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Republican Nominations.

For President, JAMES G. BLAINE, of Maine.

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

Fifth District Republican Congressional

Convention.

A delegate convention of the Republicans of the Fifth Congressional District, will be held at Grand Rapids, in Luce's Hall, on Wednesday, the 37th day of August next, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in 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.

J. W. STONE, Chairman.

S. L. Tate, Secretary.

Republican County Ticket. State Senator—HORACE T. BARNABY.
Sheritt—JOHN M. THOMAS.
Clerk—REZIN A MAYNARD.
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Judge of Probate—CYRUS E. PERKINS.
Surveyor—WILLIAM THORNTON.
Circuit Court J. JOHN W. HOLCOMB,
Commiss'n'rs i WILLIAM A. SMITH.
Coroners (ALBERT E. LUTON.
(FREDERICK C. WILLIAMS.

Second District Representative Conven

The Republicans of the Second Representative District of Kent County will meet in convention at Train's Hall, Lowell, on Saturday, August 23, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating: candidate for Representative in the State Legis lature, and for the transaction of such other bus ness as may properly come before the Conven-tion. Each town in the district will be entitled to gates. By order of committee.
W. T REMINGTON, Chairman.

Do We Need A Prohibition Party? READ AND SEE!

The following letter by Mr. T. E. Blanchard in the Northwestern Christian advocate presents many plain truths that ought to be well considered by those prohibitionists who are interested in the building up of a new political party. It is full of practical good sense Read and ponder well the following:

Much has been published in The Northwestern recently regarding the duty of Methodists at the coming Presidential election. I will state that I am a Methodist, a Prohibitionist and a Republican. While the Methodist church is pledged to prohibition by the General incorrect. It is at the primary meetconference, yet the General conference did not presume to dictate how Methodists should vote, neither can its action can thwart the wishes of a determined be construed to favor a prohibition par- majority. ty. The great question for each voter to answer, is; "How shall I cast my vote in order to bring about prohibition most speedily?" We have before us two great parties, one of which must succeed at the coming election. No candid person will claim that prohibition party can carry a single State, and but few, if any, counties. It is conceded that a majority of Prohibitionists are Republicans. It is presumable that they are Republicans from principle. No one but an enthusiast will say that the temperance question is the only living issue before the people. There are many great questions at issue besides this, among which I name the suppression of polygamy, the protection and education of 7,000,000 colored people in the south, the protection of the ballot, the financial question, the protection of American labor and American industries, and the United States navy. He who sees no difference between the two great parties on these great questions, and is ready to turn the government over to the Democratic party, is a fit person to join a new party. A methodist minister recently said: "I could go from my closet and conscientiously yote the Prohibition ticket," I said to him, "Suppose you lived in a doubtful State like Ohio or Indiana, and knew at the time you cast your ballot that by the loss of your vote the Republicans would lose the State, and that the loss of that would turn the government over to the Democrats." In that case he said. "I could go from my closet and conscientiously vote the Republican ticket.' This is the only honest way to vote. Let every voter cast his ballot just as he would if he knew his vote would decide

Democratic success now means Democratic ascendency for at least twenty years and a backset of twenty years to prohibition. The Democratic platform pronounces against sumptuary laws, D. Robertson, of this village,

the Presidential election. Let there be

no votes cast to teach this or that party

"a lesson." It is quite possible that the

prohibition vote in some of the doubtful

States may result in the election of the

Democratic ticket.

which means against prohibition. The Republican platform is silent on the question. In issue of June 25, 1884, C. W. Whorall grossly misrepresents the Republican platform and the position of the Republican party on the temperance question. He says: "Every plank that finds its way into the platform represents anything but the inspiration of a righteous principle," and that the party in convention has "taken its stand with school. the whisky element." I cannot refer to it at length, but I ask everyone to read the platform and judge for himself. It is of itself a sufficient refutation of his charges. The record of the convention shows that the temperance memorials were presented, read, and referred to the committee just the same as all other memorials and resolutions were. It is true no temperance plank was put in the platform. No such issue was made in the election of delegates. The Prohihibitionists staid away from the caucuses and conventions, and let those interested run them. Not only this, but prior to the Chicago Convention they met and selected delegates all over the country to place in the field a Prohibition candidate for President. If one reads the dictatorial Maryland memorial presented by Mr. Gary, he will not wonder that, under the circumstances, somebody hissed. The prohibition element is undoubtedly in the majority in the Republican party, and if they will unite and work in the Republican party, attending the primaries, the county and State conventions, the object will soon be accomplished; but by a prohibition party, never. I indorse the letter of Rev. H. M. Springer in Issue of July 9, 1884, and ask every Republican meth odist who contemplates voting the prowould like very much to dissect Dr. Jutkin's criticism of said letter in your issue of July 16, but space forbids more

than a short reference to it. In his criticism number two he says: That as a result of party organization for that purpose, two States are now are visiting their Lowell sister, Mrs. S. under prohibitory constitutions." I P. Hicks. suppose he refers to Iowa and Kansas, and if he means Republican "party organization" he is correct, but if he means Prohibition "party organization" he is incorrect. Nothing was done or could be done in either of these States until the Prohibitionists came to understand that they must work within the Republican party in order to accompersant with the temperance movement in Iowa. A Prohibition party was tried there and resulted in failure. The Prohibitionists then saw their error, attendtended primaries and county conven tions, sent temperance men to the Re publican State convention; what was the result? The Republican party put a temperance plank in its platform. The question was submitted to the people, and no fair minded reader can deny it. and carried; and after the Supreme Court set aside the decision of the people the Prohibitionists, through the Republican party, elected a legislature that passed the best prohibitory law on record. The doctor's idea that parties are not controlled by, or do not yield to, the primaries is certainly novel, as well as ings that the will of the people is expressed, and no amount of manipulation

> The doctor's criticism of Rev. Springer's reference to the failure of the old abolition party is very unfair. The abolition party did not succeed. When it nominated candidates it never carried even a county. Abolition was accomplished not by the abolition party, nor by its leaders, but by the Republican party as a war measure. When the question is between license and free whisky let us have license, when between license and prohibition, give us prohibition.

JOURNAL JOTTINGS.

Ben Butler will run.

Republican state convention in Deroit today. Miss Blanche Fuller visited Lowell

friends last week. P.J.Coppens shook hands with Lowell friends Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. Wheeler, of Cedar Springs vere in town last week.

The Lowelt Blaine & Logan Glee Club will give good music this fall.

Romig Bros. barbers, are in their ne shop by the raging chute.

Joe Sayles and family, of Evart, have een visiting Lowell friends.

Subscriptions are coming in very sat sfactorily. Only \$1.00 a year.

Very noticeable improvements are beng made in the village cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stone of Grand Rapids were in town over Sunday. Mrs. W. M. Chapman and daughter

returned from Ohio Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Guest of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at C. O.

Mrs. Rose Searles and daughter Allie are visiting Mrs. E. R. Craw and other

Lowell friends. The West Lowell Sunday School will have a picnic in Jno. Court's grove two

weeks from to-day. Mrs. Wilcox, of Ludington, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. A. B. Grant and Mrs.J.

