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EDITORIAL TALK.

This section of the country was unfortunately last week in being the center of a very destructive rain storm. It came just in time to catch out more than three fourths of the entire wheat crop of this section, which to day is worthless except for animal food. The bulk of the wheat had been cut and put in shock and but a small portion of it secured. All that remained out through the storm, either in shock or uncut, is destroyed. The few who secured their crops before the storm set in were exceedingly fortunate. The amount of loss to the farmers within the trading radius of Lowell is very great. It would take hundreds of thousands of dollars to make good the wheat crop here destroyed. Before the storm the prospect was all that could be asked for a big crop of excellent grade. But to show how uncertain are the best grounded hopes and predictions, it is only necessary to point to the terrible work of the storm of last week. To those farmers who are still in debt and have been depending upon this year's wheat crop to help them out or tide them over to another year, the losses come with special severity. Many of them will be utterly unable to meet their obligations this fall because of this loss and their situation therefore is such as to call for friendly forbearance from those to whom they are indebted. Business will also suffer, and many business men depending on fall trade and collections to put them safely on their feet will be embarrassed. They must meet their bills promptly and they have depended upon the present wheat crop as their main aid. The merchant therefore suffers with the farmer, and his situation, too, in many instances is equally perplexing. This unexpected calamity comes not without its lesson. It teaches men to be cautious about going in debt beyond their present means. It warns them not to mortgage their crops in advance of securing them. It is the storm signal that tells us all not to venture too far from shore. It is safer to depend upon last year's crop than next year's crop, and when all farmers and business men learn to do this, they can make safe calculations and not until then. Some may find it difficult to do this but all should plan to do so. It is unsafe to do business on unsecured resources.

Mr. Hubbell denies that copies of the bogus Grand Army Journal were mailed from the congressional committee rooms. It matters not what rooms they were mailed from, but the JOURNAL has received a private letter from a well known Washington man who personally traced a stack of those papers into Mr. Hubbell's office and who was told by a clerk: "We are not supposed to have any. They are Mr. Hubbell's private property; you will have to see him." An enlarged knot-hole will have to be sent to Mr. Hubbell by his friends. The one he is trying to crawl through now has not a diameter sufficient to pass his rotundity without a serious abrasion of the cuticle covering the conspicuously exposed parts of his person.

That there have been crooked speculations in "Star route" contracts is generally believed. It is the duty of the Republican party to know to just what extent this crookedness has gone, and to demand just punishment to the offenders. Let no guilty man escape. If there are thieves in any of the government departments the party in power must regard itself as the aggrieved party and bring them speedily to justice. Let there be no whitewashing permitted.

There are many warm supporters of Rev. H. P. Barnaby of Gaines, as a candidate for representative to the state legislature from this district. We have not the pleasure of a personal acquaintance with Mr. Barnaby but hear many good things said of him. Supervisor E. R. Johnson of Cascade has also a strong backing for the same position although we are not prepared to say whether he would accept the nomination if tendered. As will be seen elsewhere the Republican representative convention will be held at Ada, Aug. 26.

The Lake City Journal, one of the "roaringest" of Hubbell papers says: "If many more 'Grand Army Journal' articles are sent into the state it will cause us to 'flop' and all the rest of the Hubbellites." The Grand Traverse Herald, Hubbell's chief champion, "condemns the attack made upon Senator Ferry through the Grand Army Journal." Tom Bates is too square a man to uphold that kind of political warfare.

The river and harbor appropriation bill was passed over the President's veto by a good deal more than the required two-thirds vote. If the appropriations had been reduced about half the bill would not have been very objectionable and the president would have signed it. As passed it calls for more money than seems necessary just at this time.

Just because the mortuaries have demonstrated their ability to manage almost any number of wives, they think they can safely defy congress and the whole country. Well, well, maybe they can. The argument we were about to shoot forth to show that they can't seems to have gone from us.

It has been remarked that the JOURNAL is not much given to booming candidates this summer. Very just remark. The JOURNAL believes the Republican conventions will act wisely and put up good tickets, and, having such implicit faith, the JOURNAL doth not think it necessary to boom.

No one party can be accused of the Harbor and River appropriations. It was voted for by Democrats, Nationals, and Republicans in nearly equal numbers in proportion to their strength.—G. R. Leader.

