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BISMARCK IS A LIAR

Caprivi Contradicts the Iron Chancellor.

A Startling Statement Made Yesterday in the German Reichstag.

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—In the Reichstag today Caprivi in the course of his remarks said:

"The house is doubtless aware of the public indignation excited by the avowal of Prince Bismarck that he had forged a dispatch from Ems in 1870 with the view of precipitating war between France and Germany. In order that the house and country might judge of the accuracy of the statement, the foreign office has furnished to me from the archives a telegram from Privy Councillor Abeken to Prince Bismarck, dated July 13, 1870, stating that his majesty, King William, complained of the obtrusive behavior of the French ambassador on the promenade, and also a letter of his majesty ordering Privy Councillor Abeken to telegraph to the Baron de Werther that his majesty was indignant at the imputations of the Duc de Gramont and of the French ambassador, Benedetti, in regard to his (the king's) conduct, and that his majesty reserved to himself the right to take further steps.

"These facts," added the chancellor, "prove that his majesty, the late king and emperor, was not the old weakling that Prince Bismarck has been lately suggesting, and also prove that Germany, in 1870, did its utmost in the direction of conciliation."

This statement of the chancellor caused a sensation in the reichstag, being the first open and official answer on the part of the government to Prince Bismarck's charges. It is believed that Prince Bismarck will accept the challenge, and take his seat in the reichstag to answer Caprivi.

WILLIAM HAS A CHILL.

The German Emperor Compelled to Abandon His Hunt.

BERLIN, Nov. 23.—Emperor William is suffering from a chill. He has been compelled to abandon his hunting excursion to Neugattersleben, and has returned to Potsdam, where he is resting.

STOLE $50,000.

Armour's Confidential Clerk Has Shipped to Canada.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—C. Sinclair, cashier and confidential bookkeeper of the Armour Packing company, has been missing since last week. The exact amount of money that is also missing from his employers' bank account will not be less than $50,000, and may reach $85,000. Sinclair, who is 28 years old, has a wife and two children. It is thought he has gone to Canada. It is believed Sinclair spent his money in speculations.

NEW OFFICER

A Liquor Inspector to be Provided for the Legislature.

DETROIT, Nov. 23.—One of the bills to be introduced early in the session will be one creating the office of state liquor inspector. The United States revenue laws provide for the inspection of liquor in bond with reference to determining its purity, but there are no provisions for its inspection after it leaves the rectifiers. Most of the adulteration of liquor is done after it reaches saloons. The duties of the proposed new inspector will be to look after saloon keepers and retailers generally who adulterate liquor.

CALLED PINGREE DOWN.

The Stockbridge People Give His Honor a Pointer.

DETROIT, Nov. 23.—The Pingree faction is active in furthering the interests of ex-Governor Luce in his race for the United States senatorship. This fact is well known to the Stockbridge lieutenants, and there is considerable feeling in consequence.

It is understood that the mayor stoutly asserts his neutrality in the contest, but Stockbridge's friends declare that a man cannot sustain a neutral position if he allows his boom friends to openly enter the place ranks and loudly boom his candidacy.

"We have served notice on Mr. Pingree," said a Stockbridge man today, "that if he does not call off his friends his gubernatorial aspirations, if he has any left, will be strangled when they bob up again. Yes, we know that Senator Palmer's friends are also against us, but let me tell you that we have the game coaped; that is if the legislators-elect are white men, and I believe they are."

It is an open secret that many a legislator owes his election to the sinews of war put up by Senator Stockbridge.

Masonic Thanks

Valley City lodge, No 86, F & A. M., following the usual custom will distribute baskets of provisions to the needy members of the lodge or their widows and orphans, and will send a handsome donation of fruit, etc., to the Masonic Home.

A World of Change.

Philosophers say this is a world of change. Nevertheless, many Grand Rapids people don't have as much change as they need. Those who find themselves short will do well to call at the Star Clothing House and look over that red and olive mixed underwear which they are selling for 75c. It is a fine article and really worth $1.25.

HE'S A BRUTE.

John L. Sullivan is Going to the Dogs as Fast as He Can.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—It comes from the best of authority in New York that John L. has been on the rampage again. He is playing a drinking part by day, snatches an hour's sleep and is hustled off to the theater at night to act. He weighs 260 pounds and continues to take on flesh. If John continues to grow he will be as large as the champion of old, Izzey Lazarus, who, from a welterweight, developed into an elephantine 300 pounder.

CRITCHLOW ACQUITTED

Strikers Win the First Homestead Case.

The Charges of Murder and Riot Could Not be Maintained.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 23.—The closing day of the Critchlow murder case was given over entirely to addresses by Thomas M. Marshall for the defense, District Attorney Clarence Burleigh for the commonwealth and the court's charge to the jury.

Mr. Marshall's arguments were delivered in a forcible and sarcastic manner, characteristic of the man. He scored severely the Pinkerton detectives, the Carnegies, Frick and manufacturers of Pennsylvania in general, ridiculing the efforts of the prosecuting attorneys and Critchlow, and the witnesses for the commonwealth. He wound up with a touching picture of Critchlow's family.

District Attorney Burleigh's speech was a masterly effort. He endeavored to break down the alibi defense.

In opening his charge to the jury Judge Kenney recited the principal points of the testimony as presented by both defense and commonwealth and said that although the defendant, Sylvester Critchlow, may have been present in the mill yard only at the opening of the riot, he might be just as guilty as those there all day, as the Carnegie company had a right to protect its property and use armed workmen if necessary. Regarding the attempts of the defense to establish an alibi, he said that if testimony given was strong enough to substantiate an alibi beyond reasonable doubt then the testimony of the commonwealth should be overthrown, but it should be well considered. In concluding his charge he said that if it was proved beyond reasonable doubt that Sylvester Critchlow the defendant there showed an intention to participate in the riot and killing of the men on the barges. He should be found guilty of murder in the first degree. If there is reasonable doubt, the defendant should be given the benefit of it. If it was proved to be no intentional killing of any one man on the barge but that F. J. Connors was killed in the heat of the contest then a verdict of murder in the second degree should be rendered. If there was no malice and Connors was killed during the heat of contest the verdict should be voluntary manslaughter.

Judge Kenney closed his charge and the jury retired at 3:55 o'clock. Critchlow was remanded to jail and all the spectators left the court room except the wife of the defendant, who was overcome with grief. At 5:10 o'clock the jury came into the court room and announced they had agreed upon a verdict of not guilty.

The decision of the jury was not generally surprising, as such a verdict had been looked for by the majority of people who have followed the case.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Kansas Will Extend it to City and County Offices.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 23.—One important result of the recent election in Kansas which has escaped general attention, will be the extension of woman suffrage. Kansas women can now vote for municipal and county officers. The platforms of both the Republican and Populist party pledged the extension of woman suffrage to all state officials and there is no doubt that this will be accomplished at the coming session of the legislature.

NEW QUARTERS.

The K. of L. Will Remove from Philadelphia to Some Other City.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—The general assembly of the Knights of Labor has decided to remove its headquarters from Philadelphia.

After lengthy discussion the general executive board was authorized to sell the present headquarters and purchase a new headquarters in either Niagara Falls, N. Y., Columbus or Baltimore, Md. If the board cannot decide upon any suitable property in either of these cities a report of the fact shall be made to the next general assembly, together with a suggestion as to some other suitable place.

After considerable discussion the general executive board was ordered to choose between Chicago, Boston and New Orleans as the place for holding the next assembly.

Other important action was the passage of a resolution calling upon all subordinate branches of the order to use every means in their power to increase the demand for yellow labeled K. of L. shoes and denouncing "fake" imitations of such.

Turkish Clothing.

The resident of the Holy Ottoman empire attires himself in flowing red breeches and a velvet coat. Grand Rapids men all wear those fine all-wool striped Scotch cassimere suits that the Star Clothing House is offering for $10. The goods are well worth $15.

CAN NEVER GET WELL

Blaine's Health is Hopelessly Shattered.

His Physicians are Still in Daily Attendance Upon Him.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—A Washington special to the Herald says Mr. Blaine is still a very sick man. His physicians are in daily attendance and general alarm is felt among his many friends in Washington regarding his slow recuperation. The doctors are non-committal when questioned, and are making no predictions.

"Mr. Blaine may be better today or tomorrow," was remarked to a Herald correspondent yesterday by a person thoroughly familiar with the sick room, "but what his condition will be a week from today or two weeks from today cannot be predicted. Mr. Blaine's health seems to have been permanently shattered. His decline began two or three years ago, and ever since the current of his physical life has been marked by surges of an illness of varying character. Sometimes his throat troubles him. At another time cold, to which he was subject, settles in some other portion of his body.

"The present illness is, perhaps, more serious than he has had for some time. It is caused by disturbed digestion, which is a bane in Mr. Blaine's condition, must cause a severe shock to his already enfeebled system."

That Mr. Blaine will never recover his normal health is a fact that everybody in Washington is beginning to appreciate. Even with the great care he receives, the least painful influence, either of a physical or mental nature, causes a relapse. Every relapse leaves him less and less able to recover.

UNPATRIOTIC VANDALS.

Old Soldiers' Tombstones Broken to Pieces in an Indiana Cemetery.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 23.—The cemetery north of Gilmesville was discovered yesterday morning to have been desecrated. The tombstones over every soldier's grave in the cemetery had been broken to pieces by means of an axe. The veterans in the Soldier's Home have raised a fund to bring the vandals to justice. A number of suspected persons will probably be arrested.

MILLIONS OF WHEAT.

Crop of Minnesota and the Dakotas Greatly Underestimated

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 23.—The discovery has just been made that the wheat crop of Minnesota and the Dakotas is many million bushels above all estimates. The receipts yesterday at Minneapolis were over 1,100 cars, the heaviest day's business of the season, but on many other days during the past month receipts have run up to nearly 1,000 cars.

Grain men are all at sea regarding what they are to expect. They have been estimating the crop at from 85,000,000 to 105,000,000 bushels from the three big wheat states, but they are all beginning to hedge now, and estimates run as high as 130 000,000 or more.

NATIONAL FINANCES.

Foster Does Not Think a New Issue of Bonds Probable.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The Herald publishes an interview from Washington this morning with Secretary of the Treasury Foster, on the government finances. "The reports about the depleted condition of the treasury have been grossly exaggerated," said the secretary.

"What do you think of the proposition for a $1,000,000 loan?" was asked.

"I don't think I care to discuss that proposition," replied Mr. Foster. "I do not know what the Democrats may do. If I am willing to venture the opinion, however, that there will be no issue of new bonds. If, however, the bonds should be issued and if they should be such as the banks could use as security for currency and they were permitted to issue currency up to the full face value of the bonds, and if in addition the tax on national bank circulation were to be reduced from 1 per cent to ½ of 1 per cent, it is my opinion that the bonds could be easily floated at 2 per cent. interest.

"How do you regard the proposition to remove the 10 per cent. tax on the circulation of state banks?"

"I do not regard it with favor. Mr. Cleveland is quite sound on the financial question and likely to be a restraining influence with his party in any action in this direction the latter may take."

"What are the prospects for free silver coinage?"

"The prospects of the free silver men are not, in my opinion, bright."

Current News Condensed.

Democrats and Populists will have a majority of five over the Republicans in the vote for senator in the Wyoming legislature.

The proposition for a constitutional convention in Kansas was defeated by 1,284 votes. This is a disappointment to the liquor interests, who hoped to have the prohibition law repealed.

Government officials in Chili say there is not the slightest fear of further troubles in that Republic. A report is current that an entire club of Balmacedists in Santiago have been placed under arrest.

Mrs. Lease says the office should seek the woman as well as the man, therefore she will make no fight for the Kansas senatorship, unless she is attacked on account of her sex. Her candidacy has received much encouragement from men, but she is disappointed that no woman has sent her a word.

THEIR WAGES CUT.

The Men at Homestead Have a Disagreeable Surprise.