Mrs. E. A. Sunderlin is at Mrs. O. B. Fuller's, at Birmingham, Mich.

Blaine & Logan meeting at Sweet's Corners to-night.

Mrs. Simeon Odell and two children of Lincoln, Nebraska, are at Dr. Mal-

Jas. A. Thibbets, of Palo, succeeds Prof. Waldron as principal of the Ada

Earthquake shocks stirred up New York and several other eastern states

Sunday afternoon. Mrs. R. J. Enos has returned from Bay City where she has been visiting

Mr. Hendricks met Mr. Cleveland in Albany and that's enough. They will not meet at Washington

Miss Ida Jackson of Alaska has been ere spending a few days with her mu tual friend, Miss Belle Malcolm.

The State Fair will open at Kalamazoo Sept. 15. The JOURNAL is indebted to President Philo Parsons for a press pass Slight frosts Friday and Saturday nights tinged tender vegetation a little. No serious damage done in this section George Washington died in the Kent county poor house Friday, aged 98. He

was a colored man. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bradfield returned home from Mackinac Island last week. Too much polar wave up there for com-

It is reported that Maria Halpin will e well fixed financially, if she will sign

M. N. Hine started for the Upper Peninsula but didn't get there. Stopped hibition ticket to read his letter. I at Petoskey-no boat ready-walking bad-returned. E. A. Sunderlin and the Journal ed-

> tor are in Detroit, as delegates to the Rep. State Convention. Mrs. Sarah Munsell of Enfield, Mass. and Miss M. E. Dwight of Grand Rapids

> Mr. and Mrs. John Lovejoy of thi township started for Letcher, Dak Monday to live with their son George

who is there and doing well. The reunion and harvest party of the old fire department Thursday night at the Rink was largely attended, and the

boys report a grand time. Nathan Boerem of Grand mason, fell from a third story window of Luce's new brick block Saturday and lived only a few hours.

A little boy named Van Houten was thrown from a horse on Train's track Saturday morning and seriously hurt. his collar bone being broken.

Many Kent county people visit the Cascade springs and trout ponds, owned by Chas, F. Holt. A delightful place for picnics and rambles

Mrs. Wood of Lake City and Miss Kelly of Lansing, daughters of E. O. Kelly Esq. have been spending a few days at Mrs. F. T. King's in Lowell Kent county's population is 84,765, ac-

ording to this year's census. Kent is the second county in the state in population-first in many other things. Escaped.-From premises in So. Lowell, one week ago, a red cow with very

large horns; 8 yrs. old. Information gratefully rec'd by E. Lee, Lowell, Mich. No intelligent man can believe for a noment that the prohibition party's

presidential ticket will get the electoral vote of a single state in the Union. A subscriber writes the following: "The ladies of Lowell, who ride out for

pleasure and leave their surplus cats will please leave ammunition with which to shoot them."

There will be a Blaine & Logan meeting at the Merriman school house on Friday evening of this week. Two speakers and the Lowell Glee Club may be expected there at that time. Let there be a good turnout.

The Hon, Lyman Murray, of Sparta, who was a delegate to the recent fusion county convention was also a delegate to the more recent prohibition county

The consistency(?)of the prohibitionists is clearly shown in their nomination of separate legislative tickets in districts where the Republicans have already nominated prohibitionists for the same

"I don't want to see the democrats win," remarked a prohibition party man the other day, who at the same time admitted that nearly all the prohibition votes came from the Republican party.

The Grand Rapids base ball club has been fired out of the Northwestern League because, it is alleged, the club hadn't given bonds to play the season through. It looks like a job put up on the Grand Rapids club, which has place. scooped high and dry every other club in this League. Thin-very attenuated

The Chicago Times charges Mr. Blaine with an immoral act committed in 1850. (Trying to draw attention from Cleveland's Maria.) Of course the Times was there 34 years ago and knows all about

The Sunday School teachers and pu-

Too bad that the Republican party is such a "whisky party" isn't it? But it | didn't veto-Maria Halpins', \$500. is a nice thing to know that the opposition parties are all angels.

"The Judge," one of the best illustrated weeklies, cartoons "Miss Nancy (Geo. William) Curtis" in good shape. For sale by H. G Mc Williams, at the postoffice, Lowell.

The Republican convention for nominating a candidate for Representative in the state Legislature for this district will be held in this village on Saturday Aug. 23.

President White, of Cornell University commends Mr. Blaine's letter of acceptance in strong terms, and says he shall support Blaine. Another big cog gone trom Geo. Wm. Curtis' little wheel.

organized at this place, to be known as Chas. R. Perry Camp, No. 9, with River bridge. about 25 charter members. Quite a number more who will join at some future meeting.

Seventeen Lowellites took the Sunday excursion to Camp Withington, where the brave soldier boys of Michigan were encamped. Many thousands of people were there Sunday.

Hon. L. M. Sellers will probably be renominated for representative in the third district without opposition. served his constituents faithfully and well and if he wants another term they will of course return him.

Two years ago Sagendorph, the prohibition candidate for Governor, received certain papers letting Cleveland down 371 votes in Kent county. Of these Lowell cast 114; nearly one third of the wrong way. See? total. The city of Grand Rapids gaye Sagendorph 64 votes.

> The Grand Rapids Times has been counting them up and finds there are 138,065 masonic lodges in this wicked world with a total membership of 14,-160,543. This item is given on the

Four years ago Gen. Neal Dow was the prohibition candidate for President. This year Mr. Dow supports Blaine & Logan. He doesn't believe in running a democratic side show under the name participate in more of the same. of "prohibition party" any longer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Carpenter, of on Monday for N. Y. State. Mr. Caris for Blaine & Logan.

Mr. Tatem of Grand Rapids talked Music Hall, Wednesday night. His and at Merriman's Friday night. speech was pronounced by several who heard him as decidedly thin and full of

Mr. John L. Curtiss, of Grand Rapids, has been put on the fusion ticket for that he was not guilty of brutal and instate senator in place of E. A. Burlingame who declined the nomination. Mr. Curtiss is a red hot greenbackertalks very loud and often, uses vigorous language and is a hard worker.

and improving the road to the lower bridge is exhausted and the work is not nearly finished. We understand the work will be continued-in fact it ought to be in order to save what is already

One day last week the sheriff of Muskegon county requested deputy sheriff Snyder of this village to arrest one Henby Albert Jackson in Keene. Snyder secured Hertwick and the Muskegon Sheriff came here and escorted him to Muskegon where he is wanted to answer to a charge of larceny.

The Freeport Herald says that Mr. Moore, when addressing the prohibition meeting the other night in Freeport, 'declared that Gov. St John would be the next President." Mr. Moore has made many other assertions equally false and foolish. To be absurd as

Moore's best hold. The real object of the prohibition party seems to be to beat the Republican party. No matter how good a prohibitionist a Republican is, unless he is labeled "P. P." that party cannot support

him. In other words the "P. P." is working for the party not the principle. Freeport has a Blaine & Logan club

fficered as follows: President, S. Roush; Vice Presidents, W. Fox and Henry Clemens; Recording Secretary, A. M. Herrington; Corresponding Sec'y, F. Sisson; Treasurer, John Nagler. Regular meetings, Tuesday evenings in Union Hall.

