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BUSINESS CARDS.

Notary Public, J. W. Hine, Lowell, Mich. Attorney at Law, J. W. Hine, Lowell, Mich. Dr. T. B. Lamb, Bridge Street, Lowell, Mich.

OUR WATCH IMPORTERS. Claim that they CAN and WILL SELL THE SAME QUALITY of goods cheaper than any other jewelry house in the State.

They buy exclusively for cash, which enables them to take advantage of the markets. They are the only Jewelry House in the State that imports their own purchases DIRECT through the Detroit Custom House.

NEW JEWELRY STORE. G. B. BALCOM, Successor to BALCOM & NIMOCKS. Stock of Watches, Fine Gold Jewelry, Rogers Bros. Plated Ware.

H. W. AVERY, DEALER IN Fresh Meats, Poultry, Oysters, and all kinds of game in season.

Has anybody swept up that hay seed that was wasted at Jackson? Several of our citizens have gone to the Saguinas. Let's see—has Mr. Cook of Hillsdale got over the Collier-y yet?

The Eagle says preparations for the coming county fair are moving forward briskly, and the prospects are encouraging. The Grand Rapids east side papers are giving wide side matters their careful attention.

Cook-a dooie-do o-o-o! John P. Reform Cook, he A great big Governor wanted to be; So he Went for to see 'Em make him a great big nominee. But John P. Reform Cook, he A great big Governor never will be.

REFORM AND DEMOCRATIC.—The State Convention of "Reformers" was held at Jackson on the 9th inst., and the amended remains of the following persons were picked up: For Governor—Henry Chamberlain, of Berrien.

Common Council.—The council met on Tuesday evening, Sept. 8th, according to adjournment. Minutes of last regular read and approved. PETITIONS.

GO TO THE M. E. CHURCH FRIDAY EVENING.—Miss Mattie Strickland, daughter of Hon. Randolph Strickland, of St. Johns, and a graduate of the law department of the Michigan University, will speak on the subject of woman suffrage, at the M. E. Church, in this village, on Friday evening of this week.

THE WEATHER.—The weather has been exceedingly dry for a long time, and farmers have had a dusty time for seeding. Look for more rain after the 20th. Our clerk also says the warm spell is about over.

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ASSMITHING. Manufacturing Jewelers, DETROIT. HOWK & WHITE—MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS, ETC.

CLOSING OUT SALE! In order to make room for the arrival of a new stock, I offer my entire stock of BUGGIES AND SPRING WAGONS! AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Dry Goods, Groceries, and other household goods. The weather has been exceedingly dry for a long time, and farmers have had a dusty time for seeding.

JOURNAL JOTTINGS. Mercury and gold were within speaking distance last week. Buckley & Co.'s great hippodrome at Grand Rapids to-day.

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GRAND RAPIDS DIRECTORY. Ed. B. Dickman. ONLY one price jewelry establishment in Grand Rapids. Diamonds, Watches, Silver and Gold Plate Ware.

C. KUSTERER BREWER & MALSTER. City Brewery GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. DRAUGHT LAGER. COFFINS—Nicely Trimmed, From Eight to Sixteen Dollars.

CUSTOM WORK. And a Large and well selected Stock. Constantly on Hand. All Work Warranted.

BUSINESS LOCALS. 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.

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FOR BETTER THAN PHYSIC.—A seedy looking individual arrived here a few days ago and registered his name at the Franklin House as Dr. — from Chicago. He was considerably "addicted," this doctor was. He took to the ardent naturally and frequently, and rejoiced that Lowell afforded such excellent opportunities for his habits.

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The Press Asleep. If any effort is to be made by the press of this State to secure the adoption of the proposed amendments to the constitution, it is time to begin.

The Detroit Tribune of the 12th, contains a sound article in favor of narrow-gauge railroads. The Tribune furnishes with its own able production an extract from the report of the Denver & Rio Grande narrow-gauge road, from which we take the following:

"The gauge of three feet has continued to demonstrate its advantages. In the first place it has saved the company from bankruptcy by enabling it to bridge over that period of infant weakness which, occurring at the same time as a general financial panic, would otherwise have knocked us off our feet."

The Arkansas Democrats renominated Elshis Baxter for Governor, but he declined. Hon. A. H. Garland, was then nominated.

