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Local and Miscellaneous.

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To Teachers.

The examination of teachers at Perry, on Oct. 22, 1881, will be held at the new school building.

The examination at Corunna on Oct. 28, 1881, will be held at the Court room. Examination to begin promptly at nine o'clock.

G. R. BRANDT, Secretary.

The Owosso Postoffice.

The following is the amount of business done at the Owosso Postoffice for the quarter ending Sept 30, 1881:

Rec'd from the sale of stamps, stamped envelopes, and postal cards	$1215 84
Box rent	87 00
Miscellaneous matter	57
Money orders issued	4488 00
" " paid	5518 00
	$11309.41

L. A. HAMBLIN, P. M.

A Communication.

LAINGSBURG, Oct. 10, 1881

EDITORS OWOSSO PRESS:

As a fitting finale to the catastrophe of fire in the burned district the following telegram was received last week from a firm in Rochester, N. Y., sent to Osburn & Sons notifying them of a filled order for a suit of clothes for me:

"OSBURN & SONS, Owosso—

Sirs:—Your order for double cloth telescope, steam jacket and brass buttoned horse blanket (imported goods) has been filled and sent this a. m. pr Am. Exp. The object glasses for the telescope, should be about the size of a platter and the lens something near the shape of a county fair ticket, with a sliding attachment.

The steam jacket is copper lined and warranted never to sip, ravel, get greasy or wear out. If the horse is a cribber, get the buttons over on the blanket so as to pinch the neck. Thankful for past favors and hoping for further orders, we remain

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Bennington Notes.

BENNINGTON, Oct. 11, 1881.

How may we better get a glimpse of man's nobler nature than by watching the tender hearted head of the household as his auditories emerge from 'tween the sheets at about 7 a. m., to catch the musical tinkle of the kitchen stove in which his better half is starting the morning fire. His soul is filled with peace and contentment as he contemplates the gilt framed motto "What is home without a mother?"—and then he gives a ten by twelve snore just to show the old lady that he is asleep yet.

All substantial citizens are getting out their winter clothing, while the numerous unsubstantial ones are halting between two opinions—whether to go north and take the chances of sharing with fire sufferers, or go south where a linen duster and a paper collar might carry them through. Being only a humble member, your correspondent awaits the decision of the crowd.

John Walsh has his new store nearly completed and will move in soon. Henry Williams has made many improvements upon his house and now it looks as good as new. Mr. O'Neil's new house is nearly completed and it will be a neat and pleasant place.

Dr. W. C. Hume and family have moved to Corunna. Harl Howe now occupies the house vacated by Dr. H.

Mr. Geo. Rowell and family have removed from Bennington, Mr. R. having taken charge of the homestead farm of his father-in-law Hon. I. Gale, whither they removed yesterday. We are sorry to lose them as they have always been the kindest neighbors, and of the most active and helpful of our best society. Mr. E. Reed still remains in charge of Mr. Rowell's farm here.

Our new minister, Rev. Mr. Austin, is busily engaged in becoming settled at the parsonage. He has occupied the pulpit for two Sabbaths past, and we believe that he and his family will receive a cordial welcome to our midst.

The Johnson brothers, Warren and Myron, are prospecting in Isabella Co., this week.

Davis Dutcher started on a hunting expedition to the north woods last week, and yesterday Harl Howe with a company from Laingsburg went up toward St. Charles, armed with guns, fish hooks and plenty of rations. They do say that game is so cheap up there that for half a dollar a fellow can buy enough to make a good showing when he gets home. We'll wait and see.

Mart Stiff has gone to Lapeer to visit his brother who is quite ill.

"Uncle" Beebe who has been dangerously ill, is now on the gain and will be out in a few days we hope. "——"

Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported Expressly for THE PRESS.]

BENNINGTON

Jacob Defreeze and wife to Albert L. Crandle 1 acre from sw¼ sec 36, $200.

BANCROFT.

N. G. Philips and wife to Wm. R. Sutton, lot 9 block 9, $100.

FAIRFIELD.

Margaret Hoisington to George W. Dunham, w½ of sw¼ of se ¼ sec 9, $200.

VILLAGE OF LOTHROP

C. K. Runnells and wife to Flora A Barker, s½ lot 10 block 11, $50.

MORRICE

Isaac Gale and wife to Joseph A Litchfield, lot 15 block 4, $40.

Isaac Gale and wife to Harvey A Howard, lot 3 block 5, $75.

NEW HAVEN.

Richard G Mathews to August & Ferdinand Defrenn, nw¼ of nw¼ sec 32 $1,000.

OWOSSO CITY

G R Lyon and others to Samuel Lamfrom, lot 1 block A, C L Goodhue's sub-division, out lot 2, $1,200.

Wm L Payne to Sylvester Dean, lot 13 block C, C L Goodhue's sub-division, out-lot 2, $500.

PERRY VILLAGE.

Charles F Ackley and wife to Charles H Calkins, lots 1 & 2, block 2, $1,

Frank R Reamer and wife to Charles H Calkins lot 2 block 8, C H Calkins' add. $100

Brayton C Spalding and wife to Cha's H Calkins, lot 21 block 3, $250.

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Philip Foess and wife to Fred'k Danckert, n½ of nw¼, sec 9, $2,200.

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A [illegible] Stiff in [illegible] Detective, [illegible] Fellowship, [illegible] Chicago.

Meeting of the Doctors.

