IN ADVANCE WHOLE NO. 457.

BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1886

KEE RAILWAY.

CENTRAL STANDARD TIME

A. B. ATWATER, General Supt. W. J. CER, Manager

Wants, Lost. Found, etc.

THREE NICE TAME DEER FOR SALE
particulars and priors, call on, or addr
A. Handall, Blumbagham, Mich 2,34

ALE-Good four foot wood, hard or soft sered or sold on the ground, one nile east singham, Mcfi wood, \$2.25; hard wood, welvered; 75 cents less on the ground.

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NATIONAL HOTEL.

Waverly House, Pontiac. Every attention paid to the to travelling public. First class in ear particular. Terms moderate. Of the best stables in the county the connection with the house. 5 ns

A. A. BANCROFT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN and SURGEON.

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ffice on Maple avenue, east end of the
Ellis block, near the depot.

FIFTEEN YEARS ACTIVE PRACTIC Gr duate of the Hahnemann Medica College, Philadelphia, Pa.

DENTAL SURGERY



Whitehead & Mitchell,

Niagara White Grape. e are now offered without re to planters for the first time. old vines \$2 each. None gen-out the seal of Niagara Grape John E. Benedict, Agent. Mar 19 85 1 yr

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the whole year to

Every, 1g in this Department will be foold SH, AT COST, for the next 15 Days, commencing FRIDAY Feb. 19th. DRESS GOODS.

FLANNELS, SHIRTING, Tableings, Towellings, YARNS, HOSIERY, Gloves & Mittens. UNDERWEAR.

Caps for Men and Boys at Âll Prices!

clean sweep! Every article in the Line

Please let no one ask credit at these prices. We are getting ready for onr annual Inventory, and all Goods are offered CHEAP.

Fancy Goods not Included in this Sale.

J. R. CORSON, Jr. & CO., Birmingham, Mich.

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For the next 30 days only, BARCAINS:

FRESH GROCERIES:

| 1 | 18 lbs new prunes | \$1 00 | 20 boxes matchess |
|---|---------------------------|--------|---|
| | 5 lbs choice mixed coffee | 1 00 | 4 lbs crackers |
| | 6 lbs choice tea dust | . 1 00 | 1 lb Magic Baking powder 4 lbs fine rice |
| | 21 lbs Japan tear | 1 00 | 4 lbs fine rice. |
| | | | |
| 4 | 8 lbs choice raisins | 1 00 | 10 cans corn, 2 lbs |
| | | | |

FINE for CASH for the next 30 days in or

F. BLAKESLEE & Co's.



PERPETUAL SOTICE:

Village election soon. Did you get a valentine?

Just think spring will soon be here Two donations last night. Too lat

Miss Frankie Fredericks spent Sunda ith friends in Pontiac. The Cemetery Association will give entertainment in the near future. Fort Gratiot and Port Huron are eady waxing hot over base ball.

When T. A. Ward meets Julian Lee Favors from County Line, Poverty 2 loads and other places get left this week

Plenty of interesting matter both inside and out this issue. Read all. Wm. Lester of Iowa, visited his broth

r-in-law Andrew Graham, the past week Royal Oak used to have quite a hard

Pinder Worth is A. Blakesle's right and man and will assist him through

load of fine stock was shipped to the va-rious city markets.

An excursion to New Orleans will soon be run under the management of G. H.
Turk, of Youtise. For all information be run under the management of G. H.
Turk, of Youtise. For all information to the control of the control of the control of the Charles M. Starr last one of the control of the Charles M. Starr last one propagately and now we do wonder it hell pur-chase that Harbor Point summer cottage. Maybe it will be at Grosse Pointe, though.

The Board of supervisors have ordered the wind-mill in the Pontiac court house yard taken to some other less prominent

stranger was proud to be able to tip the beam at 11 pounds, and Will is proporionately happy.

The Oakland County Advertiser has

C. H. Fisher of the Pontiac Democrat was in town one day last week looking up the interests of his paper and we think quite successfully too.

