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One Dollar a Year.

TOO MUCH WATER.

Great Destruction in Michigan and Other States.

Highest Water in Thirty Years in the Grand and Other Rivers—Two Lives Lost—Floods in Illinois, Nebraska and Elsewhere.

DANGER FROM ICE GORGES.

DETROIT, Mich., March 13.—The warm weather of the last few days has caused the heavy masses of ice and snow in the Grand, Shiawassee, Raisin, Clinton and many other of the smaller rivers throughout the state to move. Innumerable gorges have formed in these rivers and have caused the water to back up, flooding the cities and towns lying on their banks. Several bridges have been washed away, houses, stores, mills and other buildings flooded and other damage done, the exact amount of which is not yet known. As far as known no lives have been lost.

MIDLAND, Mich., March 13.—Fred Laisure and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Hattie Sullivan, were drowned Sunday. They attempted to cross a road which was covered with water and their carriage upset, with the result that both perished. Laisure, who was 40 years old and was a horse trainer, leaves a widow and two children.

MUSKIEGON, Mich., March 13.—The situation on the Grand river remains unchanged as to the threatened danger from the ice gorge above Lyons. The gorge below Lyons has been broken up and passed a short distance down stream, leaving a partially free channel. The water is cutting a new channel across the prairies and wheat fields are being washed away. Everywhere in the river can be seen floating household utensils and furniture.

HENDERSON, Mich., March 13.—The Shiawassee river is overflowing its banks and has caused much damage. Callard Bros. dam gave way Sunday afternoon, moving small buildings and causing other damage. The body of a boy is reported to have been seen floating on a piece of ice.

VIRGINIA, Ill., March 13.—The Illinois river in this section is assuming alarming proportions, being from 3 to 4 miles wide at Beardstown. The low lands are submerged and many families in the river bottoms have been compelled to vacate their homes. The river is carrying the high water mark of last May. No loss of life has so far been reported.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., March 13.—The final movement of the ice in the Mississippi at this point occurred Sunday night. The river has risen a foot during the day. In the upheaval, which was the most imposing and stupendous ever seen here, a mountain of ice reaching 150 feet back from the water line and fully 50 feet high was thrown up along the shore. All the tracks of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy and Rock Island & Pacific were covered while ten freight cars were destroyed, and a number of docks and other buildings along the shore were carried away.

PORT DEPOSIT, Md., March 13.—An ice gorge at Conowingo, a few miles above Port Deposit, was holding in check a great volume of water. The breaking of this gorge was dreaded, and when night came on hundreds of people thronged the banks of the river and watched for the coming torrents. At 2 o'clock the gorge gave way and the flood, let loose, swept down and spread through Port Deposit. For a time the inhabitants did not know whether or not their town would be carried away and themselves drowned, but when the waters had reached the height of 8 feet in the streets and houses it ceased to rise. The stage for the day has remained at the same height, and outhouses not securely fixed have been swept off. The tracks of the Port Deposit & Columbia railroad are covered for over a mile and it will be several days before traffic can be resumed.

Foot-Printed Monitor Dead.

NEW YORK, March 11.—The celebrated race horse, Monitor, the idol of thousands and the pride of his owner, George Lorillard, is dead. Monitor was a son of Glenelg, and Minx, a sister to Sultana and Monarchist, by Lexington, and was foaled in 1876. In seven years he took part in 117 races, forty-two of which fell to his share, among them being some of the most important contests in the country.

Death of Aaron F. Perry.

CINCINNATI, March 13.—Aaron F. Perry, a prominent lawyer of this city, died of paralysis at his home in Mount Auburn Saturday morning, aged 78 years. In 1870 Mr. Perry was elected to represent the republicans of the First district of Ohio in congress.

Gigantic Real Estate Frauds.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 10.—The first of a series of gigantic real estate frauds, involving St. Paul, Chicago, New York and eastern Kentucky people, has been unearthed in this city and L. H. Coie, the alleged principal in the rascality, is under arrest.

Defeat for Caprivi.

BERLIN, March 11.—The committee of the Reichstag on the army bill has rejected the first clause of the bill fixing the effective force of the German army in time of peace at 492,068, exclusive of commissioned officers and non-commissioned officers.

Costs Heaps of Money.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Chairman Allison of the senate appropriation committee says that for some years to come the aggregate appropriations for each congress will be in round numbers not less than \$1,000,000,000.

TRADE REVIEW.

Business Feels the Effect of the Monetary Stringency and the Weather.