The Detreit Evening News and several other state papers announce that the name of Jas. W. Hine, of the Lowell Journal, is recommended for the Republican nomination for Lieut. Governor. Mr. Hine is not a candidate and is in Detroit to-day to work for the nomination of another man for that

M. H. Walker and Rev. W. W. Rork, of Lowell, are delegates to the Prohibition Party state convention. Walker was formerly a Republican and Rork an 'old line" Democrat-one of the very few Democrats to be found working the prohibition party scheme. It is well understood around here that Mr. Rork especially desires the defeat of the Repils of the Lowell Congregational Church publican party-greatly preferring a have arranged for a grand picule at democratic victory to Republican suc-Cascade next Tuesday. There will be a cess, notwithstanding the Democratic ting machines; Phillips, E. F. and J. large attendance if the weather be party declares itself emphatically op- F. Land, Detroit, Fire alarm system: posed to "sumptuary laws."

The Baptist society social at Walter

Scatt's to-night. Jas. Woodcock, and Horace and Martin Godfrey of this vicinity went to Da-

"We love him for the enemies he has made," said Gen.Bragg of Mr.Cleveland. Gen, Bragg must be terribly down on the laboring men and Irish Americans for they are among the enemies Gov.

Cleveland has made. Two spans of the new bridge are up, each 148 feet, and in about two weeks A camp of Sons of Veterans has been bridge, it is carefully estimated, will be vided, so that students will have all the about \$16,000. It will be a grand Grand advantages of a good graded school.

> The Detroit Free Press is trying hard to make out that Mr. Blaine was a will take a hand in along with other "know nothing" 30 years ago. If the Free Press wants to get its readers real sweaty let it reproduce some of its "fire in the rear" editorials of 20 odd years ago. Send marked copies to every G. campaign will be quite as interesting to A. R. Post in Michigan. Start a regular most of our readers as other local items. boom you know

> "You can count on the 'Solid South' for Cleveland and Hendricks," says a Georgia paper. Hold on, now! That's endeavor to speak plain enough to be bloody shirt talk. But seeing you have understood from week to week and it said it, don't find fault if a solid north | will do all it can in a straightforward. goes for Blaine & Logan. Bygones are bygones but when you come at us in that shape you rub the northern fur the

A happy surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Taylor, at the Commercial House Monday evening. The event was in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. A grand time is reported. The boarders, as a token of esteem for the worthy couple made presents suitable for the occasion. "Sam" was "too full for utterance"-but you know how it is yourself. It was voted by all present a very enjoyable occasion and many are

Republican meeting at Calkins' school Rockford, Ill., have been spending a house Monday night. Col. E. W. Dodge few days at J. C. Scott's; leaving here and Hon, H. T. Barnaby did the talking and with excellent effect. The Lowell penter is Mr. Scott's uncle and his voice Glee Club sang some taking campaign songs. The Republicans over there are away their votes this fall. To-night a prohibition party to a small audience at Republican meeting at Sweet's Corners,

The friends of Gov. Cleveland do not deny the charge of his criminal intimacy with Maria Halpin-the fact is admitted-but they are trying to make out human" treatment by forcing her into an insane asylum to get her out of the way. Mr. Cleveland's friends claim also that Maria Halpin was not a pure woman at the time Gov. Cleveland was in The appropriation of \$400 for raising timate with her and that it cannot be proven that her boy is his boy. If Mr. Cleveland's friends think they are helping his case very much by saying that he was keeping company with a common prostitute they are perhaps mistak-

Mr. Jas. S. Dougall returned from his eastern trip Saturday night. He spent Fairchild's "Honest Bella," J. M. Math some days in Albany, N. Y., talked pol-ewson's "Shiftless; Fred Malcolm's "Abry Hertwick, a painter then employed ities a good deal and comes back to bie L."; E. W. Wells' "Gypsie D." State will go for Blaine and Logan. He talked with life long democrats who said they should vote for Blame and he says eral heats were run, the judges declarin the neighboring city of Troy there ing one heat "no go" whereat some has been organized a Blaine and Logan club composed of 300 Democrats. Many democratic church people repudiate Cleveland on account of his private record which they insist is morally bad. Mr. Dougall says Blaine & Logan will

carry the Empire State. A complete and very pleasant "surprise" occurred at Mr. & Mrs. C. T. Wooding's Friday night. At eight talks glibly-usually sensibly, on a vao'clock about 65 of their Lowell friends filed in upon them without previous notice and took possession of their elegant quarters. The visitors took refreshments -cake and ice cream-and the evening an informal program of social intercourse, music, feasting & . This at- at the grocery &c.) makes an "ordinary W. at this time as a gentle reminder that their departure for Georgia, soon ed will do well to review the article. to be made, is a matter of general regret here. The demonstration Friday night they go the best wishes of many warm

friends in Lowell will accompany them. The following patents were granted da was \$2,25. to citizens of Michigan, bearing date Aug. 5, '84. Reported expressly for this peper by Louis Baggar & Co., Mechanical Experts and solicitors of patents, Washington, D. C.

Caine, Daniels, Battle Creek, Bean harvester: Cowell, E. R. E., Detroit, Speed-gage; Edmonds, Wm, W., Fenwick, Steelyard; Gilbert, S. P., St. Clair Lauren A, Lake Linden, Sleigh-knee; Lake, C. M., Jackson, Locomotive ashpan; Mark, C. E , Flint, Die for manufacturing couplings; Morton, Matthew. Romeo, Combined key-seat and gearcutting machine; Murby, Edwards, Ypsilanti, Looping attachment for knit-Ruehle, C. W. Detroit, Transmitter for our own.

There was one bill Gov. Cleveland telephonetime system; Wilson, H. S.

Kalamazoo, Power transmitter, The fall term of the Lowell School will begin Sept. first. The same corps of teachers has been retained, and every thing arranged so as to afford good advantages to all desiring to attend. New classes will be formed in all subjects taught, with special attention to pupils the Catholic Telegraph of Albany, the who intend preparing for teachers. Both Mr. Shuart and Miss McVean have had long experience in every phase of school work, and during the last year Denver, the American Celt of St. Louis. our High School furnished a large number of teachers for District Schools, It is preferable that foreign pupils enter at Buffalo, the Catholic Mirror of Baltimore the structure will be completed and the beginning of the year, but can enter ready for use. Another span of 80 feet at any time. The School Board are on the north shore of the river will soon | awake to all the interests of our school, be in position. The entire cost of the and everything necessary will be pro-

> There will be about three months of politics before election and the JOURNAL local papers. And it will make no apology for doing so. Local news will not be neglected, not even local political news, which during the pending We hope there is no doubt lurking in the minds of any of our readers as to the position of the JOURNAL. It will honorable way for Republican success. There never was a time when the Jour-NAL felt more like it. The fight is still between the two old parties (notwithstanding there are several side-show performances) and the result will be either a Republican or Democratic victory. Let Republicans bear this in mind and put in their work accordingly.

