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MRS. JANE JOHNSON-CADY.

That Highly Respected Lady Died Tuesday Night.

Mrs. Jane Cady, widow of Mr. Anson Cady, whose illness has been noted in these columns so frequently of late, passed away at 11:30 Tuesday night. The funeral was held from her late home yesterday afternoon, Rev. J. H. Herberer officiating.

Mrs. Cady, whose maiden name was Johnson, was born in Ovid, Seneca county, N. Y., Feb. 18, 1827. She was one of twelve children but two of whom, Mrs. Leonard and Mrs. Gardner, are now living. Mr. Howell Johnson who died three weeks ago and Mr. William Johnson who died two weeks ago being the last of the brothers. Deceased leaves two children, Mrs. E. L. Baboitt of this place and Clinton L. Cady of St. Louis, Mo. On New Year's day in 1858 she was married to Mr. Anson Cady who died about five years ago. Mrs. Cady had been a consistent and beloved member of the Northville Presbyterian church for many years and she was well known and highly esteemed throughout the village where she had spent nearly all her life.

Salem News.

Mrs. N. E. Rider returned from Grand Rapids on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Warden of Ann Arbor were visitors at Mrs. Dwell Smith's last week.

Miss Agnes Fifely and her school in the Walker district will give a school entertainment at the Vanatta Methodist church next Friday evening. It is certain to be a good one and the people in that locality will do well to patronize it.

The Medoc Medicine Co. after a run of two weeks at Stambaugh hall, took the case of Salem from their feet on Monday morning and took their trip northwest for Emery about ten miles southwest of here, on the road to Ann Arbor. Our town seems deserted after such an active theatrical season.

It is an secret that Rev. W. H. Humphreys of the Congregational church here, is in Indiana this week looking for a lady who will be "bridesmaid of the future." Mr. H. had settled the question in his own mind some months since as to whom the choice should fall upon. It is supposed that he was married in Indiana on Tuesday and that he and his bride, accompanied a few days among friends near Oshkosh, Ohio, and will return here about the middle of next week. His church will be filled next Sabbath by Prof. Roger of Indiana college. Mr. Humphreys since coming here a few months since has been serving the two churches with entire acceptability and his parishioners without exception trust that his matrimonial venture may conduce to his happiness and usefulness.

Walled Lake News.

Mrs. Marshall Johnson is on the sick list.

Thos. Gilchrist has rented the Ladd place for the coming year.

Nad C. Richardson is nursing the aged and infirm John Hall.

Miss Jennie Bone of Pontiac has been visiting at W. S. Parmenter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carus of St. John are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Geo. Scraton has been taking his innings will grip during the past week.

S. M. Gage and J. J. Tuttle made a business trip to Pontiac on Monday.

Mrs. E. T. Hazen of Nori visited her sister, Mrs. Amos Bentley last week.

The donation in the Methodist church parlors for the pastor was a great success, about \$55 being realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell's class in elocution now numbers about 75. They are preparing to give an entertainment soon.

Archie Bone has been doing most of his walking on one foot for several days, the result of an accident in the woods.

The register at the school house shows an enrollment of 41 in the principal's room and 36 in the primary department.

A box social for the benefit of the Walled Lake male quartet will be held at the home of M. E. Phelps Thursday evening, Jan. 28. Our male quartet is a new thing and comes high, but we do not suppose being outside by a small town like Novi.

The rain of last Sunday having melted the snow on the ice, the skating is now excellent on the lake, and large numbers of young people spend their evenings there.

The neighbors and friends of Mr. Horner, who is a great sufferer from rheumatism in his feet, made a "bee" one day last week and got up a lot of food for him. Amos Bentley donated the tubber.

M. V. B. Hoshier a well known farmer of this vicinity died very suddenly of heart failure on Friday morning. Mr. Hoshier was a native of Oakland county having been born in the township of West Bloomfield about 68 years ago. For fourteen years he was superintendent of the Baptist Sunday-school of this place. About three years ago he had a stroke of paralysis from which he never fully recovered. The funeral was held at the Baptist church on Sunday and despite the bad weather was largely attended.

Suburban News.

Edgie Hall of Dundee pays \$40 dog tax.

Oakland county teachers' meeting at Pontiac, Jan. 23.

Plymouth is again agitating the subject of electric lights.

Henry Ward of near Pontiac has some 21,000 sheep on his ranch.

And now even in the city of Pontiac the ringing of curfews is being agitated.

Gardner Johnson of Watertown and Maudie M. Locke of Plymouth were married Wednesday.

South Lyon has another factory to the stage of erecting a piecing establishment. It is just the opposite.

The Wayne carriage factory has since August turned out 3,600 sleighs and during the season at least 3,500 buggies.

In Oakland county last year there were 315 marriages and 47 divorces, showing that one marriage in seven was surely a failure.

The Detroit Times is worried night to death lest in an unguarded moment some delinquent subscriber passes one of the new counterfeits \$20 bills upon it.

The Adams Press voices the Record's sentiments in advising newspapers in general to give Russell's directory a wide berth as far as advertising value is concerned.

During 1896 Northville had 25 deaths, 25 births, and 25 marriages. Death tax revenue would be \$25,000 if divorce were added. Fenton Independent.

But Northville is not in Genesee county you know.

The fight in the matter of the settlement of the estate of the late J. J. Peckham of Wyandotte is likely to make one of the liveliest sensations that the "smoke city" has had since de wick.

Last week's Milan Leader records the surprising intelligence of the birth of another Smith in that village. There are probably more Smiths in Milan than in any other town of its size in America.

F. E. Allen of Allegan has prepared a bill which will come before the state legislature which provides that druggists be compelled to publish in a weekly paper the names of purchasers of liquor and the amount purchased. This may be going in pretty strong. Fowler Review.

It is a habit with people to sample whatever goods may stand open in a grocery store. A young man dipped into some prepared coconut in a certain Fowlerville store the other day and put a good sized handful into his mouth. A surprise, he began frothing at the mouth, he made a mistake, it was chipped soap and he had the bystanders nearly to death to watch him suds at the mouth in his efforts to get rid of it.—Observer.

The Manchester cheese factory is equipped with a full line of printed stationery from the Enterprise office and will soon be ready to fill orders for full cream cheese.—Enterprise. We've heard of full cream writing paper and of filled cheese before, but never supposed there was any connection between them. We can't even see the advantage of using printed paper.—Ypsilantician.

It is evidently a new enterprise and it all depends on the way you eat it. It will be well however to call the attention of the pure food commission to the matter.

The Ann Arbor Courier tells of the advent of the "nose" social that city's social whirl. The young men are to pick out their best girl when the pokes her pretty, little, pink tinted nose through a hole in a sheet which suspended from the ceiling separates the two sexes. So far in Ann Arbor it has proved a failure. The young men claim they have never particularly noticed their best girl's nose but say that if the young ladies will poke their cheek against the hole the man will pick out the correct one every time.