The Shiawassee County Medicial Society held its regular quarterly meeting October 6, at the Red Ribbon Club Parlors in this city. The President, Dr. Osborn, called the meeting to order and made some remarks concerning the death of Dr. L. M. Goodrich and the action taken by the society in reference thereto at its special meeting held in Corunna, August 2. He then appointed Dr. W. C. Hume as secretary pro tem, and proceeded with the general business of the meeting. The following applications for membership were received and referred to a committee consisting of Drs. Perkins, Ward and Armstrong, viz: Drs. S. Chapin of Perry, A. M. Hume of Bennington, B. C. Sickles of Bancroft and A. J. Barber of West Haven. The committee reported favorably upon all the applications excepting that of Dr. Barber; he being a stranger, and furnishing no evidence of his qualifications to practice medicine, the committee desired further time in order to enable him to furnish such evidence, or submit to a medical examination. The other applicants were balloted for and duly elected to membership. Under the head of correspondence, letters from Prof's. Shurley, Carstens and Carrier of Detroit, were reported, expressing regret at their inability to be present and their best wishes for the prosperity of the society. The following correspondence was next read:

To the Officers and Members of the Shiawassee County Medical Society:—

GENTLEMEN:—In behalf of the many who are interested in the question of the use of alcoholic remedies, and in view of the importance which is accorded to the opinions of the medical profession; and in view also, of the fact that many eminent physicians in our own land have taken strong grounds based on scientific principles against its use, while others, as strongly affirm its necessity, we, a committee from the W. C. T. U. of Shiawassee county respectfully ask you to make the question of its use as a medicine the subject for your next regular meeting, and that the public be allowed to listen to its discussion. The *truth* is what we are seeking, and we believe most earnestly, that there is no subject pertaining to medical science of greater importance to the community, to the profession and to the world, than this one.

Signed, MRS. DR. ARMSTRONG.
MRS. J. SHOUT.
MRS. A. H. PARKILL.

On motion the request of the ladies was acceded to, and Dr. Ward appointed to prepare the paper.

Dr. Parkill then read a voluntary paper, which might very properly be entitled Medical Ethics. His object was to show that there should be more harmony and fraternity among all schools, and all practitioners of medicine; less arrogance and self-sufficiency, a wider charity and toleration, irrespective of name or creed—that the same broad liberalism which to-day characterizes the moral and religious world, should also characterize the learned medical profession. He assumed that medicine was not an exact science, and consequently no system of medicine was infallible; that the regular profession should therefore be more charitable in their criticism of the mistakes and failings of those who had wandered into the *pathies* and practiced under other names; that he was the best doctor who gathered pearls from all fields of knowledge and quietly and conscientiously did his duty. Such a paper of course could not fail to provoke criticism, and a lively, sharp discussion followed, in which nearly all took a part.

Dr. Ward claimed that there was but *one* science of medicine; that in the study of anatomy, physiology, surgery, obstetrics, gynecology, in fact all branches pertaining to the profession with the exception of therapeutics there was, and could be, no difference. In regard to therapeutics, a certain set of men calling themselves Homœopaths, claimed to administer medicines in infinitessimal doses and according to an *infallible* law. They claim to doctor symptoms only, discarding totally the lessons drawn from pathology and morbid anatomy, and ignoring the fundamental principles deduced from an intimate and accurate knowledge of those subjects, upon which the whole science of medicine is founded. This class have no eminent men among them, either as authors, inventors, originators, or discoverers. They cannot point to a single man among them, who has distinguished himself in any of these respects or who has added anything to the common stock of knowledge in any of the branches pertaining to medical science. As we find them about us they are uneducated professionally, and unscrupulous morally, depending upon public credulity, and the love of mystery to maintain a business, and obtain a livelihood. As fast as they acquire knowledge by experience and observation they discard their *infallible law*, their high dilutions and triturations as all bosh, and administer their remedies just as we do, as nearly as they know, practicing regularly, all but in *name*. They are consequently pretenders, acting a double part, practicing every day of their existence a living lie. For these reasons he could not, and would not affiliate with them, nor recognize them professionally. Of course years of experience and observation together with medical literature had taught them much, and in consequence *some* of them are judicious practitioners, but why not, like honest men own up that they are practicing rational medicine, and not still practice homœopathy?

Dr. Bruce had some time ago made up his mind that he never would again share professional responsibility with irregular practitioners, his past experience being that he had invariably suffered by it. They would resort to any trick to gain a business, and always misrepresented everybody who came into competition with them. Their habits of dishonesty in other matters were no doubt engendered by their continually pretending to practice by methods which they never used.

Dr. Chapin had come to the conclusion, from his experience with these medical pretenders "out west" that an attempt at harmonious affiliation was an absurdity—an impossibility—you could no more accomplish it than you could mix oil and water; the only way for the physician was to ignore all such and quietly attend to his own business.

Dr. Perkins said that if physicians would manifest less of the spirit of direct antagonism and scornful criticism, this class of practitioners would soon die out. They thrived on persecution. Regular physicians had a great deal better devote the time so spent in earnest, careful cultivation of their own minds, so fitting and preparing themselves for their professional work as to compel the public to acknowledge their superiority. This course would do much more towards suppressing the evils of quackery than the air of self-sufficiency some assumed. There was much in the practice of medicine and especially the application of therapeutic principles, which should teach us humility. None of us know enough. The practice of medicine to-day was in many respects altogether different from what it was when he began business, and those who follow us will no doubt make as great a change from what we are now doing.