Very true, but wait about a month and see how easily the Detroit Free Press transfers the entire business to the Republicans.

F. W. Ball, the new editor of the Grand Rapids Democrat, can't see why we should "meddle in Detroit politics." It's because we love Detroit and want to see them put their best men up for office. This may also seem strange to a man who has lived in the city of New York.

Nearly all the leading democratic papers in the state insist that "the democratic party of Michigan must be clear and outspoken in its declaration of principles this fall." That's right. Some new departure of this kind would take the party to the top.

If the Democrats and Greenbackers are opposed to fusion on the State ticket on the ground of "principles," where do they put their principles when they favor a fusion county ticket? Ah—ah—witness needn't answer.

In all his public career Senator Ferry's reputation for strict integrity has never been questioned. When you find a man both honest and capable, somehow or other the people will have confidence in him, even if his father was a preacher.

The Detroit Free Press has had another bad spell. When it spells the name of so public and popular a man as Hon. Ben. W. Houston, H-o-u-s-t-o-n, it ought to apologize. Fearing it won't we apologize for it.

For secretary of state, Judge Wm. Crosby of Emmet county is cordially supported by many Republican state papers. He is a first-class man and thoroughly familiar with the duties of that office.

Complimentary notices of Hon. N. A. Earle, and Hon. C. W. Watkins, candidates for congressional nomination, appear in various state papers. Both men are well and favorably known in Michigan.

Is Capt. Eads an engineer? The Detroit Free Press asks. Nay, is he? We thought he was merely a literary kuss—the author of "Mississippi Jeties" and other plantation sketches.

The Republican county convention will be held at Grand Rapids on Thursday, August 24. Let every township in Kent county be represented by a full delegation.

The murderer of Martha Whitla still goes unpunished. And yet, if we could hear from his conscience we might think otherwise. Human law doesn't always get there, does it?

Under the management of Frank Ball the Grand Rapids Democrat is doing just splendidly. Pity, though, to see a promising young man following up those old "traditions."

The Hastings Banner has done a handsome new dress. The Banner is emphatically a well conducted journal and deserves success.

The Democratic and Greenback county conventions will be held at Grand Rapids on Friday, Aug. 18. Wonderful coincidence.

How long, O Reid, how long must we wait before the call for the 3th district Republican convention is announced? Telephone us early.

Are you for Earle or for Watkins for congress? The answer seven times out of ten is "yes."

Congress, dear congress, come home. The clock in the steeple strikes the benediction hour.

JOURNAL JOTTINGS.

The late storm made sad havoc with the roads.

Charlie Turner returned last week from his visit east.

Several communications necessarily omitted this week.

J. S. Douglass returned home from New York state last week.

The Wisner flouring mill is rapidly undergoing a change of heart.

Miss Theresa Crow is visiting friends at Sparta and Grand Rapids.

Mr. & Mrs. C. D. Pease have been visiting friends at Langston.

If you want to see a vigorous growth of wheat see it in the shock.

Mrs. M. C. Barber and two elder children, of this village, left for Potosky Monday night.

Miss Mary Scanlon of Ann Arbor is in town spending a few days with her cousin Jimmie Kirk.

Mr. & Mrs. Chipman, of Cincinnati O., parents of Mrs. Jennie Sabine, are at Orms Fuller's in Vergennes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bostwick of this village have gone east to visit friends in Delaware county, N. Y.

See B. W. Kinney, agent for the Marshall Mutual Aid Association, for good, cheap and safe life insurance on the endorsement plan.

Farmers who secured their wheat before the big storm came are fortunate. The majority, we are sorry to say, are not fortunate.

Geo. H. McWilliams of this village has accepted a position as salesman with Curtiss and Dunton, paper dealers, &c., Grand Rapids. Success to George.

A meeting of the Union Literary Society of West Lowell and vicinity will be held at the house of Mrs. Chas. Townsend, on Friday afternoon Aug. 18.

Grand Rapids has 34 men on its police payroll; less than one policeman to every 1,000 inhabitants. We won't say it ought to be vice versa—it wouldn't be right to say so.

Caucus notices for all political parties published free of charge in the JOURNAL. Will the various committees please forward such notices to this office for publication.

It would require more moral courage for the clerk of the weather to introduce himself in this community about now than to enter the lion's den as did Daniel of old.