A South Lyon firm advertises for sale a hundred or more accounts against people of that village who were formerly their customers. The accounts amount to several thousand dollars and tend to show the cause for the firm's recent embarrassment.

Detective Fisher of the D. C. N. captured the three cheeps, supposed to have been implicated in the freight house burglary and shooting affair at Plymouth last week near Holly and the Plymouth courts gave them thirty days in the house of correction.

Plymouth's night watch is no more as a night watch. The business men failed to hang together on pay day and the watch didn't propose to keep awake for nothing. Now, if any one wants to carry off the whole town some fine night—it's theirs. There it is—help yourself gentlemen.

Owassa's night after Chicago. An ordinance has been introduced in the council forbidding the wearing of high hats at any place where an admission fee is charged, and it is liable to pass. Gradually poor woman is being deprived of her most cherished pigtail. Boston Independent.

But what about the chap who between every act goes out to see a man?

J. W. Francis of Brighton took one horn too much last week. While feeding his herd of cows one of the animals bit him in the mouth, the end of the horn coming out through the left cheek. It was rather a narrow escape and hereafter while feeding horned animals J. W. will keep his mouth closed.

Prosperity (a clothing house fire) struck Detroit a short time ago and the Times editor secured a second pair of pants. Mrs. Editor hung them on the clothes line to air last week and some other fellow in search of prosperity snatched them and now the editor goes around here either as a poor mortal with a single pair of trousers.

Ernest McCullum and a young man named Hanson all of Carleton were in love with the same young lady and getting the difficulty the latter was snatched something like a dozen times and may not recover. The former is now in jail and the young lady has commenced keeping company with less elegant and less handsome lover.

The CHED railroad company has just incorporated as an electric system. This is the first great trunk line to adopt electricity as a motive power and the various branches will be equipped at once. The thing is not far hence when our steam locomotives will have been superseded by the electric engine in all our great railway systems.

Superintendent W. D. Tamm of the RR&M, was on his way to Toledo Sunday on a special train, and stopped here for a moment. The operator was not in but the janitor was. Instead of calling the operator, Mr. Tamm used the janitor to open the office, and then sat down to his work, and the train proceeded without calling the operators. Mr. Tamm worked up from the very bottom, and knew every branch of railroad work.—Holly Advertiser.

In other words Trump is a "trump."

At the meeting of the superintendents of county house and asylum, held at Elio on Wednesday, insurance was ordered placed on the buildings to the amount of \$150,000. Two greenhouses were ordered, to cost \$1,100. A new laundry was also voted. Commissioners Varney, Beck and Wilson were appointed a committee to take steps to grave and beautify the grounds in front of the institutions.—Wayne Review.

Charles Nuendorf, of Dearborn, met with an accident Monday as he was setting in his buggy at the Three-mile house. Before he could control the horse it was across the street car track in front of an approaching car. The car struck the buggy and threw Mr. Nuendorf to the ground, breaking two of his ribs.—Wayne Review.

We guess this is all right but we don't see how a horse could jump across a track and yet be in front of a street car or if the horse was across the track how the car happened to strike the horse instead of the horse?

Chelsea folks are agitating a plan to clean out their defunct mill pond, flood it from the water works, and then let nature finish the job of converting the resuscitated reservoir into a skating park. Good scheme, but 'sposen old Nate won't do it.—Northville Record.

Then I presume you have heard the story about the bird that couldn't sing and wouldn't sing?—Ann Arbor Courier.

We supposed that celebrated bird could sing and wouldn't but it is quite possible that the compulsory method would be a signal failure if applied to the weather department which is as delightfully uncertain as the whereabouts of an editor's umbrella.

The Third Course Lecture.

Rev. E. C. Castor of Milford, will deliver the third of the Y.M.C. course lectures in the Presbyterian church next week Wednesday night. The lecture will be a fine one.

During the warm weather of last week snakes were reported to have been seen in Plymouth.

The Adams Press office must be extraordinarily well equipped with commas. The compositors are using the tallied dots for "spaces" and on an average put one behind every other word.

John Waltz of Waltz station, Monroe county, after a business life of more than a score of years has lately sold his interest in his large store, elevator, etc. there to his brother and John Ziegler. Mr. Ziegler has been a partner of Mr. Waltz for a long time under the firm name of Waltz & Ziegler. In their big store they have the post office, the railroad and express office and besides this they have a large elevator a number of charcoal kilns, and do a large business in the way of farm implements. Mr. Ziegler, who by the way is another re-law of L. A. Bear of Northville, has had charge of the entire business for a number of years. He is also supervisor of his township.

Probably no village in Michigan has had so many new, you see it and now you don't newspapers as Carleton, Monroe county. Semi-occasionally and sometimes often for the past six years a good looking and pesky paper has blossomed forth to the old tune of "we have come to stay" and before the song was ended the blossom was withered and gone. The latest effort came out last week under the caption of the Times Publishing Co., with C. L. Edwards of the well known and wealthy firm of Edwards & Adams, and S. L. Wallace as head publisher. With these two gentlemen as a locomotive power the Times has some intendment to live and prosper and if the first issue is any criterion to go by it will do it. The Record's best wishes, etc.

There are a great many places in the state putting forward claims for the next encampment of the state troops. Every week some new place throws out a beckoning hand saying "come to us." One of the latest is Northville, the Switzerland of Wayne county. They think they could take care of the crowd. But after all is said and done there is no place like home and Grand Rapids should have it.—Grand Rapids Citizen.

To be sure, give it to Grand Rapids. Grand Rapids would make a fizzle of it just as well did the state funds. The only real success Grand Rapids ever had was in 1885 when the Northville band, furnished the state fair music there and the newspapers did the boycotting. The fair was a success that year but Northville, not Grand Rapids made it so. In 1896 Grand Rapids put up such a fight that the association was compelled to hire a home band and the fair was as we predicted, a financial failure. If Gov. Pinckney desires to fill the state troops without a war just have the encampment at Grand Rapids.

Listen! Boom—Zing—Boom.

The Opera House Orchestra is still playing its famous Quadrilles, Waltzes and two steps. If you want to hear and dance up-to-date music, we have just what you want.

JAS. H. WINGARD, Manager. Northville, Mich.

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The Gym Entertainment.

The gym entertainment at the Opera house last week Friday night brought out a large crowd of people who went away highly pleased with what they saw and favorably impressed with the plans which the Y.M.C. League has in view. The work of the class on the stage showed the distinctness of Mr. Desautels as an instructor.

