

OUR NEIGHBORS

ANN ARBOR.

From the Register.
Who can beat this? W. R. Hamilton, of Salem, reports a yield of wheat from 18 acres at 38 bushels to the acre.

A very severe hail storm occurred in the vicinity of the county house last Thursday. Mrs. H. H. Howe had a fine large garden nearly destroyed by it.

John V. Sheehan left Monday night for two weeks in New York, Boston and Philadelphia. He will represent Branch 117, of the Irish National League at the national convention in Faneuil Hall, Boston, August 13.

O. L. Matthews, pension agent of this place succeeded this week in procuring a pension of four dollars per month and back pension of nearly \$900 for John T. Hodgeman of South Lyon.

The dates of the Washtenaw county fair are Sept. 30, Oct. 1, 2, and 3. Everything points to a very successful fair. The premium list is now ready for press and will be issued and distributed next week.

The first news that greeted the ear of people as they came down town Thursday morning was that five prisoners had broken out of the rickety, rotten old structure down on Main street badly misnamed a jail. The facts as they were learned at the jail were that five fellows who were awaiting trial at the next term of circuit court had opened their cells in the night, whether with an improvised key or their fingers is not stated, and had dug a hole nearly nine by eleven inches in size through the chimney in the lower hall on the south side of the building through which they had forced their way into the outer world and liberty. Three of the prisoners, Albert Tobey, aged 25, Frank Taylor and James Brown, aged 20 and 17 respectively were in for breaking into a railroad car; Tom Clancey 16 years old was in for stealing a watch; Fred Foley for burglary.

The sad news that a boy was drowned in the river above the dam near the T & A. A. railroad bridge, hurried the reporter from the scene of the jail delivery item Thursday morning, to the banks of the river where he found a rapidly increasing crowd watching the effort of some men in a couple of boats trying to discover the body of Trauert Schulz, aged 12 years, a German boy of the first ward, who had fallen in from the lower timbers of the railroad bridge about half an hour before. The body was found but a few feet from the spot where it fell in, after it had been in the water about two hours.

BRIGHTON.

From the Citizen.
The best yields of wheat yet reported here are Frank Hyne, 22 bu. per acre; John Padley, 28.

J. W. Judd, 82 years old, and who has traveled on foot from Richland, Vt., since May 1st, struck town Monday. He is on his way to friends at Lansing.

Sunday night burglars endeavored to get into Dr. Boylan's house through a window, but they were frightened off without gaining their point.

Mrs. R. B. Pratt, of Green Oak, started to go whortleberrying one day last week. In alighting from the buggy near the swamp, she fell and broke her collar bone.

Messrs. Nelson and Solomon Gould are preparing to erect a building in town for the purpose of running a skating rink. We can see no reason why such an enterprise would not be received with pleasure by our young folks.

DEXTER.

From the Leader.
The race at the rink last Thursday evening, between Met Guinon, of Dexter, and Mr. Leach, of Chelsea, was largely attended, and was won by the former.

Croarkin & Honey will move their stock of ready made clothing, etc., into the store now occupied by Croarkin, as soon as he vacates.

At the adjourned meeting held in the Red Ribbon Hall on Monday evening last, it was decided to organize a military company. A constitution was adopted and presented for signatures, forty names being attached to it

within a very few minutes, with a fair prospect of increasing the number by at least one-half. The organization was perfected by the election of the civil officers of the company, as follows: President, DeForest Litchfield; Vice President, Charles E. Standard; Secretary, Roy Copeland; Treasurer, Daniel Quish.

Joy is like the ague; one good day between two bad ones.—G. Dudoyer de Gastels.

A would-be wit once asked an old German, "Fritz, what do you think of when you think of nothing?" "I think of you," was the quiet reply.

Faith is the root of all good works; a root that produces nothing is dead.—Bishop Wilson.

Genius, like the sun upon the dial, gives to the human heart both the shadows and its light.—Field.

Virtue maketh men on the earth famous, in their graves illustrious, in the heavens immortal.—Chilo.

Wealth legitimately acquired is valuable, and it is only valuable when thus acquired.—J. G. Holland.

"Gentlemen of the jury, there were just thirty-six hogs in the drove. Please remember the fact—just three times as many as in the jury box, gentlemen."

Teacher—What letter comes next after H? Little Girl—I don't know. Teacher—What have I got on each side of my nose? Little Girl (with conviction)—Powder.

"What do you think of my moustache?" asked a young man of his girl. "Oh, it reminds me of a Western frontier city," was the answer. "In what respect, pray?" "Because the survey is large enough, but the settlers are straggling?"

"Thee should always be certain of thy strength before setting out to swim across a deep river, as they will find the middle of the stream a very inconvenient place in which to sit down to rest," said Reuben to his constituency on Saturday evening last.

"One of the most popular ways of telling a lie is to keep still—when thee has a good opportunity for telling the truth.