D. E. McVean of Kalkaska, son-in-law of Mr. Elias Parker of this village, has gone to West Virginia to survey and explore a tract of about 1,000 acres of coal lands for Detroit parties.

Dr. McDannell and W. E. Keyes attempted to cross "Dry Creek," east of Saranac, with a team and buggy one day last week and if that's what is called "Dry Creek," they don't want to tackle a wet one.

The S. S. concert at the Congregational church Sunday evening passed off very pleasantly, the children all acquiring themselves creditably. The exercises were well conducted.

Subject at the Congregational church Sabbath morning "The game that is sure to win." (1st Corinthians, 9:26). Subject in the evening: The seventh commandment. (Exodus 20:14.) Preaching at south ward school house, 3 p. m. and Sabbath school at 4 p. m.

For nomination for Register of Deeds on the Republican county ticket there are Chas. Holt of Cascade, Chas. Sears of Rockford, Sherman Colson of Caledonia, J. R. Trask of Grattan and J. M. Dean of Grand Rapids. A good lot of men.

The King, Quick & King Lowell log case was before Justice Holcomb yesterday. They asked for further continuance, which was denied. As no testimony was offered for the defense the respondents were held for trial at the next term of the circuit court. They were released by their own recognizance.—G. R. Democrat, 8th.

At a recent regular meeting of Union Hose Company No. 1 the following officers were elected: John N. Murray, foreman; Chas. D. Blakeley, Ass't. foreman; Frank R. Ecker, secretary; Milton C. Barber, treasurer; Oliver M. Coats, first pipeman; Frank R. Ecker, third pipeman; Jesse Vanderhule, third pipeman; Fred Snyder, fourth pipeman.

A few days ago Martin N. Hine of this village received a telegram from Chicago, signed Frank W. Hine, asking the former to send him eighty dollars by express immediately to use in purchase of a mortgage. Martin happened to know that his son Frank W. Hine was in Grand Rapids and not in Chicago and therefore treated the dispatch as bogus which it was. The brilliant (?) young man who was so anxious to have M. N. Hine for a father just at that time is known, and he may live to regret having gone into the forgery business.

Mrs. Eva Race, of Lowell, has filed a bill of complaint in the Kent Circuit Court asking for a divorce from her husband Alvin S. Race. She alleges extreme cruelty. She asks for alimony and for the custody of the four children.—Grand Rapids Times.

During the month of July a prominent manufacturing firm of this city prepared and disposed of 15,000 sticky fly papers. Each paper will easily hold 2,000 flies. Taking 1,000 for the average number per paper captures, the entire number will aggregate 15,000,000. Estimating 5,000 flies to the quart, there have been eighty-three bushels of those pests destroyed.—G. R. Times.

If 15,000 sheets of that stuff will corral 83 bushels of flies send over, on trial, 185,000 sheets and we'll hire a warehouse and try it.

The storm of last week was disastrous to railroads as well as to crops. The track between here and Saranac was badly demoralized; the railroad bridge was washed out and several buildings there carried away. From Thursday night until Monday afternoon no trains passed Saranac. The D. G. H. & M. Co. ran its passengers and mails from Ionia via Howard City to Grand Rapids. All mails were badly behind and no train's arrived here on time. The bridge at Saranac is again up and

trains are running as usual. A vast amount of damage was done by the storm. Saranac loses many thousand dollars. The storm center seemed to be about there.

The first game of ball between the Alerts and Accidentals of this village was played last Wednesday afternoon. Vacancies in both clubs were filled by good players from Lowell, Keene and So. Boston. The score at the end of the ninth inning stood 47 to 14 in favor of the Alerts. Limited space this week compels us to omit the tally sheet. The innings stood as follows:

Alerts	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Accidentals	4	2	0	2	0	2	2	1	1-14

Umpire, M. H. Walker; scorer, Fred Stone.

The friends of Mr. M. A. Holcomb in Lowell are bringing forward that very worthy gentleman as a candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of county treasurer. Mr. Holcomb is well known throughout all this section as a thoroughly reliable man and it would please his many friends to give him a friendly lift at any time. What his chances are for a nomination to this office this fall it is hard to say. There are now four good candidates in the field, viz. C. P. Friend, of Paris, James Van Der Sluis and John Sketete, of Grand Rapids, and M. A. Holcomb of Bowne. Sketete and Van Der Sluis are representative Hollanders and are having a strong following, it is reported, many urging with good reasons that this element ought to have a place somewhere on the county ticket. Holcomb, however, has lots of friends in Kent County.

