for the office of the Brewster Manufacturing Company. He said that when he left Northville he promised to come back with a bicycle, and although he had never attempted to ride one he would ride through Main street on his arrival home that night. He was put in care of Lyle Eisenberg who had him riding through the streets alone in a half hour. His happiness was complete when he laid down the price and rode away with a Brewster bicycle. Holly Advertiser.

Miss Bovee is the place for everything in Ladies Underwear. Give her a call before purchasing.

Fly Nets now is the time to buy them and be prepared a first-class stock to select from. Whipple & Son.

Yea! I Have It

and I saw that big red bill poster name of "Farming." Just for fun I will give \$1.00 and one year's study in the best agricultural work on earth and I will get it from Huff the Croft & Reed's Soap man and I am also agent for the Metal Back Album Co.

A. S. HUFF, Northville, Mich.

Box 301.

Detroit Sunday Excursion.

May 25th, the D.L&W R.R. will run another of their popular low rate excursions to Detroit, leaving Plymouth at 11:05 a. m., and arriving at Detroit at 11:45. Returning train will leave Detroit at 7 p. m. Rate 50 cents.

In addition to the many other attractions of the City, an opportunity will be given to hear the Chicago Marine Band in a grand afternoon concert at Bennett Park. This will be a delightful treat to lovers of good music, rendered by this, the "Greatest popular music band" in the country. Admission will be 25 cents.

Geo. DeHaven, G. P. A.

Cure for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sicknesses yield to its influence. We urge all who are affected to procure a bottle and giving this remedy a fair trial.

In cases of intestinal constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels and preventing long rest in the use of this medicin. A bottle of this medicine costs only 50 cents.

For cash we have made the following cut prices for laundry:

Newest of the New

Swellest of the Swell

Finest of the Fine

John Kelly's Fine Shoes for Ladies have Style, Wear and Fitting Qualities all combined and they cost no more than inferior makes. Try one pair and you will buy no other. Every pair warranted.

We are also agents for W. L. Douglas Men's Shoes. The best in the world.

**STARK BROS., The Shoemen**

**A Change**

Will be seen in

**Merritt & Co's**

By looking in their window.

Silver Plated Ware may please you better than Sterling Silver Ware. We have both also the finest and best selected stock of Jewelry, Watches, Clocks and Art Novelties. We also handle Fine Stationery, Books and Magazines. Consult us before buying.

BICYCLES.

Leading  
Jewelers, Booksellers,  
Opticians.

**MERRITT & CO.**

New Livery Firm

Having purchased James Slater's entire stock and livery business and leased the barns occupied by him, we are in a position to accommodate the public with

A First-Class Livery and Feed Barn

and a 10 cent hack to and from all trains. Asking a fair share of the public's patronage, we are yours to please.

Taff & Fenn.

Northville.

**The Easiest  
Running Bicycle**

to be found in Northville, or any other village is

**THE CONCORD**  
\$50.00, \$55.00, \$65.00, \$75.00.

These are strictly High Grade. We are manufactured in Detroit and are safe here exclusively by myself.

Easiest running Wheel in the town; delivery guaranteed; and the price is the lowest.

**JOHN HIRSH, Northville.**

"Carmaline."

Parties wishing to see the celebrated young station "Carmaline" will find him at the livery stable of Taff & Fenn.

**INHALATION  
TOBACCO ANTIDOTE**

COSTS ONLY 50 CENTS.

Cures all Tobacco Habits in Three Days. Sold by MURDOCK BROS.

**ROGERS' MILK ROUTE**

DELIVERS

PURE  
CREATED  
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.

Also all kinds of Fancy Creams, Water Ices and Charlotte Russe.

**J. M. DIXON,**

Northville Greenhouse,

Is prepared to supply all kinds of decorative Plants for Cemetery, and for Private Gardens.

Cheap.

Cut Flowers and Baskets of Flowers for Decoration Day.

Please give your orders in time—they will be

Just as Cheap.

Tomato, Celery and Cabbage Plants Cheaper than ever.

**New  
Cash  
Prices**

At Webber's Laundry

For cash we have made the following cut prices for laundry:

Shirts, 10 cents straight.

Collars, 2

Cuffs, pair, 4

Handkerchiefs, 2

Underwear, silk, 4

Coats, 15

Vests, 15

Neckties, 4

Ladies' Waists, 1

and other articles in proportion.

DRY LAUNDRY

**J. MILLER & CO.**

Remember we carry a full line of....

**Fresh**

and

**Salt**

**Meats**

PLEASE GIVE US A CALL.