BEAVER FALLS, Nov. 23.—Many of those who have regained their old positions at the Carnegie mills here are feeling much depressed over the notification given that their wages would be reduced. Roller men who formerly received $2 25 per day, must now work for $1 88. The wages of the others are cut in proportion. The assistant boss roller on one of the turns refused to go to work yesterday. His wages before the strike were $9 per day, but yesterday he was notified that they would be reduced to $4. The reduction has created considerable excitement, but appearances do not indicate that will further complicate the situation.

I. M. WESTON WAS ONE

Did President-elect Cleveland Allude to Him?

Politicians Greatly Cut Up Over the Rebuke to Office Seekers.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The politicians are dumbfounded at the rebuke President Cleveland has given them. They are asking each other who Mr. Cleveland meant to rebuke when he issued a statement before he left town last night to the effect that there was no reason or decency in the way office-seekers had encroached upon his time.

The roll of callers upon him just before he uttered the rebuke included many prominent in the councils of the party, but they, it is thought, were not meant. It included also many of the smaller fry, of whom I. M. Weston of Grand Rapids, Mich., was one.

It is agreed, however, that Mr. Cleveland fired the shot at the "stand and deliver representatives from Illinois, who have been making life miserable for him during the past few days. The talk among the politicians is not complimentary to the Chicago constituent. Carter Harrison, they say, was the particular man Mr. Cleveland intended to rebuke. Mr. Harrison, according to reports from Chicago, claimed all the credit of the victory in Illinois, and came on to tell Mr. Cleveland just why he should have all the say when the federal plums were distributed in Illinois.

Mr. Cleveland had seen Mr. Cable before the ex-mayor made his appearance, and he had confided to the president-elect how Harrison had told him a fortnight before the election that he would "give another cent to chase rainbows into Lake Michigan." Mr. Cleveland was furious at this and stormed about, it is said, until he woke baby Ruth, who was enjoying her afternoon nap. Judge Tree and Editor Walsh also had something to say about the result in Illinois and how it was achieved.

Mr. Cleveland, the politicians say, heard so much about the factional strife in Illinois that he almost wished he hadn't carried Illinois.

Altogether Mr. Cleveland's rebuke to Democrats has created a big stir.

THE ANNEXATION QUESTION.

The Canucks Want to Get in Out of the Cold.

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 23.—The increasing in the question of political union with the United States is shown by the prominent place it is assuming in public discussion.

La Patrie, an influential Liberal journal, comes out boldly in advocacy of annexation. It answers the numerous objections that are raised to the proposals and concludes:

"Those who condemn political union and desire to perpetuate the power of England on the American continent are always more or less interested. Some are seeking government patronage, others are afraid of making enemies among the powerful if they espouse the popular cause. But the current is too strong to resist much longer. Sophistry and sentimental appetites will not always triumph over reason and the material interest of the country."

The Echo, which was recently banned by the Catholic authorities for attacking the clergy, has also joined the ranks of the political unionists and declares that annexation would be a God-send to the province of Quebec.

The question is also becoming a live one for debate in the political clubs. The Club Lasselle, composed of Liberals, and the Conservative club will discuss it at their next meeting, on the 28th of this month.

A monster meeting is soon to be held in Sohmer park. A discussion will take place on the question whether annexation, independence or imperial federation would be best for Canada. Elgin Myers, Q. C., of Toronto, who was dismissed from office by the Mowat government on account of his annexation views, will advocate political union. At the conclusion of the discussion a vote will be taken.

MRS. HEMBLING WINS.

She Secures a Verdict Against the City for $1,500.

The Superior court jury in the case brought by Ella R. Hembling against the city to recover damages for personal injuries sustained by falling on a defective sidewalk, returned a verdict yesterday of $1,500 for the plaintiff. The case is an old one which has been bitterly contested from the start and at a former trial the jury were unable to agree.

Ice Four Inches Thick.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 23.—Advices from Ashland state that ice four inches thick has formed on part of the bay. The Alcona, Alba, Spencer and Pennington, now there, will be shut in for the winter.

What Shall We Do With Our Boys?

Why, take them up to the Star Clothing House and buy them one of those plaid ulsters for $3 98, of course. They are a fine article, and well worth $6.00.

FOUR TOWNS COUNTED

Richardson Gains Half a Dozen Votes.

The Recount Committee Disposes of Tyrone, Solon, Nelson, Spencer.

The committee appointed to recount the ballots for congressman got down to work yesterday morning, and the progress of the work was watched by an interested crowd of spectators throughout the day. Mr. Richardson was present, accompanied by Alderman Turner as counsel, while Mr. Belknap was represented by Dwight Goss. L E Carroll and Frank Hine, were also there looking out for the interests of the Democrats, and Moses Taggart and Jimmy Coye did the same for the Republicans.

Chairman Benjamin took the ballots from the boxes, glanced at them, announced the vote as he saw it, then passed them to Mr. Launiere who examined them and turned them over to Mr. Emmons, who placed them on the table before him. If there was no objection to the announcement of the vote as made by the chairman it was so tallied by a clerk.

There was considerable wrangling at first, and it was quite excusable as ballots were frequently found marked in such a way as to leave little indication of the voter's intention. When a doubtful ballot was found each party would endeavor to show that the voter intended to vote for their candidate. When the intention was plain, but the law had not been observed then the party that would be benefited by the voter's desire would lay great stress on "intention" while the other would contend for a strict observance of the law. A few minutes later, perhaps, the basis of the arguments would be reversed and the men who had been reading the law would be dilating upon the importance of determining the intent of the voter.

The Republicans have a majority of the committee and in nearly all cases of doubt as to how the ticket should be counted the decision was in favor of Belknap.

Chairman Benjamin, however, sustained Mr. Launiere in one instance at least, and the vote was counted for Mr. Richardson against Mr. Emmons' protest. On the whole the decisions were quite fair, though several ballots were counted after being challenged or protested by counsel, on account of their marks upon them which identified them or made them distinguishable from all other ballots in the box.

The recount began with the township of Tyrone in the northwest corner of the county and when the committee adjourned last evening the northern tier of towns had not yet been reached. Nelson and Spencer—had been counted.

The recount of Tyrone gave Mr. Richardson three more votes than were shown by the returns, with no change in Mr. Belknap's total.

In the Solon box Mr. Belknap gained one vote.

In the Nelson count Mr Richardson gained three votes and Mr Belknap lost one, leaving a net gain of four for Richardson.

The Spencer returns were verified by the recount, leaving Mr. Richardson a net gain of six votes as the result of the day's work, or one more than enough to overcome Mr. Belknap's plurality of five as fixed by the last report from the recount at Ionia.

'TWAS NOT A STAG PARTY.

How South End Ladies Cultivated the Curiosity of Their Husbands.

A number of South End ladies gave an entertainment in Simmons' hall Monday night and no gentlemen were admitted. There was considerable speculation among the husbands as to what kind of an entertainment it was. They coaxed their wives to tell them all about it, but to no avail as all then information they would give was to the effect that the costumes were abbreviated.

Finally one of the husbands hit upon an idea. He put it into execution last evening by rushing into his house and pretending to be in a much perturbed frame of mind, told his wife that a Morning Press reporter had been at the entertainment disguised as a girl, and that he was going to write it all up. He begged of her for the sake of their children to tell him and if there was anything like a sensation attached to it he would try and "square" it with the paper. The wife fell into the trap and told the whole thing away. She described the costumes, some of which were "out of sight," and gave minute details as to how horrid Mrs. "So-and-So" acted in the part assigned to her. How, when she made believe to commit suicide the horrid shot gun went off so suddenly and loud that she went into hysterics and spoiled the whole play.

The gentlemen declare that they are not overburdened with curiosity, but when their Sunday pantaloons turn up missing, their overcoats covered with powder and their shirts flecked with face paint, they want to know the "whuness o'the why," that's all.

A Horseman Dead.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 23.—W. J. Gordon, the millionaire owner of Gilingstone, Guy and other fine horses, died at his residence in Glenville at 8:35 this evening. He was born at Monmouth, N. J., Sept. 20, 1818, and was 70 years old. A son only survives him.

Look Out for the Comet.

It may be true that the comet will burn up the world, but we are going to have lots of cold weather before that time. Sensible people will go to the Star Clothing House and buy one of those fine all wool kersey overcoats, half lined in silk and half lined in cassimere that they are selling for $15. Other stores charge $20 for the same article.

BADLY SCALDED.

The Painful Accident Which Happened to Harry Van Upstal.

Harry Van Upstal of 351 Logan street and employed at the Valley City Rattan works, was severely scalded Tuesday while pouring boiling water into a sizing vat of hot glue. In some way his feet slipped and he only avoided plunging in head first by plunging his arms into the vat in the manner of a professional diver.

His arms and hands were horribly burned, but it is thought he will recover in time.

He is married and has several children.

CARNEGIE A TRAITOR

He Defeated the Republicans for Revenge.

Disgusted Because McKinley Would Not Truckle to Him.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Representative Grosvenor of Ohio declares that Andrew Carnegie purposely precipitated the Homestead strike out of revenge on the Republican party. Mr. Grosvenor is one of the old time congressional leaders from Ohio and a close associate of McKinley.

The McKinley act cut down the tariff on steel billets, steel rails and other products of the works, so that Mr. Carnegie, he says, left Washington after the act passed very much disgruntled. General Grosvenor points out the fact that Carnegie buried himself in the Scotch highland and from that point issued literary egotisms of a decided Democratic, free trade tendency.

Grosvenor thinks it is most significant that the Homestead trouble was brought to a crisis at a time when Carnegie well knew that workingmen were beginning to form a judgment on the national election. He thinks any intelligent American jury could be convinced that there was a political purpose in Mr. Carnegie's course, and that its main factor was to "get even" with the Republican party for cutting down the duty on Mr. Carnegie's steel products.

Grosvenor adds fire to his statement by characterizing Carnegie as the greatest coward and sneak of the day.

MAY GO TO PRISON.

The Directors of the Panama Canal to be Prosecuted.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The correspondent of the Daily News at Paris notes the fact that the trial of the Panama canal directors will be conducted under articles of the common law. Therefore, he says, the theory of the prosecution is that the Panama canal project has been a swindle from the beginning and the directors are liable, if convicted, to imprisonment and to deprivation of their civil rights.

The family of Baron De Reinach, who committed suicide on Monday, fearing that his estate, if not specially liquidated, may figure in court as an asset of the Panama Canal company, have applied for the immediate appointment of a liquidator.

The Chronicle's Paris correspondent says the government has ordered that all of Baron De Reinach's papers be sealed.

When in Detroit stop at Hotel Normandie.

Order your wood of E. A. Hamilton.

NOT HUSBAND AND WIFE

The Killed at Godfrey Avenue Identified.

They Were George Carr and Mrs. Miner, His Wife's Twin Sister.

The victims of the accident Tuesday night at Godfrey avenue were identified yesterday morning, the man as George Carr, an expressman, and the woman as the daughter of J. W. Rose, now serving time at the county jail for selling liquor at Grandville without paying the special United States tax. The woman was first identified as Carr's wife, whom he married about five years ago, but owing to his dissolute life it was said they had not lived together for some time. It seems however, that the woman was not Carr's wife, but a twin sister to Mrs. Carr and the wife of Frank Miner. This announcement was made by the real Mrs. Carr, who walked into the undertaking rooms shortly after the dead woman had been identified as Carr's wife.

From the statement made by Mrs. Carr it appears that her sister Mrs. Miner lived with her husband Frank Miner on the Brigg's place north of the D., G. H. & M. depot. Carr and Mrs. Miner were in the habit of going out together and drinking beer. She said they went out Tuesday afternoon and had a high old time.

They were seen at Grandville Tuesday, and the horse which they were driving at the time of the accident belonged to Mrs. Miner's husband.

Mrs. Dutton a former wife of Carr, and her daughter also identified the body of the man as that of George Carr.

