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Republican Nominations.

For President,
JAMES G. BLAINE, of Maine.

For Vice-President,
JOHN A. LOGAN, of Illinois.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of the County of Kent will meet in Convention at the Circuit Court Rooms, in the City of Grand Rapids, in said county, on Wednesday, July 30, 1884, at 11 a. m. for the following purposes: To nominate a county ticket to be supported at the coming general election; to select delegates to the Republican State Convention, to be held August 13, 1884, at Detroit; to select delegates to the Republican Congressional Convention for the Fifth Michigan District, yet to be called, and for such other business as may properly come before the Convention. Each township in the county and each of the eight wards of the City of Grand Rapids will be entitled to three delegates each in said Convention, and all Republicans are invited to participate in the action of said Convention. Delegates in said Convention, by order of the Republican County Committee, L. K. BISHOP, Chairman, E. B. FISHER, Secretary.

Fifth District Republican Congressional Convention.

A delegate convention of the Republicans of the Fifth Congressional District will be held at Grand Rapids, in Kent County, on Wednesday, the 27th day of August next, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative at Congress for said district, and for the transaction of other proper business. The several counties will be entitled to the same number of delegates as in the State Convention, viz: Allegan 13, Ionia 13, Kent 30, Ottawa 11. Dated July 14, 1884.

S. L. TATE, Secretary.

The Buffalo Telegraph (Independent) a few days ago made some most astounding revelations concerning the private record and personal character of Governor Grover Cleveland of New York, which have created a great commotion in political and social circles. The terrible charge, which seems to be substantiated by the voluntary statements of clerical men and other reputable citizens of Buffalo, is that Governor Cleveland has not only been guilty of gross immoralities for many years, but of a heinous crime the particulars of which we dislike to publish in these columns. To be very brief Gov. Cleveland is charged with the seduction of a widow lady named Maria Halpin, who was in the employ of Flint and Kent, merchants of that city, who state that she was a lady of unblemished reputation "until Cleveland got her in his toils."

The charge states that a boy was born to her, that Cleveland refused to marry the mother, that he had her abducted and sent to the insane asylum, and the boy put in the care of a family in Buffalo, etc. Enough of this. Cleveland's friends, while not denying the charge, claim he had her sent to the asylum on account of her drinking, and efforts are being made to prove Mrs. Halpin was not an unblemished woman as claimed by her employers and friends. The Pittsburgh Leader and other papers have investigated the matter and find the story a most damning one to Mr. Cleveland. Why the facts were not made public before is explained by saying that Mr. Cleveland is now put forward as a candidate with a clean record, a pure man in private as well as public life. Hitherto when he was a candidate for office no such claim was made and the too general rule in politics that a candidate for office must be judged by his public acts, without going into his private life, was observed. Now he poses, or is made to pose, by those who have known nothing of his private life, as a pure and undefiled candidate. Harper's Weekly and the "Independents" have been supporting him as such and the Buffalo Telegraph and many citizens of Buffalo declare that the people should not be thus deceived. What will be the outcome of this the reader and the JOURNAL can only conjecture. If the story in all its details is true it is believed by many that Mr. Cleveland will be withdrawn as a candidate for the Presidency. All that can be done will of course be done by his friends to bolster him up in case he is not withdrawn. The paper making the exposure declares itself in possession of all proof necessary to substantiate every charge made. It is a bad case and all good people must deplore the necessity of placing it on the political docket.

A Washington dispatch to the Cleveland Leader says the Pittsburg prohibition convention was "in the interest of the democrats,"—that "the dominant influence there was democratic." It says further: "The bulk of the temperance vote comes from the Republican party, but the men who have done the most of the talking at Pittsburg are Democrats." We don't think the Pittsburg convention was the result of a democratic scheme. It is giving the

democratic party credit for more sagacity than it has shown in a previous campaign to say that it was. It is nevertheless a scheme that meets the hearty approval of the democratic party whose chances for success will be greatly enhanced should the prohibitionists poll a big party vote as they anticipate. A democratic resolution of thanks to the prohibition party would be in order now and later on a more substantial recognition of valuable services rendered would be in order. Pass the platter, please.

