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**THE APPAREL  
MAKES  
THE  
MAN**

Especially if it is the  
Apparel **MADE-TO-  
MEASURE** by ::::

**Fred Kauffmann**  
The American Tailor  
**CHICAGO**  
**K. H. CRANE,**  
Local Agent.

## CLOTHING I

This season we represent Fred Kauffmann, one of Chicago's best tailors. All goods from this house are guaranteed to be strictly **MADE TO MEASURE**—Also a **PERFECT FIT**. This house makes suits to measure for boys as well as men. We will make silk vests a specialty, they are the style. From \$3.50 up. Suits from \$12 up. . . . . We also represent the Celebrated Work Brothers, of Chicago, for ready made Clothing, the latest in style and thoroughly well made. For Mackintoshes for men, and rubber capes and skirts for Ladies, we represent the Dundee Rubber Co., of Chicago. We shall always be glad to show you our samples in all these lines, and solicit your patronage. **K. H. CRANE.**

## LOCAL NEWS.

Remember the date "Stub" or "Fool from Boston," At Opera House April 21, '99. Do not fail to read all the advertisements this week. The sound of the willow whistle will soon be heard in the land. Miss Eith Carr spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandmother. Miss Mame Sigler spent Sunday with Miss Edith Wood of Anderson. J. A. Cadwell and wife, visited Chelsea relatives a couple of days last week. Miss Bertha Donaldson is visiting friends in the northern part of the state. A. J. Wilhelm, of Anderson, has moved into part of Mrs. Colby's residence. Albert Reason has been very sick the past week but is better at this writing. Miss Addie Marble, of Ypsilanti, called on Miss Bertha Donaldson one day last week. The Howell milk factory receives 100,000 pounds of milk daily and Monday a greater amount. Rev. C. S. Jones, of Chelsea, will deliver the evening sermon of the Jackson association to be held in Leslie, April 17 and 18. The Birney boys of Leslie and Lansing spent Sunday with their mother at this place. They left Monday for Detroit to visit their brother. The society of church workers will meet at the home of Mrs. K. H. Crane April 19 for their monthly tea. All are cordially invited to attend. N. Pacy and W. H. Placeway of this township will serve as jurors at the spring term of court which convenes at Howell next Monday. Mrs. F. L. Andrews and daughter, Florence, who have been spending a couple of weeks with relatives in Oceola and Parshallville, returned home Tuesday of last week. Rev. E. E. Caster, of Howell, will give one of his popular lectures entitled "The Golden Gate by Way of Salt Lake City" in the M. E. church Wednesday evening, April 26. Admission 10 cents. A team belonging to Mack Martin became frightened by dogs while hitched in front of the bank Monday and broke loose. They made things lively for a few moments but after a run of a half mile were caught and brought back without damage. How they managed to miss the many buggies that they passed is a mystery. Most of the trial subscriptions expire with this issue and we shall then discontinue sending the paper unless arrangements are made for its continuance. Now is the time to get the most for \$1.00 as we are sending the Farm Journal five years and the Dispatch one year all for \$1.00. Already several of the trial subscribers have subscribed for the two papers, and we hope to hear from all.

## When in Want of Anything in

**DRUGS,  
PATENT MEDICINES,  
TOILET ARTICLES,  
Books and Stationery,  
GIVE US A CALL.**

## Also WALL PAPER,

The latest styles and patterns.

## An Elegant Line of GLASSWARE and CHINA.

**F. A. SIGLER.**

AT THE CORNER DRUG STORE.

## STEEL RANGES

The best steel ranges on earth for

**\$25 & \$30**

Are at Teeple and Cadwell's Hardware Store.

Having sold a number of them which have been working successfully for a year or more, proves them good. We warrant them to bake as quickly and with as little fuel, either coal or wood, as any range made, and we know they will hold fire over night as well as any air tight stove which proves them to be well and substantially made. Do not fail to examine these ranges. No trouble to show them.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

**TEEPLE & CADWELL.**

## THIS WEEK

We wish to call attention to our line of Table Linens, Turkey Red, Cream Damask, Bleached and unbleached Linen. We are offering an especial bargain in Un-bleached Linen, 62 inches wide, at 44c per yard, and a warranted oil color Turkey Red Damask, extra width and quality, at 35c 40c and 45c per yard.

## Selling "CRESCO" CORSETS?

Yes, selling lots of them. It didn't take long for the news to get abroad that we had secured the exclusive right for the sale of this much talked of specialty for this section. Corsets that break at the waist line are, to say the least, disappointing. The "Cresco" Corset cannot break at the waist line. That's why it wins wearers. Complete size range of Crescos now in stock. Glad to have you examine it.

## THIS WEEK:

All 15c Dress Goods will go at 9 1/2c per yd  
All 25c Brocades " " 19c  
Special prices on Tennis Flannel.  
2 Cans Salmon for 17c

**F. G. JACKSON.**

Now that you are

## HOUSE-CLEANING

Don't you want one of those Enamel Beds in the many artistic designs. I am selling more of them this season than ever before.

Do you want a Couch?  
Do you want a Davenport?  
Do you want a Mattress?  
Do you want any Dinners?  
Do you want a Rocker?

Don't you want a Bookcase,  
Sideboard, Extension Table, Morris Chair or anything in the line of House Furnishings?

If so I can furnish you all these at bargain prices. Call and see. Goods bought for cash can be sold cheap.

**G. A. SIGLER.**

## Plenty of New Goods

And at the right prices.

If you are in need of anything in the wash goods line it will pay you to call and see our stock. In wool suiting we can show you a good line.

Can sell you a nice all wool taylor made suit jacket lined in silk for \$10.00.

If you are thinking of buying a pair of Lace Curtains this spring it will pay you to see our line. The styles are right, the quality is right, and the price is right and the price is way below anything you have ever seen.

## For the Men.....

Fine line of Heavy Shoes—now you will need them. Lots of working Shirts, all well made and lined through the back. A fine line of Neckwear.

## FREE! FREE!

An Ellegant Life-size Portrait with only \$1.00 trade at our store, enlarged from any small photo. Call for a ticket. A short time only.

## Specials for Saturday, April 15:

12 Bars of Armour Key Soap, the best soap on the market, for 25c

1 Can Choice Tomatoes for 7c  
1 Bottle of fine Catsup for 7c

Do not forget to try Royal Tiger Tea—there are others but none so good.

**W. W. Barnard.**

## Card of Thanks.

We desire through the columns of the DISPATCH to thank the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness, death and burial of our loved one.

**MRS. W. M. HENDON AND FAMILY.**

## Resolutions.

WHEREAS, God in His all-wise providence has seen fit to remove from our midst one of our members, Miss Blanche Hendon. And in sympathy for the afflicted family be it

Resolved, that we as members of the Epworth League extend our sympathy to the family in their bereavement in the loss of a loving daughter and sister.

Resolved, that our charter be draped in mourning for 30 days in remembrance of the deceased and that these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Epworth League and that a copy be published in the DISPATCH.

Stella Graham,  
Janice Hays,  
Cora Wright } Secs.

# GRANT WINS IN THE STATE.

Eli R. Sutton and H. S. Dean Were Elected Regents of the U. of M.

## GRANT'S PLURALITY IS 30,000

According to Late Returns—The Republicans Also Elected a Majority of the Circuit Judges—Constitutional Amendments Said to Have Carried.

