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ATWATER ST. BRIDGE

TOWN MUST BUILD IT JUST AS THE RECORD CONTENDED

A Special Act of the Legislature of 1881 Says So.

The Record has contended from the very start that the township should build the Atwater street bridge. The Record has been corresponding with the Attorney General and talking with well known lawyers on the subject and searching through law books until we found the following special act of the legislature: Act 291:

SEC. 4. "An act to re-incorporate the village of Northville. The bridges and approaches thereto now built or that may hereafter be built across any stream or water course within said corporate limits of said village shall be maintained and built by the respective township at large in which same may be situated, in the manner as though said village was not incorporated."

This settles the matter and now let the town board get a hustle on, and put up the bridge at once. The village tax-payers have enough to pay without doing the township's labor.

HALLOWEEN PARTY.

Twenty-five of Northville's Fair Daughters Indulged.

On last Friday evening, about twenty-five young ladies of the town, gave a party to themselves. It was purely a girls' affair, for they wanted to learn their fortunes, and it would have been terribly embarassing had the gentlemen been there.

The beautiful home of Mrs. James McFarlin was profusely decorated for the occasion with jack-o'-lanterns and ghosts. One-half the ladies were escorted to and from their homes by the other half who were "pretend gentlemen" the and who looked so charming in their brothers' coats and vests as to prove false the statement that "girls would be no prettier than boys, if they wore as plain a costume."

The mystic rites of Halloween were performed and then all sat down to the delicious lunches that each girl had provided for herself and escort, while the supply of apples, chestnuts, popcorn and marsh mallows was unlimited. After the refreshments, Mrs. Long st[illegible] her irresistable waltzes to which the fair ones kept time till midnight. Upon departing, the merry guests were of the universal opinion that the society of gentlemen was not indespensible and the girl who found the thimble in the cake was not so unfortunate after all.

Suburban News.

It's just as we expected;
All along we've told you so—
William sure to be elected;
William never had a show.

A wagon making firm at Pontiac is shipping carts to Montevideo, South America.

Pontiac has a lady barber. She works at the business with her husband at one of the hotels.

Weather prophet Hicks says we are to have a long cold winter with lots of snow and blizzards galore.

The Wyandotte Herald announce that city to be "financially busted until the next levy is available."

The Homeopathic medical department of the U. of M. doubles this year its last year's number of students.

A Pontiac darky protests against being designated as a "colored man" on the ground that his color is natural, not the result of dye. He probably objects to dying on general principles.

Four Monroe lads recently left home to seek fame and fortune a-la dime novel heroes but got awfully discouraged in a few days and returned to the prosaic duties and square meals of home life.

A defective-side-walk-damage-suit against the village of Milford which has been on the tapis for two years and has cost the burg several hundred dollars has just been settled by the payment of $75 to the complainant.

Mr. Bone of Pontiac, is out among the farmers selling potato diggers. It naturally *os cars to one to* wonder how he manages to keep the farmers' dogs from gnawing him.—Northville Record

Probably avoids meating them.—Adrian Press.

A Northville man has given the editor of the Record a 21-pound cabbage. He suggested that it be added to the editorial force.—Fenton Independent.

On the principle that "two heads are better than one" etc., we'll send the next one to you, Jennings.

A Howell young lady injured the middle finger of her right hand so badly last week while fixing her bicycle that the finger had to be amputated above the first joint. This is rather an unusual occasion to be placed in the category of cycling accidents.

A company of South Lyoners undertook to serenade a newly wedded pair, but received a decided set back when the stern parent of the bridegroom appeared with the announcement that the victims of their musical intentions had retired and were not to be "woke up."

Some editors will copy an article verbatim from another paper and allow their readers to think it is their own brain work, yet if you should accuse them of stealing, they would land you in the cooler inside of an hour on a charge of slander.—Delray and Springwells Times.

The Adrian Press man tells a story about an Albion hen that has gone the double standard one better by laying three distinct eggs in one shell. We shall cackleate to have Stearns prove that egg extraordinary fale before we set much store by it or lay much stress on the matter.

The Fowlerville Observer tells about a young man who tried to commit suicide by eating three bars of soap because the girl of his choice refused to marry him. *He failed, just as he* ought to if he wasn't Yankee enough to know that soft soap would be more efficacious—with the girl anyway.

"A subscriber who has not paid for his paper in six years," says a Missouri exchange, "writes to us to know how we stand on the financial question. We telegraphed the sheriff to arrest him until we get our shotgun repaired. We can stand some things, but such brazen effrontery as this is unbearable."

"In a recent spelling contest at Flat Rock, Frank Lautenschlager carried off the honors in spite of 29 contestants H'm! No wonder!" remarks the Northville Record, which shows its ineligibility to compete by dropping an h from Mr. Lautenschlager's name.—Wyandotte Herald.

The Herald is in error. There's no "h" in Frank's name. To be exact, the correct spelling is Lautenslager.

"I was passing this way and just dropped in," as R. G. Allen of Milan remarked when the bridge broke and let him into the Saline river, fifteen feet below, with two horses he was leading. He remarked to the horses, after all had swam ashore, that this had been a cold, wet "fall," and neither horse dared say him neigh.—Adrian Press.

An exchange tells of a dog that has eaten up a farm and all its buildings. *The cur killed a neighbor's sheep.* The neighbor offered to call it square if the dog was killed. The dog's master refused to agree to this and a lawsuit came next. To pay the costs and damages assessed by the court the owner of the dog had to mortgage his farm. The mortgage had a bigger appetite than the dog, and soon his farm was gone and the owner had to move away.

Two Fenton young men with their best girls took a trip to a neighboring town one day lately and one of them stayed outside the ticket office till the other had bought three tickets, when he came in just in time to pay his own fare, and start with the crowd. He is a financier who is sure to make his mark in the world. He was something like the historic young man who took his girl to the fair and while munching molasses candy with great relish was heard to remark: "It's lickin' good Sal; better buy you some."

J. S. Rose brought to this office last week a winter radish which weighed just eight pounds. It is what they call an old whopper.—Fowlerville Observer. That sounds a little bit ambig-uous. Please explain. Did you mean the radish?—Northville Record. Yes, we meant the "radish," but it is too bad Neal, you have our deepest sympathy. How long have you been troubled with amblyopy.—Fowlerville Observer.

That amblyopical disarrangement is purely phantasmatical. It does not require the assistance of an ophthalmological investigation to demonstrate that our orbitonasal division of the trigeminal is capable of an unlimited amount of philological perspicacious-ness. Really, Peek, it's all in your eye.

Hunter's Rates.

To parties of three or more tickets at reduced rates will be on sale from Oct. 25 to Nov. 24 to all the principal hunting resorts in Lower Peninsula. Tickets limited for return trip to Nov. 30, 1896. H. E. LAKE, Agt.

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ORDAINED AS PASTOR

Rev. C. S. Nightengale at the Northville Baptist Church.

Last Friday was a day of unusual interest for the Baptist church of this place, made memorial by the ordination of the pastor, C. S. Nightengale. The council called for the purpose was composed of about thirty delegates representing nearly all of the churches in the Wayne association and convened at 10:30 o'clock a. m. After organizing, with Rev. J. E. Platt of Parshallville as moderator, and Rev. Fred L. Allen of Walled Lake as clerk, the examination of the candidate was begun. Mr. Nightingale, after relating his christian experience and call to the ministry, gave a very full statement of his belief upon which he was questioned at length, the examination continuing through the afternoon. The result was very satisfactory to the council which voted unanimously in favor of his ordination and proceeded to carry out the same at the evening session with the following program:

Reading of Scripture and Prayer—Rev. J. J. Tickner, Novi.

Sermon, "The Church the Pillar and Ground of the Truth"—Rev. F. E. Arnold, Ypsilanti.

Ordaining Prayer—Rev. A. L. Lockert, Milford.

Charge to Candidate—Rev. W. G. Clark, Holly.

Hand of Fellowship—Rev. P. P. Farnham Green Oak.

Charge to Church—Rev. F. E. Arnold, Ypsilanti.

Benediction—Rev. C. S. Nightingale.

Mr. Nightengale's father and mother of Louisville, Ky., and also Rev. L. H. Trowbridge of the Christian Herald, Detroit, were present.

Livonia News.

Minnie Lutes is gaining slowly.

Mrs. Jennie Gunning is very sick at this writing.

Cora Johnson called on friends in Detroit Monday.

Ella Skun has returned home after her summer's visit in New York state.

Wm. M. Johnson was taken suddenly ill Tuesday morning with a chill. He is some better at present.

Mr. Riddle was a very little out of patience when he found some weak minded person had taken his McKinley flag down from the pole and who was not satisfied then but cut the rope to pieces. We did not think we had such mean people in our midst.

Walled Lake News.

Mr. and Mrs. Nort Johns went to Detroit Wednesday.

Jas. Smith and wife of Northville spent Sunday at Abbot Smith's.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gage attended a wedding at Drayton Plains Thursday.

Mr. Case's dog which has long been a terror to all the youngsters of the village died last week.

The assurance of McKinley's election was announced Tuesday night about midnight by the ringing of the church bells, firing of anvils and bonfires.

Mrs. Will Richardson gave a Halloween party for a number of friends Friday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent in Halloween games, making candy, etc.

Salem News.

On election day Salem gave about its customary republican majority.

McLarem & Vickory shipped a carload of stock from here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Thayer and her little daughter left for Alpena on Tuesday morning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winans a daughter, on Oct. 27. Mother and child doing well.

Leonard Larkins seems to be mentally unbalanced and has been taken to Pontiac asylum for treatment.

Several Salem hunters are roaming the northern woods. Among them being the veteran Abel Sheffield.

The Sabbath-schools of Salem will hold an institute at the Congregational church on the afternoon and evening of Nov. 12, to which all friends of Sabbath-school and the general public is invited. The exercises will close with an address in the evening by Rev. C. T. Allen of Detroit.

You can buy an extra good heavy double work harness for $22.00 at Whipple & Son's.

Wixom News.

Mrs. A. F. Chambers is still quite poorly.

School closed last Friday for one week's vacation.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson a son, Nov. 1.

Mrs. Feather from Jackson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Glovier.

Miss Maud Patton closed the fall term of school in the West Novi district last week Friday.

Judge VanZile made a stirring speech in Cummings' hall at this place last Friday night.

Geo. Hogle and Geo. Goodell from Novi were calling on friends here last week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Noble received a pleasant call from Rev. Mr. McIntosh of Walled Lake last week.

The Farmers' Club will hold its next meeting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lake, Nov. 11.

Quite a party of men left here last week for a hunting trip up north. Why didn't they wait till after election?

A gentleman with his wife, son and daughter from Detroit are staying with Mr. Hartland's family for a few days to visit and hunt.

Rev. Mr. Glovier went to Fennville last week to attend the state association and being absent last Sunday his wife occupied the pulpit.

Jas. Tiffin and wife have moved out of Ben Clark's house and into E. Burch's near the church and Chris Oldenberg moves out of Mr Shannon's house into the one just vacated by Jas. Tiffin. Consequently there is a vacant house in town.

A Sunday Dinner.

Our village house keepers could often save themselves the trouble of cooking Sunday dinner by taking it at the Hotel. Where the family is not large, it is doubtful whether they could purchase it for less money than it would cost them at the Park House inasmuch as Mr. Shafer charges only 25 cents on *Sunday. The bill of fare* is also superb and the house is kept in such a way that the most fastidious could find no fault with it. Families in the country wishing to spend the day in town, might also avail themselves of this opportunity and they need not be in a hurry to return to their homes, for the parlors on the second floor are always at the disposal of Sunday guests.

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Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the common council was held in the council room Oct. 5, 1896. Present: J. M. Burgess, pres. pro tem., Trustees Bovee, Phillips.

No quorum present, council adjourned for one week.

W. H. NICHOLS, Clerk.

An adjourned meeting of the village council was held at Dr. Swift's office, Monday evening Oct. 26. Present, President Swift, Councilmen Bovee, Phillips.

No quorum, council adjourned for one week. W. H. NICHOLS, Clerk.

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10 pounds Jersey Sweet Potatoes	25c
A Good Coffee at	15c lb
1 Gal. Dark Molasses, good cooker,	20c
10 lbs Rolled Oats still go for	25c
10 lbs Broken Rice still go for	25c
5 lbs good Ginger Snaps still go for	25c
Bon Ton Cheese, each,	10c
MacLarren's Imperial Cheese, each,	30c
Crown Baking Powder,	5, 10, & 20c can
Forest City Baking Powder	15c lb
2 cans Bouquet Baking Powder for	25c

Our Crockery Department has without question the best display ever shown outside of the large cities. Notice our

12 Piece Toilet Set for	$9.25	Hall lamps wrought Iron	$3.00
12 " "	9.00	Sewing Lamps for	1.00
12 " "	8.75	Vase Lamps for	1.75
12 " "	8.25	" "	3.90
12 " "	8.00	" "	3.75
12 " "	7.50	" "	4.00
12 " "	6.75	Banquet " complete with globe	3.50
12 " "	5.00	" " " "	5.25
10 " "	2.00	" " " "	8.50
6 " "	2.25	Banquet Lamps at	1.50
6 " "	2.00	" " at	2.25
Hall Lamps for	$3.50	Wrought Iron Lamps for	7.50
Hall Lamps for	5.00	" " " for	9.00

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TIME TABLE

In Effect Sept. 20, 1896.

Trains Leave Northville as Follows:

(STANDARD TIME.)

GOING SOUTH.		GOING NORTH.	
Train No 4	10 07 a m	Train No 1	3 45 a m
" " 6	2 11 p m	" " 3	9 17 a m
" " 8	8 45 p m	" " 5	2 11 p m
" " 10	6 30 a m	" " 9	7 05 p m

Trains Nos 3 and 9 run through to Alpena.

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TIME TABLE.

In effect Sept. 20, 1896.

Trains leave Novi as follows:

STANDARD TIME.

GOING NORTH.		GOING SOUTH.	
Train No. 1	3 54 a m	Train No. 4	10 05 a m
" " 3	9 26 a m	" " 8	8 32 p m
" " 9	7 22 p m	" " 10	6 22 a m

Drawing Room Cars between Manistee, Saginaw and Detroit.

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

W. S. NICHOLSON, Agent, Novi.

DETROIT, LANSING & NORTHERN R. R. (June 28, '96.)