Death.
In this village on Friday, Aug. 4, 1882, Mr. JEREMIAH D. BERRY, aged 41 years.

For many months he had been wasting away with consumption—a most painful long sufferer. The funeral services at the residence of H. Nash were held, were held on Monday afternoon, Rev. J. M. Van Wagner, officiating. The remains were taken to Grand Rapids for interment by the Grand Rapids Consistory of which high masonic order he was a worthy member. He was a man very highly esteemed by all who knew him.

A Card.
EDITOR JOURNAL. I desire to tender my heartfelt thanks through your paper to all friends who so kindly assisted in caring for my late husband during his recent illness, and especially to Mr. & Mrs. H. Nash, Messrs. J. Q. Look and J. W. Hine for special attention to his wants while living and to the preparation of the last sad rites.

Mrs. J. E. BENNETT.

ODDS & ENDS.
Over 3,700,000 bushels of grain in Chicago elevators.

Victoria Woodhull is again in the newspaper business.

Pennsylvania voters have six state tickets to choose from this year.

Rumored, that ex-President Hayes will run for congress against Frank Hull.

According to Dr. Talmage a recent fashionable funeral in New York cost \$1,876.

Geo. Wm. Curtis re-elected president of the national civil service reform association.

The prince of Wales has been paying off his debts. They amount to only \$3,000,000 now.

Thirty-six Grand Rapids singers will be among the warblers at the Bay City songfest.

The annual reunion of the Twenty-second Michigan infantry will be held at Port Huron, August 28.

The contested land grant of the Northern Pacific railroad involves more than \$100,000,000 at the average price of the lands.

Mrs. Jesse James has just sent back to John J. Dovey of Philadelphia a gold watch of which he was robbed at a Kentucky coal mine office in 1880.

The Marquette militia company having been deficient on inspection for two years past, it will not be allowed to take part in the state encampment.

Edison, the inventor has been sued for \$5,167 by Oliver Salje, who says Edison ordered a large amount of anti-friction metal of him and then refused to take it.

Four elephants escaped from a circus at Troy, N. Y., and created a general disturbance. One woman was fatally injured and several others hurt or badly frightened.

In round numbers, in 1881 the rail-ways in this country earned \$735,300,000; they paid out for working expenses \$449,600,000; the interest on their bonds was \$128,600,000; they paid their stock-holders in dividends \$93,300,000.

The Iowa republicans have nominated J. A. T. Hull for secretary of state, J. L. Brown for auditor, Smith McPherson for attorney general, E. H. Conger for treasurer, and Judge Savers for justice of the supreme court. They are at present incumbents of these offices.

Senator Hill says his chief regret is that he cannot deliver a speech he has partly prepared on the relation between white and black men in this country. He says he is in favor of giving colored men equal and exact justice, and there can never be peace in this country till they get it.

We have many men in our midst to-day who are burdened with an incubance to a greater or less extent which was assumed trusting to their good health and to fruitful efforts to meet it, a practice occasioned in almost every day business life, and looked upon very lightly by reason of its universality, scarcely one thinking of the possibility of an early demise and consequent bankrupt estate, leaving a widow with infant children to battle with a cold and uncharitable world—all of which might have been avoided by a life insurance policy sufficient to meet the amount of the indebtedness at least. By investing \$10 in the Marshall Mutual Aid Association an indemnity to the amount of \$1500, \$3000, or \$5000, is afforded according to age of applicant. It is better to insure your life to protect your family in case of your death which is certain to occur, the result of which all sources of income is shut off, than it is to insure your home against fire which may never happen.

The Marshall Mutual Aid Association is the most economical and best plan of life insurance for the insured that has as yet been represented in this place. It not only pays its policy in case of death of holder but also the full amount is paid in case of total disability or at the expiration of a term of years. The benefits are to persons (male or female) between the age of 16 and 35 years \$2500 payable at death, total disability or 20 yrs. from date of application. Persons from 35 to 45 years, \$2000, at death disability or 16 years from date of application. To persons from 45 to 60 years a policy for \$1500 payable at death, total disability or 12 years from date will be issued.