Camp Meeting,

By the Mennonite Brethren in Christ, will commence the 20th of August in taken into account in determining the the town of Campbell, Ionia Co., Mich., question submitted to the Board (as it is 9 miles south east of Lowell. 3 miles presumed they must have been in this south west of Clarksville, 111 miles di- case) and the Board, exercising its disthe friends who wish they may live to rect north of Hastings. No provisions cretion upon the subject, in good faith sold on the ground. Come prepared. and without abuse of such discretion, There was a good attendance at the Everybody invited. By Committee.

The Races.

About 500 people witnessed the races Saturday afternoon at Train's Driving Park.

The first was a trotting race, best 2 alive to the situation and will not throw in 3, for horses never started in a race. "Billy Hiler", A. Dake's "Channey D.," Dr. Young's "Wild Indian," J. Lenhard's "Easy Fred," The first heat was won by Chauncy D.; Hiler 2d, Wild Indian 2d, Easy Fred 4th. In scoring for second heat Amos White, driver of Wild Indian, collided with Hiler's sulkey throwing the driver. Den Hanmer, out who fell under his horse but miraculously escaped serious injury. Hiler's horse turned and ran nearly around the track before he was caught. White was also thrown from his sulkey but not hurt. Hanmer's sulkey was ruined and a purse of something over \$14 was made up to him by spectators. The only two start-Wild Indian, the former taking first and the latter second money-\$10 and \$7.50.

In the running race were five entries J. F. Curtiss' "Sleepy Jane," F. B. race was quite exciting and several people became considerably excited. Sevwere pleased and some mad. The judges decided that Honest Bella took first money (\$10), Abbie L. 2d, (\$7.50), Shiftless 13d, (\$5), Gypsie D. 4th, (\$2.50), Time not given. The judges were Dr. A. Peck. Wm. Gardner, A. R. Tyler.

The Journal on Gardening. The editor knows a thing or two, and riety of topics.

Last week he tried his hand at village gardening.

He makes a dozen ears of sweet corn cost five or six dollars; potatoes \$4.00 was delightfully spent in carrying out per bushel, gives some information about melon vines (melons were bought tack was precipitated upon Mr. & Mrs. village garden" cost \$40 and not yield village garden" cost \$40 and not yield Russell H.Conwell:published at Augusta, over \$5 worth of truck. Those interest- Maine, the home of Blaine. In the prep-

I live in a country village, have a small garden, & of an acre. Will give some- work is most thorough and complete, mut have assured them that wherever thing of cost and profit last year-a poor and though in size and quality a reguseason. Cost of plowing, planting and lar \$2.50 or \$3.00 volume, is sold to all cultivation, according to memoran-

The profits were 10 bushels potatoes. Sweet corn enough for small family us- cality. ed as "green corn." Some canned for winter use, which kept well and was very nice; and some given to neighbors. In addition, the family had a supply of pens, beans, lettuce, cucumbers, beets, radishes &c. The labor was paid for at the rate of \$1.00 per day; as the owner Low-water alarm for boilers; Jacques, on account of sickness could not do it. "Jimerax" is usually sensible; but in this matter perhaps he was just warming up a little for political campaign erection of an iron bridge across Grand River near the Depot. Therefore, this work. Give us your hand and acknow-

tedge the "corn." Grattan, Aug. 8th, 1884. All right, seeing it's you. Our figures were used simply as "figurative" in describing some garden experiments of

The Catholics and Cleveland.

We give below a list of Irish and Catholic papers that have bolted Cleveland's nomination and are supporting Blaine. The Irish World, Irish Nation, the Tablet, Freeman's Journal, Weekly Union, and United Irishman of New York, the Catholic Herald of Boston, Catholic Universe of Cleveland, the Celt and Citizen of Cincinnati, the Chicago Citizen, the Rocky Mountain Celt of support Blaine. The Catholic Review of Brooklyn, the Catholic Union of and the Northwestern Chronicle of St. Paul refuse to support Cieveland and give a quasi support to Blaine.

Liquor Bonds-Decision of the Supreme Court Relative Thereto.

The Supreme Court has finally put it self on record on the vexed question of liquor bonds. In the case of Parker vs. Portland, decided June 25, it is held that the power conferred upon councils and village boards is so far judicial that the courts will not undertake to control it. Judge Sherwood, who wrote the majority opinion says: "It will be noticed that the statute not only requires that sureties shall justify, but that the sufficiency of the bond shall be determined by the Board, which evidently includes something more than simply ascertaining the amount of property the sureties are worth. Are they residents of the village? And if so so how long do they intend to remain as such! Where is their property located, and in what does it consist? What is the character of the parties who are the sureties? Are they good, honest, respectable citizens, or are they lawbreakers and dishonest persons? These and other inquiries suggest themselves as proper for consideration in passing upon the sufficiency of the bond; and when they have all been approve or reject the bond, such determination is final, and this court can not disturb the determination thus made.

* * * Had it appeared that the rejection of the bond was the result of prejudice and caprice, it would have been our duty to grant relief." Justices Cooley and Campbell concurred in the decision but Justice Champlin dissented holding that the only duty incumbent upon the Board was to ascertain the necuniary responsibility of the sureties; that the act is purely a ministerial one that can be enforced by mandamus.

NOTICE .-- About Sept. 1, I can furnish a reliable pictorial history of Blain and Logan and Cleveland and Hendricks with fine steel engravings of each. Popular authors.

JAS. H. OWEN. Ridpath's Blaine & Logan.

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Rates reasonable. THE NEWS IN BRIEF. There is great depression in the coal In the house of commons Gladstone announced the failure of the Egyptian conference to arrive at any conclusion, which, after a brief session, had adjourned sine die. During a fire in a tenement house in Charlton street, New York, twenty-three occupants escaped to the roof in their night clothes or were taken out on ladders by the firemen.

A reform demonstration at Birmingham, Eggland, attracted 200,000 persons. The three care and among the control of the place of the place can be shortened by the Chinese agreeing to pay an indemnity of \$0,000,000 francs in ten yearly payments.

BOUNCING PAYNE'S "BOOMERS."

Four Hundred Settlers Ejected from Indian Territory.

CALDWELL, Kan., Aug. 8.—About 400 of D. L. Payne's Oklahama boomers were put three cases and in the companies of the finest military displays in recent years, and elicited hearty applause on all sides. The column, composed of 8,000 troops (infantry, cavalry and artillery), was nearly an hour in passing a given point. Col. Black, of the United States army, has bee detailed to visit the camp and report to the war department. He highly compliments the movements of the troops. The warm weather prostrated a number of men, but all recovered. The camp covers over 300 acres, and is located on the plays in recent years, and elicited hearty applause on all sides. The column, composed of 8,000 troops (infantry, cavalry and artillery), was nearly an hour in passing a given point. Col. Black, of the United States army, has bee detailed to visit the camp and report to the war department. He highly compliments the movements of the troops. The warm weather prostrated a number of men, but all recovered. The camp covers over 300 acres, and is located on the various forms are constant companions of the human race and produces the utmost suffering and cause many a person to commit the town of keiung on all sides. The column, composed of 8,000 troops (infantry, cavalry and artillery), was nearly an hour in passing a given point. Col. Black, of the United States army, has bee England, attracted 200,000 persons. The procession was in nine divisions, and among those marching were John Bright and Joseph Chamberlain.