Fair weather in the state did not bring out as large a vote as might have been expected. The returns thus far received indicate that Judge C. R. Grant was re-elected by an estimated plurality of 30,000, and that Col. Eli B. Sutton and Col. Henry S. Dean were elected regents of the university by a plurality of perhaps 35,000, running ahead of their ticket in many localities. The Republicans also elected a big majority of the circuit judges in the 36 judicial circuits of the state although the result is in doubt in one or two districts. Returns from 43 cities in the state show that the Democrats elected 18 mayors, while the Republicans captured 23. The others were elected on Union or Citizens' tickets and the issues were purely of a local nature. Many cities and villages voted favorably on the question of bonding for improvements. Returns on the constitutional amendments are meagre, but results at hand warrant the statement that they have carried. In some cases the majorities were heavy in favor of them.

### CIRCUIT JUDGES.

The following were elected circuit judges in their respective districts according to late returns:

- 1—Guy M. Chester, R.\*
- 2—Orville W. Coolidge, R.\*
- 3—George S. Hosmer, D.; William L. Carpenter, R.; J. W. Donovan, R.; Robert E. Frazer, R.; James H. Poand, D. or Morse Robinson, R.
- 4—Erastus Peck, D.\*
- 5—Clement Smith, R.\*
- 6—George W. Smith, R.\*
- 7—Charles H. Wisner, R.\*
- 8—Frank D. M. Davis, R.\*
- 9—John W. Adams, D.
- 10—Byron A. Snow, D.; Ernest L. Beach, D.
- 11—Joseph H. Steere, R.\*
- 12—Albert T. Streeter, R.
- 13—Fred W. Mayne, R.\*
- 14—Fred J. Russell, R.\*
- 15—Geo. L. Yagle, D.\*
- 16—James G. Tucker, D.
- 17—Alfred Wolcott, R.; Willis D. Perkins, R.
- 18—T. F. Shepherd, R.
- 19—James H. McMahon, R.\*
- 20—Phil Padgham, R.\*
- 21—Peter F. Dodd, R.\*
- 22—Edward D. Kinne, R.\*
- 23—Maine J. Connaire, R.
- 24—Watson Beach, R.\*
- 25—John W. Stone, R.\*
- 26—Frank E. Emerick, R.
- 27—Lewis C. Palmer, R.\*
- 28—C. C. Chittenden, R.
- 29—George P. Stone, D.
- 30—Howard West, R.
- 31—Samuel W. Vance, R.\*
- 32—Norman W. Haire, R.\*
- 33—Frank Shepherd, R.
- 34—Nelson Sharpe, R.\*
- 35—S. F. Smith, R.\*
- 36—John Carr, D.

\*R stands for Republican and \*D for Democrat, and the asterisk (\*) denotes that the candidate was re-elected.

### Municipal Ownership in Detroit.

Notwithstanding the fact that several mass meetings have been held in Detroit in opposition to municipal ownership, the council, after several days' consideration of the project, decided by a vote of 21 to 11 to appoint a commission to negotiate for the purchase of the street car system. The committee so appointed is composed of Hazen S. Pingree, Elliott G. Stevenson and Carl E. Schmidt, who are appointed to serve for six, four and two years in the order named. The principal objection to the municipal bill, as passed by the legislature, was the omission of the referendum clause. But the fact that the commission is bound to report the price for which the system can be purchased to the council before an agreement is reached, should prevent the street car company from unloading any great amount of watered stock upon the city of Detroit by the hoodlum scheme.

### Lost His Head but not His Life.

A farmer was driving across the railroad track at Marquette when the hind hobs of his sleigh became fast in a switch point. A train was heard approaching in the distance and desperate efforts were made to pull or lift the outfit off the track. Just as the train drew near the efforts were finally successful, but as soon as the sign was out of danger the farmer lost his head and turned the horses back upon the track right in front of the engine, with the result that the sleigh was demolished and the horses and man badly shaken up.

### Check was Westward.

About three weeks ago Mr. H. H. H. went to Niles and engaged in the lumbering business. During his stay he stopped at Chas. Westman's hotel and when about to leave gave the hotel-keeper a check in payment for three weeks' board on a man in Kansas. Last week the draft was returned having been pronounced worthless.

### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

There is talk of a new \$50,000 hotel at Hancock.

There will be no term of the circuit court in Macomb county this month.

The G. E. & I. railroad will build a new \$75,000 union depot at Grand Rapids.

The balance in the state treasury at close of business March 31 was \$1,520,022.70.

The Union school building at Au Gres, destroyed by fire, will be rebuilt this spring.

A postoffice has been established at Hawes, Alcona county, Alex. Savage postmaster.

Jackson county farmers have been compelled to buy hay for their stock this spring.

Farmers in the vicinity of Munith will experiment in the raising of peanuts this summer.

The postoffice at Knotmaul, Montcalm county, has been discontinued. Mail to Lakeview.

A civil service examination will be held at Adrian, May 6, to fill the position of postoffice clerk and carrier in that city.

The total cash sales of the state land office in March amounted to \$65,337. The copper craze had much to do with the big sales.

The Big Four station at Niles was recently robbed for the ninth time, but the thieves secured only a small amount of cash.

Bad Axe is to have a new grain elevator, work on the construction of which will begin as soon as the weather will permit.

Old hunters around Monroe say that they never knew the ducks to be so numerous in the marshes in that vicinity as they are this year.

Portland's idle creamery will be put in operation this year if half the \$1,500 necessary for refitting it can be raised by private subscription.

Those who have made an examination of fruit trees in the southern part of the state assert that they will blossom very sparingly this spring.

Owing to the scarcity of snow the past winter the clover and wheat crop in the southeastern portion of the state are badly damaged on clay lands.

It was decided by a referendum vote by the people of Port Huron that the proposed canal from Lake Huron to Black river should be constructed.

The farmers of Millburg and vicinity, in Berrien county, have organized a stock company with \$5,000 capital to build and operate a creamery at Millburg.

The business portion of Cadillac has been visited by a \$10,000 fire, and four buildings was reduced to ashes. Most of the stock in the different stores was saved.

A building boom of large proportions is in sight at Houghton. Several new and handsome stone and brick business blocks will be constructed this summer.

Thomas Butler shot an otter near Homer last week, the first specimen of the animal killed in those parts for many years back, according to the oldest inhabitants.

On a farm near Millbrook, Mecosta county, is a hog with a shell on its back like that of a turtle. The shell begins over the front shoulders and ends at the hips.

Jackson Keller, an old man of 70 years hailing from Alma, was struck by a train while walking on the track near Owosso and had both his legs cut off. He died soon afterward.

Farmers in northern Oakland county report the condition of wheat the most unfavorable for years, but hope that the roots may be in better condition than the tops would indicate.

In accordance with the act recently passed by the legislature and made a law by the signature of the governor, it is now proper to say Harbor Beach, instead of Sand Beach, as formerly.

There is no need of a fish chute in the dam that crosses the River Raisin at Dundee, as the high water a short time ago tore a hole in the dam large enough for a warship to pass through.

Clyde W. Francis, an Ionia newspaper man, has purchased the Ypsilanti Sentinel. The former owner of the paper, M. T. Woodruff, will devote his entire time to the Manistee Journal.

Jackson's county clerk is doing a rushing business these days in the marriage license line, the number issued from Jan. 1 to April 1, being 111, against 94 at the same time last year.

During March the revenue stamps affixed to documents filed with the register of deeds at Houghton were valued at \$9,000. Houghton claims to be the banner county for March in this respect.

