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PENINSULA MATTERS

RELATED IN A BRIEF, CONCISE MANNER.

Michigan State Sunday School Association in Convention at Kalamazoo—A Polish Church at Bay City the Scene of Serious Riots.

State Sunday School Convention.
The thirty-sixth annual convention of the Michigan State Sunday School association was held at Kalamazoo with over 1,000 delegates present. Two churches were crowded at the opening exercises, when Washington Gardner and Judge J. M. Davis delivered addresses of welcome. President E. F. Allen, of Ypsilanti, presided. B. F. Jacobs, president of the World's Sunday School union, gave an address on "The Sunday School Outlook." E. A. Hough, of Jackson, chairman of the executive committee, reported that there are 81 organized counties in the state. The committee closes the year \$221 in debt, against \$700 at opening of the year. The committee recommended the observance of the first Sunday in December as Michigan Sunday School day; the raising of \$5,000 for the state work; the coming year, and the appointment of a second field secretary. The report of the field secretary Reynolds showed 4,200 schools in the state with 372,000 pupils, 60 per cent of whom are under 20 years of age.

The nominating committee reported as follows: For president, Judge J. M. Davis, of Kalamazoo; recording secretary, H. J. Barrows, of Ann Arbor; treasurer, W. C. L. Reid, of Jackson; vice-presidents, Geo. T. Moody, of Detroit; E. L. Wright, of Hancock; Rev. Geo. B. Kulp, of Grand Rapids; Dr. A. Gaylord Slocum and J. H. Grant, of Manistee; chairman executive committee, E. A. Hough, of Jackson. The numerous conferences and addresses of the convention were especially interesting and important.

Polish Church Riots at Bay City.
The two factions which have been dividing St. Stanislaus Polish Catholic church at Bay City for the past six months came together on Sunday in a pitched battle, in which clubs and other missiles were used, and a score or more were injured. The church was crowded at 9 o'clock mass, when the trouble began. Fr. Bogacki bitterly scolded the anti-Matkovski faction. He told them that henceforth they would be cut off from all the offices of the church and that they would never see the books and papers over which there has been so much dispute. When the service closed and the priest attempted to go to the parsonage the enraged anti-Matkovski's attacked him and drove him back. A strong force of police was called to aid Bogacki's supporters guard the church and priest, but despite their efforts to escort the priest to the parsonage he was imprisoned in the church for eight hours without food or drink. Several pitched battles occurred during that time. More serious trouble is expected, as both factions are very determined.

Boy in Prison—Father Suicides.
Arthur Tukey, aged 18, was arrested at Detroit with half a dozen other boys of about the same age on charges of highway robbery. When placed in jail they boasted of their crimes and confessed to several hold-ups in various parts of the city. They said they had received their ideas from reading dime novels. When Samuel Tukey, the father of the boy above named, learned of his son's doings he became very despondent and took half an ounce of carbolic acid with suicidal intent, and died from its effects within 20 minutes after taking the fatal dose.

Then when the news of the father's death was broken to the boy in prison he fell in a swoon and was unconscious for an hour and it is feared he will become insane from grief over the effects of his wrong-doing. The other boys for the first time seem to realize the enormity of their crimes.

Mable & Co. of Detroit, Have Failed.
Probably one of the most widely advertised and best known business houses in Michigan is the clothing firm of Mable & Co. of Detroit. So when it was given out that they had failed in business and could not meet their liabilities there was general surprise. The large chattel mortgages have been filed to protect creditors and the Union Trust Co., has been appointed receiver. The first of the mortgages is for \$72,100, the second for \$74,241, and the third a blanket mortgage for \$216,525.15, securing 187 miscellaneous creditors. All these mortgages, aggregating \$362,866, trace to the Union Trust Co. as trustee.

Run Goodfellow, president and manager of Mable & Co., says that their failure was due to the hard times and the persistent crowding of one of their largest creditors. They may reorganize the firm.

THE TWO PENINSULAS.
Modern Woodmen of Grand Rapids will build a five mile temple.

