

## GEO. H. KEMPF

Is now having his first

### Grand Opening,

And showing more Novelties in

Dress Goods, Trimmings, White  
Goods, Embroideries, Flounc-  
ings, Wash Goods,

Than any other store in this County.

PRICES BELOW ALL OTHERS.

Always the Cheapest.

GEO. H. KEMPF.

### Corner Grocery

OFFERS

Good fine cut tobacco at 28c per pound.

A good soap, 10 bars for 25c.

New Era baking powder 15c per can, with  
a prize.

We also keep a full line of Toilet Articles, Confectionery, Tobacco  
and Cigars.

Respectfully,

J. S. CUMMINGS,

Corner Main and Park Sts., Chelsea.

## LOWER THAN EVER.

\$1 for 50 Cts.

A few weeks ago we advertised several  
hundred men's boys and children's suits in  
our clothing department, and several hun-  
dred pair of shoes in our boot and shoe de-  
partment, "broken lots" at 2-3 the regular  
retail price. These goods are nearly all closed  
out. Only about 50 suits and 75 pair of shoes  
left, we don't propose to put them back in  
stock, but in order to clean them out quick  
we shall give you the choice of what there is  
left at

50 Cts. on the \$1.

See the goods and satisfy yourself that no  
such bargains were ever offered in Chelsea.

## HATS. HATS.

JUST OPENED.

The largest and handsomest line of men's,  
boy's and children's hats we have ever shown.  
All new goods to select from.

### Merchant Tailoring.

If you have any idea of having a suit or  
pants made to order within the next two  
months, call on us now during the dull sea-  
son, we will surely save you from \$1.00 to  
\$2.00 on pants and \$3.00 to \$5.00 on suits.  
We guarantee a perfect fit and better work-  
manship than you get elsewhere.

**W.P. SCHENK,**  
Corner Main and Middle Streets.

#### Here and There.

School report this week.  
Charter election March 9th, 1891.  
Geo. E. Davis has a new card in this  
issue.

Nate Pierce will build a new barn this  
spring.

E. P. Downer, of Fowlerville, has  
moved to Chelsea.

Clarence Maroney was in Saginaw last  
week buying lumber.

Thos. Taylor who has been quite ill for  
the past month is out again.

Miss Sarah Runciman made the HERALD  
office a pleasant call last Monday.

Ed. J. Raftery, of Minneapolis, visited  
his brother, John, here last week.

Mrs. John Clark, of Lyndon, visited re-  
latives in Detroit and Monroe recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Guerin, of Ann Ar-  
bor, spent a few days in town this week.

Rev. Father Bayse, of Jackson, was a  
guest at St. Mary's Rectory last Tuesday.

Mrs. Timothy McKone visited relatives  
and friends in Jackson the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hindelang are hap-  
py over the advent of a son born Feb. 13,  
1891.

Miss Martha McEntee, who has been the  
guest of the Misses Cassidy has gone to  
Detroit.

Miss Carrie Cunningham is now attend-  
ing school at St. Mary's Academy, Mon-  
roe, Mich.

Mrs. Calkin attended the convention of  
Sunday School Workers held in Detroit  
last week.

Mrs. Peter Schwickherath still continues  
very ill, and no hopes are entertained of  
her recovery.

Pat. will tell you all about Gumption at  
the Baptist church, Tuesday evening,  
March 3rd, 1891. Come and hear him.

Mr. Michael Bersuder, of Dexter, form-  
erly a resident of Chelsea, was in town a  
few days last week, visiting old friends.

The Catholic News, of New York, re-  
ceived a great boom here last month, gain-  
ing over 100 subscribers in St. Mary's pa-  
rish.

Hon. Chandler Eaton, representative  
from 1st district, Allegan Co., and wife,  
were the guests of Lester Canfield last  
Sunday.

The social which was to be held at the  
residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McLaren  
Friday night, is postponed until Monday  
night, March 2nd.

Conrad Lehn, a hardware merchant of  
Manchester, and well known to a great  
many in Chelsea, died recently and was  
buried last Sunday.

A Bible institute under the auspices of  
Young Men's Christian Association was  
held in Ann Arbor Saturday and Sunday  
with a very large attendance.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alex  
Ross, of Chicago, will be pained to hear  
of the death of their only son, news of  
which were received here last week.

The Fugitive Co., which played here  
last Saturday and Tuesday evenings, was  
the best company ever in the hall. They  
deserve a crowded house wherever they  
play.

Mr. Stapish and Mrs. Kensch, of West-  
phalia, Mich., who came to attend the  
funeral of their sister, the late Mrs. Staf-  
fan, are spending some time with their  
many relatives and friends in Chelsea.

Math Schwickherath was up to the  
lumber woods last week and purchased several  
carloads of building stock for Chelsea and  
vicinity. It seems we are going to have a  
lively season, as far as building is con-  
cerned.

There was a lively time here one day  
last week around the freight house. Sev-  
eral carloads of lumber had arrived and  
was being loaded on to numerous farmer's  
wagons. The lumber belonged to Jacob  
Hutzel, of Freedom, who is building a  
nice residence.

Mr. James J. Hill, President of the  
Northwestern Railway, has given to Arch-  
bishop Ireland of St. Paul \$500,000 for the  
new seminary for the education of  
Priests. This magnificent gift is attract-  
ing wide attention and admiration, from  
the fact that Mr. Hill is a protestant.

The old sacristy of St. Mary's church,  
Pinckney, is to be torn down, and a new,  
elegant and substantial one of brick is to  
take its place. The new sacristy is to be  
40 by 28 feet. All the windows of stained-  
glass for this church have been donated,  
and will be put in the church for Easter.

A statue of St. Joseph for St. Joseph's al-  
tar has been ordered, and is expected in a  
few days. Other improvements, notably  
the painting of the church, all to be under-  
taken this year.

It is estimated that 50 full regiments of  
ex-soldiers are passing away every year.  
The rapidity of their muster out will here-  
after be constantly and greatly accelerated.  
The hater of pensioners will soon find his  
occupation gone. The brave men who  
preserved the life of the Republic will be  
known only in history; but their glorious  
achievements will live forever, their bent  
bow and broken form will rapidly dis-  
appear in the open grave; but their brilli-  
ant deeds will forever illumine the pages  
of history. God pity the shriveled soul  
that does not thrill at sight of these decim-  
ated heroes, or thought of their heroic val-  
or.

Winter is going and Spring is coming  
Read Glazier's change of "ad" on first  
and last pages.

Remember H. Lighthall's auction Sat-  
urday, at the Planting Mill.

Michigan will have one more congress-  
man after 1893 and one more elect-  
oral vote.

Miss Mollie Howe, of Waterloo, is in  
Chelsea at the present time learning her  
trade as dressmaker.

Aaron Burkhardt bought ten carloads of  
beans in the vicinity of Stockbridge,  
Gregory and Anderson last week.

Henry Pattengill, of the Lansing Mod-  
erator, will lecture on Gumption at the  
Baptist church Tuesday evening, Mar. 3.

Peace is restored, but Sitting Bull and a  
few other bad Indians keep up the ghost  
dance. As long as they are harmless it  
don't matter.

\$200.00 has been raised by the ice har-  
vesters and citizens of Whitmore Lake to  
replace the team belonging to Charley  
Rane, drowned a few days ago.

Nearly all those whose subscription ex-  
pired during Jan. have promptly re-  
newed, and it is hoped that others will follow  
suit as their subscription expires.

Prof. Alexander Winchell died at his re-  
sidence on N. University ave. Ann Arbor,  
Thursday. Mr. Winchell was born in  
New York and was a graduate of Wesley-  
an university.

We would like to call our correspond-  
ents attention to the fact, that unless your  
communications are here by Wednesday  
morning they will be too late for publica-  
tion. Please bear this in mind.

In remitting for subscription do not say,  
"please find enclosed," etc. Leave off the  
"please." It is unnecessary to plead with  
an editor in that way. If there is any  
money in the letter he will find it, and  
don't you think he won't.

It is not alone on the young that the  
"lurid literature" of the day gets its work  
in. The old have to suffer, too. A man  
in Pennsylvania who is 60 years old became  
crazy from reading sensational stories. It  
is as true as ever that there is no fool like  
an old fool.

A Tyrone man, whose head is level, and  
who is bound to make a philosopher, gives  
the world this little word of wisdom: "Too  
poor to take a home paper! Well, well,  
that is a distressful condition. Buy a hen  
and feed her crumbs and waste from the  
kitchen and she will lay eggs to pay for a  
year's subscription, then work her up into  
a pot pie and she will clear profit. Re-  
peat this year after year. Meanwhile learn  
wisdom and cease to be poor."

St. Mary's church is already making  
due preparations for the observance of  
St. Patrick's day. The services of Rev.  
Hugh M. Finnegan, a distinguished orator  
of the Society of Jesus, have been secured  
for a lecture on that evening to be given  
in St. Mary's church. This will be a treat  
not only for St. Mary's people, but for all  
our citizens, and there is no doubt that the  
church will be filled. The subject will be  
announced in due time.