The prohibitionists at Pittsburg nominated Ex-Gov. St. John of Kansas for president and William Daniel of Maryland for vice president. The convention was largely attended and the democrats are rejoicing in the hope that this new party will be the means of electing Cleveland and Hendricks.

The free thinkers of the United States and Canada will hold a convention at Cassadaga Lake, N. Y., in September next, beginning on the 3d and closing on the 7th. Reduced railroad and hotel fares. Eminent speakers will be present.

Greenback conventions in most counties of the state declare against fusion. The greenback state convention will be held a day earlier than the democratic state convention and if the latter indorses the ticket of the former, of course it won't be "fusion." It will simply be an innocent little "combination."

The bolting independents are not too numerous to mention. They can still meet in a parlor and not be crowded, at their conferences. Kid gloves are the only passport necessary, and yet if a stranger wants to get in he should part his hair in the middle and wear an eye glass and a small cane.

Irish voters who have always voted the democratic ticket are going over to Blaine by hundreds and thousands, and between Blaine and Cleveland the labor organizations show a decided preference for the former.

We had really forgotten to mention that ex-mayor Thompson of Detroit went to New York to commune with George William Curtis and Co. the other day. Michigan didn't tip up enough to remind us that he was absent or we should have spoken of it before.

Mr. Daniel, the prohibition nominee for Vice President, is reported as saying he believes "the ticket will have a majority in Maryland." So do we—the democratic ticket.

At a meeting of the democratic state committee of New York held at Albany last Wednesday not one Tammany member of that committee was present. The Tammany members didn't even send their regrets.

"Vote the prohibition ticket? Not any. When I want to help the democrats into power I'll vote the democratic ticket." Thus remarked as good a temperance man as lives in Kent county.

The Post and Tribune aptly observes that the new Atlantic cable is being duplicated so that, like the democratic platform, it can talk both ways at once.

Aha—Geo. William Curtis, the Great American Avenger, whets his knife on the Brooklyn bridge and cries—"Who struck Maria Halpin's boy's pa?"

Oyes, there is heavy kicking against fusion all along the line but the greenbackers will nominate Begole and the democrats will nominate Begole just the same. We think so.

Gov. St. John was a good enough Republican and the Republican party was good enough for St. John, until quite recently. A sore head seeks a new doctor.

An exchange says Gov. Cleveland wears a No. 19 collar and the Detroit Post says "he measures 8 1/2 inches across the back of his neck in a straight line." Ahem. Girls, let Mr. Cleveland put on his necktie, himself.

If we must have the cholera, in addition to the democratic party, in this country, we shall take back all we've said against polar expeditions.

There is a great demand for a word to rhyme with Hendricks. "Spondulix" don't quite fit, does it? "Vain tricks" will do.

If the stories about Cleveland are true, and they seem to be well founded, we shall expect to hear of a big ratification in Utah.

There are now four presidential tickets in the field and if Butler accepts the greenback nomination there will be five.

The American party (anti-secret society) and the prohibition party did not unite on Pomeroy.

Democratic Blaine and Logan clubs have been organized in several towns in New York State.

The loudest noise to be heard now is Ben Butler's painful silence.

G. William Curtis should readvertise for a "clean man."

JOURNAL JOTTINGS.

Lawn tennis on J. C. West's lawn.

Miss Belle Malcolm visited friends in Flint last week.

Mrs. W. J. Stiff, of Ionia, visited Lowell friends last week.

Several Saranac were at the Rink here Saturday night.

The Republicans will nominate their county ticket to-day.

If you can't afford to visit a summer resort come to Lowell and sit on our new bridge.

The Baptist society will give a lawn and ice cream social at W. H. Eddy's to-night. Everybody invited.

The new hotel on the east side—the Davis House—will soon be opened to the public.