J. B. Johnson, Police court officer, also identified the man as George Carr, who was at one time an industrious and prosperous stone mason. He indulged in a free use of liquor and soon fell to the level of a common drunkard. He was a frequent visitor at Police court, and only a short time ago was committed for 15 days for being drunk.

Engineer Howard denies the statement that he saw the horse and carriage before the engine struck them. He says he did not know there was anything on the crossing until he saw the horse as it was thrown from the track by the pilot.

Coroner Bradish summoned a jury after the bodies were identified and will hold an inquest at his office tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

WAS NOT SOLD.

The Fuel Gas Company to Be Reorganized and the Plant Enlarged.

The sale of the Michigan Fuel company's plant which was advertised to take place yesterday did not materialize and from present indications well never be made.

Charles E. Kelley one of the stockholders said last night: "You can say that the Michigan Fuel company will not drop out of business as many supposed. An arrangement has been made whereby the plant is to be enlarged on a large scale. Prominent capitalists have signified their willingness to invest and within a short time the plant will be in full operation and ready to supply fuel for a number of the factories."

Mr. Kelly when asked for the names of the capitalists said: "I am not at liberty to give their names at present but as soon as the arrangements are completed I shall be very happy to furnish you with all the details."

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WHAT NOW?

Election is over; that is no news, but it gives rise to many important considerations. What are the victors going to do?

The issues between the two great parties were deliberately made up and sharply defined. McKinleyism and the force bill were chiefly on trial. Both were defeated. The latter will surely be heard of no more. The people have determined that they are capable of conducting elections without the aid or coercion of centralized power, bayonets, armed bummers or other anti-democratic appliances. The people have issued their almost omnipotent decree and it must be regarded. It is in the nature of a negation. The repeal of some offensive laws only is required; positive legislation is not needed. Republicans should consider it a mercy to have that issued buried so deep that no resurrection can reach it. It may possibly be forgiven but never forgotten by those who occupy the watchtowers of American liberty. Let free men freely vote and all will be well.

McKinleyism has passed from the jurisdiction of monopolies and trusts and, in the tribunal of last resort, a judgment of reversal has been recorded. The people have spoken and their voice, echoing all along the line, must be regarded. The hoary infancy of ancient industries has been moulded to seek nutriment elsewhere than at the national breast. Toil has become vexed at the constant drain of its exercises in the shape of taxation, for the benefit of those who neither toil nor spin. The cry of "equal opportunities" is no longer accepted as an equivalent of equal rights. Thoughtful toilers, wiping the sweat from their brows, have concluded to repudiate these self-constituted proxies who have loaded themselves with wealth while asking protection for workmen who are not protected at all. They see the reason why wealth has enormously accumulated in the hands of a few, while those who have produced it are languishing with the symptoms of decay.

So now it has come to this. The dominant party in whose hands government offices will soon be placed by a decree which the despotism of wealth and the chicanery of partisans must respect, must act and act vigorously. The issues upon which the battle was fought were and are live issues.

The people have selected their agents to do the work they have indicated and they will be satisfied with no shirking. Without ruthlessly despoiling any legitimate interests, the coffers of the nation should be filled more equitably than for a long time hitherto. Recognizing the great principles that all are equal before the law, that no special privileges should be granted, no just rights denied, that the greatest good of the greatest number should be the object and outcome of a government "of the people, by the people and for the people," action should be prompt and thorough to be effective.

IMPROVE THE GRAND.

The improvement of Grand river is a matter of much more vital importance to the future of the city than most people realize. There is scarcely a city of any magnitude in this country, or in the world, which has not some kind of water transportation, and there is almost invariably a direct ratio between the size and importance of its waterways and the commercial prosperity and greatness of the city. The dredging of a deep channel to the lake would give Grand Rapids not only a pleasant and direct passenger route to Chicago, and cheap rates on heavy freight, but would open up a large and profitable coastwise trade to her wholesale and jobbing houses; would make it possible to build up a considerable iron manufacturing business by giving easy and cheap access to the Upper Peninsula ore fields; would make the city headquarters for important shipping interests, with the possible establishment of ship yards employing hundreds of men; would give importers direct connection with the Old World; and would open up avenues not now thought of for expanding her present industries and building up new ones. And all this could be done without in the least injuring established lines of transportation. The Pittsburg Dispatch which in view of what water transportation has done for that city, is urging still further improvements of the Ohio and the construction of a canal to Lake Erie, asserts that the Pennsylvania Railroad company actually gained traffic by the establishment of permanent competition in transportation at that point. It fought tooth and nail against an enlargement of facilities, in the belief that its trade would be divided; but the result of competition has been a growth of business greater than the growth of means for doing it.

With all these acknowledged benefits to be gained it is a matter of regret that the city does not take hold of its with more vigor. The council committee appointed to consider the purchase of a dredge, following the rule of the present board of aldermen to neglect everything that has not a junket, a feast or a theater ticket in it for its members, has laid the resolution away in a dust covered pigeonhole to be forgotten. The board of trade, which seems to have a lively appreciation of what would be done, is slow to act and much precious time is being lost.

It is idle to hope for aid from a congress which faces an empty treasury and a probable deficit. The first thing to be done is to organize a navigation company with a cash capital of from $50,000 to $100,000, and the adoption of a definite plan of procedure. The city can then be asked to bond itself for any reasonable sum, and Grand Haven and other places to be benefited can also contribute. This having been done and a beginning effected, there would be little difficulty in obtaining a suitable appropriation from the general government.

ATTORNEY GENERAL ELLIS was the one Democratic candidate picked out by The Herald for special attack. He was also the only one to be elected. The Herald is to be congratulated upon its political acumen and influence.

PER-ONALITIES.

Young James Garfield is said to much resemble his father, the dead president, and in manners, voice, and methods reminds his friends of the paternal liveness.

McKeighan of Nebraska, the only Populist outside of Kansas elected to congress, is distinguished as the homeliest man in the Fifty-second congress. He is so homely that he hypnotized the voters on the stump and was elected, to the surprise of everybody.

All the places in Hannibal, Mo., made familiar to the reader of Mark Twain's Tom Sawyer—the cove especially—are pointed out to visitors as objects of interest. In Monroe county, where Mr. Clemens passed his boyhood, there are many old people who remember the author well, and it appears from their testimony that he was not a very promising boy. One of the old residents, Roger McGregor, who is 90, said the other day: "I knew Sammy Clemens mighty well. We didn't call him Mark in those days, but we did call him 'Lazy Bones,' for a lazier, good-for-nothing boy I never see. I've licked him many a time when he'd not do things his aunt, Nancy Clemens, told him to do."

IMPORTANT INFORMATION.

Gilbert Sullivan and Carte, as composers and managers, divided $1,350,000 in 15 years, profits of their joint labors.

Herculite, the new French explosive, is so powerful that half a pound of it, in a recent test, displaced a stone weighing 30 tons.

The postmaster general of Norway has ordered that after Jan. 1, 1893, the bicycle shall be used by all country postmen for the delivery of mails where the roads will permit.

The sultan has 300 wives, the king of Dahomey 250, the shah of Persia 400, the king of Siam 600, the king of Ashantee 3,000 and the emperor of Morocco about 6,000. Some men have queer notions as to what constitutes a quiet life.

JOKELETS.

"It's been puzzling my brain," inadvertently remarked Snodgrass. "What has?" asked Snively. "Whether a man with a glass eye ever has a pane in it."—Jewelers' Circular.

Exultant Democrat (on a tour of inspection in his poultry yard)—Old fellow, do you know what I'm going to do with you next Thursday? Dignified but Melancholy Turkey—Gobble! Gobble! Exultant Democrat—That's right!

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Original, Widows, etc.—Mary E Doyle, Martha E. Carey, Elizabeth Carpenter, Harriet L. Kennedy, Mary J. Jones, Almira Sanders, Mary Underhill, James Carley (father), minor of Edward Hoff, Nancy J. Rutherford, minors of John A. Poorman, minors of Samuel J. Carter.

Additional—Andrew J. Pugh, Lewis W. Bean, James M. Walton.

Increase—Peter Fahlig.

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A Beautiful Place.

Alderman Turner, speaking of the greenhouse at John Ball park, said to a reporter yesterday: "All the plants which adorned the hills and valleys of the park last summer are now housed and in prime condition. Some of the finest chrysanthemums ever seen in the city are to be found in the center of the greenhouse. No greenhouse in the city can compare with the one kept by the city in the park."

Marriage Licenses.

Number.		Age
6055—	Edward L. Morgan, Wheatland, Macomba county; Henrietta L. Johnson, city	23—20
6056—	Frank Schnader, Mary Miller, both city	22—19
6057—	Hugh Mackenzie, Manistee; Ella L. S. Cagswell, city	32—31
6058—	Hon. C. Reedman, Lowell; Mary S. Sparks, city	50—48
6059—	Fred L. Houton, Jessie Tolsma, both city	21—19
6060—	Charles Y. Gents jr, city; Emma Eslinger, Hopkins	22—84
6061—	Arthur B. Williams, Jenny Wetzell, both city	12—21
6062—	Henry G. Bloom, Emma C. A. Rosell, both city	32—24
6063—	Adrian Heyboer jr, Nellie DeGraf, both city	18—17
6064—	Clifford L. Clinton, city; Addie R. Williams, Allendale	20—18
6065—	Adelbert A. Sander, Lucille E. Fallon, both city	24—19
6066—	Harvey Hulst, Sparta; Helen Barrett, Rent City	30—27
6067—	William H. Rector, Algoma; Fanny L. Coombs, Courtland	30—17
6068—	Charles T. Johnson, Anna Hauser, both city	36—18
6069—	Alonzo Wood, Gaines; Edite M. Hilliard, Wayland, Allegan county	34—27
6070—	Fred L. Brown, Wyoming; Georgia Whittinour, Ottawa county	22—21
6071—	William Van Dommelen, Jennie De Young, both city	22—19
6072—	James M. Meyers, Addie Kinsey, both Caledonia	18—21
6073—	George N. Hofmaster, Josie Carlon, both city	27—27
6074—	Sharon Sargeant, Nora Croninger, both Cascade	28—19
6075—	John H. Giles, city; Mary J. Lang, Coopersville	28—24
6076—	Remington Beard, Etta Burg's, both Wyoming	41—36
6077—	Edward R. Audrain, Nettie Donnelly, both city	22—19

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CLEVELAND DISGUSTED.

Over Anxious Applicants for Office Injure Their Own Chances.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—President-elect Cleveland left town today in search of a much needed rest. In speaking of the numerous applications which are his daily lot at home, he said:

"Many of the callers whom I have been obliged to receive would not, I think, have encroached upon my time if they had given the matter a moment's reflection. Those who have called upon me to talk about offices, it seems to me, have been a little inconsiderate and certainly premature. I desire to give as much publicity as possible to the statement that I do not propose to consider applications for office prior to my inauguration and I shall avoid all interviews on that subject.

"Those who under any pretense gain an opportunity to present their applications orally, and those who burden me at this time with written applications, cannot possibly do anything which would so interfere with their chances of success.

"Written applications will be so little regarded that I doubt if they ever see the file in Washington, for there is no reason or decency in my being overwhelmed with such matters at this time."

Upon being asked how long he expected to be away on his vacation, Mr. Cleveland replied:

"As to that I am not certain; it will depend upon various conditions. I expect to flower, to be absent about two weeks and when I return, unless I am somewhat relieved from the unnecessary demands upon my time to which I have been subjected here thus far, I shall shut up my house in the city and find some more quiet place to spend the winter."

History of an African Boat.

A little vessel having a remarkable history has plied for years on Lake Tanganyika. Her story illustrates the progress in that region from slavery toward civilization. The boat, known as the Calabash, was originally a huge tree trunk, cut down by the axes of the natives with enormous labor, and then with ax and adz and fire molded into shape. Boats like the Calabash are excellent sea vessels, though in their lines they suggest rather a clumsy hippopotamus than a swan.

