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### WHAT THEY SAY.

—Leap year party to-night.  
—Mrs. W. C. Steers, of Wayne, was in town Tuesday.  
—Marshall Stringer, of Pontiac, was in town Monday.  
—A good house and lot for sale in Plymouth. Inquire of J. R. Rauch.  
—Alfred Steers, of Waterville, Ohio, was here a portion of Friday and Saturday.  
—Frank Coleman of Inkster, and Cholett Cady, of Wayne, were in town Wednesday.  
—Large and commodious room over Hall's store to rent. Inquire of R. G. Hall. 21w3  
—George Burnett and wife paid a visit to their old home, near Pike's Peak, on Tuesday.  
—Wm. Selleck is now employed in the painting room of the Markham Air Rifle company.  
—On account of ye editor being "under the weather" this week, we are unusually short of local matter.  
—Hon. C. B. Crosby returned the first of the week from Midland, where he has been for the past ten days.  
—Dr. J. P. Safford returned from Hudson, Mich., on Monday, and reports a very pleasant and successful visit.  
—If you have any business at the probate court, leave word for your advertising to be done in the MAIL.  
—Cabinet's \$3.00 per dozen at Gibson & Co.'s Northville studio. None better. We positively guarantee satisfaction.  
—Dr. A. Pelham has an elegant suit of dental rooms over the postoffice, and has moved into them and is all ready for business.  
—Our last report from Livonia says that the remaining diphtheria patients have recovered and the signs have been taken down.  
—A cheap party will be given at Lapham's hall, Friday evening, Feb. 10. Bill, twenty-five cents. Music by Safford's orchestra.  
—Frank Tillotson was engaged in drawing some nice oak logs through town on Tuesday, one of them being four feet in diameter.  
—Carlos S. Horton, a former resident of Wayne was married, at Port Huron, on Wednesday of last week, Miss Mary E. Robinson.  
—On Monday and Tuesday Silas Sly drew to the F. & P. M. elevator four loads of wheat that averaged over 105½ bushels to the load. Next.  
—When you want a pair of shears that will please you in every way, for a long time, buy them of G. A. S. & Co. Every pair warranted perfect.  
—The leap-year party to be given by the ladies at Amity hall, this evening, promises to be a pleasant affair. Better go and see how the ladies chaperon.  
—Lawyer Brown has removed his office from the Amity hall block to the post-office block, where he has much finer and more convenient rooms than before.  
—The alterations in the interior of the Berdan House, are still going on at a lively rate and promise to add much to the appearance and convenience of that popular place.  
—Material is on the ground here for four or five new houses, a new barn and one house to be built over and work will commence as soon as the weather gets warm enough.  
—We have just received a clean new stock of prints and dress goods, prettier and better than any we have had in stock before, and as none will dispute. We always have the greatest variety and best stock of dress material in Plymouth. Our semi-annual benefit sale was the means of our closing out every yard of print and nearly all the dress goods put on sale. Now then if you wish to see a bright clean, new stock, the largest and best in Plymouth, call at Geo. A. Starkweather & Co.

—There will be a donation for the benefit of the Rev. J. M. Shank, at the Methodist church, on Wednesday evening, February 15, 1888. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Owing to the severe weather the masquerade at Lapham's last week, was not as well attended as it otherwise would have been and Mr. Lapham proposes to give another one in the course of three or four weeks.

—The Chicago Daily News has our thanks for a copy of their "Almanac and political register for 1888," a pamphlet of 128 pages, filled with interesting statistics and other valuable matter. Price only twenty cents.

—L. H. Bennett and A. W. Chaffee left Monday for California, for pleasure as well as business. Mr. Chaffee will represent the Markham Air Rifle Co., of this place, for which concern he has been traveling for some time past.

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—Examinations of persons intending to teach schools in this county will be held as follows: Wayne, Feb. 17; Detroit, March 1 and Aug. 2; Belleville, March 30 and Sept. 28; Plymouth, April 27 and Nov. 30; Wyandotte, Aug. 31; New Boston, Oct. 26.

—An old gentleman named Peter Kline, who obtained a permit from the poor commission to go to the county house last Saturday, had scarcely more than entered the institution before he staggered and fell to the floor, dead. He was about sixty years of age. Heart disease.

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—On account of a lack of room in our present quarters, we have rented the lower portion of the Taylor building, near the postoffice, and are now engaged in moving thereto. When settled we expect to have things much more convenient than heretofore, and thus be better than ever able to serve our patrons. Remember that we have the best of material for doing all kinds of commercial, bank and ordinary job work, as well as brief and pamphlet work. Our work will compare favorably with any that is got abroad and and at equally as favorable prices.  
—The Social on Tuesday evening, of the W. C. T. U., was a very pleasant and successful affair. Several loads went from the village out to the beautiful and hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Root, who gave them a warm welcome. Among the amusements of the evening we noticed one, consisting of several "beautiful pieces of cardboard," which when played by some down stairs, went by the name of "Union Jack and Dom Pedro," and by the boys upstairs was called, "Casino;" whatever it was, they seemed to take great pleasure in it, and no doubt it was very funny.

