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From Eight to Sixteen Dollars,
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OUR WATCH
IMPORTERS

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BALCOM & NIMOCKS
Would respectfully call the attention of the gen-
tlemen of Lowell and vicinity to the fact
that they have opened up
a new stock

WATCHES, CLOCKS,
JEWELRY,
VIOLINS, VIOLIN-STRINGS,
Spectacles, &c., &c.,
Ever ordered for sale in Lowell.

Pins, Rings and Jewelry made to order.
Particular attention paid to
REPAIRING.
All work warranted One Year.
Call and see us in the Postoffice.

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Fresh Meats,
Poultry,
Oysters
AND ALL KINDS OF GAME IN SEASON

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PAID FOR ALL KINDS OF

Live Stock, Salt Pork, Hides
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Central Market, Bridge Street.
Lowell July 12, 1874.



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Manufacturing Jewelers,
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CLOSING OUT SALE!
In order to make room for the erection of a new
shop, I offer my entire stock of
BUGGIES AND SPRING WAGONS!
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
Now is the time to buy.
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ment.

Paints and Oils at West's.
Figaro Cigars at West's.
Drugs and Medicines at West's.
Prairie Corn Shelter for sale by At-
kins & Greene.

The Best Cigars at West's Drug store.
N. B.—Money to loan on good Real
Estate security. Myron H. Norton.

The Celebrated Triumph Baking Pow-
der, for sale by all first-class grocers.—
Every ounce warranted.

Call and see those Millard Cultivators
before buying others. Sold by John
Taylor, corner of Bridge and Washing-
ton streets.

Take home one of the Oliver Chilled
Plows and try it; warranted the best
plow ever offered in this market.
Atkins & Greene.

See the Oliver Chilled Plow before
purchasing any other; for sale by
Atkins & Greene.

Wall Paper and Window Shades at
West's.

The Oliver Chilled Plow is warranted
to outwear any two plows in the market,
either steel or iron.
Atkins & Greene.

Parker & Weatherwax have just re-
ceived the largest and cheapest and best
stock of ribbons ever brought to Lowell,
Call and examine.

The Oliver Chilled Plow will scour in
any kind of soil. Atkins & Greene.

I have a limited quantity of pure vac-
cine virus, non-humanized, direct from the
Dr. J. O. Edie.

Call and see the farmer's best friend in
time of need, Shupe's Wheel Cultivator,
Sold by John Taylor, corner Bridge and
Washington streets.

NOTICE.—I take this method to inform
the citizens of Lowell and vicinity that I
have opened a shoe shop one door west
of J. C. Scott's hardware store where I
will be found at all business hours, ready
and willing to wait upon those who see
fit to honor me with their patronage.
Further more, I claim I can make a bet-
ter class of fine boots and shoes than any
one in this line of business in Lowell, and
I will accept any challenge in workman-
ship from any of them who think to the
contrary. I will not be excused in qual-
ity of work or stock. Give me a trial
and I will give you ample proof that I
can do all that I advertise. Repairing
of all kinds neatly done.

JOHN HOWARD.

WANTED—
BUYERS FOR
1,000 PLOWS
BUYERS FOR
10 doz. Corn Cultivators.
BUYERS FOR
10 doz. Double Shovel Plows.
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5 doz. Jumping Shovel Plows.
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10 doz. Millford Wheel Cultivators
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Marble Works,
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MONUMENTS & GRAVE STONES
Made to order of Foreign and Domestic Marble.
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Call and see that Mower for sale by
John Taylor, corner Bridge and Wash-
ington streets, Lowell Mich.

The best gift for all. Pleasing, useful
valuable. A scholarship in the Grand
Rapids Business College and Telegraphic
Institute. Enclose stamp for College
Journal.

Only a few weeks more and then it
will be too late to take advantage of the
great reduction in men and boy's cloth-
ing at Star Clothing House, Grand Rap-
ids. Remember 10 per cent. will be de-
ducted from all marked prices if you buy
\$5 or more at that popular House be-
tween now and Sep. 1st. No later.

