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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

SOWING GRASS SEED.—"In sowing grass seed it is wise to sow the best and purest of seed. It is a fine business when one has had large experience in the cultivation of grasses. But the average farmer, generally speaking, "It is wise also to buy only of merchants who have an established reputation and are prompt, honest and responsible." As to the quantity, a writer in the *Country Gentleman* advises half a bushel of timothy and half a bushel of clover mixed in equal quantities, affirming that it is more economical to do this than to sow the seed by itself. "Timothy and pound foolish." to be economical of seed, just as much of it should be sown as will stock every square inch of the ground with, at least, one growing plant.

HOUSEMADE OIL CLOTH.—"Daisy Eyebright" tells how to make a cheap oil cloth. We think, however, the carpet should be allowed to dry slowly and quite awhile before using. She says:

Pull the old Brussels carpet nicely up the floor in a large attic or woodhouse chamber, not in use. Then paint it over with a hot mixture of linseed oil and burnt umber. Let it dry in thoroughly, add a coat of good varnish. Let this dry for a week or two and it can be scrubbed and washed with milk and water like any oil cloth. Put a bit on the wrong side and nail it down closely, for it need not be taken up in many years. Set the varnish and paint out of doors to them, and thus it will last four times as long as common oil cloth. If you choose, you can ornament it with a border of scarlet, green or blue lines.

PICKLING PEPPERS.—Mrs. Marshall.—There are some people who object to scalding fowls preparatory to removing the feathers, Prof. Blot among the number, on the ground that it injures the quality of the flesh. With all respect for the eminent professor, we do not believe the difference is worth minding at all. Plucking fowls is tedious enough at best.

If there are any who want to operate on the sense of the palate, let them try it, let them do so, and when they are tired of it, let them try the following method which we know by trial to be better and let them drip. Then apply finely pulverized resin to the feathers with a feather. Put the feathers on the resin, then scald in the usual way. The resin sticks the feathers to the skin, and the pin feathers come out with the others, saving much trouble. Apply about a teaspoonful to a fowl, half as much to a duck. Use the common crude article. It is cheap stuff and its cost is made up ten times over by the labor saved.—*Poultry World.*

SALT AS MANURE.—Common salt has been employed as a manure from very early period with very good results. It was cried up so high, at one time, as an almost universal specific. But when the expectations thus raised, were not fulfilled, it fell into disrepute. There can be no doubt that salt is a manure of lasting value when applied in proper quantity and at the right time.

When used as a top dressing for wheat at the rate of four and five bushels per acre, it increases the crop in some years, but in a trifling expense. It is also a good top dressing for grass land. Years ago, a great experience made in England, it was found that six bushels of salt, costing three shillings, increased the crop of hay one ton per acre, over that portion of the field to which there was not any. Dressing at the rate of one hundred weight of nitrate of soda, costing $5.00, caused an increase of only twelve hundred weight of hay.

In a comparative trial of salt, nitrate of soda with rape dust as a top dressing for wheat, it was found that nitrate of soda alone gave 152 pounds of wheat, extra straw, for 24 shillings, while rape dust, or 12s. 2d. per bushel, nitrate with rape dust gave 400 pounds of wheat, for 40s 8d, or 8s 10d per bushel. Nitrate of salt gave 372 pounds of wheat for 24 6d, or 6d per bushel. These experiments have demonstrated that salt is valuable to improve the quality and increase the quantity of the grain in a greater ratio than that of the straw.

The principal reason why salt proves to be useless, is its propensity to attract sufficient quantity in the soil. With lime, salt is of great service in making organic matter in the soil available, for over farmyard manures, either in the manure pile, or when it has been drawn to the field, but it has been found very beneficial to the crop.

DRILLING WHEAT.—A singular discussion has arisen in the Rural World, whether there was really any advantage in the drill over broadcast sowing. It is strange to a practical farmer, who knows To experienced minds it is like arguing whether wind or water is better for driving machines and return to the old cradle, if not indeed to the sickle as once. It was a more remarkable discussion for the width of the drills. We do not know of any extended trial satisfactory enough to convince the converted, as to which the matter beyond question. At any rate, the practical farmer will not be in close sowing is the rule here. In England, however, where close cultivation is much more in vogue, it is not always the more intelligent than with us, there is a growing feeling of wide drills. Some one thinks at about twenty inches, and reports, especially this year, are generally in favor of the wide drill.