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China until Sunday morning a closet of the capitol at Washington near the clerk's office on the house side. The damage was slight, but how it started is a mistery.

Jay J. Read, a member of a shirt manufacturing firm in Chicago, has been forced to make an assignment by losses sustained in managing the summer-night concerts at the exposition building.

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The St. Louis Exposition

The St. Louis Exposition officials met Tuesday evening and completed the prices at the Journal office.

FOR LADIES. before the election. It is believed that that the government have declined to ex-At a recent election in Scattle, W. T. Half a million dollars in gold barreached New York Thursday from Europe. The electric street-cars of Cleveland, Ohio, make eight miles an hour easily.

Iron mills at Pittsburg employ at present 7,000 men less than last year, and the depression is greater than for several years.

On 'change to day the markets were dull, heavy and lower, but at the adjournment of the session there was a slight rally in prices. On the figures current twenty-four hours ago we have to report a decline of ic on

Miss Hill, who is suing ex-Senator depot."

While a small cannon was being fired at barley 98, oats 96 and hay 104.

Sharon for divorce, began suit against The

a political meeting in Xenia, Ills., the gunner ran out of wadding, and used handfuls of

new type.

In the treasury orders inspectors inspectors of steam vessels who are not citizens of the United States.

In United States.

In United States government recently spent with Governor Pattison and Maj. Gen. Hartrant and Brig Gens. Snow. den. Beaver and Sigfried, Secretary Lincoha and Gen. Sheriada made a closs inspection of the entire camp. The burnesting of the lock and the defacing of the ralling of the inclosure, as well as the chipping of the tomb, are mentioned in a Charlotteville paper.

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Western New York is reckening upon harvesting 4,000,000 barrels of apples this year.

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Five hundred men went out to the circum polar stations in 1881, and all came back that the cherokee Indians asked the secretary of the interior to have the consequences. The committee thereupon passed a resolution, the substance of which was that they, as representatives of the national congress, assured them that all immates giving testimony would be cents per bottle. So ld by all druggists.

them that all immates giving testimony would be protected from cruelty. The testimony was similar to that already taken. Cases of sugar in the bonded warehouses of Brooklyn, an amount in store never known before in the history of the Brooklyn bonded warehouses.

Potato rot has appeared around Montreal, owing to the recent exceedingly wet weather. Farmers are busy digging potatoes and hurrying them to market. Hay is also much damaged.

Thursday, August 7.

William H. Vanderbilt has refused to let many learning them to market again until her record is beaten.

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A Woman's Anger. hat the fact was concealed.

The Mother Hubbard costume has been placed on the list of things forbinned to employes by the Western Union.

The meeting of the emperors of Germany and Austria at Isch is regarded as a strong guarantee of continued friendly relations between those countries.

New York, Aug. 11.—Johnny Jourdan, one of the most notorious bank thieves of the country, was betrayed into the hands of the police Friday by his mistress on account of her jealousy of another woman, to whom he has been paying attention. Jourdan wassup posed to be abroad, but he has been living in the woman's rooms. He was implicated in the famous Middletown bank robbery in 1880

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The estimated corn crop of Nebraska this year is 120,000,000 bushels—nearly 19,000,000 bushels—nearly 19,000,000 bushels greater than last year.

Nineteen lepers were placed on the steamer Oceanic at San Francisco, the city giving each of the unfortunates a ticket and \$5.

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The Reporters Will Be There more activity, and a better feeling exists London, Aug. 9.—The Daily News states among merchants.

THE MARKETS.

ard Leing 100, wheat averages 98, rye 99 | land and Blaine.

London, Aug. 8.—The steamer Faraday having on board the whole of the deep-sea section of the second cable of the Commercial section of the second cable of t will also be asked to attend. After the speeches are over there will be a trades procession and military review. The exposition CHICAGO, Aug. !!. opens Sept. 3 and continues forty days.

Bradstreet's Review.

Mother Hubbard Triumphant. OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 8.—The Mother Hub. ed at the JOURNAL office, ard case come up in the police court. The

Va., save two have shut down because of dull trade, and two in operation will suspend work in a week or so.

Three wengenessed in posting Socialists.

The Irrepressible O'Donnell.

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mid. The piece was blown into fragments, and a lad named Mandlin was instantly killed.

At a Sunday-school pienine near Moweaqua, Ills., Miss Emma Bond, the victim of the Taylorville outrage, was in attendance, and attracted general attention. She walks with difficulty, but otherwise is gaining strength rapidly.

The employment of large numbers of Canadians on American vessels on the lakes led to legiclaties on the lakes.

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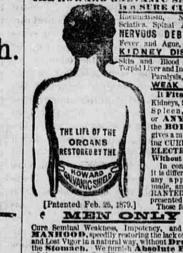
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I. W. YOUNG, Physician and Sur are controlling, to the mublic as some as a syon choose to make of it.

Answer.—I do intend to stand by the nommaticins of the Greenback and laboring men that it is the best thing to do.

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I will give the reasons for my action which are controlling, to the public as soon as I can have the benefit of Mr. Cleveland's letter of acceptance, so that wherein I disagree with him I may do him no injustice.

Very truly your friend and servant, BENJAMIN F, BUTLER.
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BROOKLYN, Aug. 11.—The earthquake was felt throughout Brooklyn, more severely on the shores. People ran into the streets in terror. People in Greenpoint thought the oil refineries on Newtown creek had exploded and the fire department turned out.

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put ae is a patron of art, and especially of poetry, a lover of nature, a friend of manly sports, and a mighty lively old politician to boot."

New Haven, Conn., Aug. 11.—Two severe shocks of earthquake were felt about 2:15 Sunday afternoon. Pictures and mirrors ALBANY, Aug. 8.—Gen. Butler's declara- water in a small brook was sudd mly throw tion that he intends to run for the presidency still agitates local politicians. The absorbing

problem is whether the general's candidacy will injure Cleveland. Adherents of the governor contend that it will not. They laugh at Butler's alleged popularity with the work-

Maryland Shaken.

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 11.—An earthquake treasury vaults. This is a

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R. W. Yonk, Aug. 7.— At midnight the news was bruited round the streets that the student-bearer of the labor party and the student-bearer of the party and the student-bearer of the labor party and the student-bearer of the party and the student-bearer of the labor party and th

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner Hudson and
Spring Street. Rev. J. M. VanWagner, pastor.
Sabbath services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school from 12 to 1 o'clock. Prayer meeting
Thursday evening at 7. o'clock. Seats free. CATHOLIC CHURCH—Services at 10:30 a. m. Nov. 20, 1881 and on third Sunday of every alternate month thereafter. Also first Tuesday after the third Sunday, every alternate month, at 8:30 a.