BE YOUR OWN PHYSICIAN.—There is
no case of Dyspepsia that Green's Augus-
tine will not cure. Come to the Drug
Store of Wooding & Look and inquire
about it. If you suffer from costiveness,
sick headache, sour stomach, indigestion
heart complaint, derangement of the sys-
tem, try it. Two or three doses will re-
lieve you. Augusquin is the only
remedy in the United States that con-
tains no Quinine, Arsenic, or other poi-
sonous ingredients to the system, that will
cure fever and ague, intermittent or bil-
ious fevers, etc., and the chills not re-
turn during the season. It permanently
cures fever and ague of long standing.

G. G. GREEN.

MEDICAL NOTICE.—The great and justly
celebrated Physician for Eye, Ear,
Lung, Nervous, Female, and all chronic
diseases, Dr. N. J. Aikin, has returned
from California, and will be in Grand
Rapids, Mich., until October. Office 26
Monroe Street.

Suffers for months or years from
Catarrh, Deafness, Epilepsy, Nervous
Debility, Consumption, and other Inval-
id, his soon cures. Ladies out of health
due to him or have his remedies. The
greatest skill experience and success.
Special and difficult cases solicited. Call
or write your case, and send stamp for
information.

P. S.—Youths and men who want re-
lief, advice and cure, in any con-
dential case, should not fail to consult
the Doctor at once, in person or by let-
ter.

Immense Saving
To all. Only a short time longer.
During the month of August only. We
will continue to allow a discount of 10
per cent. from our regular prices if you
buy \$5 or more. This, remember, lasts
only until Sep. 1st, no longer, and as it
will be an immense saving, we advise
every one to go at once to the Star Cloth-
ing House, the one price store, 38, 40 &
42 Canal St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

An X worked before the name X
on the wrapper or margin of the X
Journal indicates that the term of subscrip-
tion has expired, and may be accepted as an
invitation to renew. If a renewal is not
made within one week thereafter, the paper
will be discontinued.

JOURNAL JOTTINGS.
Having come out second best in a
severe struggle with a few of the ills
that flesh is heir to in this country, we
find it necessary to haul off a few days
for repairs. If anybody attempts to get
us to do a minute's work before we re-
port for duty, shoot him on the spot;
hang him! shoot him on two spots!

The game of base ball for the State
championship between the Mutuals of
Jackson and Athletics of Grand Rapids,
was won by the former at Jackson on the
5th inst. Only six innings were
played. Score ten to three.

J. S. Stone has retired from the
Kalamazoo Telegraph, owing to a differ-
ence between himself and partner rela-
tive to the re-nomination of Congress-
man Burrows; Stone being opposed to
his re-nomination.

The Romeo Observer speaks of an
erring shot which brought down a spring
calf instead of a woodchuck, and the
Mt. Clemens Reporter is led to inquire
if the Observer man has put on mourn-
ing.

It costs only seven dollars to buy a red
silk handkerchief at an Owosso store
when the store-keeper is out. Custom-
ers remaining the other side of the coun-
ter can have them for fifty cents apiece.

No President of the United States
ever showed more honesty of purpose in
the performance of his duties than our
street sprinkler exhibits in the perform-
ance of his.

The tooth carpenter met in Detroit
last week, and it was the opinion of the
American Dental Association that rub-
ber dam and cohesive gold were the
"thing."

Little boys are going around rubbing
a nickel between their thumb and fore-
finger trying to find out who sells two
big apples for a cent.

The Mutuals of New York and the
Athletics of Grand Rapids play a match
game of base ball on the grounds of the
latter, to-day.

The Lowell Club will play a game of
base ball with the Grand Rapids White
Stockings next Wednesday, says Capt.
Coleman.

We were in hopes that there could be
a dirty muss gotten up somewhere in
this country without Ben Butler's
help.

The Republican County Convention of
Kent county will be held Aug. 20th, and
that of Ionia county Aug. 22.

The Record says blackberries are plenty
at Howard City.