On one of her voyages, after she had served as a trading canoe for two years, she entered the port of Ujiji, where she was bought by an Mswahili slave trader. For three years she plied back and forth across the lake, bringing cargoes of wretched men, women and children to the Ujiji slave market. One day a load of slaves had just been landed on the shore when Mr. Hore, who had recently come to Ujiji as an agent of the London Missionary society, saw the little craft and decided that she was just about what he needed for exploratory voyages around the lake.

He succeeded in purchasing her, and the little boat was once more launched upon Tanganyika as the first missionary vessel on the lake. Consecrated to the cause of peace she became known in time to every tribe as the harbinger of good will.—Chicago Post.

Paving with Rubber Blocks.

Some new ideas have lately attracted attention in the matter of pavements. Among these is the paving of a bridge by a German engineer with india rubber, the result having been so satisfactory as to induce its application on a much larger scale, a point in its favor being that it is more durable than asphalt and not slippery.

In London a section of roadway under the gate leading to the departure platform of the St. Pancras terminus has for some time past been paved with this material, with the effect of deadening the sound made when being passed over on wheels, besides the comfortable elasticity afforded to foot passengers.—New York Sun.

Value of the Shilling in 1600.

We know that in Shakespeare's day, say A. D. 1600, sixpence a day was a fortune for any workingman, say the equivalent of ten pounds per annum. A century earlier, before the access to America was open to English explorers, one of the Ardens of Warwickshire left an annuity of forty shillings per annum to a younger son, probably the poet's great-granduncle. Then if sixpence a day would now be the equivalent to twenty shillings a week, then forty shillings per annum would equate to £120 of present values.—Notes and Queries.

The Rainiest Day of the Moon.

A celebrated aeronaut asserts, after patient investigation, that the ninth day of the moon is the most rainy day of the whole twenty-eight, and 4 o'clock in the afternoon the rainiest hour of the day.—Chambers' Journal.

A. F. Parker, a street car conductor in Oakland, Cal., possesses two medals—one given by the queen and the other by the khedive of Egypt, for bravery on the battlefield. Mr. Parker took part in the march with Wolseley across the desert to Khartoom to relieve Gordon.

A measure of eagerness, and even of something very like impatience, is a pretty good characteristic of young people. Boys and girls, young men and maidens, ought to be wise, but not with old men's wisdom.

The only specimen of fossilized or petrified cave man ever found in the United States was that discovered by an exploring party at Craighead cave, near Monroe, Tenn., in 1889.

An electric incubator, in which the temperature of the egg drawer is automatically regulated to the fifteth of a degree Fahrenheit, has been exhibited in Liverpool.

There is a sign on the entrance to a London cemetery which reads, "No admittance except on business."

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WORK OF A DEVOTED WOMAN.

How Miss Mance Founded the Famous Hotel Dieu in 1641.

The following romantic story was told by Dr. W. H. Kingston, of Montreal, in addressing the international medical congress:

When Jacques Cartier returned to France after his discovery of Canada the news of his exploit traveled over France as quickly as was then possible.

A French girl, young and beautiful, became impressed with the thought that the newly found country should be the scene of her labors. She succeeded after a time in fitting out a small bark with money furnished by a Mme. Bullion, and with twelve sailors crossed the Atlantic in the spring of 1641.

The sea voyage to Quebec occupied three months. It can now be accomplished in one-fifteenth of that time. The journey from Quebec to Montreal by the St. Lawrence, which can now be performed in a night, then occupied eight days. Miss Mance's bark came to an anchor at a projecting point off the Island of Montreal, then called Hochelaga.

Hochelaga was at that time the chieftain of the warlike Hurons. They looked with amazement at the advent of palefaced men and one palefaced woman—for she was alone of her sex. They soon recovered from their surprise, however, and it was necessary for the colonists to throw up for their protection, as quickly as possible, wooden palisades on the land or rear approach; the big canoe, as the ship was styled, was a sufficiently imposing defense in front. If a colonist ventured beyond the palisades to gather fruit or berries, or to cut wood, he ran the risk of being pierced with arrows.

Half of the first colonists perished in this manner, and Miss Mance was obliged to return to France in 1649, bringing back with her other recruits, and again in 1658, leaving France with twenty male and female recruits, half of whom died on the voyage of a form of plague. In their attacks on this small force some of the red men were wounded in return, and when deserted by their comrades they were brought within the palisades to what they and their tribe considered certain death—according to their own custom in warfare.

They soon found the hospital to be a place of woman's tenderest solicitude. When the red man's wounds were healed a repast of dog's meat was prepared for him, and he was permitted to rejoin his tribe to tell what the palefaced maiden had done for him. It need not surprise us to be told that, in the presence of such devotion, the warlike Huron soon forgot his ferocity.

A few years later it was necessary for the small colony to move a few hundred yards inland. Word went throughout the Huron camp, and before the hour of departure the aborigines had strewn the ground with leaves and the branches of trees and with wild flowers, saying the earth was not fit to receive the tread of these women.

In this way our first hospital was established, and in this way the light of Christianity was brought to the Island of Montreal. Here is how the hospital has been instituted. Miss Mance had obtained from the French king a deed of gift in perpetuity of the small piece of land where she landed, which at that time was valueless. It became, however, in the course of years the center of the village of Montreal, and eventually the commercial city clustered around it.

A century and a third ago, when Canada passed from the rule of France to that of Great Britain, respect was paid by the conqueror to the rights originally conferred by the French king, and the hospital, which at first had but the aborigines for inmates, continued to receive within its walls, as colonization went on, persons of every succeeding nationality. For upward of 150 years after its foundation it alone afforded asylum to the sick and wounded of Montreal and westward.

How many from these shores when sick and disabled have there received maternal care! How many of your children, in that then faroff land, had the pillow of death smoothed for them there, and without fee or pecuniary reward! And the same continues to this day, for the property preserved to those religious ladies by a wise conqueror has, without municipal aid, or government patronage, but with economy, sufficed for the wants of the institution.—British Medical Journal.

Queen Victoria's Cows.

Not a gentleman farmer in England is fonder of taking prizes at county fairs than is Queen Victoria. Of late years this has been her majesty's chief source of pleasure, and the treasures the medals won by her brilliant cheese and the premiums carried off by her cattle above the gorgeous tributes of her eastern subjects or her German royal relations. When she is at Balmoral not a day passes that she does not personally inspect the home farm, as it is called, and now and then advise as to the butter and cheese making, in which she is especially interested. Her dairies are almost Dutch in their neatness and cleanliness, the box stalls being tiled in blue and white china, and the milking done by maids.

It is said that the prize winning model farms is sold in London, and that the thrifty monarch gains many an honest penny in this way. Well, if she does, what matter? It adds to the interest of farming no doubt to make it profitable, and she is to be congratulated upon her success. At Windsor a herd of American buffaloes is kept, and recently an attempt was made to cross them with some Scotch cattle.—Jenness Miller Monthly.

Feminine Bishops.

Feminine bishops are a possibility which Sir Wilfred Lawson, of conservative England, suggests—for why not, since there is no lifting to bedeck? "It is an intellectual, spiritual and theological affair, and surely women are as good in these things as men," he adds, and hopes to live to see the woman bishop consecrated, as she may do more good than the men.

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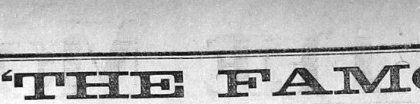

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MEDICAL TESTIMONY

Dr. Hodges Sworn in the Leonard Case.

Frank Recalled Again and Cross-Examined Until Adjournment.

The attendance at the trial of the Leonard case yesterday morning was not so large as the crowd the day before, several ladies however, were in attendance.

Court opened with Frank still on the stand, but he was requested to step aside and Dr. Fred Hodges of Andersonville, Ind., was placed on the stand as an expert witness. He testified to knowing Fred in 1876 when he was a bright, intelligent young man; saw him first after he had been stricken with paralysis in this city; noticed a marked difference in his appearance. Witness took a trip with Fred to Detroit, Buffalo, New York and Quebec in 1887 and on this trip he suffered another stroke. His affliction affected his memory and mental powers. Upon one occasion Fred wanted to bet $100 that the Providence base ball team would win the pennant Providence did not have a team in the field. At the same time he wanted to bet that Logan would be the next president. Logan was dead. On the eastern trip the witness went to see Dr. Hammond, but did not find him, and then went to Philadelphia, where Fred was taken to see Dr. DeCosta of the Columbia Medical college. Dr. De Costa made a careful examination. The defense objected to a statement of the doctor's findings and the question was withdrawn. Fred at that time, he said, was suffering from a constitutional disease of a private nature and this caused a rupture of some of the smaller blood vessels on the right side of the brain and this produced the paralysis. If the rupture was small and occurred in the middle area of the brain the effect upon his mind would be slight but if it ran from one side it would cause loss of memory and mental impairments. From the result the witness believed the rupture was first in the central area and that subsequently other ruptures occurred affecting his mind and memory.

On the Eastern trip witness accompanied Fred to various summer resorts. Fred often did things that seemed out of the way. One peculiarity was to ride around town in carriages all day without even looking out of the window at an expense of $8 or $10 a day and at the dinner table he would complain at the expense of 10 or 15 cents on the bill of fare. One day Fred came in with two tickets for Liverpool which he had purchased without mentioning the subject previously. The tickets were returned. They went to Stony Creek intending to stay a month but Fred insisted upon leaving in 10 days. They started for Boston, but before getting there Fred changed his mind and they returned. They started for home, but at Albany Fred wanted to stop to see a friend and left the train as the train pulled out, and witness followed him. Fred had no friend in Albany that witness could find. They took the train next day for home and reached home in safety. Fred wanted to go north and witness went with him and remained about two weeks in October. They then started for Hot Springs and reached there by way of Chicago, Cincinnati, Lexington, Louisville and Memphis and they remained at Hot Springs until the middle of December.

At Hot Springs Fred began to be secretive. He would take little excursions into the country without advising witness of his movements. His associates were chiefly men who had samples of ore and were trying to dispose of mineral lands and were trying to sell to Fred. Witness warned Fred against them and this displeased him and he wouldn't talk of the subject to witness. They returned home in December. Witness said Fred at first complained of headache and pains in the shins, and this was characteristic of the disease, until brain under the control of reason dies. The remedies were prescribed by Dr. DeCosta and relieved the pain, and he had very little pain, if any. At this time it was impossible to keep Fred clean, either in clothes or person. His habits at the table were filthy and he would frequently soil the bed at night. The private disease from which the paralysis sprung is curable, but the affliction of the brain is incurable although it may be improved. The blood clot can never be fully absorbed and the portion the brain destroyed cannot be reproduced. Witness believed Fred Leonard was and is incompetent to take care of himself or manage his property.

At this point the court announced that he would adjourn until 2 o'clock, at which hour he would take up the case and hear it until 4 o'clock and then adjourn so as to give the jurors who live out of the city a chance to reach home by the early evening trains.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Dr. Hodges Finishes His Testimony and Frank is Recalled.

The examination of Dr Hodges was resumed in the afternoon. On cross examination he testified to going with Fred to Petoskey, Louisville, Memphis, Hot Springs and several other places. He swore that he stayed at various hotels in the cities, and that Fred spent his time driving about the country. The witness swore that while at Hot Springs Fred associated with miners who had claims to sell and mining stock for sale. He knew the men had stock for sale only by hearsay. One of the men he said was George Case of Oskosh, Wis.

Witness thought the claims of the miners were not good ones and that the men were trying to beat Fred out of his money. Witness swore Fred had a lothesome disease. He also swore that he was somewhat acquainted with the disease; had lectured before college classes upon the subject. He was unable to give much information as to the workings of the disease and thought the text books treating the subject were behind the times and therefore not very reliable.