The races at Train's Driving Park Saturday afternoon, August 9, will draw a crowd.

Miss Belle Squires of Mair is visiting Miss Jessie Stone and other Lowell friends.

Hon. Henry Fralick was chairman and Frank W. Hine secretary of the democratic county convention.

Mrs. J. Q. Look started yesterday for N. Y. state to visit her parents, Mr. & Mrs. James Blaine.

Bowen delegates to the Republican county convention, J. M. Nash, M. A. Holcomb, P. J. Sinclair.

Ada delegates to the Republican county convention are Harry Livingston, Dr. Williams, D. J. McNaughton.

Now they say we need not worry—that case of cholera, reported, was not cholera.

Mr. Smith Lapham of Rockford, a prominent and widely known citizen, died last Saturday, aged 81.

J. T. Headley, of Ada, candidate for nomination for sheriff on the Republican ticket, was in town Monday.

No team should be left standing unharmed for a moment in our streets unless some one has hold of the reins.

Cascade delegates to the Republican county convention are Chauncey Patterson, Jas. Laraway, H. C. Holt.

The Salvation Army at Saranac had a big banquet Friday night. Quite a large detachment of soldiers went from here.

Mrs. Harriet Dawson of Inlay City, Mich. has been visiting relatives here, whom she has not seen in many years.

Hon. J. C. Train of this place says he is out of politics this fall; that he is done with fusion and that Cleveland won't be fusion.

Wm. Van Wagner, of Sedalia, Mo., son of Rev. J. M. Van Wagner of this village, is making his parents and sisters here a visit.

Reunion of the Lowell Fire Department and harvest party at the Rink in this village, Thursday evening, Aug. 7.

E. A. Burlingame, the fusion nominee for State Senator of this district, is out with a card declining to accept the nomination.

The next Vice President, Gen. John A. Logan, is expected to address the soldiers and sailors reunion at Battle Creek, Aug. 21.

The JOURNAL is indebted to Ort. Hill for Ohio and Pennsylvania papers containing reports of prominent democrats declaring for Blaine & Logan.

R. Marshall, the cooper, is turning out about 350 barrels per day, now, and is bound to supply the demand if he has to increase the number.

Jas. C. Johnson, of Bowne, was chairman and Kryn Dykema, city, was secretary of the greenback county convention.

Another big straw: The Central Labor Union, of Buffalo, N. Y. representing over 13,000 workmen, has declared by resolution against Cleveland.

The new Bridge street bridge in Grand Rapids was formally dedicated to the public Saturday night. A bridge is about the only thing a man can safely cross in this world.

Better weather for harvesting and for growing crops could not be reasonably expected. Hay and wheat are secured in excellent condition, and corn and oats are doing finely.

Quite a number of persons attending the meetings of the Salvation Army have been so overcome by what they call the "power" as to apparently fall into a state of insensibility which they call a "trance." Care should be taken lest the difference between nervous prostration and a trance should be so small as to be undistinguishable. Great physical injury may result from such nervous prostration.

A wedding takes place at the residence of the bride's parents this evening, the contracting parties being Mr. & Mrs. G. Tucker, of Indianapolis, Ind. and Mrs. R. Hunter, Jr. of this village. Mr. Tucker is a young man of excellent standing and promise and his soon to be bride is one of Lowell's most estimable young ladies. May their future bring to them a full realization of their present bright anticipations.

Allen Newman, the lad who took Mr. Modland's horse from his barn one day last week and brought him to Lowell (captured here) is in jail awaiting trial in the Circuit Court. The boy evidently does not fully realize the magnitude of the offense. If reports are true he has been poorly cared for and if he should be placed in the reform school at Lansing no doubt it would be a good thing for him in the end. There he would be treated well, educated and disciplined, and would go out with much better prospects of becoming a useful, upright man than if left to wander at random as he has been.

Carr & Davis have erected a new building just east of the Lowell Mills.

J. S. Dougall and Chas. McCarty started for Boston and other eastern points yesterday. They will stop off at Albany and perhaps see the Governor who will never be president.