University of Michigan students have organized a brass band.

Tramps set fire to the sawmill at Oron, causing a loss of \$8,000.

Orion's carriage works have resumed work after a shut down of a year.

Diphtheria continues to spread through the copper mining district.

The survivors of Co. G, Second Michigan Cavalry, had a reunion at Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Little, Kalamazoo pioneers, celebrated their golden wedding.

Col. A. T. Bliss offers Albion college \$50,000 with which to erect a new college building.

A Smith, of Pottsville, had his left ear completely torn from his head by a falling limb.

The Detroit & Mackinac railroad is surveying a line from Omer to Au Gres and Point Lookout, about 15 miles.

The Anthony Powder Co., at Negaunee, which manufactures high explosives, has started up in all departments.

Frank P. Massey, engineer at the Kalamazoo electric light works, shot and killed himself. He had been sick.

Daniel Miller, of Battle Creek, a conductor on the Grand Trunk, was instantly killed at Elsdon yards, Chicago.

Mrs. S. S. Winters, an old resident of Azalia, totally blind, fell down stairs and broke both arms, and died shortly afterwards.

Diphtheria has been broken out in Crosswell. The schools have been closed, and no services are held in any of the churches.

The old plant of the Crystal creamery at Lansing will be utilized by a new company organized to manufacture agricultural implements.

Deacon Ellis has sold the Grand Rapids ball club franchise in the Western league to Robert Leadley and Robert J. Glenavlin, of Detroit.

Frank Pokrefky, a Detroit fireman, was thrown from a Detroit Railway car as it rounded a curve and received injuries which caused his death.

During a political argument at Jamestown Edward Young, a farmer, struck Frank Snyder over the head with an ax, fracturing his skull.

President Agassiz, of the Calumet & Hecla mine, has donated six lots and \$2,000 to the Sacred Heart congregation at Calumet for a new church.

Secretary of War Lamont has approved the plans for improving Grand river and has ordered an advertisement for bids, to be opened next month.

Mrs. Bertha Anderson was brutally assaulted in her home near Coleman by a Negro who let her in an insensible condition. Lyncing is threatened if he is caught.

The large general store at Alcona, owned by I. H. Shields, was entirely destroyed by fire, together with a large stock of goods. The loss will be \$20,000; no insurance.

August Mariontaile, near Pinconning, left a bottle of carbolic acid where his 3-year-old child could reach it. The little one drank the contents and died in three hours.

Richard Sherman, a wealthy farmer of Saranac, has been sentenced to 606 days at hard labor in the Detroit house of correction for writing indecent letters to his married daughter.

The Calumet & Hecla Mining Co. has just declared its fifth dividend of \$5 per share for the fiscal year. This brings the aggregate disbursements of the company up to \$16,770,000.

A fire broke out in the woman's annex to the soldiers' home, at Grand Rapids, and it was discovered and put out by the engineer before much damage had been done, but the inmates were badly scared.

Thomas Jensen and Julia McDonald were tried for selling beer at Grand Ledge, under the name of hop pop. The jury found them guilty and Judge Smith fined each \$100 and \$50 costs or months in prison.

The Cleveland Cliffs Co., at Gladstone, has made sales of pig iron since election sufficient to warrant running its furnace to its full capacity. For some time it has been turning out only about 100 tons daily.

The Jackson council voted unanimously to give the old Purifier buildings to the George T. Smith Milling Machinery Co., of Cleveland, rent free, for 12 years. The company agrees to employ 75 to 200 daily.

A party of 15 prospectors who left Grand Rapids under the leadership of John Towse last spring and went to the Alaska gold fields, have returned. They are not very enthusiastic over the results of their trip.

Justice Long states that he has no idea of abandoning his suit against the pension department, notwithstanding the fact that he has applied for a restoration of his former rate under the rules he is opposing.

The two-year-old daughter of Holden Lawrence, near Flint, was given a dose of morphine by mistake for quinine, by its grandmother, Mrs. James Davis. The child died and the old lady is nearly crazed with grief.