The great trouble with most of the experiments of this kind is, when made in experimental grounds, that they extend but over a single season, when it is only after trial through a series of years that a general rule can be formed. It makes a great difference, for instance, whether the experiments are made through a dry season or a wet one. If the season is like the present, when there is a deficiency of moisture, the wide drill in the row will have the advantage over the narrow, as there would not be enough of all in the narrow drill to produce more moisture, and enough for all, the result might favor closer rows. So also the nature of the soil might make a difference. A soil which does not dry and crust easily, might favor closer sowing. The one element of moisture in a growing crop alone makes a considerable element for consideration. But in a year age of years would show what would be best on the whole, and we should like to see such figures.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

CHEAP MOLASSES GINGERBREAD.—One tablespoonful lard, one cupful good molasses, half a cup of boiling water, one teaspoonful ginger, one of soda, salt and flour. This is a very nice breakfast or tea cake, eaten hot with butter.

BEST DIET FOR CHILDREN.—At the recent Medical Congress held at Manchester, the eminent Dr. Richardson present agreed that the best possible diet for children was oat-meal porridge and sweet milk.

COOKING.—Yolks of two eggs, one tablespoonful of cream; a small teaspoonful of mustard, a little salt and cayenne, one tablespoonful of vinegar. If cream is not at hand, put in a small lump of butter, rubbed to a little flour. Cut the cold white and yolk into a dish, and pour the sauce over it. This is very nice.

A RIDE FOR LIFE.

A Carson Scout Carries Orders to Camp Supply in Indian.

(FROM SPECIAL Correspondence of New York Herald.)

The thrilling adventures of Lieutenant Wetmore in his ride to Camp Supply, bearing dispatches for the *Herald* and General Miles, is the great heroic event of the season, and the talk of all the officers and soldiers.

Lieutenant Wetmore and Hamilton left Camp Supply by a servant he left Gen. Miles headquarters on the Washita, to carry dispatches to Camp Supply. Reaching the Canadian river, he concluded to leave the train and escort with a little horse and two mounted men for Supply, accompanied only by his servant. This was a very perilous undertaking, as the scouts will show. He and Hamilton, his servant had scarcely left the train before they were ambushed. But they were both full of pluck and anxious to reach their destination; and so, unmindful of the danger there were in, defiantly galloped on toward the north. Toward night on the 17th, they reached a stream, where they determined to camp, but on rounding a point they came suddenly on a party of three red Indians, who, on seeing the white men, ran into the brush, like leaves before the winter storm. There was no time for the two men, for they well knew that the Indians they saw were but strangers from a larger party in the immediate neighborhood. And so it proved. Retreating their steps, they put spurs to their horses, and by a ride into the midst of a party of nine mounted savages, who were so completely taken by surprise at the appearance of the soldier boys that they merely turned on their horses and gave one yell, and then fled from the dashing intruders. But Wetmore and his companion did not take their introduction so coolly. Quickly wheeling their horses they started down the slope and out on the steely and frozen prairie with the speed of the wind.

They were in for it now. One look behind showed the Indians in full pursuit; but they had a good start. The wind was blowing a gale from the northwest, and the stinging snow flakes fairly drove straight into their faces with almost blinding fury, but they could not stop, or slacken their speed. On came the fugitives and on came the bloodthirsty pursuers. It was a veritable race for life. Some of the Indians had fine ponies, but a living, breathing palpitating horse was the best chance for hundreds of the frontier after two blue-coats and their scalps. This was the exact situation. The Indians knew it, the fugitives knew it. They also knew that their horses would not hold out long against such terrible odds, and began to devise ways and means to sell their lives as dearly as possible. They thought of making a stand in the buffalo wallows, when the remembrance of the terrible fate of Chapman and his companions made them dig in the spurs a little deeper and seek a more favorable location for the fight.

At last it was evident that they could go no further, and something must be done. The ponies were jaded and foam covered. The stragglers had long since left the main body of the pursuers. But they were both full of pluck and anxious to reach their destination; and so, mindeful of the danger there were in, defiantly galloped on toward the north. Toward night on the 17th, they reached a stream, where they determined to camp, but on rounding a point they came suddenly on a party of three red Indians, who, on seeing the white men, ran into the brush, like leaves before the winter storm. There was no time for the two men, for they well knew that the Indians they saw were but strangers from a larger party in the immediate neighborhood. And so it proved. Retreating their steps, they put spurs to their horses, and by a ride into the midst of a party of nine mounted savages, who were so completely taken by surprise at the appearance of the soldier boys that they merely turned on their horses and gave one yell, and then fled from the dashing intruders. But Wetmore and his companion did not take their introduction so coolly. Quickly wheeling their horses they started down the slope and out on the steely and frozen prairie with the speed of the wind.