Rain wanted in large quantities in
this vicinity.

Half fare tickets to the Grand Haven
rowing to-day and to-morrow.

The Democratic County Convention
will be held in Grand Rapids Aug. 29th.
Who do you bet on now—Becher,
Tilton or Moulton?—or would you rather
go a fishing?

Many thanks to Mr. Blain for a gen-
eral assortment of the best of garden
stuff.

We draw heavily on our exchanges
this week, but there's a mustard plaster
drawing on us twice as hard.

How is a man going to tell who to
vote for till somebody trots out a bigger
lie than has been told yet!

The Band boys were treated to an ex-
cellent supper at the residence of H. M.
Clark, one evening last week.

During the month of July the letter
carriers of Detroit delivered 263,733 let-
ters to the citizens of that city.

Henry Herbert of the township of
Martin, Allegan County, obtained from
a field of six acres 504 bushels of wheat
per acre.

J. H. Maze, of the Cedar Springs
Clipper, has purchased an interest in the
Valley City Enterprise, and will assist in
managing and editing that paper.

The Sturgis Journal says that there has
never before been so large a crop of
wheat in that vicinity. The average is
from 35 to 40 bushels per acre.

If interested parties would produce a
salutary effect in watermelon districts,
they should see to it that cheerful cholera
bulletins are circulated early.

The Third Michigan Cavalry will hold
its next annual reunion at East Saginaw
during the week of the State Fair.

The First Michigan Infantry will hold
its annual reunion at Ann Arbor, Aug.
27.

The Tenth Michigan Infantry will hold
its annual reunion at Orton, Oakland
County, Sept. 1.

The annual reunion of the Eighteenth
Michigan Infantry is to be held at Te-
cumseh. The time was fixed for August
28, but it was postponed to the 28th.

James Wood of Scipio, Hillsdale Coun-
ty, has a pair of horses which have been
driven together 23 years. They are
brothers, one 26 years old and the other
27.

The Hudson Gazette says: Mr. Frank
Day (husband of H. E. Jerrells of Pitts-
burg), from 53 acres of ground, 291 bush-
els of wheat, of the Egyptian Red vari-
ety, ground and grain both measured.

Col. O. H. Moore of the Regular Army,
and the man who with 400 men, at
Tubb's Bend, Ky., whipped John Mor-
gan's force of 10,000, one Fourth of July,
is now visiting his friends in Southern
Michigan.

The Hillsdale Standard says that Os-
man Staples, a man 75 years old, living
in the township of Litchfield, five miles
west of Jonesville, has cut with a cradle
this harvest 37 1/2 acres of wheat, aver-
aging 4 acres per day.

If the Greenville Independent had
given the dates of one two brief arti-
cles published on the first page of that
paper last week, one of which was tak-
en from the JOURNAL of July 29th, it
would have been more interesting to
some. By the way we haven't seen a
copy of the B. R. Magnet in just four
weeks.

While Harmon Nash was driving along
in a sulky last Thursday p. m., his horse
suddenly took fright at a fire which had
been set in the road, and ran, throwing
Mr. Nash from his seat and directly at
the horses heels. Mr. Nash's body and
limbs, were badly bruised, but no bones
were broken. He will probably be about
again in a few days.

The Engine, Hose and Hook & Lad-
der Co.'s brought out their respective
apparatus and wet down the roofs and
streets some last Thursday. It was the
first time we have known the Hook &
Ladder Co. to use their ladders in drill.
With a little practice they may become
so accustomed to putting them up in
minutes and seconds as to render avail-
able in case of necessity.

The Reed City Clarion has put on a
new Bourgeois dress, and no suit could
be more becoming. The Clarion has
been rapidly improving in many respects
which shows that Joe is bound to keep
his whiffletree of the wheel. Sail in
boy, and when your contemporaries try
to run by you, just tuck on the gal and
say "Not for Joseph."