	Going East	a m	p m	p m
Lv	Grand Rapids	7 00	1 30	5 25
"	Howard City	8 06	10 05	6 02
"	Ionia	7 50	2 45	6 00
"	Lansing	8 54	3 16	7 26
"	Howell	9 53	4 09	8 27
"	Brighton	10 19	4 24	8 42
"	South Lyon	10 26	4 35	8 56
"	Salem	10 36		9 05
"	Plymouth	10 51	4 57	9 20
Ar	Detroit	11 40	5 40	10 10
		a m	p m	p m
	Going West	a m	p m	p m
Lv	Detroit	7 40	1 10	5 00
"	Plymouth	8 25	1 45	5 45
"	Salem	8 33		5 56
"	South Lyon	8 43	2 07	7 05
"	Brighton	9 03	2 27	7 20
"	Howell	9 30	2 36	7 38
"	Lansing	10 24	3 32	8 37
Ar	Grand Ledge	10 48	3 53	9 00
"	Ionia	11 48	4 53	10 00
"	Howard City	1 23	6 10	11 45
"	Grand Rapids	12 30	5 20	10 15
		p m	p m	p m

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Crooked people only respect those they *cannot rob*.

It is a great mistake to imagine that it is funny to annoy somebody.

The mistakes other people make are *the ones we bear longest in mind.*

Many a man would be miserable if it were not for his keen sense of the ridiculous.

The world is apt to value a man more for what it expects than for what it has received.

Of all the clammy, artificial things that vex a sensitive nature, the mechanical smile is the worst.

Some people are never so happy as when their worst fears in respect to somebody else are realized.

Marrying for money has many of the unpleasant features and few of the benefits incident to taking medicine.

It will be noticed that people are seldom forgotten when contingencies *occur that render their aid desirable.*

Did it ever occur to you that perhaps you are to blame because your associates exhibit a tendency to grumble?

When casual acquaintances offer suggestions as to how you can improve your financial or physical circumstances, they are generally working on commission for somebody.

The pomp and pageantry of the French reception to the czar were bewildering. Some of the streets were literally strewn with flowers for miles and at prominent points trees were converted by ingenious florists into colossal rose bushes. The illuminations were so brilliant that the heavens could scarcely be seen, and will probably never be forgotten by those who were fortunate to have seen it.

Sylvanus Dodge Duke worked and experimented day and night, during many years to invent the grain binding machine. He finally succeeded, and instantly he rose from a humble position at the workshop to that of a gentleman of leisure. He did not hoard his wealth so that he could pull down the shutters at night and count it, as Anthony Shimer did, but he used it to benefit everybody. Last week in Hoosick Falls, N. Y., he died in peace and plenty, even to be kindly remembered by a legion of friends, as well as by those whose labors his genius lightened.

A handy man was Hand. For several years his pet scheme was to advertise that he was a wealthy widow desiring a young lady companion to accompany him to California. In his advertisements he never omitted to mention the fact that the applicant must inclose $2 to be used "for telegrams and investigations of character." There were many young ladies who wanted to visit California, and of course Hand's harvest of two-dollar bills was abundant. But he finally received one from Dubuque that brought him to grief, and the gay deceiver is safely locked behind the stone walls at Anamosa.

Another real good man goes wrong and, preferring death to exposure, pulls the trigger that sends him to a suicide's grave. George J. Marsh was known as a kind, generous, Christian man in Gloucester, Mass., where for years he had been treasurer of a savings bank and was entrusted with not only the savings of his fellow-men, but with the estate of widows and orphans as well. Satan, with whom he foolishly allowed himself to council, told him he could get rich quick by the use of other people's money. If it had worked that way this paragraph would never have been written. Beware of evil companions.

And then there was John Gromler, who was something of an eccentric character, with miserly tendencies quite pronounced. John was a hostler in Crittenden's livery stable in New Haven, Conn., where he had worked without losing a day for sixteen years at $10 a week and tips. By living on cheap meals and sleeping every night on a buffalo robe spread over an old box he managed to save a fortune of $13,000, which would have been several thousand larger had he not been caught in a couple of bank failures a couple of years ago. Well, last Saturday Gromley bade adieu to this world of toil, and as he didn't take a cent with him, and is not likely to return, his relatives are now getting ready to spend his savings for him. The question naturally arises, what use has a lone bachelor for more money than he can spend?

WITHIN OUR WALLS.

MERE MENTION OF MICHIGAN MATTERS.

Union Veterans' Union at Battle Creek—A Woman and Her Babe Burned to Death near Jackson—Lumber and Railroad Property Destroyed by Fire.

Union Veteran's Union.

The ninth annual encampment of the Michigan department, Union Veterans' union, was held at Battle Creek and was largely attended. The following officers were elected: Department commander, George M. Mead, of Camden; first deputy commander, George Turner, of Bay City; second, Gilbert E. Hall, of St. Louis; chaplain, Charles R. Davis, of Camden; surgeon general, Dr. S. S. French, of Battle Creek. St. Louis will be the next place of meeting. There are now 65,000 members of the order in the United States.

The encampment of the Woman's Veteran Relief union was also held and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Lydia Sprague, of Greenville; senior vice-president, Mrs. Lottie Platt, of Bay City; junior, Mrs. Maggie Morse, of Battle Creek; conductress, Mrs. Sophia Webster, of Jackson; secretary, Mrs. Alice Spaulding, of Greenville; treasurer, Mrs. Jane Hayden, of Greenville; inside guard, Mrs. Lucy Hall, of St. Louis; outside guard, Mrs. Barbara Waller, of Bay City.

Mother and Child Roasted to Death.

Mrs. Albert Robinson, aged 35, and her 8-year old daughter, were burned to death in their house in Sandstone township, Jackson county. There is little doubt that kerosene oil used to start a fire in the cooking stove caused an explosion. Robinson is a coal drawer from the Woodville mine. His neighbors discovered the house on fire and succeeded in getting all out, but Mrs. Robinson and the child were dead. The husband and father was so badly burned that it is thought he will die.

The Gasoline Can Exploded.

Jacob Miller, two miles south of Warren got up early to build the fire and used gasoline to hurry things up. The can exploded, completely saturating Miller. He ran out doors screaming. When his wife appeared Miller was a mass of flames. Most of his clothing was burned off and Mrs. Miller was badly burned. Miller suffered great agony for several hours when he died. He leaves three children.

Railroad Property Burned.

The round house of the Quinnesec logging railroad, five miles from Iron Mountain was totally destroyed by fire. There were three locomotives in the house at the time and they are damaged beyond repair. The loss will exceed $15,000 with no insurance. Logging operations had just commenced along the line. The fire will necessitate a suspension of operations, throwing 100 men out of work.

Big Lumber Fire at Ingalls.

Ira Gasley's lumber yard, at Ingalls, three miles south of Stephenson with 2,000,000 feet of lumber, is now in a blaze. Gasley's oil house had been broken into, the lumber piles saturated and then ignited. The hand engine at Stephenson went down and saved the store, the southern part of the mill yard, and the buildings west of the depot. The loss is about $30,000; insurance $18,000.

Died From Hydrophobia.

William Manchke, aged 25, died at the Saginaw hospital after suffering great agony for 24 hours from hydrophobia. He was bitten last June while feeding a dog afflicted with distemper; but he payed no attention to the wound. While at work the day before his death he became violently ill, and was removed to the hospital. He leaves a widow and three little ones.

NEWS FOR MICHIGANDERS.

President Fiske, of Albion college, is seriously ill with bronchitis.

The annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of the Fourth district was held at Decatur.

In a saloon fight at Thompsonville, Ole Janson bit off and swallowed Andy Thompson's thumb.

Henry Lewis, of near Shelby, fell under a freight train north of Dalton and received fatal injuries.

Fire did $1,000 damage to the main building of the Northern Michigan Children's home at Marquette.

A. T. Patterson, a printer, received the appointment of customs collector for the port of Benton Harbor.

Dr. Mary Green of Charlotte, has been made president of the National Household Economics association.

Paul Kobi was killed while at work in the 13th level of the Calumet & Hecla mine by being hit by a falling rock.

The grain and stock barn on the farm of E. Konning, near Overisel, burned together with their entire contents. Loss $2,000.

The flax mills at Crosswell, Downington, Berne, Fargo, Yale and Brown City, have closed down indefinitely, throwing 150 men out of employment.

Truman Smith, 15 years old, was killed while hunting near Hartford. The gun was accidentally discharged, blowing the whole side of his head off.

Frank Batchelor, of Pontiac, is under arrest on a charge of attempted criminal assault on Maggie Seeley, the 11-year-old daughter of Clarence Seeley, near Utica.

A hunter returning home with a party carelessly discharged his shotgun at Marine City and Willie Sturgis, aged 6, received five shot in his body and Albert Sturgis, aged 4, one shot squarely between the eyes. The boys will recover.

Mason county supervisors have pared down county officials' salaries.

A pulley seven feet in diameter burst at the Power and Electric Co.'s plant at Buchanan and demolished the switch board. Ralph English barely escaped being killed.

The new farm residence of Samuel Lemon near Indian lake, Kalamazoo county, burned together with its contents, involving a loss of $2,000, with an insurance of $1,200.

William Pelett, a grand larceny convict at Jackson prison, from Port Huron, was struck on the head by a flying piece of metal and his skull fractured. He may die.

A cut of 10 per cent has been made in wages by the Port Huron City electric railway as a result of decreasing travel. The old rate of $10 per week is promised as soon as traffic picks up.

Martin Lubinski, a Pole residing at 1316 Dubois street, Detroit, attempted to kill his wife and two sons with a butcher knife while suffering from temporary insanity, caused by starvation.

The large Bailey house livery barn at Ionia, burned to the ground. Loss $2,500, insured for $1,000. All the horses and carriages were taken out but Frank Montgomery, the lessee, lost all his sleighs.

A wagon, harness and blankets were discovered hacked to pieces and burning in the woods near Charlotte. Two horses were grazing near by, but no human being was in sight. A murder or suicide is suspected.

Thugs knocked down and seriously injured Frank Maud, a farm hand, at Benton Harbor, but failed to find $20 in a pocket. Neighbors, hearing his call for help, rushed out, firing three shots after the robbers, who escaped.

A peculiar disease has appeared among the horses of Wm. Hammond, who owns a large stock farm near Pontiac. The animals appear to be perfectly well, but suddenly the color of the nostrils changes and without any apparent pain or sickness they die.

Wm. Pickel, manager of the Charlotte gas works, while alone in the building heard a noise in an adjoining room and stepped in to investigate. Two men confronted him and gave him a stunning blow on the head. When the engineer returned 15 minutes later Pickel was still unconscious. When he revived he found he had been robbed of $60.

Ben Kenaan, a young theological student at Hillsdale college, was discovered in the organ loft of the college church where he had hidden away a large amount of wearing apparel, jewelry, silverware, clock which he has since confessed to having stolen. Most of the goods have been identified by students and citizens who had been robbed.

By the payment of $8,000 S. Dessau, president of the Dessau Co., of New York, has secured a 20-year extension to his lease of the Millie mine at Iron Mountain. The new lease calls for the mining of not less than 40,000 tons of first grade ore and 100,000 tons of low grade ore annually which will necessitate the employment of a largely increased force of men.

The Mecosta County Savings bank at Big Rapids has closed its doors, and assigned to M. Brown, of Big Rapids, and the Michigan Trust Co., of Grand Rapids. Inability to raise money on collateral to meet the withdrawal of deposits is the alleged cause of the failure. There has been a run on the bank for some days. This was the only bank left in Big Rapids.

At an early morning hour flames burst from under the main stairway in the Franklin house at Manistee, and rapidly ate their way upwards cutting off all communication with the street. Fifteen guests were compelled to jump from the second story, in their night clothes, and several were severely bruised. Mrs. Clark threw her boy into the arms of a spectator below and then jumped.

Mrs. Alice Lawrence, who is serving a 20 years' sentence in the Detroit house of correction for the murder of her husband, Enos M. Lawrence, at Holland, has made another confession and declared the innocence of Dr. J. D. Wetmore, who was arrested as an accomplice in September on the testimony of the woman and her brother, Ray Coates, who is in Jackson prison for life as the confessed perpetrator of the deed.

The wrecker Monarch returned to Escanaba from Big Summer island having been unable to work on the stranded transfer and Alleghany on account of heavy weather. Capt. Bartler reports the boats in bad shape. The transfer lies high and dry. The Allegheny has three feet of water at the bow and seven feet at the stern. She is pounding badly and the crew have abandoned her and are on Summer island.

Thieves broke into D. H. Barrows' store at Armada and blew open the outer door of the safe. The noise of the explosion aroused citizens in adjacent houses, who rushed out into the street only to find the thieves in retreat. A large number of shots were exchanged between the citizens and the burglars, but in the darkness marksmanship was poor, and no one was hurt. The thieves carried off about $40 worth of clothing, shoes, etc.

John Jeffery, a shoe man and real estate dealer, of Ithaca, through his attorney, has laid claim to 80 acres of land in the heart of the city of Mt. Pleasant, on which is situated the Central normal school and about 50 of the finest residences in the city. The property was in litigation for many years and it was thought that the title had been settled, but John and Ira Jeffries claim an error and will reopen the case in the Isabella county circuit this fall. The land is worth over $100,000, the property which belongs to the Central normal school alone being worth $40,000.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } SS.
COUNTY OF WAYNE.

At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Wayne, held at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, on the seventeenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. Present, EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of BENJAMIN R. BEAL and ALICE M. COLLINS, deceased persons. On reading and filing the petition of Francis R. Beal praying this court to adjudicate and determine who are, or were at the time of their deaths, respectively, the legal heirs of said Benjamin R. Beal and Alice M. Collins and entitled to inherit the real estate of which they, respectively, died seized. It is ordered that the twenty-fourth day of November, next, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be appointed for hearing said petition. 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. DURFEE,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
HOMER A. FLINT,
Register.

Chancery Sale.