Dr. McCormick thought that the assertion by the author of the paper was incorrect; what science can show more wonderful exactness than the principles of human anatomy, the laws of physiology, of chemistry and electricity? And is it not a knowledge of these laws that governs us in our operative procedures, in the combination of our remedies and the application of them to disease? The last speaker remarked that the practice of medicine had greatly changed. Of course it had, and why? Because the science of medicine like all others was a progressive science. Take the wonderful advancement made in physiology, chemistry and electricity, the instruments of precision brought to our aid in diagnosis and treatment, together with the discoveries made in the botanical world, and it has almost revolutionized the whole science of medicine. And if we who have spent many of the best years of our life in hard, earnest study in the best schools in America, striving by such training to fit ourselves to assume the responsibilities of our profession, if we, too often sadly fail, how can he who has never had such a training, who has never devoted any time to acquiring such knowledge possibly succeed? Michigan is full of such pretenders; some have gone out from our own city, without any preliminary training whatever, assumed the role of doctor, and are to-day imposing upon the people. The paper just read consoled a broad liberalism in these matters. He thought it a very questionable liberalism to smoothly cover up such imposture and wrong doing. In the moral and religious world it was not the careful, quiet tactition, whose name shone as the bright star on history's page, but the man with fire and energy in his soul, who upheld the right and condemned the wrong; such men as Luther, Knox and Wesley, who revolutionized society and placed it upon a firmer and better basis; and the physician who exposes and condemns the professional pretender, and saves the people from his ravages should be regarded as a public benefactor.

In the absence of Dr. Holly the discussion on the subject of diphtheria was opened by Dr. Campbell. He believed it be a contagious and infectious disease; primarily a local but secondarily a systemic affection. He entered elaborately into its etiology and pathology and then outlined his method of treatment. The subject was taken up and freely and very thoroughly discussed by the society, the discussion turning principally upon the differential diagnosis and the treatment. Drs. Campbell and Perkins each narrated the history of an obscure case which occurred in their practice and asked the society to make a diagnosis. On motion the society adjourned to meet again in January, 1872. K.

Death of Dr. J. G. Holland.

Dr. J. G. Holland, the author, and editor of Scribner's Monthly, died suddenly of heart disease at his residence, in New York, at 6 o'clock on Wednesday morning of last week. He was apparently in perfect health the previous day, and spent the day at the publication office preparing "Topics of the Times" for the December number. He awoke at 5 in the morning and spoke to his wife about rising. A moment later he began breathing heavily, and before any one could be summoned was dead.

Dr. Josiah Gilbert Holland was born at Belchertown, Mass., July 24, 1819. He graduated at Berkshire medical college, Pittsfield, and practiced medicine three years. For some time he was an editor at Springfield, Mass., and for one year was superintendent of schools at Vicksburg, Miss. In 1849 he became associate editor of the Springfield Republican, a position he held 17 years. His first appearance as an author was in 1855, when he published a "History of Western Massachusetts" in two volumes, and his first novel, "The Boy Path," was given to the public in 1857. From this time to his death he was a prolific writer, his works following each other in rapid succession and including essays, stories, poems, biographies and nearly all classes of literature. For some years he published under the name of "Timothy Titcomb," a nom de plume by which he is even now more widely known than by his real name. In 1870 he became the editor of Scribner's Monthly and to his skillful management and valuable contributions the remarkable success of that magazine is largely due. The aggregate sale of his books is believed to exceed the circulation of the writings of any other American author, amounting to over 500,000 copies. A revision and reissue of the whole series has just been announced. Beside his literary gifts Dr. Holland was a man of rare social and moral qualities, and his influence, especially over the young, was far reaching. He leaves a widow, two young daughters, and a son. He had been suffering from heart disease for six years.

The Stalwarts Cry a Halt on President Arthur.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The President has so far appointed without question all persons recommended by the Garfield cabinet, and he has now in hand over 100 names selected in the same way. He has not examined the credentials or recommendations of a single one of them. The stalwarts think this has gone far enough, and an attempt is to be made at once to induce the President to give scrutiny to those not sent in. Among them are some very prominent anti-Grant men whose intemperate expressions against Conkling and Arthur subsequent to Garfield's wounding are now to be placed before the President. Gen. Garfield made several appointments in this district and had selected the men for several more who are particularly obnoxious to the stalwarts. Among those who would have been appointed had Garfield lived is Sayles J. Bowen as commissioner of the district. He was once Mayor of Washington, and is not favorably remembered in that connection. He was a Blaine delegate to Chicago. It is certain that large taxpayers, fearing that sentimental considerations may lead President Arthur to carry out President Garfield's intention in this case, have sent strong protests against it.

The politicians are watching the fate of Ramsdell, appointed to succeed Webster, who was appointed by Grant 12 years ago. His summary removal greatly incensed Grant. Ramsdell, as correspondent of the Philadelphia Times, was very abusive of Grant, Conkling and Arthur. It is said to-night that President Arthur postively decided to send in all the names appointed by President Garfield, and this one notwithstanding Grant and Conkling's special request otherwise.

The Republicans carried the Ohio and Iowa elections, last week. There was but little interest throughout the country in the elections. Gov. Foster is re-elected in Ohio by about 15,000 majority. The state last fall gave Garfield 25,000 majority.

The Fenian dynamite plot has been thoroughly unraveled by the secret-service bureau of the United States. It is said to be true that the scheme was organized to cheat the British government out of the rewards to be offered. Peter H. Foye, a saloon-keeper of Philadelphia, caused the manufacture of the infernal machines and turned them over to O'Donovan Rossa. Foye then began negotiations with the British consul at New York, and received $10,000 for information leading to the discovery made on the docks at Liverpool. He some weeks ago fled from the United States detectives in Philadelphia, and no one knows his whereabouts.

David Davis Made President Pro Tem of the Senate.

On Thursday the Republicans in the Senate carried out their plan of ousting Bayard, President pro tem., by electing Senator David Davis of Illinois to that position. The resolution was offered by Logan, of Illinois; Senator Pendleton, democrat from Illinois, asked that the resolution lie over one day under the rules, and it was so ordered, but when the Senate again met, in the afternoon, he stated that on reflection and consultation with Senators on his side of the chamber he had concluded to withdraw his objection.