The Michigan Store Company, the man-  
ufacturers of the celebrated "Garland"  
stoves and ranges, has sent us a "Holiday  
Souvenir" in the shape of a match box  
made from the aluminum which is used by  
this company in the iron mixture of which  
their stoves are made. Experience has  
proved that the mixture makes strong  
castings, prevents cracking and is a bene-  
fit to the iron in every way. The fact that  
the Michigan Store Company is an enter-  
prising corporation and that they are de-  
termined to put upon the market the very  
best stoves is evident from the fact that  
they are the first and only makers of stoves  
and ranges in America to use aluminum  
with an iron mixture. W. J. Knapp is  
agent for the Garland stoves and ranges.

Four hundred and thirteen species of  
trees grow within the limits of the United  
States and territories, sixteen of which  
when properly seasoned, will sink in wa-  
ter. The heaviest of these is the black  
ironwood, found only in southern Florida,  
which is 80 per cent heavier than water.  
The best-known are the lignum vitae and  
the mangrove. Texas and New Mexico  
are the homes of a species of oak which  
is about one and one-fourth times heavier  
than water, and, which when green, will  
sink almost as quickly as a bar of iron. It  
grows in mountain regions, and has been  
found westward as far as the Colorado  
desert, where it grows at an elevation of  
10,000 feet. All the woods heavier than  
water belong to tropical Florida or the  
arid southwest.

The list of jurors drawn to serve for the  
March term of the circuit court is as fol-  
lows: Ann Arbor, 1st ward, Dewitt C.  
Fall; 2nd ward, Henry C. Apfel; 3rd ward,  
James E. Harkins; 4th ward, Lawrence  
O'Toole; 5th ward, Isaac Greenman; 6th  
ward, Wm. Merrithew; Ann Arbor town,  
A. B. Cole; Augusta, Patrick O'Brien;  
Bridgewater, Franklin Johnson; Dexter,  
W. B. McQuillan; Freedom, Frank Feld-  
kamp; Lima, Thomas Jewett; Lodi, Avery  
Downer; Lyndon, Pierce Cassidy; Man-  
chester, Horatio Burch; Northfield, L. D.  
Chubb; Pittsfield, Albert Nordman; Sa-  
lem, A. L. Rorabacher; Saline, Wm. Gør-  
don; Scio, George April; Sharon, George  
W. Pixley; Superior, Walter Stafford; Syl-  
van, George J. Crowell; Webster, John H.  
Conlin; York, H. L. Ladin; Ypsilanti,  
town, J. W. Clayton, Jr.; Ypsilanti city,  
E. M. Spencer, Martin Raser.

It is not our intention to ask you to  
study out a puzzle to-day. Our  
dealings are straight and above  
board and can always be  
understood. We do not  
hide goods under specious  
names.

Neither do we advertise goods as  
bargains which can be picked up  
on any counter at the same  
price at which we offer  
them. It is not our  
policy to hoodwink  
people.

But we do try to carry on a successful  
business in a straight and  
honest manner, and we believe the public  
believer in our way of do-  
ing business will be  
not hide goods un-  
der specious  
names.

15 lbs granulated sugar for...\$1.00  
15 lbs Cut Leaf Sugar for...\$1.00

Oysters, best Standards, 16c per can  
Oysters, best Selects, 23c per can

Quinine...38c per oz  
Cinchonidia...8c per oz

New Flgs...10c per lb  
Choice lemons...16c per doz

Messina Oranges...10c per doz  
Fine Florida Oranges...25c per doz

Epps' Cocoa...18c per lb  
Choice Honey...15c per lb

Fine Perfumes...80c per oz  
Water White Oil...10c per gal

5 lbs crackers for...25c  
Good Raisins...8c per lb

Starch...6c per lb  
Saleratus...6c "

Soap, Babbitt, Jackson, Russian, 6 for 25c  
Yeast cakes...8c per pkg

Pinest tea dust...12 1/2c per lb  
Good Japan tea...28c "

Full Cream Cheese...12 1/2c per lb  
Salmon...12 1/2c per can

7 pounds rolled oats...25c  
Lamp Wicks 1 yrd long, 1c each 10c doz

Stove Polish...5c per pkg  
Lantern Globes...5c each

Lamp Chimneys, medium size...5c each  
Lamp Chimneys, large size...5c each

23 boxes matches, 300 to box, for...25c  
Large Jugs French Mustard...15c

4 pounds best rice...12 1/2c  
Choice new prunes...12 lbs for \$1.00

Choice dates...8c per lb  
Clothes pins...6 doz for 5c

Choice mixed candy...12 1/2c per lb  
Coffin bricks...8c "

All #1 Medicines...58 to 78c  
Finest roasted Rio coffee...25c per lb

Finest roasted peanuts...10c  
All 75c Medicines...38 to 58c

Best baking powder...42c per lb  
Royal baking powder...42c "

Dr. Prices baking powder...42c  
All 50c Medicines...28 to 38c

Sardines...5c per can  
3 lb cans tomatoes...10c "

2 lb cans sugar corn...8c  
Star Axi-Grase...5c per box

All 35c Medicines...18 to 28c  
Good plug tobacco...25c "

Good fine cut tobacco...25c  
Farmers' Pride smoking...15c

Sulphur...25 pounds for \$1  
Good molasses...28c per gal

Fine sugar syrup...28c per gal  
All 25c Medicines...12 to 18c

All Goods Fresh.  
All Goods Warranted.

More bargains this year than  
ever before.

Verily, Merrily, More and More,  
It Pays to Trade at

**GLAZIER'S STORE.**

**CHARLES KAERCHER**

Chelsea, Mich.

Is now prepared to repair wagons, bug-  
gies, carts, etc., in a workmanlike manner,  
and at reasonable rates. Shop at the  
Foundry, North Main street, Chelsea.

**FIRE! FIRE!!**

If you want insurance call on  
Gilbert & Crowell. We represent  
companies whose gross assets amount  
to the sum of

**\$45,000,000.**

**F. E. IVES,**

Auctioneer,

Stockbridge, - - Mich.

—TERMS REASONABLE—

For Terms and particulars apply at this  
office.

—THE—

**"PALACE"**

Barber Shop.

CHELSEA, - - MICHIGAN.

Ladies bang cut in the latest style.

**J. A. CRAWFORD,**

Kemp Bros. old bank building.

**The Parlor Barber Shop,**

Chelsea, Mich.

Work and close attention to busi-  
ness my motto. With this in view, I  
hope to secure, at least, part of your  
patronage.

**GEO. EDER, Prop.**

**GEO. H. FOSTER,**

AUCTIONEER,

Chelsea, - - Mich.

TERMS REASONABLE

Order left at this office will receive  
prompt attention.

## H.S. HOLMES & CO.

We are now Showing:

New Wash Goods,  
New Fast Black Sateens,  
New Fast Black Hosiery,  
New Dress Goods.

In our Clothing Department.

New Clothing,  
Spring Stock of Hats.

Call and select yours now while  
stock is complete.

Respectfully,

**H. S. HOLMES & CO.**



This is what we claim for Pratt's Food, and guarantee it will do: In-  
crease the flow of milk; make the milk richer; produce 20 per cent more  
butter; prevent sinking of calves; prevent pneumonia; prevent colds;  
prevent indigestion; regulate the bowels; purify the blood; tone up the  
system.

You will have finer calves, and can milk the cow closer to the time  
of calving, and lessen the worry and trouble of the care dairy. For sale by

**R. A. SNYDER.**

Chelsea, - - Mich.

## FOR LENT

I have just receive a nice line of Salt Fish,  
in pails and quarter barrels.

Whitefish, Lake Herring,  
Codfish, Holland Herring  
and Russian Sardines

Call and see us before buying elsewhere.

Yours Respectfully,

**GEO. BLAICH.**

Chelsea, - - Michigan.

#### FARMERS

Are especially invited to do their Banking  
business with the

**Chelsea Savings Bank.**

Date, Feb. 4th, 1891.

State Law Guarantee Fund and  
Capital \$100,887.50

Deposits, Sept. 6th, 1890 162,095.31

Invested in Choice Bonds,  
Mortgages and approved

Loans 151,417.41

Cash on hand and in banks 62,568.38

If you have money deposit it in the  
Chelsea Savings Bank, that it may earn  
for you interest, or until wanted, that you  
may be free from care and fear of loss by  
fire, thieves or otherwise. If you need  
to borrow money, upon good approved  
security, the Chelsea Savings bank will be  
glad to supply it for you.

The Chelsea Savings Bank has recently  
had built for it one of the strongest  
safes made, being the new patterns of the  
Moser Bank Safe Companies, Round  
Screw Door, Laminated Chrome Steel,  
Burglar and Dynamite Proof Safe, with  
no keyhole, spindle or other connection  
through the door or walls, nor any  
access to the lock from the outside, the  
door being screwed in and held secure  
by a Double Chronometer Time Lock  
from inside. It is considered the strong-  
est and best security ever devised against  
efforts of burglars. The safe is protect-  
ed by a large new fireproof vault made  
necessary to store the upwards of twenty  
years' accumulation of books and papers  
of its business, and the whole premises  
are further protected by an Electric  
alarm System, which gives instant warn-  
ing of trespassers at night.