Bowne Republican Caucus.
A Republican caucus for township of Bowne will be held at Bowne Center on Saturday, Aug. 12, 1882, at 3 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican county convention to be held at Grand Rapids, Aug. 24, 1882, also, three delegates to the Republican convention for the second representative district of Kent Co., to be held at Ada Aug. 26.

Lowell Republican Caucus.
A Republican caucus for the Township of Lowell will be held at Music Hall in the Village of Lowell on Thursday, the 17th day of August, 1882, at 3 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing three delegates to the Kent Co. Republican Convention to be held at Grand Rapids, Aug. 24, 1882. Also, three delegates to the Republican Convention for the 2d Legislative District of Kent Co., to be held at Ada, Aug. 26, 1882, and for such other business as may come before the meeting.

Second District Representative Convention.
The Republicans of the Second Representative District of Kent Co. will meet in Convention at the Village of Ada on Saturday, Aug. 26, at one o'clock P. M. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative for the second district and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. Expenses of the meeting will be entitled to three delegates. H. GAYLORD HOLY, J. DISNEY, W. B. HAYES, Jr., J. COMB, ROME-WATER, J. COMB.

NOTICE.
WHEREAS, my wife Eve Ann Race, having left my bed and board without just cause, all persons are hereby warned not to harbor or trust her on my account. I will pay no debts contracted by her after this date.

Dated July 28, 1882.
ALVIN S. RACE.

NOTICE.
My wife, Mary E. Kerr, having left my bed and board, this is to give notice that I do not hold myself responsible for any debts contracted by her from and after this date.

Dated July 31, 1882.
JAMES N. KERR.

THE BOSTON STORE.
Will close on Saturday Aug. 5th, to close out its entire stock of goods at figures lower than ever before offered in this town. This means BUSINESS. See Boston Store adv. next week.

WANTED.
Dry Basswood lumber and second growth hickory butts, for which the highest market price will be paid. To be delivered at the factory of the Lowell Manufacturing Company, south of the Bank, Lowell, Mich.

DIABETES.
Are you troubled with thirst, excessive and frequent flow of the urine, pain in the loins and back and nervousness? These are some of the symptoms attending diabetes and Bright's disease. Do not hesitate, but get Parnele's Dyspepsia, Diabetes, Kidney and Liver Cure which will not only cure you but but tone up the system and prevent Dyspepsia, Sick, headache, biliousness, indigestion, and all kindred diseases. Only \$1.00 for large bottles. Sold by Hunt & Hunter.

SPREAD THE GLAD NEWS.
And let every one know the benefits to be derived from the use of Parnele's Blood Purifier. It thoroughly cleanses the system from all humors. It is a sure cure for scrofulous eruptions, chronic sores, tumors, salt rheum, and all diseases indicating an impure condition of the blood. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Hunt & Hunter.

THE WORLD STILL MOVES.
Notwithstanding Mother Shipton's dire prediction, the world still exists. The people will live longer if they use Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which subdues and conquers cough, colds, consumption, whooping cough and all diseases of the lungs. For proof call at J. Q. Look's drug store and get a bottle free.

Mr. G. W. Hunt wishes to announce that after July 1st 82, his terms for teaching music in Lowell will be the same as at other towns. Terms for 20 lessons—\$30; one half payable at the close of first half term, and balance due at close of full term. Instruction given in piano and organ playing and cultivation of the voice according to the best methods known. Leave orders with G. B. Balcom.

SEEK NO FURTHER.
It is said an old philosopher sought an honest man with a lighted lantern, and humanity has since been seeking an honest mechanic by the light of knowledge. It has at length found it in Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which cures all diseases of the blood, removes pimples, and acts promptly upon the liver and urinary organs. Only 50 cents a bottle, to be had at J. Q. Look's.

Weatherwax's Lotions.
Best and cheapest assortment of black and cream Spanish Laces in town at J. M. Weatherwax's.

Big line of Torchin, Brabant, Russian and Irish trimmings in town at lowest prices. Just the thing for muslin, gingham or Print dresses.

A nice and new assortment of Ladies Collarlets, Ties, Fichus and Yard Ruching at Weatherwax's.

Buy your plain and Lace Bunting, Suits, Veilings, all colors, and Cashmere at Weatherwax's.

Corsets, gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, all very cheap at Weatherwax's.

Best styles of lace curtains at bottom prices at Weatherwax's.