Mr. Jones (Dem., Fla.,) opposed the adoption of the resolution in a brief speech, taking the ground that the tenure of office of the president pro tem. is during the absence of the Vice President of the United States.

A vote was then taken on Mr. Logan's resolution, resulting in its adoption—yeas 36, nays 34—Bayard and Davis Ill., not voting.

Mr. Bayard, when his name was called, said: "I propose to withhold my vote. I have never obtained office by my vote, and I shall never retain it by my vote, and I am glad the question is taken up to-day."

Mr. Davis of Illinois was then escorted to the chair by Messrs. Bayard and Anthony. On taking the chair Mr. Davis said: "Senators, the honor just conferred upon me comes as does the seat which I now occupy in this body, without any expectation on my part. If it carried any obligations I should be constrained to decline this high compliment. I do not accept it as a tribute to any personal merit, but rather as a recognition of the independent position which I have long occupied in the politics of the country. I am profoundly grateful for this mark of confidence, and it shall be my endeavor as it will be my duty to administer the trust with impartiality and with entire fairness."

Some democratic senators think that Mr. Pendleton's action in withdrawing his motion to let the resolution electing Mr. Davis lie over was unwise. Had it been deferred Mr. Bayard would have had an opportunity to fill the vacancies on the committees. With Mr. Davis the Republicans can take the entire organization of the senate and some of them are in favor of electing Republicans to fill all the offices.

There was apparent disappointment among Democratic senators at Senator Davis's election. They generally believed up to the last moment that he would not accept. Some of them criticise him severely, saying that he has abandoned his much boasted independent position.

A Washington special to the Detroit Free Press says:

WASHINGTON, October 13.—Why the Senator from Illinois should have yielded to the temptation put in his way by the Republicans is a question which puzzles even some of his best friends. It is not forgotten that when the Senate was evenly divided last spring, and when his own vote made it necessary for Vice-President Arthur to break the tie and elect the standing committees, Judge Davis voted with the Democrats and gave the following reasons for his vote: "An honorable recognition of the trust, generously confided to my keeping by the Democratic voters in 1877, requires me to sustain the existing organization of the Senate, for which I disclaim all responsibility." He was not responsible for the election of Bayard, yet to day allowed himself to be used to break up the existing organization, and was "faithless to the trust generously confided to his keeping by the Democratic voters in 1877." Furthermore, when the Democrats put him at the head of the Judiciary Committee last March, Judge Davis in open Senate declined the position, and before voting for the Democratic list of committees said, in giving his vote: "It is proper for me to say, whatever may be the result, that I can accept no honor at the hands of either side." To-day he not only voted for the Republican committees, but accepted the Presidency of the Senate from the hands of the Republicans. Moreover, he was the central figure in a proceeding the first of its kind in the history of the government, viz: the removal of a President pro tem. by a vote of the Senate.

Great Excitement in Ireland—Parnell Arrested.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Charles Stewart Parnell, the Irish agitator, was arrested this morning by order of the government, under the coercion act. The news of his arrest has almost stirred up a revolution in Ireland.

The arrest was accomplished by the government officers at the Kingsbridge railway station, Ireland. The agitator at the time was on the train going to attend the county Kildare convention, where he had been advertised to deliver an address on the land act, and where an immense concourse of Irish people was to be assembled to receive him. It was well known that the character of the speech to be delivered by Mr. Parnell would be violent in the highest degree, and that his party managers had made every effort to have assembled at the convention an audience that would be in perfect sympathy with his utterances. It was because of the fear of the results that the government was appealed to by the loyalists to apply the coercion act to Parnell, and that the government consented to the application. It was intended to have the arrest made quietly, but the news of Parnell's advent to Kildare had been so well advertised by the land league that a crowd of sympathizers were posted along the entire route, and at the railway station were assembled great throngs. The number of people at the Kingsbridge station was great, and Mr. Parnell was practically in the midst of an ovation when the government officers boarded the train. The officers had not apparently anticipated the presence of such a throng, and being few hesitated to make the arrest, fearing a riot would ensue; but they had no option in the matter, as the order was peremptory to make arrest at that station. The populace at the station had not suspected the real reason for the presence of soldiery, and supposed they were there merely to preserve order. When the officers boarded the train there was no movement amoung the people indicating that they understood the situation of affairs. It was not until Mr. Parnell was actually under arrest the truth dawned upon the assembly, and then a scene of the wildest disorder followed.

Parnell was taken to Kilmainham, the prison which was prepared especially for prisoners' arrests under the coercion act, and in which both Mr. Dillon and Father Sheehy languished. He offered no resistance, and was so surprised when the officers presented the warrant to him as to be for a moment speechless and powerless. The people at Kingsbridge station, when they saw the Irish leader a prisoner in the hands of the soldiery, were indignant and disposed to at once crush the officers to death, but the power of the government appeared so instantaneously in the presence on the ground of a large armed force of soldiery who had escaped notice before, that a sort of dreamy terror came over the people. They fell back for a moment subdued, and Parnell was removed without trouble.

The news of the arrest spread all over Ireland with the rapidity of lightning, and everywhere that it went the populace turned out to find the British armed and on duty ahead of them. The power of the English government and the utter helpless condition of the Irish people in any scheme of common resistance were never more terribly contrasted than in the secrecy, the suddenness and the complete success of this arrest and the dazed helplessness with which the Irish populace were compelled to learn of it in the presence of an armed force that seemed in a moment to have swarmed all over the country and taken complete possession.

The warrant on which Parnell was arrested charges him with inciting Irish tenants to repudiate past obligations and to refrain from applying to the legally constituted land commission to fix fair rents.