The St. Joseph valley railroad company, which is to build a railroad from Benton Harbor to Bechana, has purchased the Fontaine mill property and other land at the former port for a terminal, paying \$49,000.

The body of W. W. Ingram, of Chicago, was found in the woods near Michiganone. He had been hunting and was found lying alongside a deer which he had shot. Both were covered by snow near three feet deep.

C. H. Horr's one-year-old babe was burned to death at Jackson. The little one sat in a high chair at the table when the mother went out. The baby pulled the tablecloth and upset the lamp. The house was saved.

S. W. Tyler & Son's sawing mill and saw block at Cross Island was the scene of a big fire. The salt block and drill room were completely destroyed, but the frame succeeded in saving the mill. The loss is about \$10,000.

Nathan Faucett, of Buchanan, recently died in Denver. He was an extensive mine owner. He had started home to spend Thanksgiving with his family, whom he had not seen for seven years, and died en route.

B. F. Cooper, alias Willis H. Connors, in jail at Flint, for forging bank drafts and passing them on hotel men and bankers at Jackson, Pontiac, Mt. Clemens, Flint, Saginaw, Bay City, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor, Albion, Marshall and Lansing, has made a confession, giving away in detail the operations of the gang of swindlers now under arrest at New York and Chicago.

Grover Manchester and his father went hunting near Standish. The father heard a gun and on investigation found his son with the entire top of his head blown away. The breech pin had penetrated the brain.

The returning board of the Michigan L. A. W. has declared the following officers elected: Chief consul, Edward N. Hines, of Detroit; vice-consul, E. F. Kepp, of Grand Rapids; secretary-treasurer, L. A. Caro, of Grand Rapids.

Miles Mumstead went hunting with a party of ladies at Summit City. He climbed a tree so as to scare a squirrel out for the ladies to shoot at. He got a charge of shot in the leg and vows he will never go hunting with women again.

E. C. Sweet, of Niles, received a letter informing him that his father in Brooklyn, N. Y., had died, leaving him a fortune of \$17,000 and a lot of real estate. Sweet left home years ago, had never returned and was surprised at the windfall.

Fire broke out in the laundry room at the Michigan home for feeble-minded and epileptic, at Lapeer, and \$400 damages was done. Supt. Polglasse has a well organized fire company which prevented heavy loss and probably averted a catastrophe.

Col. Nelson Delong, the widely known lawyer of Muskegon, has lost his mind, and is daily growing worse. Since the death of his first wife, Col. Delong and his only daughter have been closely attached, and he imagines she is being ill-treated and starved.

Tanner Terpin, a farmer living six miles south of Brown City, while hunting met with a serious accident which may prove fatal. The breech-pin of his gun blew out, striking him in the forehead, tearing out a piece of his skull and exposing the brain. He cannot recover.

Burt Fuller, in jail at St. Louis charged with robbing an old lady of \$1,200, told the sheriff that he had taken a dose of arsenic. The sheriff tied his hands and administered an emetic. He worked and Fuller afterwards said he did not for a bluff; but he's got enough of a good thing.

Jason E. Hammond, superintendent of public instruction, announced that he will be D. E. McClure of Shelby, his chief competitor for the nomination. One of Supt. Hammond's clerical force will be Miss Violet Mode, of Midland. The others have not yet been decided upon.

Mrs. E. L. Woods caught a burglar going through her room at Battle Creek. She did not scream but promptly made a grab at him. Then she called for help and her son responded. He chased the fellow down the street in his night shirt and threw him down and held him until an officer arrived.

Lundington, has been given an option to purchase the plant of the water works company for \$105,000, \$30,000 in cash and \$75,000 in outstanding bonds, which the city is to assume. It is claimed the plant is not worth \$75,000, but the company has a grant of 30 years and other privileges which the city would like to retract.

The craze for dancing has disrupted two homes near White Feather. Mrs. Susan Budd is the wife of a young farmer. Tom Gilmore is another farmer. Mrs. Gilmore and Mr. Budd cared nothing for country dances, but it is said, they soon danced into each other's heart and then skipped together.