Cash Paid for Butter, Eggs, Milk, Potatoes, etc.

# To Gown The Town!

Will be Our Effort Next Week.

8-yd Pattern Novelty Dress Goods

At \$1.57 the pattern.

8-yd Pattern Novelty Dress Goods

At \$2.97 the pattern.

8-yd Pattern Novelty Dress Goods

At \$3.77 the pattern.

14 Styles in Black Figured, Plain, Black Printed Warp and Persian Silks, Bright, New Goods, worth 80c per yd., go on Sale Saturday.

At 49c per yard.

## For Men

SATURDAY AFTERNOON,

7 doz. Good Overshirts--the 4c kind

At 24c Each.

## Holmes, Dancer & Co.

The Cash Dry Goods House, Northville.

## MURDOCK BROS.

OSFER

## Paris Green

at lowest market price

## Household Ammonia

Our own brand. Just the thing for house cleaning purposes.

## Gatt's Poultry Food

The chickens need a spring medicine as well as a man. Feed, Pint's and the chicks will be healthy. Also get out.

## 2000 Dust

for them to roll in length

## DOOK'S PHARMACY

I recite up, sir, 62 Main Street

## NIVILLE LOCALS

This precisely emplified ball news on first page the strong players' batting per cent. With a ch from his news about the bicycle race next week Friday

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## PENINSULARITES.

### NEWSY NOTES OF PEOPLE AND THINGS OF MICHIGAN.

**Lighthouses and Cloudbursts Cause Loss of Life and Property in Various Sections.**

**Fire at L. & N. Destroyed over half the Town Leaving Many Families Homeless.**

**Lightning and Lightning.**

There was a cloudburst three miles south of Tecumseh along the track of the Lake Shore railway. For one-half mile the bed of the railroad was completely washed out, and half-jets were carried about like spouts. Two girls who witnessed it say they never saw anything like it before in Michigan. Water six inches high four feet deep, and two miles west of Tecumseh, was about half a mile wide.

A heavy electrical and rain storm came in inverse order, a steady rain beginning at 10 A.M., and at least three different types of electric phenomena were observed. The lightning was described as being like the鎶e of Dr. E. L. Austin's suggested setting fire to a rice wharf, and began occupied five minutes after the rain stopped.

At 12 m. a house belonging to the Kinsella family of Marshall, the Ossian hotel, Frank Johnson's, Post marked, and M. C. O'neill's, and George Luckey's homes were slightly damaged.

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Lewis Aiken of Kingsland, aged 74, was bound over charged with criminally assaulting his 10-year-old granddaughter.

While climbing a tree at one of Coopersburg's camps near Newberry John Ashland, a cook, fell and broke his neck.

The Detroit & Mackinac has 200 men at work on its Bay City extension, the role of grading has been completed south of Oberon.

Quinn & Sons' elevation at Crosswell was badly damaged by fire. The grain and other contents were sealed with water.

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Jeremiah Klemmer, the wife of Portland, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. He is 82 and she 70 years of age.

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Thirteen deaths have occurred in Newaygo since the socialist uprising.

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### OUR LAWMAKERS AT WORK.

**SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY.**—The bond resolution passed, and thus, by the decision of 10 to 9, the senate inaugurated an investigation, to be conducted by the senate committee on finance, into the facts and circumstances connected with the sale of U.S. bonds by the secretary of the treasury during the last three years. The trial was very hot, involving an interesting, set-to between Senators Palmer of Illinois, West of Missouri, and Gandy of Missouri. Mr. Palmer resisted the Republican candidates for the presidential nomination and was silver against "gold" conventions to combat the Democracy to save. Mr. West took a turn at President Cleveland's administration for alleged use of federal officials to combat Democratic conventions, notably in Michigan. Mr. Gandy also participated in the closing session opposing the resolution.

**SEVENTH.**—The Transvaal.

London. It is said that President Kruger of the South African Republic has in his possession, altogether 54 secretaries of the captured cipher dispatches may be gauged from advice recently given by Sir Ferenc Robinson to the imperial government which had issued an order from him to make an examination of those captured by the Transvaal.

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# HOLY SIGHT BEACON LIGHT

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## CHAPTER I.