Immediately after Parnell's arrest an impromptu meeting was held at Morrison's hotel, Dublin, presided over by John Dillon, who denounced in strong terms the action of the government amid the applause of the crowd.

THE NEWS.

HOME NEWS.

Gov. Wiltz, of Louisiana, is at the point of death.

Mrs. Carmichael, of Caldwell, Mich., who was charged with murdering her husband, hanged herself in jail.

A cotton plant four feet high, with bolls fully matured, is growing in a garden at Paducah, Wis.

President Arthur has appointed Oliver Clarke first deputy commissioner of pensions.

A mob at Las Lunas, New Mexico, took from jail and lynched three Mexicans who murdered Jesse Little.

The grand jury at Washington presented an indictment of eleven counts against Guiteau.

A day, the Indian who killed Captain Hartley in Arizona, has been arrested and has confessed to the crime.

Miss Sarah Hanch, prominent in social circles at Little Rock, has embraced the Jew's faith.

The failure of one hundred Canadian fishermen is reported to be a serious condition in Antigonish, Canada.

John McHale, ex-Chief of Police at Quincy, Ill., died from a wound received by Thomas Johnson in the alley Saturday noon.

The treasury department reports that there have been but few months in the last twenty-five in which the available cash balance has fallen so low as at present.

Hon. A. S. Hewitt, mayor elect of New York, for a few weeks in Europe, and Samuel Tilden and Charles Dudley Warner are fellow passengers.

Guiteau has made a written appeal to President Arthur for a hearing, upon which will be duly presented by Counsel Scoville.

All the railways centering at Cleveland run special trains on Friday, Saturday, the 28th and Sunday, the 29th, for the benefit of President Garfield.

Adam Grafton, a farmer residing near Bridgeport, Conn., was found guilty of murdering his wife and sentenced to be hanged for the murder.

In a game of poker at Lawrence, Kan., for 25 cent, Henry Brown was totally stabbed by his brother Frank, who is now in jail awaiting the result of his victim's wounds.

Hendrick Ramin has accepted the mission to Spain, to which post he was appointed by President Garfield on the morning of the assassination.

Secretary Windom announces that on and after Monday next he will redeem $5,000,000 of bonds embraced in the 105th call, with interest to date of payment.

Dr. John Buchanan, of Philadelphia, has been fined $1,000 and sentenced to a year's imprisonment for issuing bogus medical diplomas.

A new trouble among the Indians in Arizona arose from the murder of a White Mountain scout by the Coyotero Apaches, and a war is feared.

The resignation of Secretary Windom has been accepted, and Senator Edgerton, of Minnesota, has withdrawn from the contest before the legislature in that state.

The president of a national bank in South Carolina reports to Treasurer Gilfillan that the people of that region refuse to take silver certificates as current money.

The will of the late Mrs. Jennie McGraw Fiske, of Ithaca, N. Y., gives her husband $3,000,000, her mother and five cousins each $100,000, and Cornell university $250,000 and the McGraw building.

A publishing house in Hartford is urging Secretary Blaine to write a life of President Garfield, but he declines, his month allowed him a space altogether insufficient for the labor.

Commissioner Raum has decided that taxes must be paid on the capital and deposits of every person or firm doing a business in stocks, bullion, exchange or promissory notes.

The manager of the Panama canal states that twelve hundred men are employed in excavations, and that a quarter of a million dollars has already been expended.

The Lion Mountain trained bears, Cox, Stephens, and Delaney, pleaded guilty in the Homestead circuit court in Arkansas, and was sentenced to seventy years each in the penitentiary.

Mrs. Nathan Hirsch, a venerable Jewess of Indianapolis, fearing that her husband was becoming blind, attempted self destruction by swallowing two ounces of Fowler's solution of arsenic.

In a gambling-house at Eagle Pass, Tex., where George Hauner had lost his stake, he quietly returned at a late hour and murdered the two winners, whom he found asleep on the table.

The attendance at the semi-annual conference of the Mormon church at Salt Lake numbered 15,000, including delegates from Arizona, Idaho, Wyoming and Nevada.

A fire, originating in the outside corn bins, destroyed the Indianapolis hominy mills, valued at $30,000. They were previously burned to the ground in June last and had just been rebuilt.

The customs receipts at Vera Cruz for September were in excess of $1,000,000. The Mexican treasury has a surplus of $1,200,000 after deducting all sums due on railway subventions.

Mrs. Christiancy testified Saturday that on two occasions her husband knocked her down, and once in Peru pushed her out of the house and closed the door against her.

In a case in which the street railways of Chicago seek to escape the payment of a license fee of $50 per car, Judge Drummond gave the city a judgment for arrears, which are estimated at $250,000.

The Garfield monument committee of Cleveland has requested the governor of each state and territory to act as general manager for his district in securing contributions. The public have thus far sent in about $8,000.

Henry Clews, the New York ban

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The Michigan delegation en route to the Yorktown celebration were in Washington Monday. They were presented to the President, and received other attentions. The troops marched down Pennsylvania avenue and were reviewed by the Governor.

To-day is the great day at Yorktown, the centennial anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis. The corner stone of the monument was laid yesterday.

It looks as if President Arthur is going to clean out the star route thieves. He has requested the resignation of Assistant Postmaster General Tyner—just what Postmaster General James tried to bring about last July.

There will probably be no change in the Cabinet until the regular session of Congress.

Gitean's counsel wants time to bring on witnesses to prove Gitean's insanity, and wants the government to meet the expense.

The Mississippi River is rising over its banks, and great alarm prevails at Dubuque, Keokuk, Burlington, etc.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The regular session of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Shiwassee, commenced on Monday, Oct. 10, 1881, at the Court House in Corunna.