George Stearns and Palmer Kellogg, inmates of the Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, roomed together. Kellogg was an early riser and this habit disturbed Stearns and led to frequent quarrels. A fight was the natural result. Kellogg struck Stearns with a chair, and Stearns very seriously stabbed Kellogg three times with a pair of shears.

The First National Bank of East Saginaw has closed its doors. No wrong doing is alleged, but George B. Caldwell, national bank examiner, says the concern's embarrassment results from inability to realize sufficient to pay demands. J. W. Judd, the president, offered \$200,000 collateral security to secure a loan of \$75,000 and continue business, but it was found impossible to raise it.

Cornelius Meertens, a wealthy contractor at Holland, never tasted liquor until Labor Day, when he "got out with the boys." Since then he has been on a protracted spree, abusing his family and driving them out of the house. He lived alone then for a week and tasted no food in that time. His family caused his arrest and he was sentenced to 30 days in jail in hopes that he would sober up and come to his senses again.

A fire-damp explosion took place in a colliery at Rockingham, Westphalia, Prussia. Of the 80 men in the mine at the time, 20 were killed.

Mrs. Samuel Schrock, aged 82, fastened a rope about a limb and making a noose about her neck jumped and hanged herself.

A memorial to congress was unanimously adopted in the Alabama assembly expressing profound sympathy with the cause of the Cuban rebellion and petitioning the congressmen from Alabama to exert every influence to readier them assistance.

White Warden McCrea, of Erie, Pa., was en route to Riverside penitentiary with 23 prisoners, Thomas Cronin, under five years sentence for robbery, jumped from the train. McCrea followed him but nothing on his head broke his neck. Cronin was caught.

As the result of injuries received while being initiated into the Elks lodge at Des Moines, Ia., Edward W. Curry, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, died of blood poisoning. It is said that he was put into an electric chair and a powerful current turned on, which was so strong that it burned him horribly.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS PICKED PROMISCUOUSLY.

Cuban Insurgents are Giving Capt.-Gen. Weyler a Hot Time in Pinar del Rio—Uncle May Get Mixed Up in the Fracas—Weyler's Resigned, 'tis Said.

Havana: No news, official or otherwise, is obtainable concerning the movements of Capt.-Gen. Weyler and his army, which is supposed to be in pursuit of the insurgent forces under Maceo in the province of Pinar del Rio. No news from a Spanish force in the field, as a rule, means bad news, and the situation by circulating reports of Spanish defeats. There is ground for the belief that the captain-general has not met with the success he anticipated, and while he is reported to be moving along the northern part of Pinar del Rio, Maceo is said to be south of him and not far from the trocha, or military line, which would indicate the possibility of the insurgents turning the Spanish flank and making it difficult for the captain-general to return to Havana.

Jacksonville, Fla.: Cipher dispatches just received report a fierce battle in progress in Pinar del Rio. It is believed Maceo and Weyler have met. The reports of firearms have been almost incessantly heard for several hours. Insurgent forces are well located in the hills and are pouring a hot fire into the Spanish troops which have repeatedly been driven back in attempts to capture the Cuban stronghold. The insurgents have the advantage of position, but the Spaniards are making a most desperate attack.

A dispatch from Madrid gives an interview with the Spanish premier, Senor Canova del Castillo, in which he says: "The United States has always observed a correct attitude. I believe the United States will not change its policy for the sake of Cuban Negroes, but in the event that she did so, Spain will cause her rights to be respected. So long as I remain in power, I will not make any concession or yield to anybody."

Uncle Sam and the Dons May go to War.
Senor de Lome, the Spanish minister at Washington, was asked the direct question: "Do you believe there is any chance of war between the United States and Spain?" "It is possible," the minister answered. "It would be a terrible one. One can foresee the beginning, but not the end."