Ladies and gents California Driving Gloves. Just the thing for Ladies wear for Horseback Riding. Every pair warranted, at Weatherwax's.

Nice prints 5c worth 6c elsewhere. Best prints 6c worth 7c elsewhere. Splendid line of cottonades, shirtings, Ginghams, Lawns, table linen, Napkins, towels, etc. very cheap at Weatherwax's.

The best white counterpanes in town for \$1 and \$1.25, worth \$1.35 and \$1.50 elsewhere, at Weatherwax's.

Ladies Linen Dusters, Parasols, Umbrellas, etc. nice and cheap at Weatherwax's.

SEWING MACHINES.
You can save money by buying your machine at Allen's clothing store. Corner Store, Train's Block.

Needles for all sewing machines and fine cuts at Allen's. Corner store Train's Block.

Buy sewing machines at bottom prices at Chas. Allen's. Corner store, Train's Block.

WANTED.
Stave bolts and Barrel heads. Inquire of F. O. Taft at Lowell depot. 1917.

FARMERS!
When you come to town stop at the Davis House for your dinner. Meals only 25 cents, and ample accommodations for teams at reasonable price. 1217.

IMPORTANT TO TRAVELERS.
Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to see their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue.

MISS IDA ROMIG.
Teacher of Instrumental music (Piano and Organ). Pupils received at residence, two doors west of the Commercial House, or waited upon in any part of the village. Good references. Terms reasonable. 4317.

KENSINGTON WORK.
In addition to a stock of hosiery, laces, toys, etc., at the English Store, Mrs. Farrel has a complete line of patterns, silks, English Crochets, etc. for Kensington work. She is prepared to teach the work, and all kinds of stamping will receive immediate attention. 342.

\$1,000 Forfeit!
Having the utmost confidence in its superiority over all others, and after thousands of tests of the most complicated and severe cases we can find, we feel justified in offering to forfeit one thousand dollars for any case of Coughs, colds, sore throat, influenza, hoarseness, bronchitis, consumption in its early stages, whooping cough, and all diseases of the throat and lungs, except Asthma, for which we only claim relief, that we can cure with our Cough Cure, when taken according to directions. A couple bottles 25 and 50 cents; large bottles one dollar. Genuine wrappers only in line. Sold by all druggists. Sent by express on receipt of price. JOHN C. WEST & CO., sole proprietors, 181 & 183 W. Madison St., Chicago, Ill. Sold by J. Q. Look, Lowell.

NINE PHYSICIANS OUTDONE.
It is generally considered a pretty difficult task to outdo a physician, but the following will conclusively prove where nine were completely outdone. Mrs. Helen Pharriz, 321 Dayton St., Chicago, Ill., was treated for Consumption by nine physicians, and all pronounced her case incurable. Seven bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption completely cured her. Doubting ones please drop her a postal and convince yourselves. Trial bottles free at Hunt & Hunter's Drug Store. Large size \$1.00.

GRIGG'S GLYCERINE SALVE.
The best on earth can truly be said of Grigg's Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns and wounds and all other sores. It positively cures piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by J. Q. Look.

NOTICE.
Sterns and Spencer, of Smyrna, are now prepared to furnish bills of all kinds of lumber, having started our steam mill near Chadwicks, and will in a few days have our dam repaired and start our planers and mill. With 600,000 ft. of dry lumber on hand we will furnish all that may call on us.

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STERN'S & SPENCER.
GOOD NEWS.
No more Chills and Ague in this section. Our Druggist is selling an article called "Ague Conqueror." It is about the only satisfactory preparation sold for the cure of Fever and Ague, Dumb Chills, Intermittent or Bilious Fevers. The Proprietor of the Ague Conqueror has used but little energy to make this medicine known, and yet its sale is immense in Ague Districts. It purifies the blood, Liver and other Secretary organs so effectively that the Chills do not return even when persons have had them for years. Entirely vegetable preparation. Price, 50 cents and \$1.00 per Bottle. Two doses will stop the chills. 5171.

NEVER GIVE UP.
If you are suffering with low and depressed spirits, loss of appetite, general debility, disordered blood, weak constitution, headache, or any disease of a bilious nature, by all means procure a bottle of Electric Bitters. You will be surprised to see the rapid improvement that will follow; you will be inspired with new life; strength and activity will return; pain and misery will cease, and henceforth you will rejoice in the praise of Electric Bitters. Sold at fifty cents a bottle, by Hunt & Hunter.

