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JAS. W. HINE, EDITOR.

Publisher's Announcement.
During my absence from home this winter the business affairs of the Journal will be left in charge of Mr. CHAS. H. KESTER, the foreman, to whom all subscriptions and other dues to the Journal may be paid. Mr. Kestler will also have charge of the local department of the Journal and patrons are requested to send him all items of interest that may come to their knowledge. The publisher desires to make special request that all enclosures, and all other bills due, be paid promptly. Mr. Kestler will be ready to see the patrons of the Journal at the office in TRAIN'S HALL BLOCK, each week day, from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. Give him an early call.
Weekly editorial letters from Lansing may be expected in the Journal during the winter and the writer will endeavor to make them interesting.
Very truly yours,
Jas. W. Hine.

Lansing Letters.

It will hardly be news to say that the senatorial contest is over but it is a fact that must go on record in the Journal. The fight ended at 9:30 last Thursday night and the Hon. Thomas W. Palmer of Detroit was elected U. S. Senator for the term of six years from the fourth day of March 1883. While many earnestly desired that the prize should be captured by Western Michigan, it is nevertheless true that the selection made is far more acceptable than any other would have been east of the meridian line. Mr. Palmer is a man of brains, a ripe scholar, broad, highhearted and has a strong personal following. That he will do his state honor and himself credit few will deny. And although a man of wealth he is a man of the people and will give audience to a man who carries a hod as cheerfully as to a man who clips coupons for a living. Mr. Palmer has been a firm friend of Senator Ferry and an ardent supporter of the Senator all through the campaign until Mr. Ferry was out of the race. The friends of Mr. Ferry rejoice that one so loyal as Mr. Palmer has been chosen and have reason to be thankful that the few bitter enemies of the former have not been rewarded by a victory for Hubbell or his choice. Mr. Palmer was elected on the 81st joint ballot (viva voce). It also occurs that there are just 81 Republicans in the Legislature. May it be 81 years before another prolonged senatorial fight like this occurs again.

The Republican State Convention at East Saginaw last Wednesday was a lively one. An excellent ticket was nominated and ought to be elected by a rousing majority. For Associate Justices of the Supreme Court the convention nominated Ex-Governor Austin Blair, of Jackson, and Thomas J. O'Brien, of Grand Rapids. It is a strong ticket. The candidates for regents are also first-class. If the Republicans of Michigan all come out and vote their entire ticket will no doubt be elected. If they stay at home they will be badly beaten. If Gen. Apathy commands their forces they will get no victory this spring. The time is short and active operations should begin all along the line at once.

The Democratic state convention will be held here on Wednesday of this week. The prophets say that John W. Champin of Grand Rapids and Judge Newton of Corunna will be nominated for the Supreme Court. With Champin and O'Brien pitted against each other in Grand Rapids Kent County will probably turn out a pretty full vote this spring.

The prohibitionists held their state convention here last Thursday and put up a state ticket. They also raked the other parties fore and aft for sins of omission and of commission.

The last witness examined by the "investigating committee" was S. S. Olds, secretary of the Republican State Central Committee. He made a full statement of the funds disbursed by the Ferry committee and said not a farthing had been expended except for legitimate purposes. The campaign was unusually expensive because of the re-registration necessary last fall. Mr. Olds testified that not a cent had been used to influence votes of members and that he knew of no offers of position having been made to secure votes for Ferry. He testified, however, that money had been placed in Sanilac county to defeat candidates for the legislature who were favorable to Ferry. Other witnesses are expected to testify on this point.

The senatorial contest being over the Legislature will now dispose of the work before them as fast as possible. The tax laws will not be meddled with this session, I think, as it seems to be the prevailing opinion that they have not been sufficient to yield to bring out the defects if any exist. It is easy enough to amend a tax law and it is just as easy to make a botch of the whole business. Inexperienced law makers should be careful how they tamper with laws that a tax commission, composed of some of the best lawyers in the state, were months in framing.

Applicants for "Michigan in the War" will please be patient. They will be served in due time. J. W. H.

JOURNAL JOTTINGS.

Hen fruit 20c per doz.
Saturday was a busy day in Lowell. Easter comes on March 27, remember. Time to melt your last year's maple sugar.
The button factory at Ionia has commenced operations.
Ionia is working earnestly to have the new railroad at that place.
A. D. Oliver has removed his jewelry store to the east half of Pullen's block.
Alex. H. Stephens, Governor of Georgia died last Monday at about 3 o'clock.
Baptist Social Tuesday evening at the residence of M. C. Barber. All are cordially invited.
The Journal is out late this week on account of the late arrival of Lansing letter.