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CHRISTIANITY IN EUROPE.—A private telegram from Senator Conkling to Hewitt & Norris, to day, gave us the news of the election of Judge I. P. Christiancy of Monroe, to the U. S. Senatorship. Great excitement prevails, and we believe there is a general rejoicing over Chandler's defeat. Alas! how are the mighty fallen."

CLINTON.

From Our Own Correspondent.

We have to chronicle the death of the venerable and time-honored Rev. Robert Powel. His funeral was held yesterday at the Baptist Church in this place. A very large congregation assembled to pay their last regards to their venerable friend. His age was 84; having been in the ministry more than fifty years. He has been a resident of this place some forty-two years. Elder Powel was one of the thirteen who founded the "Hamilton Theological Seminary," and for twenty years the sole survivor of those founders. The name of this institution has since been changed to "Madison University." The following ode was sung on the occasion of his funeral:

The harness is oxidized and rest comes at last,
Though weary and worn," thy labor is past,
The shadows of eve and the storms have come,
The darkness of night now ushers him home.

The servant of God! rest, now rest thee in peace,
The toils have been long, now all thy cares cease,
He has the haven prepared for the blest,
Where angels shall sing the weary to rest.

So, far from our sight, in the world fair and bright,
Its spirit now drinks at the fountain of light;
The visions of earth have now faded away,
He dwells with his God in perpetual day.

All hushed are his footsteps at the bone revisitde,
And silent are his accents by his sad, lonely bride,
The last prayer has fallen on love's listening ear,
No more in the pulpit his voice shall we hear.

The spiritualists will come, and flowers will be fair
And autumn return, with its frostage and snows,
The morning will dawn as bright as of yore,
But he shall awake to their call—never more.

RELIGIOUS.

The Influence of the Christian Church.

BY REV. GEO. W. LOWE.

As a volume of this paper is kindly given to religious matter, a few words upon the subject named above may be in place.

The christian church is regarded by almost all classes as a necessity. Even those who deny that the church is a divine institution, but regard it as having originated with man, admit, notwithstanding, that it is a benefit to the world and should be sustained. Many are influenced by this belief to give to the church their earnest support; and in many instances some of its best supporters are those who are called "outsiders." But there are some things with which we have become so familiar as to quite forget their importance. There is a tendancy in us all to forget the value of our blessings and the source from which they come.

This is true of many as to the christian church. They share the benefits of its influence, and yet they have forgotten or are at least indifferent to its real value and importance. If the question were submitted to them, what shall be done with the church? and they had the power to decide, they would by no means consent to its being abandoned. But they have become so used to hearing its claims urged, and its importance dwelt upon, that to them these are old familiar things which have lost their interest. And by their actions, at least, they say, we found the church existing when we came into the world, and we suppose it will always exist, and we will enjoy the benefits of its influence, and do not propose to concern ourselves about anything farther. It is my object in these statements to turn the thoughts of such, and, of all, to the work of the church, its influence in our midst. And the duty we owe ourselves, and each other, saying nothing of our duty to God, which is above all, urges us to a consideration and to a proper acknowledgment of these things.

That we may be more deeply impressed with the important influence of the church, let us ask ourselves the question, what would be the result if the church, with all its work, should cease? If every place of Divine worship should be abandoned? And every agency which must be acknowledged to be the outgrowth of the christian church, and now at work for the good of men, should come to an end? Such questions naturally lead us to consider and thankfully acknowledge the influence of the church as being good and always salutary.

The fact that there is now and then a man who stands ready to curse the church and all its work, and who will not, under any circumstances, acknowledge its benefits, proves nothing, but only shows how far wilful blindness and ignorance will lead a man. Who that has eyes to see, and ears to hear, and a heart to feel, can fail to be impressed with the fact that we are indebted to the church for that which we prize above all else? From whence comes our civilization? What makes the difference between us and those who have no CHRISTIAN church? The answer which the unprejudiced give to these questions is: It is to the church we are mainly indebted for our civilization and the many differences between us and those who have no church.