"When thee starts out to ask the world for a favor, thee should always wear thy heaviest overcoat.

"Verily, it is the mean dog which comes out ahead in the longest race.

"The sweetest perfumed flowers are often those which grow in the heart of a dismal swamp.

"The Almighty is the artist who prepares the copy which all the smart men of the world work from.

"Many persons get religion in simply going about their work and doing the best they know how.

"Thee will find good health and a clear conscience the only rocking chairs of the world.

"Thee will discover that a faithful day's labor makes the softest feather bed when the hour of repose arrives.

"New clothes are of wonderful assistance in stimulating the religion of most persons.

"Many prayers are so long that there is no room for them in heaven.

"We are apt to forget a dozen true friends in nursing the memory of one man who has called us a liar.

"Experience is a good thing in this world, and a man receives it very fast in fooling about a hornet's nest.

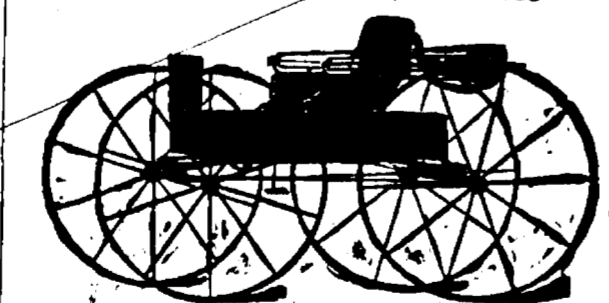
"Verily, the largest trees are those which reach the greatest height without forking.

FARM FOR SALE.

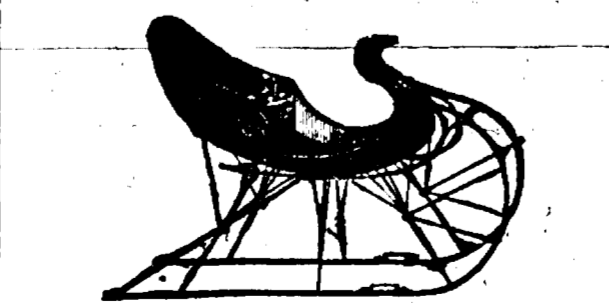
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GREGORY.

This little town is still booming.

W. W. Smith & Co., have their neat little store in "running order" with a handsomely displayed stock of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes.

J. Dickerson, of Plainfield has just commenced a building which he will use for a blacksmith shop.

Halstead Gregory is buying wheat, and reports considerable coming in—quality excellent.

Gregory needs a physician, so its citizens tell us, and also that a milliner and dressmaker would do well there.

Levi Jacobs has his hotel completed, and it is one of the neatest in the county.

Mr. Miller, of the Howell Republican, paid a visit to Gregory Wednesday.

PLAINFIELD.

Special Correspondence.

The Methodist Sunday Schools of Plainfield and Isoco held a union picnic in the grove just west of the village, Wednesday. It was a very pleasant affair, several hundred people participating.

Morris Topping tells us that his wheat crop averaged about 30 bushels to the acre—and that he had 90 bushels off two acres of ground on one part of his farm.

The Stockbridge and Plainfield clubs play a match game of base ball at this place Saturday next, 16th inst.

Farmers generally in this vicinity report an excellent yield of wheat while all other crops promise proportionate abundance.

Our local merchants are beginning to stock up for the fall trade.

HOWELL.

From our Correspondent.

Jacob Knapp, of Texas, was in town on Monday and Tuesday to see his brother Harry Knapp.

Over six hundred tickets for Island Lake were sold at this station on Monday.

Mrs. Ridinger, the mother of a large family of fine men and women residing in this county is buried to-day.

Preston, of Green Oak, charged with putting obstructions on the D. L. & N. R. R. was discharged, being found non compos mentis.

George Rouston, on Monday, was bound over to the circuit court for trial for forgery.

On Saturday, a man named Quackeboss, will be tried for assault and battery upon his employer—one Doane.

A number of flags in Howell bear the name of St. John.

The Republican State Convention at Detroit yesterday placed in nomination the following ticket:

Governor, Gen'l R. A. Alger, Detroit.

Lieut. Gov. Archibald Butters, Charlevoix.

Sec'y of State, *Harry Conant, Monroe.

Treasurer, *E. K. Butler, Detroit.

Att'y Gen'l, Moses Taggart, Grand Rapids.

Auditor Gen'l, *Wm. Stevens, Isoco.

Com'r Land Office, Minor S. Newell.

Sup't Public Instruction, H. V. Gass, Flint.

Member Board of Education, Jas. M. Ballou, Otsego.

*Renominated.

The Convention reaffirmed the proposition to favor the submission of a prohibitory amendment to the State Constitution.

James Markey and Dan. Wright will go as delegates to the Democratic State Convention. Full list of delegates has not reached us.

