

# THE NORTHVILLE RECORD.

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## WAYNE COUNTY TEACHERS' ASS'N.

NEXT MEETING TO BE HELD IN PLYMOUTH TOMORROW.

Two Northville on the Program.

The second annual meeting of the Wayne county Teachers' association will be held in the P. H. school building at Plymouth tomorrow, Saturday. The grand commences at 10:00 o'clock a. m. (or soon after, as they say in legal circles.) Burton A. Barns of Delray tells of "Novice's" experience in district schools as a starter and if the discussion that follows...

At the banquet Prof. Ryder will do the funny part in introducing the after diner Chauncey papers. Mayor Starkweather will give the address of welcome and formally turn over the keys of Plymouth's city hall and the water works to the association...

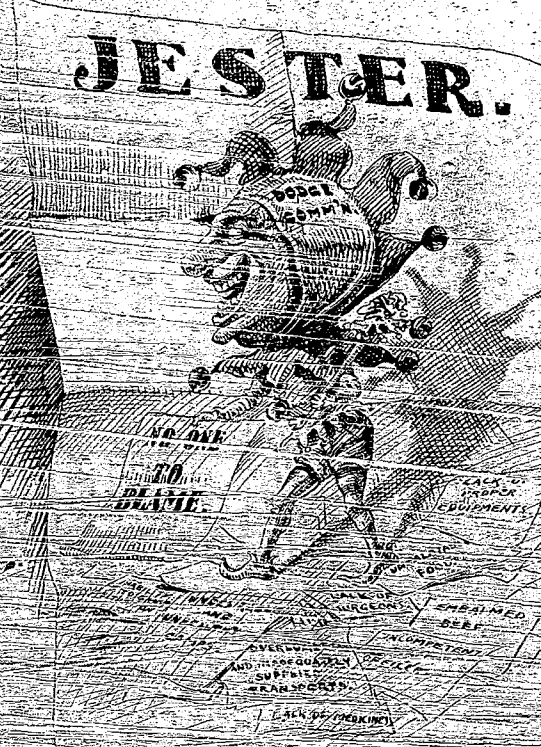
Higher Education. "Jim" Kelly, superintendent of the Northville school will throw at the teachers. This probably depends on what Plymouth "sets up" and the state of one's appetite. We shall be there and if we get in on that banquet we will try to make it worth our while.

Republican Caucus. A republican caucus to elect three delegates to the county convention (which is to elect delegates to the state convention at Jackson) is to be held in Detroit, Feb. 25 and three delegates to the county convention to be held in Detroit March 16 to nominate circuit judges and a county school commissioner, will be held in the village council room here tomorrow, Saturday, at 2:00 p. m.

MRS. M. VERNON has moved her Dressmaking Parlors to 39 Cady street, first door east of Center. Call and have your work done where you are sure to get satisfaction.

See Ambler for your Coal and Wood.

## THE WAR DEPARTMENT'S VALENTINE.



From Tuesday's Detroit Evening News.

## TWO IMPORTANT LEGISLATIVE BILLS

### AFFECTING THE INTERESTS OF WAYNE TAX-PAYERS.

#### Rep. Bryan Suggests Supervisors Take Action on It.

The following letter from Representative Bryan of Wyandotte is of especial interest to the tax payers of Wayne county and they should look into the matter at once. Editor Record: "There are two measures now pending before the legislature in which the people of Wayne county have a personal interest. A bill for the creation of an additional judgeship has been introduced by Rep. Cheever of Detroit and one for the reduction of the salary of the office by Rep. Goodell. I believe there is scarcely a division of opinion upon the wisdom and propriety of Mr. Goodell's effort to reduce the unearned and exorbitant sums contributed by the tax-payers of Wayne county to the circuit judges; and in this connection I desire to call the attention of your readers to the constitutional provision which takes it out of the power of the legislature to correct the abuse except indirectly by submitting the question of a constitutional amendment to the electors. Art. VI Sec. 6 of the constitution provides: 'The legislature may provide for the election of more than one circuit judge in the judicial circuit in which the city of Detroit is or may be located... and the circuit judge or judges of said circuit in addition to the salary provided by this constitution (\$2,500) shall receive from the respective counties such additional salaries as may from time to time be fixed and determined by the board of supervisors of said county. In view of the above it would seem that the direct and most certain way of placing the salaries of these judges within a reasonable limit is through a resolution of the board of supervisors. I would therefore suggest that the country press unite in an appeal to the supervisors of the townships to take up this reform. The annual expense to the county of the circuit court as at present constituted for salaries and office rent is

## THE VILLAGE CAUCUSES NEXT.

### MAY BE CALLED FOR SOME NIGHT NEXT WEEK.

#### Will Probably Be Two Tickets in the Field.

The village caucuses will be called next week, or at the latest the first of the following week and in all probability enough interest will be shown to put up two tickets. Last year the "Citizens" caucus was represented by about six men and they went home in disgust leaving but one ticket in the field. There has been some talk of changing the name of the "Citizens" to "Laboring Men" in order to place it on an equal footing with the "Working Men," but it may be all talk. Fortunately Northville has always been well governed no matter which ticket was elected but when things are a little more evened up, as a rule a better class of officers can be obtained. There ought to be no distinction between the tickets after the nomination is made, for all are "Citizens" in the broadest sense of the word and so all are "Working Men." Mr. Sessions has faithfully served the village for two terms as president and has made a good officer. He will doubtless be re-nominated. The retiring trustees are F. A. Miller, A. K. Dolph and Lou Var Valkenburg. It is not learned as yet whom if anyone the "Citizens" people have picked out to head their ticket. There is plenty of good timber to select from but the trouble is those people usually decline the honor. In some quarters it is intimated that a selection of candidates may be made from those not present and they will then be put on ticket whether they wish it or not.

## Bound Over to Circuit Court.

Thos. Evans was arraigned before Justice Lowder Saturday and pleading not guilty was remanded to the care of the officer until Monday for examination. Assisting Prosecutor Fales was present and conducted the examination and Evans was bound over for trial in the circuit court. Bail was fixed at \$500 which at the present time has not been secured. During the recital of the youngest child's sad tale of misadventure, there was scarcely a dry eye in the court room.

## AN OPEN QUESTION!

with some people is, where is the best place to make purchases? We try to make CUR. GOODS the Convincing Argument in favor of US. In many lines of goods the consuming public have to rely on the honesty of the merchant. Nowhere else is this more true than with the Crockery Buyer. Right here is where we try to make it to your advantage, to make your purchases of us. We won't have anything on our shelves but what can be guaranteed. This kind of goods costs a little more money than inferior, and they are worth a good deal more money.

### Hayland China.

There is nothing finer on the market than Hayland China. We carry this in open stock or by the set of 100 pieces for... \$30

### Decorated Semi-Porcelain.

If you want something that will please you when you see it, and please you 10 years from now, look at our Gray May, open stock patterns, that we sell to you any way you want it or in make up sets at

- 44 piece Tea Set for... \$ 6.50
- 56 piece Tea Set for... \$ 7.40
- 100 piece Dinner Set for... \$14, 14 50, \$15
- 112 piece Dinner Set for... \$16.85
- 76 piece Dinner Set for... \$11.25

### White Semi-Porcelain.

There is no prettier pattern in White Ware on the market than our perfect shape, all imitation of our Hayland Ransom.

- 42 piece Tea Set at... \$3.40
- 54 piece Tea Set at... 4.00
- 47 piece Dinner Set at... 4.97
- 76 piece Dinner Set at... 6.90
- 100 piece Dinner Set at... \$8.70, \$9
- 112 piece Dinner Set at... \$10.25

### Toilet Sets.

in all the pretty shapes and designs and priced to suit everyone, from... \$2 to \$9

### Lamp and Lamp Goods.

Our stock is very complete in all the latest shapes and decorations. If you are looking for anything in Lamps or Lamp Fixtures we are sure to please you.

### Odds and Ends.

Accumulate in everybody's stock. We have something in most every line in our Crockery Department that we have placed on a bargain table. We want to clean them up. We have placed moving prices on them. Cost cuts no figure; simply we want to move them if prices will do it. This sale includes 4 stock patterns that we are closing-out and many odd pieces in Fancy China, Glassware, Lamps, Bric Brac, etc. It will pay you to examine this counter.

R. H. PURDY, Northville. Groceries, Crockery, Lamps, Etc.

## Items of Interest to Farmers!

Look down the list. It cannot but interest you and consequently be of value.

### WE SELL:

<b>Windmills</b>	The Imperial Windmill gives SATISFACTION. It runs the stillest and is erected on the strongest derrick made. Our own licensed plumbers erect the mills and do the pump and pipe work.	<b>Harness Goods</b>	Horse Blankets from 75c to \$6 each; sweat pads, straps, snaps, rings, brushes, buckles, lines and a thousand other articles for the horse.
<b>Oliver Chilled Plows</b>	The Nos. 98 and 99 have proven superior to any Plow made. The price of the plow is saved every two years by the patent slip point alone.	<b>Stoves and Ranges</b>	We have several hundred dollars invested in Garland and Peninsular Stoves and Ranges. Another case of having the goods and the price.
<b>Grain Drills</b>	We have the Superior and Oswego. Farmers know the former well and the latter will soon make itself known.	<b>Copper Goods</b>	Copper has advanced 1/2 in price in the last three months, yet we still sell Copper Boilers for \$1.50 each and other copper and nickel goods correspondingly low.
<b>Binders and Mowers</b>	CHAMPION in Big Letters.	<b>Bicycles</b>	We will show the finest line ever in Northville. Columbias, Ramblers, Hartfords, Ideals and Vedettes.
<b>Miscellaneous Tools</b>	Harrows, Cultivators, Thomas' Rakes and Tedders, Corn Shellers, Food Cookers, Grindstones, Sanders, and a great variety of small tools.	<b>Trade</b>	It is rapidly increasing. Cause, fair dealing, honest goods, satisfactory prices.
<b>Paints and Oils</b>	Sherwin-Williams Paints cover most, last longest and look best. We also have New Era Paint, as well as lead and colors in oil to paint everything from a bicycle to a barn, buggy, or bedstead.	<b>Final</b>	Around our big coal fire is a rendezvous for chilled feet, frost bitten ears and warm hearts.