"Prohibitionists prohibiting prohibition," is the leading to a sensible article in this week's JOURNAL written by a prohibitionist. Let prohibitionists read the article and give the subject candid consideration.

We should be glad to make personal mention of all visitors here from abroad did we know their names. News and "personal" items gladly received any time at this office.

The Grand River Association will hold a Sunday mass meeting in the Baptist church at Saranac Monday and Tuesday evenings, August 4th and 5th. The Carman family will be present and give an evening of song, Tuesday evening.

There will be a Baptist Sunday school picnic in Cheatham's grove, to-morrow, July 31. Teams will be at the church at 9 a. m. to take all who wish to go. The parents of the children and all members of the Society are invited. COM.

There is a strong feeling among greenbackers against fusion but the wire-pullers managed to get the reins into their own hands and a fusion ticket was nominated. It was much easier to nominate than it will be to elect a fusion ticket this year.

N. P. Husted shows some fine samples of the Niagara Red Raspberry. This variety has been well tested, is hardy and very productive, large and excellent in quality. Roots deep—good for sandy soil, and pronounced the best grown.

Boston, Ionia Co. elected the following delegates: To county convention, R. A. Hawley, Wm. Fitz Gibbons, E. J. Allen, to State and legislative convention, N. F. Gould, A. F. Lee, C. C. Winigar; to congressional and senatorial convention, Cyrus Weaver, E. P. Gifford, A. W. Goodell.

The fusionists base their hope of success largely on the action of the prohibition party. They think the prohibitionists will draw enough votes from the Republicans to give the election to the fusion candidates. Republicans understand the situation quite as well as the fusionists do.

After the terrific thunder shower had passed over Lowell on Tuesday night of last week a bright light indicating a big fire was seen looming up from the north east. Lightning had struck a big barn belonging to Mr. Chase, two miles south of Belding. The barn, including fifty tons of hay, some wheat, farm implements, etc. were burned.

During the warm weather and until further notice the Rink will not be opened for roller skating. The managers have thus wisely ordered and the skaters will no doubt be satisfied with the arrangement. Roller skating is a better cold weather than warm weather sport.

We are indebted to Mr. B. Stearns, of Silver Creek, N. Y. for copies of the Buffalo Telegraph containing the much discussed charges against Gov. Cleveland. The Telegraph follows the charges with the most laudatory editorials such as no paper would dare publish unless it felt that incontrovertible facts warranted it in doing so.

Dr. A. M. Elsworth, of this village, one of the most active and prominent greenback workers in this county, before that party went over to democracy, is an enthusiastic supporter of Blaine and Logan. He says the greenback party has ceased to exist and his affiliations are once more with the Republican party. He thinks Blaine's letter of acceptance is a platform of the right construction. Dr. Elsworth's position will be endorsed by many greenbackers who will vote for Blaine and Logan. Democracy has not swallowed them all.

The Fusion County Ticket.

The democratic and greenback county conventions were held separately, as usual, with but a single thought—fusion and spoils. A division of the ticket was agreed to and the greenbackers nominated for their half the following:

State Senator, E. A. Burlingame, of Wyoming; Sheriff, Lyman T. Kinney; Register of Deeds, H. F. McCormick; Coroner, Dr. G. H. Bradish, city; Circuit Court Commissioner, Everett D. Comstock.

The democrats, as their half, nominated the following: County Clerk, Orlando H. Godwin; Treasurer, Andrew J. Stebbins; Circuit Court Commissioner, Joseph Wurzberg; Coroner, Dr. G. H. Chappel, of Cedar Springs; Surveyor, Col. E. W. Meunchner.

Then the democrats and greenbackers met in joint convention and after a long struggle nominated Lyman D. Follett, city, for Judge of Probate.

The Cedar Springs Fire.

The Cedar Springs Clipper estimates the loss by the recent fire at \$161,507, with \$97,160 insurance. There were three hotels, all the law offices, four liveryies, seventeen fire proof safes, the principal stores and among the largest and best buildings in town destroyed.