#### DIRECTORS:

Samuel G. Ives, President.

Thos. Sears, Vice President.

John R. Gates, Capitalist and Farmer.

Heman M. Woods, Capitalist.

Frank P. Glazier, Druggist.

Harmon S. Holmes, General Merchant.

Wm. J. Knapp, Hardware Merchant.

Jas. L. Babcock, Capitalist.

GEO. P. Glazier, Cashier.

Drafts drawn payable in gold on pre-  
sentation at banks in all the principal cities  
of Europe, Asia, Africa, South America  
and Australia.

Tickets for passage by the principal  
ocean steamship lines; also from all rail-  
road points to seaboard in Europe.

Fire insurance and life insurance in the  
oldest and strongest companies.

**Chelsea Savings Bank.**

**H. L. Williams, D. D. S.**

Graduate of the U.  
of M. Dental  
College

Office with Palmer  
& Wright over  
Kemp Bros. bank,  
Chelsea, - - Michigan.

**S. R. FINCH,**

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.

Office over Glazier's bank with Dr. Bush.

CHELSEA, MICH.

Office Hours—8 to 10 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.  
and 7 to 8 p. m. Sundays—2 to 4 p. m.



# THE CHELSEA HERALD.

A. ALLISON, Editor and Proprietor.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN.

NEARLY three-fourths of the States in the Union have passed laws restricting in some way or other the sale of cigars.

Dr. McINTOSH, of Harrisburg, says he recently visited a Pennsylvania town where no one could understand English. He also saw working-men's notices posted in four different languages.

CUSTER COUNTY, in Montana, which contains thirty-six thousand square miles, is larger in extent than the States of Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Delaware and Rhode Island.

THE numerically smallest religious denomination represented by the census takers is that of the Schwankfelders. There are three hundred and six of them and they dwell in Pennsylvania.

ACCORDING to the new census the South has only six cities which exceed fifty thousand in population. Florida, Mississippi and North Carolina do not contain a city with twenty-five thousand inhabitants.

CAPTAIN CHRISTOPHERS, of the steamer Aller, lately completed his one hundredth trip from Bremen to New York and back. In honor of the event the Emperor decorated him with the Order of the Crown of the fourth class.

WILLIAM CAROUTHERS, a young pedestrian of Napa County, Cal., will start March 15 for a little jaunt from San Francisco to New York. He has bet that he can make the trip in less than six months, and expects to do it in four months.

A BOONVILLE (N. Y.) man has evolved a new reason why he should be given an office. In his application for the post-office he argues that he deserves it because he has been thirty-four years in the Presbyterian choir without compensation.

THERE are more diamonds in the world than ever before. In 1879 the African output was about 1,500,000 carats; in 1889 above 400,000 carats, and last October the trust which controls the principal mines said 16,000,000 carats were in sight!

A REMARKABLE petition was sent from India to Queen Victoria. It is more than sixty feet in length, and is signed by more than 10,000 women in India who are anxious to have the legal marriage age for girls raised from its present limit of ten to fourteen years.

JOHN F. HEWITT, of Los Angeles, is an old soldier and an honest man. He served in an Ohio regiment, and has just been granted a pension on account of disease contracted during the war. But he declined to receive it, saying he believed it would be wrong, as "I am well enough to make my own living at present." That is the stuff true manhood is made of.

THE marriage of Morton Mitchell, cousin of Vice-President Morton, to the lovely widow, Mrs. George S. Ladd, has been the season's sensation in Washington, and all the bachelors are envying Morton's good fortune in winning a pronounced blonde of delicate beauty and high social station, who has no innumerable except a million dollars in good hard cash.

ANOTHER of the peculiar incidents of the war has cropped out. At the battle of Stone River Constable Walter Lacey, of Cincinnati, saw, as he supposed, his brother killed by his side, and has always mourned him as dead. Recently, however, he saw a notice of the death of a John Lacey, at Chattanooga, Tenn., and upon investigation found it was his long lost brother.

AN ingenious Chicagoan has perfected an electrical device for stopping runaway horses, the electrical fluid—three volts—being conveyed to the animals through the bits. The curious sensation has never failed, it is said, in a number of experiments to bring the frightened animals to a standstill, and without ill effects on the subjects of experiments. Runaway marriages will go on the same as ever.

A MEDICAL gentleman of Philadelphia explains Dr. Koch's statement about his lymph in this way: It wasn't written for laymen, but it can be made clear enough. Let us suppose that the bacillus is but a small mosquito; that it stings the flesh and injects a virus. "Now, Koch taught us, it is for it is more powerful than the strongest drug known—and then preserves it in glycerine."

IN the House of Representatives of the present Congress, now nearing its close, there have been twenty-six changes in membership—eleven by death, six by resignation, and nine by unseating in favor of contestants. The deaths were as follows: S. S. Cox, New York; James Laird, Nebraska; N. Burns, Missouri; James P. Walker, Missouri; Edward J. Gay, Louisiana; R. W. Townsend, Illinois; David Wilber, New York; William D. Kelley, Pennsylvania; Samuel J. Randall, Pennsylvania; L. F. Watson, Pennsylvania, and James Phelan, Tennessee—the largest death roll of any Congress.

THE estimates of numbers and values of farm animals, made at the end of each year and returned in January to the Department of Agriculture, have been consolidated. The number of horses on farms, as reported, is 14,036,750, and the average price of all ages, \$97. Number of mules, 2,296,533, having an average value of \$77.88. Number of milch cows, 10,119,591, having an average value per head of \$21.02. Other cattle aggregate 38,675,648. The estimated number of sheep is 43,431,138, having an average value of \$2.61. The aggregate of numbers of swine is 50,625,106, having an average value of \$4.15.

ADMIRAL PORTER, who died recently in Washington, was nearly 78 years old and had seen nearly sixty years' service in the navy. He was the son of Captain Porter, of the navy, who in 1814 made the great fight on the Essex. Admiral Porter entered the war for the Union as commander of the Powhatan sent to re-enforce Fort Pickens. He commanded the mortar flotilla in operations against New Orleans and later commanded the Mississippi squadron which operated against Vicksburg, and commanded the naval forces at the capture of Fort Fisher. On the death of Farragut, Porter succeeded him as Admiral.

# Epitome of the Week.

INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

TUESDAY, Feb. 17.—The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was passed in the Senate and the credentials of William A. Peffer as Senator from Kansas and D. W. Voorhees from Indiana were presented and placed on file. In the House the general deficiency bill (\$38,574,388) was reported and the Indian appropriation bill was discussed.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 18.—The copyright bill, with amendments to admit copyrighted books, etc., printed in foreign countries, on payment of tariff duties, and requiring charts, photographs, etc., to be printed on plates executed in the United States, was passed in the Senate by a vote of 36 to 14. Other bills were passed increasing the pensions of the widows of Generals Custer and Ullman and Admiral Wilkes to \$1000 per month, and House bill dividing the State of Iowa into two judicial districts. In the House the Indian appropriation bill was passed and resolutions were discussed to investigate the condition of the Indian tribes in the United States and to amend the constitution so as to provide that the terms of Representatives shall begin January 1, and that the President shall be inaugurated April 30.

THURSDAY, Feb. 19.—Bills were passed in the Senate for the erection of a bridge across Portage lake Michigan, between Houghton and Hancock, and for the adjudication of claims arising from Indian depredations. Senator Ingalls resigned as President pro tem. A bill was introduced to give a pension of \$2,500 a year to the widow of Admiral Porter. In the House bills were passed for the relief of settlers on lands in Southern Iowa, and for the relief of the Stockbridge tribe of Indians in Wisconsin. A bill was introduced to repeal that part of the National bank act that compels National banks to purchase United States bonds.

FRIDAY, Feb. 20.—In the Senate 130 pension bills were passed. The measure to give aid to the construction of the Nicaragua canal was discussed, but no action was taken. In the House the bill for the relief of the Supreme Court and the bill to fix the salaries of United States Judges were considered. At the evening session 113 pension bills were passed.

FROM WASHINGTON.

ADMIRAL PORTER'S funeral took place at Washington on the 17th. He was buried at Arlington Cemetery.

It is stated in a bulletin issued by the Census Office that the center of population in this country on June 1, 1890, was in Southern Indiana, near Greensburg, and twenty miles east of Columbus. Ten years ago it was eight miles west by south of Cincinnati.

The business failure in the United States during the seven days ended on the 20th numbered 293, against 297 the preceding week and 271 the corresponding week last year.

THE EAST.

FIRE destroyed the new power-house of the Duquesne Traction Company at Pittsburgh, Pa. Loss, \$100,000; no insurance.

At Pittsburgh the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers were both near the high-water mark on the 17th and still rising. Reports from different points in Western Pennsylvania showed very high water and much damage from the flood. The loss at Pittsburgh and Allegheny alone was placed at \$750,000. Thousands of persons have been driven from their homes.