The Reform Convention at Lansing
last week, was a magnificent fizzle. The
Kent delegation seceded because the fi-
nancial plank in the platform didn't suit,
and that was what ailed Kent. Their
being a quorum led to it, and it was de-
cided to go and—say something—and see about
doing something and so forth, and to
meet again sometime, in some place if
the weather permits, to see about it.
Music by the band.

List of Letters remaining in the Post
Office at Lowell, Kent Co. Mich., Aug.
12, 1874.

LADIES LIST.—Mrs. MORA DIXON, Miss
Catherine Keim, Mrs. Cora Thomas,
Ada P. Thayer.

GENTS' LIST.—S. C. Andrews, James
Blakelee, Mr. Dorcey, M. Dean, George
S. Fisher, Noah Flam, 2; Jud M. Hall,
George Kies, C. Moyer, Michael Thomp-
son, Bine Wheeler, George S. Fisher
package.

FOREIGN LIST.—Daniel Dickson, Abra-
ham Keller.

Persons calling for these letters will
please say "Advertised," and give date
of this notice.

A. M. ELWORTH, P. M.

The telegraph announces the death by
suicide of George H. Richardson, of the
Saginaw Courier. No details are given
and the motive of the sad occurrence is
not known. The Eagle, speaking of him,
says: Mr. Richardson was well known
to many of our citizens, and was regard-
ed as a worthy man and a good journal-
ist. He had been connected with the
Courier for four years, or since its incep-
tion, and was acting as city editor at the
time of his death. He reported the Re-
form Convention at Lansing last Thurs-
day, and seemed, to those who met him
there, in good health and spirits.

Saturday's Eagle says: The Legisla-
tive excursion party to visit the Upper
Peninsula will rendezvous in Chicago at
the Sherman House next Tuesday evening.
At 9:30 Wednesday morning a
train with special cars will leave the Chi-
cago and Northwestern depot. The
train will arrive at Milwaukee at 12:30,
leave there at 3:30 p. m., and arrive at
Green Bay at 9:35. It will leave Green
Bay at 8 a. m., Thursday, stop two hours
at Escanaba and reach Marquette at 6:15.
Some 70 or 80 members of the Legisla-
ture have signified their intention of
joining the party. Probably others will
join the party swelling the full number
to 125 or 150. At Chicago and Milwan-
kee the party will be given formal recep-
tions.

The Executive Committee of the
Grand Haven and Spring Lake Rowing
Association having charge of the coming
regatta on Spring Lake and Grand Riv-
er, to-day and to-morrow, have com-
pleted a list of premiums consisting of
valuable silver plate, gold badge, pins
and lockets, in all valued at \$1,000.
Boat clubs from Toronto, Chicago, To-
ledo, Bay City, Lansing, Detroit, Battle
Creek, and a number of other points
have entered for the several races, and
as good a time may be expected as has
ever been placed upon record. Railroads
and steamboats will carry passengers at
excursion rates and a big time is ex-
pected. Parties desiring to attend the
rowing from here can leave Lowell on the
morning train and return at night.

The fourth annual meeting of the
National Teachers' Association was held
in Detroit last week. There were pres-
ent many of the most prominent edu-
cators of this country, and their recep-
tion was characterized by that spirit of lib-
erality and manifest appreciation for
which Detroit is famous on all such oc-
casions. The daily press of that city
gave full and complete reports of the
proceedings of the Association, at the
same time supplying their readers with
the usual amount of other reading mat-
ter. Such enterprise deserves more than
passing notice. It shows that Detroit is
a live city, chock full of western grit
and enterprise, and that the press of that
city is determined never to be outdone,
not even by the more pretentious jour-
nals of New York and Chicago. Years
ago, Detroit was called "old foggy," but
to-day it isn't known by that name.