The Board was called to order by the Chairman, N. Ball, and the roll was called by the Clerk, F. E. Welch. The townships, districts and wards were represented as follows:

Antrim,.....John Q A Cook
Bennington,.....Lemuel C Cooper
Burns,.....Jabez Close
Caledonia,.....J W Sanders
Fairfield,.....Roe G. Van Dusen
Hazelton,.....John M Fitch
Middlebury,.....Lester J Kinney
New Haven,.....Nathaniel Ball
Owosso,.....E W Mason
Perry,.....Charles T Wing
Rush,.....Alfred B Crane
Sciota,.....Charles H. Frain
Shiawassee,.....J. H. Hartwell
Venice,.....Marcus M. Byington
Vernon,.....John J Patchell
Woodhull,.....Richard F Kay
Corunna city, 1st ward,...F. M. Kilbourn
Corunna city, 2d ward...Lewis H. Wilcox
Corunna city, 3d ward,....W. R. Chapell
Owosso city, 1st dist.....Thos. J Horsman
Owosso city, 2d dist.....Chas A Baldwin
Owosso city at large.....Stearns F. Smith

A vacancy having occurred in the Committee on Printing and on Rejected Taxes by the resignation of Supervisor C. D. Searl, of the township of Fairfield, and Roe G. Van Dusen having been appointed to serve in his stead the chair appointed Roe G. Van Dusen a member of the aforesaid committees to serve in the place of C. D. Searl.

The chair presented to the Board the report of the County Treasurer, which was referred to the committee on settlement with the County Treasurer.

The Clerk presented the notice from the Auditor General of the amount of taxes apportioned to Shiawassee county which was referred to committee on Finance.

Supv. Chapell submitted the following report from the committee on

PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS.

Total amount of orders drawn by committee from the 13th day of June, A. D. 1881, to the 10th day of October, A. D. 1881, twelve and 60-100 dollars, as follows, viz:

1881, Aug. 23, To paid S. D. Wiley & Co. for lumber used in repairing cistern	$ 4 04	
Sept. 23, To paid F. A. Millard for 1 2-4 days' work and lumber used on barn	2 56	
Oct. 9, To paid Floyd Burnett for plastering in court house	5 00	
Oct. 10, Balance in hands of county Treas. to credit committee Pub. Buildings and Grounds	14 27	
		$26 87
Balance, June 13, A. D. 1881	$26 87	
	$26 87	$26 87

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. R. CHAPELL,
L. H. WILCOX,
J. W. SANDERS,
Committee.

Report accepted and adopted:
Adjourned till to-morrow morning.

TUESDAY MORNING, Oct 11.

Present: Supv's. Ball, Baldwin, Byington, Cook, Cooper, Close, Crane, Chapell, Fitch, Frain, Hartwell, Horsman, Kay, Kinney, Kilbourn, Mason, Patchel, Smith, Sanders, Van Dusen, Wing and Wilcox.

The election of a Supt. of the Poor in place of Supt. Chipman, whose term expires, was made the special order for 1 o'clock, p. m., the election of a County Drain Commissioner to follow said election.

The following, submitted by the Supts. of the Poor, exhibits a statement for the year closing Sept. 30, 1881, of

EXPENDITURES IN SUPPORT OF THE POOR.

Total amount of orders drawn on poor fund during the year.....$5,872 56

Which sum has been expended as follows:

Salary to keeper	$1,000 00
Paid for clothing	226 40
Paid for food	218 26
Paid for medical attendance	270 19
Paid for funeral expenses	21 00
Paid for transportation to poor house	83 25
Paid for furniture	4 00
Paid for other necessary expenses	122 53
Paid for stock	11 00
Paid for hay, grain and seed	16 00
Paid for labor hire on farm	11 20
Paid for board out of house	317 01
Paid for expenses of insane at Pontiac	830 36
Paid for expenses at blind asylum, Lansing	12 37
Paid for Supervisors' services	85 50
Paid for temporary relief	2,718 29
	$5,872 56 $5,872 56

The amount reported above as expended in temporary relief, has been distributed as follows:

Antrim	$ 28 07
Burns	50 80
Bennington	20 41
Caledonia	217 26
Corunna, 1st ward	195 26
Corunna, 2d ward	198 15
Corunna, 3d ward	295 05
Fairfield	41 00
Hazelton	12 00
Middlebury	81 00
New Haven	314 18
Owosso	41 00
Owosso, 1st district	207 72
Owosso 2d district	267 18
Perry	12 20
Rush	20 45
Sciota	140 00
Shiawassee	160 00
Vernon	267 00
Venice	84 00
Woodhull	10 00
	$2,718 29

Total number of persons relieved at the county house 26
Average 20
No. of paupers at present at the county house 22
No. of persons temporarily relieved 216

PRODUCE OF THE FARM.

Garden vegetables, estimated value	$ 50 00
No. bushels of wheat 135, $1.10 per bu	148 50
No. bushels of potatoes 300, 40c per bu	120 00
No. tons of hay 12, $9 per ton	108 00
No. bushels of beans 4, $1.50 per bu	6 00
No. bushels of corn 500, 40c per bu	200 00
No. lbs. of butter 300, 18c per lb	54 00
No. lbs. of lard 100, 8c per lb	8 00
No. lbs. of dried apples 100	6 00
No. of chickens 200	100 00
No. bushels of oats 50, 40c per bu	20 00
Cow milk	15 00
	$934 00
Value of products sold	200 00
Value of products used has been consumed on the farm	$734 00

[illegible]

The report was made the special order for 2 o'clock, p. m.