WHY LONGER GROAN.
With pain and lug the delusion that nothing can give you relief. There is a remedy that is greatly prized for the relief of the afflicted. It relieves pains and aches in all forms, stimulates the digestive apparatus to more perfectly do its work, so you will not be suffering with Dyspepsia and the long list of ills, the results of disordered digestion, dysentery, cholera and cramps. It is Hamilton's Jamaica Ginger Tonic and Pain Cure. In Rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, neuritis, strains, etc., applied externally it is excellent. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by Hunt & Hunter.

WANTED.
Stave Bolts, for which I will pay \$3.50 per cord for Red Oak, and \$3.00 per cord for Elm. F. O. TAFT. 3217

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint.
You have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by J. Q. Look.

PILES.
In all of the various forms are constant companion of the Human race and produces the utmost suffering and causes many a person to commit sin if not suicide. In blind, bleeding, itching piles internal or external immediate relief can be obtained by faithful use of Parnele's Pile Suppositories with hot water. Never known to fail. Warranted to cure. Price 50 per box. Sold by Hunt & Hunter.

THE REV. GAO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption Cure." Sold by J. Q. Look.

ARE YOU MADE MISERABLE by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. Sold by J. Q. Look.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION. A Republican state convention to nominate...

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NEWS & NOTES.

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Great loss of life resulted from the Kentucky floods. Crops are greatly damaged.

Engineer Melville and two seamen of the Jeannette have reached Tobolsk, Siberia...

South Carolina is building and shutting up more cotton factories than any other southern state.

In December Mr. Gladstone will finish 50 consecutive years of service as a member of the house of commons.

The most beautiful and most elegant, if dressed lady at Saratoga, is said to be Mrs. John Frazer of St. Louis.

Michigan will be allowed 20 pension clerks under the new appointments, for the purpose of closing all cases in three years.

Very long they had just arrested in Texas for a murder committed in 1872, who Sunday he had just gotten out.

Munroe, the New York publisher, has mortgaged his publishing establishment for \$250,000. It is principally a dime novel publications.

When Thomas H. White, of Hartwell, Ga., was married in 1841, he built a fire on his hearth which, from that day to this, has never been extinguished.

Mrs. Chesebrough and Mrs. Houghtaling of Cheshire, Allegan county are reported to have become insane through religious excitement.

Before it was known in Chicago that the veto had been overruled, many business men signed a telegram to President Arthur thanking him for his action in vetoing the river and harbor bill.

Deacon John Gilbert, who recently died in Lyons, N. Y., made the coffin in which he was buried when he was 35 years old. He was 92 at the time of his death.

It is suggested that the wire fences which bound a multitude of farms in the west, might be turned into telegraphic connections at least to the great social advantage of lonely wives whose husbands are away from home.

Ransom Hooper, aged 78 years, fell off a load of hay at Monticello, N. Y. in such a way that his neck was dislocated and his head turned one-fourth of the way round.

London is brimming with wrath because an American named Amott had gained the national game at the Hamilton sale, and forced that institution to pay \$50,000 for the Valerius portrait of Philip IV.

The President drives a four-horned pair of bays just purchased. One of the coadjutors further affirms—though he is not supported by collateral evidence—that Mr. Arthur has also assumed a high white hat.

In re-political assessment, the New York Times reminds the Democrats that the last Democratic administration which the Republic saw outlasted Herod in its abuse of the civil service and its severity of leaving taxes upon the officers of the Government.

The trembling of the earth has been, for a fortnight or so, subjected, by the conflict over the confirmation of the Penn Yan postmaster, has ended by the triumph of the administration nominee and not a star has been knocked out of its course in the heavens by this outcome of the struggle.

The Penn Monthly, which was started in Philadelphia, in January, 1870, but has never reached a paying basis, was suspended with the July issue. It has been carried on mainly by alumni of the Pennsylvania university, and to one of them, it is said, brought a loss of \$15,000.

Burglars raided the house of ex-Congressman Bradley, at Saginaw City, a few nights ago. Mr. Bradley was aroused, and taking a revolver went to his daughter's room and there found a man in the act of chloroforming the young lady. He made his escape.

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