To what are we indebted for the Sabbath Schools and all their blessed results? That institution acknowledged by many of our best statesmen to be the hope of the nation and the world. The answer is, for this we are indebted to the church. The Sabbath School is one of its agencies, begotten by its influence. And how wonderful is the extent of the influence of the church even in this one department of its work. The church proposes to give to the rising generation, through this agency, a knowledge of the Bible. And can any greater blessing be bestowed upon the young? It proposes to save the young from drunkenness, profanity, licentiousness, and all that is wrong, and thus give to the world men and women who are noble, true and good. True, there are many who fall from the high position in which the church places them, and yet we may ask who will be likely to be the best members of society among those who are now coming upon the stage of action? Those who are brought under the influence of the church, or those whose religious instruction is neglected, and are left to be educated at places of evil resort and sinful amusement? The church seeks to save all it can. It strikes a blow at sin in all its forms. It reaches out a helping hand to the fallen everywhere, and would snatch those from ruin who are ready to fall. This is its work here, and throughout the world; and though some who are under its constant instruction will not be benefitted, it is no argument against its power and influence for good. To the church we are indebted mainly for all organizations designed to bless and elevate man. They have come into existence either through the direct or indirect influence of the church.

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Clinton	8.23 "	2.53 "	6.00 "
Tecumseh	8.35 "	3.05 "	6.12 "
Adrian	8.50 "	3.20 "	6.26 "
Toledo		5.50 "	9.04 "
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Detroit	9.30 A.M.	12.00 M.	4.00 "
Tecumseh	10.20 "	12.50 P.M.	1.40 "
Adrian	10.35 "	1.05 "	2.00 "
Manchester	11.10 "	1.40 "	2.35 "
Norvell	11.18 "	1.48 "	2.43 "
Jackson	5.00 "	2.00 "	3.00 "
Detroit		5.45 A.M.	10.05 "

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GOING WEST.	Detroit.	Ypsilanti.	Jackson.	Chicago.
Mail, leave	9.00 A.	9.26 A.	10.40 A.	3.15 P.
Day Exp.	9.40 "	10.45 "	12.15 P.M.	8.00 P.M.
Detroit Ac.	4.00 P.M.	5.20 P.M.		10.45 "
Eve'ng Ex.	5.40 "	7.10 "	8.35 P.M.	6.50 A.M.
Kal. A.A.Ac.	7.10 "	8.40 "	10.05 "	10.00 "
Pacific Ex.	10.10 "	11.20 "	1.00 A.M.	9.00 "
GOING EAST.	Chicago.	Jackson.	Ypsilanti.	Detroit.
Atlantic Ex.	3.15 P.M.	6.45 A.M.	7.55 A.M.	9.00 A.M.
Night Ex.	9.00 "	6.45 "	8.20 "	9.25 "
Detroit Ac.			3.30 P.M.	4.45 P.M.
Detroit Ex.	8.00 A.M.	10.17 "	11.35 "	12.25 "
Mail	10.00 "	12.20 P.M.	2.00 "	3.00 "
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GOING EAST.	Mail.	Express	Freight
Detroit, dep	11.00 A.	6.20 P.	3.15 P.
Ypsilanti "	9.15 "	4.45 "	1.25 "
Saline "	9.15 "	4.45 "	1.25 "
Bridgewater "	8.47 "	4.07 "	
Manchester "	7.37 "	4.07 "	
Clinton "	7.15 "	3.45 "	
Brooklyn "	7.03 "	3.35 "	
Hillsdale "	6.45 "	3.15 "	
Baldwin "	4.45 "	2.15 "	
GOING WEST.	Mail.	Express	Freight
Detroit, dep	2.00 P.	4.00 P.	
Ypsilanti "	4.15 "	6.20 "	
Saline "	4.15 "	6.20 "	
Bridgewater "	4.37 "	6.37 "	
Manchester "	5.07 "	7.07 "	
Clinton "	5.29 "	7.29 "	
Brooklyn "	5.41 "	7.41 "	
Hillsdale "	6.00 "	8.00 "	
Baldwin "	8.00 "	10.00 "	

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MAT D. BLOSSER, Editor.
MANCHESTER, JAN. 21, 1875.

