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The L. W. Club will meet at Mrs. X.
A. Stone's on Friday evening of this
week. All members cordially invited
to present.

Ionia's miscreants are getting ready to
give a couple of entertainments in that
city. Prof. Anderson's orchestra of
Grand Rapids will furnish the music.

The Standard says that the creditors
of W. M. Dressell, bankrupt, of Saranac,
have agreed to a proposition to accept
20 per cent of the amount due them and call
it everything "square."

H. Hogan and family started for "Old
Virginia" yesterday; intending to make
their home in that State. "Fon" Fa-
ther, John Filkins and wife, and Mrs.
C. Hawk went several days ago. Suc-
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Mr. M. A. Hewitt's lecture at the E.
Church last Wednesday evening is
spoken of by those who heard it as a
very creditable effort. We regret that
we were not one of the audience. Per-
haps Mr. H. may see fit to repeat his
lecture here sometime this winter.

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House of Correction at Ionia.
A Lansing Republican reporter has been visiting our big sister a few miles east of us and here is what he says of the state institution there:

"This institution is well worth a visit. There are now confined in it 204 prisoners, charged with almost every crime in the calendar. They are mostly young men in years, but many have often seen the inside walls of reformatory and penal institutions. The present occupation of the prisoners is mostly grading the grounds. The prison was built on the side of a hill, and consequently much earth will have to be moved in order to get the inside yard and outside surroundings in good shape. Probably work enough of this character will be found to keep the prisoners busy during the present winter. Of course the institution derives income from such labor, but nevertheless it is work that must be done, and when finished it will greatly increase the value of the property. Some changes in minor offices have recently taken place, but such must be expected in all new institutions until the right men are found to be in the right place, when everything will run like clockwork. The buildings contain all the new improvements in gas-lit telephones, telegraphic communications with the different rooms and guardhouses, cooking and heating apparatus, and the accommodations will soon be enlarged by two wings containing additional cells. Another delegation of prisoners is expected shortly from Jackson. The inmates have plenty of clean food to eat, and being very regular in their habits, are correspondingly healthy."

The Spiritualists are making preparations for their annual state Convention, which is to be held at Kalamazoo in March.

Now that big tree stories are in order, Messrs. Sande & Young, of Cadillac, say they have cut 15 cords of stove wood from a maple sapling.

The Muskegon Booming Company has declared a dividend of 20 per cent. There have been passed through the boom during the year \$15,754,149 feet.

During the past year Gov. Crosswell has granted 16 pardons. Gov. Bagley granted 34 during his first year of his administration and 26 the second year of his incumbency.

Mrs. Fidelia Gillette, of Rochester, Mich., has been settled as pastor of a church at New Sharon, Iowa. She is allied to a as a first-class speaker and an able church manager.

The first State Teachers Institute for Lenawee county, under the new institute law, will be held in Adrian during the week beginning April 1, in connection with a meeting of the County Teachers' association.

The shipments of lumber by the Flint & Pere Marquette Railway for the year 1877, total up 77,100,000 feet, against 95,194,000 in 1876, and 96,928,000 in 1875. The shipment of staves is twice as large as last year, and of shingles about the same as last year.

The Rev. Father Haire of Flint in a funeral discourse over his father, the Hon. Silas Haines, of Freedom, Washtenaw County a few days since, took occasion to abuse the University and public schools of the State, and had his father interred under the room where he died, to prevent his premature resurrection by the doctors.

A telegram was received at Flint on Monday, last week, from Topeka, Kansas, conveying the sad news of the death, from consumption, of Sara Fenton, youngest daughter of the late Lieut. Gov. William Fenton, who went there not long since for her health. Miss Fenton was a sister-in-law of Hon. Wm. B. McCreary, State Treasurer.

There were 8,942 liquor dealers in the State of Michigan who were taxed in 1877, or 25 less than in 1876. The amount of State tax collected was \$281,581,47; uncollected \$33,821,29.