Coal! Carpenter, Yerkes & Harmon. NORTHVILLE.

## PILLSBURY'S VITOS!

The Ideal Wheat Food is something new in breakfast food. Call and get a free sample.

Also Wyandotte Washing Soda and Bell Starch. Come and see how to get a package of both for 1ct.

Just received a fresh sack of those elegant Peanuts.

Best Table Syrup, pr gal... 40c

California Evaporated Peaches, pr lb,.... 14c or 2 lbs for 25c

B. A. WHEELER.

The Northville Record.

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That Sixth Judgeship.

Rep. Cheever's bill creating an office for an additional circuit judge in Wayne county was introduced in the legislature last week and referred to the proper committee.

An Expensive "Reform."

A delegate system that nominated a Jefferson, a Lincoln, a Grant, a Garfield, a Cleveland, a McKinley and a Bryan; a Blair, an Alger and a Winans and a Pingree; a Chandler and a Chipmaw; a Maybury and a Black; a Clippert and a Stewart; a Huber, a Scullen, a Kingsley, a McGregor and even a Colby; a system that has successfully stood the test of a century; a system that more brainy men than even Rep. Colby is, have said was perfect as is possible to make, is what Rep. Colby is trying to overturn in Wayne county and at an expense to the tax-payers of some \$20,000 to \$30,000.

that some delegates to a convention are "bought," as is unjust toward the delegates as a body, as it would be to say that legislature is also "bought" up.

As an illustration of how the Colby reform caucus bill would work in Wayne county, it is cited that at a recent caucus held in Cleveland under a similar system in a big republican stronghold, the man who was nominated for school commissioner was defeated at the polls by 15,000 majority.

If "boughten" delegates give Wayne county and Detroit such an admirable set of officers, from mayor down to street sweeper; from sheriff to janitor; from representative to messenger boy and from congressman to page; it looks as if the money was well expended.

Purely Personal.

Miss Minnie Beal was home from the U. of M. over Sunday. Mrs. Emmet Harmon of Novi was a Northville visitor last week. Mrs. R. B. Norton left for her home in Arkansas City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Nash of Novi were the guests of Andrew Raich and family Tuesday. Cass Benton has returned from Mt. Clemens where he has been for several weeks taking treatment for rheumatism.

C. C. Chadwick attended the meeting of the executive department of the republican county committee in Detroit Saturday, which met for the purpose of arranging the dates of the county conventions.

Dr. Collier of Plymouth was a visitor here Monday. The doctor has leased for himself an office in Lansing where he has bright prospects for a lucrative practice and to which city he will shortly move to take up a permanent residence.

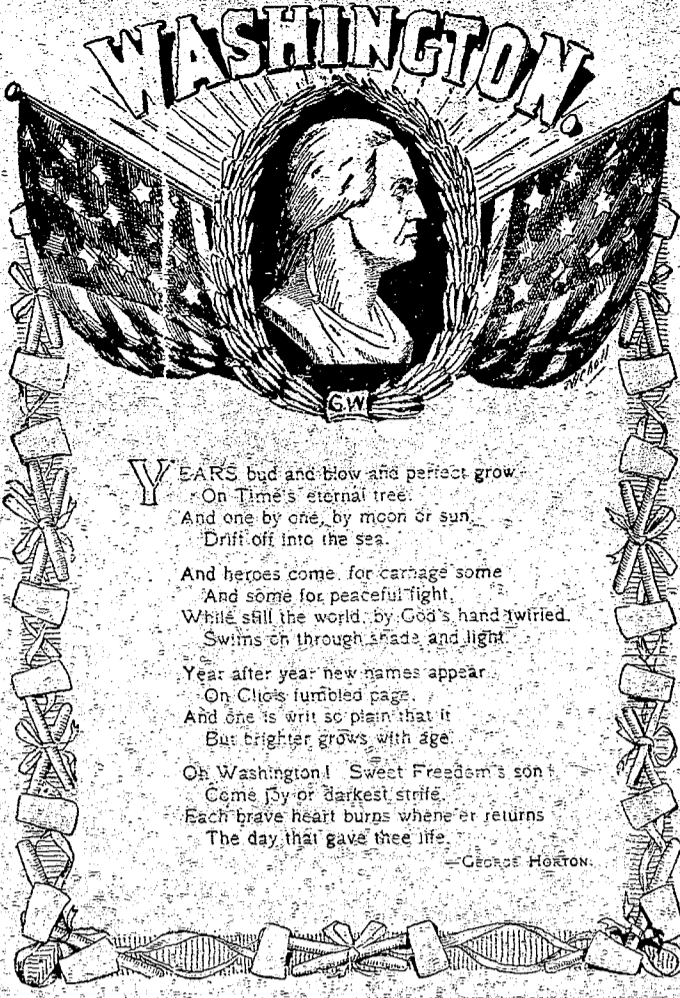
Mrs. Robt. McCully and brother, J. B. Cook were called to Midland last week by the death of their mother.

Lute Elliot, who went out as a musician with the 35th Mich., received his discharge last week and arrived home Saturday. Lute left the south when the weather was "balmy as a summer day" but when he struck zero Michigan weather he thought he was up against an Alaska iceberg.

She Came Back...

We have of late been advertising our fine line of Perfumes. Recently a lady came in and tried a little bottle. This week she came back with two friends and all three bought a dollar's worth.

HUESTON'S PHARMACY, NORTHVILLE. Headquarters for Prescriptions. Patent Medicines at cut prices.



YEARS bud and blow and perfect grow - On Time's eternal tree. And one by one, by moon or sun, Drift off into the sea.

George Washington

GREATNESS is not a plant of rapid growth, as the mushroom which springs up in a single night. History affords but a single instance of exceptional precocity developing into extraordinary genius.



ENGLISH PRINT OF WASHINGTON.

tendencies to hyperbole in speech. Weems apotheosized the Father of His Country, making of him a divinity, sinless as the Saviour of the world. He meditated and meditated upon the virtues of his hero until he really believed him to have been positively immaculate.

The seed-sowing incident told many millions of times over to gaping youngsters is a figment of the parson's fancy. Washington pere was decidedly orthodox, believing every word of the Bible—higher criticism had not then come in and he enforced moral lessons in the same manner as Solomon, with the rod and promises of more of it in the future.

less he made forays upon neighboring apple orchards, tied cans to the tails of dogs, worried cats, liked jam and teased his mamma for pocket money.

One doesn't like the kind of boys that Weems describes in his life of Washington—sickly, sentimental, full of moralizing and afraid to have a hearty laugh.

Such was the youth of the most distinguished of Americans. His manhood was marked by the most striking qualities of virtue, which must have had their developing period in the age of youth.

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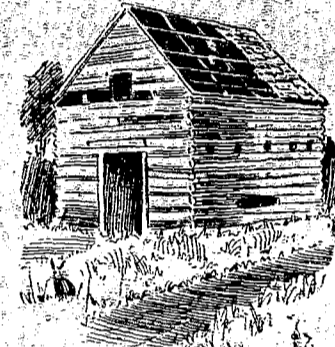
The Awful Sufferings of His Men at Valley Forge, Blasted Gen. Washington.

"Sentinels pacing in the snow on the outposts of Valley Forge took off their caps and stood in them to save their feet from freezing," writes William Perrine in the Ladies' Home Journal.

The contractors and the commissary agents and the continental congress had brought 12,000 men to the verge of starvation, and the blood of Gen. Wayne ran hot with rage as he looked on his poor fellows, weak with hunger.

AN HISTORIC CABIN.

For Some Years Washington Made His Home in a Hut Built by Himself.



WASHINGTON'S HOME FOR FOUR YEARS.

first step into public life and served as young surveyor under Lord Fairfax. For four years of his life Washington made his home in this hut, with no white face near.

Our Cherry Tree Joker

THE TRUTH ABOUT IT.



"George," said Father Washington, "why did you cut down the cherry tree with your little hatchet?" "Father, I cannot tell a lie," responded George.

Washington's Repartee.

"Sir," said a captain during the winter at Valley Forge, "my men have naught to eat but their boots. The poor fellows have been living on stewed leather for a week."

Early Occupation.

Toobee—What was Washington's first occupation? Arnott—He was an engraver.

How Is This?

No Jesus were known in the olden days in the land of the brave and free? Yet Washington's famous because he took a hack at the cherry tree.

A Good Example.

She—I should think all young men would try and emulate the example of George Washington.

It is said that the 6th Judgeship program for Wayne county was that the bill would not be passed until after the spring election, when it would give the governor a chance to appoint his house leader, Rep. Cheever to that \$6,000 job.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Gargile of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scurfia, which has caused her great suffering for years."

At the Argo.

FARMERS!

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Try a sack of "White Frost," it can't be beaten in the state.

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Washboards and Honey, Mop Sticks and Candy. Try the Red Front for Groceries.

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Perfect Laundering.

That's the kind we do the kind you want. We have every modern convenience—skilled help—a desire to please you.

THE Peerless Steam Laundry, 50 Main St., Northville. F. B. MACOMBER, Proprietor.

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- Roses, doz. . . 60c, \$1 (arnations, doz, 35, 40c Roman-Hyacinths, in pots, . . . 15c, 25c A few Pans, pr bulb, . . 6c Dutch Hyacinths at . . . . . 10c to 25c Ferns, etc., for jardineres Violets, pr doz, . . . 15c

NORTHVILLE GREEN-HOUSES. Corner Grace Ave. and Yerkes St.

Inflammatory Rheumatism—Its Tor- tures Equal That of the Rack. The main symptoms of Inflammatory Rheumatism are pain, tenderness, redness and swelling of the affected joints.

Athlo-phoros is one of the most important discoveries of the 19th century. It cures Inflammatory Rheumatism by thrusting out the poisonous uric acid from the blood.

Supervisor, Nebraska, May 5, 1898. Gentlemen: I am afflicted with Inflammatory Rheumatism and tried several medicines and found no relief.