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ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Night Ex.	3.20 A.M.	Mail	3.05 A.M.
Detroit Ac.	10.40 "	Day Ex.	1.15 P.M.
Mail Ex.	2.00 P.M.	Detroit Ac.	4.00 "
Kalamazoo Ac.	11.45 A.M.	Kal. Ac.	7.05 P.M.
Way Freight	4.00 P.M.	Pacific Ex.	10.10 "

MICHIGAN AIR LINE.

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Mail	3.15 P.M.	Mail	1.20 P.M.
Detroit Ac.	10.40 A.M.	Detroit Ac.	4.15 A.M.
Daily. Sundays excepted.		Daily. Sundays excepted.	

GRAND RIVER VALLEY.

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Morning Mail	11.30 A.M.	Way Freight	6.15 A.M.
Day Ex.	3.45 P.M.	Mail	1.20 P.M.
Night Ex.	3.45 "	Evening Ex.	3.30 P.M.
Way Freight	4.25 "	Morning Ex.	11.00 A.M.

JACKSON, LANSING & SAGINAW.

ARRIVE.		DEPART.	
Mail	12.15 P.M.	Mail	4.05 P.M.
Express	3.40 "	Express	7.00 A.M.
Express	7.00 A.M.	Night Express	10.00 "
Way Freight	9.10 P.M.	Way Freight	2.10 A.M.

Trains run by Chicago time.

Village and Country.

RELIGIOUS.—Services in the Universalist Church next Sunday, at 10½ A. M.

Children are now troubled with the crop.

A little more snow would make good sleighing.

The next thing in order will be the Thanksgiving.

This week will probably finish up the ice harvest in this village.

Be careful where you empty your ashes. Look out for fires.

A new Bowling Alley will be opened in this village in a few days.

The German Working Men have concluded not to have a masquerade ball.

Herman Gieske had the misfortune to cut his foot, while chopping, last Tuesday.

The wind whistles round in general but it when it whistles "on the square" whistled" is no name for it.

The butchering of the boys being over now the sleighing of the girls begins.

You can insure mansions against fire but you can't insure man's shins against cold.

The young people of this village went to Clinton on a sleigh ride, on Tuesday evening.

We shall give our readers a report of the China Wedding of Mr. and Mrs Wallace, next week.

Rev. Geo. W. Lowe is holding a very interesting series of evening meetings, three miles south of this village.

House plants are very scarce in this village. The women won't cry, though for fear of forming icicles over their eyes

We have received a copy of the proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of Washtenaw Co., for 1874, in pamphlet form.

We call the attention of our readers to the time-cards of the Michigan Central R. R. and its branches, in another column.

The REPUBLICAN says Lansing has too many dogs for the size of the place Either enlarge the place or kill off the dogs.

The annual birthday party of the Cass family of this village took place at the residence of Albert Case, on Friday, the 15th inst.

We have just received a fine line of plain and tinted cap papers, suitable for circulars, letter and bill heads, &c. Call and see them.

The scarcity of water at stations on the Jackson Branch compels the railroad company to hasten the completion of the water tank at Norvell.

Persons interested in farm insurance will do well to read the statement of the Southern Washtenaw Farmers Mutual Insurance Co., for 1874, in another column.

We have received a communication from Norvell, signed "35." It is very good, but we would not publish it without the writer's name, if we knew it came from an archangel.

The ENTERPRISE office is now well stocked with paper, envelops, cards, etc., for the Spring trade. Merchants should leave their orders with us at an early date, in order to give us ample time.

We wish parties in want of extra copies of the ENTERPRISE would leave their orders as early in the week as possible, as we are troubled to supply all orders when handed in on day of publication.

Two cases of assault and battery are on the docket. One was tried before Justice Goodyear yesterday. Roney vs. Cone. Defendant plead guilty and was fined $1. The other case will be tried Monday.

Foster & Kellett, of Middlebury, Ind., wish us say to the farmers that they will be in this vicinity the coming Spring to do some work in the line of ingrafting of fruit trees, and will call on you in a few days to take orders for such work as you want done.

Some of the papers are telling a doleful tale about the cars running over one Snow white lying on the track. Next we'll hear of I. Sickles falling from the roof of a house and being dashed in pieces. Or of Karo C. Noyle being turned, or Lynn C. Doyle going into the painting business, etc.

A grand ball will be given by the German Working Men's Aid Society, at Kirchgessner's Hall, on Tuesday, February 9th, 1875. Everybody is invited who wishes to have a good time. Good music will be in attendance. The committee will spare no pains to make everything pleasant. Full bill, two dollars.