Chancery sale in pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the County of Wayne, State of Michigan, in Chancery made and entered on the thirty-first day of January, A. D. 1896, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein CHARLES L. DUBUAR is Complainant and MARGETTA HARLOW and DWIGHT BERDEN Defendant. Notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the westerly or Griswold Street entrance to the City Hall in the City of Detroit, County of Wayne, State of Michigan (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne is held) on Friday, the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1896, at 12 o'clock, Detroit City time, on said day, the following described property, viz: All that piece or parcel of land lying and being in the Township of Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan, described as follows, to wit: Commencing in the middle of the highway on the east line of the east half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-three (33) and at the south-east corner of five acres of land deeded to Dwan Harlow by Phebe Jane Cady, Lewis Cadry Ashley Harlow and Maria Harlow by quit claim deed dated May 8th, 1871, running thence westerly along the south boundary line of said five acres twenty chains to the west line of said east half; thence southerly along said west line 30 rods, thence easterly parallel with said first boundary line twenty chains to the middle of the highway, thence northerly along the middle of said highway 30 rods to the place of beginning, containing 10 acres of land more or less.

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THE EYE OF THE MIND.

BY HUGH CONWAY.

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CHAPTER II.—(CONTINUED.)

So soon as our first hearty greetings were over, I proceeded to ascertain how the last year had treated Carriston. I was both delighted and astonished at the great change for the better which had taken place in his manner, no less than his appearance. He looked far more robust, he seemed happier, brighter—altogether more like ordinary humanity. Not only had he greeted me with almost boisterous glee, but during our drive through the wonderful scenery he was in the gayest spirits, and full of fun and anecdote. I congratulated him heartily upon the marked improvement in his health, both mentally and physically.

"Yes, I am much better," he said. "I followed a part of your advice—gave up moping, tried constant change of scene, interested myself in many more things. I am quite a different man."

"No supernatural visitations?" I asked, anxious to learn that his cure in that direction was complete.

His face fell. He hesitated a second before answering.

"No—not now," he said. "I fought against the strange feeling, and believe I have got rid of it—at least I hope so."

I said no more on the subject. Carriston plunged into a series of vivid and mimetic descriptions of the varieties of Scotch character which he had met with during his stay. He depicted his experiences so amusingly that I laughed heartily for many a mile.

"But why the change in your name?" I asked, when he paused for a moment in his merry talk.

He blushed, and looked rather ashamed. "I scarcely like to tell you; you will think my reason so absurd."

"Never mind. I don't judge you by the ordinary standard."

"Well, the fact is, my cousin is also in Scotland. I feared if I gave my true name at the hotel at which I stayed on my way here, he might by chance see it, and look me up in these wild regions."

"Well, and what if he did?"

"I can't tell you. I hate to know I feel like it. But I have always, perhaps without cause, been afraid of him—and this place is horribly lonely."

Now that I understood the meaning of his words I thought the boy must be joking; but the grave look on his face showed me he was never further from merriment.

"Why, Carriston," I cried, "you are positively ridiculous about your cousin. You can't think the man wants to murder you."

"I don't know what I think. I am saying things to you which I ought not to say; but every time I meet him I feel he hates me, and wishes me out of the world."

"Between wishing and doing there is a great difference. I dare say all this is fancy on your part."

"Perhaps so. Anyway, Cecil Carr is as good a name up here as Charles Carriston, so please humor my whim and say no more about it."

As it made no difference to me by what name he chose to call himself I dropped the subject. I knew of old that some of his strange prejudices were proof against anything I could do to remove them. At last we reached our temporary abode. It was a substantial, low-built house, owned and inhabited by a thrifty middle-aged widow, who, although well-to-do so far as the simple ideas of her neighbors went, was nevertheless always willing to add to her resources by accommodating such stray tourists as wished to bury themselves for a day or two in solitude, or artists who, like ourselves, preferred to enjoy the beauties of nature undisturbed by the usual ebbing and flowing stream of sight-seers.

As Carriston asserted, the accommodation, if homely, was good enough for two single men; the fare was plentiful and our rooms were the picture of cleanliness. After a cursory inspection I felt sure that I could for a few weeks make myself very happy in these quarters.

I had not been twenty-four hours in the house before I found out one reason for the great change in the better in Charles Carriston's demeanor; knew why his step was lighter, his eye brighter, his voice gayer, and his whole bearing altered. Whether the reason was a subject for congratulation or not I could not as yet say.

The boy was in love; in love as only a passionate, romantic, imaginative nature can be; and even then only once in a lifetime. Heedless, headstrong, impulsive, and entirely his own master, he had given his very heart and soul into the keeping of a woman.

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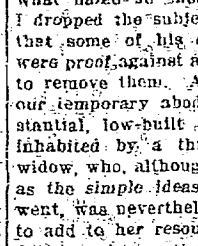

THAT a man of Carriston's rank, breeding, and refinement, should meet his fate within the walls of a lonely farm-house, beyond the Trossachs, seems incredible. One would scarcely expect to find among such humble surroundings a wife suitable to a man of his stamp. And yet when I saw the woman who had won him, I neither wondered at the conquest nor did I blame him for weakness.

I made the great discovery on the morning after my arrival. Eager to taste the freshness of the morning air I rose betimes and went for a short stroll. I returned, and whilst standing at the door of the house, was positively startled by the beauty of a girl who passed me and entered, as if she were a regular inhabitant of the place. Not a rosy Scotch lassie, such as one would expect to find indigenous to the soil; but a slim graceful girl with delicate classical features. A girl with a mass of knotted light hair, yet with the apparent anomaly, dark eyes, eye-lashes and eyebrows—a combination which, to my mind, makes a style of beauty rare, irresistible, and dangerous above all others. The features which filled the exquisite oval of her face were refined and faultless. Her complexion was pale, but its pallor in no way suggested anything save perfect health. To cut my enthusiastic description short, I may at once say it has never been my good fortune to cast my eyes on a lovelier creature than this young girl.

Although her dress was of the plainest and simplest description, no one could have mistaken her for a servant, and much as I admire the bonny, healthy Scotch country lassies, I felt sure that the mountain air had never reared a being of this ethereal type. As she passed me, I raised my hat instinctively. She gracefully bent her golden head, and bade me a quiet but unembarrassed good-morning. My eyes followed her until she vanished at the end of the dark passage which led to the back of the house.

Even during the brief glimpse I enjoyed of this fair unknown, a strange idea occurred to me. There was a remarkable likeness between her delicate features and those, scarcely less delicate, of Carriston. This resemblance may have added to the interest the girl's appearance awoke in my mind. Anyway, I entered our sitting-room, and, a prey to curiosity and perhaps hunger, awaited with much impatience the appearance of Carriston—and breakfast.

The former arrived first. Generally speaking, he was afoot long before I was, but this morning we had reversed the usual order of things. As soon as I saw him I cried:

"Carriston, tell me at once who is the lovely girl I met outside. An angel, with dark eyes and golden hair. Is she staying here like ourselves?"

A look of pleasure flashed into his eyes—a look which pretty well told me everything. Nevertheless, he answered as carelessly as if such lovely women were as common to the mountain side as rocks and branches.

"I expect you mean Miss Rowan; a niece of our worthy landlady. She lives with her."

"She cannot be Scotch with such a face and eyes."

"Half and half. Her father was called an Englishman; but was, I believe, of French extraction. They say the name was originally Rohan."

Carriston seemed to have made close inquiries as to Miss Rowan's parentage.

"But what brings her here?" I asked.

"She has nowhere else to go. Rowan was an artist. He married a sister of our hostess, and bore her away from her native land. Some years ago she died, leaving this one daughter. Last year the father died, penniless, they tell me, so the girl has since then lived with her only relative, her aunt."

"Well," I said, "as you seem to know all about her, you can introduce me by and bye."

"With the greatest pleasure, if Miss Rowan permits," said Carriston. I was glad to hear him give the conditional promise with as much respect to the lady's wishes as if she had been a duchess.

Then, with the liberty a close friend may take, I drew toward me a portfolio, full, I presumed, of sketches of surrounding scenery. To my surprise Carriston jumped up hastily and snatched it from me. "They are too bad to look at," he said. As I struggled to regain possession, sundry strings broke, and, lo and behold! the floor was littered, not with delineations of rock, lake, and torrent, but with images of the fair young girl I had seen a few minutes before. Full face, profile, three-quarter face, five, even seven-eighth face, all were there—each study perfectly executed by Carriston's clever pencil. I threw myself into a chair and laughed aloud, whilst the young man, blushing and discomfited, quickly huddled the portraits between the covers, just as a genuine Scotch lassie bore in a plentiful and, to me, very welcome breakfast.

Carriston did favor me with his company during the whole of that day, but, in spite of my having come to Scotland to enjoy his society, that day, from easily guessed reasons, was the only one in which I had undisputed possession of my friend.

Of course I banitered him a great deal on the portfolio episode. He took it in good part, attempted little or no defense. Indeed, before night he had told me with all a boy's fervor how he had loved Madeline Rowan at first sight, how in the short space of time which had elapsed since that meeting he had wooed her and won her; how good and beautiful she was; how he worshiped her; how happy he felt; how, when I went south he should accompany me, and, after making a few necessary arrangements, return at once and bear his bride away.

I could only listen to him, and congratulate him. It was not my place to act the elder, and advise him either for or against the marriage. Carriston had only himself to please, and if he made a rash step only himself to blame for the consequences. And why should I have dissuaded?—I, who in two days envied the boy's good fortune.

V.

I SAW a great deal of Madeline Rowan. How strange and out-of-place her name and face seemed amid our surroundings. If at first somewhat shy and retiring, she soon, if only for Carriston's sake, consented to look upon me as a friend, and talked to me freely and unreservedly. Then I found that her nature was as sweet as her face. (Such a conquest did she make) it me that, save for one chimerical reason, I should have felt quite certain that Carriston had chosen well, and would be happy in wedding the girl of his choice, heedless of her humble position in the world, and absence of befitting wealth. When once his wife, I felt sure that if he cared for her to win social success, her looks and bearing would insure it, and from the great improvement which, as I have already said, I noticed in his health and spirits, I believed that his marriage would make his life longer and happier.

Now for my objection, which seems almost a laughable one. I objected on the score of the extraordinary resemblance which so far as a man may resemble a woman, existed between Charles Carriston and Madeline Rowan. The more I saw them together, the more I was struck by it. A stranger might well have taken them for twin brother and sister. The same delicate features drawn in the same lines, the same soft, dark, dreamy eyes; even the same shaped heads. Comparing the two, it needed no phrenologist or physiognomist to tell you that where one excelled the other excelled; where one failed the other was wanting. Now, could I have selected a wife for my friend, I would have chosen one with habits and constitution entirely different from his own. She should have been a bright, bustling woman, with lots of energy and common sense—one who would have rattled him about and kept him going—not a lovely, dark-eyed, dreamy girl, who could for hours at a stretch make herself supremely happy if only sitting at her lover's feet and speaking no word. Yet they were a handsome couple, and never have I seen two people so utterly devoted to each other as those two seemed to be during those autumn days which I spent with them.

I soon had a clear proof of the closeness of their mental resemblance. One evening Carriston, Madeline, and I were sitting out of doors, watching the gray mist deepening in the valley at our feet. Two of the party were, of course, hand in hand, the third seated at a discreet distance—not so far away as to preclude conversation, but far enough off to be able to pretend that he saw and heard only what was intended for his eyes and ears.

How certain topics, which I would have avoided discussing with Carriston, were started, I hardly remember. Probably some strange tale had been passed down from wilder and even more solitary regions than ours—some ridiculous tale of Highland superstition, no doubt embellished and augmented by each one who repeated it to his fellows. From her awed look, I soon found that Madeline Rowan, perhaps by reason of the Scotch blood in her veins, was as firm a believer in things visionary and beyond nature, as ever Charles Carriston, in his silliest moments, could be. As soon as I could, I stopped the talk, and the next day, finding the girl for a few minutes alone, told her plainly that subjects of this kind should be kept as far as possible from her future husband's thoughts. She promised obedience, with dreamy eyes which looked as far away and full of visions as Carriston's.

"By the bye," I said, "has he ever spoken to you of seeing strange things?"

"Yes; he has hinted at it."

"And you believe him?"

"Of course I do; he told me so."

This was unanswerable. "A pretty pair they will make," I muttered, as Madeline slipped from me to welcome her lover, who was approaching. "They will see ghosts in every corner, and goblins behind every curtain."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Sir Isaac Newton's Absence of Mind.

Sir Isaac Newton, too, frequently forgot whether he had dined or not. It is reported that on one occasion his friend, Dr. Stukely, being announced, Sir Isaac asked him to be seated, and he would join him shortly. The philosopher repaired to his laboratory, and as time went on, it became evident that the visit of his friend had entirely escaped him. The doctor was left sitting in the dining-room until the dinner was served. This consisted of a roast fowl. The host not even now putting in an appearance, Dr. Stukely seated himself at the table and demolished the fowl. When Sir Isaac entered the room, and saw the remnants of the meal, he apologized and said: "Believe me, I had quite forgotten I had dined."

A Striking Likeness.

Miss Susan is an exceedingly refined young lady, who has seen some five summers. She is full of airs and of graces, reserved, self-contained and decidedly uppish. She cut her uncle dead in the street one day, and when he reproached her for her extreme hauteur, she said, with her most pronounced society manner:

"Oh, I saw you, uncle, but I thought it was auntie!"—Harper's Round Table.

Germany imports 800,000 tons of pickled herrings every year.

FROM MANY POINTS.

NEW ITEMS OF VARIOUS KINDS BRIEFLY RELATED.

The Cuban Insurgents Show the Spanish They can Cross the Famous Trocha Almost as They Please—Advance Upon Havana Has Begun.

Cuban Insurgents are Winning.

A Key West, Fla., dispatch says that passengers from Havana confirm advices received by mail that Maceo has crossed the trocha at Artemisa and joined other insurgent forces in Havana province.

Maceo first made a feint toward Cacarajicara and succeeded in drawing the attention of the Spanish generals to that point, and then by forced marches he made a detour to the southward and suddenly appeared at Artemisa, the central post on the line of the trocha. While giving his men a short rest the insurgent chief informed the occupants of the town that he intended to bombard it, but the Spanish commandant refused to allow anyone to leave. Maceo opened fire upon the town with his artillery, and 30 shots were fired from the new American dynamite gun. Nearly every building is said to have been leveled, while the slaughter of non-combatants was appalling. During the carnage Maceo took 2,500 men and marched into Havana province to assist Gen. Gomez in his march to Havana. Maceo left Gen. Ruiz Rivera in charge of his troops in the provinces of Pinar del Rio with 10,000 men in the insurgent stronghold.