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Dr. T. H. Henry, Physician and Surgeon. Office and residence, 31 Main Street. Office hours 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.

Dr. M. A. Patterson, Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office, 114 Center Street. Office hours 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

Dr. R. M. Johnson, Phys. Clin. and Surgeon. Office, 114 Center Street. Office hours 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Dr. T. S. Murdock, Residence 145 Main Street. Office hours at house from 12:00 to 2:30 p.m.

Dr. E. N. Foot, Dental Parlor, 69 Center Street. Sitous, Udsle and Vized air-administrator. All work guaranteed and prices reasonable.

Dr. F. Carruthers, Dentist. Office over T. G.'s store, Main Street. Preservation of the Natural Teeth. Growth and Bridge Work a Specialty.

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IS CHECKED BY PINGREE.

Governor Forestalls Proposed Investigation Into the Expenditures of His Office.

HE ISSUES AN ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE

Lansing, Feb. 13.— Just before the legislature adjourned for its junket to the upper peninsula, Gov. Pingree sent in a special message criticizing the junket and intimating that former legislatures had used the people's money illegally, the inference, of course, being that if this legislature went on the junket it would be guilty of the same offense.

On Thursday the governor forestalled the committee's action by issuing an address to the people of the state, in which he sets forth in detail all the expenditures, as taken from the books of the board of state auditors. He says he is accountable only to the people who elected him and as most of the money was spent in having printed and mailed to them his messages, as they asked for them, he makes this accounting direct.

It is evident that there is a great desire on the part of the legislature to increase the revenues of the state. This is found in the fact that at least half a dozen income tax bills have been introduced. Most of these bills are rather reasonable in their provisions, that of Representative Aldrich being the most radical.

At least a temporary victory was won by the anti-Pingree representatives Tuesday when the Cheever-Atkinson equal taxation bill, which had been made a special order for Tuesday, was referred by a vote of 41 to 45 to a joint committee composed of the regular standing committees on taxation, with three representatives added.

If a bill introduced by Representative Goodell becomes a law there will be less dealing in mythical stocks and intangible wheat. The bill prohibits the business of selling options, making it unlawful to deal in these commodities unless the goods are actually delivered.

PINGREE ON THE LOBBY.

Michigan Executive Calls Attention to Methods of Corruptionists—Extracts from a Recent Address.

Lansing, Feb. 9.— Gov. Pingree delivered an address before the State Association of Supervisors Wednesday night, in which he said: 'The menace of the nation and our own government is not a foreign foe. Our armies and navies may guard every pass and harbor, may cover the islands of the sea, and the nation within rot and fester with corruption.'

FRUIT CROP HURT.

Reports from Several Sections of the State Show Great Damage by Cold Weather.

Detroit, Feb. 13.— Reports from various fruit-raising sections of the state are to the effect that the extreme record-breaking cold spell has been most disastrous to the year's crop of peaches and other fruits.

From all sections of the state come stories of the intense cold. In the upper peninsula the mercury has been playing tag in the thermometer between 30 and 40 degrees below zero.

WHITE UNDER ARREST.

Accused of Robbing a Grave at Rutledge in Order to Swindle a Life Insurance Company.

Baldwin, Feb. 12.— Sheriff Colton arrived here Saturday with Andrew M. White, who is accused of grave robbery. Andrew M. White was arrested at Pennsylvania, Pa., on Monday last while working in a lumber camp.

Y. M. C. A. Convention.

Saginaw, Feb. 14.— Considerable interest is already manifest in the twenty-seventh annual convention of the Young Men's Christian association of Michigan, which will convene in this city on February 23, continuing four days.

Prof. Edson Dead.

Hart, Feb. 13.— Prof. Seth Edson died here Wednesday night at the age of 75 years. Prof. Edson was widely known in western Michigan as an educator and was one of the best teachers along the western shore.

Married a Michigan Girl.

Battle Creek, Feb. 15.— John Eyr Nelson, great-nephew of Lord Nelson, the famous English naval hero, was married here Tuesday night to Miss Katherine Kell, a school-teacher of this city.

Sent to Prison.

Pontiac, Feb. 13.— Billy Burns, charged with robbery, was sentenced to 18 years in the penitentiary.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS.

Much information of General Interest Will Be Found in the Lines Below.

Labor Commissioner Cox says 14 steam boilers exploded in Michigan last year.

An electric railroad between Metamora, Mich., and Toledo, O., is being projected.

Hillsdale county people will erect a monument to their soldiers, who fell in the civil war.

Sidnaw is ten years old and thus far not an internment has been made in its village cemetery.

The Liberty flouring mills, south of Jackson, burned Wednesday night with a loss of \$12,000.

It is altogether likely that manual training will be introduced in the schools at Ypsilanti.

The First national bank of Saginaw announces that it will pay its creditors 100 cents on the dollar.

Mine owners profess to believe that the iron ore output this year will be between 18,000,000 and 20,000,000 tons.

The Allegan County Agricultural society will hold its forty-seventh annual fair at Allegan, October 5, 6 and 7, 1899.

Bisbee & McGee's potato house, at Hersey, burned, together with 5,000 bushels of potatoes. Loss, \$2,000; insurance, \$400.

The Calumet & Hecla Mining Co. has purchased several fine tracts of pine and hemlock timber in Chippewa county, the price being \$100,000.

People of Hillsdale county are pushing a project to erect a monument to the memory of its soldiers who fell in the Spanish-American war.

Two brothers and a sister named Christie, who were born in the north of Michigan, died in one week at a ripe old age.

Frederick von Hartman, the wandering nobleman who got five years in the Ionia reformatory for burglary at Kalamazoo, failed in an attempt to break out of the Ionia prison.

Rep. Samuel Dickie, of Albion, will resign the chairmanship of the national prohibition party to become business manager of the party's official organ, to be published in Chicago.

The Universalists have decided on Lapeer as the place of holding their congress of religions. It will begin February 28, and last three days.

The right of way for the proposed electric line between Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids has been secured.

National Chairman Dickie, of the prohibition party, of Albion, has become business manager of the lever, the original prohibition paper of the country.

The Christie family, pioneers of St. Clair county, have been nearly wiped out during the past week, death having carried off Samuel, aged 89; Mary, aged 80, and Henry, aged 93.

TOO MANY WIVES.

Dr. Charles Granville, 57 Niles, is Alleged to Be Guilty of Bigamy, and is Arrested.

Niles, Feb. 14.— Dr. Charles W. H. B. Granville, president of St. Luke's hospital here, was arrested Monday morning for bigamy. The charge was made by his former wife, who when she married him at Poplar Bluffs, Mo., in 1836, was Mrs. Elizabeth Griddle, widow of a Union soldier.

Farmers Will Lose Heavily. Reed City, Feb. 14.— The continued extreme cold weather in this part of the state will cause great loss to the farmers and other holders of potatoes in pits and cellars.

Find Crevels in the Earth. Greenville, Feb. 15.— For several nights there have been loud reports here accompanied by a shaking of the earth, leading people to believe that a terrible explosion had occurred.

Michigan Man Commits Suicide. Houghton, Neb., Feb. 11.— Frank Woolcott, of Bellare, Mich., committed suicide in the Lindell hotel Friday morning by cutting his throat with a knife. He was recently from Chicago.

Marquette, Feb. 13.— Miss Nellie Howard was burned to death at one o'clock Sunday morning in a fire which occurred in the boarding-house of Mrs. John Adams, in Bluff street.

Do You Want Consumption? We are sure you do not. Nobody wants it. But it comes to many thousands every year.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It does coughs of all kinds. It stops so because it is a soothing and healing remedy of great power.

Put one of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Plasters over your lungs. A whole Medical Library Free. For four cents in stamps to pay postage, we will send you a complete medical book.

Medicinal Advice Free. We have the exclusive services of some of the most eminent physicians in the United States. Consultation, treatment and long experience eminently fit them for giving you medical advice. Write freely all the particulars in your case.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. In a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate office in the city of Detroit, on the twenty-eighth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate office in the city of Detroit, on the twentieth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate office in the city of Detroit, on the twentieth day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Articles of Co-Partnership of McClure, Kelsey & Co. This is to certify, that the undersigned hereby continue and renew the limited partnership of McClure, Kelsey & Co., now existing, under the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the state of Michigan, approved May 18, 1846, and of the amendments thereto.

Thornton's Milk Route. Pure Stereated Milk. Sweet and Sour Cream furnished on Application. All Kinds of Fancy Creams. Milk from one cow especially for infants. Ice Cream by the Gallon Supplied on order.

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A Pleased Expression. always adorns the face of a Patron of The Record Printery. THORNTON'S MILK ROUTE. Pure Stereated Milk. Sweet and Sour Cream furnished on Application.

Cash for Poultry. ANY DAY IN THE WEEK. At the Corner Feed Store.

# GREAT CLOSING OUT SALE!

## Going Out of Business in Northville!

After four years successful business at Northville, our Mr. Dancer who has had charge of the business, withdraws to accept a position in a larger place. This leaves our business in Northville without a manager. Our other stores take our whole time, therefore we must close out and will give the public the benefit.

THIS STOCK MUST BE CLOSED OUT IN  
THIRTY DAYS. A TERRIBLE SACRIFICE OF

**\$15,000** worth of Dry Goods, Carpets,  
Cloaks and Shoes.

### Dry Goods.

A portion of our spring stock is already in. The factories made them for us. They will not take them back. We must sell them.

\$1.00 Dress Goods at.....	65c yd
50c Dress Goods at.....	37½c yd
25c Dress Goods at.....	15c yd
12 1-2c Wash Goods at.....	9c yd
All Prints in the store at.....	3c yd

### Underwear.

A wonderful sacrifice of fine goods. For instance, the

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Goods at.....	85c
\$1.00 Underwear at.....	75c
50c Underwear at.....	37½c
25c Underwear at.....	15c

### Cloaks.

Just about giving them away.