Lyman Gillmore, of Midgenaw, who is past 80 years of age and has been totally blind for the past 10 years, has lately recovered his sight, and can now distinguish objects some distance away.

The contract for building the Copper River bridge through the timbered region, near the mouth of the river, at C. C. Loo, of Chicago, and as soon as the snow is off work will be commenced in earnest.

Wheat and clover fields are looking very poorly in Jackson county this spring. Wheat has mostly been killed by cold weather and clover is badly heaved by the recent thawing and freezing.

The village of White Pigeon, Constantine and Centreville are soon to be connected by a new telephone line with an exchange in each of the three places. The line will be an independent one.

In compliance with the request of Congressman Sheldon, an agent of the postoffice department will go to Houghton to investigate and report on the establishment of a free mail delivery at that place.

Rogers City is the largest place in the state to discover "the finest marble beds in the country" right within half a mile of the county court house, and wants some one to locate a cement factory there.

At the election in Owosso the proposition to bond the city for \$15,000 to extend the new asphalt pavement was carried by a large majority; also the proposition to borrow \$6,500 to pay up last year's deficit.

The comptroller of the currency has declared the fifth dividend of 10 per cent in favor of the creditors of the First National bank of Benton Harbor, making in all 80 per cent on claims proved, amounting to \$81,243.

Marine City thieves have queer ways about them. One of them broke open the door of a building the other night, and unscrewing the lock, worth about \$4, carried it away, without disturbing anything else in the place.

Saginaw Salt & Lumber Co. has sold to the Gill Lumber Co., of Cleveland, its entire cut of Norway for the season, about 4,000,000 feet at an advance over last year's prices. This is the biggest lumber transfer yet made in Saginaw.

The following day after the Pollock, Pettibone & Chapman fire in Detroit, McNaughton & Walker, general commission merchants, suffered a fire loss of \$10,000. Fortunately no lives were lost, but one or two narrow escapes are reported.

The Stearns collection of musical instruments, valued at over \$100,000, which was recently given to the University of Michigan by Frederick Stearns, of Detroit, has been arranged on the third floor of the museum building, and is highly prized.

The construction of Oxford's buggy factory is being pushed, and before long it will be in full operation, giving employment to about 25 men at the start. No bonus was necessary to secure the plant, which in an important addition to Oxford's industrial interests.

Phineas T. Binns, a citizen of Buchanan for the past 50 years, undertook to wash the skylight in his living rooms over a store building, when the staging gave way and he fell to the floor, a distance of 10 feet. His neck was broken and his skull crushed. He lived about an hour.

Mell MacWinter, of Rochester, slapped his wife's face, broke her nose and blackened her eyes, because she would not cook sausage for supper, instead of saving it for Sunday dinner. He was given \$25 fine and 60 days in jail. Later he broke jail with the intention of killing his wife but the officers headed him off.

Miss Augusta Brundage, one of the operators of the Michigan Telephone Co.'s exchange at Lansing, awoke the other morning and found that she was absolutely unable to speak. She has not been ill, and her throat is not sore, but repeated efforts to speak have been unavailing. She is not able to make the slightest sound.

Old Mr. Tracy, a farmer living in Arbeta, was missing from the house for an unusual length of time for him so the family began searching, and were horrified to find his body in the hog pen, nearly eaten up by the hogs. It is supposed he went into the pen for something and was attacked by the hogs, and, being about 70 years old, was unable to escape.

Charles Taylor, treasurer of Home township, Montcalm Co., will not have to make good the township funds which were lost in the failure of the Chapin bank at Stanton, nor George Douglass, the county treasurer, the county funds lost in the same manner. The people of the township and county respectively voted on Monday to raise the amounts by taxation.

The large wholesale millinery establishment of Pollock, Pettibone & Chapman in Detroit has been destroyed by fire. The stock was valued at \$35,000 and was insured for \$25,000. Tuttle & Clark, dealers in tariff goods, who occupy the adjoining store, had their stock damaged \$6,000, and the damages to the two buildings will bring the total amount of damage up to about \$50,000.

Never before in the history of Kalamazoo has there been such a wood famine as during the past two months. For several years prices have ranged so low that farmers did not find it worth while marketing their fuel, and nearly everyone ran short of seasoned wood during the cold snap in February. Nothing but green fuel could be obtained, and that at pretty stiff prices for a heavily timbered region.

### STATE LEGISLATURE.

Rep. Chamberlain will substitute a new bill for the soldiers' relief measure which caused as much discussion when it passed the house and was so amended by the senate that the attorney-general has decided that it is not retroactive. It provided for a tax of four one-hundredths of a mill and was made operative until August 1. In the new bill the tax will be half a mill and the time will be extended until Nov. 1. In order to take care of all needy or sick soldiers the bill will provide that the fund may be used to pay the expenses of any Michigan soldier from the time he reached the borders of the state, whether he was mustered out or not.

The open fishing season has been defeated in the senate by a vote of 17 to 15.

### BRIEF NEWS PARAGRAPHS.

Vice-President Hobert is slowly recovering from his recent illness. However, he is still confined to his bed.

Terrence Anderson, of Plymouth, Pa., who was demented, committed suicide by jumping down an 800 foot shaft at the Delaware and Hudson mine.

The Presbyterian Foreign Mission society is taking measures toward active missionary work in the Philippine islands. Over \$7,000 has been handed to the society.

Two thousand suits against owners of buildings in Chicago, who have failed to provide proper fire escapes, are under preparation by the city prosecuting attorney.

The steamer City of Columbia, which recently went on the reef at Honolulu, and was subsequently sold for \$1,500, is to be repaired and placed on the route between Hawaii and China.

The iron companies at Ishpeming will fight the strikers and have notified them that they would hire entirely new crews. About 2,000 men are affected and trouble is feared if new men are imported. Non-union men are joining the union.

It is expected that Senator Sayre's bill placing a tax of \$1 a barrel on beer will be passed by the senate before long. The money derived from the taxes will go into the primary school fund, and it is expected to amount to \$750,000 annually.

There is every indication that not less than 5,000 miles of new railway will be built in the U. S. in 1899, representing an investment of about \$150,000,000. At the present time over 4,000 miles are either under contract or actually under construction.

Twenty inmates of the state industrial home for incorrigible girls, in Chillicothe, Mo., made a break for liberty, armed with butcher knives and other weapons. They drove back the guards, but were finally run down and captured by the police, after a long chase.

A prominent young man of Birch Run, who enlisted with the 35th Michigan volunteers when it was recruited at Island Lake and followed the regiment during its later maneuvers, got a furlough about a month ago on account of sickness and came home. His illness has developed into insanity. He is very vicious and imagines he is in the hands of Spaniards.

During one of the squally afternoons recently two tramps—a man and a woman—camped on the roadside near Camden. A dilapidated shawl supported by crooked sticks served as a wind-break and on the leeward side a small fire sputtered. Seated on chunks of wood, as near the fire as smoke and heat would allow, the pair were found perusing a well worn copy of the Bible.

Several villages in the state are discovering that, in their zeal to reward sufficient village officers by electing them for another term, they have violated the terms of their charters. The law provides that no one shall serve as village treasurer more than two terms in succession, but in many places this provision was completely overlooked and competent treasurers re-elected for a third term.

### THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.			
New York	Cattle	Sheep	Lambs
Best grades...	\$17.00	80	80
Lower grades...	2.00	40	50
Chicago—			
Best grades...	7.00	50	50
Lower grades...	3.00	1.00	5.00
Detroit—			
Best grades...	4.00	4.50	5.00
Lower grades...	3.00	3.50	4.00
Buffalo—			
Best grades...	4.00	4.50	5.00
Lower grades...	3.00	3.50	4.00
Cleveland—			
Best grades...	4.00	4.50	5.00
Lower grades...	3.00	3.50	4.00
Cincinnati—			
Best grades...	4.00	4.50	5.00
Lower grades...	3.00	3.50	4.00
Pittsburg—			
Best grades...	4.00	4.50	5.00
Lower grades...	3.00	3.50	4.00

### GRAIN, ETC.

Wheat	Corn	Oats
No. 1 red	No. 1 white	No. 1 white
New York	82.00	52.00
Chicago	78.00	50.00
St. Louis	75.00	48.00
Galena	72.00	46.00
St. Paul	70.00	44.00
Minneapolis	68.00	42.00
Cleveland	66.00	40.00
Pittsburg	64.00	38.00
St. Louis	62.00	36.00

### A GRAND LADY OF ILLINOIS.

Mrs. Lucinda B. Chandler, of Chicago, is the Honorable President of the Illinois Woman's Press Association; Honorable President of the Society for the Promotion of Health;



LUCINDA B. CHANDLER, of Chicago, Ill.

founder of the Margareth Fuller Society for the study of Economics and Governments, and also President of the Chicago Moral Educational Society. Mrs. Chandler is an ardent friend of Peru-na, and in writing to Dr. Hartman on the subject she stated as follows:

Chicago, Jan. 6, 1899.  
Dear Doctor—I suppose every one that is confined to their desk and not getting the required amount of exercise, will sooner or later, suffer with catarrh of the stomach and indigestion. I know by experience that Peru-na is a most excellent remedy for these complaints. It has relieved me, and several of my friends have used it with the same satisfactory results. Yours very respectfully,  
LUCINDA B. CHANDLER.

Nothing like the harrow for making a good seed bed for wheat.

In transplanting, carry as much soil as possible with the roots.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars; free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Sow Orchard grass thick at the stools will cover the ground.

Do Your Feet Ache and Burn?

Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and Sweating Feet. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

The more bushels to the acre the less the cost per bushel.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

If you mix your own fertilizer you will know what it contains.

FITS Permanently Cured. Nodds or nervousness after first day's use of Dr. King's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for FREE \$2.00 trial bottle and treatment. Dr. R. H. Knapp, Ltd., 331 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

It is easier to prevent disease among stock than to cure it.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25 cents a bottle.

Stop sowing weed seeds and you will have less weeds to kill.

Carter's Ext. Smart Weed

Will cure a cold in one night; will cure sore throat in a few hours. Acts quick. Sure cure for Catarrh in every 25c bottle.

Animals closely confined need a greater variety of food.

Good For Little Folks.

Don't torture the children with liquid and pill poison! The only safe, agreeable laxative for little ones is Casco's Candy Cathartic. All Druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Only what is digested and assimilated adds to the growth.

We will forfeit \$1,000 if any of our published testimonials are proven to be not genuine. THE PISO CO., Warren, Pa.

Have managers movable, so they can be readily cleaned.

There are no cross babies or sick babies in families that use Brown's Teething Tablets.

A low temperature calls for more food than a high one.

The cleaner the food and quarters the sweeter the port.

**ARE YOU SORE AND STIFF?**

Fresh hard work or spleen aches?

**ST. JACOBS OIL**

Will cure after a few applications, and make the muscles limber and strong.



**Interesting Items.**

How unfortunate that those people who best know how to run a newspaper are invariably engaged in some other business.

Hundreds of people in Jackson were attacked at about the same time last week by a species of influenza, becoming hoarse, and afterwards developing a cough. A flock of germs apparently struck the city in a bunch.

Beginning Tuesday all mail matter sent from post offices will be weighed before being sent and all mails on trains will be weighed when received. This is done once in four years and continues for 40 days and in this way the estimates are made for carrying the mails on railroads for the succeeding four years.—Local Republican.

The newest scheme which is being worked on the Michigan farmer is a smooth agent to secure permission to tack up a few signs on the farmer's barns and fences, and then ask the unsuspecting granger to sign an agreement not to tear down the signs for ninety days. Three months later the farmer who was simple enough to put his name to the paper is notified that his note at ninety days, for \$300, is due.

Here are some weather proverbs referring to song birds and storms: "When birds cease to sing, rain and thunder will follow. If birds in general pick their feathers, wash themselves and fly to their nest, expect rain. Parrots and canaries dress their feathers are wakeful the evening before a storm. If the peacock cries when he goes to roost, and indeed, much at any time, it is a sign of rain. Robins will perch on the topmost branches of trees and whistle when a storm is coming on.

Marriage, according to Dr. Schwartz, of Berlin, is the most important factor in longevity. Of every 200 persons who reach the age of 40 years, 125 are married and 75 unmarried. At 60 years the proportions are 48 to 22; at 70 years, 27 to 11; and at 90 years, 9 to 3. Fifty centenarians had all been married. The doctor asserts that the rate of mortality for husbands and wives between the ages of 30 and 45 years is 16 per cent, while that for unmarried persons is 28 per cent.

A short time ago, the roof of the stand pipe attached to the water works at Napoleon, Ohio, was blown off in a heavy wind storm, and the upper part of the ladder leading to the top was carried with it. An ingenious plan for replacing the roof was adopted and successfully carried out. The water was withdrawn from the stand pipe and a raft built on inside. Water was then turned on, and the raft laden with workmen and utensils was gradually raised at the rate of about 25 feet an hour. Five hours were required to make the ascent. Hooks and pulleys were then attached to the pipe and material was drawn up from the outside, while the men repaired the damage. This was a new application of a method formerly employed in the construction of large water tanks.

Several villages in the state are discovering that, in their zeal to reward efficient village officers by electing them for another term, they have violated the terms of their charters. The law provides that no one shall serve as village treasurer more than two years in succession, but in many places this provision was completely overlooked and competent treasurers re-elected for a third term.

The Farm Journal is unlike any other paper; for one thing it prints no quack medical advertisements; for another it takes five-year subscriptions and gets the paper to its subscribers the full time if they are anywhere on this planet, even if they move two or three times; if they die their heirs get it. Now we are going to send the Farm Journal for the balance of 1899 and all of 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, nearly five years, to every advance paying subscriber to the DISPATCH, but better speak quick, as we have only a limited number of Farm Journals to offer on these terms.

**University Items.**

The monthly averages of the University hospital for March, '99 are the largest on record, those of February '99 being the second largest. The total number of patients registered during March was 178. Seventy-seven of these were in-patients and 101 out patients. The average number of patients during the month was 84, the highest number 88, and the lowest 78. At one time or another over one hundred patients were kept waiting for beds, there being at times as many as thirty applicants on hand.

The first comprehensive textbook on the subject of pharmacology will be published shortly by Lea Brothers of Philadelphia. It is the work of Professor Arthur R. Cushny of the Medical department of the University of Michigan and embodies original research upon which the author has been engaged for some time past. It also contains a comprehensive treatment of the literature of the subject. The work has been so arranged as to be of value, to medical students, the practitioner, and the biologist.

