

Depression of Spirits

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BIG BEAVER BRIEFETS

Blown by the Bonny Breeces of a Brisk Blast of Breezes.

Wm. Renshaw and wife, of Avon were guests at the residence of Elder Hogson last Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Showman, of Rochester, spent Monday with Big Beaver friends.

Flag day was observed in a very patriotic manner, and long may these emblems so-prize each of our little village.

Will Eiding and family left enjoying life these days with their new carriage.

Our new Marcellite Hall is under process of construction.

Mrs. Frankie Gibbs, Miss Minnie Gillet, and Mrs. Florence Gillet attended the Macabeg-Joyner ball last Tuesday.

Big Beaver hall twirlers played at Detroit last Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Smith gave a small birthday party for her friend, Miss Nora Melchior, who celebrated her 16th anniversary on June 26.

I. S. Pearson Sundayed with Warren friends.

Mrs. Mamie McRoberts was an honorary candidate at the L. O. T. M. meeting last Saturday.

S. L. Robins, Dr. Anderson and L. I. Hogson were in Detroit Wednesday evening on a week to witness the prosaical display of the Mystic Drivers.

Fred Schultz and wife, and Wm. Clark and Mrs. Soper, of Uica, and C. Schak and wife of Troy, were entertained at the residence of M. Schack last Sunday.

E. M. Bode, of Chicago, Mrs. J. M. Jones, Hutchins, of Royal Oak, spent Sunday with friends here.

The K. O. T. M.'s held an ice cream and chocolate party in Red Robin Hall Wednesday evening. A large crowd was in attendance and all present seemed to be enjoying themselves.

Jerry Longdy, of Troy, visited in town over Sunday.

Strawberry pickers are busily occupied now and Mrs. Anna Quak can exhibit a good specimen of this luscious fruit as anybody could wish for.

Mrs. L. Bookman was in Pontiac last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stungs were in Rochester last week.

Mrs. Frank Harvey and family are spending the week in Detroit.

Miss Belle Pallister is returning with her sister, Mrs. R. F. Palmer, from Detroit.

Mrs. Colma McKeine, who was injured in the runaway accident, is rapidly recovering and is able to get out again.

The Ladies' Aid Society are doing good work by freely preparing the M. E. church for the annual picnic.

Mr. R. Q. Batey and niece, Miss Frank Bates, of Detroit, are guests at L. I. Hogson's.

At the school meeting held last Friday evening, with a view to building an addition to the school house and employing two male teachers, said proposition was voted down by 21 yeas to 20 nays.

Kaiser Schraevcs, of the Pamas, called on Big Beaver friends Sunday last.

Mrs. Florence Gillet, of South Bend, is visiting at E. Gillet's and calling on her friends at this village.

Mrs. M. E. Dickinson, accompanied by her two little daughters, Jose and Rhoda, spent the week in Detroit.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baldwin, who has been ill several weeks, is thought to be slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Holden James, who are unable to care for themselves on account of poor health, have been removed to the home of Warren James, where they will remain indefinitely.

Orvil Smith, of Birmingham, was in Big Beaver Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Cornett and wife, of Bulle River, N.Y., are guests of relatives and friends in this village. They were entertained by Mrs. Fred Lamb Monday.

Mr. E. P. Newman and daughter, Ivy, of Grand Rapids, are guests of Mrs. Newman's mother, Mrs. E. H. Lane. They contemplate remaining here all summer.

R. F. Lane met with quite a serious accident in Birmingham Monday last week. He had driven in front of Smith's elevator and getting out of the wagon his foot slipped on the stone at the age of the door, striking his hand, his body, the old gentleman is unable to get about and suffers much pain from the fall.

All are led in their praise of the very excellent entertainment given on the evening of Children's Day at the M. E. church. The program entitled "The Young People's Day" was very creditably carried out, each person in the program having his part perfectly well carried out due to the assistance of their singing society. The entertainment a success.

WITHIN OUR WALLS.

HERE MENTION OF MICHIGAN MATTERS. The State Accountant Prepares Official Figures of the Amount of Taxes for the Next Two Years—Steamer Possible Discovered After 23 Years. General \$1,000,000 for 1897-8. Ontario State Auditor H. G. Jackson has completed official figures giving in detail the amount and the purpose of each appropriation made by the legislature for the year 1897 and 1898. These figures show that the special appropriations of the legislature for the year 1897, \$1,000,000, and for 1898, \$1,000,000, total \$2,000,000. The general purposes of the state government for the year 1897 were \$1,000,000 and for the year 1898 were \$1,000,000. The University of Michigan, in order to obtain the total amount of state tax for these years, which for 1897 will be \$1,000,000 and for 1898 will be \$1,000,000, has opened a small grocery store in Pontiac. The business steadily grew until last week, when it was closed, because it was found that some one was still continuing it on a large scale. The Seventh Michigan infantry held the annual reunion at Dundee. James Frederick, of Flushing, was elected president.