Good Warm Garments at.....	\$1.00
Regular \$10 Cloaks at.....	\$6.50
Children's Cloaks, to close out, at.....	98c
Wrappers, to close out, at.....	39c

### Shoes.

A regular clean sweep of all our line. None will be left in a month.

Good Shoes at.....	\$1.00 pr
Ladies' and Misses' Rubbers at.....	15c pr
Men's Rubber Boots, best made, at.....	\$2.25 pr
Felt Boots and Rubbers at.....	\$1.50 pr

### Hosiery

Equally cheap.

Ladies' Woolen Hose.....	10c pr
Men's Heavy Woolen Socks (25c).....	15c pr
15c Woolen Socks at.....	10c pr
Any Mitten in the store.....	25c pr
Boys' Brownie Overalls.....	19c pr

### Carpets.

The Lowell, Hartford and National Makes. None better; nor will anyone else ever sell you a Carpet at the prices you can get here while we are closing out.

Strictly all wool, Extra Super.....	35c yd
Regular 50c all wool at.....	39c yd
Very Best Lowells, etc., (usual 69c goods).....	47c yd
Floor Oilcloth, pr sq yd.....	15c
Straw Matting, pr yd.....	9c

### Notions

and Small Wares, prices to send them flying.

Coats' Thread, spool.....	2½c
Needles, per package.....	3c
Baby Ribbon, (2c yd).....	2 yds for 1c
Elastic Web, yd.....	5c
Rubber Cord, yd.....	1c

### Wall Paper.

A regular hummer. Just closing out all we have.

Prices.....	3c pr double roll upward
Ingrain Paper.....	20c double roll

Stock small. First come will get first pick.

It will pay you to drive 50 miles to attend this sale. We herewith take this occasion to thank the public for its liberal patronage during our business here, and take pleasure in giving away a portion of our stock value, while closing out. Resp.,

# HOLMES, DANCER & CO.

Northville, = Michigan.

## The New Spring Furnishing Goods are Here

many of them are now ready on our counters and in our window awaiting your inspection and approval.

### New '99 Hats.

This line comes in all the latest and noblest shapes and colors, from the new "Crush" Hats to the "Fedora" & "Derby." 89c to \$2.49 Price.

### New '99 Sweaters.

We have the line of your life! Nicest line we ever have shown. Colors in Green, Black, Blue and Red. All new—every one. Lace or turtle neck collar. Prices 89c to \$2.19

It's a little late to talk Winter Goods, but to those who are yet in need of warm goods—Suits and Overcoats—can still get in on our special reduction sale.

## Star Clothing House,

81-83 Main Street, Northville.

## Better Than Ever.

We are doing the Grocery Business better than we ever did—if that were possible—and doing more of it. This is the time of year when you must have Canned Goods. When you buy fresh vegetables you can tell something of their quality by their appearance, but when you buy canned vegetables you have nothing by which to judge of their quality but the label. Our guarantee goes with every can we sell, and if not as represented, or if not as good as you think it ought to be we want you to return the can and we will give you another, or return the purchase price. That's fair, isn't it? You can Phone us your order, if you don't have time to come to the store, or we will call at your house for your order—that's convenience.

## Fry Brothers, Northville.

### Cascaro

#### Bromide

#### Quinine

#### Tablets,

A sure cure for your cold or money refunded. 35 Tablets for 25c. We guarantee them.

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### MURDOCK'S PHARMACY

62 Main Street. Telephone.

### Smoke THE "Nickle Leader" CIGAR

Photo Buttons. Owing to the demand for Photo buttons, Brooches, etc., we have added a full line of Brooches, Buttons, Cuff-buttons, Stick pins, Shirt waist sets and Hat pins in all the latest fad mounting. BROWN, PHOTOGRAPHER.

### NORTHVILLE.

#### The City in Brief.

Republican caucus Saturday. Miss Maudie Miller is ill with grip. Crankless bicycles are among the new things this season. Teeth extracted with "great pains" is the way a Monroe dentist advertises it. Mrs. F. E. Quigley has a cactus of the rat-tail variety which has 255 buds on it. A glimpse of the future, the (Woman's) congress of 1996 at the Masonic Hall, Friday evening, Feb. 24. Admission 10c. Remember the date. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ely were the recipients of a very nice valentine Tuesday. It weighed about nine pounds and is a boy. Mrs. McCrumb of Novi shows an original picture of the first train of cars ever pulled over a railroad in the United States. It was made in 1831. Mr. Pew has on exhibition in Brown's gallery a number of very pretty original water scenes which he has lately painted and is offering for sale. D. McPhail has accepted a position as superintendent with the Globe Furniture Co. of Walkerville, Ont. His family will remain in Northville until spring. President Beal of the Globe company says that indications point to a great business year and that he apprehends a steady increase in the number of orders received by his firm. Order. Coal of C. Y. & H.

Mrs. H. L. Simmonds is seriously ill. Mrs. Page Miller is somewhat better. The State Savings bank has a report in this issue. Subject at the Baptist church Sunday morning "The Cross;" evening, "The class Christ receives." FOUND—Gold ring. Owner can obtain same by applying to Chas. Blair and paying 25 cents for this notice. T. J. Perkins continues seriously ill, the physicians experiencing difficulty in keeping anything on his stomach, thus rendering recovery all the more slow. The YMCA reading rooms are open Monday, Friday and Saturday evenings of each week and all men are cordially invited to make use of them. The attendance thus far has been good. The republican sentiment in the township seems to be that the delegates to the county convention should support the nominations of Carpenter, Donovan, Frazier and Rhoades for circuit court judges. Henry Britton, who has been suffering for several weeks with grip and ensuing complications is now confined to the house. He has been unable to lie down for two or three weeks, on account of a difficulty in breathing. Christian Science services in the WCTU hall next Sunday. Morning service at 10:30. Subject: "Christ Jesus." Evening service at 7:00. Subject: "Jesus Feeding the Five Thousand by Understanding the Power of Truth." The young men are sending out invitations for an anniversary ball to be given in Princess rink next week Wednesday night. Rinney's orchestra is to furnish the music and everything points to a usual fine time. Spectators 25 cents. Regular meeting of Orient chapter, No. 7, O.E.S. this Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock sharp. All persons taking part in the entertainment of Feb. 24 are specially requested to be present as a rehearsal will take place at the close of the meeting. Mrs. Sile Clark had a runaway Tuesday which resulted in the demolishing of her carriage to a kindling wood degree. The horse became frightened at a stream of water pouring from one of the village hydrants that was being flushed. The L.O.M. ladies had a delightful time at their "masquerade" Friday night. Maude Stanley was awarded first prize for best costume and young Joe Mooney for poorest. Dancing ended up the festivities and the society is richer by about \$18.00. On St. Valentine's day the Junior League of the Methodist church made many a heart glad by their thoughtfulness. They took each sick person, members of the GAR post, and the poorer children of the village a pretty little valentine, and in addition remembered the sick with flowers and some dainty morsels of food. It was a commendable act and one much appreciated. F. E. Quigley has a pump that during last week gave frozen water. Fred says its an actual fact that water which he was pumping from the well went into the pail in one long curly icy chunk much resembling the production of a sausage machine. Yes, he tells this for an actual fact, and really believes it. Fred used to be quite a good boy when he worked on the Record but since regarding himself to farm life something seems to be the matter with him. There is still some misunderstanding between the village council and Mr. Becker regarding the care of the town clock. The council claims Mr. Becker agreed to keep the clock in repair and in proper running order, but Mr. Becker claims he only agreed to wind the clock and keep it running and that it needs overhauling, etc. The clock has of late been on one of its usual tantrums and has struck to suit its own convenience or humor. This matter should be straightened out in some way lest a more serious expense befall the village. James S. Strange has sold his imported French coach stallion, Gustave No. 149, to E. M. Starkweather of Northville for a nice round sum—Millford Times. This horse referred to was imported from France by the late M. W. Dunham. He is a black, stands 16½ hands high, weighs 1,400 lbs with the best of legs and feet, a high actor all around with plenty of substance and natural speed. There is no question but what this is the best class of horses for the average farmer to raise, as they are so sought for both by home and foreign buyers. See Amble for your Coal and Wood at C. Y. & H's. Food Cookers and Corn Shellers at C. Y. & H's.

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Pay 3% for money.

Lend money at 6%.

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6x6 6x8 and 8x8

LONG LENGTHS.

We have just unloaded in our yards a whole carload of them. Better put in some good sound timbers in place of those old rotten sills.

### C. L. Dubuar Lumber Co.,

Northville, Mich.

TELEPHONE

The Wooden Man.

### NORTHVILLE STATE SAVINGS BANK.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Northville State Savings Bank at Northville, Michigan at the close of business, Feb. 4, 1899.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$100,418 75
Stocks, bonds and mortgages	19,700 00
Overdrafts	3,623 58
Banking house	3,300 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,250 00
Revenue stamps on hand	60 33
Due from banks in reserve cities	32,569 30
Checks and cash items	1,49 10
Nickels and cents	75 55
Gold coin	2,000 00
Silver coin	170 00
U. S. and National Bank Notes	3,950 00
Total	\$167,206 58

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$25,000 00
Surplus fund	2,250 00
Undivided profits less current taxes	60 33
paid	116 75
Commercial deposits subject to check	27,876 98
Dividends unpaid	21 00
Savings deposits	13,500 00
Savings Certificates of deposit	63,000 92
Total	\$167,206 58

STATE OF MICHIGAN, (S.S.) County of Wayne.

I, L. A. Babbitt, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. A. BABBITT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Feb. 1899.

C. C. YERKES, Notary Public.

WITNESSES: FRANK MILLER, CHAS. H. COLDFERN. Directors. Bank No. 145. Organized Dec. 24, 1892.

Go to Woodman & Cray for your

## FRESH SALT and SMOKED Meats.

Fresh Fish received every Thursday evening.

Give us a Trial. Telephone 31.

### Woodman & Cray,

Jake Miller's old stand, 75 Center St., NORTHVILLE.