Auction Bills

Which will attract the largest crowd of people is what a farmer wants. Attractive bills are what farmers (and others as well) get at The Record printer and they don't cost any more than inferior bills. Special features this season. Farmers who have a sale in view, or contemplate one, will do well to call at

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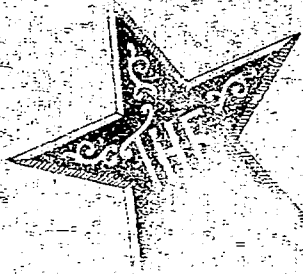
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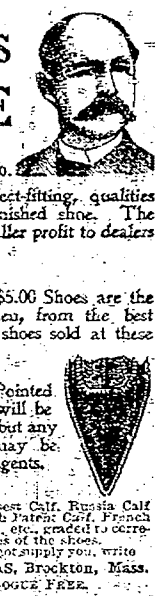
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PURELY PERSONAL.

John Nixon was rabbit hunting at Otisville last week.

Mrs. Thorp of Hartland visited Mrs. Q. W. Stark last week.

Ernest Sweet of Detroit, spent a few days in Northville last week.

Miss Frances Adams of Newport is the guest of Mrs. F. S. Neal.

Miss Sarah Monroe of Wayne is visiting her cousin Mrs. Alvin VanDyke.

Mrs. Olive Wixom of Novi, is visiting at the home of Dr. R. M. Johnson.

W. T. Gurr attended the meeting of the grand lodge of RAM at Saginaw this week.

Chas. A. Thurston is receiving a visit from his mother, Mrs. A. Thurston of Clare, this week.

Mrs. and Mrs. B. C. Gaylord of Detroit were guests of Northville friends over Sunday.

Frank Proud of Wixom visited at the home of his grand daughter, Mrs. Chas. Hagen, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Francisco of Wayne were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ball last week Friday.

The Misses Maud Patton and Pearl Furman of Wixom visited at Mrs. C. H. Seaton's a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yerkes entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Herbert and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yerkes at dinner yesterday.

J. W. Hatten of Farmington was over this way last week putting up a wind mill on the Christy farm just north of the village.

Claudis Wallich has been appointed fish culturist here at a salary of \$660, so said the Washington dispatches in the yesterday morning papers.

R. F. Dieren has returned from an extended business trip for the American Bell Foundry Co. in Cincinnati and other southern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Macomber and Mr. and Mrs. Neal attended the banquet and hop given by Ashler lodge in the Masonic temple, Detroit, Tuesday evening.

Miss Harvie Root has returned from Toledo after having spent a very pleasant three weeks at the home of her old friend, Mrs. Mae Wharfield, (nee McKeand.)

E. K. Burman has been appointed culturist and stenographer to Superintendent Clark at the U. S. fish station here at a salary of \$600 to succeed M. S. Stapleton promoted to the foremanship of the government station at Neosho, Mo.

Mrs. Ida M. Joslin left Wednesday for Linden where she assisted Mrs. Pratt, grand matron of the O. E. S. of Michigan, to install the new officers in the chapter in that place. Yesterday they performed the same service for the Flushing chapter and tonight they are at Metamora.

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J. H. STEERS,

Northville

F. & P. M. R. R.

TIME TABLE
In effect Nov. 15, 1895.
Trains Leave Northville as follows:
(STANDARD TIME)
GOING SOUTH
Train No. 10 7:20 a.m.
Train No. 11 8:45 p.m.
GOING NORTH
Train No. 1 8:45 a.m.
Train No. 10 7:05 p.m.
Trains Nos. 1 and 10 run through to Alpena. Train No. 1 connects at Ludington with Steamer for Milwaukee during season of navigation. Making connections for all points West and North.
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Connections made at Port Huron and Detroit in Union Depot for all points South, Canada and the East.
For further information see time card of this company.
Through tickets to all principal points in the United States and Canada on sale at lowest rates. Baggage checked through.
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Train No. 10 7:20 a.m.
Train No. 11 8:45 p.m.
Drawing Room Cars between Minniscie, Saginaw and Detroit.
Connections made at Detroit in Union Depot for all points South, Canada and the East.
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Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western R. R.

Going East	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Grand Rapids	7:00	7:30	5:45
Lansing	8:55	9:10	7:30
Holland	10:35	10:50	9:30
Grand Haven	12:35	12:50	11:30
Grand Haven	10:55	11:10	9:50
Grand Haven	11:40	11:55	10:20
Grand Haven	12:35	12:50	11:30
Grand Rapids	12:35	12:50	11:30
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Chicago & West Michigan Ry.

For Chicago, 1:25 p.m. and 1:50 p.m. For North, 2:10 a.m., 5:30 p.m. For Muskegon and Grand Haven 3:30 a.m., 1:25 p.m. and 5:25 p.m. E. Belton, Agent, 625 Grand Rapids, Plymouth.

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The January issue of the Art Amateur appears in a new dress of type, and presents a very rich and handsome appearance from the typographical point of view. Two excellent color plates, "The Old Mill," a soft and beautiful landscape by Bruce Crane, and an instructive study of Violets by Maud Stumm, are given free with this number. Wood Carvers, Pyrographers and China Painters will find many valuable practical designs in it, and some are excellent productions of famous Lawrence and Gainsboroughs are scattered among the text, together with instructive examples of the work of the painter, Madrazo; Miss Hallows' treatise of drawing from photographs, and Mr. Schull of flower analysis, both papers being illustrated by their authors. There is an especially valuable illustrated article on remodeling a city house, two pictorial pages of ideas for furniture, and a timely paper on economy and art in the home. The doings of all the Artistic Societies are chronicled, the picture shows described and, in a word, no one interested in art can afford to be without The Art Amateur. Art students, in no matter what department, will find it to their advantage to send to the office for the circular announcing the specially handsome premiums offered this year for new subscribers. (Price 35 cents, or \$4.00 a year. Montague Marks, 23 Union Square, New York.)

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Smoke John's Best 5c cigar.

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Roses \$1 per doz.

Violets 15c per doz.

Very Choice, Long Stem, Roses \$1.50 per doz.

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Milk from one cow especially for Infants. Sweet and Sour Cream furnished on application.

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Selling Silver Forks at \$10 a set.
Selling Silver Spoons at \$3.50 a set.
Elegant Mantle Clocks in Porcelain, Enamelled Iron and Imitation Marble from \$2.00 up.

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Booksellers, Opticians, 85 Main St., Northville.

Great Cash Clearing Sale....

Owing to the dull times we have too many shoes left for this season of the year, and in order to turn them into Cash we will offer all Broken Lots and Odd Pairs at Cost. Don't buy a thing until you look our stock over, and see the Bargains we have to offer.

Stark Bros.,

Northville. The Cash Shoemen.

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; ask your grocer for "Gold Lace."

YERKES BROS.,

Northville Milling Co. Northville

Pure Milk Delivered Daily.
Milk for Infants furnished from one cow in special cans.
We guarantee Satisfaction and Solicit your Orders.

Are You

Looking for something in Our Line at a Low Price?

We have too many Woolen Bed Blankets.

Former price \$7. Now \$4.50
Former price 5. Now 3.75
Former price 4. Now 2.50

Less than we can buy more at, but we don't want any more, would not buy them at this time of the year. It is our time to sell now—not buy.