Supv. Wing offered a resolution which was adopted, that a legal opinion be obtained of the Prosecuting Attorney as to the liability of the relatives of an indigent insane person confined in the Pontiac asylum, by order of the Probate Court, to pay the expenses at such asylum, and as to the proper proceeding to be instituted to collect such expenses of such relatives, if they be liable to pay the same, and that such committee report such opinion to this Board.

Adjourned until 10 o'clock, p. m.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, Oct. 11.

Present: Supvs. Ball, Baldwin, Byington, Cooper, Close, Crane, Fitch, Frain, Hartwell, Horsman, Kay, Kinney, Mason, Patchel, Van Dusen and Wing.

Under the special order of business Supv. Horsman moved that A. B. Chipman be elected Superintendent of the Poor. The motion was carried unanimously and Mr. Chipman was declared elected for three years.

Supv. Van Dusen moved that the Board proceed to elect a County Drain Commissioner. Supv. Smith moved to amend by laying the matter on the table. The amendment was lost, the original motion was put and lost, and a motion by Supv. Smith that the matter be made the special order for 2 o'clock p. m., to-morrow was also lost. Then a motion by Supv. Smith that it be made the special order for 9 o'clock, a. m., to-morrow was lost by the following yea and nay vote:

Yeas—Ball, Baldwin, Close, Chapell, Frain, Horsman, Kilbourn and Smith; total 8.

Nays—Crane, Fitch, Hartwell, Kay, Kinney, Mason, Patchel, Sanders, Van Dusen and Wing; total 13.

Supervisor Fitch moved that the matter be postponed until the January session, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Supv. Fitch the report of the Supts. of the Poor was adopted, yeas 16, nays none.

Supv. Hartwell submitted the following report recommending the allowance of the accounts, from the Committee on JUSTICES' CONSTABLES' AND CORONERS' CLAIMS.

	Claimed	as Allowed.
George Southwill, witness	$	67
Orin Southwill, "	"	67
Jenny M. Main, "	"	88
Mariah Flayer, "	"	77
Willie Hambleton, "	"	47
R. A. Patton, Marshal of city of Corunna in case of the People vs. Justice Artel		2.00
R. A. Patton, Marshal of city of Corunna, in case of the People vs. Nelson Thomas		1.70
B. F. Taylor, justice, claimed, $9.35		80.39
J. B. Curtis, " claimed 4.25		2 25
C. M. McCormick, to making Post Mortem Examination and 25 miles travel		30.00
B. S. Retan, constable		4.85
Thomas Wiians, jurer		00
John Davis, "		80
Lafayette Sherman, "		50
James H. Harris, "		50
H. B. McLaughlin, "		50
Peter Pachel, "		50
B. S. Retan, constable		3.10
" " "		10.40
John Hopkins, justice		19.25
Alber Van Brunt, witness		2.20
Anson Wright, "		2.80
H. P. Dodge, justice, claimed $20.00		14.00
Martin Smith, witness		1.05
C. M. McCormick, M. D., witness medical, claimed $10.00		4.00
Philip Thomas, jurer (justice court)		1.00
Samuel Bush, "		1.00
Lawrence Johnson, witness		1.05
Putnam Burton, "		1.05
Fred Brown, "		1.05
Dewitt Burton, "		1.20
Adelbert Cole, "		1.10
Peter Johnson, "		1.10
Franklin Cole, "		1.10
James Brown, "		1.10
Catherina Brown, "		1.10
T. J. Horsman, jurer		63
Randall Campbell, "		63
H. C. Gates, "		63
Chas. Mathews, "		63
Silas Mathews, "		63
George Bedford, "		63
L. H. Esty, "		1.00
Asa Sweet, "		1.00
E. W. Biggs, "		1.00
Wilson Shirts, "		1.00
Richard Dutton, "		1.00
George Smith, "		1.00
Frank Hunt, witness		1.35
H. S. Bogbee, "		1.15
Chas. Bogbee, "		1.15
Helen Jabes, "		1.15
Harrison Jabes, "		1.15
Error of the January session of 1881, allowing but ½ day when entitled to one day:		
Marvin Burch, coroner's jury		75
S. P. Conkling, " "		75
Harry McDowal, " "		75
W. Smith, " "		75
J. W. Clark, " "		75
John Shontz, " "		75

J. H. HARTWELL,
J. M. FITCH,
L. J. KINNEY,
Committee.

Report adopted, yeas 16, nays 0.

Supv. Frain submitted the following report, recommending the allowance of the accounts, from the committee on

CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS.

	Allowed as claimed
John Goodwin attendance at Circuit Court	$ 3 90
Alfred B. Crane, attendance at state board equalization	16 50
John D. Evens, services as under sheriff	22 50
Elihu Mason, services rendered on state drain	18 75
Elihu Mason, services rendered on state drain	21 00
Ezra Mason, services rendered on state drain	14 00
Geo. W. Owen, printing	66 05
Geo. W. Owen, printing	17 40
Geo. W. Owen, printing	11 00
Geo. W. Owen, printing	3 00
Geo. W. Owen, printing	4 75
S. G. Blake, stationery	12 00
S. G. Blake, stationery	13 55
S. G. Blake, stationery	1 65
E. McGlaughlin, services during court	6 00
F. E. Welch, expense account and services	106 96
John Babingeen, professional services	26 00
F. Betts, account in full for telegraphing	15 40
Richmond & Backus records cl'md $120 50	125 00
Chas. Jackson, bedstead	5 00
J. R. Sweet, deputy sheriff	67 87
N. A. Finch, expenses	13 30
R. A. Patton, extracting tooth	50
Richmond, Backus & Co., stationery	3 10
Richmond, Backus & Co., "	16 75
Frank Peacock, express charges	1 55
M. P. Byerly, deputy sheriff	3 50
A. A. Frain, deputy sheriff	6 00
Jabez Close, account of births and deaths	2 60
Ward Ingersoll, stationery	2 50
A. A. Harper, postage and cards	2 65
J. H. Champion, order book	10 00
La Rue Powell, stationery	13 45
Cortes Pond, services as superintendent of poor	23 85
John D. Evens, under sheriff, claimed $6 25	30 26
H. W. Hicks, expenses to Adrian	19 25
Richmond, Backus & Co., books	33 50
S. Geedale, services on Angle state ditch	2 50
L. S. Goodale, do	1 20
E. E. Bunting, services on Angle state ditch	2 25
A. Porter, services on Angle state ditch	75
J. Henderson, services on Angle state ditch	6 00