I can make a perfect fitting suit of clothes for a woodey man. But I cannot make a perfect fitting suit of clothes for a man that is made of flesh and bones; that is, into a thousand different attitudes and positions in a day. It was never done and it is impossible. Having had a lifetime of experience and done a little traveling in my time I find that I can make as good a fitting suit of clothes as can be desired by any man. I have received my spring samples which are in the latest styles and fashions at all prices. The cloth warranted to be new goods and the same as the samples by a reliable woollen house.

GORDON ALLAN, Northville.

Mrs. Geo. Waterman of Durand visited her mother and sister here last week. J. W. Davis is suffering from a severe cut received on his right hand while cutting kindling last week. Married at the bride's home Wednesday night by Rev. J. H. Herbener, Mr. Levi Joslin of Detroit to Miss Cora A. Johnson of Livonia. The Perrin-Richert legislative recount committee was here yesterday and went through the Northville ballot boxes and the result was a gain of two votes for Perrin and two for Richert. The committee complimented the town board on their accuracy. Mrs. Haudel Beal, who recently moved to Detroit with her daughter, Mrs. Bateman, sustained serious injuries a short time ago by falling backwards in one of the rooms in her son Kolli's home in that city, and she is now confined to her bed at the latter's home. Her extreme age makes her recovery very slow. The lecture by Rev. J. J. Phelps will be delivered Tuesday evening, Feb. 21 in the Baptist church. Subject: "Five months personal experience as prisoner of war in Florence and Libby prisons." An interesting feature of the lecture will be the remnants of a diary Mr. Phelps kept at that time. Everyone cordially invited. Admission, 10c. Proceeds for benefit of BYPU. Northville and vicinity people will much regret to learn that Holmes, Dancer & Co., have decided to close out their business here on account of their Mr. Dancer, who has so successfully carried out their affairs here for four years past, retiring to engage in other business. As will be seen by their large ad elsewhere in this issue the closing out sale is now on and Mr. Dancer says they expect to close it all out within 30 days. If it hadn't been for Northville there would have been a dirty lot of people in Plymouth this week. Their water works system froze up and the only laundry in the burg (Rhea Bros.) moved all the dirty shirts and collars up here Monday and run them through the Peerless laundry. The health officer says that things in Plymouth aren't so bad as he thought and after due deliberation he decided not to enforce the quarantine regulations.

#### Half Fare to Detroit.

The F. & P. M. will sell tickets to Detroit for one fare for round trip, Feb. 21, and morning trains of Feb. 22, limited to return to Feb. 23, on account of Michigan club banquet.

#### Popular Rate Resumed.

Mr. J. R. Hayes, proprietor of the Wayne Hotel, Detroit, has once more added to his schedule of rates the one that has done the most to make the Wayne famous, "as the best hotel for the money in the west," namely, \$2.00 per day and 50 cents each for single meals.

#### Dr. Ayer's Positive Cure.

A home treatment for Ladies. Call at Mrs. L. H. Clark's Boarding House, No. 16, Church street.

#### Harness Goods at C. Y. & H's.



Darkey Songs are all the rage. So are the goods at MERRITT & CO'S, at the prices they are offering them at.

REMEMBER our sale only lasts 10 Days

tonger and now is the time to buy. Nothing reserved: our entire Jewelry, Silver ware and Novelty stock at cost.

### MERRITT & CO.,

Leading Jewelers and Opticians. NORTHVILLE.

### WAYNE HOTEL, DETROIT

AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLAN. 62 TO 68.50 \$1.00 TO \$2.00 SINGLE MEALS, 50c. UP TO DATE CAFES

See Amble for your Coal and Wood at C. Y. & H's.

Food Cookers and Corn Shellers at C. Y. & H's.

## Which Shall it Be?

Rightly made shoes and of good quality, or the "cheap" kind? Now which do you want, anyway? Some people continually complain about how poor shoes are now-a-days, compared to a few years ago. The fact is, they're as good today as they ever were, if you get the right kind. If you don't get the right kind, that's another matter. We know the ladies' shoes we are selling at \$2.00 and \$2.50 a pair are the right kind—they're big bargains—we know it—There's no guess work about it—Maybe you're needing a pair.

C. A. SESSIONS, THE SHOEIST.

Fine Repairing.

## Fat Furniture

Fat Furniture is offered at the thimest furniture prices now on in our immense display of desirable house fittings. Our sideboards and other desirable articles of dining room furniture as well as suites are attracting the attention of all the ladies. More people would go to housekeeping if they knew the prices at which we are offering all kinds of house furniture. It is not necessary to go into details, but if you will take the time and call on us we certainly can save you money. There is no question about this and our terms are reasonable.

### SANDS & PORTER BROS.

TELEPHONE.

## NOTICE!

Inasmuch as the farmers will not sell us their wheat, oats or corn except for cash, and in order to be prepared to buy of them on that basis, we find it necessary to, and on the 1st day of March, 1899, will sell our product for CASH.

Following is a list of our prices:

No. 1 Feed	\$1 pr cwt, \$19 pr ton
No. 2 Feed	70c cwt
Corn Meal	80c cwt
Corn	42c bu

YERKES BROTHERS, NORTHVILLE.

# Warner & Cook, FARMINGTON, MICH.

Bought for Spot Cash at The Auction Sale  
of the O. P. Hazard Stock of

## CLOTHING!

2306 Men's, Boys' and Children's  
Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters,  
Pants, etc., etc.

\$4,000 STOCK TO  
SELECT FROM! \$4,000

Each and every garment O. P. H.'s  
make and guaranteed and warranted.  
Perfect styles, make and finish. No  
better made or trimmed goods ever  
manufactured and we will make  
prices for the next 10 days at less than  
the cost to make up.

### YOUR CHOICE

- 300 pr Q P H Knee Pants for 20c
- 480 pr Overalls for 38c
- 120 pr Pants for 48c
- 24 pr Boys' hvy wool Ulsters \$1.98  
(This Ulster cost \$3.40 to make up)
- Men's hvy O P H Ulsters for \$3.48
- 1 lot Men's Suits for \$2.25  
(Worth double the price asked.)
- 1 lot Men's Suits for \$2.85  
(Worth double the price asked.)
- 1 lot Men's Suits, blk Cheviot \$5.85
- 1 lot Children's Suits for \$1.45  
Hundreds of Suits to choose from.

### Special Sales Next Week

Read the list on Groceries; other lines in proportion;  
Dry Goods, Shoes or Crockery

Monday. Best Gran'lat'd Sugar 4 3-4c lb  
1 pound or 20 pounds.

Tuesday. Soap.  
11 bars Queen Anne Soap..... 25c  
Jaxon, Lenox, Santa Claus and other  
brands same.

Wednesday. Tea.  
Good Jap Tea..... 23c lb  
High Grade Jap Tea..... 33c lb

Thursday. Crackers.  
Fresh Butter Crackers..... 4c lb  
6 1/2 lbs for..... 25c

Friday. Coffee.  
All kinds Package Coffee... 10c pkg  
Rio Coffee, roasted, not ground 9c

Saturday. Rolled Oats.  
Best..... 2c lb  
13 lbs for..... 25c

Warner & Cook,  
FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN.

## Too Many Sock Rubbers.

That's what is troubling us.  
Have too many Sock Rubbers.  
Expected a regular two-foot-  
of-snow kind of winter and  
that's why I have so many  
left. You can have 'em while  
they last for

\$1.25 pr.

All new, Boston, Goodyear,  
Misha, and Conn. brand—best  
there is. Regular price is  
\$1.50 to \$1.60. This price  
is for cash.

C. E. GOODSELL,  
Novi.  
TELEPHONE

## NEIGHBORHOOD

### Novi News.

Mrs. Cogsdill has suffered a relapse from grip.

Did you get a valentine? [Nope! Did you?—Ed.]

Mrs. Chas. Green visited Tuesday in Northville.

Miss Anna Deveraux has gone to Detroit to stay.

The WHMS met with Mrs. A. R. Angell yesterday.

The school observed valentine day by a valentine box.

Stephen Gage is at the parental home for a brief visit.

Geo. King had the misfortune to lose his horse on Tuesday.

Beware of the friend who suspicions evil intentions of a friend.

Mrs. G. W. and Miss Mable Whipple spent Wednesday in Northville.

The latest grip victims are Milton West and family and Will Dodge.

For program for WNC for Saturday night, see last week's Record.

The Farmers' club will meet with Mrs. Alice Flint next week Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Coats and son of Milford spent Sunday with relatives here.

A few Novi citizens attended the Lincoln banquet at Pontiac last week.

W. D. Stark and wife spent Saturday and Sunday at Mrs. S.'s parental home near Emery.

Mrs. H. L. Jones is visiting her parental home in Vernon because of the illness of her father's entire family.

R. E. Bell started on the road Tuesday morning as salesman for the Trowbridge and Ingh Monumental works of Pontiac.

A party of young people were entertained at the home of L. Banks last Wednesday evening and report a very enjoyable time.

The Methodist Sunday-school will give a patriotic entertainment for the benefit of a library at the church Wednesday evening, Feb. 22. Program and supper, 10c.

There will be an entertainment in the Stone school-house next week Saturday evening for the benefit of the Sunday school. The laughable negro farce, "A Holy Terror," will be a "Crack Jack" and worth going as far to see as Burdum's circus. Ten cents pays the bill and it's for a good cause.

The 63d birthday of Mrs. Mary Putnam was celebrated at her home last Saturday by her children, grandchildren and friends. The former she had invited to come the following day which was the date of her birth, Feb. 22, but they decided to go the day previous, making a genuine surprise and a long-to-be-remembered event as one of the most pleasant parties of the season. After dinner there was a loud clatter in the kitchen causing some of the guests to think "Bridge" and "Pat" had fallen into the dishpan. It was soon discovered however that the attraction was that delicious ice cream Frank and Marion were credited with manufacturing.

### Auction Sale.

Alonso Sessions will sell at public auction on the premises known as the Jerusalem Sessions farm, three miles west and one-half mile south of Novi, or about five and one-half miles north-west of Northville on Tuesday, Feb. 28, commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp, a number of cattle, farm tools and numerous other articles. Rattenbury and Brooks' auctioneers.