NEW YORK, March 13.—The weekly review of trade says:

"Business during the week has been affected by the severe weather, but even more by stringency and uncertainty in the money markets. The quantity of wheat coming into sight continues at the rate of half a million bushels per day, which is extremely large for the season when crops are supposed to be short and prices are low. The exports are quite small and the price declined a cent for the week. Corn was firmly held and advanced over a cent, and oats nearly as much, while pork was raised 25 cents. Though last and logs were raised 25 cents, Boston extremely high rates for money have held throughout the week, but business is favorable. Money is tight in Philadelphia because recent failures induced local withdrawals from banks. Increasing demand is seen for iron. Trade is good at Baltimore and iron is fairly strong at Pittsburgh, with glass in good condition. Cleveland notes good trade in hardware and rolled products, but money is in active demand. The cigar trade is good at Cincinnati and clock manufacture is becoming a leading industry, exceeding last year's. The car movement at Indianapolis is heavier than last year and manufacturers are busy and at Detroit shops are running full time, but collections are slow on account of the weather. At Chicago money is in strong demand, banks discriminating closely. Sales of building materials are large and general business good, but railroad blockades and the strike of switchmen threaten to interrupt business. At Milwaukee storms retard trade. A fair increase is seen in wholesale trade at St. Louis with bright promise for the spring. The jobbing trade is quiet at St. Paul and heavy snow retards business and collections there and at Minneapolis, but prices of lumber advanced with good trade. The jobbing trade is good at Kansas City and fair at Omaha, generally good at St. Joseph, improving at Denver and quiet at Salt Lake. Trade is satisfactory at Little Rock, improving at Memphis, and quiet at other points in Tennessee, shrinking with light money at Columbus, but fairly good at Atlanta, better, with increased shipments of lumber, at Mobile, and fair at New Orleans, with sugar firm, but rice lower.

"The business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days number 225, as compared with totals of 231 last week."

INTERESTED IN IMMIGRATION.

Great Britain Sends a Committee to America to Investigate.

LONDON, March 11.—In the house of lords Thursday Lord Lyon Playfair explained that the mission of Messrs. Burnett and Schloss to America was part of a general inquiry into the subject of the immigration of pauper aliens to the united kingdom, and especially the immigration of Russian and Polish Jews. Since 1891 about 200,000 alien immigrants had landed in Great Britain, of whom 17,000 were Russians and Poles, against an immigration to America of 179,392. The commissioners were charged to learn how these Jews conducted themselves in America, and how the American immigration laws operated, and what was the tendency of Americans on the subject, so as to assist the government to deal with the question in England. An influential party in the United States sought to severely restrict, if not to totally prohibit, immigration, but Lord Lyon Playfair added that he could not believe that prohibition would be adopted, as immigrants were essential to the interests of the United States. Laws restricting emigration to the United States were likely to have great influence on the United Kingdom, and the government desired to know, through competent investigators, the economic aspects of present and future emigration to the United States.

To Keep Out Cholera.

CINCINNATI, March 13.—Officers of the National Board of Health association met here Saturday and expressed the opinion that cholera will be prevalent abroad all summer, and that only the most careful and strenuous efforts will keep it out of America. A call was issued for a convention in New York city April 5. Representatives of state boards of health of the United States, Canada and Mexico, port quarantine officers, and the supervising general of the marine hospital will be present.

Fatal Case of Oil.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 11.—Miss Kate Donohue, living on First street, near Duquesne way, poured kerosene in the stove Friday evening and an explosion followed. The clothing of the young woman caught fire and Mary Foley, a neighbor, who heard her screams, came to her assistance. In trying to extinguish the flames Miss Foley's dress was set on fire and both women were fatally burned. Miss Donohue died at 9 o'clock.

Special Cabinet Session.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—At a special cabinet meeting yesterday to consider the Hawaiian annexation treaty, which was withdrawn from the senate, it was said a decision was reached to send to Hawaii as soon as possible a senatorial committee or a commission to be appointed by the president to investigate the alleged revolution and to make a report later in the summer.

Hanged.

CENTER, Ala., March 11.—Sherman Arp, a negro, was hanged here on Friday. Arp killed an old white farmer named Hoque several months ago. The murder was committed for the purpose of securing a sum of money which Hoque had in the house. On Wednesday Arp sold his body to a medical student for \$12.50, and spent the money for choice viands and whisky.

Don't Expect to Strike.

CHICAGO, March 13.—Official denial of an intended strike among the switchmen on the roads entering this city was made yesterday at a meeting of grievance committees of the Switchmen's Mutual Aid association.

Chinamen Coming.

OTTAWA, Ont., March 11.—The department of trade and commerce has been advised that 500 Chinamen destined for the United States were due to arrive at Victoria, B. C., from China the 15th inst.

ANOTHER CRISIS.