In a collision of trains at Rahway, N. J., three men were fatally injured.

The doors of the American Loan and Trust Company of New York were closed. Depositors would be paid in full.

The death of Mrs. Rose McCormick occurred on the 18th, at Green Point, N. Y., aged 104 years. Her father died at the age of 102 years and her mother lived to be 104 years old.

In a burning building in Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. John Henry and her four children and Jacob Enrich were suffocated.

The McKinley tariff law was declared unconstitutional in a test case in the United States Circuit Court in New York.

GENERAL SHERMAN'S remains were on the 19th borne from the family residence in New York to the depot and embarked on a train for St. Louis. The ceremonies were attended by President Harrison and his Cabinet and many other distinguished persons, and thousands of old soldiers were in the line of march.

By a collision of railway trains on the New Haven railroad in New York City six trainmen were killed and seven injured.

In Green County, Pa., the Standard Oil Company has purchased 30,000 acres of oil lands. This corporation now owns nearly all of five counties in Pennsylvania.

At Johnstown, Pa., the bodies of two victims of the 1889 flood were found in the Conemaugh river. They were supposed to be the bodies of females.

WEST AND SOUTH.

MRS. M. TROLLINGER, of Leesville, Mo., was watching her son cut down a tree when it fell on her, killing her instantly.

In Salt Lake City seven members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints pleaded guilty to living in polygamy and were fined in sums ranging from \$100 and upwards.

FLAMES at Akron, O., destroyed the paper mill of the Thomas Phillips Company, causing a loss of \$100,000, and the works of the Enterprise Manufacturing Company; loss, \$40,000. Nettie Cruza was burned to death.

At Jasper, Tenn., the Etna Coal Company made an assignment, with liabilities of \$100,000 and assets of \$900,000.

THE late flood at Pittsburgh and vicinity did damage estimated at \$3,000,000. On the 18th General H. H. Sibley, first Governor of Minnesota, died in St. Paul, aged 80 years.

A MON too white man and a negro from the county jail in Gainesville, Fla., and hanged them for complicity in numerous assaults.

At Kansas City the Union Investment Company assigned, with liabilities and assets each \$1,000,000.

TOM KENDALL, Billy Kohler and William Kerns were killed by a snowslide at the Old Lout mine in Colorado. FIRE destroyed the Missouri Pacific round house at Kansas City, Kan., with eight engines, causing a loss of \$175,000.

THE firm of John D. Knox & Co., private bankers at Topeka, Kan., assigned, with liabilities of \$340,000 and assets of about \$450,000.

A FIRE at Hoosierville, a mining village in Clay County, Ind., almost entirely destroyed the town.

EX-TREASURER WOODRUFF paid into the State Treasury of Arkansas \$63,740.50, the full amount of his shortage.

A FLOOD swept away Riverside, a suburb of Parkersburg, W. Va. No lives were lost.

MARTHA MOORE and Sarah Mules (colored) were killed at Lake Station, Md., by a train.

An explosion of natural gas in the house of William Kuntz at Martin's Ferry, O., burned nine persons, two of them, Mrs. Kuntz and Miss Graves, fatally.

THE Industrial party of Michigan in State convention at Lansing nominated O'Brien Jameson, of Port Huron, for Supreme Court Justice.

THE population of Tennessee by races is announced by the Census Bureau as follows: White, 1,332,971; colored, 454,800; Indians, 173; Chinese, 64; Japanese, 10; total, 1,767,518.

The population of West Virginia was as follows: White, 729,393; colored, 33,508; Indians, 8; Chinese, 16; total 762,917.

A MON hanged John Bull, an Indian, at Battlefield, Miss., for the murder of Ben Pierce, a farmer.

IN the Northwest a storm of sleet and snow did great damage to the telegraph service.

THE world's fair directory has abandoned the Lake Front. There will not be a building placed upon it and the World's Columbian Exposition will be held at Jackson Park. It was said the expense of the fair would be \$17,625,453 and the receipts were estimated at \$21,000,000.

WILLIAM MCCUBBIN, a wealthy citizen of Leigh, Neb., shot and killed his wife and his hired man and then cut his own throat. Jealousy prompted the crime.

IN the Northwest the total production of white pine lumber during the past season was 4,068,385,584 feet, an increase over the previous season of 596,700,146 feet.

THE death was announced of Mrs. Elizabeth Winchester, of Floyd County, Ind., aged 91 years, who was thought to be the only person in Indiana drawing a pension on account of the revolutionary war.

MICHAEL ZEILERS found alive in the bottom of a forty-foot dry well at Crawfordsville, Ind., a hog which had been there for forty-one days without food or water.

IN an interview in New York President Cleveland emphatically denied a statement by a Washington paper to the effect that he had decided not to be a Presidential candidate in 1892.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

IN Buenos Ayres a conspiracy to assassinate the principal officers of the Republic was discovered.

SPANISH soldiers were repulsed with a loss of 120 men in a battle with natives of the Caroline Islands.

TERRIFIC storms prevailed on the coast of Greece, and off the island of Zou a steamer was wrecked and nine lives lost.

GOVERNMENT officials in Cuba were charged with encouraging four prisoners to escape and then shooting them in cold blood.

At Bradford, Eng., James Wilson & Co., builders, failed with liabilities amounting to \$400,000.

LEPROSY was said to be spreading rapidly among whites and Indians in British Columbia.

IN the West Indies the American bark Topsy, with two mates, a seaman and the cabin-boy were drowned.

THE National League at Cork, Ireland, has adopted a resolution declaring Parnell to be the "sole leader of the Irish people."

RUFUS AYRES advises that the Chilean war was over, the negotiations for a settlement proving successful.

IN the central provinces of India a district was being ravaged by a pack of wolves which had killed forty cattle-watchers, who were chiefly youths of both sexes from 8 to 16 years.

THE United States is asked to pay the widow of General Barrandina \$1,000,000 for the killing of her husband on board the American steamer Acapulca in the harbor of Guatemala.

LATER.

A BILL was passed in the United States senate on the 21st to prevent book-making and pool-selling in the district of Columbia. The sundry civil appropriation bill was reported and the Nicaragua canal bill was discussed.

The nomination of Charles Foster, of Ohio, to be secretary of the treasury to succeed the late Secretary Windom, was received from the president. In the House the senate bill fixing the salaries of United States district judges at \$5,000 was passed and in committee of the whole the post office appropriation bill was considered.

TRAINS collided near Las Vegas, N. M., killing two engineers, two firemen and a brakeman.

WHILE entering the harbor at San Francisco the American ship Elizabeth went on the beach at North heads and was wrecked and seventeen men were drowned.

WILLIE CLARK, aged 101 years and 24 days, died at Sparta, N. Y.

FREDERICK WAXNER and his wife and three children were drowned near Kansas City, Mo., by an overflow of the Missouri river.

A FIRE in a business block at Kansas City, Mo., caused a loss of \$325,000. By an explosion in the Spring Hill coal mine in Nova Scotia 117 persons were killed and many others were missing.

EX-GOV. CHARLES FOSTER, of Ohio, was on the 21st nominated for secretary of the treasury by President Harrison.

The burial of Gen. Sherman took place in St. Louis on the 21st in the presence of a vast concourse of people who had gathered to do honor to the great soldier.

TWO children were sealed to death by the overturning of a tub of hot water near Park, Ind.

FLOODS in the Salt and Gila rivers in Arizona caused \$125,000 damage, chiefly in and near Phoenix. Five Pima Indians were drowned.

IN a fire in a tenement house in New York City the wife and two children of John E. Dorney, Jacob Benedict, Edward Benedict and Julia Griffin were burned to death.

# BEARING A HERO HOME.

General Sherman's Remains En Route from New York to St. Louis—An Impressive Funeral Cortège—Simple Services Conducted at the Residence by the Dead Warrior's Son.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—New York paid every possible tribute of respect to the memory of General Sherman, whose last years have been spent as one of its citizens. The dawn of his funeral day opened bright and clear. His light fell on thousands of the National flags floated at half mast from public and private buildings alike. The courts remained closed; no public business was transacted. The exchanges closed at noon, general business was brought almost to a standstill, and all who could do so ceased their daily occupations to do honor to the dead soldier.

Rev. Thomas Ewing Sherman, the son whose arrival has been so anxiously awaited, arrived at the house at 1:30 a. m. He was welcomed home, not by his beloved father, but by his brother P. T. Sherman, and his sisters, Mrs. Tackara and Miss Rachel Sherman. Touching the subject of General Sherman's religious belief, his son said in a positive way, that may well remove all doubt on the matter: "My father was baptized in the Catholic church, was married in the Catholic church and attended the Catholic church until the outbreak of the civil war. Since that time my father had not been a communicant; but he always told me: 'If there is any true religion, it is the Catholic religion.'"