BAPTIST CRURCH—Corner Bridge & Jackson streets—Rev. C. Oldfield pas'or—Preaching every Lords Day at 10-30 a, m, and 7 p, m. Sunday School after morning service. Regular prayer on Thursday evening—Covenant meeting on Saturday before the first Sunday in each month at 2p. m, Pastor's residence one block north of M. E. Church

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(This column is edited by the Press Committee of the W. C. T. U. of Lowell.)

Short and pithy articles, either original or selected, are solicited for this column from any one interested in temperance. Such articles can be sent to my member of the Pross Committee—viz: Mrs. C. V. Mount, Mrs. M. Chapman, Mrs. H. Devoe

The Gospel of Temperance.

What amazes and shocks me is to see the wine-bottle where it is as flagrantly out of place as a bonfire would be on the floor of a powder-mill. No intoxicant has any business to be on the table in a family which contains any boys, or on the table of any miscellaneous social party, or in the cupboard of any professional man, or anywhere else, in short, except in the hands of a very discreet and careful physician. Every bottle Putting the population of Isle Royal and that contains alcohol contains a serpent. The serpent in Eden was not a more leaving Burt township (not organized great saving of labor. perfect embodiment of deceit. A bottle till 1882) out of consideration, the total the very elect. I am constantly called was 1,853,645-an increase of 216,608 ovto labor for the reformation of persons er the census of 1880. The counties who began with the most honest resolu- showing the greatest increase are as fol. this fall. tions to drink moderately: but their lows: Wayne 22,704, Saginaw 16,718, glasses insensibly enlarged and deepened Bay 16,115, Kent 11,512, Muskegon 11,until they became literally a pit of dam- 095, Menominee 7,142, Manistee 7,057, nation! Some of the hardest cases I Mecosta 6,659, Marquette 5,976, Huron encounter are of those whose names are 4.462, Newaygo 4,367, Lake 4,341, Tusenrolled on church registers. In yonder lecture-room I have heard a man 3,903, Alpena 4,928, Isabella 3,918, Grand pray most pathetically for deliverance Traverse 3,689, Iosco 3,649, Houghton Grange in Ronald last week. Also othfrom the tempter, and yet he has been tracked to a drinking saloon on his way Mason 3,336, Jackson 3,328, Sanilac 3,home from the prayer-meeting! More 287, Osceola 3,212, Delta 3,185, Ottawa than once he has been the subject of 3,182, Gratiot 3,154, Chippewa 3,124, ing part in the discussions were Hon.'s most loving personal efforts (once or Calhoun 3,074 Oceada 2,858, Montcalm twice of necessary church discipline), and still does he cry out in agony from the bites of the serpent which he delib erately put into his own bosom when he

But what shall be said of those Christian people who, from the thoughtlessness or from the tyranny of fashion, will set wine-bottles where they will produce just such conflagrations? Half the drunkards in the land had one or more partners at the outset. God's word solemnly declares, "Be ye not partakers of other men's sins:" how much worse to be their tempters!

was a young man.

The one momentous truth that may be instilled into the minds and consciences of the young is, that nobody can safely tamper with an intoxicating beverage. On the bed-rock of entire abstinence alone are they safe. I am willing to confess on this public page that I would no more dare to tamper with a wine-bottle than I would dare to thrust a fire-brand into one of the pews of my church edifice .- Rev. Theodore Cauler,

An Earnest Boy.

"Are you the lady who takes the pledges?" The words were addressed to me by a pretty little innocent-faced boy, as I stood in the room where the Band of Hope was assembled.

"No," I replied, but I will show you the lady. Come with me." And he followed with his little sister.

His brown eyes were wet with tears as he looked up, appealingly, saying. "1 broke the pledge. I am afraid they won't take me back again."

down here, and tell me all about it. How was it?"

"I was going," he said, "past a store, and a man gave me some candy and made me drink lager beer. But I'm very

sorry," said he, and the tears streamed down his face. The secretary heard the story, and then took out one of the society's pretty and Miss Libbie Morrissey of Ada for the wife. His second wife was a widow little pledges, with the rose in the corner, following school year.

and asked him if he could write his

"I can't write, but I can print it. I printed it before. Maybe that ain't so good as writin', and that is the reason it ids spent several days last week week at the and extra attachments in the shape got broke," and he looked up doubtfully John Headley's. but earnestly.

But the lady thought printing would do, and in plain, big letters the little hand traced his name. Who but an inlike this to enter the scorching path of weeks visit at Petoskey and other northintemperance? Yet this is not the first ern points. nor the second time that our efforts to guide the dear children into the paths of peace and pleasantness have been in-

terfered with by those who would guile them into evil .- Lever.

Whisky and Newspapers.

A glass of whisky sells for a dime and is drank in a minute. It fires the brain and deranges and weakens the physical system. On the same table lies a newspaper. It is covered with a half million type; it brings intelligence from the four quarters of the globe. The newspaper costs half the glass of grog; but it is none the less true that there is a Rockford Aug. 11. large number of people who think whisky cheap and newspapers dear.

Common Council

Lowell, Aug. 4th, 1884. Regular meeting of the Common Present, Trustees Graham, Hine and

the Recorder. On motion the council adjourned Monday evening Aug. 11th 1884.

E. A. SUNDERLIN, Recorder. Lowell, Aug. 8th 1884. Special meeting of the Common Coun-

Present, President Bradheld, Trustees raham and Hine and the Recorder. The liquor bond of Denis O'Brien was Slayton. presented and on motion the same was

approved. On motion the council adjourned. E. A. SUNDERLIN, Recorder.

Convention held last Friday. M. H Walker, of Lowell, chairman. The following ticket was put in nomination: State Senator, Rev. J. H. Maynard, of

Sheriff, John Campbell, Walker. Clerk, E. S. Palmiter, city.

Register, C. A. Underhill, Plainfield. Treasurer, A.J. Provin, Cedar Springs, Commissioner, C. G. Hyde, Rockford, Pros. Att'y, M. H. Walker, Lowell. Coroners Dr. H. Whitfield, city, Dr. Danforth, Grandyille.

Surveyor, Riley Smith, Rockford. The county committee was empowered to appoint a candidate for Judge of Probate and the second candidate for Commissioner. Delegates to the state and congressional conventions were elected and the prohibition presidential ticket was duly ratified. This democratic auxiliary then selected a county committee, listened to some speeches and adjourned.

The Michigan state department has published a table showing the population by counties, according to the first Lowell. count of the census for 1884-except for the counties of Isle Royal and Ontonagon, and the township of Burt in Schoolcraft county, from which the census returns for 1884 have not been received. Ontonagon the same as in 1880, and of Bourbon or of Burgundy will deceive population of the state on June 1, 1884, cola 4,197, Charlevoix 4,193, Wexford 3,678, Antrim 3,553, Cheboygan 3,449, 2,275, Mackinac 2,261. Other counties show an increase of less than 2,000.

