

Warren Watchman was probably our first Warren newspaper.

It was the predecessor to the Weekly Review. If someone has a copy of it or other old papers please let me stop over and take a picture of it so it can be shared. Old attics may even have items wrapped in old papers.

<b>WARREN WATCHMAN.</b>	<b>MT CLEMENS.</b>
Published every Thursday at WARREN, MICHIGAN.	From The City Paper
<b>HOMER HARWOOD, Manager.</b>	John Warring of Detroit \$25 and costs or 90 days House of Correction for cowboy with his gun.
Entered at the postoffice at Warren, Mich as second-class mail matter.	Miss Maud Donaldson for \$10,000 against Dr. W slander.
Copy for advertisements, notices and communications must reach us not later than Wednesday a. m. to insure insertion in that weeks issue.	People are kicking because Rapid Ry. has no wait here.
Local Notices 5c per line; Card of Thanks 5c per line; Announcements of church or society doings, where the object is for raising money, 5c per line.	Hiram Risk, bartender at house, paid \$75 and costs for liquor to a 14 year old boy.
The WATCHMAN is mailed regularly to its subscribers until a definite order to discontinue is received and all arrears are paid in full. A blue X notifies you when your subscription has expired.	The following are an jurors for the December court:—Jas. Hall, Erin Wells, Jas. Ruby, Shell Maas, Fred Beier, Sterling Fisher, Anthony Minnick
<b>Dr. J. R. BIRD,</b> <b>Dentist,</b> <b>Utica, Mich.</b>	The case of Mary Wilson the towuship of Shelby, was obtained a judgement of \$ been settled for \$800. F. fort, of Detroit, was att plaintiff. The settlement
OFFICE HOURS, 8 30 to 12 m. 1 to 5 p. m. Representative of Inch & Rambau, Monumental Works, Pontiac, Mich.	

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# The Warren Watchman.

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WARREN, MACOMB CO., MICH. NOVEMBER 12, 1903.

NO. 6.

## FIRE.

Close Call For Business Part of Town.  
Need of a Fire Marshal and Some  
Order, Fire Fighting Supplies, Etc.  
Change of Wind Saved Town. Loss  
About \$2,500. No Insurance.  
Will Rebuild.

About 2 p. m. Sunday A. Grobble's 3 year old boy set fire to some cornstalks in the ice house back of the barn. A west wind carried it into the barn at once and in a moment the whole building was in flames; the horses were run out, the town called out by yells of "fire," and the fight was on. The house of A. Grobble, J. Bower's house and barn and C. F. Peck's house and store were emptied of their contents in an incredibly short time and ladders, pails, tubs, boilers, pumps and people endeavored to save the surrounding buildings. About this time the wind veered to S. S. W. which saved Grobble's house and saloon and J. Bower's house and livery barn.

Murthum's barn and ice house back of Peck's house now caught the force of the fire and soon went up in smoke. Several of the surrounding buildings caught fire but it was quickly put out. Never did men, women and children work harder, and undoubtedly their efforts saved the business part of the town.

### Notes of the Fire.

No insurance on burned buildings.

A. Grobble's loss is about \$1,100, three new windmills being burned.

They will both rebuild at once. The village fire buckets were locked up in J. Langell's shop and the ladders spoken for long ago are yet in A. Harwood's shed.

We need a level headed man for a fire marshal; too many giving orders at this fire.

One of W. Tharret's old sheds across the creek took fire and most of the crowd started over there, when not more than 3 or 4 were needed.

Very little damage done in the hustle to empty the houses.

We need several more good wells with force pumps, and several lines of hose.

One pretty school ma'am carried a commode down stairs and across the street.

Fire started in the ruins about 2 a. m. Tuesday and took 8 or 10 pails of water to "douse" it.

### Behrns vs. Quallman

The Behrns vs. Quallman suit was on in the Circuit Court Nov. 5, 6 & 7. Attorneys for plaintiff, F. C. Kuhn and R. F. Eldredge. Witnesses, Chas. Shier, Henry, Agnes and Emma Behrns, B. De-grandchamp and son, P. Kaltz, S. Roberts, C. Queerfelt, Drs. Curlett and P. Knight and L. T. Cady.

Attorneys for defendant, John and Edgar Weeks. Witnesses, H. Harwood, Dr. Flynn, M. H. Blunt, Jacob and Edw. Hartsig, Wm. McBride, O. B. Stevens, Chas. Quallman, wife and sons, Fred, and Wm. Franz Seigler, Chas. Klein and Chas. Miller. Case adjourned to Nov. 13.

Jan. 4, 1902, Quallman purchased

Behrns' 61 acres, for \$6,000. Behrns sent \$2,000 to City Savings Bank by Quallman and gave receipt for \$500, money to go to Wm. Quallman for taking care of Behrns, for a year, \$3,500 mortgage given for the balance. The bank failed and then Behrns, by his guardian since appointed, brought suit to have the deed set aside, claiming he did not know what he was doing when he signed the papers. Legal tender of \$3,711 made to Sheer, Jan. 6, 1903, to settle the mortgage, and refused.

### Parks--Chipchase.

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of G. B. Chipchase, Wednesday evening, when Austin R. Parks, of Birmingham, and Miss Mio Chipchase were united in marriage by Rev. Shier. The only guests present were Homer Harwood and wife and F. E. Wilson wife and family. Mr. and Mrs. Parks will go to housekeeping at once in Birmingham.

### Late Locals.

O. B. Stevens' baby is very sick.

O. D. Thompson in town Wednesday.

H. E. Russell buys the Mt. Clemens Advertiser from A. A. Devantier.

R. Joiner and family visited a sister, who recently moved from Canada, in Detroit today.

Mrs. A. Siebert and family spent some time with friends in town this week. They expect to move to Mt. Clemens soon.