With this reply in mind it may be interesting to learn of the great activity at the Brooklyn navy yard. Though the authorities refuse to give any explanation it is generally believed that instructions have been received from Washington to have every available vessel ready for sea. In any case the men in the construction department are working day and night to put all the ships in perfect condition. Fortress Monroe is also a scene of the greatest activity, and the rushing forward of all sorts of improvements at the old post is generally thought to be the result of the disturbing war rumors now afloat. Whatever the cause the work is certainly being pushed. Officers are extremely reticent and decline to express an opinion as to the meaning of the unusual movement.

Capt.-Gen. Weyler Has Resigned.
A private dispatch received in New York City from Madrid says that Gen. Weyler has resigned as captain-general of the Spanish army in Cuba, and that Gen. Prando has been named by the government as his successor. A report is current in Havana that Capt.-Gen. Weyler will return at once from the field to the city.

Cuban's Appeal to Latin-America.
The minister of Latin-American governments have each received an appeal from the government of the Cuban republic asking these countries to interpose their good offices with Spain in order to induce the Spanish government to withdraw from the island. The document reviews the history of the uprising and recites the grievances of the Cuban and says the Latin-American governments will take a humane and noble political step in doing as requested because because Cuba is determined at all hazards and at any cost to secure her independence. In consideration of any assistance in inducing Spain to withdraw, the government pledges itself to see that Spain shall receive just compensation for her territorial loss.

Vessel Broke in Two—Eight Drowned.
The steamer San Marino, from Tacoma to San Francisco, went ashore at 11 p. m. seven miles north of Point Arena, Cal., during a heavy storm, with 44 people on board. Boats were lowered, but one capsized immediately and five men were drowned. Another boat with four of the crew capsized nine times, losing two men. Three men by heroic means reached shore. Daylight found the rest of the crew clinging to the rigging. Such a heavy sea was running that it was almost impossible to render assistance. The steamer Point Arena took off seven men in two trips but was almost swamped. One sailor washed ashore half dead; another tried to swim ashore with a line but his life preserver got away from him and he went down.

Rev. Dr. Thos. J. Conaty, of Worcester, Mass., has been appointed by the pope as rector of the Catholic university at Washington, D. C., to succeed Bishop Keane. Dr. Conaty is a native of Ireland, but is an American citizen. There is a good chance, for serious international complications between the United States and Canada over the troubles in the Yukon gold mining district of Alaska. The Canadian authorities continue to claim to control a valuable portion of United States territory and a conflict with American miners is not improbable.

ABDUL HAMID DOOMED.

Powers Planning to Remove Him and Re-organize the Turk's Government.

The London Daily News states that it learns that the powers are considering a scheme for financial control and the placing of the administration of Turkey in the hands of a responsible European minister, Edgar Vincent, at present director of the Ottoman bank, becoming the minister of finance, a Russian officer the minister of war and a Frenchman minister of the interior, the grand vizier remaining president of the council of state, subject to the powers' approval.

The scheme is to provide for first raising a loan of £5,000,000 to be applied to the administration and the reduction of the army, each villayet to have a European receiver-general responsible to the minister, who is to collect taxes, pay salaries, etc., the revision of the civil and military service, the dismissal of incompetent and ill-reputed officers, the reorganization of the gendarmerie under Turkish and European officers and equal rights to all religious communities. This does not necessarily preclude the overthrow of the Ottoman dominion, but probably does mean the removal of the present sultan.

Terrible Floods in Washington.
Tremendous floods have devastated a large portion of Skagit county, Washington. Probably the town to suffer most was Hamilton, which is a complete wreck. The big brick store building of Barker & Fontaine is a heap of ruins and the goods are buried under the fall of the walls. Every street is in a horrible shape. The things are washed out side walks gone and the town is filled with trees, stumps and rubbish. Two lives were lost. The water was in every house in the lower part of the town. Railroad property suffered very heavily.