Short services were held at noon. The prayers were read by Rev. Father Sherman. Close to the casket stood the other son, P. T. Sherman. In the front parlor were all the other members of the family and Secretary Blaine and wife and Mrs. Damrosch. Father Sherman was assisted by Rev. Father Taylor and two other priests. At about 12:35 o'clock the caisson, draped in black and drawn by four horses, was drawn up in front of the Sherman residence. The horses were mounted by regulars and an army officer was in charge. Behind the caisson was an orderly leading the military trampings of the General. A black velvet covering almost hid the horse from view, but the boots and saddle were plainly conspicuous.

The hour at which the head of the funeral procession was to move from Seventy-first street was 2 o'clock, but long before that time spectators began to take up their places along the route of march. The decorations along this route were not so numerous or elaborate as when General Grant was buried, but, nevertheless, they were strikingly handsome and in great profusion.

The order of the column was as follows:

Mounted and Foot Police.  
General O. O. Howard and Staff.  
Escort of Honor, Under Command of Col. Loomis L. Langdon, Composed of a Battalion of United States Marines, Four Companies of United States Engineers, Six Companies (Foot Batteries) of Artillery, a Battalion of Light Artillery from the Regular Army and National Guard, Two Troops of Cavalry from the National Guard.

These surrounded the pall-bearers, the body, which rested on a caisson, and the carriages of the relatives.

The Pall-bearers in Carriages.  
A Led Horse Bearing the Saddle, Bridle, Sword and Sides of General Sherman.  
A Special Escort from Lafayette Post, Grand Army of the Republic, on the Right and Left of the Caisson.

Family and Relatives in Carriages, Escorted by Lieutenant Killian Van Rensselaer, President and Vice President of the United States.

Members of the Cabinet.  
Joseph H. Choate, accompanying ex-President Chauncy M. Depew, accompanying ex-President Grover Cleveland.

Committees of the Senate and House of Representatives.  
Lieutenant-Governor Jones and Mayor Grant, Military order of the Loyd Legion of the United States and officers of the Army and Navy.

The Grand Army of the Republic.  
The Corps of Cadets of the United States Military Academy.

National guard under command of Brigadier-General Louis Fitzgerald. The brigade consisted of the following organizations: 60th Regiment, Colonel James Cavanaugh, with the old battle flag carried with General Sherman at Bull Run; 9th Regiment, Colonel William Seward, 22d Regiment, Colonel J. T. Camp; 71st Regiment, Col. Fred. Kepper; 7th Reg., Daniel Appleton; 12th Reg., Col. Homan Dowd.

The First Battery, Captain Wendell; Second Battery, Captain Wilson, and Troop "A," Captain Bee, with troops of the regular army forming the funeral cortège.

The Signal Corps, commanded by Captain Gallop, was mounted and followed the cortege.

Delegations and representatives of veterans, Sons of Veterans, and other organizations assigned, under charge of General David Morris.

The line of march was from Seventy-first street and Tenth avenue to Fifty-seventh street, to Fifth avenue, to Waverly place, where its column, excepting the military escort, was dismissed; to Broadway, to Canal street, to the ferry. The G. A. R. kept in line to Canal street, where they were dismissed. There were fully 20,000 men in line—2,000 regular troops, 5,000 National Guard, and 13,000 Grand Army men, and those forming General Tremain's command.

The carriages in which were the family boarded the ferry-boat which was in waiting and which took the remains across to Jersey City. The train left Jersey City at 6:30 o'clock.

Fire at Watseka, Ill.  
WATSEKA, Ill., Feb. 20.—Fire broke out in A. V. Gard's hardware store about 5 o'clock a. m., Thursday and the entire building, with contents, was consumed. The explosion of a keg of powder injured a number of persons who were first on the ground and attempted to save the contents of the store. N. D. Graves, Walter Braden, C. C. Gallaher and F. M. Schoolcraft were severely wounded and bruised. The adjoining buildings were a total loss and very little property could be saved. The entire loss will exceed \$35,000, of which perhaps \$15,000 is covered by insurance.

Woodruff Settles.  
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 20.—Thursday Representative South, of the House standing committee on Auditor's and Treasurer's books, reported to that body that through his sureties ex-State Treasurer Woodruff had just paid the receipt for \$98,740.50, the full amount of the shortage shown to exist in Woodruff's cash account.

Sold for a Big Sum.  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 20.—At Lexington Antica, the son of the great Electioneer, was sold to S. A. Brown, of Kansas, Mich., for \$85,000.

# THE FLOODS.

The Ohio River Continues to Rise at Cincinnati and a Repetition of the Floods of 1883 and 1884 Threatened—Damage in Indiana and West Virginia—Loss of Life in Missouri and Arizona.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.—At midnight the Ohio river at Cincinnati stood 54 feet and 10 inches above low water and was rising one inch an hour. News from above is that the river is stationary at Pomeroy, but from Point Pleasant at the mouth of the Ohio so Cincinnati the rise is at the rate of an inch an hour. At Portsmouth, O., at 6 o'clock the river was 53 feet and 10 inches and was still rising. The rise below Cincinnati is not correspondingly rapid, as the lower tributaries have not been flooded, though the Kentucky river is pouring out moderate freshets. Business men here are preparing for a rise of not more than 36 feet and 6 inches. Should heavy rains come to add to this freshet within thirty-six hours a repetition of the floods of 1883 and 1884 would not be improbable.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 23.—The heavy snow, which was followed by rain, has caused an overflowing of the Missouri river and resulted in a casualty in which five lives were lost. Frederick Warner, a German fisherman, lived on the bank of the river with his wife and three children in a small house. Saturday night the combined rain and high water caused the house to be undermined, and it was thrown into the river with the whole family. The cries of the people roused the neighbors and they rushed to the spot, but were too late to be of assistance. The bodies of Mrs. Warner and two of the children were recovered about a mile below the place where the accident occurred, but Warner and the youngest child were not found, and it is supposed that they were swept further down the stream.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 23.—Fire broke out Friday night in a warehouse in the submerged districts, caused by the water overflowing some lime. It spread rapidly and ten houses, including four warehouses, were destroyed. The estimated loss is over \$40,000. The river is slowly falling and the worst is believed to be over. The heavy rains Saturday night damaged many stores and household goods which were in the street.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 23.—News from Pocahontas county is to the effect that a considerable number of people living in the upper part of that county who were cut off from supplies of food by the recent terrible storms are in a destitute condition. The roads cannot be traversed and all available stores of food, general groceries, etc., were soon exhausted, corn meal now being the leading article of consumption.

PORTLAND, Ind., Feb. 23.—The rainfall caused a wonderful rise in the Salomon river, and Friday night the major portion of the business section of the city was inundated. Two squares of Meridian street were completely under water, and in the Merchants' hotel it was six inches deep in the office and dining-rooms. Along the river, where are situated a number of saw-mills and factories, the greatest damage was done.

TEMPERATURE, Feb. 23.—Floods in the Salt and Gila rivers have caused \$125,000 damage, chiefly in and near Phoenix. Five Pima Indians were drowned. Gov. Irwin has taken steps to relieve the destitute.

# VICTIMS OF THE FLAMES.

Another Tenement House Horror in Brooklyn—A Two Story Dwelling Destroyed by Fire and Six Inmates Burned to Death.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—A fire which resulted in the loss of six lives, and which is supposed to have been of incendiary origin, broke out Saturday night in the two story double brick apartment house, No. 129 and 131 Sands street, Brooklyn. The fire originated in the cellar of the building at 129, near a wooden shaft that was used for the dumb waiter. There were four families on each of the single floors above the ground floor, or thirty-two families in all, and nearly everybody was at home when, at 7:50 o'clock, the roaring of flames was heard in the dumb waiter flue. There was a panic among the tenants, with which the building was fortunately well provided both front and rear. But there was a family on the third floor of the house which was not so fortunate. This was the household of John E. Dorney, a printer employed on the New York Times. Mr. Dorney was not at home, but his wife, their four children, Julia Griffin, a sister of Mrs. Dorney, and Mrs. Dorney's spinster aunt, Margaret Griffin, aged 50 years, were in the rooms. Some of the family escaped by the roof. After the fire had been extinguished firemen found lying on the roof the bodies of Miss Griffin, the elder, and little Daniel Dorney, aged 8 years. They were carried down on ladders. Neither was very much burned, and it was evident that they had met their death from suffocation or fright. Two hours later four more bodies were found. They were those of two adults and two children. The fire was out when they were found, and the firemen discovered them huddled in the small loft leading to the roof stairway. They were Jacob Benedict, aged 70; Edward Benedict, aged 18 months; Mrs. Margaret Dorney and 4-year-old Mamie Dorney.

# A THOUSAND KILLED.

A Bloody Battle Between Egyptian Troops and the Arabs Under Osman Digma—The Latter Routed.

AFATTE, Egypt, via Suakin, Feb. 23.—A severe engagement was fought at Tokar on February 19, between the Egyptian troops who recently left El Teb and Osman Digma's forces. Nearly 1,000 lives were lost in the battle which followed the appearance of the Egyptians at Tokar. After seeing that his followers had suffered a disastrous defeat, Osman Digma, accompanied by about thirty horsemen, fled toward Temrin.