France in a Tremendous Uproar Over Late Panama Disclosures.

The Minister of Justice Resigns Because of Charges Implying His Department—Paris in a Ferment of Excitement.

RESIGNED HIS OFFICE.

PARIS, March 13.—M. Bourgeois, minister of justice of the French republic, has resigned his office. As a consequence, partly of that action and partly because of the sensational development of the Panama trial during the day, a grave crisis has again arisen. During the day Mme. Cottu had testified practically that a representative of the government had come to her with the proposal that she give up certain papers that were damaging to officials as the price of her husband's freedom. M. Soinoury attempted to contradict this testimony, but did so in a weak way. M. Bourgeois, in his letter to M. Ribot announcing his resignation, said that he resigned because M. Soinoury's evidence had failed to establish the fact that he had never authorized any one to approach Mme. Cottu in connection with the Panama case, and he felt that there was no alternative but to resign in order to free himself from all suspicion.

The cabinet crisis inaugurated by the resignation of M. Bourgeois has been shown to be beyond hope of repair by patchwork. At a cabinet meeting Sunday morning the ministers agreed that every effort should be made to induce M. Bourgeois to reconsider his resignation, and, in the hope that the efforts would be successful, it was decided that no new minister should be appointed until M. Bourgeois should have given evidence in the assize court and should have explained to the deputies his position.

In the afternoon several ministers called upon M. Bourgeois, but when the cabinet reassembled Sunday evening M. Ribot announced that M. Bourgeois had been deaf to all argument and had insisted that he would not return to office. Subsequently, at Mr. Ribot's request, President Carnot signed a decree giving to M. Develle temporarily M. Bourgeois' portfolio.

M. Soinoury, the police official who tried to get from Mme. Cottu documents compromising royalist deputies, has resigned from the directorship of the penitentiary department. Police Commissioner Nicolle, who arranged the interview between him and Mme. Cottu, will be dismissed. The excitement has not been exceeded since the beginning of the Panama disclosures. It is thought that only good luck can save the Ribot ministry.

As a result of the developments Paris is in a ferment of excitement. Everybody seems to distrust everybody else and there is a special lack of confidence in anything that is official. The crisis is as great as, if not greater, than that which followed the Panama discoveries of several weeks ago. The evidence given in the case has destroyed almost the last bit of confidence in the present government. The general public knows not what to believe nor whom to trust. The government that was so vigorous a short time ago in prosecuting Panama swindlers is now busy defending itself against charges as serious as any it formulated. The pressure brought to bear on the Panama crowd was stronger than the government wished. When the swindlers began to confess they confessed too much, and the stories told have involved the prosecutors.

Drowned in Panama.

PANAMA, March 11.—Mrs. Wilson, daughter of Henry Schuber, the oldest American resident in Panama, was on board with Capt. Shackford and Miss Wilson. The boat swamped and the three were thrown into the water. Mrs. Wilson was drowned.

Killed by Compressed Air.

NEW YORK, March 11.—The tunnel building under the East river at Seventy-first street had two more victims at 8 a. m. Two workmen, Arthur Gun, of this city, and Matthew Hart, of Montauk, N. Y., were overcome by compressed air and taken out in a dying condition. It is said they cannot recover. Ed Ferris, a foreman, lost his life in the tunnel last Saturday from the same cause.

Eight of the Crew Drowned.

BUENOS AYRES, March 11.—The British bark Alice M. Craig has been wrecked at Rosario on the west bank of the Parana, about 230 miles by water from Buenos Ayres. Capt. Ross, master of the vessel, his wife and eight of the crew were drowned.

The Settlers Lose.

REDWOOD FALLS, Minn., March 10.—Judge Webber filed decisions in the celebrated tax title cases here yesterday by which title sharks are recognized by the law, and more than a thousand acres of land are wrested from innocent settlers.

Kerosene Explodes.

OMAHA, Neb., March 10.—Mrs. J. D. Kisher, of this city, started the kitchen fire by the aid of kerosene, which exploded, probably fatally burning herself, her husband and three children, besides destroying the house and all its contents.

Senator Allen His Own Successor.

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 11.—The governor has appointed John B. Allen United States senator to succeed himself, the legislature having adjourned without choosing a senator.

Will Govern the Soldiers' Home.

GRAND RAPIDS, March 11.—Capt. B. F. Graves, of Adrian, has been chosen to succeed Maj. J. H. McKee as commandant of the soldiers' home, the latter having resigned after two years of service.

PAYING HIS DEBTS.

Gov. McKinley's Outstanding Notes Are Nearly All Taken Up.