Conrad and Jones, of West Grove, Pa., the largest growers of cannas and roses in America, have arranged, through Dr. Schlotterbeck of the pharmaceutical department of the University of Michigan, to make a large floral display on the campus the coming summer. Over five hundred canna plants, comprising ten of the finest and most extensive varieties, have already arrived in Ann Arbor and will be set out as soon as the weather permits. These with fifty hardy shrubs, such as roses, spiraeas, altheas, etc., will be placed in four large circular beds.

A complete steam laundry is now in operation in connection with the University of Michigan hospitals. The machinery includes a sterilizer, in which twenty pounds of steam pressure is secured, a washing machine, a centrifugal extractor or ringer, a mangle for flat work, a body ironer, a seven bar steam dry box in which 210 degrees of heat may be obtained, and three electric flat-irons. Three persons are employed in operating the laundry. The daily output is five hundred pieces. It is estimated that the saving in washing and laundry expenses to the University is from \$30 to \$40 a month.

Subscribe for the Dispatch.

**Additional Local.**

Don't fail to see Stub; or Fool from Boston on Friday evening, April 21.

The latest popular songs will be sung between acts at Stub; or Fool from Boston at opera house on Friday evening, April 21.

An error crept into our writup of election last week. It read every democrat elected but clerk, and should have read treasurer. The ticket showing who were elected was correct however.

The people of Gregory will hold a reception and dance at the Maccabee hall in that place on Friday evening of this week in honor of the soldiers of the 35th regiment. All soldiers of the war invited to attend free. Bill 50c.

**Passed Beyond.**

John Douglass, superintendent of the elevator at Anderson, died on Friday morning from appendicitis. He was taken sick on the preceding Sunday and 49 hours after an operation was performed by Drs. Sigler of Pinckney assisted by Dr. Darling of Ann Arbor. From its short duration his case was thought to be a favorable one but at the operation it was found that a preceding attack had produced complications from which it was impossible to recover. He leaves a wife and four small children and his untimely death is universally regretted.

**Board of Supervisors.**

The following are the names of the supervisors elected and their townships. The first eleven are democrats and the remaining five republicans:

- Brighon.....Frank E. Bidwell
- Conway.....Charles L. Gordon
- Cohoctah.....Henry Bohm
- Deerfield.....Leman D. Howe
- Genoa.....Patrick H. Gray
- Hamburg.....Edward J. Sherid
- Howell.....Walter W. Knapp
- Handy.....Fred Richter
- Marion.....Hiram E. Reed
- Putnam.....Cary V. VanWinkle
- Unadilla.....James Burden
- Green Oak.....S. A. Smith
- Hartland.....Arthur Climmer
- Iosco.....B. W. Herford
- Oceola.....Frank L. Hucker
- Tyrone.....George Dodds

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**Sheriff's Sale.**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a Fieri Facias issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Livingston, in favor of George Ackley, against the goods, chattels and real estate of Frank Pond in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on the third day of February 1899 levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said Frank Pond in and to the following described real estate, that is to say:

All of the north half (1/2) of the north-east fractional quarter (1-4) of section number two (2) except the north fifty acres thereof.

Also, the north ten and sixty three hundredth (10.63) acres of the south half (1/2) of said north east fractional quarter of said section number two (2). All in Town One North of Range Three east Livingston county, Michigan.

And also, by virtue of the same writ, I did on the thirtieth day of March 1899, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Frank Pond in and to the following described real estate, that is to say:

All that part of the south half (1/2) of the north-east fractional quarter (1/4) of section two (2), town one (1) north of range three (3) east, lying between the north ten and sixty-three hundredth (10.63) acres, and the south forty (40) acres thereof.

All of said several described parcels of real estate being land whereof Otis Pond died seized. Also all being in Unadilla township, State of Michigan. All of which right, title and interest, I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the south door of the Court House in the Village of Howell, in said county of Livingston, state of Michigan, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said county of Livingston), on Friday the twenty-sixth (26) of May, 1899, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

Dated at Howell, this 3rd day of April, 1899, W. B. GILDART, MALACHI ROCHE, Sheriff. Attorney.

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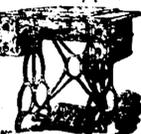


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# Pinckney Dispatch.

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PINCKNEY, MICHIGAN.

A flood of tears indicates troubled waters.

He that runs may read—his opponent's inaugural address.

It keeps the tramps busy furnishing material for comic-paper jokes.

If a man ever feels religious it's when he finds himself in a tight place.

The man who makes a donkey of himself seldom boasts of being self-made.

Ajax may have defied the lightning, but he never set his hand against a live wire.

A few congregations are willing to pay a pastor for telling them the truth about themselves.

An Irish philosopher says the only way to prevent what's past is to put a stop to it before it happens.

Concentration is the secret of strength in politics, in war, in trade; in short, in all management of human affairs.

Of two evils the less is always to be chosen. That thou mayst therefore avoid the future everlasting punishment, endeavor to endure present evils patiently.

Spain's decision to prosecute Admiral Cervera and the former captain of the Cristobal Colon for the loss of the fleet off Santiago, savors of the ethics of the Middle Ages. On the other hand, an act one hundred and fifty years ago, of Maria Theresa, a collateral ancestor of the Queen Regent of Spain, embodies the generous spirit of the nineteenth century. When Marshal Daun lost a decisive battle, after bravely contesting it, his queen went out from her capital to meet him on his return, and by the warmest expressions of kindness and confidence raised his crushed spirits. In this she won a commendable victory.

The unjustifiable severity of a parent is loaded with this aggravation, that those whom he injures, are always in his sight. The domestic oppressor dooms himself to gaze upon those faces which he clouds with terror, and with sorrow; and he beholds every movement the effects of his own barbarities. He that can bear to give continual pain to those who surround him, and can walk with satisfaction in the gloom of his own presence; he that can see submissive misery without relenting, and meet without emotion the eye that implores mercy, or demands justice, will scarcely be amended by remonstrance, or admonition; he has found means of stopping the avenues of tenderness, and arming his heart against the force of reason.

The suggestion to tax grain has been brought forward in the legislature of North Dakota, where it has been embodied in a concurrent resolution for a constitutional amendment. This provides that the legislative assembly may tax wheat, flax and oats and barley grown in the state and stored in the elevators or kept for seed at a rate of not to exceed half a cent a bushel on wheat, the same on flax, a third of a cent on barley and a quarter of a cent on oats. At present the grains grown in the state pay practically no taxes. The millions of bushels of wheat grown in the state are threshed and disposed of between assessments. The rate of a quarter to half a cent a bushel, if applied to the millions of bushels of the various grains grown in the state, would, it is said, produce a revenue exceeding \$250,000. How the measure is likely to be received generally is not yet apparent from the advices at hand.

From out the smoke and carnage of the late war, one incident shines like a star in a cloudy sky. It is that of the military funeral in Santiago last November of the body of General Vara del Rey. Four months after the Spaniard had fallen at El Caney, fighting at the head of his men, an aged general, Valderrama, arrived from Spain to beg the body of his former comrade. General Wood at once dispatched an officer and company to find the grave, from which all marks had been removed by the Cubans. After a long search the body was identified, and transferred to the handsome coffin brought from Spain, and escorted to the vessel by an American band and battalion. As the cortege passed the palace General Wood and staff stood at attention with bare heads. "General Vara del Rey was a brave man," said the chivalrous victor, "and we honor his memory." No wonder the old Valderrama said, in farewell, "You belong to a grand nation. We shall not forget this day. The minute be with you and with your people."