Champion Binders and Mowers at Carpenter, Yerkes & Harmon's, Northville.

**CASTORIA.**  
Bears the Signature of  
*Chas. H. Fletcher.*  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Wanted, to Rent, For Sale, Etc.  
Notices under this head inserted for 75c per issue and 10c per week for each subsequent issue

FARM FOR RENT—Blackwood Bros., Northville. 1511

FOR RENT—Nice house in Northville, low rent. Apply to C. J. Ball. 2711

FOR SALE—Several Houses and Lots; also Houses to rent. Apply to P. E. White. 2611

FOR RENT—Nice House and Barn on Dubuque street. Apply to Mrs. Greer, 13 Dubuque St. 12111

FOR SALE OR RENT—A fine 200-acre farm, Enquire of Floyd Lapham, 5 miles east of South Lyon. 21133pt

FARM FOR RENT—The Lattie Bill farm, north-west of Northville. Apply to M. O. Cryslar, Northville. 2511

FARM FOR SALE CHEAP—Two miles north of Salem station. Enquire of Fanny Coleman, Plymouth, Mich. 2514

FOR SALE—A Farm, 82 acres, mixed loan, clay subsoil. Good condition with an Ironing that pays 68 per cent. Come and investigate, Chas. Nacker, Salem, Mich. 2614p

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey Bull calf, dropped Oct. 24, '98. Dam gave 7,167 lbs milk testing 5.8 per cent as a two-year old in '98. Also 2 pure bred Jersey Cows, 2 Pure bred Jersey Heifers, not bred. Jas. H. Murray, Salem, Mich. 2612p

FOR SALE—One House and Lot corner Wing and Main street; also vacant lot joining same 65x110 feet on Wing street and one House and Lot in Beatown known as the Shafter House. For price and terms address F. D. Adams, 303 Grand River Ave., Detroit Mich. 1311

FARM FOR SALE—A fine 50-acre farm, good House, two Barns, good Apple and Peach orchard, six acres timber, close to the village of Northville. Also a good House and lot on Cady St., in the village of Northville. Enquire of L. W. Burton, Northville Mich. 26110

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### Farmington News.

Chas. McDermont is again very low.

Fred Follett was a Detroit visitor this week.

Marle Murray of Ann Arbor was home Friday and Saturday of last week.

Miss Kathleen Douglas of Pontiac is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Moore.

Mrs. Abbie Gates is very low at this date with but little hopes of recovery.

Miss Mary Kennedy is at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Turner at Northville.

The Ladies' Literary club will meet with Mrs. M. E. Pierce next Wednesday afternoon.

Prof. Wilsey of Ann Arbor organized a class in vocal music in our town Monday evening.

On account of sickness Miss Maude Edwards is filling vacancy in the Intermediate department of the school again this week.

Mr. McNitt of the Record office, Northville, has been assisting Editor Bloomer for a few days on account of illness of Mr. E. and Miss Tremper.

Rev. W. H. Lloyd, who was called to Wingham, Canada, by the serious illness of his father, returned home Monday and reports his father somewhat better.

The funeral of Mrs. Gage was held Thursday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Amelia Pettibone, Rev. W. H. Lloyd officiating. The remains were interred in the West Farmington cemetery.

Miss Daisy Lapham of Metamora, who has been in Farmington as a visitor for a few weeks, returned home Sunday accompanied as far as Detroit by Miss Grace Hitchcock and friend, Mr. Allen of Northville.

The League devotional meeting will be conducted by Miss Jennie L. White next Sunday evening. Subject: Missionary work. Special music is being prepared. Everyone cordially invited. Meeting at 6:15.

Married Tuesday morning Feb. 14 at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Rhoda W. Sherman to Mr. Bert Roche in the presence of a few friends, Rev. W. H. Lloyd performing the ceremony. Henry Bachert and Miss Eva Hill, both of Royal Oak acted as best man and brides maid and Miss Josephine Ward of this place acted as maid of honor. The wedding march was pleasingly rendered by Miss Maud Edwards. They were the recipients of many gifts among which was a handsome lamp from the Methodist Sunday-school in which the bride has always been an earnest and faithful worker. The newly wedded couple left on the morning train for Canada to visit at the home of David Ross and wife, May a happy and prosperous life be theirs is the wish of their many friends.

The funeral services of Mrs. Martin were held Wednesday afternoon from the Universalist church. Rev. Mr. Jeffries of Detroit officiating. The remains were laid to rest by the side of her husband in the village cemetery. Deceased has been a resident of Farmington for many years and had many friends who extend their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones. She leaves three daughters: Mrs. Henry Nacker of Clarenceville; Mrs. Bruce R. Aldrich of Detroit and Mrs. Geo. Perry of this place where she died, and several grandchildren to mourn their loss, but her eternal gain.

We loved her, yes we loved her, but angels loved her more; And they have sweetly called her to yonder shining shore. The golden gates were opened; a gentle voice said come; And with farewell unspoken she calmly entered home.

To Cure a Cold in One Day  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

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### A Few

Dress Skirts, Shirt Waists and Wrappers left.

But! to dress well is not all.

We want to please the inner man, and our SPECIAL QUALITIES in TEAS and COFFEES, just received, will be a decided HIT. Arranged with the importers for special blends in Coffees, and have reduced the prices to make them leaders.

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that "once tried" our claims cannot be denied, when we say that no such qualities have ever been offered here at the prices.

H. H. Jones  
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# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 27 N. MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

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For 1899 have Arrived.

We also have a nice line of Woolsens, in fact the largest line ever seen in Northville or any town of its size. Call in and see the goods. Here are some of the prices.

- Blue Serge Suit at..... \$16.00
- Blue or Black Worsted Cheviot Suit..... \$15.50
- Blue or Black Fancy Worsted Suit..... \$18.00
- West of England Blue or Black Vienna..... \$20.50
- Blue or Black Worsted Striped Pants..... \$6.50
- Blue or Black Worsted Striped Pants..... \$5.50
- Blue or Blk Fncy English Worsted Suits..... \$21.00
- A fine line of Pants at..... \$2.75
- A fine line of Pants at..... \$3.50
- A fine line of Pants at..... \$7.00
- A nice English Covert Overcoat at..... \$12.50
- I show a nice Black and Blue English Clay Worsted Overcoat..... \$16.50
- A fine Black French Doe Skin Pants..... \$6.75 or Suit for..... \$24.00

All work done at my shop. No work sent out of town. Remember I do all work first-class and use only first-class linings. We will replace all linings that give out inside one year's wear. Call in and see the goods. Yours truly,

B. FREYDEL, The Tailor,  
NORTHVILLE.

## Pant Sale!

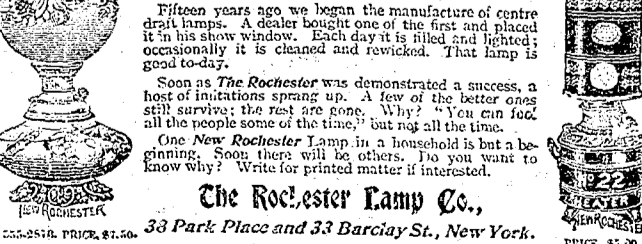
We have too many Pants and in order to reduce stock we will offer them at a great discount for 15 days.

- One lot \$2.50 Wool Pants at..... \$1.88
- One lot 2.00 Wool Pants at..... \$1.60
- One lot 1.75 Wool Pants at..... \$1.35
- One lot 1.25 Wool Pants at..... 85c
- One lot 1.00 Wool Pants at..... 79c
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Remember this sale is for 15 days and is for cash only. Take advantage of it for such opportunities do not come very often.

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NORTHVILLE.

## THE LAMP THAT LASTS. The New Rochester.



Fifteen years ago we began the manufacture of centre draft lamps. A dealer bought one of the first and placed it in his show window. Each day it is filled and lighted; occasionally it is cleaned and rewickied. That lamp is good today.

Soon as The Rochester was demonstrated a success, a host of imitations sprang up. A few of the better ones still surviving; the rest are gone. Why? "You can fool all the people some of the time," but not all the time. One New Rochester Lamp in a household is but a beginning. Soon there will be others. Do you want to know why? Write for printed matter if interested.

The Rochester Lamp Co.,  
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Striking Career of the Darling Young Electrician. Nikola Tesla is the foremost living original investigator in the field of electricity.



graph engineering department at Budapest and then drifted to Paris. Coming to the United States he entered Edison's shop, and so marvelous was his advance that the great master decided that this young Serbian would be more pleasing if he were away.

A Dialect in Austria.

In the Austrian Alps the local dialects so vary as to be unintelligible from one district to another, and yet have been cultivated in passion plays and popular poetry.

In the Tyrol also each valley has its own pronunciation, its own accent, its expressions unintelligible a few miles off.

How it Saved Pals.

"There's been a wonderful advance in dental surgery of late years," said a man with a slightly swollen jaw.

The Camel's Feet.

The camel's foot is a soft cushion, peculiarly well adapted to the ground on which it is constantly walking.

First Use of Niagara's Power. The first use of Niagara's power was made in 1725, a primitive saw-mill being worked there.

The oldest American vessel still in service, the schooner Polly, was built in 1755.

"YELLOW."

"Double Murder!" "Suicide!" "Poison!" "Arson!" "Death His Bride!" "Dead Man's Message!" "Poor White Slave!"

A MAN'S LOVE.

Not the pleasantest thing on earth is a zone man's life in a Mexican mining camp. When thought, in all its force, struck Savitz in the commencement of his second year in Pinal de Amoles.

There are some God-forsaken spots in Mexico. Pinal de Amoles was of these the most forsaken. And when Savitz, after fourteen months' desperate struggle, finally had the mill and the mine running in tiptop order and began to see rosy visions of a "rise" within the next twelve months—the directors were not gentlemen.

Halfway between the ferro-carril and Pinal there was a sort of Indian pueblo, however, where lived old Joaquin the owner of several burro trains.

Her name was Dolores, she told Savitz, shyly, and she was the niece of old Joaquin. Her home was over near the coast—oh, many leagues away—four or five days; she did not like her home; it was very triste.