Ladies' Fleece Wrappers.

Former Price \$1.75, Now \$1.39
Former Price 1.47, Now 1.19
Former Price 1.25, Now 98c

Good investment for you. You can wear them we can't.

Dress Goods.

Former price 50c }
Former price 39c } Now 25c yd.
Former price 35c }

The goods are all right, but the ladies, our customers picked out the prettiest patterns, and prices must be reduced to sell these.

Cloaks. Cloaks.

Former price \$10.00 }
Former price 8.00 } Now \$5
Former price 7.50 }

Splendid garments, but so late in the season, rather lose a few dollars than carry over a single jacket or cape.

Tennis Flannels.

Former price 8c }
Former price 7c } Now 5c yd.
Former price 6c }

A genuine bargain. The colors are mostly short lengths of the higher grade goods of 3 to 7 yards, and a large variety. The cream is a regular 3c grade of which we let one case go at 5c yd. by the yd or piece, of about 28 yds.

Holmes, Dancer & Co.

Northville, Mich.



Hanse, Bros. & Whites

10c Family Medicines

And a full and choice line of Drugs and Drug Sundries at

Murdock's Pharmacy, 62 Main St.

Call and See Us.

NORTHVILLE LOCALS.

There is about \$3,000 township taxes still uncollected.

The spring weather of Friday and Saturday caught a severe cold on Sunday.

A very pretty rainbow was among the novelties displayed in the eastern sky on Sunday.

The wedding of Miss Mae Bovee to Mr. Byron Filkins is announced for Wednesday evening Jan. 27.

L. W. Simmons has lately placed a twelve ton granite monument on the family burial lot in Rural Hill.

In all probability this township will hereafter be entitled to at least five delegates to all county conventions.

The Park house has been made a LAW hotel and a number of the association runs next summer will be to Northville.

Mrs. Maude Richardson-Bennett of Plymouth and Miss Phebe Deal of this place are singing in the Presbyterian choir these days.

At the recent Central Michigan poultry show held in Jackson, C. E. Smith of this place was awarded first prize on white Plymouth Rock Cocks and 2nd on pullets.

Uffram Hunt is seriously ill.

Notice the label on your paper. If it is not correct, please advise us.

The Eastern Star ladies are arranging to give an entertainment in the near future. Watch for dates.

It is worth your while to read the advertisements. You will find bargains offered when least expected.

Why cannot Northville have a bicycle or buggy factory? Other cities with half the natural advantages are getting these plants.

The Plymouth Wind Mill company has contracted with the Globe company of this place for \$1,000 worth of walnut argon stocks in the rough.

These good skating days are doubly incentive for the public school pupils to have perfect examinations, thereby gaining an occasional holiday.

C. G. Harrington is able to be cut again by the help of a cane and crutch. Mr. Harrington ascribes much of his recovery to the skillful massage treatment of Prof. H. M. Dunlap.

An animal social by the Christian Endeavor society will be given at the residence of Mr. Herbener on Friday evening next, Jan. 23. All are cordially invited. Admission, one dime.

At the annual grand meeting of the Royal Arch Masons at Saginaw Wednesday Frank N. Clark of this place was elected grand king, the third from the highest office in the grand lodge.

In speaking of Rev. Mr. Ward's sermon to lovers of horses, the Adrian Press remarks: "The elder should know that one of the effective methods of treating a balky horse is to stuff soles in his ears."

Township Treasurer Whitbeck has paid the town board's order of \$2,000 which he held back for a week for advisement on the grounds of no money in the proper funds as noted in last week's issue.

J. S. Lapham & Co. has purchased the property now occupied by Nevison's harness shop and McCully's bakery. In the spring it is expected that a new fire proof bank building will go up on the spot to be occupied by this banking firm.

The village council should see to the piece of side walk on Griswold avenue leading from Mr. Brockitt's place to the bridge near the C. L. Dubuar Lumber Co.'s yard. Not only is it in a dangerous and dilapidated condition but at the same time a part of the walk is not there at all.

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Albert Lyke was up before Justice Webster Saturday charged by Ezra McIntyre with assault. The little fracas occurred while a number of the boys were skating on the ice the previous Thursday night on the Yerkes pond. It appeared that Lyke interfered in a jungle which young McIntyre and "Jimmy" Crager were having. McIntyre alleged that Lyke struck him at that time out the jury thought differently and quickly brought in a verdict of not guilty. P. E. White appeared for the defendant and the boys' father and the justice did the questioning for the people.

This office has been equipped with a set of "The Columbian Historical Novels" by John R. Musick, published by the Funk & Wagnalls Co. of New York. The work comprises an elaborate history of the United States, with the romance interwoven, rendering it both instructive and entertaining. There are 12 volumes, each of which treats of a distinct period in our country's history. The work is a masterpiece of the press and should be placed in the library of every student of American history. Mr. F. E. Quigley controls the sale of this city and is meeting with marked success.

Lion Coffee 20c at Schantz Bros.

Wanted, To Rent, For Sale, Etc.

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

FOR RENT—Good brick house No. 46 Rogers Street. Apply to Record office, 217.

FOR RENT—The David Simmons' house on Algonquin street. Apply to W. C. Verkes at Will Polcomb, 167.

FOR RENT—House (33 Wing street) and barn if desired. Apply to J. M. Simmons, 223 Main street.

FOR SALE—Black Walnut, accessible, 3y. Has a good second-hand one. Apply to Record office, 217.

FOR SALE—Residence corner Denison and West streets. Apply to E. B. Northrop, Northville.

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

CHINA PAINTING—Mrs. Neal will take orders to do China Painting either for sets or pieces. Apply at residence, 517.

The U. S. fish station here shipped 200,000 lake trout this week to the new government station at Manchester, O.

Miss Nettie Yerkes who has been ill for some weeks past is slowly convalescing and is able to be about the house a part of the day.

Ed Mooney slashed his thumb Tuesday with a knife so badly that the service of a surgeon was necessitated to take several stitches.

Mr. Herbert Pickell and Miss Flossie Bailey were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents in Durand on Sunday evening Jan. 10.

Rev. J. H. Herbener has a chicken brooder that will not only discount the work of a hen by actual test but it is very likely to prove a bonanza for the young preacher. The brooder will do everything but scratch gravel or take its flock into a neighbor's garden. It will also do the clucking act quite perfectly.

The Lady Macabees installed officers Tuesday evening. After the ceremony it was announced that a drama had been prepared entitled "Waiting Patiently" and after a few minutes of waiting everybody was surprised at being invited to the banquet hall where a bountiful supper had been prepared in honor of the new officers.

Chas. G. Harrington received the sad news this week of the death of his brother-in-law, Jacob Colbran of Portland, Oregon, who died January 10. Mr. Colbran was a former resident of this township and his widow was formerly Mary Harrington of this place. Deceased was a brother of Peter Colbran of Salsen and Mrs. A. N. Kimmins Sr. of Wixom. He was 55 years of age.