Found the Pewabic Treasure. Capt. Smith, with the wrecker H. A. Smith, has discovered the treasure of the Pewabic, which was sunk in Lake Huron in collision with the Motor 23 years ago. The boys in 190 feet of water, three miles from shore, where she was supposed to have gone down. She is nearly 600 miles off. Thinner by eight or ten miles on the bottom in an open part, but in some places she is open entirely, but the deck and hull intact. The wreck is covered with coral and moss to the thickness of several inches. The steamer had 200 feet lead, and was valued at \$300,000. It has been the cargo however, the treasure, which is about the size of a pea. On board the Pewabic were 400 tons of iron cargo. The wreck is a found, or copper. The copper is worth about \$100,000. It is probably recovered, without much trouble. There will also be several hundred tons of iron and other articles, according to some reports, \$500,000 in value.

A Dear Deer Killing. One of the deer in the park at the Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids escaped the hands of the hunters, and having well-known citizens of Courtland township, saw it and killed it. The man who shot it had his yard and the game laws, and was sentenced to a fine of \$100. He was fined \$100. They thought they had killed the deer, but it was shot, and the deer was shot. He heard of the matter, had them brought before Justice Watt, where they pleaded guilty again. The law says that the deer shall be not less than \$50. Whether Justice Watt cut the line in two and give him \$25, as he is a poor man, or whether he kills the same deer, is a question.

MICHIGAN NEWS/ITEMS. Johnnie Sheehan, aged 14, of Calumet, was discovered by a town constable and Mrs. Anna Quak can exhibit a good specimen of this luscious fruit as anybody could wish for. He was charged with the murder of James Weitzel, aged 25, a well-known citizen of Courtland township, who was shot and killed himself last Saturday. He was charged with the murder of James Weitzel, aged 25, a well-known citizen of Courtland township, who was shot and killed himself last Saturday. He was charged with the murder of James Weitzel, aged 25, a well-known citizen of Courtland township, who was shot and killed himself last Saturday.

Albert E. Alther, aged 47, owner of the Atlas flour, saw and slave mill, left Flint for his home in Michigan. About half a mile from his home, he got out of his wagon to speak to a neighbor. His horse started up. Mr. Alther caught the horse by the bridle and the runaway team dragged him some 20 rods, killing him almost instantly.

A party of six Detroit young people had a very successful fishing party in a small sail boat from Hansen's island, on St. Clair river, near Alpena, Mich. They were out for a day and night, and returned with a large haul. They were out for a day and night, and returned with a large haul. They were out for a day and night, and returned with a large haul.

Fire in the business district of Westland destroyed three stores, and it was only heroic efforts that the entire town escaped. Two dwellings and a number of out-buildings was also burned. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, with insurance of approximately \$150,000. The village has only one rescue facilities for fighting fire, both men and a wagon. The fire department was called after a hard fight succeeded in stopping the spread of the flames.

A wholesale jail-break at the Pontiac Prison was effected by a convict named Turkey George Black, in making his usual morning rounds, found the guard turned away from one of the corridors where the door of bars had been severed, the outside windows locking only one bar of being cut. The prisoner was able to escape. When this news became known their only available saw slipped out of the window and nothing further could be accomplished.

Spang Ping, the new Chinese minister to Washington, the first representative of the flower kingdom in the United States who has been able to speak English fluently. A recent death reported by many in the city of Detroit, was that of Coello, a jovial diplomat, well known all over Italy. The count for several years held the post of Spanish ambassador in London. He was married a ballerina of fame and beauty, settled down in Italy as a journalist. He founded the Epoca of Madrid.

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SULTAN VERY WORTHY. Many English Messaged in India. Dispatches from India, India report serious trouble on the frontier. Two months ago, the British commissioner, escorted by 100 men from the First Punjab Infantry, were attacked by a large force of the rebels in the Tach Valley. In the fight which followed Col. Bunny, two other officers and 20 privates were killed. All the British forces were captured and the British commissioner was severely injured. In addition many horses and mules were killed. The British commissioner was severely injured. The British commissioner was severely injured.

Advices from Athens show that the treaty of Athens is highly regarded. It is also stated that the British ambassador, that England will never permit Christians to return to the Greek Islands. It is also stated that the British ambassador, that England will never permit Christians to return to the Greek Islands.

The question of issuing bonds to the city's proportion of the cost of contemplated street improvements at South St. Marie, was submitted to the city council. The council has decided to issue \$100,000 in bonds to cover the cost of the improvements.

Admission of Hawaii. A treaty for the annexation of Hawaii to the United States will be sent to the Senate next week. The treaty has been written and all its details are agreed upon. There is no doubt, in the terms of the treaty, which is in the general lines of the treaty negotiated during the administration of President Harrison.

Cleveland Abandon Law. It is announced on the authority of the most intimate friends that Governor Cleveland has decided to resign. He is expected to resign within a few days.

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