## TALMAGE'S SERMON.

### "ANGELS OF THE GRASS" LAST SUNDAY'S SUBJECT.

From Luke, 12:28, as follows: "If Then God so Clothe the Grass . . . How Much More Will He Clothe You, O Ye of Little Faith?"

The lily is the queen of Bible flowers. The rose may have disputed her throne in modern times, and won it; but the rose originally had only five petals. It was under the long-continued and intense gaze of the world that the rose blushed into its present beauty. In the Bible train, cassia and hyssop and frankincense and myrrh and spikenard and camphire and the rose follow the lily. Fourteen times in the Bible is the lily mentioned; only twice the rose. The rose may now have wider empire, but the lily reigned in the time of Esther, in the time of Solomon, in the time of Christ. Caesar had his throne on the hills. The lily had her throne in the valley. In the greatest sermon that was ever preached there was only one flower, and that a lily. The Bedford dreamer, John Bunyan, entered the House of the Interpreter, and was shown a cluster of flowers, and was told to "consider the lilies."

We may study or reject other sciences at our option. It is so with astronomy; it is so with chemistry; it is so with jurisprudence; it is so with physiology; it is so with geology; but the science of botany Christ commands us to study when he says: "Consider the lilies." Measure them from root to tip of petal. Inhale their breath. Notice the gracefulness of their poise. Hear the whisper of the white lips of the Eastern and the red lips of the American lily.

Belonging to this royal family of lilies is the lily of the Nile, the Japan lily, the Lady Washington of the Sierras, the golden band lily, the giant lily of Nepal, the Turk's cap lily, the African lily from the Cape of Good Hope. All these lilies have the royal blood in their veins. But I take the lilies of my text this morning as typical of all flowers, and their voice of floral beauty seems to address us, saying, "Consider the lilies, consider the azaleas, consider the fuchsias, consider the geraniums, consider the ivies, consider the hyacinths, consider the heliotropes, consider the oleanders. With deferential and grateful and worshipful souls, consider them. Not with insipid sentimentalism, or with sophomoric vaporing, but for grand and practical and every-day, and, if need be, homely uses, consider them.

The flowers are the angels of the grass. They all have voices. When the clouds speak, they thunder; when the whirlwinds speak, they scream; when the cataracts speak, they roar; but when the flowers speak, they always whisper. I stand here to interpret their message. What have you to say to us, O ye angels of the grass? This morning I mean to discuss what flowers are good for. That is my subject—What are flowers good for?

I remark, in the first place, they are good for lessons of God's providential care. That was Christ's first thought. All these flowers seem to address us today, saying, "God will give you apparel and food. We have no wheel with which to spin, no loom with which to weave, no sickle with which to harvest, no well-sweep with which to draw water; but God slakes our thirst with the dew, and God feeds us with the bread of the sunshine, and God has appareled us with more than Solomon's regality. We are prophetesses of adequate wardrobe. "If God so clothed us, the grass of the field, will he not much more clothe you, O ye of little faith?" Men and women of worldly anxieties, take this message home with you. How long has God taken care of you? Quarter of the journey of life? Half the journey of life? Three-quarters of the journey of life? Can you not trust him the rest of the way? God does not promise you anything like that which the Roman emperor had on his table at vast expense—five hundred nightingales' tongues—but he has promised to take care of you. He has promised you the necessities, not the luxuries—bread, not cake. If God so luxuriantly clothes the grass of the field, will he not provide for you, his living and immortal children? He will.

If you ask me the question, What are flowers good for? I respond, they are good for the bridal day. The bride must have them on her brow, and she must have them in her hand. The marriage altar must be covered with them. A wedding without flowers would be as inappropriate as a wedding without music. At such a time they are for congratulations and prophecies of good. So much of the pathway of life is covered up with thorns we ought to cover the beginning with orange blossoms.

Flowers are appropriate on such occasions, for in ninety-nine out of a hundred cases it is the very best thing that could have happened. The world may criticize and pronounce it an insipid and may lift its eyebrows in surprise and think it might suggest something better; but the God who sees the twenty, forty, sixty years of

wedded life before they have begun to arrange for the best. So that flowers, in almost all cases, are appropriate for the marriage day. The divergences of disposition will become correspondences, recklessness will become prudence, frivolity will be turned into practicality.

There has been many an aged widowed soul who had a carefully locked bureau, and in the bureau a box, and in the box, a folded paper, and in the folded paper a half-blown rose, slightly fragrant, discolored, carefully pressed. She put it there forty or fifty years ago. On the anniversary of her wedding she will go to the bureau, she will lift the box, she will unfold the paper, and to her eyes will be exposed the half-blown bud, and the memories of the past will rush upon her, and a tear will drop upon the flower, and suddenly it is transfigured, and there is a stir in the dust of the anther, and it rounds out, and it is full of life, and it begins to tremble in the procession of the church aisle, and the dead music of a half century ago comes throbbing through the air, and vanished faces reappear, and right hands are joined, and a manly voice promises, "I will, for better or worse," and the wedding march thunders a salvo of joy at the departing crowd; but a sign on that anniversary day scatters the scene. Under the deep-fetched breath, the flowers, the congratulating groups are scattered, and there is nothing left but a trembling hand holding a faded rosebud, which is put into the paper, and then into the box, and the box carefully placed in the bureau, and with a sharp, sudden click of the lock the scene is over.

Ah, my friends, let not the prophecies of the flowers, on your wedding day, be false prophecies. Be blind to each other's faults. Make the most of each other's excellences. Remember the vows, the ring on the third finger of the left hand, and the benediction of the calla lilies.

If you ask me the question, What are flowers good for? I answer, They are good to honor and comfort the obsequies. The worst gash ever made into the side of our poor earth, is the gash of the grave. It is so deep, it is so cruel, it is so incurable, that it needs something to cover it up. Flowers for the casket, flowers for the hearse, flowers for the cemetery. What a contrast between a grave in a country churchyard, with the fence broken down, and the tombstone askant, and the neighboring cattle browsing amid the mullen stalks and the Canada thistles, and a June morning in Greenwood, the wave of roseate bloom rolling to the top of the mounds, and then breaking into foaming crests of white flowers all around the pillows of dust! It is the difference between sleeping under rags and sleeping under an embroidered blanket. We want Old Mortality with his chisel to go through all the graveyards in Christendom, and while he carries a chisel in one hand, we want Old Mortality to have some flower seed in the palm of the other hand. . . .

It was left for modern times to spell respect for the departed and comfort for the living in letters of floral Gospel. Pillow of flowers, meaning rest for the pilgrim who has got to the end of his journey. Anchor of flowers, suggesting the Christian hope which we have as an anchor of the soul, sure and steadfast. Cross of flowers, suggesting the tree on which our sins were slain. If I had my way, I would cover up all the dreamless sleepers, whether in golden-handled casket or pine box, whether a king's mausoleum or Potter's field, with radiant or aromatic arborescence. The Bible says: "In the midst of the garden there was a sepulchre." I wish that every sepulchre might be in the midst of a garden.

If you ask me the question, what are flowers good for? I answer, for religious symbolism. Have you ever studied Scriptural flora? The Bible is an arboretum, it is a divine conservatory, it is an herbarium of exquisite beauty. If you want to illustrate the brevity of the brightest human life, you will quote from Job: "Man cometh forth as a flower and is cut down." Or you will quote from the Psalmist: "As the flower of the field, so he perisheth; the wind passeth over it, and it is gone." Or you will quote from Isaiah: "All flesh is grass, and the goodness thereof is as the flower of the field." Or you will quote from James the Apostle: "As the flower of the grass, so he passeth away." What graphic Bible symbolism!