Hurt Buggies, for several years foreman on the T. G. Richardson farm west of this place, has accepted a similar position with C. T. Rogers and will move his family to the Rogers' farm at Redford. Mr. Rogers proposes to have the finest farm property in Michigan, and has already put in over 1,700 rods of filling and will soon erect what is to be the largest stock and grain barn in the state.

The chop given by the Young Men's Club tonight promises to be one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season. Finney's full orchestra from Detroit will furnish the music. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Huff of Plymouth will lead the grand march and will be assisted by another couple from the same village. A number of guests are expected from Detroit, Wayne, Plymouth, Farmington, Novi and other towns. Spectator tickets will be on sale at 25c per couple.

Henry Britton had a narrow escape from fatal injuries while falling a tree last week in the Sessions' woods, north of town. It was a crooked old tree and when partially down took an unexpected course and in trying to avoid it Mr. Britton tripped and the tree fell across his legs with considerable force pinning him to the ground. By much effort he succeeded in twisting the tree to one side with a cant hook sufficiently to enable him to extract himself from his perilous position. He was severely bruised about the legs and face and though able to ride home he had to be carried into the house, since which time he has been slowly on the gain.

The state legislature has commenced to grind with more than its accustomed vigor. A bill has been introduced to give farmers one cent per pound bounty on beet sugar; another to give the county supervisors more money, to add to their mileage allowance for attendance at supervisors' meetings an allowance of \$3 per day for time taken in reaching the sessions; another bill to amend the highway law so that instead of having from 15 to 20 patrollers in a township the township will be divided into three highway districts, each in charge of one patroller who after having worked out his own road time shall be entitled to \$1 per day for actual work.

Dried Beef at Schantz Bros.

Those participating purchasing nursery stock now or in the near future will do well to see the old reliable agent, C. M. Thornton. Not only can Mr. Thornton give lower prices than any other nursery agent but at the same time he guarantees all his stock and is right here at your home where he is able to back what he guarantees.

C. L. Dubuar Lumber Co., Retail Lumber Dealers

Our yards are well stocked with all grades of Lumber and our prices are low.

Sash and Doors also kept in stock.

If you contemplate doing any building let us give you figures.

Northville, Mich.

Sound as a Dollar!

Shoes. You don't like to wear rubbers—would prefer not to use them if you could find a good strong shoe, thick sole that would protect the feet from dampness and cold, and at the same time look well. If that is what you want we've got a few sizes left. They are well made, look good and protect the feet. The price? They are \$2.50 while they last—then we can't promise to have more of them. We have the very latest styles in all kinds of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Shoes.

C. A. SESSIONS, Northville.

Cost Price

Freydel the Tailor will sell

Every Piece of Woolen Goods in Stock at Cost Price

to make room for Spring Stock. These goods are all up-to-date Woolens and are all Guaranteed Best Quality, with Best Trimmings and Correct Style, Fit and Finish.

Freydel, The Tailor,

Northville

NOISE

is not business. We do not desire to annoy you but merely to call your attention to what it is to your interest to know, that better furniture cannot be found in the state or at lower prices than at

Sands & Porter's, Northville.

10 CENT BARN.

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

Perrin & Taft, Props.

NORTHVILLE CITY LAUNDRY.

J. D. Yerkes, better known as "Uncle" Joe, who lives a short distance east of the village, and just over the border in Novi town, is doubtless the oldest pioneer of that township he having settled with his parents there in 1826.

In all probability some parties from up towards the huckleberry swamp will get into trouble if they don't get out of town on Saturday nights at seasonable hours. It is reported that several of them were disturbing the sleep of people along Center street long after midnight last Saturday.

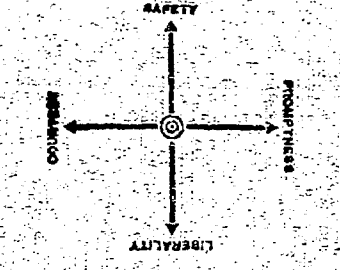
Our new wagon will call at any part of the town daily to gather or deliver Laundry work.

Bath Rooms in Connection.

CITY LAUNDRY, B. S. Webber, Prop.

A Reminder

4 Cardinal Points in Banking . . .



You will find all at the Northville State Savings Bank.

4 PER CENT INTEREST, payable semi-annually, on savings deposits from \$1.00 up.

DIRECTORS: Dr. J. M. Swift, Dr. E. A. Chapman, W. P. Yerkes, F. G. Terhila, L. W. Simmons, C. J. Sprague, J. M. Simons.

L. A. BABBITT, Cashier.

59 Main St., Northville, Mich.

Banking hours: 9 to 12 a. m., 1:30 to 3:30 p. m.

TWEEN THE LAKES.

MICHIGAN NEWS RECORDED IN NEWS FOR MICHIGANDERS.

Considerable Damage Caused by a Heavy Gale at Several Points—Cheboygan Man Killed by an Ice Boat Upsetting and Throwing Him on His Head.

Assault on Captured at Bay City. Herman Appel attempted to assault Mrs. Sol Jodway in her own yard at Bay City, but she escaped into the house. After trying to break in the door he smashed a window and started to crawl in, but Mrs. Jodway pounded him over the head until he desisted. Appel tried to get away but was soon overhauled by the police.

Fatal Ice Boat Accident. While a party was ice boating at Cheboygan the shoe of the boat struck an obstruction, upsetting the boat. John Christy, struck on his head and died almost instantly from concussion of the brain.

Barren Destroyed—Farmer Fatally Hurt. J. J. Ombis, near Charlotte, had a barn destroyed by the recent storm and a horse killed. Seven cows, 30 sheep and a team of oxen were killed by being buried in the ruins.

Wind's Cruelty Worst at Jackson. The recent gale took the roof from the house, breckery, at Jackson and scattered it for blocks. The rain thoroughly soaked 10,000 bushels of wheat and 6,000 bushels of malt. The damage is fully \$7,000.

THE TWO PENINSULAS.

Veterans of Oceana county held a reunion at Ithart.

Seventh Day Adventists will build a church at Mendon.

A Muskegon milkman was seriously frozen in the recent snow blizzard.

Jacob Fetter, aged 68 of Reese, cut his throat because he was out of work.

James Maloney of St. Johns, was knocked down and robbed of \$20 near Westaburg.

Farmer Sullivan, near Albion, has given Albion college \$300 to employ an ornithologist.

Richard Moulis, the sick young Bay City lawyer, has been sent to Leavenworth for five years.

The basket factory of C. L. Ward & Co. of Holland, which has been idle all winter, has resumed work.

The Muskegon river overflowed its banks near Muskegon and swamped hundreds of acres of celery fields.

Hog cholera rages in Fort Gratiot township, St. Clair county. The man has lost 200 porkers and another 10.