BANGWOLA'S RELATION.—The Turt
Field and Farm of July 31st says that
the two-year-old colt Rhadamantus, by
imported Learning, dam Nemesis, by
imported Ellipse, was recently sold with
engagements, to Hon. A. Belmont, for
\$7,000. Rhadamantus is a half brother
to Bangwola, the famous colt owned by
J. M. Mathewson Esq., of this vil-
lage. The sum paid for Rhadamantus
is said to be the largest ever paid for a
two-year-old. We also notice in the
same number of the "Turt," that Olli-
pa, half sister to Bangwola, won the
first money in the half mile, first day,
race at Saratoga, making the unpreced-
ented time of 47 1/2; the fastest half mile
race ever run. This is the way Bang-
wola's brothers and sisters behave.

FIRE.—On Thursday night of last week
the building known as the "Old Red
Mill," near Grand Rapids, was destroyed
by fire. Henry Mitchell of this village
suffered quite a loss thereby. The build-
ing had been used by Mitchell since
spring as a sheep-skin tannery, and his
loss by the fire was about \$3,500. The
first report stated that he had no insur-
ance, but we are glad to learn that there
was insurance to the amount of \$2,500
on his property. Four thousand peels,
1000 of which were ready for finishing,
were burned. The building belonged to
Mr. J. A. Ramsey, brother-in-law to C.
G. Stone, of this village. Mr. Ramsey's
loss was \$2,000, with no insurance. Mr.
Reed, the foreman of the tannery, lost
from \$300 to \$700 in tools, &c. It was
without doubt, an incendiary fire. The
Eagle states that Mr. Mitchell is not at
all discouraged, and will undoubtedly
begin business again soon somewhere
else in Grand Rapids. We hope the fu-
ture will more than make up the loss to
Henry.

NO MORE POSTAGE.—Since last week's
issue of the JOURNAL, Postmaster El-
worth has received instructions from the
postoffice department relative to postage
on newspapers, and, as we stated last
week, that portion of the law which pro-
vides that papers shall circulate free of
postage in the county where published,
took effect July 1st, 1874. All subscrib-
ers, then, residing in this county, will
receive the JOURNAL free of postage
hereafter, and all postage paid by them
since June 30, 1874, will be refunded
by the postmaster. Many of our sub-
scribers who have received their papers
at the JOURNAL office will no doubt be
glad to have them sent to the Postoffice
hereafter. We shall be pleased to trans-
fer their names to the P. O. list as fast as
they may signify their desire to have us
do so.

State Politics.
The Muskegon Chronicle strongly in-
dorses the re-nomination of Gov. Bagley,
Lieutenant Governor Holt, and Hon.
Wm. B. Williams.

The Benton Harbor Palladium says
the voice of the Republican press is
unanimous for the re-election of Gov-
ernor Bagley, and that there is almost
equal unanimity in favor of the re-nom-
ination of Lieutenant Governor Holt.
For State Treasurer it favors the nom-
ination of Col. Wm. B. McCreery of
Flint. It says that nearly every paper
supports E. G. D. Holden for Secretary
of State.

The Wolverine Citizen says it regards
Auditor General Humphrey as the best
informed man in Michigan on all that
relates to the political economy of her tax-
ation and her taxable resources; and it
will be a misfortune to Michigan when-
ever she loses his services in his present
capacity.

The Grand Haven Herald says that
Governor Bagley is an honor to the
State in a public and private capacity,
and what is still better his constituency
appreciates it. It also says that appear-
ances indicate the unanimous re-nomina-
tion of Hon. Wm. B. Williams in the
Fifth Congressional District.

The Gratiot Journal strongly indorses
General Ralph Ely for Auditor General.
It says that "while Gen. Ely is not an
office-seeker, yet we know that it would
be peculiarly grateful to his feelings to
see his nomination, and in his case a
nomination would in any contingency
be equivalent to an election, as his popu-
larity would insure him a much larger vote
than that of his own party."

The Journal also believes that Col. Mc-
Creery possesses all the elements neces-
sary to make a first-class State Treasurer.