A very enjoyable social held at W. R. Blaisdell's last Monday evening, by the young folks.
We are reliably informed that snow has fallen this winter to a depth of 28 feet at Kalkaska.
Grand river is over the road on the south side. The mills at this place have shut down on account of back-water.
Should the present warm weather continue the dry goods box will have to suffer.
Langs & McNaughton are nearly ready for business in their furniture store.
Kilmer, the man arrested for the murder of Jacob Boldman was convicted of murder in the first degree.

O. S. Hodges of Bowne will sell a large amount of stock, farm tools etc., March 15. He will become a citizen of that wicked city, Grand Rapids.
J. McCormick, agent for Western Union Life Association, is in town looking to the interests of that company.
We have looked through our two bushel bag full of \$5 gold pieces and find many a galvanizated nickel.
The Herald says: Fears are entertained that wheat in the vicinity of Freeport will be smothered by the ice following the recent thaw. It covers the fields.
Subject at the Congregational church next Sabbath morning: "The strongest man in the Bible, and his counterpart in Lowell."

General Temperance meeting at Train's Hall next Sabbath evening, "Camera Obscura." The club will discourse sweet music.
The Forester Club will have their monthly party at Music Hall tomorrow night. Good music in attendance.
The C. M. and St. P. R. R. is opened to Aberdeen, Dak. Those wishing freight cars can leave orders at West's drug store.
Tank Kee lectured here to a fair audience last night and gave excellent satisfaction. We look for a crowded house to-night.
The Steamer Yazoo Valley struck a snag and sank near New Orleans Sunday morning. A loss of 18 lives reported.

Don't plant your corn yet, the weather clerk is just fooling.
Since writing the above about 3 inches of snow has fallen. We expect before the paper is out the snow will be gone.
The firm of Robinson, Stone & Co. has dissolved, F. H. Stone and Frank Robinson will hereafter carry on the business.
W. S. King the dry goods man will remove his stock of goods to Howard City. Frank Lee of this village accompanies him as salesman.
The old settlers reunion in this village last Thursday afternoon and evening was well attended. A good time enjoyed by all.
The Genuine Original New Orleans Minstrels write that they will be in Lowell, at Train's Hall, about the 15th of this month. This company was organized in 1838, and are under the manager who organized them at that time. This will undoubtedly be the biggest musical treat in the minstrel line Lowell has ever had. We bespeak for them a crowded house.
The W. C. T. U. will meet at the residence of Mrs. E. A. Sunderlin, Friday at half past two o'clock. At the last meeting there were twenty ladies present. All felt there was temperance work enough to do in Lowell. Program for Friday, March 9, 1883. Reading and discussion of Articles treating upon Hygiene by Mrs. Kellogg, of Battle Creek Mich. National and State Superintendent of Hygiene for the W. C. T. U. Also considering report of committee on Juvenile Work.
The largest and one of the most pleasant gatherings of the season at Alton was that of Saturday evening when Mr. H. Keen and family were visited by over 80 of their neighbors and friends to remind him that it was his 43rd birthday and when Mr. D. M. Hendrick, in behalf of the company presented him with a nice arm chair and Mrs. K. with a handsome dress pattern and other presents as a token of remembrance of the pleasant evening their hearts were too full for utterance. The whole was a complete surprise and greatly enjoyed by all.

Married—At Lowell Mich. Feb. 22, '83, by R. Hunter, Jr. Esq. Mr. George J. Murray of Lowell and Miss Emily A. Snow of Cascade Mich.
At the residence of the bride in Lowell, Feb. 23, '83, by R. Hunter Esq. Mr. Martin N. Hine and Mrs. Rosetta Coleman both of Lowell Mich.
In Grand Rapids, Sept. 16, 1882, by the Rev. C. S. Fox, Mr. W. C. Martin, and Miss Minnie S. Carter, both of Lowell.
In this village, March 6, at the residence of the bride by the Rev. D. L. Eaton, Mr. C. E. Bush and Mrs. S. A. Williams, both of Lowell.
The Lowell Cornet Band No. 2 will give a grand fancy dress party, March 30, 1883. This will be the first party given by the young band, and the boys will endeavor to have it strictly select, everything will be seen to pertaining to the comfort of all attending. Taking the past favors of our friends into consideration, we cannot but hope it will prove a success.
A recent enactment of the Legislature inaugurates the following new law concerning the killing of birds: "Any person who shall at any time, within this state, kill any robin, night hawk, whippoorwill, finch, thrush, lark, cherry-bird, swallow, yellow bird, blue bird, brown thrasher, wren, martin, oriole, woodpecker, bobolink, or any song bird, or rob the nest of any such birds, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be fined \$5 for each bird so killed and for each nest so robbed, or in default thereof shall be confined in the county jail for ten days."