All the cut flowers will soon be dead, whatever care you take of them. Though morning and night you baptize them in the name of the savior, the baptism will not be to them a saving ordinance. They have been fatally wounded with the knife that cut them. They are bleeding their life away; they are dying now. The fragrance in the air is their departing and ascending spirits. Oh, yes! Flowers are almost human. Botanists tell us that flowers breathe, they take nourishment, they eat, they drink. They are sensitive. They have their likes and dislikes. They sleep, they wake. They live in families. They have their ancestors and their descendants. . . .

birth, their burial, their cradle, their grave. The zephyr rocks the one, and the storm digs the trench for the other. The cowslip must leave its gold, the lily must leave its silver, the rose must leave its diamond necklace of morning dew. Dust to dust. So we come up, we prosper, we spread abroad, we die, as the flower—as the flower!

Change and decay in all around I see; O thou who changeest not, abide with me!

Flowers also afford mighty symbolism of Christ, who compared himself to the ancient queen, the lily, and the modern queen, the rose, when he said: "I am the rose of Sharon, and the lily of the valley." Redolent like the one, humble like the other. Like both, appropriate for the sad who want sympathizers, and for the rejoicing who want banqueters. Hovering over the marriage ceremony like a wedding-bell, or folded like a chaplet on the pulseless heart of the dead. Oh, Christ! let the perfume of thy name be wafted all around the earth—lily and rose, lily and rose—until the wilderness crimson into a garden, and the round earth turn into one great bud of immortal beauty laid against the warm heart of God. Snatch down from the world's banners eagle and lion, and put on lily and rose, lily and rose.

But, my friends, flowers have no grander use than when on Easter morning we celebrate the re-animation of Christ from the catacombs. The flowers spell resurrection. There is not a nook or corner in all the building but is touched with the incense. The women carried spices to the tomb of Christ, and they dropped spices all around the tomb, and from these spices have grown all the flowers of Easter morn. . . . The two white-robed angels that hurled the stone away from the door of the tomb, hurled it with such violence down the hill that it crashed in the door of the world's sepulchre, and millions of dead shall come forth.

However labyrinthine the mausoleum, however costly the sarcophagus, however architecturally grand the necropolis, however beautifully parterred the family grounds, we want them all broken up by the Lord of the Resurrection. The forms that we laid away with our broken hearts must rise again. Father and mother—they must come out. Husband and wife—they must come out. Brothers and sisters—they must come out. Our darling children—they must come out. The eyes that with trembling fingers we closed, must open in the luster of Resurrection morn. The arms that we folded in death must join ours in embrace of reunion. The beloved voice that was hushed must be returned. The beloved form must come up without its infirmities, without its fatigues—it must come up. Oh, how long it seems for some of you! Waiting—waiting for the Resurrection! How long! how long! I make for your broken hearts today a cool, soft bandage of lilies. I comfort you this day with the thought of resurrection.

When Lord Nelson was buried in St. Paul's Cathedral in London, the heart of all England was stirred. The procession passed on amid the sobbing of a nation. There were thirty trumpeters stationed at the door of the Cathedral, with instruments of music in hand, waiting for the signal, and when the illustrious dead arrived at the gates of St. Paul's Cathedral, these thirty trumpeters gave one united blast, and then all was silent. Yet the trumpets did not wake the dead. He slept right on. But I have to tell you, what thirty trumpeters could not do for one man, one trumpeter will do for all nations. The ages have rolled on, and the clock of the world's destiny strikes nine, ten, eleven, twelve, and time shall be no longer! Behold the archangel hovering! He takes the trumpet, points it this way, puts its lips to his lips and then blows one long, loud, terrific, thunderous, reverberating and resurrectionary blast! Look, look! They rise! The dead—the dead! some coming forth from the family vault; some from the city cemetery; some from the country graveyard. Here a spirit is joined to its body, and there another spirit is joined to another body, and millions of departed spirits are asserting the bodies, and then re-clothing themselves in forms radiant for ascension.

The earth begins to burn—the bonfire of a great victory. All ready now for the procession of reconstructed humanity! Upward and away! Christ leads and all the Christian dead follow, battalion after battalion, nation after nation. Up, up! On, on! Forward, ye ranks of God Almighty! Lift up your heads, ye everlasting gates, and let the conquerors come in! Resurrection! Resurrection!

And so I twist all the festal flowers of the chapels and cathedrals of all Christendom into one great chain, and with that chain I bind the Easter morning of 1899 with the closing Easter of the world's history—Resurrection! May the God of peace that brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do his will.

## "He Who Pursues Two"

### Hares Catches Neither."

Said a well-known young man about town, "I tried for years to burn the candle at both ends, in the pursuit of pleasure while trying to attend to business. My blood, stomach and kidneys got into a wretched state and it seemed that I could not carry the burden any longer.

But now my rheumatism has gone, my courage has returned, and all on account of that marvel, Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has made me a picture of health. Now I'm in for business pure and simple."

Rosy Cheeks—"I have good health and rosy cheeks, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It builds me up and saves doctor's bills." MARY A. BURKE, 604 East Clair Street, Indianapolis, Ind.

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Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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It is the only cure for Swollen, Smarting, Burning, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Samples sent FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Many an otherwise good animal is stunted in the dam's body.

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Scrofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

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Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

Groom your cows regularly if you groom them at all.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

"Should a cow go dry?" A short time—if she will.

## IN OLDEN TIMES.

### Many Things Were Different—Now-a-days the Public Profit by Experience.

When the striped pole or sign which now indicates a barber shop was employed to let the public know where cupping or bloodletting was professionally performed, close shaves were of daily occurrence; not the easy removal of the hirsute or hairy adornment of the head and face, but close shaves from entering eternity. More than one unfortunate entered the barber-surgeon's doorway to leave it a corpse or so weak that weeks were required to get the victim of unalpractice on his feet. Bloodletting was used for everything, from a headache to a corn, and a pain in the joints was invariably treated with two incisions, one on each side of the spine. Like plasters and liniments, these helped from the counter irritation they created, and we presume that had Mr. Calvin Wilson, proprietor of the leading shaving parlor of Niles, Mich., lived in the time of George III, of England, in place of taking the course he did a short time ago with his back, bloodletting would have been resorted to. How how he treated his trouble. Mr. Wilson says: "My occupation has very likely, much to do with the cause of my backache from which I have suffered considerably for a number of years. Standing on one's feet some days 12 hours is hard on the back, but when you have pain across the joint, with lameness and soreness, sometimes you move the muscles of the arm, just long before your daily task is over you utter a cry you could go to sleep. I tried everything to better my condition but was unsuccessful until I used these boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills. The relief they brought to me was long, long, long, and all the time I am now past the three score and ten is much easier to appreciate than to describe in words. Doan's Kidney Pills perform what they promise to."

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### SILVER LAKE ITEMS.

Wm. Clark was in Howell one day last week.

Mrs. Ransom Ferris is recovering slowly from her severe illness.

Mrs. Wm. Thurston has two little brothers from Dexter visiting her.

This vicinity boasts of two ranges from the store of Teeple & Cadwell.