—The opening article in The American Magazine for February is by the well-known naturalist, C. F. Holder. He takes his readers into "The Heart of the Sierra Madre, through dense forests and gloomy canons. J. M. Oxley contributes an interesting resume of the results obtained by expeditions which the Canadian Government has recently sent to Hudson's Bay. The object is to determine the feasibility of a north-west passage to the North-west itself. George Riddle, widely known as a public speaker, sets forth in a strong and sprightly argument, reasons why one of our great universities should educate actors and have a theatre of its own. Mr. Rideing completes his papers on "Boston Artists and their Studios. Our veterans will no doubt be interested in the sketches of The Army Mule, which tells of the trials and exercises of that animal during the war. "The Raid on Cagger's Cove" is the title of a short story by David Lowry, showing how a party of revenue officers were led by a young girl, Julian Hawthorne's essay on "Literature" is as bright as usual. It is followed this month by additional reviews of recent books. A correspondent attempts to show that the American farmer will eventually become the American statesman. The Pulpit contains articles by Rev. Thomas Armitage and Rev. S. B. Rosstter.

(More local on fourth page.)

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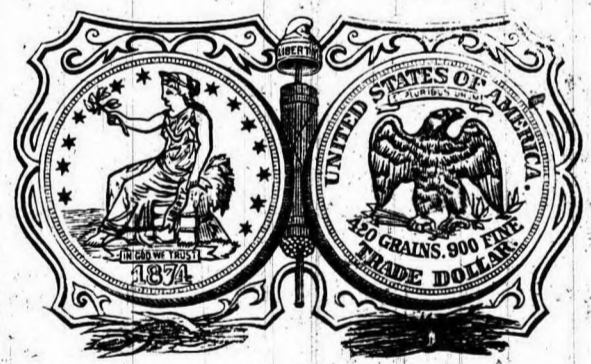
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Wayne, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said county of Wayne, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Detroit, on the thirty-first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight: Present, Edgar O. Durfee, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of EZEKIEL ANDERSON, deceased: Instruments in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased having been delivered into this court for probate. It is ordered, that Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be appointed for proving said instruments. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the PLYMOUTH MAIL, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Wayne. EDGAR O. DURFEE, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.) HOMER A. FLANN, Register. 1-31-88



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Societies.

W. C. T. U. Meets every Thursday at their hall, over First National Bank, at three p. m.

WHAT THEY SAY.

Watches are being sold at one-half their cost at the auction sale, Northville. A mad dog at Otisville the other day bit two persons and several animals.

Watches, clock and silverware, knives and forks, sold every afternoon and evening at Northville. Last sale February 7. Mrs. John Craig, of Trenton, wife of Capt. Craig the ship builder, of that place was a guest at the M. E. parsonage, Wed. Feby 1.

Death of Chester B. Root.

On Wednesday afternoon, January 25, another old and respected citizen was laid away to his final rest. After a long and active life of seventy years, he at last fell a victim to the severe cold and quickly consumption.

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W. C. T. U. Entertainment.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union, of this place, will give a musical and literary entertainment, at Amity hall, Wednesday evening, February 8. Below we publish the program:

The Old District School.

The reproduction of the above in Amity Hall, last Friday evening, was a decided success in more ways than one. The hall was not only crowded but packed, and must have netted to the Ladies' Aid society, of the Presbyterian church, quite a few dollars, as a result of their thought and labors.

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Northville.

Clarence Westfall is home from Ypsilanti for a week's visit. Albert Cobb is again in his place of business, at C. M. Joalin's, as smiling as ever. Lucky for some that our village marshal was out of town on business on Saturday.

Newburg.

Frank Hoar and brother, of Northville, visited friends here last Sunday. E. C. Bassett, while indulging in the sport of riding down hill, slipped and sprained his ankle, which is in a very bad way.

Salem.

M. E. Knapp is worse again. Henry Whipple is slowly improving under the skillful care of Dr. Walker. A. A. Taft, of Plymouth, was in town Wednesday on insurance business.

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Livonia.

Milder weather. Wm. Davis is visiting friends at this place. H. Kingsley started his slat machine last Monday.

Stark.

Venus is morning star. Mrs. Chas. Millard is on the sick list. The winter is fine, sleighing good, but thin in places.

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