Now Dolores was more than pretty—she was downright beautiful, with an appealing mixture of Indian and Spanish charm, and eyes and hair of old Castile, and she was spotlessly clad and sweet and fresh—in fact, the first pretty woman that Savitz had laid eyes upon for many a long month.

Now, Savitz was not a thorough scamp. He had thought it all over to himself and reasoned out matters, and finally told his conscience that the thing would hurt nobody.

pretty as they make them, in the power of this dirty old Indian thief who would sell her to the diablo himself for 100 pesos.

So Tio Joaquin received the sum of 300 pesos, with Dolores in exchange, under the strict understanding that the senior was in another year to be married, when his wife, perhaps, might object to a housekeeper, at which time Dolores would be returned to her uncle or her coast-home with full and sufficient pay for her services.

Dolores loved the white senior. When Indian and Spanish women love they do it with heart, soul and body, and it is possible that she might have gone to Savitz, even with the assurance from Tio Joaquin that it was a "marriage in verity."

Men are, after all, not wholly without heart and conscience—even to some of them memory remains, for feeble pricking, now and then. In the long after years the recollection of this one year in the little Mexican mining camp when Dolores was with him was the one thing that murred the peace and content of Savitz's life.

Like many Mexican-Spanish-Indian girls Dolores was a strange and most sweet mixture—without doubt, a baby in mind. Innocent, trusting, the thought of the outside world, other men, other women, other things came never to her.

For Savitz it was at first an amusement and a source of some comfort, for Dolores was sweet and faithful, and she worshipped him with heart and soul, which at first he liked.

As for Dolores, understanding that her lord was going away to his tierra for three years, but would surely return to her after that, she could only be brave and helpful, with her own tiny, trembling hands packing his clothes, and forcing herself to smile now and then.

She was to go home to the coast, said Savitz, and live there, where he would come for her afterward. Tio Joaquin, not for the time was a drunken man and a beast and Dolores must not even see him!

The leave-taking was over; Savitz galloped off down the trail, with the kisses of one woman fresh on his face, to marry and bring back in her place the woman from over the seas.

Dolores watched until his form could no longer be seen; then she barred herself in the bedroom and knelt there for hours alone, praying to the Virgin. But there are times when the Virgin doesn't help.

mountain air, when, one warm, perfect, moonlight night a slender figure, wrapped in a rebozo and tapalo, toiled slowly and wearily along the trail.

He knew the woman, Dolores. And while he vaguely answered her questions and heard her sob out that no matter if "her lord" was far over the seas, she must at least see his house and the place where he used to sit and his hammock in which she had often swung him, the man was wondering in what manner he could break it to her.

Somewhat disturbed, though not knowing why, Dolores crept on after the Indian until they reached the long window that opened from the patio on to the sitting-room.

Pedro, the Indian, turned his face away. But there was nothing to see or hear. A woman's heart can break quietly, and often does. In a moment Dolores thanked her guide and turned softly away.

A group of lawyers was discussing evidence in the office of the Marshal of the Kansas City Court of Appeals. One lawyer said it was strange how three or four witnesses of the same thing would get on the witness stand in court and tell entirely different stories of how it happened.

"There's nothing" remarkable in that," said another lawyer. "The five of us here may walk together down the street and see two men fighting. We will stop and listen to the quarrel and watch the fight, and see one of the men kill the other, and yet no two of us will agree precisely in our stories of it, and some of us will differ widely on most material points."

"That reminds me," said Judge Smith, "of a strange experience of mine; one that I could not explain then and which has been a mystery to me ever since. It was in a small town of interior Missouri. I was then attending court. The courthouse was in a square in the centre of the town. During a recess of the court I was looking out of a window of the courthouse and saw two men fighting in the street. I saw one of the men draw a knife and stab the other, who immediately drew his revolver and shot the man with the knife dead.

THE LETTER OF THE LAW.

It seems as if there can be no end to the amusing cases that lawyers are called upon to decide.

A certain well-known practitioner had among his clients an impulsive old farmer who had a serious difference with a cabinetmaker. As is usual in such matters in country districts, the affair caused a great deal of discussion among the neighbors, who severally allied themselves with one or other of the contending parties.

FRUIT AS A DIET.

If you have determined to try a fruit diet, learn when you should eat it. When fruit is to be used at the table substitute it for some part of the meal.

Dyspeptics should be exceedingly careful when combining fruit with other articles of diet. Many doctors insist upon fruit being allowed to constitute the entire meal.

FAMOUS THREE H'S.

The originator of the famous three "H's" alliteration, "reading, 'riting and 'rithmetic," was Sir William Curtis, a Lord Mayor of London. In 1756 he proposed it as a toast before the Board of Education.

A successful fisherman of Charleaton Township, Mich., had, among a recent catch from Portage Lake, an immense pickerel from which, while lying on the bank, there emanated unmistakably musical notes.

More Girls Than Boys. The school census just completed in Brooklyn, by order of State Superintendent of Public Instruction Skinner, shows 250,565 pupils registered, with a preponderance of 710 on the side of the girls.

Have You Heard Of It? You may have heard about SCOTT'S EMULSION and have a vague notion that it is cod-liver oil with its bad taste and smell and all its other repulsive features.

SCOTT'S EMULSION looks like cream; it nourishes the wasted body of the baby, child or adult better than cream or any other food in existence. It bears about the same relation to other emulsions that cream does to milk.

Next Week! Lost Man's Lane. A Marvelous Detective Story. Fascinating, Mysterious, Strong. Soon to Appear in this Paper.

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Perrin's Livery, Feed and Sale Stable. 106 Bus to and from all trains. Best Rigs in Town. Telephone Connection.

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GOING NORTH. Train No 1 3 27 a.m. " 2 9 30 a.m. " 3 9 7 a.m. " 4 9 13 a.m. GOING SOUTH. Train No 4 9 50 a.m. " 5 8 26 p.m. " 6 10 6 a.m. " 7 10 6 a.m.

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Trains Nos 3 and 9 run through to Alpena. Train No 3 connects at Livingston with steamer for Manistowic and Milwaukee, weather permitting, making connections for all points West and Northwest.

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See Ambler for your Coal and Wood.

subject "Guns of France, the Light of the World." Buy an Imperial Windmill of C. Y. & H.

Dr. Ayer's Positive Cure. A home treatment for Ladies. Call at Mrs. L. H. Clark's Boarding House, No. 16, Church street.

typical Chinese lady. The parts were all well taken; the attendance large and the Star ladies are richer by \$20.

YERKES BROTHERS, NORTHVILLE.

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Suburban News.

The Excelsior claims that South Lyon has a good sized '99 team well under way.

The latest thing in trust is a project to consolidate a whole lot of base ball clubs and divide receipts.

An exchange publishes a card of thanks to friends who helped and assisted in the sickness and death of our dear uncle, also the choir.

The 'ground hog' has been warmly congratulating himself ever since that the sun shone on the occasion of his 'first appearance' this season.

A Flat Rock youth, who tried to enlist lately, was rejected because one leg was longer than the other. Some one must have had a pull on him.

A new lumber firm has been formed at Plymouth the members being J. O. Eddy and John Betty. Contracting and building are also to be included in their business.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Giddings of Oxford, Oakland Co., recently celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage, assisted by over 200 relatives and friends.

Millford G.A.R. are to have their usual camp fire on Feb. 22. These annual affairs at the above mentioned town have become a justly celebrated institution.

Why shouldn't a shoe dealer use foot notes in advertising?—Delray Times.

For the sole reason that he holds forth a peg or two higher—among the uppers as it were—give us a header one.

The Plymouth Mail says the working men's defect of that village will be again headed with the name of G. A. Starkweather, at the spring election, by the urgent solicitation of many of the voters.

Representative Wheeler of Salem has introduced in the legislature a bill to return costs and make reparation to people who have had or may have to stand trial for crimes and are proven innocent.

Detroit's death rate, according to the city papers was 14 a day for January, caused principally by pneumonia, bronchitis, consumption and grip, in the order named. An 'open winter' will not be the popular choice for next year.

At the April meeting of the Millford Farmers' club the ladies are to arrange and carry out the program in all its departments except the culinary, which is to be entirely under the management of the 'men folks' even to the washing of the dishes.

The old saying is that: "You-still must have on Candelmas day Half your wood and half your hay."

The weather that has been furnished us since that time—Feb. 2nd—has made it quite evident that it would have been well to have saved up about nine tenths of our heat generating material for the last half.

George Milligan, a farm hand near Pinckney was frozen to death a week ago last Sunday night within 6 rods of his place of employment. He had a diseased leg in which an artery was found to have been ruptured, probably rendering him unable to walk. He was not found until the following Wednesday.

The Delray Times says there are strong indications of oil in the water drawn from the wells there and adds: "If there is water under us, there is most likely gas; and if gas undoubtedly coal also." Yes, but just suppose all those landladies should simultaneously combust? Of course the editor is used to being blown up, but how would common people like it?

Wanted—Ten bushels of shelled corn on subscription.—Rochester Era. Now what is Bro. Fox going to do—diet on corn meal or start a henery?—Holly Independent.

Perhaps he has a horseroy of pigery already or else he is going to raise corned beef. Evidently he don't want it in the ear, anyway, so much may be the desired object. Privately our opinion is that he wishes to make some of his delinquent subscribers shell out.

The D. Y. & A. A. road has violated one of the terms of its franchise in Nankin township and as a consequence has several damage suits on hand. The five cent fare from Wayne to Inkster—in accordance with the provision for that price for any continuous ride within the township—enabled Wayne folks to go to Detroit and back for 36 cents by buying a quantity of Inkster tickets. The company "caught on" and raised the fare for the four mile (or less) ride to 19 cents—only a cent less.

than the M. C. Some people were put off for refusing to pay the extra tickle, hence the appeal to the courts.

Last week's Plymouth Mail coolly trotted out a several months old "poem" of the Record's and inadvertently (?) failed to credit the same. We magnanimously forgive the oversight as the lapse of time and change of circumstances have made the article a back number.