The Grand Traverse Herald says that
"as a just reward for services well per-
formed, for faithfulness and efficiency,
and in accordance with a settled party
rule, the Republican press of the State
are nearly unanimous in calling for the
re-nomination of Governor Bagley, Lieuten-
ant Governor Holt, Land Commissioner
Clapp, and Superintendent of Public
Instruction Briggs, in all of which we
heartily concur." The Journal further
adds that the Auditor General's office has
been so ably filled during the past eight
years that his re-nomination may also be
conceded. It favors the nomination of
Mr. Holden for Secretary of State, and
strongly indorses Col. McCreery for
Treasurer.

The Marshall Statesman favors the re-
nomination of Senator Chandler, and
says that our senior Senator has done
more to elevate Michigan into her pre-
sent exalted place of political power than
any other man; and the coming Legisla-
ture will express the voice of the people
by returning him to the body he has so
long been an honored and influential
member of. It favors the re-nomination
of Governor Bagley, Lieut. Governor
Holt, Auditor General Humphrey, and
Land Commissioner Clapp. For Secre-
tary of State it favors Mr. Holden, and
for Treasurer Col. McCreery.

The Three Rivers Reporter favors the
re-nomination of Governor Bagley, Lieuten-
ant Governor Holt, Commissioner Clapp
and Superintendent Briggs. Of Auditor
General Humphrey it says his strict at-
tention to the duties of his office and the
systematic regularity with which every-
thing is done there, have spoken vol-
umes in his favor, and that he will prob-
ably be unanimously re-nominated. It
looks upon Hon. Isaac Marston as the
next Attorney General. It favors the
nomination of Col. Wm. B. McCreery
for State Treasurer.

The Constantine Advertiser presents
the name of Hon. Cyrus G. Luce as a
candidate for Secretary of State.

The Bay City Tribune speaks well of
General Ralph Ely and Rowland E.
Trowbridge as worthy and competent men
for the office of Auditor General. It
says that the nomination of the former
gentleman would give strength to the
ticket throughout the State.

The Coldwater Republican proposes
the name of Hon. Cyrus G. Luce for
State Treasurer.

The Big Rapids Pioneer favors the re-
nomination of Governor Bagley, Lieuten-
ant Governor Holt, and Auditor Gen-
eral Humphrey. It favors the nomina-
tion of E. G. D. Holden for Secretary of
State, and the nomination of Col. Mc-
Creery for State Treasurer.

The Niles Republican speaks out car-
nestly for the re-nomination of Senator
Chandler.

The Post favors the re-nomination of
Senator Crosby and speaks as follows:
The Lowell Journal has an article in
its week's issue advocating the re-
nomination of Senator Crosby. We
heartily endorse it. Mr. Crosby has ful-
filled the trust confided to him with
great fidelity and has made one of the
most useful and industrious members of
our state senate. His efforts to secure to
this city the state house of correction,
which are likely to meet with success,
will give him a special claim upon our
citizens. Mr. Crosby is so well known
to his constituents that it is quite un-
necessary for us to speak of his abilities
and what is still more important, his
high personal character. He should be
re-elected by a majority exceeding that
received at his former election.

Another change has been made in the
ownership of the Grand Rapids Times,
M. W. Tarbox of the Saugatuck Com-
mercial having purchased Dillenback
and Wood's half interest. A. S. White,
an experienced and a lively writer, is
now city editor.

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OUR EXCHANGES.
There is more building going on in
Mt. Clemens than in all the other villages
of this county put together.

While a little girl, named Mary Ann
Coffee and aged about 13 years, was
speaking a piece last Friday, during the
exercise of the last day of school in dis-
trict number six, township of Erin, she
suddenly dropped dead upon the stage.
—Mt. Clemens Reporter.

Ex Vice President Colfax called at our
office during our absence on Saturday.
We learn that he started with his family
on Tuesday last to enjoy a two months'
rest and vacation in Colorado.

Peaches begin to come to market in
quite large quantities. They retail at
our grocery stores at \$1.00 per basket.—
Berrien Co. Record.