CHICAGO, March 13.—In less than three weeks every dollar of the obligations which fell upon Gov. McKinley through the failure of Mr. Walker will have been paid, for Trustee Kohlsaat has received nearly \$95,000 by popular contributions ranging from \$1 to \$5,000. Ever since the trouble occurred the generous public has been individually trying to help McKinley out by sending in small amounts. The governor's pride caused him to return the money. But those who were of like political faith with the governor, and even those who disagreed with him, were anxious to pay tribute to his sterling worth. When it was found that Mr. Kohlsaat was receiving donations to help Ohio's governor out of financial straits the contributions came in a deluge. To prevent a second refusal the trustee has gone quietly to work and has taken up the Walker paper as it has matured and by the first of April will have all of the indebtedness incurred by McKinley's indorsements paid up, which will save both the governor's and his wife's property intact, and there will be no necessity for McKinley's withdrawal from politics. Many touching tributes were contained in some of the letters.

Won't Favor Former Appointees.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Senators and representatives who called on President Cleveland received confirmatory evidence that Mr. Cleveland does not intend to give offices to those who had been favored under the previous democratic administration. Representative Hemphill, of South Carolina, called expressly for the purpose of ascertaining whether the report was true and he received an affirmative answer from Mr. Cleveland. It is likely, of course, that exceptions will be made in rare instances.

A Bride Commits Suicide.

SALT LAKE, Utah, March 11.—At Ogden Wednesday night Joseph E. James, of Pocatello, Idaho, married Laura May Little, of San Francisco. During the morning, while the newly-wedded man went down to the hotel office, the bride shot herself through the breast three times. She was found at her last gasp with nothing on but night clothes. No reason known and insanity is conjectured. The parents were first cousins and their families had intermarried for six generations.

Killed by a Burglar.

FORT PLAIN, N. Y., March 11.—Henry Crouse, a wealthy farmer, 60 years old, living 1 mile from here, was murdered Wednesday night about 10 o'clock by a burglar who broke in the door and shot Crouse, killing him instantly. Mrs. Crouse blew out the light and after a lively scuffle with the murderer, put him to flight without any booty. Crouse was estimated to be worth \$50,000, or \$100,000. There is no clew to the murderer.

Wholesale Resignations.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—All the prominent officials in the treasury department, including the two assistant secretaries, the commissioner of internal revenue, the three comptrollers and all the auditors, except Messrs. Patterson and Fisher, have verbally tendered to Secretary Carlisle their resignations.

The Week's Clearings.

NEW YORK, March 11.—The exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended yesterday aggregated \$1,501,830,716, against \$1,870,590,008 the previous week. The increase as compared with the corresponding week of 1892 was 2.9.

Northeastern Iowa a Marsh.

WEST UNION, Ia., March 11.—North-eastern Iowa, owing to rains the last few days, is becoming a vast marsh. Roads are impassable. Teams starting to the country returned, not able to get out of town. Serious results are feared.

THE MARKETS.