Another dispatch says: A prominent Cuban resident of Key West is authority for the statement that the city of Havana would be besieged by Maximo Gomez within the next 60 days. To that end he said Gomez and all the rebel forces were now marching westward toward the capital. This Cuban is in direct communication with the insurgent leader in the field.

Gomez has not been heard from since his attack on the town of Cascorro, and the subsequent engagement at Desmayo plantation where he defeated Gen. Castellano. The ominous silence of Gomez is said to presage the planning of a series of important attacks upon the principal cities within the provinces of Havana and Matanzas. Spanish official dispatches report large insurgent forces moving westward from Cimarrones in Matanzas province, near Cardenas, where an important engagement is expected at any time.

Germans Bitter Against Bismarck.

Berlin: The Hamburger Nachrichten's reply to the press attacks made upon that paper, which is accused of uttering "traitorous revelations" in having disclosed the existence of the Russo-German neutrality treaty during the period extending from 1864 to 1890, has not in the slightest degree pacified Prince Bismarck's assailants, nor has it stilled the clamor that the government take immediate and decisive action to suppress the revelations.

There seems now to be no doubt that the fall of Prince Bismarck was associated with the emperor's denunciation of the Russo-German treaty, and his majesty's appointment of Count Capriri as imperial chancellor followed. Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria and Count Kalnoky, the Austrian minister of foreign affairs, had got wind of the secret convention between Prince Bismarck and the Russian foreign office, probably through St. Petersburg, and the emperor feared that Germany's implied infidelity to the dreibund would cause a rupture of the relations of the allied powers and leave Russia master of the situation, consequently he dismissed Bismarck and thus cemented the alliance with Austria.

A strong effort is being made in Georgia to have Chas. R. Crisp, the son of the late ex-Speaker Crisp, appointed till to his father's unexpired term.

Miss E. L. Abbott, of Dowagiac, and Miss Mary Wilson, of Muskegon, graduates of the Union Benevolent hospital training school at Grand Rapids, have started for China to take charge of two hospitals, the former at Nankin, the latter at Wahu. They are sent by the Methodist foreign missionary society.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.

	Cattle	Sheep	Lambs	Hogs
New York—				
Best grades	$4 85@4 65	$3 25	$4 80	$4 10
Lower grades	2 25@4 00	2 00	4 50	3 80
Chicago—				
Best grades	4 35@4 65	3 00	4 40	3 45
Lower grades	3 00@4 00	1 50	3 00	3 20
Detroit—				
Best grades	3 50@3 75	3 10	4 00	3 30
Lower grades	2 00@3 25	1 50	2 75	3 15
Cincinnati—				
Best grades	3 75@4 00	3 00	4 00	3 30
Lower grades	2 00@3 50	1 50	2 75	3 15
Cleveland—				
Best grades	3 65@4 00	3 00	4 00	3 25
Lower grades	2 00@3 50	1 50	3 60	3 20
Pittsburg—				
Best grades	4 00@4 25	3 45	4 25	3 60
Lower grades	2 00@3 75	2 00	2 75	3 [illegible]

GRAIN, ETC.

	Wheat, No. 2 red	Corn, No. 2 mix	Oats, No. 2 white
New York	$1 [illegible]@[illegible]	30@30½	27@27½
Chicago	74@74½	23½@23¾	20@20
Detroit	$1 [illegible]@[illegible]	26@26	21@21
Toledo	$1 [illegible]@[illegible]	25@25	19@19
Cincinnati	$1 [illegible]@[illegible]	25@25½	19@19
Cleveland	$1 [illegible]@[illegible]	24@25	19@19
Pittsburg	$1 [illegible]@[illegible]	25@25	19@20

Detroit.—Timothy hay, $10. Potatoes, 25c. Live chickens 7c; turkeys 9c; ducks 7c. Eggs, fresh, 13c. Butter, creamery, 17c; dairy, 14@15c.

At Bellaire, O., Scott Lincoln shot and fatally wounded Wm. Metzler and Belle Gray, and then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause of the tragedy.

An explosion of gas in No. 3 mine of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Co. in South Wilkesbarre, Pa., killed six men and severely injured two others.

The greater part of the business portion of the town of Manilla, Ind., was wiped out by the most disastrous fire in its history. The total loss will be more than $40,000, on which there was but $2,200 insurance.

Texas.

In the agricultural line Texas leads all other states in the variety of its products. Cotton, corn and the cereals grow and are raised in every section of the state and in the central and southern portions sugar cane and sorghum cane are profitably cultivated. On the Gulf Coast two or three crops of vegetables are raised each year. Berries are shipped six weeks in advance of the home crop in the north. Pears, peaches, plums, oranges, figs, olives and nuts all grow abundantly and can be marketed from two to three weeks in advance of the California crops. Large quantities of rice are now grown. If the land seeker, the home seeker, and the settler desires to secure a farm larger than the one he occupies, on vastly more reasonable terms; if he wants more land to cultivate, a greater variety of crops to harvest, with proportionately increased remuneration, at a less outlay for cost of production; if he wants an earlier season, with correspondingly higher prices; if he wants milder winters, all the year pasturage for his stock, improved health, increased bodily comforts, and wealth and prosperity he should go to Texas.

Send for pamphlet descriptive of the resources of this great state (mailed free). Low rate home seekers excursions via the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway on Tuesday, November 17th, December 1st and 15th, 1896. H. A. Cherrier, Northern Passenger Agent, 326 Marquette Building, Chicago, Ill.

There isn't anything we know that somebody didn't have to burn their fingers to find out.

Letters From Farmers

In South and North Dakota, relating their own personal experience in those States, have been published in pamphlet form by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and as these letters are extremely interesting, and the pamphlet is finely illustrated, one copy will be sent to any address, on receipt of two cent postage stamp. Apply to Geo. Heafford, General Passenger Agent, 410 Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

Begin small and work up, instead of beginning large and working down.

Get a Farm While Prices Are Low.

If you want a farm of your own now is the time to get one in Northern Wisconsin, along the line of the Lake Superior division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, where a sure crop can be raised each year, which can always be sold at good prices in the lumbering towns along the line of his railroad. Low prices; long time. Address C. E. Rollins, 161 La Salle street, Chicago.

It keeps the devil busy to hold his own against a praying mother.

Cow's Cough Balsam

Is the oldest and best. It will break up a Cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

Buttermilk is said to cure scratches on horses.

Good education is the foundation of happiness.

WOMEN WANT TO KNOW.

To Whom Can They Tell Their Troubles?

A Woman Answers "To Me"—Anxious Inquirers Intelligently Answered—Thousands of Grateful Letters.

Women regard it as a blessing that they can talk to a woman who fully understands their every ailment, and thus avoid the examinations, experiments and theories of incompetent physicians, whose sex deprives them of knowing by experience. The endless confidence placed in Mrs. Pinkham by American women, prompts them to seek her advice constantly.

Female diseases yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once. Inflammation, ulceration, falling and displacement of the womb, ovarian troubles, spinal weakness and kidney complaints, all have their symptoms, and should be nipped in the bud. Bearing-down pains, backache, headache, nervousness, pains in groins, lassitude, whites, irregularities, dread of impending evil, blues, sleeplessness, faintness, etc.

Here is testimony right to the point:

"The doctors told me that unless I went to the hospital and had an operation performed, I could not live. I had falling, enlargement and ulceration of the womb.

"I was in constant misery all the time; my back ached; I was always tired. It was impossible for me to walk far or stand long at a time. I was surely a wreck. I decided that I would give your Compound and Sanative Wash a trial.

"I took three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and used two packages of Sanative Wash, and I am now almost well. I am stouter and healthier than I have ever been in my life. My friends and neighbors and the doctors are surprised at my rapid improvement. I have told them all what I have been taking."—Mrs. Annetta Bickmeier, Bellaire, Belmont Co., O.

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Saved for two weeks will give you choice of several of our

Satin Lined Overcoats.

Seventy-Five Cents a Day

Saved for two weeks will give you choice of an

All Wool Kersey Overcoat.

Fifty Cents a Day

Saved for two weeks will give you your choice of a

Number of Men's Winter Suits.

Twenty-Five Cents

Saved for two weeks will give you your choice of many of our

Children's Knee Pant Suits.

Twenty-Five Cents for Mule skin Gloves.

Twenty Boys' Overcoats at Your Own Price.

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Clothing House,

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Art and Crown Laurel Base Burners.....

Are the Best. Come and see why. A Large Line of Wood Heaters will interest you while Coal is high.

Everyone should have a Challenge Oil Heater: They will do All that is claimed for them.

Oil Cloths in a Variety of Patterns, Prices and Sizes.

Prime Timothy Seed at $1.65 per bushel.

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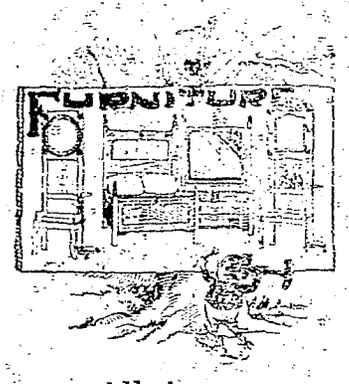

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If you buy a Stove, or in fact anything in the Hardware Line, without first getting my prices.

Can Save You Money

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Our new Air-Tight Heaters are the Best and Cheapest on the Market.

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Choice line of Cigars.

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66 Main Street, Northville.

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Notices under this head inserted for 15c first issue and 10c per week for each subsequent issue.

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FOR SALE—Cider Barrels, at 141 Main St. W. C. Gardner. 12w3

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FOR SALE, CHEAP—A one horse phaeton in good condition. Very cheap. Apply to C. J. Holt, Northville.

Apple Barrels for Sale

We are now ready to deliver barrels. First come, first served. C. O. CHADWICK. 41f

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PURELY PERSONAL.

NORTHVILLE.

E. A. Merritt visited his mother in Pontiac Monday.

N. H. Power of Detroit visited among Northville friends Monday.

Miss Inez Rockwell of Detroit is visiting among Northville friends.

M. Artley of Carleton was a guest at the home of D. R. Evans last week.

Mrs. F. S. Neal has been visiting in Detroit and Monroe county for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Parks of South Lyon were Northville visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Gillis of Morenci has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Becker, 68 Main street.

Prof. D. C. Bliss attended the Wayne county teachers meet at Wayne last week Saturday.

Emery Beel of Ypsilanti visited at the home of his mother in this village two days last week.

Miss Marion Jenkins of Portland who has been visiting Miss Phebe Beal has returned home.

Mrs. E. J. Furman of Wixom is spending a week or two with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Seaton.

Mrs. L. D. Evans returned home Monday from Janesville, Wis., where she has been the past few weeks.

C. D. Clark, B. G. Elkins, Archie Johnson and A. T. Stewart took in the election returns in Detroit Tuesday night.

Misses Maud Jackson of Owosso, Edith Allen of Holly and Matie Whipple of Salem were guests at the home of Mrs. L. N. Starkweather, Tuesday.

Miss Nella Lee of Plymouth left yesterday for a months visit among relatives in and about Rochester and Canandagua, N. Y. She was recently one of Northville's young ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cook have moved to Franklin where they will keep house for Mrs. Cook's father, Daniel Watts. Mrs. Cook's mother, Mrs. Watts, died last week Wednesday and was buried Friday.

Messrs. W. H. Yerkes, Jas. Hamilton and Claude Shafer of this place and Geo. B. Yerkes of Detroit and R. C. Yerkes of Milford left Tuesday for Odsville where they will enjoy a brief hunt in the forests that abound thereabout.

A good horse blanket for 65c at Whipple & Son's.

SMASHED HIS FOOT

Wm. Roberts Did in a Hay Press Last Week Friday.

Wm. Roberts who lives a few miles north-west of the village caught his foot in the hay press that he was working last week Friday afternoon and the flesh was crushed in a horrible manner, though fortunately no bones were seriously injured. For several days amputation was thought to be necessary but the attending physician now considers that he will get along all right. He was brought to this village and is at present with relatives on Cady street.

¼ off on Trunks and Valises for ten days at Whipple & Son's.

It Grows

As a cure for constipation and indigestion Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin grows rapidly in favor where introduced. Children love its taste, for it is so pleasant. Trial size 10c. Regular size 50c and $1.00 of Geo. C. Hueston.

Condensed Testimony.

Chas. B. Hood, broker and manufacturer's agent, Columbus, Ohio, certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop. St. James Hotel, Ft. Wayne, Ind., testifies that he has cured a cough of two years standing, caused by la grippe, by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. Merrill, Baldwinsville, Mass., says that he has used and recommended it and never knew it to fail and would rather have it than any doctor because it always cures. Mrs. Hemming, 222 E. 25th street, Chicago, always keeps it at hand and has no fear of croup, because it instantly relieves. Free trial bottles at Geo. C. Hueston's Drug Store.

While Your Talking

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Reg. Price.		Closing Out Price.
50c	4 Rolls Batts	40c
16c	2 Balls Cotton	12c
19c	11 yds Gingham	15c
$3.37	56½ yds Print	$2.75
3.25	6½ yds Dress Flannel	1.95
8c	2 Spools Thread	5c
2c	Pins	2c
20c	2 pair Socks	40c
15c	1 pair Hose	15c
24c	4 yds Sheeting	22c
1.00	2 Boys Shirts	74c
65c	2 pair Boys' Drawers	50c
1.71	6 Misses Vests	1.14
1.00	2 Ladies Vests	70c
$10.33		$8.42

This was an Actual Sale.

Come Thou and do Likewise.

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85 Main Street.

Day after Day

New Goods are constantly being received. Our Stock is the Largest and Best Selected. Our Prices are 25 to 40 per cent Lower than elsewhere for

Equal Excellent Quality. Straightforward Dealing, Money Back on Demand,

has made Our Store Headquarters for Highest Class

Jewelry, Books and Silverware at Lowest Possible Prices.

Scientific Opticians. Reliable Repairing.

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We are headquarters for

Felts, Socks, Mishawaka Knit Boots, Boston Rubbers, Overshoes, and a Full Line of Warm Lined Shoes.

Lycoming Non-Snag Boots are the Best.

Gents' Underwear, Gloves and Mittens, all Styles and the Price is always the Cheapest.

Have you tried a pair of John Kelly's Fine Shoes for Ladies? Every pair warranted.

STARK BROS., the Shoemen.

Agents for W. L. Douglas' $3 Shoes.

Bran.