The Clipper says: "The future prospects of Cedar Springs was never better.

With a good and fast developing farming country, populated with enterprising tillers of the soil, is sufficient backing for any town. Besides all this our business men and citizens who have been scourged by fire have the pluck and enterprise, and some of them the means to rebuild and re-engage in business. The loss was a heavy one, but better buildings will now be replaced, perhaps not as many. Brick blocks will now take the place of the wooden structure. Lots will be graded down and lots filled in, and our village made more beautiful, healthy and durable."

The following firms will rebuild at once:

Watson & Wheeler, a temporary store room at present, and this season will build a large brick block. Wager & Fudge will build a new brick hotel. Fred Hubbard will rebuild at once. Wagner & Callahan will put up temporary buildings at present. Abijah Wager will rebuild lividly with brick. E. C. & R. E. Wamsley, D. C. Lyle, G. Anonid and Haskell & Son will rebuild. It is expected that J. E. Nelson will rebuild with brick. Adams & Benedict will put up a large building. Dr. Ford will rebuild his residence at once.

Many others will rebuild.

The County Grange.

The next meeting of Pomona Grange, the County Grange, will be held at Sparta Center on Wednesday, August 6, the morning session being with "closed grange," or secret, and the afternoon session open to the public, which is generally invited. The following is the programme:

Opening Song—Choir—E. M. Manly. Address of Welcome—Master of Sparta Grange.

Response—Master of Pomona Grange. Song—Bro. H. G. Holt. Recess, Social, Dinner.

Afternoon Session.

Song by Choir—Led by E. M. Manly. Welcome to Sparta—Rev. J. H. Maynard.

Response—Hon. John Porter. Song—Bro. H. G. Holt. Equal Suffrage—Bro. S. Mcnitz.

Music—Miss Nellie Shapley. Co-partnership—Bro. Z. Hinman. Song—Bro. H. G. Holt. Chronicles—Mrs. W. T. Remington.

Song—Miss Nellie Shapley. Essay—Sister E. Bradford. Song—Choir.

The Tariff—Bro. N. Whitney. Song—Miss Nellie Shapley. Shulod Farmers be Lawyers!—Hon. L. Murray.

Poem or Personation.—Hon. E. G. D. Holder.

Closing Song—Choir.

Are Candidates.

A story has been widely circulated through the state to the effect that the present Republican officials are not candidates for re-nomination, and that Secretary of State Harry A. Conant has positively declined to allow his name to be used before the nominating convention. Such statements are without foundation. Within the past week the editor of the Republican has conversed with Secretary of State Conant, Auditor General Stevens, and State Treasurer Butler, and they desire and expect to be re-nominated, on the ground of precedent, faithfulness, and efficiency in the performance of public duties, and will place themselves before the convention with that end in view. Gentlemen who have conversed with Lund Commissioner Newell within the past few days also assert that he is a candidate for re-nomination. And why should they not? The best interests of the Republican party call for their re-nomination by acclamation, for the administrations of their various departments have been characterized by honesty, economy, and efficiency never surpassed even by the long list of illustrious republican predecessors, whose acts combined have made Michigan the model state in the union when wise and pure government is the question under consideration.—*Leading Republican.*

The JOURNAL heartily endorses the above article and believes the gentlemen therein named should be re-nominated. They have done the state excellent service and themselves credit. We shall look for no opposition to them in the Republican state convention.

LOWELL FISHING CLUB.

At an adjourned meeting, held pursuant to notice, in the office of M. M. Perry, esq. in Lowell, Friday evening the 25th inst. Jas. W. Hine in the chair. The chairman called the meeting to order. The committee appointed at the former meeting to draft Articles of Association made their report, which was duly adopted. The following named gentlemen were duly elected as a Board of Directors and Managers for the first year as requested by the statutes of the State:

Jas W Hine, President; Elvander W Dodge, Counselor; Frank T. King, Secretary; Charles Althen, Treasurer; Wm H Eddy, C W Wisner, E R Crow, Chas Pesse and John S Hooker, Directors.