The following patents were granted to citizens of Michigan, bearing date February 27, 1883. Reported expressly for this paper by Louis Bagger & Co. Mechanical Experts & Solicitors of Patents, Washington, D. C.
Jas. H. Bacon, Charlotte, Signal.
A. O. Bement, Lansing, Spring tooth-harrow.
S. H. Douglass, Ann Arbor, Hydrocarbon burner.
Richard Doyle, Grand Rapids, Bookbinder's clamp.
J. A. Giper, Detroit, Spring bed-bottom.
Gordon & Boost, Detroit, Cheese-saw.
W. H. Hamilton, Watrousville, Stump-machine.
E. A. Jones Three Rivers, Bench clothes-wringer.
S. Pavey Detroit Stock car.
L. A. Randall, Birmingham, Latch.
F. H. Seymour, Detroit, Monkey wrench.
C. C. Utter, Saginaw, Tube-clamp for oil wells.

In the correspondence this week Ione intimates that in our issue of two weeks ago we made a mistake in the item mentioning the amount of work for the month of January in Benson's flouring mill, and says the editor had better get his "letter spectacles" on. We are anxious to assume a large majority of the mistakes, but not all. We are not entitled to this one. Not knowing the capacity of the mill, and being unable to make out the amount intended by the copy, we impaneled a jury consisting of the office hands, to whom we assigned the copy. The jury, after due deliberation brought in a verdict of \$5,216. This is the copy, 5,5,216. Ione says the item in the Journal read "55,416," when it read 55,216. In this connection we would say: Write as plain as possible, especially figures; do not crowd the lines or interline your copy, and we will try not to make so many mistakes.

A goodly representation of the members of the Congregational church of Lowell with the Pastor Rev. J. M. Van Wagner and Rev. D. L. Eaton and wife, met at the house of Rev. Wm. H. Osborn of East Lowell on March 1st to comfort and help them in their affliction of Mrs. Osborn, and by such a gathering the church shows a true spirit of Christian sympathy and benevolence, and also my neighbors and friends have been very kind and benevolent, and for such Christian love and generosity I desire to express my gratitude in this public manner.
REV. WM. H. OSBORN.
Lowell Lodge No. 38, on Tuesday evening, observed the 5th anniversary of the organization of their order in this village.
The address of Welcome by W. H. Eddy, was most heartily received. The Address by E. W. Dodge Esq. was replete with argument in favor of this Brotherhood, with its co-operating insurance. Viewing the organization, from the financial, social, moral and spiritual principles of the order, and all these principles most emphatically enunciated in the recognition of the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of Man. That the Divine injunction, "To visit the widow and fatherless in their affliction" in this order, took on the active form of life. That out of the Civilization of this century was evolved a new creation—"A corporation with a Soul." Miss Emma Lamb, Prof. Balcomb's orchestra, and the Lowell Musical Union under the charge of S. P. Hick, Esq., enlivened the occasion, and discoursed the best of music. These persons have reason to be proud of their success.
A large company from Saranac Lodge were present and enjoyed the festivities with most excellent humor.
After the address and Musical entertainment at Music Hall the members of Order, with their guests, repaired to the Lodge room, where, until near the "wee sma' hours," feasting, song and mirth were enjoyed to all hearts content. The entertainment was a success.

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DIED.
Died suddenly Feb. 26, 1883, at the home of her son-in-law Mr. D. Blair, in Boston, Ionia Co., Mrs. Barbara Hardy, in the 84th year of her age. Deceased was an exemplary christian lady and much esteemed by all who knew her. She leaves one son (Mr. Robert Hardy of Keene) and two daughters to miss a mothers cheerful and loving presence.

Common Council.
Lowell, Mar. 5, 1883.
Regular meeting of the Common Council.
Present, Messrs. Bradford, Graham, Train and Sunderlin.
Minutes of two previous meetings read and approved.
The following bills were presented audited and ordered paid:
Bill of J. P. Murray, \$2.60 fire fund
" M. C. Barber, 4.11 " "
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" E. A. Sunderlin, 75.00 " "
" A. Morgan, 41.66 " "
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A man who crossed the Atlantic... "That young lady who made seven...

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A Georgia dandy looked upon... "I was so tired that I got to be..."

"The last mode of popping the... "I was introduced by an Evansville...

"I can't hold this baby any longer... "I called out the young...

A South End man set a trap... "I saw a South End man...

"I don't" said an old man... "I don't" said an old man...

Clara had been practicing one... "I had been practicing one...

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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONERS ON CLAIMS. State of Michigan, County of Kent, ss. Probate Court for said County.

MORTGAGE SALE-Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage executed by Jane Rising, to Bolla A. Peet, dated the 24th day of November, A. D. 1879, and recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds of the County of Michigan on the 10th day of November 1879.

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