We are selling Bran for

60 cts - per 100

$10 pr Ton, in Ton Lots

Have a few choice barrels of the Celebrated "Gold Lace Flour constantly on hand.

YERKES BROS.,

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Clothing to Order.

Yes, and it is time to order it. If you don't know just where, call at Boyer's and you have no further doubts on the subject. Our New Suits and Overcoats are Dress Creations, never excelled in Wool.

I am second to No Tailoring House in this country. My Measure and Workmanship, My Style, My Suitings and My Prices are Five Grand Points in the Encyclopædia of Dress. Your attire will never be criticised if I produce it. Call and see.

Adolph Boyer's,

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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.

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Fresh. Sat Smoked Meats.

Highest Market Price for Hides & Pelts

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ELECTION

Is Over

The public has celebrated, ratified and paid their election bets.

Now suppose we get to Business.

Do you know about our assortment of Dress Goods? The Black goods in particular, from 25c to $2 per yard, these are late arrivals. And we have a lot of nice $1 goods to sell at 75c per yard. And a

50-in. Black Serge at 39c yd.

You can pay 60c for no better goods than these.

Our Cloaks

are getting a reputation, enthusiastic praises from home customers; Plymouth, South Lyon, Wixom Farmington and other places. We are here to serve you, and to faithfully do so we must sell as good and as cheap as any of our city competitors. We have the pick of 11 cloak factories (the best garments made by each) and can show you a varied assortment.

Cut Prices on Staples.

About 20 pieces Tennis Flannels, "English" "Teazledowns," Etc., value 6c to 9c, to clean out the pile

5c per yard.

A lot of prints 3c yd
5 pieces double fold Cotton Dress Goods 5c yd
Atlantic 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting 15c yd

This is the place to buy Dry Goods.

Holmes, Dancer & Co.

"The American Home, the Safeguard of American Liberties."

EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

Northville Loan & Building Ass'n

OCTOBER 12TH, 1896.

RECEIPTS.

From Oct. 14, '95 to Oct. 12, '96.

Installments	$2,986.05	
Interest on Loans	1,053.91	
Fines	11.11	
Interest on Deposits	43.18	
Transfer Fees	.30	
Loans Repaid	1,350.00	
Membership Fees	3.10	
Pass Book Fees	3.00	
Overpaid in Repaym't of L'ns	$1.96	
Premium on Repaid Loans	154.76	
Taxes and Insurance	2.30	
Cash Over	.93	
		$6,070.84
On hand Oct. 14, '95		906.92
		$6,977.76

DISBURSEMENTS.

From Oct. 14, '95 to Oct. 12, '96.

Mtge and Stock Loans	$3,339.25	
Withdrawals	2,791.61	
Interest on Withdrawals	330.36	
Loans Overpaid	$1.99	
Taxes and Insurance	2.30	
Expenses: Sal's & Post'ls $112.25; Other Expenses 39.50	151.75	
		$6,688.23
On hand Oct. 12, '96		289.53
		$6,977.76

RESOURCES.

Mortgage Loans	$22,431.63
Stock Loans	375.00
Fixtures	10.00
Cash	289.53
Delinquent Int. and Fines	59.15
Delinquent Installments	95.74
	$23,261.05

LIABILITIES.

Installments ch'd to Stock-holders	$15,827.52
Installments paid in Advance	22.45
Unearned Premiums	2,107.46
Profit and Loss	7,299.68
Interest Overpaid	3.94
	$23,261.05

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is over.

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You can buy single, express or milk, surrey, light double, farm and lumber. Harness below actual value at Whipple & Son's.

NORTHVILLE LOCALS

Baptist social and silver contest tonight.

Now that election is over let us settle down to business, quick.

Methodist social and entertainment in the rink Nov. 13. It will be a novel affair.

The Globe factory shut down Saturday and many of the employes went to Detroit to see the big parade.

Mr. Montgomery had his foot smashed quite badly at the Dubuar factory where he was at work last week.

Frank Shafter of Plymouth is clerking at the Park hotel this week while Claude is on a hunting expedition.

The Standard Oil Co. has put on a second supply wagon from their tanks here for Farmington and vicinity.

A cabbage but eight inches through and which weighed 19 lbs. is a sample of what Mr. Whitaker raised this year.

The F&PM people have taken down their water tank which has done duty at the depot here for years and moved the same to Plymouth.

LOTM will hold their next regular meeting Tuesday evening, Nov. 10. Every member is requested to be present. By order of L. C.

To pay an election bet Postmaster Downer wheeled Lyman Yerkes from the opera house square to Murdock's drug store Wednesday morning.

Invitations are out announcing the young people's social party to be held at Princess rink next Thursday evening a very pleasant time is anticipated.

C. G. Curtiss Jr. of Plymouth gave a very good address at the men's meeting last Sunday. The speaker for next Sunday is W. H. Hutton. Go and hear him.

This hasn't really been a dull week for news, but there has been too much excitement for either the editor or the reporters to do even the ordinary work that comes their way.

The young people had a delightful hallowe'en hop at the rink last week Friday evening. About 25 couples were present. The opera house orchestra furnished the music.

To date Chas. Hamilton is the champion corn husker in this part of the diggings. In four hours one afternoon last week he husked 42 bushels, in one of Lyman Yerkes' fields and bound the stalks.

At the ordaining services at the Baptist church Friday evening many people admired the decorations which consisted of white chrysanthemums, palms and ferns loaned by our obliging Northside florist Mr. Dixon.

Jas. McFarlin will go barefoot for a while and buy $6.00 shoes for other people to wear; and Ralph Discrene is wearing two or three new hats since election on general results, and this isn't even a small portion of the lucky and unlucky ones.

To the already finely equipped job printing plant of the Record-Printery has just been added a number of the late type faces and another one of the latest improved Gordon presses adapted especially for fine work. The Record Printery will always keep abreast of the times.

There arrived at the F. & P. M. depot at this place one day last week a large bell from the American Bell Foundry Co., of Northville, which bore the following inscriptions: "Oakwood M. E. Church, destroyed by tornado May 25th. Rebuilt and dedicated Oct. 25th, 1896. Marion J. Carley pastor." "Let him that heareth say come."—Holly Advertiser.

The item in last week's Record referring to the township equalization referred to the report of the committee which was thought to be final so far as this town was concerned; but it appears that the board of supervisors had it in for old Plymouth still more and the valuation was raised from $2,854,112 for 1895 to $3,198,650 or an increase of $344,538. The total increase for the county was $666,939.

Election returns were received in the opera house up to two o'clock Wednesday morning. The crowd was very enthusiastic and loudly cheered every bulletin. The King's Daughters served luncheon and the Opera House orchestra enlivened the occasion with some fine music. On the stage behind the scenes the young people whiled away the time between the waits by tripping the light fantastic.

The business outlook is already brighter since the election. The price of wheat went up three cents on Wednesday, there was a rush for American securities in Europe and hoarded gold is already finding its way into circulation. Everybody will be glad to know this. There are no sore spots left on the silver party and they are now just as anxious for a general revival of business as are the "sound money" people.

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The annual report of the Loan & Building Association appears in this issue. The figures show that the stocks will arrive at maturity at about the end of nine years.

The advertised letters at the post office this week are for:
Mr. Herman Long.
Charley Myers.
Hon. M. A. Nathean,
Mr. A. B. Smith.
C. A. Downer, P. M.

The YMCL lecture course for the winter will probably be opened in about two weeks. The committee will start out early in the week to see if they can secure 100 season tickets and if they do they promise some excellent talent. Washington Gardner will be the first on the list. Watch for particulars.

"Sound money" men will hold a jollification meeting on Tuesday evening, Nov. 10, to celebrate the victory won at the polls on Nov. 3rd; the republicans fully appreciate the fact that the battle was not won by their party alone, and respectfully invite all sound money voters to join with them in the celebration. Neighboring towns are also invited. Under the auspices of the McKinley club. If the weather is unfavorable the meeting will be held Wednesday night instead.

Election passed off here very quietly yet there was much enthusiasm cropping out here and there and all over at various times. There were cast in this precinct 631 votes out of a registration of 732. The Plymouth precinct registered 649 votes and cast 473, or 176 less than registered while this precinct cast all the votes registered except 101. The republican majority in this precinct was 233 as shown for General Spalding. Plymouth's majority was 90. There were 9 ballots thrown out here because of improper marking or no marking at all. It seems strange that after all the instructions which the people of the United States have had on the way to vote correctly that there is a single voter who is yet in ignorance.

In order to touch off the GAR Post's new cannon properly on Tuesday night a committee ordered 200 pounds of powder or at least they supposed they did but the telephone made a change in the program and by the time the order reached the car of the powder man in Detroit it sounded like solder and solder it was. As solder wouldn't work in the cannon that implement of war was not touched off until a new supply of the correct explosive was procured Wednesday morning. Since the above was set up we learn that after the solder was received, powder was again telephoned for and solder was sent a second time. Seems as if any fool would know that on election day one would want powder and not solder.

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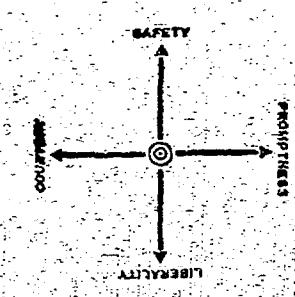

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Sound Money Wins in the Hard Struggle Against the Free Coinage of Silver at 16 to 1—Republican Landslide in Many States—Michigan in Line.

It was a landslide, an avalanche, which probably far exceeded the expectations of most of the Republicans themselves, which swept Hon. William McKinley, of Ohio, into the presidency and completely hurled the silver orator of Nebraska, William J. Bryan, under the deluge of votes.

The presidential campaign of 1896 will go down in history as one of the hardest fought battles, unique in a score of features, that the American people ever witnessed. The conventions which named the candidates for the White House were full of startling events. The questions which absorbed the attention of the 70,000,000 people were new ones, in that they had never before been made national issues. The nominees were men of great power among their respective followers. The methods of conducting the campaign canvass were novel, and the great divisions of the ranks of the leading parties made the discussions and speeches, and rallies and parades of the deepest interest to every citizen in the country.

All of these things, together with exceptionally fine weather in all parts of the country, called forth one of the largest votes ever polled and called out the voters early in the day, so that by noon nearly every state reported over two-thirds of the total poll received. The claims which the campaign committees continued to make showed that no correct estimate of the way the vote was going could be made except by the count of the ballots.

As the returns began to come in after the polls had soon became apparent that William McKinley, of Ohio, would be the man who, on March 4, 1897, would receive from the hands of Grover Cleveland the title to the proudest and highest position within the sovereign domain of the American republic. As the reports continued to increase in number and in scope it was seen that states which had been regarded as pivotal and vote really had voted for McKinley and Hobart and for sound money. Not only this, but states which had long been regarded as Democratic states went into the procession and helped swell the victory, for it was one.

The returns did not come in as rapidly as might be supposed under the favorable circumstances, but the later showing did not much alter the general results of the first figures and claims of successful candidate's managers.

The returns which follow are not quite complete from some states in the far west and in sections where communication is difficult, but it is positive that a sufficient number of states have declared for the Republican party to make certain the votes in the electoral college for McKinley. The states whose votes are sure for him are as follows:

California	8
Connecticut	6
Delaware	3
Illinois	21
Indiana	15
Iowa	13
Maine	6
Maryland	8
Massachusetts	15
Michigan	14
Minnesota	9
New Hampshire	4
New Jersey	10
New York	36
North Dakota	1
Ohio	23
Oregon	4
Pennsylvania	32
Rhode Island	4
South Dakota	4
Vermont	4
West Virginia	6
Wisconsin	12
Total	271

PRESIDENT-ELECT WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

VICE PRESIDENT-ELECT GARRETT J. HOBART.

RETURNS BY STATES.

The Showing Made by Reports Received—Ohio.

The Buckeye state is unquestionably in the parade and this year he is the leader. Hon. McKinley carried his own ward in Canton by 25 votes, but Grover Cleveland gave McKinley a majority in Buckeye county. The returns received by the Associated press give McKinley a plurality of 1[illegible] in Ohio. The returns from cities are a fair index of the returns from the country. It is admitted the Democratic vote, as cast for McKinley's plurality is estimated at 40,000. The largest Republican plurality ever given in Ohio was 24,000 for Garfield in 1880. The Democratic state committee claim gains over the vote of the last three years, when the Republicans had pluralities of 50,000 in '93, 137,000 in '94 and 92,000 in '95. The Democrats claim from four to five of the twenty-one congressmen and the Republicans concede three congressmen to them.

New York.

McKinley and Hobart have made a clean sweep of the Empire state. The Democratic plurality of 45,000 in 1892 was reversed, and the unprecedented plurality of 285,000 has been rolled up for the Republicans. Tammany's enormous majority in this city has been overcome, and this stronghold of the Democracy has given a plurality of 21,000 for McKinley. The Republicans have elected twenty-eight Republican congressmen to the Democrats six. They will have about 21 out of the 150 members of the state assembly, and the election of a Republican to succeed David B. Hill in the United States senate is assured.

Pennsylvania.

Returns from Pennsylvania counties come in very slowly, but indications from figures received show a plurality in the state for McKinley of nearly 300,000. The twenty-one congressional districts heard from show the election of twenty Republicans and one Democrat. With the two congressmen-at-large this gives the Republicans twenty-two congressmen certain, with chances even for them in most of the remaining eight districts.

Illinois.

This state was the scene of the most strenuous efforts by the silver presidential candidate to swing it into line, but to no avail. The entire Republican state ticket is elected by majorities ranging from 100,000 to 125,000. John R. Tanner for governor will get about 25,000 votes less than McKinley. The indications point to the election of Republican congressmen in all districts in the state except four. The Chicago congressional delegation will be solidly Republican. In that city out of a total of 315,[illegible] McKinley received 29,4[illegible] and W. J. Bryan 12,[illegible], giving McKinley a plurality of 17,[illegible] votes. Republicans will have a large majority in both houses of the legislature, which will thus elect a United States senator this winter to succeed Hon. M. Palmer.

Maine.

The election in Maine proved one of the quietest in the state's history. Certainly the returns showed a falling off in the Democratic vote and a slight increase in the Republican vote, which accounts in a great measure for a heavy Republican plurality estimated at 35,000. The vote cast for Palmer and Buckner was not as heavy as anticipated.

Massachusetts.

