

Church Directory. EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. FRANK L. MILLS, Rector. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 1/2 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. A. A. SCOTT, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 1/2 p. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Rev. CHAR. A. DONOVAN, Pastor. Mass every Sunday at 10 a. m.

MASONIC. AURORA LODGE, No. 100, A. O. U. M. Meetings every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

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NORWICH PACIFIC BONDS for sale. Ladies' underwear, very cheap at Cantwell's.

There will be a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners on Tuesday, February 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m.

White only have a few inches of snow here. Grand Rapids, there is over two feet of the "fleecey" kind.

The Third Term says our Mayor is in favor of three terms. That settles it; provided his constituents who elected him are similarly affected.

L. C. CUNNINGHAM has purchased E. H. Davie's hardware store and stock, and will unite his grocery business with it at Davie's old stand.

The Third Term says it means Grant! Well, if it means Grant, let it mean Grant and third term—or any other near thing.

Just received, one or two No. 1 Oats and Flour, which will be sold cheap for cash. HARTLEY BROS., Prop's Leland House.

We understand that some of the good in town whom Capt. Sleeper's "Third Term" styled third-term men, are going to institute suit for libel.

Our readers want a faithful "life picture" of our country's leader, let them read "The Mangers' Fate," in these columns; contributed to this paper by "Robert."

Rev. C. C. SALZER will preach morning and evening at the Congregational Church tomorrow, and on Monday evening at 7 o'clock deliver his lecture on Egypt. All are invited.

We heard a man threaten the other day to use Uncle John C. for a railroad at the Centennial celebration this year; from which we infer that Uncle John must be a subject for the "Thin Men's Association."

We learn that Wm. Hughes, one of our oldest (in the service) baggage masters on the N. P., is a candidate for the position of a mail agent. "Bly," as he is familiarly called, would do credit to that or any other position, and we wish him success in his application.

The President of the Thin Men's Association has concluded not to bring suit against us for printing those cards, or to make us tell who put 'em up," but is doing himself on bored cords to swell himself up above the thin men. He is wise.

Mr. WILLIAMS, Purchasing Agent N. P. R. R., passed over the road, and sojourned a few days at the Headquarters this week. He was discharging business relative to the wood and ice contracts along the road; and, we believe, let some additional contracts. He that dispenses labor dispenses blessings, these times.

The young ladies of Brainerd are not behind in recognizing their rights under the Leap-year act. Two of our belles have applied to us, as Clerk of the Court, for marriage licenses, and obtained them. We almost wish we were a single man; just to see if some young lady would apply to us for a license for herself.

The many Florence Leary—whom we engaged to saw up our wood-pile to-day, is a perfect terror when at the appendix and neck. Her comical performance in the morning, and early in the evening he had faded through the pile of seven or eight cords, and wouldn't have stopped till he had saved up the office and Merchants Hotel if we hadn't gone out and bought him off.

Notice.—We shall still continue to print cards, invitations, programs, etc., at this office, in the year 1876 of STYLE, CHEAP FOR CASH, for the thin men, thick men, lean men, fat men, tall men, short men, big men, little men, round men, without regard to age, stage, or color, or "previous condition of service," during the full term of this lease.

BARGAINERS! BARGAINERS!—THE GREAT BARGAINERS EVER OFFERED IN BRAINERD TO CASH BUYERS. BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, ALL KINDS OF ASTONISHING LOW PRICES. CALL AND SEE AND BE CONVINCED, AT H. A. CAMPBELL'S CHEAP CASH STORE.

We attended a meeting of the Board of education the other evening, at which were several citizens. They met for a conference upon the all-important question of how to make the young idea shoot in a philosophic and desirable manner; it was brotherly and fraternal, as well as paternal, in its tone and character, and so completely did all become enchanted with the pleasant topic for discussion, that the whole affair nearly resolved itself into an old-fashioned literary, historic and wit fest about the chamber, until the "grand paper" on the walls became faint with the glow of eloquence and the warmth of fraternity. It seemed good to be there, and was a season long to be remembered for its zeal and sociability. Two members of the Board resigned, and a late hour both citizens and officials retired, feeling that all was well, whether it ended well or not. We, in our dreams, for the balance of the night were entertained by scenes of street riots and the mob's arms, and occupied most of our time in sitting on a hitching post reading the riot act and Declaration of Independence to the disturbed masses in the streets.

Finally, we imagined ourselves transformed into an infernal machine; and finding our reading had no effect on the disturbance, we simply exploded, killing and wounding several thousand people. The terrible event woke us to our waking senses, when we found it was eight o'clock in the morning; we washed into our bed, and set down to warm our feet, and think. Our schools will open February first, as usual. No cards.

Vol. 1, No. 1, of the Todd County Argus, Cates & Sheets editors and proprietors, is on our table, and welcomed on our exchange list. It will be devoted to the interests of Todd county, and neutral in politics. It ought to be successfully supported.