One of Big Beaver's best citizens came home recently greatly inflemenced by spir-its, and dove head first into his front

ecretary.

An old superstition runs in this wase:
"February 14 and 15 are unlucky days
for males, and the 15th, 23d, 27th and
18, do for females." Peddlers, book
agents and bohemian oat men, don't
free commelves away especially on these

Steve Weldon and Will Hughes fin-ished threshing clover seed on Tuesday last, making a total of 1,010 bushels ihreshed in 46 days, setting the machine 87 times. The seed will aggregate over 80.000 in value.

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Martin Simonom, of Troy, was arrested last week by deputy sheriff James
O Beatstre, and arraigent leifer Justice
Bodinstre, and arraigent leifer sheriff
Com Last organism of Troy, Case adjourned must list sweek Saturalya.
TARK NOTER:—All accounts of F. B.
Raynale & Co. unpuls by March 1st. 1886
of necessity will be left with Justice Boduer, for cellerion. Any persons wishing to pay before that time, please leave
the amount of their account with L. B.
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James O. Beattle went to Ionia Mon-day night to re-arrest Joe LaChauce on a charge of obtaining money from Miss Lizzie White under false pretense. This notorious crook was sent up from this place three months ago for petty larceny.

larceny.

Louie Goodman gave a very fine cxhi-bition at the rink last Saturday evening to a large vadience, phis exhibition being fine and artitic. He gave auccessful exhibition at Utica last Tuesday evening before a crowded house. May he con-tinue to excel.

board of Common Mr. Smith, principally, charges against the management of the institution are being vigorously prosecuted, and the result will be a better state of affairs in that far away school,

state of affairs in that far away school, Mrs. Miners McCall states of Mrs. R. J. Mitchell who camis here last week Wednesday for visit, while going across the road to the National hotel last week Sastordys, disposed and fell dislocating her ellow, making a most painful injury. Drs. Campbell and Boneroit redeaded the fracture, and the patient is doing as well. Drs. Campbell and Boneroit redeaded for Google M. P. Dwis, (Gromerly of Southfield) but of late years and now a creation of Grayling, Mich was arraigned in Crawford county Circuit court, tast week, charged with emberzelment while

nent members of the gang, and now he is in hot water, because the very ones that insisted, on stopping the racket are the ones now that abuse the official for.

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one day last week in truly startling manner, his horse was on three legs and was stopped used to the startling manner, his horse was on three legs awas stopped users the Eccentrate office, numerous hands assisted "Curly" out of hisdille mma and no damage to the horse, but the thills were converted into tooth picks.

joints. Wm. Erity met with a painful accident, on Monday last. She came to town with her husband, and after alight-ing from the laggr slipped on the iey walk and fell, breaking and dislocating from the laggr slipped on the iey walk and fell, breaking and dislocating lier wrist in a painful manner. Dr. Ray-naie reduced the fracture and made the patient as comfortable as possible, but it is doubtful if she ever has the entire use of her wrist again.

The following books have been added to the Ladies' library; Nellie's Silver Mine, by II. H. Knave of Hearts, by Grant. Louis' slat Term at St. Mary's, and Frank Warrington, by Miss Harris. Sweet Cleely, by Josaich Alleis wife A Mortal Autipathy, by Holmes. Bonny-torough, by Mrs. Whitsey. Where the Battle was Fought, and in the Tennessec

it in ascertaining the price of produce before taking it to market. Our business men order their goods from Detroit through it. Lawyers, doctors and piezahers, in adjoining towns are reached by it, when their professional services are needed by our people. Truly if is a ghing of mystery, and a convenience to everyone. All this refers to the Franklin office. While George Warner of Troy, was going home from school at this village, horse back Mouday last, his horse fell on him and George sustained severe injuries. Strange to say, the horse came back to him, and the pluckly climbed into the

the session. The excellent singing was also amarked and pleasing feature of the institute, which, with all its excellence would have proven comparatively dry without it. Mr. James Peabody of Birm-ingham read a very interesting paper. —[Rochester Era.