At the meeting of the Washtenaw Mutual Insurance Company, on Wednesday, one of the speakers stated that a great deal of feeling and trouble had grown out of the large number of losses by the company, and offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That we will not have any more fires in our company for the space of two years.—[Argus.

Among those who sat in the "caboose" when the freight engine jumped the rails at Norvell Tuesday evening, was a bride-groom. He told his troubles to the train boys who sympathized with him, one at a time, until 4 A. M. The bride, the minister, and friends, amused themselves until nearly 5 A. M., when the happy couple were married. The train was but seven miles away, still he had paid his fare, the night was beautiful, and he just as leave set up the first night as not.

SHERIFF'S APPOINTMENTS.—Sheriff Fleming has made the following appointments:

Under Sheriff—Myron Webb, Saline.
Deputies—Wm. H. McIntyre, Thos. J. Hoskins, J. W. Lawson, Ann Arbor; Jas. H. Forsyth, Ypsilanti; Frank Whiting, Alfred Miller, Saline; J. S. Case, Manchester; J. W. McLanahan, Milan; Christopher Bilby, Dexter; O. N. Allen, Chelsea. W. W. Sumner, Turnkey at Jail.

AMUSEMENTS.—Our readers should remember that the Grass Lake Amateurs are to present "Beauty and the Beast," "Gone with a Handsomer Man," and "Kritsingles," three tip-top pieces, together with a variety of music, tableaux, etc., at Goodyear Hall, on to-morrow (Friday) evening. Those who have seen the troupe play, say they are excellent. Admission 25 cents. Give them a full house.

A BIG FACE.—A young man by the name of Elias Ettinger arrived in town last evening, from the north, with the worst looking face on him we have ever seen. He stated that he had been at work in the north woods, and after saving up the sum of $47.25, he started for his home in Pennsylvania. He was pounced upon by unscrupulous villians, who "put a head on him," lifted his wallet, and left him to wake up at his convenience. He has managed to get his face towards home, with his skin full of poor whisky. The Supervisor furnished lodgings for him last night, and the boys "chipped in" and paid his fare to Lawsee Junction. When he gets home he will have his photograph taken and send it to the boys to be deposited with the town clerk as a token of their charity to the poor.

INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, KALAMAZOO, Kalamazoo, Michigan, has the credit of possessing one of the best hotels in the State. The "International" has been open to the public only a short time, but has by its superior management and excellent accommodations secured the bulk of the business. Its rooms are large, elegantly furnished with velvet and body brussells carpets, and marble top French dressing case bed-room sets. They have the best meat and pastry cooks in the State. And in its season every delicacy graces their table. Mr. De Forest Davis, the manager, and the clerk, are old commercial travelers, and claim they know from actual experience the wants of the traveling public. From its central location, first-class management and good will of the traveling community, it surely should have its share of patronage.

Death of an Old Pioneer.

It is our painful duty to chronicle the death of one of the oldest, if not the oldest settler in the Town of Bridgewater, Philip Peter Bluhm, born at Kirchheim Bolander, Bavaria, and emigrated with his family to this country in 1832, and settled, in the fall of the same year, in the town of Bridgewater, where he has resided up to the time of his death, which occurred on Saturday, the 16th inst. On Monday, the 18th inst., a large concourse of relatives, neighbors and friends accompanied the remains to the grave, in the town of Freedom. (One of the largest funerals that ever took place in that part of the country.) Rev. Father Leitner conducted the funeral services in accordance with the solemn and impressive rites of the Catholic Church, of which deceased was an active member.

He leaves a wife (now 83 years of age), three sons, Philip, Jacob and Frank, and four daughters, to mourn his loss. In the career of the deceased we notice an instance of unequaled perseverance in the trials incident to the life of an early settler. Bridgewater, then a dense wilderness, to-day presents a far different appearance; the well-tilled farms, the substantial dwellings and comfortable surroundings, tell the story of an untiring energy, the tale of a father's love for his children.

To the bereaved family we extend our heartfelt sympathy, especially to the aged widow, whom we commend to Him who has the supreme power to take our loved ones away, but who promises a reunion in that land where there is no more parting, no more sorrow.

SORWELL.

