

By May D. Blosser
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THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1882

Meetings, Etc.
April 21st—At Manchester, Annual Sheep Shearing Festival.

Reports from different parts of the state show that the chances for a beautiful fruit crop are greatly increased...

John D. Preece, a former prominent Michigan educator, and one of the founders of the present system of education, died at Medford, Mass., April 8th.

Thursday of last week a terrible tornado swept through Oakland, Igham, Barry, Eaton and many other counties, leaving death and desolation in its path.

The 26th inst., will mark the termination of 50 years of the presence of the Indiana Order of Odd Fellows in America.

A Clinton plow agent is depositing his wares among our farmers for trial. The plow is a fine looking implement.

L. H. Sheeler has sold his flock of thirty Vandyke lambs to John Bartholomew of Hillsdale, for the round sum of \$1,000.

Two months after an accidental discharge of a pistol, Gurnsey Ross submitted to the extraction of the leaden missile from his hand. He has not yet pulled a pistol.

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A fully plowing machine was held at Nelson Kinney's of Cambridge, last Tuesday. There were three contestants. The South Bend plow was the victor.

Laborers on the L. S. & M. S. Ry. have unearthed one archaic relic, a bone of some extinct animal which, when alive, must have been at least 22 feet long and 11 feet high.

The balance of cash in the state treasury, April 1st, was \$2,247,468.53; receipts for the week ending April 8, were \$87,000; and the balance on hand, April 8, was \$2,334,468.53.

Beach & Dresser are building a commodious barn on their lot 10.

I believe this village can exhibit the finest variety of agricultural implements of any town of its size in the state.

A. C. Emie has commenced work on the new brick building erected by E. J. C. Emie and used as a meat market, which was burned to the ground.

I had the pleasure of assisting J. W. Sharp and Sumner Ladd, on Saturday, in the removal of the remains of a young man, who died of yellow fever, and his wife, who died of the same disease.

Mr. C. W. Clough is putting in some stumps and other excellent improvements on his dwelling house. It looks as if he had come here to stay, reports the contrary notwithstanding.

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Home, Sweet Home. A correspondent of the leading York City paper has written to me that he has just returned from a visit to his home in the city.

General Meigs was the great spender of the public money. During the war he expended over \$100,000,000.

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WALL PAPERS. THE WONDERFUL SUCCESS. G. W. DOTY'S. Dairymple Farm. Cassion, Lakota, Dec. 27th, 1881.

Churches. CATHOLIC CHURCH, St. Mary's. LUTHERAN CHURCH, St. Paul's. EPISCOPAL CHURCH, St. John's.

The Man Who Outlived All. "They are making lists of those who have outlived all their kindred and are the only survivors of their race."

WIT AND WISDOM. "Aches are the best passport among strangers."

THE MAN WHO PROVED HIMSELF A HERO AND A PATRIOT. As there are patriotic worse than the patriotic, so there are heroes worse than the heroes.

M. BREMER'S KIRCHHOFFER'S STORE. A WELL SELECTED STOCK OF PARLOR AND CHAMBER SUITES, Dress Goods, Gingham, Brown and Bleached Cottons, etc.

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