By a recent decision of the Supreme
Court, the schools of the State will be
allowed to teach music and the lan-
guages, and pay for the same will be col-
lected by general taxation. This decision
was rendered in a test case which went
up from Kalamazoo county. Those of
our citizens who have heretofore con-
tended that our School Board had no
legal right to cause the languages to be
taught in our Union School at the ex-
pense of the tax-payers of the district
at large, will learn from this decision
that their ideas upon the subject were
erroneous.—The Clinton Republican.

The Free Press states that a Virginia
gardner has passed his eighty-first birth-
day. That's nothing; we know several
Michiganians far above that age.

A Plainwell saloon significantly ad-
vertises on its front window, "big trunks
and little trunks (valuies)." The building
had previously been used for a harness
shop, and the lettering on the win-
dows wasn't erased. We think it's about
the most suggestive sign they can have.
—Plainwell Republican.

The M. E. Camp-meeting commences
Aug. 12.

Frank D. M. Davis and Edward E.
Williams were admitted to the bar Mon-
day, after passing a very creditable ex-
amination.

W. B. Wells and son are taking a tour
through the Canadas and New York.

The new steam threshing machine of
Henry Wisner is doing fast and excellent
work. Lately he threshed out 180
bushels of wheat for Dr. W. B. Lincoln
in 90 minutes, and at another time 713
bushels in three-fourths of a day. It is
perfectly safe from fire, and does the
work much better than the horse power
machines.—Ionia Standard.

The first building erected on the ruins
of the Muskegon fire was a saloon.

The Muskegon Council has voted to
have no wooden buildings erected on the
four blocks near the center of the city.

From 10,000 to 12,000 of our citizens
paid homage to old John Robinson, Tues-
day, and pronounced his circus good.

A house owned by Mr. H. B. Brown
was nearly destroyed by fire on Thurs-
day. Loss \$600 or \$800, covered by insur-
ance.

Mrs. Allison, a widow living near
Alaska in this county committed suicide
by eating a quantity of sugar of lead,
Thursday.—Valley City Enterprise.

Work on the Reed's Lake street rail-
way progresses rapidly. The grading is
nearly all done from the lake to Mr.
Winsor's place on East street, and Mr.
Giddings now promises that the line shall
be completed and in running order be-
fore cold weather sets in.

On the Muskegon river the "Big
Drive," which is now in the vicinity of
Newaygo, will reach Muskegon from six
to twelve weeks earlier this week than
for several seasons past. The "Drive"
has but about 171,000,000 feet of logs in
it this year, a much smaller amount, ac-
cording to the Chronicle, than has been
run out of the Muskegon river in years
before.—G. R. Eagle.

THE AUGUST ALDINE.—There is much
in an artistic way in the August Aldine
which will delight all lovers of the beau-
tiful. Nothing more graceful or charming
has ever been seen in an American mag-
azine than the full-page picture called
"The Village Beauty." The flowers and
shrubbery by which she is surrounded,
the naturalness of the drapery in which
she is clothed, the rustic path strewn,
the innocent expression of her face, all
combine to make a rare and lovely pic-
ture. Mr. J. D. Woodard contributes
a series of grand and bold pictures of the
Palisades of the Hudson, some of the
most striking scenery in America. The
full-page picture of the "Pinnacles of
the Palisades" is massive and solid in
appearance, and will give the reader a
new idea of these great towers of stone.

Two large pictures, contributed by Peter
Moran, called "The Shady Lane" and
"The Sunny Slope," are sure to arrest
the attention and please the eye, since
they represent pastoral scenes with which
all Americans are familiar. A picture,
full-page, remarkable for its light and
shade, its rich foliage, and deep, clear
waters, is from the pencil of Kruseman
van Elton, and is a view on Eoopus Creek,
near Kingston, N. Y. The literary con-
tents of the August Aldine consist of
seventeen articles, all original, and all
replete with interest. The poems and
numerous editorial articles in the August
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LOWELL, MICH.
REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

A Republican State Convention, to nominate candidates for State officers, will be held at the Opera House, in the city of Lansing, on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, A. D. 1874, at 11 o'clock a. m.

FIFTH DISTRICT REPUBLICAN CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.
A Convention for the nomination of a Representative in Congress for the Fifth District of Michigan...