Witness said at one time he was called upon to give expert testimony in cases of sudden deaths. At that time he was employed in the coroner's office in Chicago and acquired much of his knowledge while in the office. He said the cause of Fred's attack of paralysis was due to a weakening of the brain and tissues which became weakened by the attack of disease.

Witness testified to overhearing a conversation between Fred Leonard and his cousin and from the talk he concluded that Fred was still incompetent from the fact that he overheard him say to his cousin:

"I have got the thing just where I want it. I shall spring the matter this afternoon and have the case thrown out of court."

This remark the witness said was sufficient to convince him that Fred was still an incompetent person. The witness said that in 1887 he considered Fred insane and urged his brothers to have a guardian appointed for him. He could not remember whether he was a witness to a power of attorney executed by Fred Leonard in 1887.

Hodges retired from the stand and Frank Leonard was recalled. He had known Mr. Hodges several years; did not know Hodges intended to testify as he did at the former trial; had no personal knowledge of Fred's condition. He denied circulating stories that his brother was suffering from the disease described by Hodges; also denied that such stories ever started in his family or were repeated by the members of his family; never heard that people criticised the treatment given Fred by his brothers: remembered that Dr. Luton ordered Fred moved from Sweet's hotel to the home of his brother Charles Leonard; he was afterwards moved to the hospital.

Witness took but very little pains to visit him, in fact never went to his room and did not know he was sick; could not remember much about Fred's condition in 1887; said he did not think Fred was insane in 1887 as testified by Hodges; that he was mentally incompetent at that time. He considered Hodges a friend of the family and brought him into court to testify as a friend of the family.

Witness said he accepted the power of attorney from Fred when Hodges testified that Fred was crazy so that he could travel about the country. Later he said the power of attorney was taken so they could place a mortgage on the Spring street property, but upon cross examination he admitted that the mortgage was not issued until two years after the power of attorney was executed.

Witness could not remember what Fred ever complained about in the manner in which he executed the power of attorney; denied forging Fred's name to the mortgage; said they never had the slightest trouble with Fred until Fred's attorneys set him up to fight them in their petition for a guardian; he wanted Fred to enjoy his money but wanted him to use it judiciously. He swore he never instructed the firm's New York agent to write to their Paris agent to the effect that Fred was to get Paris killed or cured in Paris. He claimed to have the kindliest feeling for Fred and did not bring the matter of his disease into court for the purpose of doing him an injury. Sent Hodges out with Fred thinking he knew something about medicine and could cure him.

Witness thought it did not follow that if Fred had settled down since his marriage and received steady medical treatment that he was any better than when he and Charles were trying to control him.

Witness said Fred took the chloride of gold cure in Detroit, but upon cross examination said his knowledge was gathered from hearsay evidence. Fletcher & Wanty, he said, received reports nearly every day as to where Fred was.

The Michigan Trust company, the witness said, had never taken possession of Fred's property under the order of guardianship, but left it in the possession of the witness and his brothers; the only change in the business was that they paid a weekly stipend to the company the company paid it over to Fred.

This closed the testimony until Friday to which time the case was adjourned.

COLUMBIAN HALL

The Committee Acknowledges Favors and Reports a Handsome Profit.

The executive committee who had in charge the arrangements for the Columbian ball, lately given for the benefit of St. Mark's hospital, makes the following report:

Net proceeds from ball	$550 00
Special donation for costumes	25 00
Special from "Scissors"	29 00
Total profits	$604 00

The committee desires to express to the following persons and business firms its grateful acknowledgment of valuable favors extended and services rendered by them:

Mrs. C. B Judd, for use of house on this and former occasions; Young gentlemen and children who took part in the tableaux and dances; the chairmen and members of the several committees; the ladies and gentlemen who contributed generously to refreshment fund; "Scissors," for special donation; The Eagle, Democrat, Herald, Morning Press, Review and Evening Leader for advertising and kindly notices:

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Police Court Record.

Tim Donovan, the man who went into McLane's saloon on South Division street and amused himself by shooting the bottles from the back bar, was in Police court yesterday morning on a charge of drunk and disorderly, and in default of $15 fine and costs was committed for 30 days. William Ryan, another drunk, was released on suspended sentence.

Charles and Frank Goodale, arrested over a month ago on a charge of assault and battery, were discharged for want of prosecution.

The Sunday saloon case against James Pilson was continued after proof that he was not in the business.

Campaign Expenses.

Arthur S. White, fusion candidate for the office of representative in the state legislature, in an affidavit filed yesterday places the amount of his election expenses at $169 30. In his affidavit he claims to have paid $50 to the county committee and spent the balance in mailing circulars, etc.

Norton Fitch, candidate for representative of the Third legislative district, also filed his affidavit yesterday. The amount he expended was $80.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS

Communications intended for publication in his department cannot in any instance exceed one-half column in length.

THE PEOPLES' COLUMN.

Holland Immigrants

EDITOR MORNING PRESS—In your issue of Nov. 20 I read an article signed "Anon" on the question of immigration. The writer of said article seems to "have it in" for the Dutch. He has a number of complaints against them. He begins by saying that the continuous stream of laborers from Holland is becoming damaging to labor in general. Without doubt it is, but why is the Holland laborer less desirable than another? Do they not make as good a citizen?

"Anon" states they come in under contract. I do not believe that one out of a hundred Holland immigrants comes here with the assurance of finding employment in the factories. Look at the statement of that policeman is concerned I believe that to be a low insult without any truth whatever. "Anon" next claims that they are repulsive. I would like to know in what they are more superstitious than any other sect? Have they not struggled with Spain for a period of 80 years to free themselves from the bonds of superstition?

The next charge is they are wholly relying upon the judgment of their clerical leaders. I can assure "Anon" that there is never any politics preached from the pulpit in the Holland churches. Neither are they invited to meet in the basement or school house after services and get instructions from the ministers which party or candidates to vote for like the Catholics of this city did in the last campaign. Therefore, if there is any political color-blindness exhibited at the polls it was not due to their reliance upon their ministers. F. V. D.

The Ol' Thanksgivin'.

BY M. JANET BOUSMASTER.

Somehow, 'taint the ol'-time way.
Dog' know what's got to pay
Th. Thanksgivin' Day.
Course its here, but, queer it seems
Hard as if it was in dreams,
How the ol' day use to cum
Time I wuz young.

Frost' n' fog 'n chill 'n damp,
Then 'twas snow aroun the camp—
Mem' r' Thanksgivin'—
Medders dry and cornshocks flung
Roun' 'n whistling quails among
Stubbles, ware the birds fed sung
Time I wuz young.

Muskets, rifles, they wuz guns
Thet we hunted 'thy-ways—
Nex' t' Thanksgivin'—
Ust' t' make the squirrels cume,
Bars 'n turkeys, too, sumtime;
Thet wuz game our powder brung—
Time I wuz young.

Oh! the ol' time, joyous haze
Ust' t' circle 'bout them days—
Nex' t' Thanksgivin'.
Dinner wasn't good to home
Less 'twas all cousins cum,
All the relatives 'n sum—
Time I wuz young.

But the bes' Thanksgin' Day,
Fun' t best yr now days way,
When we wasn't grm 'n sick,
Uncle's, cousin's, brother's, land'
'N' aunts 'n' sisters—regular band,
'N' nuts 'n' elder at wuz grand—
Time I wuz young.

Youngsters? Cider? Fun! I guess;
'F you'd a-been there you'd say yes,
That wuz Thanksgivin'.
Thanks! Remembrance! Did you say?
You're no thanksgivin' man stey;
'At's remmin'in' thet day,
Time I wuz young.

I low in the years ahed,
W'en all's done 'n' all's sed
'Bout Thanksgivin',
You'll declare agin all voice,
'F you o'hey agin yr choice,
You'd give thanks th' way twus done
Time you wuz young.

CURRENT STATE NEWS.

Work on the electric street railway in Manistee is progressing rapidly.

The Flint tri-weekly Globe will become a daily on or before Jan. 1.

Allegan county Prohibitionists are agitating the local option question.

Good sound horses can be purchased in the vicinity of Bronson for from $20 to $50.

Hiram C. Hodges of Lansing has been elected head lawyer of the Modern Woodmen of America.

Luther Ripley, prominent in the labor reform movements of the state, died Tuesday at Lansing.

It is said that the recount of votes cast for sheriff in Muskegon county will cost between $2,000 and $3,000.

F. N. Monroe has been appointed postmaster at Brotherton, Houghton county, vice Mrs. J. B. Monroe, resigned.

Jack Looney and Charles Fox colored hackmen of Adrian shot each other over a game of "craps" Monday. Both will live.

The Grand Trunk Railway company has discharged 40 of its oldest employes. The men had reduced rates on fuel and let their neighbors in on it.

Mrs. Michael Bailey, mother of ex Mayor Bailey of Ionia, died Monday afternoon at her residence from the city of general debility.

Michigan postmasters appointed: C. M. Freeman, Dowagiac, Berrien county, vice A. S. Welder, resigned; S Sheldon, Twelve Corners, Berrien county, vice E. Meeke, resigned.

A letter was received by Wm. Binder of Saginaw on Tuesday, written on Sunday by his son, who killed his wife and child and himself Monday morning at Milwaukee. It contained simply at the request that he had sent his books and papers to his father by express, and a remembrance to his mother.

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THE PRINCE AT THE PLAY.

How His Royal Highness Attends the English Theaters.

The royal box is booked in the usual way of business and charged to the Marlborough house account. The price is not increased from the ordinary library tariff, and the stories told about a nominal price or a larger one being paid by royalty only exist in the imagination of the papers who invent such tarradiddles.

Sometimes it happens that a box cannot be got at the particular theater decided upon. When this is the case it is put nicely to the party who has bespoken the royal box if they could see their way to obliging his royal highness, and the result is of course invariably in the affirmative. The prince, however, is very reluctant to have this done, and always wishes that the party obliging shall be as little inconvenienced as possible—so much so that when told that the box has been conceded he generally remarks: "Why did you disturb anybody on my account? I could have come here another evening." Please see they are thanked in my name." In the rare case of a refusal representation is made to his royal highness, and they try for a box at another theater.

When he goes to a theater it is his expressed desire to be treated exactly the same as one of the ordinary audience. Little displays of flowers, bouquets, satin programmes, etc., are all very nice, but the prince does not care for them, and would much rather do without them. Another thing he always begs him is that he should be drawn attention to by the performance on his arrival of the national anthem or "God Bless the Prince of Wales."

As he said on one occasion, "Why do people imagine that every member of this audience be disturbed for my sake?" This was at the Olympia theater during the run of "Fun on the Bristol." As soon as the royal box became occupied everybody was astonished to see the orchestra suddenly stand up in the middle of the performance and begin playing "God Bless the Prince of Wales." Of course the whole house rose en masse, every eye was directed to the royal box and the applause was deafening. The prince immediately left the box and demanded an explanation. Mr. Jarritt arrived and explained that it was only the overzealousness of a too patriotic band conductor. This concluded the incident, but it was accepted as a precedent, and the same information to the managers generally. This is why you often hear people say in a theater toward the close of the performance: "Why, there is the Prince of Wales over there in a box, and they never played 'God Save the Queen.'" What a shame!"

The prince always waits until the final curtain has descended before rising to leave. This is his invariable rule. So much so that he has sat out the entire harlequinade of a Drury Lane pantomime. There were three or four theaters only where he ever breaks this rule. They are those houses which have no royal entrance, and here the prince anticipates the final curtain by two or three minutes, so that his departure may not disturb the outgoing traffic of the remainder of the audience.

Immediately the prince is announced to have visited a theater the booking rises, barometerlike, to a good heat. This is in reference to the booking pupils. But bespoken as when his royal highness likes a play he invariably recommends it to all his friends. In many other ways the prince is always thinking of the drama. When he sees a benefit announced for some well known artist he now often ministered to his amusement, or some poor player who has fallen on bad times, he immediately puts his name down for stalls or boxes to a substantial amount.—London Morning.