In the High-school notes of the St. Johns News regret is expressed at the resignation of one of the teachers and the writer hopes the lady will soon "regain her falling health." She probably would much prefer to dispense with that kind and "regain" some that wasn't falling.

Farmington Ladies Literary club presented a petition last week to the village council urging the purchase of certain property near the Town Hall and making a park of what is characterized by the Enterprise as being at present "an eye sore to the town." Those literary ladies down there are evidently possessed of a whole lot of practical common sense.

Rev. Owen R. Lovejoy a popular young Methodist clergyman of St. Johns has become a Congregationalist because he objected to the limitations of the former denomination in regard to length of pastorate. The conference had removed him from a former charge when both himself and the church were very much averse to a change. He now goes to New York City in response to a call.

Neal of Northville put in something which Gray of Plymouth didn't like, so Gray of Plymouth just thought he'd say something. Neal of Northville wouldn't like, don't you know? Gray's typo sized the matter up in a proper manner and put roast number two before roast number one, and Neal has suffered from indigestion ever since, caused by taking his dessert first.—Delray Times.

Mt. Pleasant schools have been furnished with free text-books at the rate of \$1.38 per pupil. The officers estimate that 33¢ cents per capita will keep the yearly supply good. The local dealers have been selling the school pupils about \$1.200 worth of books a year, and those just purchased cost a little more than \$800 and are considered good for four years use. The people there consider the movement an unqualified success and pronounce it "the greatest of blessings to the poor and no burden to the rich."

During the year 1898 the Review gave the various churches in this village over \$50.00 worth of goods—advertising—out of our stock in trade, besides liberal donations to the various lodges and benevolent associations. Are we whining about it? No! much. We are happy to be able to assist in any way a worthy cause or object and only wish every other merchant in Fowlerville would donate as much goods.—Fowlerville Review.

This is a point of view from which people seldom see the work of their local paper, but it is one from which it is well to take an occasional survey.

Oh, the gripper! The terrible gripper! How can we manage to give it the slip, for we hear of it now wherever we go, and even the doctors are down you know. Oh, the gripper! The feverish gripper! When our throats get sore and our noses drip when we cough all day and we cough all night, our pulse grows heavy and head gets light. So mix your poultice and take your pill, be just as careful as ever you will, drink deep of smartweed and boneset tea, but the grip will get you, as you will see.—Cribbed from somewhere by the Orion Review.

Richmond, Virginia, has a 'farmer prophet' who in the first week of the first month of the new year foretells the coming events of that year. Among his predictions for '99 are:

- Death of Europe's oldest queen.
- Voluntary annexation of Cuba after declaration of Cuban independence.
- Resignation of several U. S. cabinet officers and creation of a new cabinet office.
- A month of record breaking weather.
- Extreme rain fall.
- Overthrow of Spanish government without war.
- Death of king of Denmark.
- Cheaper dry goods and dearer foods.
- Big European war.
- New political party—U. S. etc., etc.

**The Appetite of a Goat**  
Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25 cents at any Drug Store.

COTTONS! COTTONS! COTTONS!

This is the week we talk Cottons. Bleached, Half Bleached and Brown Cottons get a cut this week that will deeply interest cash buyers:

- Lonsdale and Blackstone. One case Lonsdale and Blackstone bleached Cotton at our price pr yd. 5c
- Quantity Lonsdale Cambric at pr yd. 7 1/2c
- One Bale Atlantic P. Brown Sheet-ing full yd wide fine and heavy, just the thing for sheets, and our price is, pr yd. 3 1/2c
- One Bale "State Flag," yd wide, a beauty, at pr yd. 3 1/2c
- Wide Goods: Pillow Case, blea. 42 in. goes at, pr yd. 7 1/2c
- 50 and 54 in Pillow Case Cotton, on sale as long as they last at, pr yd. 9c
- Pillow Case, bleached, 45 in. goes at, pr yd. 8c
- 8-4 Bleached and Brown Cotton, at pr yd. 12c
- Now is the time to get Cotton goods. The price is just right.
- Shirting. Men's heavy Shirting. Some time ago I received a quantity of Men's heavy Shirting, the 9c quality, about 800 yds. and tomorrow (Saturday) I shall make Shirt Cloth Day. Our price for the 9c grade, will be, pr yd. 6c
- Prints. Two cases best standard Prints, blks, greys, reds, blues and fancy prints, at pr yd. 2 1/2c

I case hvy wide German Blues, 6 1/2c calicoes, at pr yd. 6 1/2c. Now is your time, all cotton cloths are advancing. Percales, full yd wide, dark work, and the price is, pr yd. 5 1/2c. All of our Ladies 19c, 21c Fleeeced Underwear will be placed sale Saturday, to close out—Pants or Vest—full line sizes, at, each. 14c

Shawls. Big line of Woolen Shawls, I wish to close out. Mostly seasonable and fine quality, but the price I shall place on them will be equally as low as for common goods.



NEIGHBORHOOD

Salem News.

Mrs. N. E. Rider is spending the week in Plymouth with her friend, Mrs. McHenry.

Everybody is congratulating every body because the temperature is raised some. The Arctic weather can pass on; we have no further use for it.

Miss Winnegar, an accomplished elocutionist of Howell, will give one of her unique entertainments in the Baptist church here on the evening of Feb. 22. All turn out.

Rev. E. H. E. Jameson of Detroit, superintendent of home missions, occupied the Baptist pulpit last Sabbath and gave two very interesting addresses. Mr. Jameson is an able speaker and thoroughly conversant with his work.

In school district No. 6 where Miss Alice Quackenbush is teacher, a valentine box gave the scholars considerable amusement as well as instruction, on the 14th. Washington's birthday and also Lincoln's, will be fittingly observed with exercises for the occasion.

Having noticed so many conflicting reports concerning the burning of DeWitt Packard's home, some of which were so exaggerated that for the benefit of our readers, we here give the facts as related by one of the family: On the morning of the fire the hired man, Claude Vankirk, was the first one in the household to arise and after building the fire he went out to the barn.

Mrs. Packard soon after got up and noticing the fire in the stove burning fiercely closed the drafts and went into the kitchen when in a moment after she heard her little boy scream and the child was placed in a safe place and Mr. Packard fought the fire in his night clothes until convinced it was useless. He then dressed himself and with the help of others removed what things they could to the horse barn. Eater that also caught and became a mass of flames almost instantly. A fine bird dog was in the barn until the fire drove him out when he frantically rushed into the burning house and perished in the flames. This with the exception of some poultry was all the animals that were burned and either Mr. or Mrs. Packard, the son or hired man was injured by the conflagration.

Lawrence Noble, a pioneer settler of Salem died at his late residence in this village Monday afternoon, aged 87 years. Mr. Noble came to Salem about sixty years ago and has resided here since that time except that he lived in Northville a short time and in Ann Arbor for a few years. He was thoroughly familiar with the early history of Salem and was a prominent citizen having held many public offices. He was supervisor of the township several terms, township clerk and school inspector. During his residence in Northville he held the office of justice of the peace for one term. He was thoroughly competent to discharge the duties of any township office and was frequently called on for that purpose. When a young man he attended school at New York and was a school-mate of the late Stephen A. Douglas. Mr. Noble used to relate that Mr. Douglas had his political ambition at that early day and he remarked to Mr. Noble, half in jest and half in earnest, that when he, Mr. Douglas, became president he would make Mr. Noble minister to the court of St. James. The poor man Douglas died with his ambitions unsatisfied and Mr. Noble was not

called upon to go as minister to England. Mr. Noble married Miss Jane Walker, youngest daughter of the late Eliakim Walker who survives him. His funeral was attended at the Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon. The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. O. M. Thrasher. Mr. Noble had been for many years a prominent member of the Baptist church.

Harvie Nelson's father, an old gentleman of 92 years and a former resident of Salem township, in a very precarious condition at the home of his son-in-law, Ephraim Patridge of West Plymouth. Mr. Nelson has been suffering some time with cancer of the mouth, which taken in connection with his extreme old age makes even temporary recovery uncertain.

Wixom News.

Mrs. Chas. Proud is visiting at Durand.

Mr. Spencer has gone to Buffalo with a car load of stock.

Mrs. McGuire and Miss Allen are quite sick at this writing.

A number from here attended the horse racing at Walled Lake Tuesday.

Mrs. Perrin Gillick's little baby has been quite sick but is now somewhat better.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly of Holly were guests of Doctor and Mrs. Beebe the past few days.

Miss Rosa Banfield visited at the home of her brother Bernard at Walled Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Patten was at Millford a part of last week caring for Gladis Bai who was quite ill.

The Aid society will hold a social in Butwell's Hall March 4. Ice cream cake and coffee will be served.

There will be a musical entertainment in the church Friday evening under the auspices of the A. C. F.

The Farmers' club met last Saturday at the residence of Mr. Vowels of New Hudson. The club adjourned

to meet the second Wednesday in March at the Butwell Hall by favor of Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

The young people met Wednesday evening with Miss Dora Watts to practice for their play that will take place the 24th of this month.

The ground where the church stood has been bought to extend the cemetery. It is expected that a new iron fence will be built around the cemetery this coming spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Banfield of Walled Lake will move on to Mr. Heath's farm about April 1st. Mr. Tiffin will move to his newly purchased house on the Sibley corners.

The valentine party at J. Banfield's Tuesday evening was pronounced a grand success. About forty-five guests were present. A fine luncheon was served and a splendid time had.

The social at Mrs. Beebe's last week Friday evening was quite well attended. A very interesting program was listened to and a fine lunch served. There was about six dollars taken in.

Thirty-nine couples attended the dance Tuesday evening at W. Tiffin's. A fine luncheon was served and judging from the hour that the young people reached home they had a delightful time.

Another great discovery has been made, and that too by a lady in this country. "Disease fastened" its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She finally discovered a way to recover, by purchasing of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night, and with two bottles, has been absolutely cured. Her name is Mrs. Luttler Eutz. This writes, W. C. Hammick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Trial bottle free at Geo. C. Heston's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed.

STATE OF OHIO, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.—Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Notary Public. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December A.D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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