The barn of F. H. Mason, of Monticue, burned with a large amount of grain, etc. No insurance loss \$10,000.

Considerable damage was done at Garden by the wind storm, which blew down many trees, scattered sticks and trees.

The young son of Miss Parson was scalded to death near Grand Haven, while playing with his mother's wash.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Penney celebrated their golden wedding at Kalamazoo. Mrs. Penney is a member of the school board.

Centennial copper mine at Calumet, which has been closed down for the past three years, will resume operation at once with 200 men.

Gotlieb Leaddy, a prominent business man of Lansing, fell 20 feet from a porch, fracturing his skull and he died from his injuries.

The Michigan L. A. W. has decided to pay \$25 for the arrest and conviction of anyone stealing the bicycle of a member of the league.

A. W. Austin, of Chesaning, has coughed up a bullet which was fired into his left lung by some John Bull at the battle of Bull Run.

Several more cases of diphtheria are reported about Willow and additional schools closed. Society and public meetings are strictly forbidden.

Edwin H. Bedford, aged 55, a North Lansing liveyman, was struck by an engine on the Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western road and instantly killed.

A mock congress by the Y. M. C. A. of St. Joseph, authorized the President to seize Cuba and hold it till the insurgents can organize a government.

Two Shelby farmers, Jacob Bates and David Black, were arrested at Whitehall, charged with stealing 10 bushels of wheat from F. H. Corvill's granary.

Lewis Wolcott, aged 22, a prominent young man of St. Johns, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart, after having a disagreement with his father.

H. A. Christy, inventor of the Christy bicycle saddle, intends to move his factory and the plant of the Derby Bicycle Co. from Chicago to Jackson, and will employ 300 hands.

The dead body of John Carpenter, a farm hand, was found in a vacant farmhouse near Munnith. He had been missing about a week. Drink and exposure probably killed him.

Garabed Assadoorian, a well-known Armenian merchant at Petoskey, expects his long lost wife, from Armenia very soon, and Petoskey ladies have prepared a reception for her.

The Benton Harbor Electric Railway and Transit Co., which is to build a tunnel under Benton Harbor and build an electric railroad through the Michigan fruit belt, has been incorporated.

Nathan S. Branch, aged 75, a pioneer farmer, was about to cross the track near Okemos, when his horse became frightened and rushed in front of the engine and Mr. Branch was instantly killed.

DAILY DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

SENATE—Twentieth day.—In executive session, Mr. Vest, of Missouri, opposed very strongly the confirmation of President Cleveland's appointment of David R. Francis to be secretary of the interior. Mr. Pugh, of Alabama, seconded Mr. Vest, while several other senators supported the nomination. No action was taken. In the open session Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, made a speech in favor of the Cuban resolution for the recognition of the Cuban republic in which he upheld the power of congress to recognize new governments. The senator insisted that the arrogant assertion of one man power threatened to make the presidential power greater than that exercised by any monarch. Senator Gear introduced a new bill for the settlement of the Pacific railroad indebtedness. House—A number of bills of minor importance were passed and then a bill to make oleomargarine and other imitations of dairy products, subject to the laws of the states into which they are transported, caused a warm controversy. The committee on agriculture submitted the agricultural appropriation bill and accompanying report. The total amount carried by the bill is \$4,192,752, a net decrease of \$102,750. The amount appropriated for the weather bureau is \$330,000 less than for the current year.

SENATE—21st day.—The measure known as the free homestead bill was passed. The effect of the bill as to open to settlement all public lands acquired from Indians free of any payment to the government beyond the minor office fees, and to release from payment those who have heretofore settled on these lands. The number of acres involved is 32,252,541, which would have yielded the government at the prices before established \$32,243,000. Resolutions were adopted instructing the interstate commerce committee to inquire into the reported combination of lake vessel interests to maintain rates, also, calling upon the civil service commission to explain their delay in making annual reports. House—Almost the entire day was spent in debating the free bill to subject oleomargarine and other imitation dairy products to the laws of the states into which they are transported. The bill was passed.

Twenty-second day.—No session of the senate. House—The day was spent in considering private pension bills.

Twenty-third day.—No session of the senate. House—The day was devoted to oratorical tributes to the late speaker, Charles Crisp, who died during the present recess of congress. The speeches were listened to by nearly all of the Democrats and a large contingent of Republicans, while many southern people filled the galleries.

SENATE—24th day.—The Nicaragua canal bill was taken up and made the unfinished business by a vote of 26 to 34, which brought to a close its final passage. The bill provides for an act of eminent domain of maritime canal company stock, in which the secretary of the treasury, in behalf of the United States, is to subscribe for \$20,000,000 of the stock. The company is to be bonded up to \$100,000,000, to be guaranteed by the United States. The bill is to be reported to the United States and a bill is to be reported to the United States.

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SENATE—29th day.—The Nicaragua canal bill was taken up and made the unfinished business by a vote of 26 to 34, which brought to a close its final passage. The bill provides for an act of eminent domain of maritime canal company stock, in which the secretary of the treasury, in behalf of the United States, is to subscribe for \$20,000,000 of the stock. The company is to be bonded up to \$100,000,000, to be guaranteed by the United States. The bill is to be reported to the United States and a bill is to be reported to the United States.

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SENATE—31st day.—The Nicaragua canal bill was taken up and made the unfinished business by a vote of 26 to 34, which brought to a close its final passage. The bill provides for an act of eminent domain of maritime canal company stock, in which the secretary of the treasury, in behalf of the United States, is to subscribe for \$20,000,000 of the stock. The company is to be bonded up to \$100,000,000, to be guaranteed by the United States. The bill is to be reported to the United States and a bill is to be reported to the United States.

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BIG CUBAN VICTORY.

CITY OF SANTA CLARA TAKEN BY THE INSURGENTS.

Gen. Gomez Lays Siege to the Spanish Stronghold for Four Days and they Takes the City by Brilliant Charges—Heavy Losses on Each Side.

Private dispatches from Cuba, received in New York, say that Gen. Maximo Gomez, the insurgent commander in chief, with 6,000 men, stormed and captured the important city of Santa Clara on Jan. 9, and is now moving on Havana with 12,000 men.

On Jan. 5, Gomez invested the city, which was garrisoned with 2,500 Spanish troops and was strongly fortified. Gomez sent the infantry under Gen. Rabin to the west of the city. The cavalry, 4,000 strong, under Quintan Banderas, was placed on the other three sides, its main strength being on the east. During the next three days there was almost constant skirmishing, and on the third day Gen. Laque, commander of the Spanish forces, was wounded. On the 9th at daybreak the Spanish closed in on the town, the cavalry charging over the Spanish earthworks and putting the enemy to flight. Banderas fell while leading his men and died soon after.

The losses are as follows: Spanish—Estimated killed and wounded, 900; prisoners, 700; cannon captured, 15; battle standards, 4; rifles in the Spanish arsenal, 5,000; and plenty of ammunition. Cuban—Killed and wounded, 1,500.