The Fogy Not Without His Uses.

Isn't it about time that some one attempted a defense of the "old fogy?" In these days there is much more decried. He is supposed to be the obstacle in the wheels of enterprise, to stand in the way of progress, and nearly every association has two or three of these people whom the members would gladly throw overboard if they could. The odd thing about all this is the fact that the "old fogy" has usually been one of the creators of the very body which seeks to be rid of him. In the beginning he was indefatigable; he labored long and earnestly to procure funds, and made a considerable personal sacrifice to put this or that institution on its feet.

Now that things are finally settled and paid for and everything is in good running order he is disposed to let well enough alone for a little time. But this will not do at all for the young blood which is constantly pouring in. The new element is full of progressive ideas and suggestions of innovations, and when it meets resistance on the part of the old fogy it begins to cut a clashing of opinions.—Buffalo Courier.

How to Light a Solid Body.

Cadogan Morgan was the first electrician to experiment with electric light in solid bodies. This was in 1785. He succeeded in converting into a stick of wood and caused the spark to pass between them. This had the effect of illuminating the stick a beautiful blood red. An ivory ball, an orange or an apple may be lighted in the same manner. Some experimenters prefer the lemon for this purpose, it being very susceptible to the electric discharge, flashing forth at every spark as a spheroid of brilliant golden light. The wires used for this purpose should be brought within about half an inch of each other inside the lemon.—St. Louis Republic.

Thomas Hardy's Methods.

Thomas Hardy, the novelist, has been telling something about his home and method of work. He turns out 3,000 words in a day he thinks he has done well. He usually begins work between 10 and 11, and writes until luncheon. He has never tried the typewriter, but he writes with copying ink, duplicating his MS. by the copying press, so as always to have a second copy of his work.

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Chancery Sale.

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W. W. WORDEN, H. HUGHES,
Circuit court commissioner, Kent County Michigan.

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WANTED—Ladies to do fancy work at home. $6.00 to $10.00 per week easily made. Call or address with stamp, 139 South Division street, Rooms 12 and 13. 28

WANTED—Ladies to assist me in selling the famous Gloria Water for the complexion. Terms liberal. Mrs. Lums, 240 Indiana street, manager French office. 24

WANTED—Dining room girls and cooks waiters and girls for general housework early at Ladies' Employment Bureau 99 Canal street, rooms 10 and 11. Geo W. Cole Office hours, 8 to 9 p. m. tf.

WANTED—HELP—MALE

AGENTS WANTED—Home or abroad to handle the Celebrated Broom Skirt Protector. Small capital required. Address room 8 Powers block, Grand Rapids, Mich. 29

WANTED—Barber to work Saturdays at 96 Canal, corner of Lyon. 25

WANTED—Man of good address, willing to work for $40 a month and expenses. G. S. Cline, Grand Rapids, inclosing stamp. 24

WANTED—Four fearless machine carvers. Call or address at this office. 24

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT.

WANTED—Position as nurse and companion or to invalid by young lady of experience. Understands massage; references. Address O. box 119, city. 25

WANTED—Washing at 191 Kent street. 24

WANTED—Position as night watch or fireman or any kind of outside work. H. D. this office. 26

WANTED—Office work or clerk, experienced. Address E. Y., this office. 25

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A suit of three or five modern rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Inc East Side, 1st ward Bridge and Wealthy avenue. References exchanged. Address Room care of this office. 24

WANTED—Everybody on the hill to know we watches, clocks and jewelery are carefully repaired at 205 East Bridge street. C. L. Jeffers, the "Hill" jeweler. tf-sa-27

WANTED—A good team of horses as payment on a house and lot or vacant lots. Joseph J. Jeffers, real estate and loans, 28 Canal street. 29

WANTED—Every young man in Grand Rapids to stop in and see what we can do with their old pair of pants in making clothes made to order. Volgt, Herpolsheimer & Co. tf

TO RENT—ROOMS.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms, with or without board. 55 Lagrave street. 30

TO RENT—Suite of rooms; hard and soft water. 237 Fourth avenue. 29 per month. 24

TO RENT—Two desirable furnished rooms. Inquire at 91 Bostwick, near Lyon. 26

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS.

TO RENT—For six per month, an elegant new house in East part of city, well furnished, with modern conveniences. Apply to Paul J. Averill, 43 Pearl street. 24

TO RENT—Store, 257 South Division street. dec 23

FOR RENT—Good 7-room house, fine well and cistern, large yard; 58 Terrace avenue formerly occupied by Dr. Ferris; 2 street cars; $10 per month. Koppenheimer Bros., 42 Pearl street. 24

FACTORY FOR RENT—Canal street, near the center, four stories, 40x70 feet inside, dry mains, boiler house and lumber shed. Power, shafting, hangers and belting—Good to start. M. C. Burch, Widdicomb building.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

WHY not start in now and try to buy a home this winter? There is no better time than now. Others are buying on monthly payments and so can you of John E. Martin, Canal street. tf

NOTICE—to property owners and purchasers of real estate who wish to sell or exchange real estate or borrow money call and see me. Willard R. Griffiths, No. 6 Canal street.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—160 acre farm, 80 improved, near Ludington, Mason and Lake counties; good rich soil. House and barn. Apply 675 North Ionia street. tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

$500—BUYS an A No. 1 grocery stock, in best business place in Grand Rapids, with established trade. Owner going to Chicago, reasons for selling. See Closterhouse & Decker, 10 Canal street, "phone 1040.

FOR SALE—The business of one of the best paying hotels in Grand Rapids. Frank T. Warrell, proprietor, Michigan House.

FOR SALE—Cheap, one horse, harness and one top buggy. Inquire Jefferson street. 26

FOR SALE—Old papers at 10 cents a hundred. Morning Press. tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon, pup (male) about 3 months old, yellow with white head. Return to 38 Calder street and receive reward. 24

FINANCIAL.

MONEY TO LOAN at lowest rates; Pitcgerald & Harry. 26

DO YOU WANT MONEY—If so you will find it to your advantage to see us before borrowing.

We make loans on household goods, pianos and other chattels without publicity, and give the borrower the lowest possible rates and in the quickest possible time.

We can do it without publicity and the property is left in your undisturbed possession. Loans can be arranged to suit the desired or can be paid in full, or in part, at any time to suit your convenience, and at a rate of interest not out of keeping the loan.

If you own a home, or furniture, piano or other property, we will pay it up for you and carry it along so you can.

Our offices are the most pleasant in the city and are so arranged that parties calling on us need not meet anyone they do not especially.

GRAND RAPIDS MORTGAGE LOAN CO.,
Lower Floor Tower Block,
Corner of Monroe, Pearl and Canal sts.

FINANCIAL—Money at bank rates to loan on city and farm property in sums to suit, small amounts, for long or short time, or will buy good mortgages and land contracts. John E. Martin, 55 Canal street. tf

MONEY loaned for short time in large or small amounts on any form of real estate security. Frank A. Ensfield, 60 Michigan Trust company building. Phone 1125. tf

DRESSMAKING.

WANTED—Ladies to learn the United States tailor system of dress cutting. $5 a week paid apprentices. Room 49 Herdzinger block. dec-18

WANTED—Ladies to learn new Capitol Tailor system of dress cutting. Lessons in plain cutting free. Room 3, 76 South Division street. dec 16

PROFESSIONAL.

MAGNETIC and Clairvoyant Doctor. Mrs. Chapel. Male and female agents wanted. 56 Kent street. 28

MILLARDS OINTMENT. Cures positively Barbers Itch and all skin diseases. Ask your druggist. By mail 25c. H. H. Millard, Co., Grand Rapids, Mich. may-1

GOOD HOTEL—First-class room, $4.50 to $5 per week; transients $1 and $1.50 per day; bath free. As good fare as any hotel in Grand Rapids and one of the best at Lincoln House, 56 Spring st.; telephone 1350. tf

OFFICIAL RAILWAY TIME CARDS.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA.

In effect November 20th, 1892.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	Arr. From South	Lv. Going North
For Cadillac and Saginaw	6 45 a. m.	7 20 a. m.
For Traverse City and Mackinaw	9 00 a. m.	1 10 p. m.
For Cadillac and Saginaw	2.20 p. m.	4 15 p. m.
For Petoskey and Mackinaw	8 10 p. m.	10 10 p. m.
From Kalamazoo and Chicago	8 35 p. m.	

Trains arriving from the South at 6 45 a. m. and 2.20 p. m. daily, other trains daily except Sunday.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

	Arr. From North	Lv. Going South
For Cincinnati	5 30 p. m.	7 00 a. m.
For Kalamazoo & Chicago		10 05 a. m.
For Ft. Wayne and Chicago	11 50 a. m.	2 00 p. m.
For Cincinnati	5 15 p. m.	6 00 p. m.
For Kalamazoo and Chicago	11 00 p. m.	11 30 p. m.
For Cincinnati	11 00 p. m.	
From Saginaw	10 00 a. m.	

Trains leaving South at 10 00 a. m., and 11 30 p. m., run daily, other trains daily except Sunday.

SLEEPING AND PARLOR CAR SERVICE.

NORTH—10 p m train has parlor car Grand Rapids to Petoskey and Mackinaw.

10 10 p m has sleeping car Grand Rapids to Petoskey and Mackinaw.

SOUTH—5 30 a m train has parlor car Grand Rapids to Cincinnati.

7 05 a m train has parlor car Grand Rapids Chicago.

5 00 p m train has Wagner sleeping car Grand Rapids to Cincinnati.

11 50 p m train has Wagner sleeping car Grand Rapids to Chicago.

Muskegon, Grand Rapids & Indiana.

For Muskegon, lv	6 55 a m	11 25 a m	5 30 p m
From Muskegon, ar	10 00 a m	4 40 p m	9 05 p m

Sunday train leaves for Muskegon 8 05a m. Arrive from Muskegon 5 40 p m.

Chicago via G. R. & I.

Lv. Grand Rapids	10 05 a m	3 10 p m	11 45 p m
Ar. Chicago	3 55 p m	9 00 p m	6 50 a m
Lv. Chicago	10 15 a m	3 10 p m	11 45 p m
Ar. Grand Rapids	6 15 p m	8 35 p m	6 45 a m

11 30 p m train daily through Wagner sleeping car.

Lv. Chicago	7 05 a m	3 10 p m	11 45 p m
Ar. Grand Rapids	2 20 p m	8 30 p m	5 45 a m

Sunday train leaves Chicago 7 05 a. m. daily, daily through Wagner sleeping car.

Ludington and Sturgeon Bay.

Lv. Grand Rapids	7 00 a m	3 00 p m	5 45 p m
Ar. Ludington	10 45 a m	6 45 p m	9 30 p m
Lv. Ludington	7 00 a m	3 00 p m	5 45 p m
Ar. Grand Rapids	10 45 a m	6 45 p m	9 30 p m

Manistee and Traverse City.

Lv. Grand Rapids	10 40 a m	3 00 p m	5 45 p m
Ar. Manistee	3 00 p m	7 00 p m	10 00 p m
Ar. Traverse City	3 00 p m	7 00 p m	10 00 p m

Train for Manistee and Traverse City leaves Grand Rapids at 10 40 a. m. daily except Sunday.

SLEEPING CAR SERVICE.

Wagner Parlor Car—Leave Grand Rapids 1 35 p m; leave Chicago 3 30 p m. Wagner Sleeper—Leave Grand Rapids 11 35 p m; leave Chicago 11 15 p m.

Free chair car to Manistee 8 35 p m.

* Every day. Other trains week days only.

DETROIT, LANSING & NORTHERN R. R.

NOV. 20, 1892.

GOING TO DETROIT.

Lv. G. R. 7 10 a m; 12 35 p m; 5 40 p m.
Ar. DET'T 11 30 a m; 4 25 p m; 10 05 p m.