Seven Men Drowned.  
LONDON, Feb. 23.—The Great Eastern Railway Company's channel mail steamer which plays between Harwich and Rotterdam collided with the steamer Queen in the North Sea. The latter vessel almost immediately sank and notwithstanding the efforts of the officers and crew of the mail steamer, seven of the crew of the Queen were drowned.

He Must Die.  
OTTAWA, Ill., Feb. 23.—Judge Stipp has refused to grant a new trial to Charles Ford, who is under sentence of death for the murder of David Moore.

# "German Syrup"

G. Gloger, Druggist, Watertown, Wis. This is the opinion of a man who keeps a drug store, sells all medicines, comes in direct contact with the patients and their families, and knows better than anyone else how remedies sell, and what tries merit they have. He hears of all the failures and successes, and can therefore judge: "I know of no medicine for Coughs, Sore Throat, or Hoarseness that had done such effective work in my family as Boschee's German Syrup. Last winter a lady called at my store, who was suffering from a very severe cold. She could hardly talk, and I told her about German Syrup, and that a few doses would give relief; but she had no confidence in patent medicines. I told her to take a bottle, and if the results were not satisfactory I would make no charge for it. A few days after she called and paid for it, saying that she would never be without it in future as a few doses had given her relief."

The Soap that Cleans Most is Lenox.



ONE ENJOYS Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and 10c bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will procure it promptly for any one who wishes to try it. Do not accept any substitute.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. LOUISVILLE, KY. NEW YORK, N.Y.

# FILE BEANS

STAND ALONE.

AS FILE MOVERS.

They dispel poisonous bile from the system, thereby curing bilious attacks, constipation, headache, malaria, dysentery, and all stomach and liver disorders.

Two sizes, one price. Beans, 20 in each bottle. One a dose.

Beans Small, 40 in each bottle, 3 to 4 a dose. Sugar Coated. Pleasant as candy. Sold by Druggists. 25 cents per bottle.

J. F. SMITH & CO., 235 & 237 Greenwich Street, New York City.

BOILING WATER OR



# MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

## INSURANCE.

Statistics Show the Past Year Was Profitable for Underwriters.

The advance summary of the report of the Commissioner of Insurance for the year 1889 has been issued and makes the following showing:

The assets of Michigan fire and marine companies were \$1,184,707. The liabilities were \$1,084,707. The surplus was \$100,000. The amount of fire risks written was \$2,410,000, with premiums of \$209,217, and losses of \$177,435. The inland marine premiums were \$470,154, with premiums of \$103,224, and losses of \$47,000. The total assets of companies of other States doing business here is \$104,000,000, with surplus as regards policy holders of \$24,000,000. The amount of fire risks written by fire insurance companies of other countries was \$27,315,158; premiums, \$2,412,173, and losses, \$208,410. The inland marine premiums were \$100,000, and losses of \$17,399. A deposit of \$20,000 is received from this class of companies, which is considered as each capital under Act 17, Laws of 1879. Mutual insurance companies of other States have written fire risks to amount of \$20,910, premiums of \$2,400, and losses of \$17,399. Fire marine risks written, \$12,307; premiums, \$17,357; and losses, \$20,500. It is seen that Michigan has been a profitable field for underwriters the past year.

## EQUAL SUFFRAGISTS.

The Women's Suffrage Association Elects Officers at Lansing.

At the annual session at Lansing of the Women's Suffrage Association officers were chosen as follows:

President, Mrs. Helen B. Jenkins, of Detroit; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Sarah A. C. Plummer, of Lansing; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Martha E. Root, of Bay City; Treasurer, Mrs. Emily B. Ketchum, of Grand Rapids. District officers: First district, Mrs. H. J. Yelland; Second, Dr. McAndrew, of Battle Creek; Third, Mrs. Marion Wood Upton, of Kalamazoo; Fourth, Miss Gertrude L. Cobb, of Kalamazoo; Fifth, Mrs. Elizabeth Eglefield, of Grand Rapids; Sixth, Mrs. Sarah E. Y. Emery, of Lansing; Seventh, Mrs. Adele Hattet, of Port Huron; Eighth, Mrs. Frances C. Stafford, of Zilwaukee; Ninth, Mrs. Fannie M. Fowler, of Muskegon; Tenth, Mrs. D. E. H. Parker, of Bay City; Eleventh, Mrs. Mary E. Parker, of Frankfort.

Health in Michigan.

Reports to the State Board of Health by fifty observers in different parts of the State for the week ended February 14 indicate that the measles increased, and diphtheria, membranous croup, inflammation of the brain, cholera morbus, cerebro-spinal meningitis and typhoid fever decreased in area of prevalence. Diphtheria was reported at thirty-two places, scarlet fever at thirty-eight, typhoid fever at fourteen and measles at twenty-nine places.

## Morphine Made Death Easy.

George E. Smith, a well-to-do grocer of Oscoda, bought a large dose of morphine and going home took it and lay down on the sofa in his sitting-room. His wife came in shortly after, and he told her in the most matter-of-fact way what he had done and how long he expected to live. She wanted to go for help, but he detained her with instructions as to what he wanted done until it was too late to save him.

## Murdered by Violent Poles.

A row in a boarding house in Marquette resulted in the brutal murder of Michael Smith and the fatal injury of Michael Selka by Walenty Nowak and son. The Nowaks and other Poles were carousing on the second floor of the building, and Smith and Selka went upstairs to stop the fracas, when they were set upon with pick-handles. Smith's body was pounded into an unrecognizable mass of flesh.

## The Value of Advertising.

P. E. Deal, a well-to-do farmer living near Oshtemo, who advertised in Chicago some time ago for a wife, after making a choice of 500 applicants selected Miss Dorcas C. Waters, of Morley, this State, and they are now one. Mr. Deal is 36 years old and his wife 30.

## Short but Newsy Items.

A Tawas City mother wrapped her baby so snugly in its cot that it was dead next morning from suffocation.

One of the biggest industries at Whitehall is the manufacture of genuine imported Russian leather.

The Grand Trunk freight house at Romeo is in ashes. It will cost the company about \$2,500.

## Mrs. John Seymour was fatally injured in a run-away at Jackson.

Allan Sheldon Alger, the 8-year-old son of General Alger, died at Detroit, Mich., Monday.

## Alexander St. Clair was sentenced to three years and nine months in prison for burglarizing Gull Lake cottages.

Jerry Stackhouse, the balloonist injured at Charlotte last August, died at Marshall the other day.

## Lyman Judson, of Brighton, a pioneer of Livingston County, died at the age of 81 years.

The Alton mine rock house at Houghton was completely destroyed by fire. Loss, \$25,000; insurance, \$8,000.

## George E. Smith, a well-to-do merchant of Oscoda, committed suicide by taking morphine.

The fact has been discovered that a picture by Peter Neefs, the old Dutch master, has been stolen from the art museum in Detroit. It is entitled "Interior of a Gothic Church." The subject was that of a priest celebrating mass. It was painted in 1640 or thereabouts and was valued at \$15,000. It is noted as one of the once greatest collections of Sir Charles Russhurst.

## The Spiral Spring Buggy Company of Grand Rapids has gone to the wall and has filed \$60,000 worth of chattel mortgages.

Fire was discovered in Trudeau's saloon and dwelling at Marquette, and it was soon gutted and the dwelling adjoining considerably damaged. Loss, \$10,000; insurance, \$8,000.

## B. L. Rudd, of Cassopolis, and Dr. Laughton, of Battle Creek, have purchased Forest Hall at Diamond Lake. They intend to convert it into a sanitarium.

Bert Oberauer, a lumber inspector at Bay City, and married, sent a letter to Mary, the 15-year-old daughter of Andrew Walton, a well-known banker of that city, asking her to meet him. Mr. Walton met him instead, and gave him a severe kicking.

## Joseph K. Point died at Jackson from a dose of aconite which he took by mistake for coffee medicine.

Joseph Johnson, of Saint Ste. Marie, had his right heel smashed to a pulp by a mass of iron falling on him.

## The Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company of Grand Rapids is insolvent, with assets of \$195,262; liabilities, \$53,275.

Michigan is credited with being the third State in the Union in the breeding and development of trotting horses, and is rapidly going toward the first place. Stock farms are rapidly springing up all over the State.

# MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

## SENATE.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 18.—In the Senate yesterday Senator McCormick presented a bill making the legal rate for telephone rental \$2.50 a month, and Senator Baughman a bill prohibiting the existence in Michigan of trusts, syndicates, combines or any organization formed for the purpose of increasing the price of any commodity or product. The bill provides that any master of a trust or any one advertising or selling any article controlled by a trust may be fined from \$100 to \$1,000 or sentenced to imprisonment for from one to five years. The bill was introduced in the House yesterday and will be taken up in the Upper Peninsula, and making an appropriation of \$70,000 for the support of the State public schools.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 18.—In the Senate yesterday bills were introduced providing for mutual benefit associations for mine laborers; dividing the State into thirty-two judicial districts; prohibiting the acceptance of free railroad passes by individual officers; prohibiting the acceptance of gifts exceeding \$5 value by wardens from convicts. Bills were noticed dividing the State into three congressional districts, establishing a State department of stationery for supplying departments and State institutions; dividing the State into thirty-two Senatorial districts. A resolution was adopted that the Senate should make a special appropriation of \$75,000 for the State prison; for the erection of fish chutes in all dams across streams; prohibiting the feeding of swill and refuse to foot animals; establishing a State civil-service reform commission; prohibiting the use of free passes by members of the Legislature; amending the laws in reference to the employment of children in factories. Adjourned to the 20th.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 18.—Bills were introduced in the House yesterday for the creation of a commission for the examination of candidates for admission to the bar; a free school text-book bill; for setting apart certain lands at Wild Ford bay for a public shooting ground; appropriating \$45,000 for two cottages and the extension of electric light system at the Traverse City Insane Asylum; prohibiting the sale of liquors on boats on the waters of the lakes and bays in the State limits; amending the liquor law permitting saloons to sell liquors to retail dealers; amending the laws in reference to personal property and to permit their residence in any portion of the county instead of in town or city where the principal is doing business, as now; providing that justices of the peace may sentence to hard labor all prisoners sent to the county jail; increasing the special tax upon gross receipts of express companies doing business in the State from 1 to 5 per cent.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 18.—Mr. Wagner introduced a joint resolution in the House yesterday demanding better accommodations for emigrants on board steamers of the great lakes. Mr. Ferguson introduced a bill providing for the appointment of an examiner to register or reject applicants for authority to practice medicine in Michigan. The bill provides for three examining boards for the three chief schools of medicines—allopathic, homeopathic and eclectic.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 20.—Bills were introduced in the House yesterday making an appropriation for a display at the world's fair and creating a commission to arrange it; increasing the special tax on gross premiums of life insurance companies from 3 to 5 per cent; providing for the publication of 2,000 copies of "Michigan and Its Resources" for free distribution; providing for the care of veterans of the war at the Soldiers' Home; for a State commission to take charge of the Michigan exhibits at the world's fair at Chicago. Two members from each Congressional district are to compose the commission, part of whom are to be women.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 21.—Mr. Wagner noticed a bill in the House yesterday amending the liquor law; permitting the keeping open of saloons on Sundays; requiring a photograph of parties to whom the sale of liquor is forbidden to accompany the request, to be posted in a conspicuous place in the saloon; also, a bill which amends the law in reference to the time when saloons are required to be closed shall be a compliance with the law. Other bills were introduced providing that rail companies shall employ watchmen at all regular stations to keep the track clear of farm animals, and in case of neglect to do so to be liable for damage sustained; prohibiting the use of saloons for the purpose of holding meetings of political parties without consent of two-thirds of voters in township through which it passes; extending municipal suffrage to women. Adjourned to the 24th.

## WILL FAST TO A FINISH.

Wilmeau Issues a Challenge to the World to Starve to Death for \$15,000 a Side.

DETROIT, Feb. 18.—Arthur W. G. Wilmeau, who recently completed a thirty-day fast in a local dime museum, has issued a challenge to signor Succi or other faster with an official fasting record to fast to a finish for \$15,000 a side. The fast must take place in New York or Chicago, and neither faster is to use medicine, narcotic or stimulant. The conditions are that the men shall fast in adjoining rooms; that a brass band shall play from 1 to 11 each afternoon, and that the regular admission shall be one dollar. The faster who faints first or whose temperature falls below a certain degree shall be the loser. A dime museum manager is willing to back Wilmeau to the fast.

## Big Verdict for an Assault.

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 18.—The sensational suit of this term of the circuit court in the case of Mrs. Mary Shuckrow against Orville Cannon. The plaintiff is the wife of Jerry Shuckrow, the well-known pugilist, and the defendant is the son of William P. Cannon, president of the Second National Bank, and also a nephew of Congressman Cannon. Mrs. Shuckrow testified that as she was walking home last fall in company with her mother-in-law Cannon struck her. Cannon's only defense was that he was intoxicated. The jury gave the plaintiff a verdict for \$1,800.

## AROUND THE GLOBE.

YOLAPUR is but eleven years old and it is said that 5,000,000 people are able to use it.

A PROPHET has arisen who says that the world will be densely overcovered before it is two hundred years older.

It is estimated that nearly 10,000 pickers have been taken so far this winter from Long Meadow pond, near Waterbury, Conn.

The highest church-spire in the world has just been completed. It is that of the cathedral at Olm, Wurtemberg, and is 330 feet high.

Mrs. H. McDowell, of Oskaloosa, Ia., began about a year and a half ago to save dimes. A few days ago her bank was opened and the sum total was \$118.70.

MARSHAL BOOK gives this succinct statement of the salvation methods: "Scrubology and soapology, instead of theology, in dealing with the submerged twentieth of society."

THORNHURST Rice is said to have once won \$100,000 at draw poker at a single sitting. It may be true and again it may not, but there were no such "hands" among the big-braves which he left behind him.

# THE DEAD SAILOR.

## An Imposing Cortege Follows the Remains of the Late Admiral Porter to Their Tomb in Arlington Cemetery, Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The funeral of the late Admiral Porter occurred from his residence on Tuesday and was attended by the President, members of the Cabinet, naval officers and officials, the former in uniform, and many members of Congress, as well as numerous visitors from other points who came here to attend the obsequies.

The naval regulations providing for the funeral of an Admiral were followed as nearly as possible, but there were not enough men on duty to make up the complement stated in the rules, which is 5,000. The cortege formed as follows:

One hundred marines from the barracks here and Annapolis.

Five hundred cavalrymen and artillerymen from Washington barracks and Fort Myer.

Six hundred members of the local Grand Army posts.

Six hundred infantrymen from the district National Guard and naval G. A. R. posts.

Admiral Porter was a member.

All the officers of the navy in full uniform attended the funeral in full uniform. The services were held at the house because Mrs. Porter was not in condition to go to the church. Rev. Dr. Douglass, of St. John's Church, officiated. As the accommodations at the house were limited the invitations to the services were necessarily confined to the personal friends of the family and the officials of the Government.

The body was borne by eight sailors from the receiving ship Dale, now at the navy-yard. The honorary pall-bearers were:

Vice-President Morton, Senator Manderson of Nebraska, Senator McPherson of New Jersey, Senator Howell of Connecticut, Governor Pattison of Pennsylvania, Major-General Schult of United States army, Rear-Admiral Rodgers United States navy, Rear-Admiral Howell, Rear-Admiral Crosby, Rear-Admiral Stevens, Rear-Admiral Allen, Rear-Admiral Worden, Rear-Admiral Joutet, Rear-Admiral Queen, General Joseph E. Johnston late Confederate States army, Representative Boutelle of Maine.

The funeral services were those of the Episcopal church. The remains of the late Admiral were dressed in full uniform with G. A. R. badges on the breast and also the decoration of the Sons of American Revolution and the badge of Porter post of Massachusetts. They rested in a casket of royal purple velvet with silver handles and ornaments. Upon a silver tablet on the lid was the following inscription:

ADMIRAL UNITED STATES NAVY,  
BORN JUNE 13, 1813,  
DIED FEBRUARY 13, 1891.

It was the Admiral's wish often expressed during his life that after death his body should not lie in state. The body, therefore, was not exposed to general public view. It was also his wish that he might be buried from his home, which was done.

## SUNK IN THE OHIO.

A Steamer Collides with a Bridge at Cincinnati—Two of Her Passengers Lose Their Lives.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 18.—The steamer Sherlock on Tuesday struck a Kentucky pier of the Chesapeake & Ohio bridge while going down the river on a trip to New Orleans. She had on board thirty passengers and a crew of fifty or sixty. The boat went to pieces and floated down to Fifth street, where she sank. She had on board 400 tons of freight. The cabin floated down the river, and at Riverside several of the crew got ashore in a skiff. It is not known how many are lost. A harbor steamer went down the river in search of the missing people. The floating cabin was caught at Riverside, several miles below the city. As many as were left were hastily taken aboard and returned to the city.

McLean, of Pittsburgh, was instantly killed by falling freight at the time of the collision. Her little granddaughter was drowned, and it is now certainly known that they were the only persons lost of the twenty-one registered passengers. It is not known whether all of the nine unregistered passengers were saved. It is believed that every one of the officers and crew were rescued. In regard to the cabin and deck clerks there is much uncertainty. Persons are reported having escaped to the shore for quite a distance along the river. The rescued are so scattered about on both sides of the river that it is impossible to make a list of the living and the missing. One or two of the passengers were thrown into the river by the shock when the steamer struck the bridge, but two young men who ventured out in skiffs from the Kentucky shore rescued them. There were fourteen women among the passengers and some of them are in a badly prostrated condition. The Sherlock is a total loss. It was used in the Cincinnati and New Orleans trade, was valued at \$35,000, and belonged to the Cincinnati & Big Sandy Packet Company. The blame for the accident has not been fixed, but it is said that the pilot was drunk, and some of the crew declare that he was unfit to handle the boat.

