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POLICE COURT RECORD.

DeGraft to be tried January 25—Manager... George McCarthy, the man arrested for beating, was released on suspended sentence... The case against E. Zent and Frank Kinney was nolle pro'd...

A CO-KID AND BOLL STORY

About the City Hall Engineer—The latter's... The Evening Leader last night continued a lengthy attack upon the engineer of the city hall, accusing him of... Referring to the matter R. K. Putnam, the engineer, said to a reporter...

THEY ARE COUSINING

The Owashtown Directors figuring a way out of the financial straits... These are the days when every man's soul and among those who are now most agonized, are the directors of the one-people Owashtown club, who are busily engaged in discussing the best means to put the club on a solid financial footing...

BOBBY BURNS

The Anniversary of His Birth to be Properly Celebrated... The Burns club of this city will celebrate the anniversary of the birth of the famous poet at the Bridge Street House next Monday evening... The toasts on the programme are: "Grand Rapids, our Home," by Mayor Uhl; "Burns," by Judge H. F. Severens...

Funeral of Mrs. Thompson... The remains of Mrs. Thompson, daughter of J. R. Milliken of Detroit, were taken to the city yesterday for interment... Mrs. Milliken last night telegraphed that funeral services would be conducted from the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

THE SABBATH

PRESIDENT HARRISON'S STRICT VIEWS REGARDING SUNDAY LABOR.

Greatly Annoyed by the Report That He Had Called a Meeting of the Cabinet for Sunday—Would Not Travel Sunday Night—Went Hungry Twenty-four Hours.

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SENATOR POWERS REITERATES HIS CHARGES AGAINST JUSTICE FIELD.

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THE RUMORS RELATIVE TO CHILL STILL WARLIKE.

The President to Send in the Correspondence Tomorrow—The Navy Department Displaying Great Activity—Ready to Head Off Our Vessels.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The president denied himself to all visitors today and worked on the Chilean correspondence and the preparation of his message... Secretary Blair received Minister Montt at his house today. The conference lasted only a few minutes.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1892

JOHN JOHNSON'S SECURITY: The testimony of Guy Johnson in the late libel suit, that troubled the Police court for a few days was a remarkable feature from start to finish.

It never was arrested for gambling, he never was pulled by the police, he always fell secure in his place, pursuing the delights of poker and faro through the still hours of the long night.

It is true he had levied on his fraters in the profession for money to insure "protection," but while the particular "protection" was to be obtained, was not to be divulged in the court room.

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A PENSION REFORM.

Incited hereto by the enemies of the veteran and a few men who claim to have been soldiers, have organized to make war on the present pension system.

The point made by these pension reformers is that no man should draw a pension who does not need it. No difference how disabled nor what have been his services as a soldier.

It will be a very chilly, damp, grippled day for the party that becomes the object of these so-called "city reformers" and commits itself to this proposed change in the pension system.

The soldiers would vote as one man regardless of any party affiliation to maintain the pension system as it stands, and they would be reinforced by personal friends and relatives.

The event of this week at Washington will be the message of the president on our relations with Great Britain, as expected on the next day.

CLEVELAND IS STRONGER OUTSIDE OF NEW YORK than Hill, but is weaker in that state. Take it all in all, it does not look as if we can maintain the "city reformers" and commit itself to this proposed change in the pension system.

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CURRENT STATE NEWS.

The Battle Creek street cars are being fitted with electric lights.

The State millers at Lansing talked about forming an ironclad trust to maintain prices.

Detroit is considering a proposition to enlarge its city and county buildings at a cost of \$350,000.

Levies will have an electric light plant, provided enough people will use it in their stores and residences.

N. Y. Vincent, a wealthy lumberman of Big Rapids, was killed Sunday afternoon by the accidental discharge of a gun.

Sixteen graduates of the Michigan university are in the present congress, and the Michigan members live as graduates.

Okemaka people will ask congress to appropriate \$125,000 to improve the harbor at Port Huron, Lake and make it a harbor of refuge.

Mr. Pleasant's three newspapers are liable to lose their one-time subscribers. The three editors have been appointed judges at a baby show.

John Idakiss, the murderer of Wm. Hazan of Haganaville, Presque Isle county, commenced serving his thirty-year sentence at the state prison on Saturday.

The Jackson County Teachers' association will meet in Jackson Saturday, Feb. 13. It is probable also that the Teachers' Institute, the last of March, will be held in that city instead of Napoleon.

The creditors of the wrecked City National bank at Marshall, have been notified that the receiver will pay a dividend of 50 per cent, on the first day of February, making 70 per cent in seven months.

Detroit Free Press: M. A. McGurrin, Grand Rapids plumber who has been doing remodeling at Holland, made a hole in the cellar wall between a saloon and the hotel where he was boarding, and which caused the city to send him to the Kalumazoo Gazette.

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DEATHS IN LONDON STREETS.

London is full of fallen stragglers and broadways, and at them and in all the other streets the cabs and hansoms fly about in such a hot and apparently reckless way that it is almost certain that they are there for the only reason I did not read of a hundred thousand "runover" accidents every morning in the papers was that it would be cross a street, that they are as adept at it as an American lightning rod man is at dodging lightning.

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