The following counties show a decrease: Barry 1,100, Branch 263, Cass 841, Clinton 936, Genesee 395, Hillsdale 1.028, Ionia 1.220, Lapeer 20, Livingston 678, Macomb 297, Manitou 461 (from 1,-334 to 873), Monroe 280, Oakland 370, St. Joseph 327, Van Buren 361, Wash-

VERGENNES VISITOR.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean of Ionia visited at Wm. Krum's last week. Mrs. G. W. Crosby visited friends in Grand Rapids last week.

Miss Addie Campbell of Ionia is still the guest of Mrs. E. B. Krum. The W. F. M. Society will meet at

Mrs. E. B. Krum's this week Thursday. Everybody invited.

VERGENNES VISITOR. Mr. & Mrs. Clark Frazer, from Green-

ville, recently visited at E. R. Bennett's. John Carkes and Wm. Collar have gone to Dakota, the latter intending to 28, and not at Marshall, Aug. 16-17. make his home there.

the purpose of organizing a Prohibition for 50 cents. club, at which the following officers were elected: Pres., Sidney Hoag, Sec. and Treas., E. Lewis.

ADA ITEMS. Mr. Hugh Miller, agent at Ada for the D. G. H. & M. R. R. was married Aug.

"O, I'm so sorry!" I said. "Come, sit 5, to Miss Louise Sutter of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Short are the happy parents of a bouncing baby boy born Aug. 5, weight 9 lbs.

> spent a part of last week in Hastings and Middaeville. The Ada school board have engaged James H. Tibbitts of Palo, Ionia Co.,

Capt. John Headley and daughter Mate

Miss Phenie Mekeel of Sparta and the

Misses McLelland of Gd. Rapids spent fond father of 11 more. Sunday with Ada triends. Master Perry Headley of Grand Rap-

carnate spirit of evil could tempt a child returned home last week after a three won from a traveling man, at dice, a

Mrs. P. C. Trask is visiting Grand debt that was due .- Jackson Patriot.

Prof. P. D. Cornell, and daughter May have returned from Horseheads, N. Y John Ashley had 808 bushels of bar-

ev from a 20 acre acre field. A farewell party was given the Allen sisters at Johnson's Hotel Saturday night. They start for Ireland today-Monday.

Miss Ada Norton met with the Grange Aug. 7, after spending vacation at Han. ley. She commences her school near

Aug. 21, we discuss (in the Grange,) the habit of using tobacco, and profanity. Sides will be taken, to decide which has the worst effect on man.

Misses Emily and Alice McCauley re turn to Grand Rapids this week after happy visit with old friends.

Our new class of three ladies were in itiated in the third and fourth degrees in Grattan Grange Aug. 7. A number of visitors were present from Alton.

Miss Elma Keeler closes her School in the Ashley district Aug. 15. The pupils have some very interesting exercises or program. The Slavton family are preparing for

a reunion at Whitehall with Asa W

ALTON ATOMS

Mr. Lautz has some full blooded Jersey stock, and Saturday morning he found one of them, a young cow, dead.

A number of our neighbors report slight frost on Friday morning. Do Democrats read? A canvasser for the Biographies of the candidates in Vergennes and Grattan selfs Blaine and Logan ten to one of Cleveland and Hendricks.

This weather is tough on the oat har-Vergennes has just added 32 new bocks

to the library.

GRANT GOSSIP. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Edie, of Casnovia, made his sister, Mrs. Wm. Slavton

a short visit last week. Miss Grover, of Hubbardston, is so journing with her uncle W. A. Wright

and family for a short time. W. R. Mason and lady with C. and C. M. Slayton and ladies are visiting this week with other brothers and sisters at Whitehall the guests of their brother Asa Slayton, who has fitted a cottage by Lake Michigan where they

intend spending part of the week. Dame Rumor announces that Mr. Chas. Jakeway and Miss Ella Francisco were made one last Friday morning at

The Misses Stella and Ella Watkins have returned from Tustin where they have been teaching school. E. J. Mason received from Flint last

week an Automatic Apple Parer to run by steam. The apple is ready to dry when it leaves the machine, which is a The hops in this vicinity do not look

very promising at this writing. Sitas Aldrich and Burr Davis are building a dryer and intend drying apples

SO. BOSTON BREEZES. Mr. E. A. Fletcher and wife of Grand Rapids, also Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Fletcher of the same place are visiting relatives in So. Boston

Mr. & Mrs. S. K. Remington visited relatives and attended the Pomona er members of So. Boston Grange attended and report a very interesting meeting, among the large number tak-N. B. Hayes, A. M. Willett and J. B.

Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Fletcher visited relatives in Oakfield the first of the week. Miss Lizze Hunt of Ann Arbor is visit-

ing in So. Boston. Two frosts last week, but not much

damage done Hon, C. G. Luce will be one of the speakers at the Grange Picnic on the

Ionia Fair Grounds Aug. 20. Mr. Henry Palmer of Grand Rapids is visiting at J. F. Cilley's. There were thirty two rattlesnakes

killed on Jesse Drews' farm one day last

There will be races at Train's Driving Park September 6. Running race, free by J. Q. Look. to all, 3 in 5. Purse \$50. Trotting

race, 3 in 5. Watch for particulars.

A man named Peter Rasch, living Mr. & Mrs. Dean and Miss Ada Camp- near Garden Bay, Delta county, was cut bell of Ionia have been visiting Mrs. E. in two by the cars near Negaunee July

A very well attended meeting was held at Yerkes School-house July 28, for the purpose of organizing a Prohibition (17) has been arrested at the office of S. P. HICKS,

A farmer near Ionia has lost two cows by hydrophobia, they having been bitten

by a mad dog. Capt Ed P. Atlen, Indian agent, has established a school for the Munising Indians at Helenville, Schoolcraft Co.

S. W. Kline, of Constantine, has invented an egg crate and "candler" combined. It can be packed full of eggs and rolled about with ease and safety, and several dozen eggs can be "candled" in

Dr. Hettzel, of near Brady Lake, Mecosta county, had 11 children by his first who had 11 children before she married the doctor, and now the doctor is the

The Orion Review tells about a rattlesnake with the usual complement of ratof four teet and legs. The editor of the

Industrious Italian Women

[Rome Letter in Boston Herald.] How little we know of people unless we live with them. Our idea of Italian women, for instance, is that they spend their time, like Turkish sultanas, sleeping or lounging listlessly in soft couches, their only occupation being love-making or perchance learning how to sing a song. Never was there a greater mistake, Italian women, even in terms and in good circumstances, work towns and in good circumstances, work harder than any other women I know. Not a stitch is done in the house that they do not do. They spin and make their own linen, rear their own silk worms, knit their own stockings and the stockings of the whole family, make their own dresses, hats, bonnets, and cloaks, and superintend all the bak-

slaves to their husbands, whose comforts they study from morning until night. I have heard much of Italian illicit love making, but I have never seen it. It may exist, perhaps, among the aristocracy, but, in the middle and lower classes, it is more imagination than reality. Bonny brides, even in high society, still maintain the custom of making their own wedding outfits.