The waves came rolling in fierce and sullen clatter against the sharp rocks that formed the precipitous shore of a small island, far away amidst the Pacific group, little known and rarely visited. The anger of the storm still manifested itself in the hoarse bay of the sea, while the moaning of the wind, retarding the water to white caps of foam, eddied merrily along the shore and beat the fury of the elemental strife had passed, for where now the wild clouds were trooping away, showed in the west a broad line of swelling blue. As the despairing wretch grieves the mind that sets him firm upon the nadir of joy—as the parched and panting desert traveler hails the music of the fountain's dash—as dying creatures seize at life—so was the sight of that patch of fair sky—that island green and fresh as hope—releaved with transport by the ship-wrecked remnant of a stricken-and-sunken company who but a few hours before had worked in fearless security on the deck of what was now a dismasted, broken wreck, ploughing, tossing, gazing—not safe for the best of sea-folk.

Of a freight of forty souls four hundred creatures alone survived, and these had been drafting to and fro clinging to the rubble which had been washed from the deck, and forthwith a few served grim bidding upon the long-snaked coral reef that extended from the island, lengthening more.

"Courage, sir; don't tell you never say die? I reckon by this time old Keno has dried out his dolphins. I could make a whole account of that old batch, and the righting up, with you."

"Be still—what do you know about me?" said he. "I tell you this casting upon a desolate, wretched island is a crown for a life that has never seen a fair cope that has not turned to ashes in my grasp—that has endured more misery than once of your temperament has failed to think about. Just now—! had but one feeble ray of comfort left in me—the hope of educating that boy to escape from such a life as mine. And this is the end of my hope—wrecked, nearly naked and destitute, on a desolate, lonely island, to perish miserably as I have lived—and you talk to me of the gratitude I owe!"

## CHAPTER II.

Tom Harris dropped the limp little hand he held "gave" in pitying wonder upon the cold misery that blighted face depicted, and then said sadly,

"Aha!—there, chaplain! I know nothing about you, so do, he said; but shamed to say they couldn't get out much about their position, because the wind shifted so often and made sooty. Well, well, the Lord will be doing; but I never dreamed not I and these two little ones would be spared from the Gulf that swallowed all the rest."

Here Tom drew his horrid hands from his eyes and heaved a deep sigh, then, with the stress of working thought added quite differently:

"We can't say no more now, I suppose, after fashion, but what we're to do for a change is where I can make out."

Despite his rancorous, Vernon could not forbear a laugh at Tom's piteous, round face.

"At all events we shall be left to our resources; neither tailors nor seamstresses will be likely to molest us."

"I'll hang up my jacket now," twirled Tom for the little girl when her pretty clothes are put in the sun. One thing certain, I can make some native cloth by-and-bye, else I didn't learn right off square Yellow Cloth."

"Make some cloth!" ejaculated his companion in amazement.

(To be continued.)

**Old Platane Worn by Women.**

Americans are abhorring by degrees the fondness of European women for ornamenting their coiffures with decorations of feathers, ribbons or jewels.

Well arranged coils of hair may be a very pretty thing, but the exigencies of an evening toilet demand something more elaborate and fanciful still overtop them. It was with the most dressy of evening gowns that the headdress described here was recently worn. It is now acknowledged to be absolutely the latest and most correct adornment for evening coiffures. High-standing plumes, drooping flowers, and masses of jewels are out of date beside this very striking novelty. It is composed simply of two long, heavy cigarette cases, caught by a knot and bow of velvet, both being of a color to harmonize with the gown. The velvet knot is cleverly designed to give weight to the coiffure, while the drooping cigarette cases form a complete frame for the face. No evening gown will now be complete without its accompaniment of soft plumes for the wearer's head.

Suddenly from the shipwrecked passenger Paul Vernon, grasped with his thin soft fingers the hard brown sleeve of the weather-beaten tail o' "God bless you, honest soul," said he. "I beg your pardon for my ill-humor. On my knees will I beg forgiveness of that overruling Power that has sent me here to be taught by you. Who knows but here my weary, tempest-tossed spirit will find peace and rest?"

He paused, overcome with emotion, while Tom, wringing his hand, said naively:

"I'm sure I'm much obliged to you, sir, for I was a puzzling my wife how I was ever to get along without anybody to help and cheer me up. Now I see all's right, and to be sure, I think we've found a pretty snug berth. Anyhow, we wouldn't change with our poor shipmates, stark and cold in Davy Jones' locker."

Now, you see, I was ashore in Ingleigh on to a yard after the old British Queen was wrecked in that treacherous river of sand-bars, the Hoochah, and I roamed pretty far into the country and I learned a powerful sight more'n I ever knew afore about those trees and plants. I see a breadfruit tree right back of us, and if the worst comes to the worst, why, we'll have a pretty tolerable home here, I'll be bound. We've got tired of each other. We children will make us happy as kids. Besides, I'm tolerable smart for business, the work, and I'm glad you're here."

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