On motion duly passed E W Dodge, Esq, M M Perry, Esq, and Frank T King, were appointed as a committee to draft a Constitution and By-Laws and rules of order for the association and make report at the first regular meeting to be held after the filing of the articles of association with the Secy, of

state. The Secy. was instructed to file the articles of association with the Secy of state and after notice of such filing was received to make such legal call for the next meeting as the law required. The meeting adjourned subject to call. Signed FRANK T KING, Secy. Lowell, Mich., July 25th, 1884.

Why Workmen Should Not Vote For Cleveland.

The Workmen of New York, Utica, Syracuse, Rochester, and Buffalo, N. Y., in a published address assign the following reasons why Cleveland should not be elected president:

1. He vetoed the bill abolishing contract child labor in the charitable and reformatory institutions of the state.

2. He signed the bill reducing pilorage fees twenty per cent; a bill in the interest of foreign corporations.

3. He approved the law compelling working engineers to pay a tax of \$2 a year for the enrichment of a pension fund of a liberally compensated body of public servants.

4. He vetoed the five cent fare bill, a measure calculated to enable workmen and their families to reach the suburbs away from the tenement districts at all hours.

5. He signed the civil service bill, a measure calculated to encourage only college educated citizens to reach the public service, thereby creating an aristocracy of office holders.

6. He appointed a man to administer the bureau of labor statistics of the state of New York who was an opponent of the reforms which the labor interests (whose influence had created the bureau) had desired and formulated. A man wholly unacquainted with its wants and indifferent to its welfare, and in this connection we cite as a contrast the fact that President Arthur has selected a laboring man for the position of chief of the National labor bureau, thus recognizing the interests which are to be benefited, and to whose efforts the creation of this bureau is due.

7. He vetoed the bill limiting car drivers' hours of labor to twelve hours per day, thus confessing himself ignorant of the national question underlying the labor movement.

8. He vetoed the Mechanics' lien law bill designed to give labor the first lien on a building in course of construction.

9. He failed to advocate in his message to the legislature urging prompt and practical legislation to meet the wish of the people expressed at the polls last election against the system of convict contract labor which was declared "shall go" by a vote of 139,000 majority brought out by the state executive committee of the labor organizations, and the success of which was largely contributed by the members of the delegation.

10. His appointment of a majority of the railroad commission of N. Y., who were hostile to the interests which created that board, thus defeating the object for which the commission was established, and making it a tender to the corporate monopolies of the state.

Finally, we desire to say that the objections we raise against Grover Cleveland are wide-spread and deep-rooted among the labor organizations of the entire country, and that while we voice the sentiments of our immediate constituents, the labor organizations hold our views in common, and in placing before the country a candidate for president by your convention we desire he be free from objections, and one whom labor can support with enthusiasm. Anyone desirous of further information can have same by sending to room 127 Crawford house, headquarters, New York City.

Prohibitionists Prohibiting Prohibition.

Under the above head, Rev. A. S. Kedzie, editor of the Grand Haven Herald, himself an advocate of prohibition, has this to say:

In the clearly shown estimate of the Union party in this state concerning prohibition they seem to count it a less important thing that it should be done, than that they should do it. To these Unionists a prohibitionist doesn't seem to be worth anything unless he is in their party standing ready to boost them into office. All this in face of the fact that four-fifths of the prohibitionists in the state are outside of their party.

They have a better way of doing this thing in other states. A writer in a recent Independent says:

"In Georgia there are ninety counties out of one hundred and thirty six with partial or entire prohibition; but the question has never got into politics. No party can claim the credit of the work. We have accomplished it as citizens. Nor do we expect to cease our efforts till the sale of whiskey is prohibited in every county in the state. So related is it to the interests of the whole people, and so intimately bound up with their present and future welfare is it, that any political party which should essay a monopoly of it would be thought guilty of seeking to make private and peculiar an issue equally dear to all parties. It is a pity that anywhere this most important social and moral question should be tacked on to a political party."