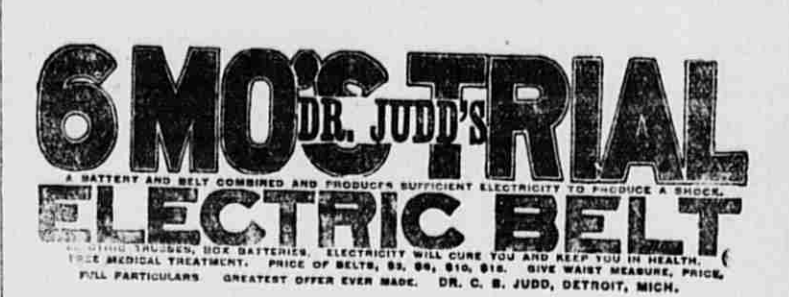
NEW YORK, March 13.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle.....	\$4 70 @ 5 35
Sheep.....	4 75 @ 5 75
Hogs.....	5 00 @ 5 75
FLOUR—Fair to Fancy.....	2 55 @ 3 05
Minnesota Patents.....	4 25 @ 5 00
WHEAT—No. 2 Red.....	70 1/2 @ 70 3/4
Ungraded Red.....	74 @ 84
CORN—No. 2.....	53 1/2 @ 53 3/4
Ungraded Mixed.....	53 @ 53 1/2
OATS—Mixed Western.....	30 @ 41
RYE—Western.....	60 @ 65
PORK—Mess, New.....	19 50 @ 19 75
ARD—Western Steam.....	12 50 @ 12 60
BUTTER—Western Creamery.....	21 @ 27
CHICAGO.	
BEEVES—Shipping Steers.....	83 00 @ 85 00
Cows.....	2 10 @ 2 30
Stockers.....	2 50 @ 2 50
Feeders.....	3 35 @ 4 25
Butchers' Steers.....	3 40 @ 4 00
Hogs.....	2 25 @ 3 75
Sheep.....	7 25 @ 8 05
BUTTER—Creamery.....	20 @ 26 1/2
Good to Choice Dairy.....	19 @ 25
EGGS—Fresh.....	16 @ 16 1/2
BROOM CORN.	
Self-wracking.....	4 @ 5 1/2
Crooked.....	2 @ 3
POTATOES—New (per bu.).....	62 @ 75
PORK—Mess, New.....	17 50 @ 18 50
LARD—Spring Patents.....	12 27 1/2 @ 12 35
FLOUR—Spring Patents.....	3 75 @ 4 10
Spring Straights.....	2 50 @ 3 00
Winter Patents.....	2 80 @ 3 00
Winter Straights.....	3 20 @ 3 40
GRAIN—Wheat, Cash.....	73 1/2 @ 74 1/2
Corn, No. 2.....	41 @ 41 1/2
Oats, No. 2.....	31 @ 31 1/2
Rye, No. 2.....	50 @ 50 1/2
Barley, Good to Choice.....	46 @ 50 1/2
LUMBER.	
Silage.....	15 50 @ 24 50
Flouring.....	27 00 @ 28 00
Common.....	15 25 @ 15 50
Fencing.....	14 00 @ 17 00
Lath, Dry.....	2 70 @ 2 75
Shingles.....	2 60 @ 3 15
KANSAS CITY.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	81 00 @ 85 45
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 50 @ 4 00
HOGS.....	5 00 @ 7 75
SHEEP.....	4 00 @ 4 05
OMAHA.	
CATTLE—Steers.....	85 00 @ 85 20
Stockers and Feeders.....	2 50 @ 4 20
HOGS—Heavy.....	7 00 @ 7 75
Light.....	7 50 @ 7 80
SHEEP.....	5 50 @ 5 50

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Morse Lake.
Morse Lake Ladies Aid Society will meet at Mrs. L. S. Clark next Wednesday.
W. Johnson went to Cannonsburg on business last Wednesday, and came back Thursday.
There were quarterly meeting services at the Morse Lake church Saturday afternoon and Sunday.
Presiding Elder Buell was the guest of W. Johnson over Sunday and took the cars at Alto Monday morning.

Alto.
There are several children sick in Alto at present.
There is to be an agricultural implement store at Alto in the near future.
Chas Oberly visited his parents over Sunday. He reports Middleville all right.
In spite of the bad weather there was a good attendance at the I. O. O. F. last Saturday evening.
Deputy State Lecturer A. D. Banks was greeted by an excellent audience at the grange hall Monday evening. The lecture was A No. 1.

West Lowell Links.
Died, infant child of Mr and Mrs Don Miller, March 10th.
Sunday night a couple of loads of young and old people visited Miss Brannan at her home in Bowne.
D. L. Sterling has been visiting his daughter, Ella Merriman, who resides at Rockford.
The West Lowell Sunday school wishes to tender their sincere thanks to R. B. Boylan, who presented them with a handsome class bell.
Married—March 13th, Will Peck, of Grand Rapids, to Miss Minnie Gibson, of Lake City. The bride is an old Lowell girl and the groom is well known among the young people of Lowell. We wish them a long and prosperous journey.

Cascade.
Mrs John Fish is not improving.
Richard Harris has moved to Ada village.
Sylvester Cook is suffering from a broken leg.
Thornapple river is just booming at present writing.
Mrs John Wooding visited at Whiteville Tuesday.
The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs Chas. Denison, March 22.
Nathan Strong has moved his saw mill to Morris Denison's farm.
Mrs E. B. Maben has purchased a house and lot in Cascade village.
Mr Defenbaker, of Alaska, had a cancer removed from his hip recently.
Mr and Mrs J. F. Cook entertained their son-in-law and family, of Petoskey.

Scott Thompson and wife, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with his mother.
The Y. P. S. C. E. held a social at the residence of Mr and Mrs Burr in the village, March 7, evening.
There will be a school exhibition at the school house, Friday evening, March 17, Mary Sullivan, teacher.
Mark Stapleton and wife, of Grand Rapids, visited his parents, Mr and Mrs Wm. Stapleton, last week.
It is Jeff Hulbert that has moved to Belding instead of James, as the Town Line Tidings said last week.
Frank Andrews and family, of Cannon, visited Mrs Andrews' parents, Mr and Mrs Wm. Stapleton, last week.

Fine salted fish at McMillan's.