On Tuesday evening last, as the freight engine "Constitution" (couldn't learn whether the engineer's name was Grant, Sheridan or Kellogg) was shoving some cars on W. B. Reynold's side track on the Jackson Branch, ran off, and could not, with the appliances and assistance on hand, be set back again, although some of the members wrought all night. The next day the engine "Louisiana" (I think Thurman was the engineer's name,) put in an appearance, with the necessary implements, which, with the assistance of the people, soon placed the old "Constitution" back on her track again, and she does not seem to have been injured in the least by the casualty.

A series of meetings are now being held nightly at the Baptist Church in this village. Rev. D. B. Munger of Grass Lake is assisting our Rev. R. D. Clark in the services. S. P. H.

BROOKLYN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Our village came very near having a large fire on Friday last. About 8 A. M. the cry of fire was heard at the school house, from which issued huge columns of smoke. Of course everybody ran with what speed they could, and with water from the river, which is close by, the building, the fire was soon under subjection. It took fire from the pipe, which had got apart near the ceiling, and then burning through the floor above and in the sawdust between the joist with which the floor was deafened. It has been repaired, so that the school is running again to day.

Everybody, almost, is suffering with the "Epizootic," in this vicinity, and a large number have died from the same. This morning (Monday) the cutters and bells are racing to and fro, and all seem to be enjoying the sleighing and fine weather.

Mr. Sharp feels quite sensitive about my reporting his Sunday fox-digging, and perhaps in justice I ought to have said that he had dug for those foxes all the day before, and being a man of indomitable energy, and rather overstocked with grit, he was going to get those foxes if it took him all winter. I hope this apology will be satisfactory. He is a man that seldom violates any part of the Decalogue.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following are the real estate transfers in Southern Washtenaw, as recorded in the Registers Office, for the week ending Jan. 16th, 1875:

Chas. W. Colman to Anthony Uphouse, 53 acres of the E. ½ of sec. 34, Town of Scio, $2150.

Wm. H. Palmer to Saml. I. Palmer N. W. ¼ of N. E. ¼ Sec. 16, Town of Freedom. $1500.

Benj. Bailey and Elizabeth Burts to Geo. W. Bailey, House and Lot in Scio village in Manchester, $900.

Business Locals.

Lehn keeps the best sugars in town.

The American Sardine Companies Boneless Sardines are much better and less than half the cost of imported Sardines.

If you want a good Dress Coat.
If you want a fine suit of Clothes
If you want a good Business Coat
If you want a good piece of Cloth, go to the Union Hall Clothing Store.

Until further notice pictures may be had at Stark's car, at half price.

Feathers for sale, 12½ cents per pound. Cash paid for poultry. W. Kimble.

Buy Tea, Coffee, Sugars and Spices of J. A. Lamb, your wife will meet you with a smile.

Buy Lambs Wool Lung Protectors of J. A. Lynch, M. D., and thereby prevent Coughs, Colds and Inflamations.

Parties going East will find the Michigan Central Route the best. Coupon tickets for sale at the D H & I. R. R.

MARRIED.

Jan. 20th, 1875, by Rev. Geo W. Lowe, at the residence of Prof. C. P. Thorpe, of this place, GEORGE SALISBURY, of Greenville, Ill., to JENNIE B. GATES, of Manchester.

DIED.

In Freedom, on Friday, Jan. 15th, 1875, at one o'clock in the morning of the brain, Mrs ELIZABETH KRAMER, daughter of Adam Kramer, Esq., aged 20 yrs.

In Bridgewater, on Saturday, Jan. 16th, 1875, Mr. PHILLIP PETER BLUHM, aged 86 years.

COMMERCIAL.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

JANUARY 21st, 1875.

New York.		
Beeves, Western	10 @	12
Texans	8 @	11
Flour, Southern	4 00 @	6 15
Wheat, No. 1	1 12 @	1 13
No. 2	1 07 @	1 08
Corn, Mixed and Western	83 @	85
Pork	26 @	27
Lard	16 @	16½
Dressed Hogs	$7 70 @	8 00
Chicago.		
Hogs	5 12 @	5 70
Pork	25 00 @	25 25
Corn	80 @	86
Oats	36 @	36

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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

CLEANING AND DRESSING THE WHIP.—Take a piece of sandpaper, or a piece of the rough side of a horse's rough, and in the carry, lay it upon your knee, and in the carry, lay it upon your knee, and in the carry, lay it upon your knee