Gomez gave his men only a night's rest. Then leaving a garrison of 1,500 men he pushed on to the west. Those of his men who had no weapons were armed from the Spanish arsenal. No spoils had the news of the fall of Santa Clara reached the planters roundabout than they began to flock to Gomez's standard. Every mile he went he got new recruits.

A Havana dispatch says: "Couriers who have slipped through the Spanish lines in Matanzas province, bring the news that Gen. Gomez is undoubtedly marching on Havana slowly but surely and that his advance guard is laying waste the country as they proceed. Unless than a week the advance guard of Gomez army has destroyed by fire 21 of the most valuable estates in the province of Matanzas and the work of destruction continues, as the army moves along." The people of Havana are becoming thoroughly alarmed at the situation and all who possibly can have already left the place. Many of those who have been outwardly loyal to Spain have lost all confidence in Gen. Weyler's ability to handle the insurgents, and they now actually fear for the safety of Havana.

Stimulus came every day in Havana and the insurgent under command of Ruiz Rivera.

Spain's Getting Weak—Herald. The New York Journal publishes very sensational dispatches from Madrid to the effect that S. Miquel Taylor had warned the duke of Devon, Spanish minister of foreign affairs, that unless Spain at once granted Cuba much more liberal reforms than any she had yet offered, and gave definite assurance of such reforms being carried out, President Cleveland would feel it his duty to recognize the Cuban republic as an independent government. Later dispatches said that the Spanish government had heeded the warning and agreed to put into effect the reforms urged by the United States, which are in substance as follows:

Cuba to govern herself in much the same manner that Canada is self-governed; Cuba to collect all taxes and to distribute all public moneys; Spain to be deprived from all share in the revenue and all interference in elections held on the island. In return the United States would use its influence to have Cuba pay the government of Spain the sum of \$100,000,000.

Officials at Washington decline to talk on the matter, but Senator Dupuy De Lome, the Spanish minister, denies that Spain has made any such agreement. The report is strongly corroborated by more reliable dispatches via London, which say that the Spanish cabinet has agreed on most liberal reforms.

Four Killed in a Political Riot. For over 24 hours the village of Byron, Ga., was in a state of riot in which 104 men were killed. The dead are: C. C. Richardson, C. B. Latham, C. C. Bateria, H. H. Baskley. The trouble grew out of an election for municipal officers, which resulted in a tie, the town dividing two bitter factions and charges of fraud being interchanged. A second election was called for to decide the contest, in which every voter was brought up to the polls, but a second tie occurred and a bloody riot ensued.

Orphans Earned to Death. Fifteen little girls and boys are dead as a result of a fire at the Buckner orphan home at Dallas, Tex., and nine others are seriously burned and crushed. Care of the injured, it is thought, cannot recover.

Reports from the island of Porto Rico say that the spirit of revolution is becoming very strong, and should the Cuban revolution prove successful Porto Rico will also escape from Spanish rule.

Joseph M. Jokes, chairman of the Ohio Republican central committee, editor of the Tribune and former postmaster of Newark, has been indicted for alleged illegal reflections in his paper on the character of ex-Lieut. Gov. Wm. C. Lyon. Lyon and Jokes are leaders of opposing Republican factions.

NEWSY CONDENSATIONS. The liberal party of the British house of lords have chosen the earl of Kimberley as their leader in place of Lord Rosebery, who resigned.

The Countess Castellane, formerly Miss Anna Gould, gave birth to a son at Paris. Miss Gould was married to Count Castellane on March 4, 1895.

It is reported that France is preparing to open negotiations with the United States for a general arbitration treaty similar to the pending Anglo-American treaty.

It is reported at Washington that McKinley will, by special messenger, offer the post of ambassador to Great Britain to Benjamin Harrison. There is a belief that Mrs. Harrison's ambition may cause the ex-president to accept.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

Gov. Pingree's first three appointments were confirmed by the Senate without any show of anti-Pingree feeling.

The nominations were those of Sybrandt Wesselsius, of Grand Rapids, for railroad commissioner; Will E. White, of Grand Rapids, for quartermaster-general; and Col. E. M. Irish for adjutant-general. Senator Corvill has introduced his bill for the election of state railroad commissioners by the people. Senator Lattimer says: "Big Rapids don't like their charter under the laws evolved by the expensive municipal charter commission of two years ago and he asks that the law be repealed. Senator Hughes is responsible for the appearance of the usual uniform text-book bill; but Senator Jibo has something new, bold, and that is a bill to prevent the manufacture and sale of imitation butter. Senator Coleman thinks \$10,000 should be appropriated for the state library for the next two years and \$5,000 for a traveling library. Senator Robinson offers a bill appropriating \$60,000 to pay the bonded indebtedness of the burned-out upper peninsula village of Ontonagon. Senator Westcott has a bill to repeal the mortgage tax law, and another to regulate the amount of interest payable on mortgages and chattel mortgages. A bill, for which the Michigan Federation of Labor is responsible, does away with prison contract labor and prison machinery labor, and provides stone breaking, road making, drainage work and the hand manufacture of such goods as are used within the prisons themselves for the convicts as a substitute. The Michigan Medical Legislation League is pushing a bill to provide for a state board of examiners for all physicians who may now or shall in the future practice medicine in Michigan. Rep. January holds that savings banks should be made responsible for loss of savings accounts by forgers, also, that savings deposits should draw interest from the date of deposit. Rep. Chamberlain advocates annual legislative sessions of not over 90 days, with regular salaries for members instead of per diem. He also has a bill providing for the annexation of the county of Isle Royale to the county of Keweenaw. Both houses passed a resolution urging Michigan's congressmen to aid in the passage of the Vicksburg national park bill.

The Senate and House have disagreed on the subject of the annual 10 days' joint visit to the various state institutions. The Senate passed a resolution to adjourn from Jan. 22 to Feb. 2 for this purpose but the House declared it inadvisable to be a disgraceful and dishonorable affair, and it was the apparent sense of the House that better results could be achieved by allowing each committee to visit the institutions in a body without notification, or knowledge of any institution. Senator Mason will push his bill for the submission of a constitutional amendment providing an educational qualification for electors—that they shall be able to read and write—and providing further that all electors must be full-fledged citizens. Senator People believes in making young men a bill which will permit a girl 11 to marry with the consent of parents or guardian. Rep. Peck offers a Pingree measure to regulate telephone companies. Representative Kimball of Oakland, thinks that there should be at least two women on each of the asylum boards, in order that the female inmates may be given more intelligent consideration. Rep. Mudd would increase mail rates. In order to make it easier to take up state lands for homesteads Rep. Reed, of Mecosta, urges that all costs but 10 cents per acre be removed. An entirely new drain law is projected by Rep. Pearson. Rep. Lusk says that a public hearing should be given in any city before legislation is made affecting such city.