Happy times in the Meyer family, as their son and brother, Will, has returned from the war.

Miss Ella Ryan has returned to her school in Chelsea and is feeling quite refreshed after her vacation.

There is rumors of an epidemic of sore throat throughout the state and several here have been afflicted.

Mark Bell has moved on to the farm recently purchased of Mr. Tiplady and Mr. Bierce has moved into the M. Bell house.

Dexter township has always held its election at the Welsh school house until this spring when the place of meeting was changed to Hudson.

The statement in the last issue that Jim Tiplady had rented the A. J. Wilhelm farm was correct, but he has since made different arrangements and rented the Fid Dunlay farm and moved there this week.

Bert Carpenter of Ann Arbor visited his parents at Dover this week, and as they have been poorly all winter he will probably make arrangements to take the old couple home with him where the children can care for them.

\$1.50 will get you one-dozen A. 1 Aristo Cabinets at Paddock's, Howell, Mich. This offer is good for one week only.

### HAMBURG.

Miss Maggie Gaffy is visiting relatives and friends in Durand.

Miss Nellie Powers is teaching the spring term in Hamburg district.

Miss Arola Steiner has returned from a two months visit with her parents near Howell.

Miss Bernice Greer is home from Brighton, where she is attending school, on a vacation.

Rev. Harvey Pearce will fill his father's pulpit at this place one week from next Sunday evening.

Dan Thomas is now finishing his house that he began last fall and will soon have it ready to occupy.

Wilbur Todd moved to his new home in Dimondale on Monday. Mr. Todd was highly respected and all regret his moving.

Mrs. Jas. Crossman met with a serious accident one day last week, while walking down a steep bank she slipped on some ice and tore the ligaments of her left arm and put the arm out of joint at the elbow.

### For Sale.

Brood sow for sale. C. E. REYNOLDS, Marion.

### PETTEYSVILLE.

Wm. Peck began work Monday for T. Shehan.

Than. Mongan, of Brighton, called on friends here Monday.

Frank Baily, of Howell, was the guest of S. G. Teeple Monday.

Wils Mercer and G. Carpenter were in Howell on business Monday.

E. R. Cook moved his family to Pinckney and will reside in the Hooker house.

J. W. Placeway and wife were in White Oak Saturday and Sunday to see J. King who is in poor health.

Miss Ella Mercer, who has been spending the past three weeks in Toledo, returned home the first of the week.

### UNADILLA.

R. Baraum and wife of this place spent last with friends in Williamston returning.

Remember the social at Presbyterian Hall Wednesday evening April 19.

Miss Adeline Bunker spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Munith.

L. M. Harris received news Sunday of the death of his father who lived in New Jersey.

The people of this township met at Gregory last week and organized a farmers club.

Hellen Watson, of near Pinckney, spent last week with her sister, Myra May of this place.

A large number from this place attended the funeral of John Douglas at Stockbridge last Monday.

Rev. Dunning has resigned his position as pastor of the Presbyterian church of this place and Plainfield.

Richard Mackinder had a smash up in town last Friday, breaking the thills and cross bar of his new carriage.

Rev. Whitefield, of Detroit, filled the pulpit of the Presby. church last Sunday evening. He is here on trial for the coming year.

It is reported that Gratia Dunning will have to give up his position as teacher in the Alma schools on account of his voice failing him.

There will be a party in the K O T M hall of Gregory next Friday night, April 14, in honor of the returned soldiers of the 35th. Everyone is invited to come; both old and young.

Our Millinery parlors are fitted up and open for inspection in the rooms over the bank. **BOYLE & HALSTEAD.**

### ANDERSON.

Grandma Watson has been quite sick for the past few days but is now on the gain.

Miss Addie Bowman of Ypsilanti, was the guest of relatives in this vicinity first of the week.

**That Cough Hangs On**

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy. Only a throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

See and Dr. Co. all druggists. **SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.**

Miss Lettie Wylie is home from the Normal this week.

L. E. Howlett and wife, of Howell, Sundayed at the home of A. G. Wilson.

Miss Josie May, of Unadilla, spent the first of the week with Nora Durkee.

Miss Mabel Swartnout, of Pinckney, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

The remains of Jas. Durkee were removed to the Sprout cemetery on Monday last.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Keusch will be glad to know that they have again taken up their residence in Anderson.

Mr. John Douglas, formerly of Stockbridge, but for the past two years a resident of this place, died at his home on Friday last after a short but severe illness caused by appendicitis. He leaves a wife and four little children to mourn their loss. During his short stay here he gained many warm friends who extend their sympathy to the bereaved family. The funeral services were held from Stockbridge on Monday last, several from here attending.

### MORE LOCAL.

The dust flies in our streets. Bikes begin to appear on our streets as a surety that spring is here.

Rev. A. Crane and family of Brighton, visited the Sprout families at Anderson the past week.

Mrs. John Wolfer and daughter, of Munith, spent several days the past week with relatives here.

The last of last week there was talk of a recount in this township on supervisor and highway commissioner, but the last accounts are that the matter has been dropped. We think it a wise decision as the difference was too great to overcome. The board would have been glad to have had the recount so as to have cleared them of all blame.

### "Stub" or "The Fool From Boston."

The above play which will be put on the boards at the opera house in this place, by the Stockbridge High School, Friday evening, April 21, is one of the best plays ever tackled by amateurs and the company handle every part in excellent shape. The play contains a deep plot and is very thrilling.

The villain, Barrett, is fine; Tyler, the old man, also does well; Ida Du Boise is hard to beat in the part given her, as an heiress; and Clare Backus in his parts of "Jack Curtis", "Bummer Jim", "Foolish Jake" and "Pat Grimes" affords plenty of fun and keeps the house roaring a good share of the time; but he is always on hand to catch the plotters and aid little "Stub."

Do not fail to see this play. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

### A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise. Bucklen's arnica salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures old sores, fever sores, ulcers, boils, fells, corns and all skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25c a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by F. A. Sigler, druggist.

### The Boys Meet

Joe Choate and the Prince of Wales have already sat out a couple of cigars. Between the curling smoke drifts Choate related Depew's latest joke and the prince described the charms of the latest scoubrette. Over in a convenient corner young Joe Choate and the duke of York talked over points in society.

### Life of Indians

Recent observations among Indians show that in South America, as well as in North America, the red woman lives longer than the red man. But the average duration of life is only 17 years for both sexes in the south, and 20 per cent of the Indians die during the first year of life.



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You had heard, hadn't you, how we have just opened up a large china and crockery department in our basement? Been down there yet? Well, we want to see you there, and we want to tell you the kind of prices we've got on china and crockery. You must come and see the goods to appreciate the values we are offering.

You don't have to buy a dinner set for twelve people any more. We've got around that way of doing business by selling you just the number of pieces to your set that you need for your family. Buy what you need of any set—as few pieces or as many as you want and if you break a piece or two come back and we'll sell you just that separate piece. We can make you up the old style 112-piece dinner sets, if you want them at extremely low prices. But very few have families of 12, and that is the size family the old 112 piece set was made for. You will find the lowest prices you have ever known about in the New Crockery Department.

### Kitchen Furnishing

Graniteware, tinware, woodware at the very lowest prices consistent with best goods. No "seconds" or "thirds" in graniteware but "firsts" and firsts are the cheapest even if you do see as big pieces in thirds at 10c as come in firsts at 25c. Always buy first quality in graniteware and you will come out ahead.

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