RETURNING FROM DETROIT.

Lv. DET'T 7 00 a m; 10 35 a m; 6 35 p m.
Ar. G. R. 11 35 a m; 4 20 p m; 10 30 p m.

RETURNING FROM DETROIT.

Lv. Grand Rapids.....7 30 a m. 4.15 p m
Ar. Grand Rapids.....11 50 a m. 7.45 p m

THROUGH CAR SERVICE BETWEEN G. R. & DETROIT.

Lv. Grand Rapids.....7 10 a m; 1 35 p m; 5 40 p m
Ar. Detroit.....11 30 a m; 4 25 p m; 10 05 p m

THROUGH CAR SERVICE.

Parlor car leaves Detroit for Grand Rapids and Detroit. Parlor car to Saginaw on morning train.

* Every day. Other trains week days only.

GEO. DE

Wind and Weather.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—For Lower Michigan: Generally fair; high northwesterly winds diminishing.

CITY AND SUBURBS.

There will be no meeting of the Happy Home club today.

Voigt, Herpolsheimer & Co. will close their store all day.

B. F. Barendsen will leave this evening for Chicago on a business trip.

St. Cecilia 30 No. 9 give a dancing and card party at the Warwick Dec. 5.

This is the last week for filing notices of trial for the December term of the Superior court.

Columbus tent No. 726, K. O. T. M., will hold regular meetings hereafter every Monday evening.

All of the offices in the county building as well as both Circuit courts and Police court will be closed today.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Simon La Grou was admitted to practice yesterday in the United States court.

The postoffice will be open today from 7:30 to 10 a. m. The usual morning delivery will be made by the carriers.

Eaton, Lyon & Co. have sold their book and stationery store at 5 North Division street to H. Felt for $3,100.

Ladies of the S. S. S. will meet in Elks' hall at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Good mediums will be in attendance.

The janitors, elevator man and engineer of the city hall were presented with nice turkeys by the city officials yesterday.

The alarm of fire early yesterday morning from box 2 was caused by a burning chimney in Powers' opera house.

A small fire last evening in the foundry room of Butterworth & Lowe's machine shop damaged the building about $50 worth.

Jennie Hagan-Jackson will give her lecture on Western Norway, illustrated with stereopticon views in Elks' hall at 7:30 this evening.

The Salvation Army will hold special Thanksgiving services in the Pearl street barracks at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Everybody invited.

Mary C. Pernyea paid a fine in the United States District court yesterday of $100 for selling liquor without paying the special United States tax.

Superintendent Eastman of the police force requests all citizens to be on their good behavior today so as to give the patrolmen a chance to return thanks.

The Voigt Milling company, in accordance with an established custom, gave each of their employes an elegant turkey last night at the close of the day's business.

The Thanksgiving distribution committee wishes to receive the names of more worthy poor. Send in the names early so that the good things may be delivered.

Twenty-three marriage licenses were issued from the county clerk's office yesterday, a falling off of three from the number issued on the corresponding day of last year.

In order to afford their clerks a chance to enjoy a good dinner and an afternoon of pleasure all clothing, boot and shoe dry goods and hat and cap stores will be closed at noon today.

The ambulance was called to 89 Plainfield avenue and removed Susan Brown, an old lady who had been taken suddenly sick to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Evans of 359 North Ionia street.

Assistant City Engineer Ames has started a laboratory in the attic of the city hall, where he is experimenting with cement and other material with the object of procuring a material for street pavements.

Two cars of tin plate for the Gunn Hardware company, four cases of plate glass for the New England Furniture company and one case of glass for Z. E. Allen were cleared yesterday at the United States customs office.

Arthur Wood the popular carriage maker last night closed his shops until Friday morning, and as his employees walked out he presented each one of them with a big plump turkey and a wish that all might have a pleasant Thanksgiving.

THE THEATERS.

Mlle. Rhea will appear at Powers' next Friday and Saturday. On Friday evening "Josephine" will be presented. At the Saturday matinee "Princess Andrea" will be the bill; and "Much Ado About Nothing" will be given on Saturday evening.

The next attraction at Powers' will be Theodore Thomas' celebrated orchestra, which will appear in a grand concert this evening. The company is composed of musical talent of the highest order.

Loudin's original Fisk Jubilee Singers will appear at Hartman's hall on Monday evening, Nov. 28, in one of their characteristic concerts. They will be followed Dec. 1 by Locke Richardson.

Large audiences are the order at Smith's opera house this week. A matinee will be given this afternoon when the entire bill will be presented.

Hanson & Field's vaudeville company at the Grand opera house is pleasing large audiences. A matinee this afternoon.

St Andrew's day is this 30th of November

HOBOS WERE OUT.

They Were Going to Clean Out the Police, but Did Not.

The police received word last night that the Gunnison swamp hobos were out for a lark and had threatened to do up some member of the police force. Who the member was could not be learned but every member of the force was notified to take no chances in case he run against the gang.

A large number of reserve men were out in citizens clothes with instructions to keep close watch on the gang upon their arrival on the east side of the river, where they said they were going to operate. The West Side was also carefully guarded, but the gang evidently was bluffing or afraid to make the attack.

Needed.

The Thanksgiving committee for the distribution of clothing, etc., to the needy poor will be in attendance in the basement of the Houseman block Friday afternoon after 1 o'clock, all day Saturday and until the supplies have been exhausted.

DO YOU want shoes cheap? Then wait until we open our sale.
THE FAMOUS SHOE STORE,
46 Canal street.

MATTRESSES made over by the Valley City Spring Bed company, 141 South Division street.

GOSCH IS CERTAINLY INSANE.

Recaptured While Wandering About Near the Ionia Prison.

Emil Gosch, who made his escape from the prison for insane criminals in Ionia Tuesday, was recaptured yesterday near the prison wandering around in an aimless sort of a way. The man who escaped with Gosch has not yet been found, and it is thought that after gaining his liberty he recovered his mind, and leaving Gosch in the woods, skipped out.

J. B. MULLIKEN DEAD.

He Was Found Dead in Bed Yesterday Morning.

DETROIT, Nov. 23.—John B. Mulliken, formerly general manager of the Detroit, Lansing & Northern road, member of the Detroit board of public works, and general manager of the Detroit Citizens' Street Railway company, was found dead in bed at his residence tersday morning by Mrs. Mulliken.

Mr. Mulliken returned to his home last Sunday at noon from Turtle Lake, where he went a week ago on a hunting trip. He was ill at the time, and continued to grow worse. The cause of his death was apoplexy. He had been troubled with heart disease for 20 years. He was born May 30, 1837, in Steuben county, N. Y.

The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. Friday from the Church of Our Father.

Mr. Mulliken entered the railway service in February, 1855. Up to November, 1855, he was station agent of the Illinois Central at Mattoon, Ill. From November until March, 1856, he was waybill clerk of the same road at Chicago. From April, 1856, to August, 1858, he was waybill clerk of the Galena & Chicago Union road at Chicago, then station agent of the same road until July, 1860, when he was successively agent of the Chicago & North Western at Rockford, Belvidere and Sterling stations. In May, 1874, he became general agent of the Wenona & St. Peter road. In October of the same year took the superintendency of the Pennsylvania division of the Chicago & Northwestern, which he held until May, 1875, when he accepted the office of general superintendent of the Detroit, Lansing & Lake Michigan road. It was in July, 1877, that he took charge of the Detroit, Lansing & Northern road, with headquarters at Detroit. In 1879 he was a manager director of the Saginaw Valley & St. Louis road, and in July, 1886, was elected vice president and general manager of the O. & W. M. In March, 1890, he severed his connection with the D., L. & N. and C. & W. M. and was succeeded by Chas. M. Heald, the present general manager of the two roads, with headquarters in this city.

BOARD OF TRADE OFFICERS.

George G. Briggs Re-elected and W. H. Kinsey Chosen as Secretary.

At the annual meeting of the board of trade held in their office Tuesday evening officers were elected as follows:

President—George G. Briggs.
First Vice President—I. M. Turber.
Second Vice President—L. H. Withey.
Third Vice President—S. M. Lemon.
Treasurer—A. S. Musselman.
Secretary—W. H. Kinsey.

The following members were elected as a board of directors for two years:—W. R. Shelby, J. S. Lawrence, W. H. Kinsey, W. J. Stuart, George DeHaven, L. H. Withey, G. G. Briggs, E. P. Sweet, G. P. Wanty, O. R. Sligh, I. M. Turner, L. E. Hawkins, Joseph Houseman, J. E. Peck, H. D. C. Van Aagus, O. A. Ball, J. A. Covode, C. M. Heald, C. Fox, D. McCoy, W. Alden Smith and M. S. Closby.

Thanksgiving Services.

In the East Side churches today all of the churches except the Division Street M. E. church will hold individual services. The Division street congregation will worship with Second Street Methodist people at the Division street church.

On the West Side the Mission Wood Presbyterian, Joy Memorial and Second Baptist will hold union services at the Baptist church corner of Gold and California streets.

The service in St. Mark's will commence at 10:30 and continue an hour. Rev. Campbell Fair will deliver the sermon and Francis Campbell will have charge of the music.

Trinity church owing to some alterations which are being made in the church will hold no service.

The hour for the regular service in the Fountain street Baptist church has been set at 11 o'clock. Dr. Jackson will speak taking for his subject, "The Philosophy of Gratitude."

Thanksgiving Parties.

Mrs. James Campbell as chairman of St. Cecilia Twenty No. 3 and Miss Donna Moon as secretary, will give a grand ball this evening in Hartman's reception hall on Fountain street, the proceeds to go into the St. Cecilia building fund.

The Misses Gage and Benedict, as is their custom, will give one of their popular hops in the Ionia street armory this evening.

The Milkmaids will hold a convention this evening in Pelton's hall, Plainfield avenue, the proceeds to go to the Woman's Home and Hospital and the free kindergarten on Waterloo street.

Why Annie Will be Thankful.

Annie W. Ravencroft was presented with a Thanksgiving offering yesterday by Judge Adsit in the shape of a decree of divorce from Abraham F. Ravencroft. The ground was extreme cruelty and the decree also gives the complainant the custody of two minor children. The case was commenced last June.

Cases of Contagion

Stuart Schaaf, 310 South Prospect, scarlet fever; Louis L. Allen, 602 Madison street, same; Herbert Vickerman, 154 East Leonard street, same; Ford Smith, 66 Park avenue, same; Kate Hinneman, 19 Fremont street, typhoid fever; Diena Vermarc, 381 Alpine avenue, diphtheria.

Dinner for the Waifs.

Next week, Thursday evening, a calico ball and supper for the benefit of the Children's Home will be given in the Blodgett block, corner of Ionia and Louis streets. Those who attend are expected to wear calico aprons and neckties and cash in a dollar of the realm for supper.

IS RICHARDSON elected? is the question with A. Stockbridge, who sells good fat turkeys and fresh meats at 479 Jefferson avenue.

READ the Famous Shoe Store advertisement in THE MORNING PRESS today if you want to save money.

DEPENDS ON ENGLAND.

Her Vote Would Rehabilitate Silver Throughout the World.

BRUSSELS, Nov. 23.—Governor Von Hoegarden of the National bank of Belgium, will give a reception on Dec. 7 in honor of the delegates to the International monetary conference. Leading financiers have been invited, and the affair will be brilliant.

A great deal of lobbying is going on among the delegates, those of one view on the subject of bi-metalism trying to win over the others. The result seems to be in English hands. A delegate who favors bi-metalism says that France, Belgium, Switzerland, Austria, Russia, the United States and India, all holding large stocks of silver, would be only too pleased to join with Great Britain in establishing a bi-metallic union; Germany would have no motive for remaining outside; Egypt and the English colonies would follow England's lead, and the South American states, if only from considerations of convenience, would range themselves in line. It is no exaggeration to say that if England would lead the way, a world-wide bi metallic union could be formed with more ease than the existing world-wide postal union.