## Salt Came Down with the Snow.

SALT LAKE CITY, U. T., Feb. 18.—It snowed here Monday night and a peculiar feature of the storm was a large quantity of salt which fell with it. The snow melted Tuesday and left the salt on the ground at least one-fourth of an inch in thickness. The salt was evidently absorbed from the lake.

## Robbed the Farmers.

BUCKEYS, O., Feb. 18.—A committee is at work examining the accounts of the county auditor and county treasurer. Thus far \$15,000 in overcharges in the matter of fees has been discovered, and the committee is not through with its work. The town is full of excited farmers besieging the court-house and demanding refunds.

## Republican Majority in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18.—In the municipal elections Tuesday Edwin S. Stewart (Rep.) was elected mayor by about 35,000 majority over A. H. Lader (Dem.).

## Chilian Rebels Victorious.

PANAMA, Feb. 17.—Recent advices from Chili represent the rebels as rapidly increasing in numbers and thus far successful in their encounters with the Government troops. President Balmaceda is entrenched at Santiago de Chili, and hopes to repel the insurgents who are moving on that city.

## Horses and Cattle Burned.

JANESVILLE, Wis., Feb. 17.—Hugh Danner's farm-house, barns and tobacco-sheds, in the town of Rock, were totally destroyed by fire Sunday, together with a number of horses and cattle. The loss was \$25,000.

# FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

The coal fields of Tonquin are turning out so well that it is thought that M. Ferry may be restored to popular favor upon that issue alone.

Five hundred applications have been made to the Department of the Interior at Toronto for the privilege of boring for oil in the Kootenay country.

The press and land owners of Portugal are becoming alarmed at the dearth of cultivators, and demand that the Government shall put a stop to emigration, as husbandry is suffering.

It is proposed in Paris to do away, as far as possible, with lunatic asylums and to place insane persons who are not prone to violence in the homes of country people, who will be suitably remunerated by the State.

In Japan the act of flirting is a penal offense. Serious complications arise under the law, but the young people of both sexes know that they can not wink and blink and giggle at each other unless they mean business.

The centenary of the birth of Austria's representative poet, Franz Grillparzer, was celebrated on January 8 in Vienna with performances in the theaters and the inauguration of an exhibition including about six hundred personal relics of the poet.

An English cable construction company has offered the Dominion Government to lay a submarine cable connecting Sable Island with Nova Scotia and to operate it for ten years for an annual subsidy of \$12,000 a year, the cable to become the property of the Government at the expiration of the ten years.—Railway Review.

## THE MARCH WIDE AWAKE

Has something for every taste, and all is of the best and brightest; the magazine is made for the young people, but the contributions are of such a sort that every member of the family will enjoy each page. The number opens with "An Old-fashioned Witch Story," from the Danish, by Laura E. Poulsen. "Under a Ground," by C. R. Parker. "Tippecoe," by Maud Bittenhouse, is a brief, pathetic Southern story. The serials this year are unique: "Five Little Peppers Grow Up," by Margaret Sidney, attracting thousands of readers; "Cab and Caboose," the railroad story by Kirk Monroe; and the autobiographical Italian story, "Marietta's Good Times," by M. Ambrosi. "Drawing the Child Figure" is a novel series of practical art instruction by the daughter of the Art-Anatomist, Dr. Rimmer.

The articles of the number cover a wide range of topics: "Our Government—how made it and why," with a fine portrait of Hamilton, by Hon. John D. Long; "A Visit to Winchester College at Commencement Time," by Oscar Fay Adams, with the words and music of the famous old Winchester commencement song, "Dulce Domum;" "How Grandmother's Spoons Were Made," by Mrs. Ormsbee; entertaining articles by Prof. Otis T. Mason, Mrs. William C. Adams, and others; "Prize Problems in Horology," by E. H. Hawley, of the Smithsonian Institution; and several pages of bright anecdotes.

WIDE AWAKE is \$3.40 a year; 30 cents a number. D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

BANQUETS are dangerous places. Can a man be sober when his health is drunk?—Binghamton Republican.

NATURALLY enough a man doesn't sleep on a bed of soft down when he gets hard up.—Washington Mirror.

DON'T neglect a Cough. Take some Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar instantly. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

SPEAKING of fasting, sailors have been known to live on salt water for months at a time.—Washington Star.

The girl with the reddest cheeks will, when she sees a mouse, change to a yell.—Boston Traveller.

The best cough medicine is Piso's Cure for Consumption. Sold everywhere. 25c.

"CAT-NIPPED!" squeaked the mouse as Tabby got a grip on him.—Washington Post.

If a courting-match is not declared off it must end in a tie.—N. Y. Picayune.

## THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle	\$2 00 @ 4 30
Hogs	4 00 @ 4 30
WHEAT—Fair to Fancy	3 40 @ 5 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	1 10 @ 1 15
WHEAT—No. 3	1 05 @ 1 10
WHEAT—No. 4	1 00 @ 1 05
WHEAT—No. 5	95 @ 1 00
WHEAT—No. 6	90 @ 95
WHEAT—No. 7	85 @ 90
WHEAT—No. 8	80 @ 85
WHEAT—No. 9	75 @ 80
WHEAT—No. 10	70 @ 75
WHEAT—No. 11	65 @ 70
WHEAT—No. 12	60 @ 65
WHEAT—No. 13	55 @ 60
WHEAT—No. 14	50 @ 55
WHEAT—No. 15	45 @ 50
WHEAT—No. 16	40 @ 45
WHEAT—No. 17	35 @ 40
WHEAT—No. 18	30 @ 35
WHEAT—No. 19	25 @ 30
WHEAT—No. 20	20 @ 25
WHEAT—No. 21	15 @ 20
WHEAT—No. 22	10 @ 15
WHEAT—No. 23	5 @ 10
WHEAT—No. 24	0 @ 5

## CHICAGO.

BEEVES—Shipping Steers.	
Cows	1 30 @ 3 25
Stocks	2 30 @ 3 25
Feeders	2 30 @ 3 25
Butcher's Steers	3 00 @ 3 25
Bulls	1 30 @ 3 25
HOGS—Live	3 40 @ 3 75
SHEEP	4 00 @ 4 25
BUTTER—Creamery	21 @ 22
Good to Choice Dairy	11 @ 21
Eggs—Fresh	15 @ 15 1/2
BROILERS	24 @ 25
Hens	34 @ 35
Self-worthing	34 @ 35
Cooked	34 @ 35
POTATOES (per bu.)	75 @ 97
PORK—Mess.	9 40 @ 10 00
Butt.	10 00 @ 10 50
WHEAT—Spring Patents	4 40 @ 5 00
Winter Patents	4 40 @ 5 00
GRAIN—Wheat No. 2	94 @ 94 1/2
Corn, No. 2	32 @ 33
Butt.	40 @ 40 1/2
Barley, No. 2 Cash	81 @ 81 1/2
Barley, No. 3 Cash	79 @ 79 1/2
LUMBER	
Siding	10 00 @ 22 00
Flooring	33 00 @ 34 00
Common Boards	13 00 @ 13 50
Fencing	13 00 @ 16 00
Lath Dry	2 00 @ 2 20
Shingles	4 00 @ 4 50

## ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Steers.	
Stockers and Feeders	2 30 @ 3 40
HOGS—Fair to Choice Heavy	3 30 @ 3 45
Mixed Grades	3 25 @ 3 30
SHEEP	4 00 @ 4 30
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Prime	3 35 @ 4 05
Fancy	4 15 @ 4 30
Butt.	3 75 @ 4 20
HOGS	3 00 @ 3 50

## Prepare for Spring

Now is the time to attend to your personal condition in preparation for the coming spring season. If you have not "wintered well," if you are tired out from overwork, if your blood has become impure, or if you are suffering from indigestion, or from close confinement in a badly ventilated room, or from any of the causes which tend to impair the vitality of the system, you should take Hood's Sarsaparilla at once. It will purify and vitalize your blood, expel all germs of disease, create a new appetite, and give you a robust system and strength.

W. B. Be sure to get it.

100 Doses One Dollar

# How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last fifteen years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. West & Trux, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials free. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Most people think of the marriage tie, that it's knotty, but it's nice.—St. Joseph News.

California.

There is no doubt about the real value of that extraordinary country. Thousands are going. By taking a seat in a Palace car at the Dearborn Station, Chicago, any afternoon, you can go to San Francisco, Los Angeles or San Diego without changing cars. This provided you take the SANTA FE ROUTE. You do it without changing cars, and in twenty-four hours less time than by any other line.

Many an Italian has a personal organ soon after reaching this country.—Texas Sittings.

Completed to Deadwood.

The Burlington Route, C. B. & Q. R. R., from Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis, is now completed, and daily passenger trains are running through Lincoln, Neb., and Omaha, S. D. to Deadwood. Also to Newcastle, Wyoming. Sleeping cars to Deadwood.