Big Fire in Cleveland.
Fire destroyed the wholesale hardware and paint store of W. H. Luetkemyer & Co., 190-194 Superior street, Cleveland, O. The adjoining buildings were damaged by smoke and water. The loss on the Luetkemyer building and contents aggregates \$350,000, partly covered by insurance. Three men were removed from the building by firemen, badly burned and almost suffocated by smoke. E. W. Luetkemyer, a son of the senior partner of the firm, was badly burned, but the remaining 50 persons in the building escaped in safety.

Father Saw His Five Children Burned.
Five children of Snyder Neal, living near Hamilton, Mo., were burned to death. The Neal dwelling caught fire while the parents were attending a dance. When the parents reached the burning building the father saw his 11-year-old girl lying burning in the front door, clasping her 3-year-old brother in her arms, but the flames prevented rescue. The father fell in a swoon and has since been a raving maniac.

England Denounced by Bismarck's Paper.
The Hamburger Nachrichten, Prince Bismarck's organ, flays accuses England of trying to kindle a European blaze under the pretext of helping the Armenians. "The Nachrichten says further that Europe, with inconceivable blindness, is playing into England's hands, and warns Germany not to be allured by the dangerous adventure."

The Greater Republic of Central America.
Gen. Jose de Rodriguez, the envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to the United States from the greater republic of Central America, has arrived from Colon. The greater republic is composed of the states of Nicaragua, Honduras and San Salvador, which formed a union a few months ago.

Inventor of the Ferris Wheel is Dead.
George W. G. Ferris, who conceived and built the world famous Ferris wheel, at the World's Fair, died at Pittsburg, of typhoid fever. His illness was brief and the attending physicians say his system was greatly run down by overwork.

THE MARKETS.

LIVE STOCK.
New York—Cattle, Sheep, Lambs, Hogs
Best grades... \$1.30-1.35
Lower grades... 1.20-1.25

GRAIN, ETC.
Wheat, Corn, Oats
No. 2 red... 28 @24 1/2
No. 2 white... 28 @24 1/2

Chicago—
Best grades... 4.80-5.00
Lower grades... 4.50-4.75

Cincinnati—
Best grades... 3.75-4.00
Lower grades... 3.50-3.75

Cleveland—
Best grades... 3.60-3.80
Lower grades... 3.40-3.60

Pittsburg—
Best grades... 3.90-4.20
Lower grades... 3.60-3.90

CASUALTIES.

The Cody sanitarium at Duluth, Minn., was destroyed by fire. It was the property of Col. W. F. Cody and was valued at \$10,000, fully insured.

Ada Riel, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Riel, met a horrible death Sunday night at Lacon, Ill., by a dose of strychnine, which she took by mistake in place of quinine. The strychnine and quinine were kept side by side on a shelf.

The village of Port Bowlick, Pa., was swept by fire, and seven houses were destroyed, entailing a loss of \$12,000. Nine families were homeless.

Samuel Nixon, aged 87, was burned to death in his shanty near La Grange, Ind. The fire is supposed to have originated from a spark from his pipe.

A stranger was instantly killed in Decatur, Ind., early this morning by a freight train on the Chicago & Erie railroad. He had numerous cards on his person from labor unions of Melrose, Minn., but nothing was found by which he could be identified. He was well dressed and had considerable money on his person.

Chicago polled about 42,000 more votes than New York city...

Brouse is a very fashionable but nowadays, but brass has not gone out...

Elmer Graydon, living near English, Ind., has named his infant son Abraham Lincoln...

Paris has a new fad. It is called the phosphorescent glow...

The Indians begin to appreciate the advantages of civilization and education...