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.
A Republican County Convention will be held at the Grand Rapids Hotel, in the city of Grand Rapids, on Thursday, the 28th day of August, A. D. 1874, at eleven o'clock a. m.

The citizens of Kalamazoo have subscribed \$13,000 to have a horse fair in their big village this fall.

It is reported that George C. Kimball, formerly Superintendent of the Flint and Pere Marquette Road, has been offered the position of General Superintendent of the Chicago and Michigan Lake Shore Railroad.

A young son of James Wilson, a member of the Cutler & Savage Lumber Co., of Spring Lake, was severely injured by falling from an upper window of their mill one day last week.

The mill of Batchelor, Slaight & Co., at Ferrysburg, cut in ten hours, with two sixty inch circular saws, 102,967 feet of lumber, one of the largest day's work on record with the same machinery in the same time.

During the month of July, the Flint & Pere Marquette Railroad Company paid and canceled \$45,000 of its land grant first mortgage bonds.

The Big Rapids Magnet says the latest from Judge Giddings is to the effect that he is gradually recovering and that he threatens to sue the city of Chicago for damages, for not building its bridges so that a man can walk across them without falling off.

Twenty million feet of pine timber on the Chippewa, owned by Thomas Merrill of Saginaw, and J. A. Whitier of East Saginaw, was burned by the recent fires to such an extent that it must be cut next winter or it will become nearly worthless.

A Muskegon correspondent of the Free Press says that a sailor, name unknown, while working on a vessel near the harbor, was caught between the anchor and a tackle block crushing his head to a pulp, and he died immediately. The assertion that "he died immediately" will be generally believed.

A few days ago the little son of Charles Greenleaf, of Adrian, while gathering berries on the farm of George Sheeler, in the town of Cambridge, was bitten on the heel by a rattlesnake. The boy's leg soon became terribly swollen, and his life was despaired of, but under persistent medical care he is now thought to be recovering. The snake, which was subsequently killed, was found to have six rattles.

A son of Stephen Oshora of Hamilton township, was bitten by a rattlesnake recently, under very peculiar circumstances. He was drawing a bucket of water from a well, and did not notice the snake which was upon the edge of the bucket, and when he went to take hold of the bucket to pour out the water he was bitten upon the fore finger. A figure was promptly applied to the finger, and with proper medical attendance he was easily kept out of danger.

The last number of the Saginawian, which by the way, contains long and elaborate accounts of the late regatta, says: Shortly after the Wah-Wah-Sus arrived at Toledo, they received by express, a very handsome set of colors from Hon. David H. Jerome, after whom the four oared paper shell "Jerome" was named. They consist of a splendid American ensign of silk and gold and a burgee of red silk—the color of the crew—having in the circular center a finely wrought "W."

When a Tennessee husband will horse-whip his wife for washing potatoes in his Sunday plug hat it is time to inquire whether this generation of man isn't getting too confounded light-toned for the age of the country.

MORTGAGE SALE.
I have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, whereby the whole principal sum thereof, hereinafter mentioned, is at the option of the mortgagee, to be paid in cash, or in installments...

By order of the Kent County Republican Committee.
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Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad TIME-TABLE. CONDENSED TIME CARD, JULY 30, 1874.

GOING NORTH. STATIONS: Richmond, Newport, Big Rapids, Port Wayne, Star, Grand Rapids, Howard City, Upper Big Rapids, Red City, Chase Lake, Walton, Trenton, Newport.

GOING SOUTH. STATIONS: Port Wayne, Star, Grand Rapids, Howard City, Upper Big Rapids, Red City, Chase Lake, Walton, Trenton, Newport.

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LOWELL MARKET REPORT. CORRECTED AUG. 11, 1874.

Wheat, white, per bushel, \$1.15; Corn Meal, per hundred, \$1.15; Hides, per hundred, \$1.00.

Michigan Central R. & Time Table. PASSENGER TRAINS FOR THE WEST LEAVE DETROIT.

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