A young friend of mine, who has just married, has brought her husband four dozen of every article of body and house linen. all made and embroidered with her own hayds, even the lace which trims the house linen being her own work. All the stockings, also, were knitted by herself. Nor i this the exception; it is the rule in Italy. Who, after this, shall say the Italian women are idlers? No one, certainly, who has known and seen them as I have will ever say so; on the contrary, I would hold them up as models for all other women to imitate. Why, even in Rome, once the capital of the world, the Hunter. vomen spend their time between their house and church, varying these with an occasional walk on Sundays and great holidays, whil everything in the house is done by them-selves, servants being too expensive for most

LIST of LETTERS remaining in the postoffice at Lowell, Kent Co., Michigan, Aug. 13, 1884. LADIES LIST—Maria E. Dwight, Miss Effie Sherman, Miss Lovina Studt, Mrs.

Eliza Whitney.

Gerrs List—Tobias Byrnes, Mr. M.E.

Ogden, H. M. Upp.

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised" and give date of notice. MILTON M. PERRY, P. M.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Joseph Graham, township Draiu Commissioner of the township of Lo well, in the county of Kent, will on the twenty-fifth day of August, at the house of L. Beehler in said township, at fen o'clock in the forenoon, meet parties for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township known as the Pratt Lake drain, commancing: 8 E 14 of Ne 2, 3, and on N 1/2 of S E 1/4 of S ec. 33, and that I will then and their proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that I will then and their proceed to let contracts for the construction of the same by sections as I have apportioned and divided the same, and that such contracts will be let to the persons who will do the work according to the specifications thereof made by me and now remaining in my office, for the least sum of money, and who will give adequate security for the performance of the same within such time as shall be specified in such contracts respectively, the undersigned reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Notice is also hereby given that at the same time and place of said letting of contracts the assessments of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated this 5th day of August, A. D. 1834. JOSEPH GRAHAM,

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MICH. Breeder of Pure Bred Poland China Swine

Pedigree recorded in the Ohio P. C. Record. Young Stock for Sale and Use. 7711 to the Ladies of Lowell and vicinity who Call at the factory

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, Aug. 16. Examination to commence prompt-

ly at 9 o'clock, A. M. By order of Examining Board, W. M. CHAPMAN, Sec'y. Grand Rapids, Mich., July 24, '84.

BLANKS for School Director's reports are at the town clerk's office in Lowell, ready for distribution. These reports must be filed with the clerk on or before the second Monday in September, 1884. R. G. BOSTWICK, Town Clerk.

Ice Cream at Chase's Bakery. 52tf Meals 25 cts. at Chase's Bakery. 52tf The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Saive, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin cruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or mon-controlled. Only 25 cents. For sale

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"What causes the great rush at J. Q. Look's Drug Store!" The free distribution of sample bottles of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup, the most popular remedy for Coughs, Colds, Consumption. and Bronchitis, now on the market. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

Several choice farms located in Vergennes, Keene, Bowne and Boston. Also several houses and lots in the village of

DROBATE ORLER. State of Michigan, co PROBATE ORLER.—State of Michigan, counof Kent, ss. At a session of the Probate
Court for the county of Kent, holden at the Probate Office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on Friday the eighteenth day of July in the year
one thousand eight hundred and eighty four.
Present, Cyrus E. Perkins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Joseph Ernst
late of the Township of Lowell in said County,
deceased.

And it is further ordered, That said Administrator give notice to the persons interested in said
estate, of the pendency of said account and the
hearing and examination thereof by causing a
copy of this order to be published in the Lowell.
JOERNAL a newspaper printed and circulating in
said county of Kent, three successive weeks,
previous to said day of hearing.
(A true copy.) CYRUS E PERKINS.
ADDIFIS B. MASON,
Begister. 5wd.

Inia county Friday, where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. John Smith and daughter Neilie returned home last week after a three weeks visit at Petoskey and other northern points.

GRATTAN GATHERINGS.

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Is the Time to since first I went to see you. As I told you then I was troubled with Kidney Disease for about fifteen years, and had seven of the best doctors to be found; but I received only temporary relief until I visited you and commenced taking your Favorite Remedy, i commenced taking your Favorite Remedy, i commenced taking the Remedy according to your directions, and now consider myself a well man. Very gratefully yours.

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J. Q. Look the druggist who is always ing, cooking, and cleaning of the house, if they do not positively do them themselves. They rarely go out except on Sundays and holidays, and rarely receive visitors unless in the highest society, where one day a week is set aside for receiving. They are perfect least their husbands whose conforts they have their husbands whose conforts they ions. For proof, try a free sample bot-tle. Regular size 50 cents and \$1.00.

> JUST AS GOOD. Many unscrupulous dealers may tell you they have remedies for Coughs and Colds equal in merit and in every respect just as good as the old reliable Dr. Bo sanko Cough and Lung Syrup, unles you insist upon this remedy and will take no other, you are liable to be greatly deceived. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Sold by J. Q. Look.

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NOTICE OF COMMISSIONERS ON CLAIMS.

State of Michigan, County of Kent, as. Probate Court for said County.

Estate of Smith Bailey, deceased,
The undersigned having been appointed by
the Hon. Judge of Probate of said
county, Commissioners on Claims in the matter
of said estate, and six months from the 2d day
of July A. D. 1884, having been allowed by
said Judge of Probate to all persons having
claims against said Estate, in which to present
their claims to us for examination and adjustment.

Notice is Hereby Given. That we will meet on
Friday the 15th day of August A D 1884, and
on Monday the 5th day of January, A. D. 1885, at
ten o'clock A.M., of each day, at the office of
S. P. Hicks, in the village of Lowell in said
county, to receive and examine such claims.

Dated, July 9th, A. D. 1884.

SYLVESTER P. HICKS, 1. Commissioners.

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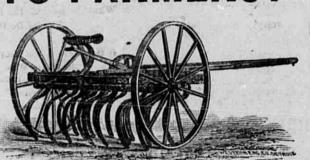
Old Berkshire Mills,

Mr. Peter Lawler has been a resident of this town for the past 17 years, and in our employ for the past fifteen, and in all those years he has been a good and resflected citizen of the town and community. He has had some chronic disease to custom be and is, in apparent good health.

CHAS BROWN, President.

Dr. Kennedy—Dear Friend: Thinking you

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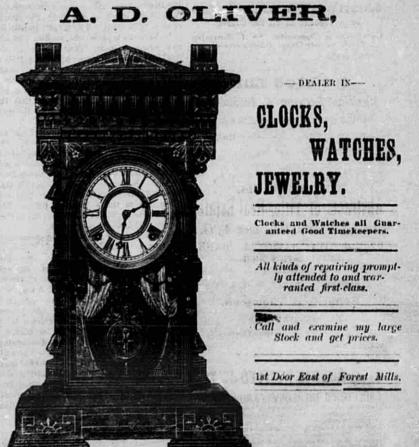
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