More is the pity, if prohibition be made the chief justification for the existence of a party, as with the Unionists in this state.

But this is less pardonable than their disposition to disown all prohibitionists who "follow not them" even though such prohibitionists may "cast out devils." If the question of prohibition

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Tuesday, July 27. Twenty-two women workers in Chicago, Ill., were arrested on Saturday night at the home of one of the strikers.

Wednesday, July 28. A bell of half thirty thick has been discovered at Fairport, Mich.

Thursday, July 29. The strike of the miners in Belleville, Ill., district has been declared by the president of the union.

Friday, July 30. The Democrats of West Virginia nominated E. Wilson for governor.

Saturday, July 31. The Republican party in Illinois nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Sunday, August 1. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Monday, August 2. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Tuesday, August 3. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Wednesday, August 4. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Thursday, August 5. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Friday, August 6. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Saturday, August 7. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Sunday, August 8. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Monday, August 9. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Tuesday, August 10. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Wednesday, August 11. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Thursday, August 12. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Friday, August 13. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Saturday, August 14. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

Sunday, August 15. The Republican party in Michigan nominated J. B. Connelley for governor.

LEPERS ON EXHIBITION.

Traveling about the country with two lepers. CHICAGO, July 28.—Dr. C. O'Donnell, of the Illinois State Hospital, is traveling about the country with two lepers.

CHOLERA, OR NOT?

A scare at St. Louis.—The Latest from Europe. CHICAGO, July 28.—The latest news from Europe is that cholera is not present in that city.

No Cause for Alarm—But Keep Your Consistent Clean.—The latest news from Europe is that cholera is not present in that city.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The following is a list of the names of the members of the House of Representatives.

REMEMBER THIS. Hamilton's German Bitters are the best bitters made.

ALICE SAVING PRESENT. Mr. M.E. Allison, Hutchinson, Kan., saved his life by a simple Trial Bottle.

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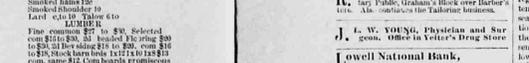
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he put these thoughts aside as suggestions from the evil one.

Perhaps Mary's greeting that night was less cheerful than before.

A fortnight later, Mr. Parsons returned at night to find his wife admiring the beautiful new cloak that had just been sent home.

"By the way, what has become of that man—Bentley?" asked Mrs. Parsons.

"He died to-day of delirium tremens; and do you know, Sarah, ever since I heard it, I've been feeling that we are not wholly guiltless.

"I do wish, John Parsons, you'd study your Bible more carefully! It was the wicked spirit that couldn't find rest.

"Which ever way it was, I do think Stephen might have been saved from his old appetite if—well, wife, I think the Lord has reason to ask of us, as he did of Cain so long ago, 'Where is thy brother?'"

VERGENES VISITOR.

Mrs. M. H. Hecox and sons Glenn and Guy, of Greenville visited at Mrs. E. L. Bennett's last week.

Mrs. T. I. Daniels has gone to Kent City to visit friends.

We forgot to mention last week that Mrs. W. Y. Schenck is home.

Mr. A. Yerkes is still confined to the house with rheumatism.

Let it rain. Wheat all secure. Alton people have concluded to start a S. S.

A number of Altonians took in the Salvation Army Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Rhodes of Lakeview, are enjoying a visit with father and mother Clemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of Bowne are staying a few weeks with Mrs. H. Brooks, their daughter.

Hon. W. B. Wells, minister to Scotland, is visiting his sister, Mrs. O. Trumbull.

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The State Board of Health has just issued a document on the prevention of cholera.

The Salvation Army at Grand Rapids, has been declared a nuisance on the streets.

Owing to the impossibility of obtaining tents proposed, the encampment of the G. W. R. at Orion Lake has been changed to a basket picnic.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION. A public examination of Teachers, for the Schools of Kent County, will be held at the Supervisors' Room, Court Block, Grand Rapids, on Saturday, August 16.