The indications are that McKinley has carried Massachusetts by 70,000. Wolcott, for governor, runs behind McKinley, but is elected. The congressmen elected are: Democrats, one, and Republicans, nine, with one district in doubt. The legislature is overwhelmingly Republican.

Connecticut.

Returns from every town in the 168 in Connecticut, with the exception of one, indicate that McKinley has carried the state by about 30,000. The next general assembly will be overwhelmingly Republican. In twenty-four senatorial districts none Democratic candidate has been elected. In the house of representatives there will be less than forty Democrats.

New Hampshire.

New Hampshire returns came in very slowly on account of the number of names on the ballot, but each precinct reported showed a gain for McKinley and indicated McKinley's plurality to be 20,000. Ramsdell, for governor, ran behind the McKinley electors, but he will have the largest plurality ever given a Republican governor in New Hampshire. The legislature will be overwhelmingly Republican in both branches, and the five councilor districts and probably all of the senatorial districts but one are Republican.

Rhode Island.

The state has given McKinley an overwhelming majority. The Democrats themselves admit McKinley has a plurality of 15,000, while the Republicans claim 25,000, the highest plurality ever given in Rhode Island, as the vote is the largest cast.

Vermont.

Early returns from the state were very meager. All received showed considerable Republican gain, and indicated a plurality of 35,000 for the total vote.

Indiana.

Hoosierdom was denied the legitimate claim of both parties, but Bryan was caught in a landslide and showed made by a majority of 9,000 for McKinley and sound money. The entire Republican state ticket is elected. The legislature is Republican in both branches.

Wisconsin.

From advices received at headquarters the Republicans claim that Wisconsin will give McKinley at least 10,000 plurality, elect the Republican state ticket by about the same figures, and send back nine out of ten members of congress.

New Jersey.

Although this state is the home of the Democratic candidate for vice-president, the Democrats claimed they were able to carry it, but they fell down and the electors stuck to for McKinley and Hobart, and have them about 10,000 more votes than the other tickets received.

The latest returns from the several counties with proportionate vote made for the unexpired portions indicate that McKinley will carry the state by from 45,000 to 50,000.

The Republicans elect six of the congressmen with indications that Gilmore, Rep., has unseated the fourth district by 1,[illegible].

Kansas.

Republicans claim the state, and Chamberlain has carried the state, and Chamberlain in Sedgwick is in the Republican column. It will be elected by from 200 to 300. Bradstreet, Populist chairman, claims 150 counties of the state and [illegible] by from one to 16 votes.

Louisiana.

Election returns coming in slowly, but no indications are that the Democrats have made a clean sweep, electing the congressional delegation, and that Bryan has carried the state by good majority.

The election yesterday was the most peaceable and quiet ever held in the state. In the country parishes the Australian ballot had the effect of keeping many negroes away from the polls resulting in a light vote. Bryan's majority in New Orleans is [illegible]. His majority in the state may exceed [illegible]. A full Democratic delegation is elected to congress.

Delaware.

Returns from Delaware are still incomplete in detail, but enough is known to definitely state that south McKinley carries the state by 1,500 to 1,600 majority. He may lose one Elector, James G. Shaw, Sr., whose name was printed without the affix of "Sr." on the Regular Republican ticket. The Democratic, Democrat, for governor is elected over Hoffecker and Higgins, the local Republican nominees, by only [illegible]. The legislature is Democratic on joint ballot, even should the Republicans carry Kent county, which is still close with chances favoring the Democrats.

Colorado.

As was expected, Colorado has given Bryan a large plurality, probably 10,000, and Adams (Dem.) has without doubt been elected governor. The interest in the election in the state centered in the state tickets of which there were several representing a great variety of interests.

California.

California has joined the east in the McKinley landslide, and his majority for the Republican standard bearer will reach at least [illegible]. Many of the counties have not yet sent in returns, but the more populous and those on which the fate of the election hinged have all been heard from. The total vote of San Francisco gives McKinley a plurality. Four years ago the city gave Cleveland 1,[illegible] plurality. Latest returns from the congressional contest in California indicate that the Republicans will have nearly unanimous majority on joint ballot.

Minnesota.

Reports received show that Republican claims of a 100,000 majority for McKinley were not far from correct. The entire Republican state ticket will also be elected. Gov. Clough, the [illegible] candidate, has probably been defeated by not less than 10,000.

Missouri.

Returns from Missouri but yet come slowly coming since. The city of St. Louis gives McKinley about 10,000 majority. Same for the Republican state ticket. Kansas City, St. Joseph and other cities did very well, the majority Republican candidates. The 30,000 in the large free silver Democratic gain in the nine mining districts, and also in large free silver Democratic gain in southwest Missouri, Republican strongholds, drew the state to Bryan.

Montana.

Returns in the different counties received so far would indicate that out of a total vote of nearly 40,000 Bryan's majority will be about [illegible].

Virginia.

State Chairman J. Taylor Ellyson says Virginia will go for Bryan by half her usual majority—about 20,000.

Utah.

The county is slow, but a Salt Lake dispatch says Bryan carries the state by about 10,000 majority, and a Democratic senator will be returned.

Mississippi.

Mississippi gives Bryan majority of 50,000. The vote for Watson will not exceed 10,000. The seven Democratic candidates for congress are elected by majorities ranging from 1,000 to 5,000.

Nebraska.

McKinley carries Bryan's home precinct in Lincoln and had a majority of nearly 1,000 in the city. Chairman Lahman, of the Nebraska Democratic state committee, telephoned Mr. Bryan from Omaha headquarters that the state was safe for him and for Gov. Holcomb's re-election by from 12,000 to 15,000 majority. Dahlman also claims all six congressmen except in the Omaha district, whose possible defeat he concedes.

North Carolina.

Clement A. Manley, chairman of the state Democratic committee, says: "Bryan has carried this state by 20,000. Silver congressmen are elected in all but two districts. The contest over the governorship is very close, with chances favoring Watson, the Democratic nominee. Legislature will probably be anti-Democratic by small majority."

North Dakota.

There is every indication that the state will give from 3,000 to 5,000 Republican majority. Johnson is re-elected congressman and the whole Republican state ticket is elected. This is one of the surprises of the election, as the indications were that the state ticket would run 2,000 behind McKinley.

South Dakota.

Returns are hard to get. Out of 30,000 votes reported McKinley has 1,[illegible] majority. The gain in the Bryan vote over estimates is 20 per cent thus far, while McKinley's gain is only 3 per cent. If this [illegible] holds McKinley will have a majority. All of the towns of importance gave McKinley good majorities.

Washington.

Sullivan, Republican candidate for governor, concedes the election of Rogers, his fusion opponent. Bryan and fusion state ticket have already apparently carried the state by a majority of less than 5,000, and will control the legislature.

West Virginia.

McKinley will but fall far behind a 20,000 majority, when the final count is made and the campaign managers claim even more.

The count is slow, but semi-official reports from about half the state show Republican gains everywhere, and there is now no longer any doubt that McKinley has carried West Virginia. At Republican headquarters the statement is given out that it is now only a question of majority. Dayton, congressman first district, is certainly re-elected, and the Republicans claim all three of the others, the legislature and state ticket.

Incomplete returns show Republican gains and elections certainly 15,000 Republican plurality. All four Republican congressmen are probably elected by increased majorities. Atkinson, Republican, for governor, and the entire Republican state ticket elected and both branches of the legislature are Republican.

Oregon.

The heaviest vote ever polled in the history of the state was polled this year. The chairman of the Republican state central committee claims McKinley's majority will be anywhere from 5,000 to 8,000.

South Carolina.

Bryan carries the state by about 25,000 majority.

Texas.

After a careful count of all election returns received it is undoubtedly a fact that the Democrats will win the state, national ticket and congressional by small majorities in all save the tenth and twelfth congressional districts, which are conceded to the Republicans.

Kentucky.

The latest complexion of the state has given a majority of at least 5,000 for McKinley, elected a Republican legislature, and most of the congressmen are Republicans. It is only a question of majority in Kentucky, for the state's electoral vote has gone for McKinley by a majority of probably 25,000, although Chairman Roberts, of the Republican committee, says it will reach 35,000.

Later reports say that McKinley has carried Kentucky by a small plurality. The counties not reported include some strong Republican as well as strong silver counties, but the heavy Republican wins everywhere seem to make the state safe for McKinley, though the result may be close. Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge is elected by 25 votes.

Iowa.

One dispatch says: Advices received from all parts of Iowa confirm the predictions made. The Republicans certainly have carried the state by upwards of 50,000 plurality, and have elected the entire congressional delegation.

Maryland.

Specials from Maryland points indicate that the second, third, fourth and sixth congressional districts are certainly Republican, the first probably Democratic and the fifth in doubt. In the latter district Mudd, Rep., may be defeated, although the district will give a majority for McKinley. The state will give McKinley about 10,000 majority.

Tennessee.

The solid south gets a blow by Tennessee giving McKinley a majority which reaches almost 12,000.

Returns, though only partial, show a large vote by both political parties for president, with the Democrats holding their own, or increasing their majorities, as compared with the vote in 1892. The most information obtainable at this hour is that Bryan has carried the state by a safe majority. The Republican committee admits that Bryan has carried the state. As between Taylor, Democrat, and Tillman, Republican, for governor, the vote is close, and both parties claim a victory.

Later reports say that Tennessee will be close and may go to Bryan. The state is claimed by both parties. If the fusion ticket of Republicans, Middle-of-the-road Populists and sound money Democrats is carried, as is believed in national Republican headquarters, it means 12 electoral votes more for McKinley.

Nevada.

Returns come in very slow owing to poor means of communication, but silver undoubtedly won the day.

Georgia.

Returns so far show that Chatham county, in which Savannah is located, has gone for McKinley. Marion county, heretofore Democratic, has also gone Republican. Despite these gains Bryan carries the state.

THE MAKE-UP OF CONGRESS.

Republicans Will Control the House and Probably the Senate.

The national congress will be composed mostly of Republicans. From returns received the following tables are made up showing the probable standing of both houses:

The Senate.

States.	Republican.	Democratic.	Populist.	Democratic and Populist.
Alabama		2		
Arkansas	2			
California	1	1		
Colorado	1			1
Connecticut	2			
Delaware	1			
Florida	2			
Georgia	2			
Idaho	1			1
Illinois	2			
Indiana	1	1		
Iowa	2			
Kansas	1		1	
Kentucky	1			1
Louisiana	2			
Maine	2			
Maryland	1	1		
Massachusetts	2			
Michigan	2			
Minnesota	2			
Mississippi		2		
Missouri	2			
Montana	1			1
Nebraska	1	1		
Nevada	1	1		
New Hampshire	2			
New Jersey	1			1
New York	2			
North Carolina	2			2
North Dakota	1			
Ohio	1			1
Oregon	2			
Pennsylvania	2			
Rhode Island	2			
South Carolina		2		
South Dakota	1			1
Tennessee		2		
Texas		2		
Utah			1	1
Vermont	2			
Virginia	2	2		
Washington			2	
West Virginia	1			1
Wisconsin	1	1		
Wyoming	1			1
Totals	42	22	1	7

The House.

States.	Republican.	Democratic.	Populist.	Democratic and Populist.
Alabama		6		9
Arkansas		6		
California	3	2		2
Colorado			2	
Connecticut	4			
Delaware				1
Florida		2		
Georgia		8		1
Idaho			1	
Illinois	21			
Indiana	10			3
Iowa	11			
Kansas	1	1	3	3
Kentucky	4	6		1
Louisiana	1	3		2
Maine	4			
Maryland	4	3		
Massachusetts	12	1		
Michigan	12			1
Minnesota	4			3
Mississippi		7	2	1
Missouri	2	1	2	17
Montana	1		1	1
Nebraska		1	1	1
Nevada			1	
New Hampshire	2			
New Jersey	7			1
New York	29	5		
North Carolina	2		5	2
North Dakota	1			
Ohio	16	3		2
Oregon	2			
Pennsylvania	27	2		1
Rhode Island	2			1
South Carolina		7		
South Dakota	2			2
Tennessee		8		2
Texas		7		3
Utah			1	1
Vermont	2			
Virginia	2	8		2
Washington			1	
West Virginia	4			
Wisconsin	8			1
Wyoming			1	
Totals	204	86	21	64

HOW M'KINLEY TOOK IT.

The News of His Election Did Not Surprise Him in the Least.

At Canton was astir at an early hour to-day for the culmination of the struggle in which it has figured so prominently. Bands and marching clubs were on the street by 8 o'clock summoning voters to cast their ballots early. It was an ideal fall day, cool and balmy, with the haze of Indian summer in the air. Maj. McKinley was about by 7 o'clock. As the major came from his breakfast to the library an influence in bringing out a full vote. Then he sat down to his desk to run through the heap of telegrams which already had begun to come in. At 8 o'clock a telephone from the McKinley troop asked the governor if he would go to the polls with the troop as an escort. He acknowledged the courtesy, but said he wished to go as a private citizen and suggested that the troop march to the house, and he would review them on the way to the polls. The invitation was eagerly accepted. As Maj. McKinley stepped down the front walk to the curb shouts and cheers went up from the marchers, and as the cheers continued he waved his handkerchief. "Three cheers for the next president," were added, and then the marchers moved to the polls.

The Republican nominee started for the polls at 8:30. He was accompanied by Abner McKinley and his nephew, Samuel Saxton. Men raised their hats as he passed and [illegible] on the residence steps waved their well wishes. At each salutation the major raised his hat and smiled back in acknowledgment. As he entered the small store in which the booths are located there was a stir of excitation among the officials and a mild [illegible] of applause. The nominee took his place in the line, and the systematic march of the Australian balloting proceeded in truly democratic fashion. William McKinley, 723 North Market street, called the inspector just as the clock marked 9. The major stepped forward and received his ballot. He then moved through the enclosure to the curtained booths in the rear and stepped into the first one. For just one minute and eighteen seconds he was in the booth. When he emerged and deposited his ballot and then, having exercised his American privilege as a voter, Maj. McKinley and his brother walked down to Tuscarawas street to greet the white-haired mother, 88 years old, who is a keen observer of the scenes in which her son is playing so large a part.