The national debt is now one hundred million dollars less than it was a year ago. The present amount which the country owes is in round numbers \$1,400,000,000. This is but a trifle more than one half the amount of the debt at the close of the war. The country has paid this sum and has in the meanwhile grown more prosperous. The future is as full of promise as the past is full of national business, and individual success.—Ex.

The Prohibitionists of Gratiot county are talking of doing a very sensible thing. Instead of running a separate county ticket they propose to wait until after the other parties have made their nominations and then choose from all the other tickets those men whom they, as prohibitionists, can endorse. By this means they will hold the balance of power and require the old parties to nominate their best men, and from the whole there is no doubt of a good ticket being put in the field by them.—Maple Rapids Dispatch.

EVERYTHING GOES.
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DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN G. A. R.

CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 4.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN, G. A. R., No. 104 MICHIGAN AVENUE WEST, LANSING, MICH., AUG. 2, 1884.

I. It is with pleasure that we announce through these headquarters that a most cordial invitation is extended to all comrades of this Department to join our comrades of Southwestern Michigan in their reunion to be held at the city of Battle Creek, Michigan, Aug. 19, 20, 21 and 22, 1884.

11. The reunion of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Association of Southwestern Michigan has constantly grown in popularity until it has come to be practically a reunion for the State.

111. Headquarters Department of Michigan, G. A. R., will be established in camp at Battle Creek during the reunion, and all visiting comrades will receive a most hearty welcome.

IV. Headquarters Department of Michigan, Women's Relief Corps, will be established in camp during the reunion, and all comrades wishing information in relation to this worthy organization are cordially invited to call upon the ladies, who will be happy to furnish information concerning their branch of our noble work.

V. The objects of the Woman's Relief Corps are:

To specially aid and assist the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, and to perpetuate the memory of their heroic dead.

To inculcate lessons of patriotism, and love of country, not only among its membership, but to the children also.

All loyal women interested in the good work are eligible to membership in this organization.

VI. It is hoped that every Post in this Department will see the great advantages to be gained through this auxiliary and proceed at once to secure the establishment of a Corps.

By command of
RUSH J. SHANK,
Geo. W. Stone Department Com.
Assistant Adjutant General.

We heard that P. J. Holly had a snake story to tell, and so we put him under oath the other day when he was down town and he deposed and testified as follows: While at work upon his farm near town with a couple of neighbors, he killed a medium size striped snake. Their attention was attracted by the somewhat remarkable appearance and actions of the snake, and they determined to dissect it in the interest of science. They did so and in an internal pouch, separate from the stomach, they found fifty-seven little snakes, all alive and wriggling. They averaged six inches in length, and were killed as they attempted to crawl off, and counted up exactly 57 as above stated. As we know P. J. to be perfectly reliable, except occasionally when advocating free trade, and as he has been strictly sober all summer and besides had two perfectly responsible assistants and witnesses, we must say that it is a true story, and complacently sit down and wait for other neighborhoods to trot out their snake stories.—Elmira Gazette.

Grand Trunk Railway Time Table.

MICH. AIR LINE DIVISION.

STATIONS.	WEST BOUND TRAINS.		
	No. 6. Mixed.	No. 4. Pass.	No. 2. Pass.
ARMADA.....	9:35 a. m.	5:55 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
RIDGEWAY.....	9:15	5:35	7:25
Romeo.....	10:10	6:30	8:20
Rochester.....	11:32	7:30	9:20
Pontiac, dep. 12:45 p. m.	7:35	8:25	
Pontiac, dep. 1:15	7:45	8:35	
Wixom.....	2:20	8:35	10:10
South Lyon, ar. 3:00			10:40
Hamburg, dep. 3:30	8:55		11:50
Hamburg, ar. 4:05			11:15
PINCKNEY.....	4:40		11:30
Mount Pleasant.....	5:15		11:50
Stockbridge, ar. 5:35			12:08 p. m.
Henrietta, ar. 6:05			12:30
JACKSON.....	6:45 p. m.		12:50 p. m.

STATIONS.	EAST BOUND TRAINS.		
	No. 5. Mixed.	No. 3. Pass.	No. 1. Pass.
JACKSON.....	7:00 a. m.	4:30 p. m.	
Henrietta.....	7:45	4:45	
Stockbridge.....	8:15	5:05	
Mount Pleasant.....	8:32	5:15	
PINCKNEY.....	8:10	5:55	
Hamburg, ar. 8:40			
Hamburg, ar. 10:15			
South Lyon, dep. 10:55	6:50		5:00 a. m.
Wixom.....	11:30	7:30	5:25
Pontiac, ar. 12:30 p. m.	8:15		6:00
Pontiac, dep. 1:00	8:25		6:10
Rochester.....	1:40	9:05	6:35
Romeo.....	2:35	9:55	7:05
ARMADA.....	3:05	10:30	7:30
RIDGEWAY.....	3:30	10:50	7:35

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