Chapel.
Maggie and Roy McNaughton are sick with tonsillitis.
A great many are sick with chills, fever and sore throats.
Miss Fannie Turner and Colbie White drove to Middleville to visit friends.
Wellington McPherson was badly hurt about two weeks ago. He was skidding logs, when the log slipped suddenly, turning the end toward him, striking him on the breast, falling and knocking him down.

East Lowell.
Bertie Conklin has been on the sick list.
Mrs Bonar made Lowell friends a visit last week.
Mr and Mrs Frank Godfrey visited their son one day last week.
Mrs Mary Root and Mrs Bonar spent last Tuesday with Mrs Conklin.
Charlie Wisner has moved into the tenement house on the Keer place.
Jack Frost is thinking of taking his departure, and a fairer guest will succeed him.
Visitors at the school last Friday were: Mrs Blanch Gilbert, Mrs Emma Hubbel and son, Fred Conklin, and Mrs Story and daughter.
The winter term of school closed last Friday. The teacher, Mrs Laura Headworth, has made many warm friends, who regret her departure.
The meetings closed at the Gilbert school house, and without the success that was hoped for, but the seed sown may bring good harvest.

Go to Jno. Giles & Co. for all kinds of salt fish.

Ada.
Mrs Harvey Livingston, who has been so very sick, is some better.
Dr Lewis has traded his property here for a farm near Middleville.
Fred Chase, from Diana, Dak., was here visiting friends last week.
Messrs Teeple and Carew made a trip to Grand Rapids last Saturday.
Will Wallace, from Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with his parents.
Mrs Chaffee is visiting her daughter, Mrs Robinson, at Grand Haven.
Mr Howell, Miss Avery and Miss Crites were at Grand Rapids last Saturday.
Dr Lewis made a business made a business trip to G. Raps. last Saturday.
Miss Fannie Burdock, of Gd. Rapids, has been visiting friends here for the last two weeks.
Mrs Colwell has been at Lowell for the last week, visiting her daughter, Mrs I. Mitchell.
Samuel Totten, who has been suffering with a cancer for the last year, has been dangerously ill for the past few days.

LOGS WANTED—Elm, Ash, Oak and Maple logs wanted, delivered at our saw mill at Lowell, or will buy timber standing.
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South Boston.
W. S. Hughson is reported better.
Lowell District Council at So. Boston Hall, Saturday, March 18th.
We notice the highest portions of some wheat fields appear quite brown.
All who are fortunate enough to own sugar orchards are preparing to secure their crop of sugar.
The evening meetings at the Congregational church, last week, were well attended and interesting.
Asa Fletcher went to Ionia a week ago Sunday, to see a sick cousin, who died the following Tuesday.

Mrs Fletcher, mother of Mrs A. S. Stannard and Messrs J. B. and Asa Fletcher, is reported sick.
The first fifty persons in my gallery will get new photos at one half off. If you can't come send \$1.00 and name and I will hold a place for you.
M. D. WILSON.
Those who do not take the National Tribune miss an article by Hon. Chas. E. Belknap entitled "My Recollections of Stone River," which is well worth the subscription price of the paper.
So Boston Grange held an afternoon meeting, last Saturday, and the following persons went from there to a meeting of the Berlin Grange in the evening: Misses McArthur, Minnie Alderink, Nellie O'Neil, Minnie Green and Messrs Arthur Godfrey, Jas. Markham and E. Clark. They had a fine time.
The examination for Kent county teachers will be held in the Court House in Grand Rapids on Thursday and Friday, March 2 and 3 and on Friday, March 31. Applicants for First and Second Grades should attend on March 2 and 3. Work will begin at 8 o'clock.
A. HAMLIN SMITH, Commissioner.

Vergennes Visitor.
Robins and Phebe birds have been singing for several days.
Harry Doremus, of Hubbardston, has come to work for G. W. Crosby.
Mr and Mrs G. W. Crosby enjoyed a visit from Mr and Mrs Randolph, of Fox corners, last Thursday.
Mr Jamieson, J. S. Daniels and Mr Eble, of Grand Rapids, took dinner with G. W. Crosby last Sunday.
Wm. E. Brown will auction off his farm tools and personal property Monday, March 20, one mile south of Alto.