Mr. McKinley spent the afternoon with Chairman Hanna and his party, with the local committee, which was photographed on the McKinley porch with the major as the central figure. At 4 o'clock Mr. Hanna and his associates left for Cleveland, Mr. McKinley accompanying him to the train. Just as the party was leaving the house a bulletin brought the first actual returns, those of a Boston precinct, which showed a heavy McKinley majority. Throughout the day and evening personal telegrams came from all directions showing cheering assurances. At 6 o'clock definite returns began to come in and preparations were made for reading them aloud in the McKinley library, the doors being open to all who chose to come in. The major sat at his desk smoking a cigar, listening attentively to each bulletin, but showing no outward concern as to the result. At 7 o'clock Maj. McKinley retired for his supper, while the reading of returns proceeded. Up to that time he had made no comment on the returns further than to say that the bulk of them came from the east thus far. When the favorable returns from Maine and Nebraska were read he set impressive and apparently oblivious to the exclamations of approval from the friends crowded about him.

The character of the private dispatches and general returns receiving the McKinley house were such that a feeling of absolute confidence took possession of those centered in the major's library. The evening was spent reading the bulletins and congratulatory telegrams, and it was 9 o'clock before the president-elect retired.

PINGREE A WINNER.

Elected Governor by a Big Majority and Carries the Ticket With Him.

Michigan has had her share in contributing to the election of McKinley and Hobart, and has rolled up a big majority against the free coinage of silver. Mayor Hazen S. Pingree, of Detroit, has been elected governor by a large vote which

Governor Hazen S. Pingree.

shows plainly that his popularity with the masses of the state is as great as with his admirers in the wealthiest metropolis. The districts and counties which were counted upon most strongly by the silver men to carry the state for Bryan have one and all given pluralities for the state and national Republican ticket, which were unexpected, to say the least.

The vote for presidential electors and for governor, by counties, as near as can be given until the full official returns are made, was as follows:

Counties.	President. McKinley. (Rep.)	President. Bryan. (Dem.)	Governor. Pingree. (Rep.)	Governor. Maybury. (Dem.)
Alcona	605	582	605	581
Alger	565	49	565	49
Allegan	5820	2879	4179	2574
Alpena	1175	1561	1180	1531
Antrim	1529	1529	1525	1133
Arenac	850	1250	850	1259
Baraga	616	457	607	449
Barry	2611	2460	2650	2391
Bay	8701	5916	8859	5513
Benzie	1155	571	1119	558
Berrien	6727	4000	6270	3[illegible]
Branch	3595	3974	3704	3882
Calhoun	5190	5490	5160	5[illegible]
Cass	2613	2675	2700	2659
Charlevoix	1582	956	1595	953
Cheboygan	1095	1120	1095	1110
Chippewa	1860	640	1700	850
Clare	850	750	850	750
Clinton	3002	3360	3022	2[illegible]
Crawford	302	375	335	365
Delta	2570	824	2400	903
Dickinson	2510	500	2541	465
Eaton	3751	4334	3875	3306
Emmet	1259	959	1251	959
Genesee	5617	4933	5511	4152
Gladwin	750	519	781	314
Gogebic	1738	895	1700	830
Gd. Traverse	2467	1558	1652	1041
Gratiot	2929	2529	2910	2700
Hillsdale	3721	3213	3830	3[illegible]
Houghton	4174	2939	4154	2939
Huron	2328	1825	2375	1775
Ingham	4270	4500	4230	4500
Ionia	4503	4753	4547	4677
Iosco	1757	1250	1750	1245
Iron	1495	592	1428	672
Isabella	2219	2556	2227	2503
Jackson	5250	5650	5550	5650
Kalamazoo	5917	6527	5732	5498
Kalkaska	850	350	850	350
Kent	14625	11574	14731	11218
Keweenaw	410	45	400	50
Lake	925	675	960	650
Lapeer	3440	2440	3460	2420
Leelanau	950	370	950	350
Lenawee	6735	6210	6800	6194
Livingston	2735	2625	2750	2620
Luce	225	125	320	125
Mackinac	655	610	686	622
Macomb	3300	3200	3300	3200
Manistee	2706	2450	2755	2433
Marquette	5167	2000	5329	1935
Mason	1700	1350	1725	1275
Mecosta	2100	1450	2150	1350
Menominee	1800	1500	1800	1200
Midland	1126	1166	1171	1114
Missaukee	754	697	917	683
Monroe	2555	4007	3804	2731
Montcalm	3553	2519	3807	2543
Montmorency	512	318	512	313
Muskegon	4652	3112	4758	2555
Newaygo	2500	1707	2527	1579
Oakland	5538	6053	5705	5035
Oceana	2[illegible]	1537	2175	1312
Ogemaw	627	572	625	565
Ontonagon	962	637	970	630
Osceola	1650	629	1600	6[illegible]
Oscoda	350	125	270	115
Otsego	701	400	[illegible]	324
Ottawa	4200	2500	4300	2800
Presque Isle	736	1361	754	1350
Roscommon	350	250	370	210
Saginaw	8417	8739	[illegible]	8242
Sanilac	3925	3102	3770	2989
Schoolcraft	900	500	[illegible]	500
Shiawassee	4590	4370	[illegible]	4214
St. Clair	6500	4500	6500	4350
St. Joseph	2751	2575	2750	2517
Tuscola	4145	3021	3974	2911
Van Buren	3128	2741	4[illegible]	3[illegible]
Washtenaw	[illegible]	5[illegible]	[illegible]	4912
Wayne	32912	2[illegible]	40713	2[illegible]
Wexford	1357	1520	1700	1[illegible]
Totals	297616	2[illegible]	293621	2[illegible]

Michigan Congressmen.

The Republican candidates for congress won out in ten of the twelve districts, the silver men carrying only the third and eighth districts. The vote was as follows:

In the first John B. Corliss, of Detroit, received 2,[illegible] votes and Edward Kanderson 1,[illegible].

In the second George Spalding, of Monroe, defeated Thomas E. Barkworth by a vote of 2,[illegible] to 2,[illegible].

The third favored Albert M. Todd, of Kalamazoo, the silver candidate, and turned down Alfred Haines, [illegible] to [illegible].

New Hamilton, of Berrien, defeated Roman L. Jarvis in the fourth, his plurality being 2,[illegible].

Wm. Alden Smith, of Kent, was honored in the fifth by being given 2,[illegible] votes against 25 for George P. Hummer.

In the sixth the Smiths had it out among themselves, S. M. of Oakland, defeating O. A. by a vote of 1,[illegible] to [illegible].

The seventh chose Horace G. Shover, of Huron, as its congressman in preference to O'Brien J. Atkinson, and gave him a plurality of 4,[illegible].

F. A. Brucker, of Saginaw, the silver candidate, had the honor of turning Wm. S. Linton down in the eighth with a plurality of 516.

Sound money had it all its own way in the ninth district, and Roswell P. Bishop, of Mason, will represent it in congress. His plurality is given as 4,[illegible].

Rossiau O. Crump, of Bay, received 2,[illegible] votes to 1,[illegible] for C. S. Hampton, in the tenth.

In the eleventh W. S. Mesick, of Antrim, defeated J. C. Ramsdell with 4,[illegible] plurality.

It remained for the twelfth to break the record, however, and it was done by giving C. E. Shelden, of Marquette, a plurality of 11,[illegible] over H. W. Seymour.

The State Legislature.

In the two branches of the Michigan legislature the Republicans will control by large majorities. The roster of the houses will be as follows:

The Senate.

First District—Arthur L. Holmes, Rep.
Second—W. C. Thompson, Rep.
Third—C. W. Moore, Rep.
Fourth—S. J. Lawrence, Rep.
Fifth—William Dodt, Rep.
Sixth—E. B. Dunwick, S. D.
Eighth—J. W. Alexander, Rep.
Ninth—George S. Woolley, S. D.
Tenth—Andrew Campbell, R. P.
Eleventh—D. H. Westcott, Rep.
Twelfth—Fred M. Warner, Rep.
Thirteenth—George W. Steele, Rep.
Fourteenth—W. M. Kipatrick, Rep.
Fifteenth—Frank Merrill, Rep.
Sixteenth—R. B. Loomis, Rep.
Seventeenth—S. D. Barnard, Rep.
Eighteenth—R. R. Wendt, Rep.
Nineteenth—Cicero Hodge, S. D.
Twenty—[illegible] D. Warner, Rep.
Twenty-first—John E. Preston, Rep.
Twenty-second—Al. Youngs, S. D.
Twenty-third—William Calkins, R. P.
Twenty-fourth—Alex. Forsyth, S. D.
Twenty-fifth—W. L. Lilliner, Rep.
Twenty-sixth—James K. Flood, Rep.
Twenty-seventh—George O. Goodell, R. P.
Twenty-eighth—G. A. Prescott, Rep.
Twenty-ninth—E. C. Barnum, Rep.
Thirtieth—Richard Mason, Rep.
Thirty-first—Alex. Maitland, Rep.
Thirty-second—D. W. Robinson, Rep.

The House of Representatives.

Allegan—1, L. F. Otis, Rep.; 2, H. P. Buskirk, Rep.
Alpena—H. K. Austin, Rep.
Antrim—Wm. H. Harris, Rep.
Barry—Myron Wing, Rep.
Bay—1, John Donovan, S. D.; 2, George L. Lusk, Rep.; 3, John Washer, S. D.
Berrien—1, S. L. Van Camp, Rep.; 2, E. S. Williams, Rep.
Branch—C. G. Babcock, Rep.
Calhoun—1, H. A. Clute, S. D.; 2, E. W. Moore, Rep.
Cass—L. B. Wood, Rep.
Cheboygan district—Frank Shepherd, Rep.
Chippewa district—James Connors, Rep.
Clinton—N. A. Dryer, S. D.
Delta district—C. E. Fuller, Rep.
Dickinson district—George D. Crippen, Rep.
Eaton—1, Herbert Babcock; 2, L. H. Dickinson, Rep.
Genesee—1, S. C. Goodyear, Rep.; 2, W. R. Bates, Rep.
Gogebic district—F. C. Chamberlain, Rep.
Grand Traverse district—W. H. Foster, Rep.
Gratiot—Dewitt Vote, S. D.
Hillsdale—James Cousins, Rep.
Houghton—1, Charles Smith, Rep.; 2, George W. Rutson, Rep.
Huron—J. W. Middle, Rep.
Ingham—1, F. W. Mayer, Rep.; 2, M. Cond, S. D.
Ionia—1, James Scully, S. D.; 2, W. F. Bricker, S. D.
Iosco district—George E. Gilham, Rep.
Isabella—David Calhoon, S. D.
Jackson—1, A. J. Peck, Rep.; 2, Henry H. Tefft, S. D.
Kalamazoo—1, C. E. Foote, Rep.; 2, James Powers, S. D.
Kent—1, Charles W. McGill, Rep.; Jerry H. Anderson, Rep.; Edgar J. Adams, Rep.; 2, J. W. Shisler, Rep.; 3, R. D. Graham, Rep.
Lapeer—Henry Lee, Rep.
Lenawee—1, T. M. Cameron, Rep.; 2, W. R. Edgar, Rep.
Livingston—Frank E. Ives, Rep.
Macomb—1, W. C. Cowley, Rep.; 2, George B. Davis, Rep.
Manistee—C. W. Perry, Rep.
Marquette—1, William Peters, Rep.; 2, Samuel Billings, Rep.
Mason—J. N. Clark, Rep.
Mecosta—George W. Reed, Rep.
Menominee—W. J. Oberdorffer, Rep.
Midland district—W. D. Gordon, Rep.
Monroe—1, A. J. Weir, S. D.
Montcalm—1, A. L. Demis, Rep.; 2, C. A. Miller, Rep.
Muskegon—1, W. G. Kelly, Rep.; 2, G. E. Whitney, Rep.
Newaygo—1, J. Dudley, Rep.
Oakland—1, Judson Hammock, Rep.; 2, L. D. Lovewell, S. D.
Oceana—J. F. Widoe, Rep.
Osceola district—A. M. Fleischhauer, Rep.
Ottawa—1, Isaac Marsilje, Rep.; 2, Robert Alward, Rep.
Saginaw—1, Peters Berrig, Rep.; Seth Davis, S. D.; 2, John Baird, Rep.; 3, Benjamin Colvin, S. D.
Sanilac—1, Elmore Putnam, Rep.; 2, Richard Pearson, Rep.
Shiawassee—F. M. Sheppard, Rep.
St. Clair—1, C. M. Green, Rep.; 2, H. M. Zimmerman, Rep.; 3, Lewis Odette, Rep.
St. Joseph—Samuel Gibson, S. D.
Tuscola—1, C. A. Hoffmeister, Rep.; 2, L. E. Belknap, Rep.
Van Buren—C. C. Phillips, Rep.
Washtenaw—1, A. J. Sawyer, Rep.; 2, J. R. Campbell, Rep.
Wayne—1, John Atkinson, Rep.; Joseph Dickinson, Rep.; W. H. Wetherbee, Rep.; Henry Eichoff, Rep.; M. G. Moore, Rep.; A. E. Stewart, Rep.; L. A. Stoneman, Rep.; W. D. Jamary, Rep.; W. E. Molster, Rep.; Charles Petrowsky, Rep.; 2, E. B. Bryan, Rep.; 3, Solon Goodell, Rep.
Wexford district—John Colwell, Rep.

A REMARKABLE CASE.

ILL SINCE GIRLHOOD, NOW A PICTURE OF HEALTH.

From the Star, Valparaiso, Ind.

The attention of the Star having been called to several cases of radical cures effected by Dr Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, it was determined to investigate some of the more notable of these cases, with a view to disseminating exact information on the subject and benefiting others who were suffering. Prominent among those who had experienced benefits from the use of this remedy was mentioned Mrs. Mary Noren, wife of John Noren, a prosperous farmer, living northeast of Valparaiso, Ind., and to her a reporter was accordingly dispatched.

Mrs. Noren was found busily engaged in household duties, but she found time to detail her experience, and was willing and even anxious that the benefits she had felt should be told for the benefit of those who had suffered as she did.