The Germans seemed inclined to follow the lead of Great Britain. They say Germany is not immediately interested in the rehabilitation of silver, and they argue that although, owing to an oversight, her great currency reform not include a large stock of silver thalers, about 100,000,000 in number, which, if put into circulation would still constitute legal tender, no practical difficulty has arisen from this omission. The gradual growth of population and the normal demand for a silver currency would, it is held, enable the government at any time gradually to work off this old stock of silver without affecting the monometallic basis upon which its currency is now solidly established and upon which it will be maintained.

A BIG CLOCK.

An Accident Calls an Interesting Timepiece to Mind.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The 800 pound weight in the clock in St. Paul's cathedral broke its chain and crashed through the floor of the bell room today. The clock was built in 1780 by Bradley. The circumference of the dial is 31 feet, the minute hand is nine feet eight inches and the hour hand five feet nine inches. It is an eight-day clock and strikes the hours so loudly at night that it can be heard 20 miles.

"FARMERS' SMOKER"

The Grand Rapids Bicycle Club Enjoys Thanksgiving Eve in a Hilarious Manner.

The Grand Rapids Bicycle club had a glorious time at the club rooms last night. They held what they styled a "farmers' smoker." Each member in attendance was dressed like a ploughboy and all acted as if they had just arrived from some remote farm.

Celebrated Thanksgiving.

The pupils of the Grandville High school celebrated Thanksgiving eve with a musical and literary entertainment. Twenty-five numbers on the programme, consisting of literary, musical and dramatic selections, were rendered and well received by a large audience in attendance.

ESCAPED THIS TIME.

Powers' Opera House Visited by the Fire Department This Morning.

"Powers' opera house is on fire again" was the cry that ran through the streets this morning about 8 o'clock, and almost the confusion of flying engines and clanging bells came expressions of regret from hundreds of people. "Can it be possible that this lovely play-house has got to go again when it is but just completed? No, it still remains as beautiful and attractive as ever. And so does the store of Wykes & Burns. It was but a burning chimney.

Speaking of Wykes & Burns, would it it have been sad if those beautiful Christmas novelties, booklets, blank books, etc., had been consumed by the fiery demon? Yes indeed, for they have the freshest and finest stock of Christmas present goods ever seen in Grand Rapids, and thousands will be made happy by the excellent opportunities afforded here, to say nothing of the fortunate ones who find their stockings filled with packages on Christmas morning.

For Throat and Lung Troubles.

The a woolen cloth around your throat, carry your head down and start early in the morning to call on your friends—every one of them has the best recipe in the world for a cough, but they are all different, try them all and you will find yourself no better, but if you will ignore every one and try a bottle of Schrouder's Infallible Cough and Consumption Cure we will warrant a perfect cure—no cure, no pay. Loosens the cough, allays chest pains and heals the lungs as no other preparation will. Manufactured and sold at the Hill Drug Store, 209 East Bridge street, corner of Clancy.

Take Notice.

To accommodate parties wishing to secure season tickets to the Hartman Hall Lecture course the box office, on Ottawa street, will be open Saturday, the 26th, and Monday, the 28th, for the sale of about 300 course tickets. First come, first served.

Free Trade not a tariff for revenue only, but the name of the most durable, cheapest, purest, best mattress made. All retail dealers sell the Free Trade; manufactured by the Valley City Spring Bed company.

READ the Famous Shoe Store advertisement in THE MORNING PRESS today if you want to save money.

Surpassing } At the People's Lunch
Coffee } Room, 105 Ottawa-st.

OUR fire sale will open the latter part of the week.
THE FAMOUS SHOE STORE.

ORDER winter coal from C. F. Peterson Coal Co. 'Phone 964.

READ the Famous Shoe Store advertisement in THE MORNING PRESS today if you want to save money.

TRADE in Chicago Grain and Provisions, and New York stocks in lots from $20 up. Convenient quarters. Best facilities. Prompt service. No waiting. Rates limited. Profits unlimited. A trial respectfully solicited. Correspondence solicited. Address Public Produce and Stock Exchange. Room 39 Weston building, 71 and 73 Canal street, Grand Rapids, Mich. Telephone 878.

REED ENGRAVING CO.
When you are Dissatisfied with the Work you are getting, Come to Us; we will Please you.

Spring AND Company.

Another show, and it's not the "second ringing of the first bell," but the first ringing of the second bell.

New Trophies

Have come since our Great Cloak Sale of two weeks ago, new garments that have scarcely become cold since they left the maker's hands in far away Paris and London. And now we give you another invitation to an exhibit of wraps the like of which you (?) may have seen, but we haven't.

SPRING & COMPANY.

For a Museum of Fashion

Our Cloak Rooms seems to be the Mecca for all devotees of the fair Goddess. It is Paris in miniature. It has ample stock, not merely models, from all the great creators of French styles.

SPRING & COMPANY.

It's a Season of Furs.

Fur mingle with stuffs and stuffs with furs. Indeed, you may hardly say where Furs cease and Wraps begin. Are they not all Wraps? As the cold intensifies, interest will intensify in our Cloak room. We are ready to meet the encounter. The coming week we greet you with extraordinary inducements in 18 and 20-inch Fur Capes. All varieties of Fur from $3.00 upward. Of course this means a heavy discount on every garment sold, and equal, from a bargain standpoint, are the—

500 Jackets, Fur trimmed, at $3.00 each.

500 Jackets, Astrachan trimmed, at $5.00 each.

To mention all the bargains would be tiresome to us; to read them would be tedious to you. We have great pride in our Cloak Stock, for it gives you the best of the world and the best in the world. Come and see for yourself if what we say isn't true.

Go through the right main aisle or the left main aisle.

SPRING & COMPANY.

Gords of Snowy Linens

and Domestic Cloths will greet you at the left, and a grand variety of Dress Goods at the right.

It's like wandering in a fairy land of fabrics to walk among them. Every chapter, every sentence of the wondrous Dress Stuffs story for the cold season of 1892 3 is told here.

And the prices are as marvelously little as the gathering is grandly great.

SPRING & COMPANY.

Here is a Sensation.

The only place in the store where you can get Fancy Dress Stuffs that have been in stock even three month is at the Remnant Counter—and they're usually scarce there, but just now the chance is exceptional.

The only way to get rid of them is to make sharp bargains of small loss. Bargains are often the plumed knights of merchandise. Lots that are broken quickly become so because novel, beautiful, rich, cheap. But fragments or remainders must go. Richness and beauty cannot rave them.

Beginning Monday morning we will sell

SPRING & COMPANY.

All Wool Dress Goods Remnants.

Comprising every style and quality, at half-price. There's excellent opportunities here to get a handsome dress for the little one or the older girl.

Another lot of the celebrated two-toned 54-inch Diagonal Suitings has just been received.

Also a good line of Mixed Suitings, 52 inches wide, intended by the makers to retail at $1.00, with us 75c.

40-inch Suitings 50c this week.

SPRING & COMPANY.

There are

Holiday Suggestions

In that grand line of Novelty Suit Patterns just opened and unfolded this week, with prices ranging from $5.50 to $12.50 each.

A Base Babrication Nailed.

We are told that certain merchants claim to handle the celebrated Ysslant Underwear. We desire to inform the people of Grand Rapids that we are the

exclusive agents here for this famous underwear, and it cannot be furnished elsewhere. The deceit practiced by some merchants to gain trade at any cost is exemplified in this unscrupulous statement.

SPRING & COMPANY.

A Most Unusual thing

To clip the prices on Underwear so early in the season. No matter, here are some random shots that will make the Underwear market shiver:

75 dozen Ladies' Natural and White Vests and Pants, at 58c, from 75c.

10 dozen Children's White Jersey Ribbed Combination Suits at half-price, 50c.

15 dozen Ladies' White Jersey Ribbed Combination Suits, from $1 75 down to $1.00.

60 dozen Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, (small sizes), from $1 50 down one-half to 75c.

These prices should cause a rush at the Underwear Counter all the week.

SPRING & COMPANY.

GLOVES

We have aimed high for Glove results and have hit the mark. With one hand we take the Gloves directly from the makers in France, England, Germany and America—with the other hand serve them to you. Hardly a dealer in this land gets closer to the glover than the buyer of a single pair of Gloves at our counter. It means good Gloves, a great stock, the freshest styles and consistent prices always. Myriads of shades are shown to match any sort of dress material.

Glace Gloves for street wear.

Long Suede Gloves for evening or party wear, in white and all light tints.

Taking are these new 4-button Pique Stitched Gloves in all shades of tan, English, red, etc., for street wear. They are sensible, durable and quite the rage. See them.

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The Imperial Paper Patterns,

With full sized paper models, have taken deep root, and are already bearing abundant fruit to all who have tried them. They treat of the latest and most reliable styles, such as are used by the leading modistes of the world and bring the intricate labor of cutting and fitting down to mere simplicity. So much for the age we live in. What next?

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Is winning its way into every family where needles and thread are used. Comes likes a mountain of strength, an engine of power, to rest tired fingers and annihilate labor. It sings a song of

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Just as handsome, just as modern, just as perfect and durable as any machine on the great globe, lacking no attachment or improvement known to any fully warranted. Here is where it differs from others—you can buy it at our store for just $19 50 and freight. Buy and save $35 on your machine.

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Gentlemen

Should remember that we always keep a select stock of Men's Furnishings, and it will pay them well to patronize us when in need of Hose, Shirts, Collars, Neckwear, Underwear, Night Clothes, etc. Center left main aisle.

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Best 5 cent cigar in the city.
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All diseases resulting from early Indiscretions and Excesses of manhood. Overwork of the Brain, etc., all Urinary, Female and Chronic Diseases, young, middle-aged and old people

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Keep your head clear.
No Mechanical Treatment.
No unnecessary surgical operations.
Keep whole. You will live longer and be happier. Make one call if possible.

FIRE!

You may have one. Insure with Rathbun & Meyers, 823 Michigan Trust Company building, before it is too late. Here are the companies they represent:

Hartford, of Hartford, Conn.	$ 6,743,046
Pennsylvania, of Philadelphia, Pa	3,695,990
Connecticut, of Hartford Conn.	2,632,228
N. Y. Underwriters, of N. Y.	3,634,371
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American Central, of St. Louis, Mo.	3,631,969
Total Assets	$ 21,737,599

Why Are We Sick?

Call on Dr. S. Clay Todd for the particulars.

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Monroe and Spring streets.

What is going on in the city today?

Thanksgiving Day Services.
Chicago Orchestra at Powers';
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What is going on at Morse's today?

Great sale of Goods suitable for Thanksgiving Day.

The wife takes pride in her Thanksgiving dinner table, and everything must look exactly right. We are prepared to help her out in our Crockery Department.

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In the first place, we shall show today a beautiful Center Draft Banquet Lamp, with shade in all colors for $1.98. This Lamp is a bargain and you will say well worth $3 50 when you see it.

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She also wants a Dinner or Tea Set. Come in this morning and buy one. You can never do better than our Thanksgiving Day prices. Remember, we shall close at 1 o'clock.

John Maddox's Sons' 114 piece Dinner Set, fine decorations $15, worth $25.

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Chase Organ, fancy case	$65	Hilstrom organ, fancy case	$57
" " " "	70	" " " "	63
" " " "	70	Ithaca " " "	57
" 6-octave, fancy case	85	Estey " " "	34
Mason & Hamlin organ, fancy case	68	" " " "	27
Chase organ, fancy case	65	Taylor & Farley 6-octave fancy case	64
" " "	70	Peloubs & Pelton organ, fancy case	49
Detroit organ " "	60	Detroit organ, fancy case	50
Song " " "	34	Palace " "	67
Wilcox & White organ, fancy case	54	Mason & Hamlin "	68
Kimbal organ, fancy case	61	Estey organ "	69
" " " "	42	Smith American "	60
Hillstrom " "	63	Prince organ "	49

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