There was a social dance at Irvin Bachelor's last Friday evening. Phil Krum and Jay Merriman furnished the music.
Mr and Mrs J. W. Walker and grandson, Jay Waters, of Lowell, visited their daughter, Mrs Lute Bailey and family last Thursday.
For seventy-seven days we have seen nothing but cutters and bobs on the roads until last Friday, when wheeled vehicles commenced to be used.
The first fifty persons in my gallery will get new photos at one half off. If you can't come send \$1.00 and name and I will hold a place for you.
M. D. WILSON.
The annual meeting of the Vergennes W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs E. L. Bennett March 23. There is business of importance to come before the meeting, which will be called to order prompt at 2:30 p. m. A full attendance is desired.
By Order of the President,
MRS RUBY A. FOX.
The V. I. Y. P. of Vergennes will meet with Miss Cora Adams Saturday evening, March 18th. The young people are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments, cake and coffee. Dancing and cards will be the amusements for the evening.
MELVILLE MCPHERSON, President.

Now is the time to get Misses fine and heavy shoes, and all kinds of rubbers, at Robertson's closing out sale.

OWN.
Born, to Phil Corrigan and wife, a son.
Eloiza Lowe is visiting friends in Detroit.
John McGinnis is visiting friends in G'd. Rapids.
Frank Colson visited friends in G'd Rapids last week.
George Crumback, of Grand Rapids, is the guest of Charley Emmons.
May Aldrich is visiting Dr. VanAmburg and wife, of Ada, this week.
Tommy Curley has hired out to Ed. Headworth for the coming summer.
Fred Jordan, of Hastings, was the guest of Hannah Lowe, last Tuesday.
Frank Bren and wife, of Irving, Sundayed with Charles Livingston and wife.
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Katie Johnson accompanied Wilbur Colitt to Bay City, Tuesday, for a two week's visit.
Walter Salisbury has rented his farm to Marvin Yerrington and will move to G'd Rapids soon.
Sydney McNaughton and wife, of Irving, were the guests of Walter Salisbury and wife, Sunday.
A good many attended the party given for Carrie Jordan, Friday eve'g, at John Elia's, of West Bowne.
Henry Thomas and wife departed Tuesday eve'g for Chicago, where they will make their future home.
Clayton and Henry Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday with W. H. Pardee and wife, of Freeport.
Last Tuesday, March 7th, supervisor Lee, assisted by Fred Manker, took Mike Eagan, of Harris Creek, to Grand Rapids and Judge Perkins pronounced him insane and sent him to Kalamazoo to the asylum.
Died, Wednesday morning, after a long and painful illness, Thomas Huntington, aged 60 years. Mr. Huntington was a resident of Bowne for over 20 years. He leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter to mourn his loss.
Saturday eve'g as Mrs Wm. McDonnell and son, John, of Irving, were crossing the Coldwater bridge near John McCarthy's, the bank at the end of the bridge gave way. Mrs. McDonnell jumped from the buggy, but John, the horses and buggy were precipitated into the river, John, after a good ducking got out, the horses and buggy were carried about a mile down stream, the horses were got out but the buggy cannot be found. It is thought that one horse will die.
All kinds of salt fish, for the Lenten season, at John Giles & Co's.

Alton.
Stephan Rennels is quite sick.
Miss Emily Weekes is on the sick list.
Mrs Thomas Condon is dangerously ill.
Lewis Covert started Monday for Dakota.
Ed Alger is moving back on his old farm.
W. S. Fuller and wife were in town Tuesday.
Mrs Effie Sherman is visiting friends in Lowell.
A. M. Andrews is moving on the Train place.
Orrin Ford went to Gd. Rapids last Wednesday.
David Condon finished cutting 13,000 pickets Monday.
Miss Wells closed a very successful term of school in Alto, Friday.
Mr Madison has returned from a visit with his son, Charlie, at Averil.
Miss Mae Hastings, of Lowell, is visiting her sister, Mrs Ernest Godfrey.
Geo. Frost cut one of his fingers off with an ax, while making a wedge.
Wm. Brown had to postpone his visit to Fairplains, on account of sickness.
Miss Cora Brown, of Bowne, is visiting Miss Cora Aldrich, of West Alto.
Sam'l Krupp has moved into his new home and the haunted house is vacant.
Geo. H. Godfrey and wife were at the lecture at Grattan grange, Tuesday evening.
Miss Libbie Carr, of Keene, visited with her sister, Mrs Fred Condon, Sunday.
Mr and Mrs Austin, of So. Vergennes, visited with Wm. E. Reid and wife Friday.
Geo. and Warren Ford went to visit their brother, Jacob, of Lincoln Lake, Sunday.
Frank Godfrey and wife, of Lowell, visited his uncle S. D. Godfrey last Tuesday.
Geo. Raymond, of Keene, made a business trip and visit with Henry Davis, of Grattan.
Wm. Brown has sold his farm and will sell at an auction all his farm implements, March 20.
We hear that Scott Thomas, of Lowell, offered Sam'l Davis \$250 for his 2 yr. old Hambletonian colt.
Benedict Tower and wife, of Smyrna,