Edmund S. Hoppin and wife will soon make Grand Rapids their permanent home. Hoppin is the New York State man who killed his sister's boisterous seducer, and who, immediately after acquittal on the charge of murder, was married in the presence of judge, jury, and lawyers.

The public debt statement for January shows a decrease in the debt for the month of \$1,668,073, \$3.

The total silver coinage for the month of January was 5,693,600 pieces, aggregating \$4,758,446.

Two hundred and fifty recruits for Gen. Miles arrived at Bismarck, Wednesday, and immediately took up a march of 400 miles for Fort Buford and Tongue River.

The failure of Brigham Young's heirs to agree in the distribution of his property will probably cause a contest over his will. The contestants will include 25 wives and their 45 children.

The New York Times says Minister Foster, now in this country, states that the silver dollar has driven all the gold out of that country. Silver is the only currency left, and in going to the bank for money, a porter must be taken to carry away the coin.

Common Council.

Lowell, Feb. 11th, 1878.

Adjourned regular meeting of the Common Council.

Present, Stone, Tollen, Graham, Weeks.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

A petition signed by C. D. Blakeslee and 15 others asking that Water, Sherman and Fremont Streets on Lee's Addition, be opened was received, read and motion referred to the Street Committee to report at the next regular meeting of the board.

An motion Oliver Coates was appointed special policeman in the Village for one year unless sooner revoked— and on further motion it was voted to pay him \$8 dollars per month for looking after the public property, lighting the engine house and keeping fire in the same when necessary, for one year, unless sooner revoked.

The following bills were approved by the Finance Committee and no motion allowed in full as follows:

BILL P. Miller,	Fire Fund	\$ 845
" M. E. Hogan	" "	800
" Wm. Pullen	" "	4000
" Geo. Huggins	" "	900
" E. Bailey	" "	300
" J. Calkins	Genl	12.25
" J. Calkins	Street	1.00
" W. Edie	Genl	.75
" C. Blas	Genl	.70

On motion the board adjourned.

J. H. Weeks, Recorder

LOWELL MARKETS.

Corrected on Monday of each week by MITCHELL and DONOVAN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS.

Apples dried per lb. 7

Beef per lb. 4.65

Beans, per bu. 1.00 to 1.50

Bacon, per lb. 15c

Buckwheat per bu. .65

Cheese, per lb. 14

Corn, per lb. 40-45

Galfisks, dry, 15c

Galfisks, green, 9c to 10

Eggs, per doz. .32.5

Flour, per cwt. .80 to .8.00

Hay, per ton. .60 to .70

Hides, per lb. 7 to 10

Lard, per lb. 8

Oats, 23

Pork, per lb. 4

Potatoes, per bu. 30-35

Tallow, per lb. 6

Sheep pelts 25 to 35

Wheat white, per bu. 1.10

Wheat, red, per bu. 1.05

Olive Seed 4.25 4.40

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Farms and City or Village Homes for sale

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Lowell, Mich., Sept. 21, 1877.

We are the oldest section of the Grand

Michigan Knights of Pythias we

tariff on Detroit on the 6th inst. The fol-

lowing officers for the ensuing year were

chosen:

P. G. C. HON. C. D. Little, Sec-

tary.

J. G. Hon. J. A. Sweezy, Ha-

G. V. C. J. E. Tyrell, Jackson

G. M. of E. J. M. Lenhoff, Det-

G. K. of R. and S. James M.

Detroit.

Chas. A. L. Bennett, H. C. St.

G. J. G. Bishop, Kalama-

Supreme Representative (for two

—How C. D. Little, Saginaw City.

A resolution was adopted that the

PROBATE ORDERS.

State of Michigan, County of Kent, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for the

County of Kent, held at the Probate Office,

on the 2d day of January, 1878, before

the Hon. John D. Blair, Judge of Probate,

and the Clerk of Probate, John D. Blair,

After taking and filing the petition, duly verified,

Call and giving due notice to the parties,

and the stock is complete. Remember

the place, Corner Store, Train's

Block, West Side.

Chas. Althen.

Lowell, Mich., Jan. 28, 1878.

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