"I had been ill since girlhood with a complication of complaints," said Mrs. Noren, "never so much as to be confined long in bed, but I suffered intense misery. My chief trouble was with my stomach. I felt a constant gnawing pain that was at times almost distracting, and which had been diagnosed by different physicians as dyspepsia and sympathetic derangement dependent on the condition of the generative organs. I had pains in the back, sometimes so great as to make me unable to work, and frequent bilious attacks. I also suffered greatly from constipation, from which I never could find permanent relief. Then these symptoms were aggravated by rheumatic pains between the shoulder blades, which were most excruciating in damp or cold weather. After my marriage about five years ago, and when my baby was born, the trouble seemed to increase, and I was frequently so sick that I could not do my household work. I tried different physicians and used numerous remedies but all in vain until one day last fall I happened to read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. My husband got three boxes from Mr. C. D. Rushton, the druggist, and I began to use them. From the first I began to feel relief, and before the three boxes were gone I was nearly well. The constipation was cured and the other troubles were so much relieved that I felt better than I had felt for years. As I continued in the use of the pills I grew better and stronger, my appetite was more natural, and my flesh increased, until I am in the condition you see me now."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100) by addressing Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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Wrap a soft cloth in vinegar and rub on smoky mica.

AT THE HOME OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

(Canton Letter.)

The verdict of the American people, rendered at the polls, has had very little perceptible effect on the daily routine of the home of the president-elect. Of course, the big daily delegations are no longer in evidence, but that deficiency is made up by the increased size of the daily mail which is now brought by the wagon load. Every letter is opened and answered with the same interest that attached to those that came by thousands during the long campaign.

The new conditions have not changed in the slightest the cordiality of the president-elect and the next mistress of the White House.

The family still rises at seven. At eight o'clock the mistress of the house, in the simplest of white gowns, with a cluster of purple heliotrope in her belt, enters the dining-room and takes her usual seat at her husband's side. There may be a guest or two present, and there is sure to be Mr. Sam Saxton, a good-looking nephew of Mrs. McKinley and an active aide of the Major. And sometimes Mrs. Saxton, the widowed aunt of Mrs. McKinley, drives in from her country home. Like of figure, on her wedding gown. The gown, by the way, she was able to wear, with slight alterations, at the silver wedding celebration of last January.

It is not often that a silver wedding is so really a beautiful and sacred anniversary as in this instance, and Ida Saxton, the lovely maiden in her bridal robes of white, with youth, health, wealth, and the man of her choice at her side, was not half so inspiring and rare a figure to contemplate as is today Ida McKinley, the frail, delicate and yet lovely woman, whose heart has been torn by the most cruel bereavements, and whose physical strength has been shattered by her afflictions, yet who in the happiness she has conferred and received in this quarter of a century, has been blessed above other women.

Every one knows by this time that Mrs. McKinley's bonnets are chosen by her husband, and as they both have most decided likes and dislikes, it is most fortunate that their tastes agree. Neither like red nor yellow. Indeed, yellow to Mrs. McKinley is so disagreeable that it affects her in a physical sense. Both are fond of pale blue, white, mauve, or soft pink. In consequence, the bonnets in question are apt to be of the most delicate colors. The major has also been heard to lay down as an axiom that no woman should wear a hat who cannot run. Is he right? Though he does make an exception, I believe, when it comes to fishing or gardening. As far as Mrs. McKinley is concerned, the axiom matters little, for she resembles the Princess of Wales in the fact that nothing could be more becoming to her than a bonnet.

HOME OF THE MCKINLEYS AT CANTON, O.

Every one knows that Major McKinley is a strikingly handsome man. Not merely in the sense of having statuesque features, unusual coloring, a stalwart frame, with something of the dash and nerve of the military man in his carriage, but in the fine, masterly chiseling of his face, the quick, half humorous, half earnest "glint of his een," and the rare smile with which he wins friends and melts enemies.

Towards women the president's manner is charming. It has both deference and understanding in it. Perhaps that is somewhat the result of the fine types which he has known best. His mother, that splendid specimen of vigorous and upright womanhood, stern perhaps, just surely, with a masculine determination and a feminine mercy. His sister Annie, of blessed memory, whose brilliant mind and sterling integrity left as lasting an impression on the community as did the self-sacrificing spirit that made her say: "William must have an education at any cost," and the gentle, brave, uncomplaining and intensely loving soul at his side—his wife Ida. Major McKinley's respect, his admiration for and his belief in woman is part of his creed, and for her advancement, her education, her protection in labor, her wages as a bread winner, which he, like all just men, holds should be the same as man's when the same amount of work is equally well done, and for the sanctity of her home is an earnest advocate. But his sentiments towards the sex have never been better expressed than in his response to the address he received on behalf of the women of Cleveland last July, in the course of which he said:

"It is in the quiet and peaceful walks of life where her power is greatest and most beneficial. One of the tenderest passages to me in the works of John Stuart Mills beautifully expresses this thought. It is recorded in his autobiography, when he paused to pay high and deserved tribute to his wife, of whom he could not speak too much, he said: 'She was not only the author of many of the best things I did, but she inspired every good thing I did.'"

Every one knew who the major had in mind at that moment, and it recalled a little incident that perfectly illustrates the life in that home upon which the eyes of the world are just now fixed with intense interest.

It was about the time of the silver wedding, on the night which was also a sort of house-warming at which the major and his wife welcomed their old friends into the same modest and cheery home in which they began housekeeping twenty-five years ago. Everybody enjoyed themselves immensely, for real hospitality reigned and the guests were tempted to stay late. But at last the final merry farewell had been said, the ringing of the sleighbells and the crunching of feet in the crisp snow outside had died away, and there reigned that sudden silence that follows a festivity ended.

The major strode to the open hearth and glanced over the cheerful room with its wreaths of holly and family pictures in their Christmas garlands of green, at the baskets and jars of beautiful flowers that had come from all over Ohio, at the great flags, which, soldier-like, he will have draped from the windows and piano. Then he looked at his wife; there was love and pride in his eyes, and in a tone of almost boyish satisfaction, he said: "Well, we did have a good time tonight, didn't we, dear?"

Mrs. McKinley leaned back against the dark red cushions. She was in her wedding gown of ivory satin with point lace, the very same gown and lace that she "stood up in" and looked a fair woman indeed. Always pale, her complexion seemed transparent, and only the color in her lips, the depth in her eyes and thick soft waves of hair, suggested any latent strength. Above all, she looked thoroughly happy, and that does more for a woman's looks than cosmetics, clothes or, even, some say, a clear conscience. She answered her husband with a glance and a single endearing word. It was all so natural, and so comforting to see two people, in this world full of married misery, so completely satisfied with each other that an aspiring young novelist who had been overdosed on Ibsen, Nordau, et al., and who still hankered, said, wistfully, "I wish I could put you and Mrs. McKinley in a book, Major."

"Bless your soul, my dear boy," answered the Major, "there is nothing in the world to be said about us. We are only married lovers." And I think in that one sentence the Major condensed the happiest chapter of his biography.

A PORTRAIT OF MRS. M'KINLEY, FROM THE LATEST SKETCH.

Valuable Foxskins.

The most expensive and beautiful of all fox fur, according to Knowledge, is that of the American silver fox. The color is usually almost entirely black, except the tip of the tail and certain gray-white markings on the back, thighs and head. Occasionally a completely black specimen is found and there are also some which are completely gray. The animal was once comparatively abundant, but is now scarce, and about a year ago a single fine skin was sold in London for the surprising sum of $375. In 1884 many skins were sold for more than $500 apiece. The cheapest skins are the pale-colored ones, some of which do not command more than $25.

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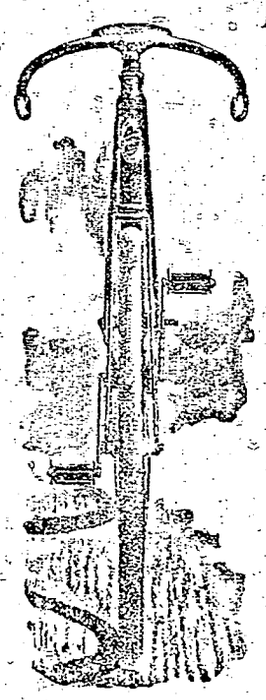

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Miss Hazel Coats is able to be about again.

Miss Myrtle Grant spent last week at her home in Wixom.

Miss Eva Holmes has recovered from from a tussle with grip.

Mrs. Brooks of Walled Lake spent Wednesday at J. Palmer's.

Well, this blessed country is saved or lost once more. Now let us have peace.

Miss Minnie Wiggins of Adrian spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harmon and Emmitt Harmon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Burdick at Meads Mills Sunday.

We hear that J. J. Smith and bride are now settled in their house at Novi. Let's go over and surprise them.—Walled Lake Cor. Pontiac Post.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kirk of South Lyon were callers at A. A. Kaple's Sunday, at which time four generations of the family were represented.

Election passed off very quietly here the majority being in favor of McKinley. Two of our business men found their places of business draped in black Wednesday morning. The sound money ticket carried by 83 majority.

The speech at the hall by Bingley Fales on Monday evening was one of the best of the season. The assertions set forth were backed up by figures, and left little room for doubt. The songs by the Wixom male quartette were enjoyed exceedingly and many thanks are extended to them. The free distribution of McKinley buttons by Mr. Fales quite won the ladies.

To the list of names given week before last by one of The Record correspondents we add a number that were omitted then of those who in twelve years have passed into the beyond and entered the portals of those gates we call death: Ella West Deland, Mary Barber, Mr. Bathrick, Mrs. Jennie Wait, Stella Wait, Henry Spencer, M. V. B. Pratt, Ed. Hazen, Nellie Webb, Mr. Boillett, Carrie Root, Mrs. Park Barrett, David Goodell, Della Goodell, Mrs. J. Shearer, Hiram Hill, Sr., John H. Smith, Ben Gray, Fred Oldenburg, Jim Slater, Mary Slater, Cora Slater, child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Goodell, of Will Barber, of Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson.

Boys next time you smoke a cigarette just see if it won't taste better if you remember that many of them are made of old tobacco quids and cigar stubs picked up in the streets and from spittoons, and are often manufactured by Chinamen who are afflicted with that horrible and fatal disease, leprosy.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the West Novi Debating Club will be held on Saturday evening November 7, 1896, at the usual place of meeting. All members are especially requested to be present to aid in the election of officers and such other business of the society as shall be found necessary. All wishing to become members will be welcomed.

A. N. KIMMIS, President.
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Mrs. Delia Harmon has a flowering currant bush, which like other shrubs at this time of year had shed its leaves, but which is now covered with leaf buds and has several blossoms upon it. Another of the unusual freaks nature is exhibiting to us this year is that the "pussy willows" are budded for the second time and are beginning to be studded with the little "catkins" which usually are among our first heralds of spring.

The 19th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith was celebrated Oct. 31st at their new home by a very pleasant reunion of near friends and relatives. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thornton, Mrs. M. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, Mrs. H. E. Allen, A. A. Kaple, H. E. Chesebro and Mrs. Heck and family. After enjoying a sumptuous dinner the afternoon was pleasantly spent in social chat—not without a mixture of politics of course—and in listening to a program of reading, recitations and music, after which the company separated with many kind wishes for the future happiness of the host and hostess.

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FARMINGTON.

Mrs. George Lee still remains very sick.

Hudson Wilcox was a Pontiac visitor Monday.

F. D. Clark of Detroit was in town a part of last week.

Miss Lelia Sowle was a Northville caller last week.

Miss Bessie Parker was in Detroit one day last week.

Rev. L. B. DuPuis was a Detroit visitor Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. C. T. Allen of Detroit was in attendance at the quarterly conference last week.

There is a report that there will be a grand ratification meeting held Saturday evening.

Theodore Grace of Ann Arbor was the guest of his son Ed, Tuesday and Tuesday night.

L. Gildermeister and family now occupy the Thomas Irving residence on Main street east.

Lyman Spencer and wife have gone to Wixom to remain all winter with their son George.

Mrs. E. C. Grace entertained Miss McRobert and sister, Mrs. Doelle, of Northville one day last week.

Now that election is over and every one is glad, some other topic will necessarily be the theme of conversation.

D. L. Davis of Pontiac and James McGee addressed a large audience Monday evening on the silver question.

Miss May Eisenlord has been a Franklin visitor for a few days. She is the guest of her brother Nate and wife.

The Torch Lights hold forth this evening in the Baptist church. A literary and musical program will be given.

Rev. Mr. Nash of Holly, formerly pastor of the Universalist church here, was a Farmington visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Report is that a new millinery store is to be started in our town by a young lady from Wyandotte. "Opposition is the spice of business."

The social held last week Friday evening at the home of Glenn Heilker, under the auspices of the Senior class was a pleasant event and largely attended. Proceeds $13.60.

The closing republican speech for this campaign was given last Saturday evening to a large and enthusiastic audience. Hon. Mark S. Brewer of Pontiac was the gentleman who addressed the assembly. Hon. C. F. Kimbale of the same place was also in attendance. The citizens band and a trio Mrs. M. R. Wilber, Miss Grace Tremper and A. P. Nuendorf furnished music for the occasion. It is needless to make any comments on the speech for of course it was all right.

W. T. Daines and family are again located in their village home after nearly two years sojourn on their farm and we are glad to have them in our midst again, too.

Note of the township of Farmington: National republican majority 160; Pingree 172; F. M. Warner 246; Congressman Samuel Smith 154; county ticket elected by 136 to 158; state representative 137.

Mrs. Armstrong died Sunday at her residence. She was quite an old lady and has been poorly for some time. The funeral was held from the house and the interment was in the North Farmington cemetery.

Miss Leah Grace died last week Monday at the home of her brother Ulyses. She has been an invalid for some time. The funeral was held Wednesday Oct. 28th from the German Lutheran church at Clarenceville.

Miss Julia Serviss has returned from Ann Arbor where she went a few weeks ago to have a tumor removed. She underwent the operation and is now feeling very comfortable. Her many friends are glad of the success and hope that she may enjoy excellent health hereafter.

Miss Josephine Ward favored the audience last Sunday evening in the Methodist church, with a vocal solo which was rendered in a pleasing manner. Miss Ward possesses wonderful musical talent and under the instruction of Mrs. L. B. DuPuis is be coming quite an artist.

A farewell reception was held Wednesday evening at the pleasant home of Senator Warner and wife in honor of Clint McGee who leaves Friday for Albion college. This event was under the auspices of the Epworth League of which he has been an active and faithful worker and officer ever since its organization. As a token of their appreciation a beautiful bible was presented the young man and he responded in words very touching and appropriate. A very nice literary and musical program was well rendered, after which the guests were invited into the dining hall to partake of a bountiful repast. A pleasant evening was enjoyed and as the dispersing hour arrived, all wished their young friend a happy and successful future. The League wishes to extend thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Warner for their kindness in opening their home for this occasion.

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