visited at Otis White's Tuesday and attended the grange lecture.
Misses Cora Godfrey, Cora Burrows and Cora Aldrich called on Mrs W. H. Keech last Friday afternoon.
Mrs Aggie Trumbull and son, Everett, came Saturday in answer to a telegram to see her mother, Mrs Thos. Condon.
Wm. E. Brown will auction off his farm tools and personal property Monday, March 20, one mile south of Alto.
The high water has again cut out and broken the tile in the hollow east of David Condon's and the road is impassable.
John Wingeir, of Ohio, who bought the Hapeman farm has arrived. Mr Hapeman is moving into the Bradish house.
Deputy State Lecturer Banks lectured at Alto grange hall Tuesday of last week and gave the granger some very good advice.
There will be a donation held at the Alto Grange Hall for the benefit of Elder Crowell Friday evening, March 17, of this week. All are cordially invited to attend.
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The Republicans of Vergennes will meet in caucus at Keech's store in Alto on Friday, March 24, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating township officers and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
BY ORDER OF COM.
Sam'l Reusser died at his home in Fallsburg, Thursday, March 9th, aged 20 yrs. He was injured by his horses running away near the bridge at Fallsburg, throwing him over the bridge onto the ice. The funeral was held at the Alto church on Saturday afternoon, Rev. Metzger officiating. A large number of relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place.
Come in and see our new stock of Hardware.
L. F. SEVERY.

Democratic Caucus.
Will be held at Train's Opera House, Lowell, Friday, March 24th, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the several Township offices to be voted for at the Township election, to be held on Monday, April 3, 1893, and to transact such other business as may come before such caucus.
BY ORDER OF COM.
After the grip, when you are weak "and played out," Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore your health and strength.

Obituary.
Samuel Reusser departed this life on March 8th, after one week's intense suffering. On March 1st, he went to Lowell with a load of wood, on the way home the team became frightened and ran away, as they came on the bridge, threw him out of the sleigh and over the railing. He had thrown the lines over his shoulders, around his body, which held him suspended over the river, until they came to where the bridge is covered, when the lines broke, letting him fall about ten feet, evidently striking on his head, as his skull was badly fractured. When picked up he was insensible and did not recover consciousness until the next day. He thought he would recover, but he only had intervals of a clear mind. He was 20 yrs. 1 mo and 5 days old. He came when a mere child, with his parents from Switzerland. He moved to Fallsburg on the farm owned by Mr Golds, about a year ago and during that time he has so conducted himself as to win many friends both young and old. As a neighbor, he was kind and obliging, he scorned deception and when he found a person guilty of these sins he did not care to do business with them, and when he viewed death near, he asked to have the minister come and pray with him. He desired God's presence with him as he entered the dark valley. His sister asked him if he prayed and he answered, yes, I pray all the time. About half an hour before he passed away, he sang, "Home-ward, Home-ward, Home-ward I must go," "Goodbye, Goodbye, Goodbye," and thus he passed away. A loving son, a kind brother, and a good neighbor was laid under the snow.
Fallsburg, March 13, 1893.

"The MacKaye's Spectatorium" is the name of a colossal building, which in its exterior design and interior equipment is the work of Mr. Steele MacKaye, who is well known in the arena of creative dramatic work. He has taken advantage of the celebration of the discovery of America to found a permanent institution of fine art, upon a Titanic scale, in the realm of the drama. His creation is conspicuous among all others of its kind for its originality, audacity and artistic earnestness. He first submitted his plans to a number of Chicago gentlemen of financial and social prominence about one year ago. These gentlemen were prompt to perceive the merits of Mr. MacKaye's ideas, and in a very short time gave him a backing of \$1,500,000, for the realization of his extraordinary views. They are building it at the north end of Jackson Park, on the lake shore, an immense structure, bearing the name of the inventor and covering a ground area of 500x380 feet, in which will be presented, with a completeness of equipment never before approached, all the features of Mr. MacKaye's strange schemes. This building is in itself worthy of notice. It is imposing, massive and noble and in these particulars will be in accord with the production to be presented within its walls. Those who have seen the model, which cost about \$30,000, claim that "The MacKaye Spectatorium" will be the Eiffel tower of this great occasion, absolutely surpassing in magnitude and wonder every other feature of the Fair.

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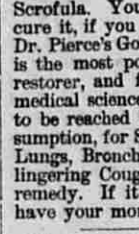
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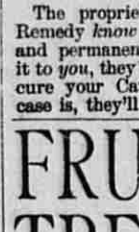
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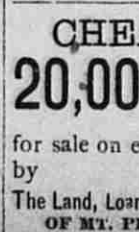
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