BLANKS for School Directors' reports are at the town clerk's office in Lowell, ready for distribution.

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the postoffice at Lowell, Kent Co., Michigan, July 29, 1884.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS. Walnut marble top bedroom suit, Ash Bedroom suit, One Large Walnut bed, mattress and springs.

Working the Erie Bath Ways. Pastor—"You have not been to church for some time?"

Like Father Like Son. Paterfamilias to materfamilias: "Honey, dear, have some honey?"

"All Kivered Up." Our backwoods "American cousin" had come all the way to Naples, and had never heard of Pompeii.

Meals 25 cts. at Chase's Bakery. Repairs for the Benton Harbor plow for sale at Denny's Blacksmith Shop.

FREE DISTRIBUTION. "What causes the great rush at J. Q. Look's Drug Store?"

FOR SALE. Several choice farms located in Vergennes, Keene, Bowne and Boston.

PROBATE ORDER—State of Michigan, County of Kent, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the county of Kent, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on Friday the eighteenth day of July, 1884.

THE SPEAKER'S EYE. Difficulty in Catching It—The Advantage of Catching the Speaker's Ear.

STATE GLEANINGS. The Kalamazoo celery crop is bigger than ever.

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house, where the confusion was momentarily deepening.

The outsider's bill was produced and placed in the hands of the eye-catching member, "Mr. Speaker."

"I ask unanimous consent that the bill undressed blank be put on its passage. It is worthy bill. We ought to pass it."

After congress adjourned, the promoter, making the eye-catching member, said: "How did it happen that you caught the speaker's eye when so many others were vainly trying?"

"I had arranged for it days before, but the intended business having been entrusted to another, who was then trying to have the speaker recognize him, and failing every time, I just wished I had a chance to show those who took the business from my hands that a mistake they had made, but I had no bill to do it with.

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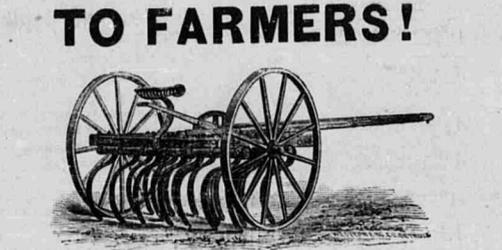
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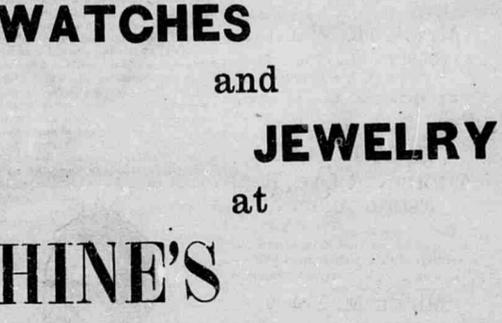
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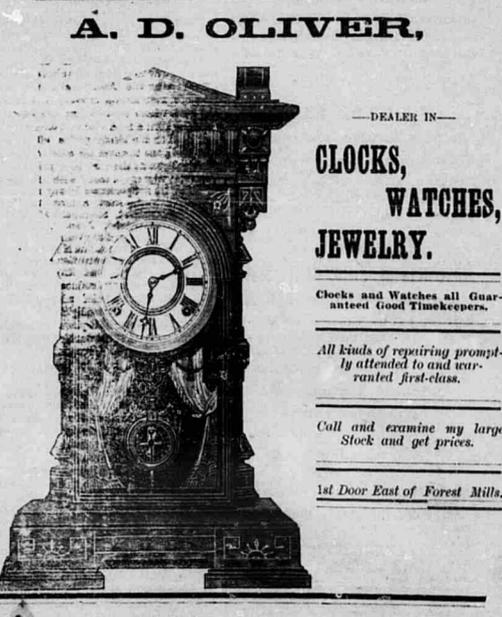


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