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Eighteenth Annual FAIR OF THE Ionia County Agricultural Society

Special Attractions. A Grand Cavalcade of all horse kind on exhibition, headed by the Ionia Cornet Band, at 1 p. m. second day; after which Carriage Races and Roadsters will be viewed upon the track.

THURSDAY FORE NOON. Stallion Race - Purse \$50. COUNTY RACE - Purse \$50. FRIDAY FORENOON. Adults and Youths' Equestrianism.

Hotel RESTAURANT, Union Block, Lowell, Mich. (OPPOSITE THE STARLING HOTEL.)

LOWELL MARKET REPORT. Wheat, white, per bushel, \$1.15. Corn, yellow, per bushel, 75. Potatoes, per bushel, 40.

MORTGAGE SALE. Lowell having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, whereby the whole principal amount, hereinafter mentioned, is at the option of the mortgagee, to be paid in cash or by installments.

L.D. SINE'S GIFT ENTERPRISE. The only Reliable Gift Distribution in the Country. \$100,000 00 IN VALUABLE GIFTS TO BE DISTRIBUTED IN L. D. SINE'S 45th ANNUAL GIFT ENTERPRISE!

WHEN YOU SPEND YOUR MONEY, REMEMBER THESE BARGAINS: REAL GOOD STYLISH PRINTS 6c. ALL BEST 12 1/2c. PRINTS FOR 8c. SIDE BAND PRINTS SAME PRICE. COGHECO SPRAGUE MERRIMACK PRINTS 5c.

GOOD BYE TO WAR PRICES. NOW READY FOR THE FALL CAMPAIGN! AT THE STORE OF PARKER & WEATHERWAX.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING! CLOTHING! FULL LINE OF CASSIMERES, FLANNELS AND DRESS GOODS!

HATS AND CAPS! BOOTS AND SHOES. THE ONLY PLACE IN LOWELL WHERE BUFFALO FLANNELS ARE SOLD!

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS & CAPS, NOTIONS, ETC. WE BUGHT OUR GOODS AT LOW FIGURES! AND SHALL SELL THEM AT LOW FIGURES!

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE. HANDBSOMEST IN THE CITY!!! New Stock of Fall and Winter Clothing. By our recent reduction in prices, we managed to close out nearly all last season's goods, and we now offer to the public an entire New Stock of Fashionable, Superior out and well made Gent's and Boys' Clothing!

IMPORTED GOODS. A special feature of our business for the coming season will be a full assortment of FINE CASSIMERE AND CLOTH SUITS, FINE COATS AND VESTS, CUT-AWAY AND Long Square Front Frocks.

Photographic Art. AT REASONABLE PRICES. go to Hiler's Photograph and Gem Gallery over Mrs. M. Hiler's Millinery Store corner to Bridge and Monroe streets, east side First River.

FARM MACHINERY. 20 DOOR EAST OF POSTOFFICE LOWELL, MICH. THE CELEBRATED JOHNSTON MACHINES. Iron Clad Mower Improved.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the county of Kent, seated on the 21st day of November, 1874, in favor of D. B. Johnston, against the defendants therein named, I have levied upon and shall expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the court house of the Circuit Court, in the city of Grand Rapids, Kent county, State of Michigan, on Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1875, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day, the following described real estate situated in the township of Ada, Kent county, Michigan:

JOHN KOPF, PROPRIETOR OF LOWELL CHAIR FACTORY, FURNITURE. Parlor and Bedroom Sets. THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT BETWEEN Grand Rapids and Detroit.

NEW BUCKEYE GRAIN D RILL. NO CHANGE OF GEARS. The following cuts represent our new Feed:

GROCERIES - WHOLESALE & RETAIL. EDMUND LEE. He proposes to sell them as low as they can be bought at any market for cash.

Michigan Central R. R. Time Table. Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad. CONDENSED TIME CARD, AUG. 20, 1874.

FOREST AND LOWELL MILLS. HATCH & ORAW. CASH PAID FOR WHEAT. Flour, Feed &c., constantly on hand.

MUSIC HALL BLOCK. Bridge Street, Lowell. THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE FOR FARMER'S PRODUCE, AT ALL TIMES. For further particulars call at his store in Music Hall Block, Bridge Street, Lowell.