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Col. S. S. Mathews has been invited

"to step down and out" by the adminis
stration, to make room for Hon. G. A.

Pennell, of St. Johns, for U. S. Marshnil

for the eastern district. The friends of

Mr. L. H. Ripley, of Holly—and they are

gloin—will, no doubt have a warm fest
ing under their "west coats" for Wi-

For Sweet Charity's Sake.

A benefit concert for Mrs. Wm. Riff enberg, will be given at Library hall, un der the management of the Ladies' Air

"Federal Aids to Education

ESS DELIVERED BY PROF. L. C H"LL, OF DETROIT, BEFORE THE

The education of the young is a mat-ter which has paramonat claim upon the attention of the legislator. In are-public the whole power of education is needed. Love of one's government must be inspired by education. The true end of education in America is 'io-enable and direct aright our whole nature, to ex. plain the principles of free institutions, and to train the child to an enlightened and the control of the control of the the office of early action is charged with the office of early action is charged with the office of early action is charged with the office of early action is control to to the normal development of each oth to the normal development of the con-tent of the control of the c

with a convenience of the problem of the control of owes her efficient school system largely to national aid. When the state is strong and mature, parental control should be relaxed ow withdrawn. The let alone pol-icy is a wise policy under ordinary cir-ration will be the need of safe preservation will be the need of safe pre-servation will be safe to the safe of the safe of the south is to-day carrying as a wind load of illiteracy. The census of 1890 revealed as appalling condition of things. In 18 southern states and the district of Col-umbia there was 1,076,099 illiterate whites and 3,094,293 illiterate negroes. In twelve of the southern states the per-centage of illiteracy among colored peo-ple is over 70; in the reminsing our over 50. The causes of this wide-spread illit-crary are first the impoversished condition of the south. Before the war wealth, property and knowledge were the accla-imation of the southern state the pro-

of the south. Before the war wealth, properly and knowledge were the exclasive possessions of the ruling whites, The close of the war left the south hank-rupt and her social system disrupted. No other people in all history were left in such other people in all history were left in such mood to help. A few good mean went south, but a hoot of vampires set upon the helpless section and by the tricks of the demagogue nontrolled the newly made demagogue nontrolled the newly made union the southern stakes have striven no-bly to curry the heavy load. The second great obstacle is the mass of colored vo-ters. The national government deemed it necessary in self-defence to grant ful-citzenship to four millions who were wholly untrained in the radiments to

the means to educate the new users of the ballot. The remedy for darkness is light-free the control of the cont

CIRCUIT COURT CHIMBS.

Polly Carpenter vs. Cotinental Ins. Co. ury trial: judgement for Plaintif, 13955.76, time extended for settling bill of exceptions to first day of next term.

Charles H. Fay admrs. et. vs. Gland jury triai: \$3955.75, tin

Mary E. Morley vs. M. E. Green; tria

lensive library.

John L. Perkins contemplates a trip to California, and the southern states for his health.

Recently a donation was held for the benefit of widow Stiff, who has been the

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DETROIT, O'D HAVENE MILVAU Special Dry

SHAWLS, JERSEYS

of Dry Goods will be offered at cost for Cash.

| 18 | lbs new prunes \$1 | 00 | 20 boxes matches \$ | 95 |
|-----|---------------------------|------|---|-----|
| - 5 | lbs choice mixed coffee 1 | 00 | 4 lbs crackers | 0.5 |
| 6 | lbs choice tea dust 1 | 00 | 1 lb Magie Baking powder 4 lbs fine rice | 95 |
| 9 | Ibs Japan tes | 00 1 | 4 lbs fine rice | 20 |
| | | | | |
| 8 | lbs choice raisins 1 | 00 | 10 cans corn, 2 lbs 1 | 00 |
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AT COST.