It will be a serious thing for a public officer to accept a pass on a railroad, or franking privileges from telegraph or telephone corporations, if the bill offered by Senator Robinson, of Houghton, becomes a law. It also makes it a misdemeanor for a corporation to offer such things to a public officer. Mr. Robinson has another bill which would make the railroad fares of the upper peninsula the same as those of the lower peninsula. A bill to exempt from taxation ore from sale by execution has been purchased with pension money has been prepared by Senator Hasdell, the purpose of the bill being to insure old soldiers their residences. The same senator has a bill to reduce rates of interest. Gen. Alger will be secretary of war in President McKinley's cabinet if the state legislature has its say. The Senate indorsed a set of resolutions which were presented by Senator Lawrence at the request of a Woman's Relief Corps, and in the House Rep. Bates presented resolutions warmly commending Michigan's 300 and urging his appointment, and they were promptly adopted. Among the new bills in the House is Fred A. Baker's bill presented by Rep. Babcock for a tax of 2 percent on all incomes over \$1,500 a general revenue law pending game laws to extend partridge hunting 30 days, and to open the trout season April 15 and closing it August 15. Rep. Lee of Leeper has the first capital punishment bill, and it is predicted that it will pass. Rep. Gustin introduced a concurrent resolution urging congress to recognize the independence of the republic of Cuba.

Deep Waterways from Lakes to Oceans. The commission appointed by President Cleveland in 1895, under authority of a resolution passed congress, by and consisting of President Augustus of the University of Michigan, John E. Russell and Lyman E. Cooley, has reported to President Cleveland that they find the scheme for a deep waterways channel of 25 feet depth from the Great lakes to the Atlantic ocean to be thoroughly practicable.

LEONOMOY seems to have become the watchword of some of the legislators.

grow that the army of janitors, messengers, clerks, and assistants have been appointed, but a great deal of the cry for retrenchment is looked upon as bluff. For instance, the Senate adopted a resolution for final adjournment April 23—about 40 days earlier than usual—and at the same time preparations were being made for an adjournment of 10 days to go on a junket about the state. Not only that but the visiting committees would not agree to pay their own expenses if they made one junket as committee to state institutions after the 10 days' blow-out. The Baiser income tax bill will be fathered by Senator Hughes in the upper house. Senator Youmans of Saginaw has a bill providing for a bounty of one cent per pound on beet sugar produced in Michigan. He also offers a bill to make election days holidays in order to encourage voters to go to the polls; also, a measure to appropriate \$16,000 for a working home for the blind. The House unanimously adopted a resolution cutting mileage of members of committees visiting state institutions from 10 cents a mile to 3 and 4 cents in the lower and upper peninsula, respectively, and making a uniform allowance of \$2 per day for expenses. Formerly large bills of expenses were sent in and the junketers often made \$100 on a single trip. Both houses appointed committees to investigate the state printing and hold down the bills as much as possible. The thirst for reform is so great that the House is willing to be still more thrifty and has cut off the supply of mineral water usually kept on tap. The "great servant girl question" has been tackled by Rep. Moore who has a bill which says that no servant girl shall be discharged without a week's notice. The House passed a \$5,000 appropriation for the Central Michigan Normal school at Mt. Pleasant for immediate needs.

Bold Robbery at Toledo. The boldest holdup in the history of Toledo occurred at the office of the Northwestern Elevator and Mill Co. when a man dashed in and pointing a revolver at the head of the cashier, cried out: "Throw up your hands, give me your money or I'll blow your head off." He then walked behind the cashier, still covering the cashier with the revolver, gathered up \$500 in currency, placed them in a cotton bag and coolly walked out, entered a buggy that was in waiting and drove off at a lively rate. It was pay day at the mill and the cashier was in the act of making up the envelopes when the robber entered.

Sam Palatka, a villainous looking fellow, has been captured in Putnam county, Ga., and confessed to having caused the terrible wreck at Cahaba bridge, near Birmingham, Ala., a few weeks ago when 37 people were killed and 60 badly injured. He says he did the deed so he could rob the dead.

Gen. Carlos Bolívar, secretary of war for the insurgent Cuban provisional government, had just completed the organization of one of the largest military expeditions ever prepared in this country for the aid of the Cuban revolutionists, when he was arrested and placed under guard. He thought the expedition will go just the same. It will carry 2,000,000 cartridges, 2,000 Mauser rifles, 1 rapid fire gun, 2,000 gun cartridges and a large quantity of dynamite and hospital stores and camp material.

The New York World prints a long interview with Gen. Rivera, Miquel's successor, in which he says that while he thanks the Americans for their assistance and good will he does not wish to see young men from the United States enrolled as recruits for Cuba. He also says cannon at the present stage of the war would be in his way, but he craves rifles and plenty of ammunition and then the Cubans will whip Weyler. He anticipates an attack on Havana toward the close of the winter.

THE MARKETS. LIVE STOCK. New York—Cattle, Sheep, Lambs, Hogs. Best grades, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Lower grades, \$1.00 to \$1.25. Chicago—Best grades, \$1.00 to \$1.25; Lower grades, \$0.75 to \$1.00. Detroit—Best grades, \$1.00 to \$1.25; Lower grades, \$0.75 to \$1.00. Buffalo—Best grades, \$1.00 to \$1.25; Lower grades, \$0.75 to \$1.00. Cincinnati—Best grades, \$1.00 to \$1.25; Lower grades, \$0.75 to \$1.00. Cleveland—Best grades, \$1.00 to \$1.25; Lower grades, \$0.75 to \$1.00. Pittsburg—Best grades, \$1.00 to \$1.25; Lower grades, \$0.75 to \$1.00.

GRAIN, ETC. Wheat, Corn, Oats. New York—Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Corn, \$0.75 to \$1.00; Oats, \$0.50 to \$0.75. Chicago—Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Corn, \$0.75 to \$1.00; Oats, \$0.50 to \$0.75. Detroit—Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Corn, \$0.75 to \$1.00; Oats, \$0.50 to \$0.75. Buffalo—Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Corn, \$0.75 to \$1.00; Oats, \$0.50 to \$0.75. Cincinnati—Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Corn, \$0.75 to \$1.00; Oats, \$0.50 to \$0.75. Cleveland—Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Corn, \$0.75 to \$1.00; Oats, \$0.50 to \$0.75. Pittsburg—Wheat, \$1.25 to \$1.50; Corn, \$0.75 to \$1.00; Oats, \$0.50 to \$0.75.

The Cuban junta at New York has received two letters bearing postage stamps of the Cuban republic on the envelope. Thus the U. S. postoffice department recognizes the Cuban republic if Secretary Obery does not.

Lord Salisbury has consented to a punitive attack upon the king of Benin in the Niger coast protectorate, West Africa, on account of the massacre of a British expedition. The men of Widgeon, Thrish, Alcott, Pufflon and Phoebe will anchor off New Britain during the operations, which will begin in about a month.