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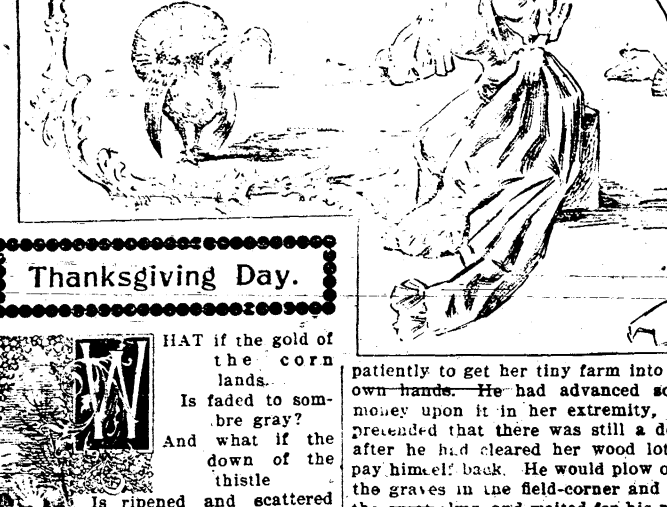
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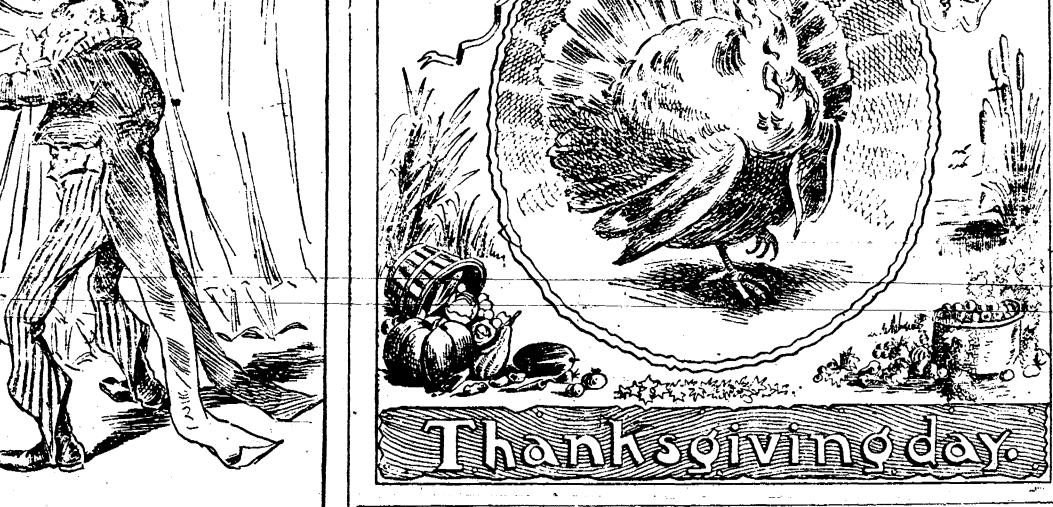
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You'll have to give me a little time. If I'd noticed I wouldn't have kept you waiting...

What are you talking about? said the man...



Thanksgiving Day. HAT of the corn land is faded to some grey...

Thanksgiving. Several days ago one of the society ladies of Columbus...

During the election excitement, little attention was paid to an outrage that occurred in Brooklyn...

There are two kinds of women in this world: one kind sits and sighs...

In spite of all the efforts of congress and the war department to check desertions from the army...

He who thinks he can find within himself the means...

HEROINE OF A NOVEL.

NEW YORK GIRL WHO IS MUCH TALKED ABOUT.

MISS LITA BERRY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Berry...

There was a large number of people in the crowd...

Let Us Be Thankful. OMP from Hamlet and city...

MONKEYS PLAY A VIOLIN. Can Reckless Several Waiters Turn in a Creditable...

THIS WAS THE PROGRAMME. First the pumpkins were cut in two parts...

Supervisor Watkins and J. E. Blum, township clerk...

Long Roseberry's Young Daughters. Though they have lived so quietly...

Thanksgiving Menu. Cream of Chaitaua, Oysters, Hominy, Brussels Sprouts...

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Number of boys enrolled... 154

IN AND ABOUT TOWN. The roads are quite muddy. The baths are closed today.

BRIDGEWATER STATION. Fred Goss is very low. Conrad Schade spent Sunday at Ypsilanti.

Home-Markets. BEANS—Good demand at 50c/55c bu

BRIDGEWATER. Custom Crocker is visiting relative in Detroit.

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NOBVELL. Willie Bennett's joy to Clinton on Tuesday.

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