C. H. FRAIN,
F. M. KILBOURN,
Committee.

Accepted and adopted, yeas 17, nays 0.

Adjourned till to-morrow morning.

Orleans County, N. Y., has a second Jennie Cramer mystery. The dead body of a beautiful girl, Nellie Wright, daughter of James Wright, a farmer, was found in the Erie Canal at Gaines' Basin near Albion. Examination of the body showed that she had been betrayed and Fred Hopkins, son of a wealthy farmer living six miles west of Albion, has been arrested as her betrayer. In her pocket was a letter to her mother saying she bought strycinne to take because Fred Hopkins had forsaken her. Her clothes were put on in a way no woman would put them on. There were some bruises on her head, and the theory is that Hopkins got tired of her, killed her to avoid trouble, and threw the body into the canal, or that she died on his hands from the effects of the poison and he thus disposed of the body. Physicians say the girl did not die by drowning. Hopkins is 21 years old, married and divorced.

The elections in Ohio and Iowa called out a light vote. Meagre returns give the Republicans a plurality in Iowa of 20,000. In Ohio, Foster has a majority of 10,000 to 15,000 with the legislature in doubt. Ledlow the temperance candidate for governor polled 4,000 to 10,000 votes.

The wholesale provision firm of Washburn, Bubbenheim & Co., which was established in Philadelphia 132 years ago, has failed. Its liabilities are estimated to be $1,000,000. It has a branch house in Chicago, where it has been speculating heavily in grain. Business will not be suspended, it being the intention to compromise at 50 per cent.

Detective Bauer of the secret service made a second raid on the counterfeiters near Louisville, Ky., and captured three men, two of whom are members of the gang he broke up a few weeks ago. The prisoners had in their possession a large quantity of counterfeit money, plates, etc. The men are now in jail at Louisville. Bauer is still after the gang, and has a clue to the place where the plates were made.

Gitean was brought into the criminal court room at Washington by Marshal Henry and two deputies. His manner was cowardly, his clothing shabby, and his body showed signs of utter neglect. When he had taken a seat beside his counsel a guard unlocked his handcuffs. In a languid way he obeyed the order to stand up, and when asked if his name was Guiteau responded by a nod. He was profoundly indifferent to the reading of the indictment, keeping his hands crossed and his eyes nearly closed. When asked to plead, he took from his pocket a soiled piece of paper, but was instantly ordered to enter a verbal plea. He answered not guilty, and asked leave to make a statement, which the court declined to hear. District Attorney Corkhill requested the court to set the trial for next Monday morning. Mr. Scoville here presented an affidavit of the assassin and one made by himself, in regard to the necessity of witnesses, the latter document announcing that the defense will claim the insanity of the defendant and insist that the bullet wound was not necessarily mortal. The court is asked to sanction the summoning of various witnesses as to insanity, and of four medical experts as to the president's surgical treatment. Judge Cox fixed the trial for November 7, and intimated that assistant counsel might be assigned from the Washington bar. Guiteau was then handcuffed and taken from the room. George H. Bethard, a member of Garfield's regiment, created a sensation in court by endeavoring to borrow a pistol to shoot the assassin.

THE NEWS.

HOME NEWS.

The Garfield fund has now reached $357,851.

Gov. Foster's plurality in Ohio was a few less than 25,000.

Prominent white residents of the Indian Territory are again being warned to leave.

Hon. Richard McCormick, ex-Governor of Arizona, is lying seriously ill in New York.

Indications point to the election of Jas. F. Wilson as the next United States Senator from Iowa.

The district attorney at Washington states that Guiteau will not be arraigned this week for trial.

The Mexican government has appointed commissioners to study the basis of a commercial treaty with the United States.

Mathias Mandernoch, of Detroit placed the muzzle of his revolver in his mouth and killed himself.

William M. Davis, ex-Attorney General of Liberia, has married Miss E. J. E. Seton, a native, of the Grebo tribe.

Walker Blaine, was nominated by President Arthur to be third assistant secretary of state.

The total taxes levied upon the city of New York for the year are $31,071,840, the rate being 2.62 per cent.

S. P. Rounds, of Chicago, is backed by the Illinois congressional delegation for the office of public printer.

Dr. Cream was refused a new trial at Belvidere, Ill., and received sentence of imprisonment for life, one day of each year to be spent in solitary confinement.

The Garfield monument committee estimate the cost of the marble at $200,000, of which Cleveland will be asked to contribute $50,000.

James E. Harvey, Washington correspondent of the New York *Sun*, has been appointed private secretary to Senator Dawes.

Since the surrender of Sitting Bull, whose camp lay directly on the route of the annual migration, buffalo have returned to the northern plains.

The loss of 334 horses by the fire in New York, Monday night, caused the Fourth avenue line to run eleven cars instead of a hundred.

The Baltimore and Ohio road has declared a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent. and added $1,400,000 to the surplus fund.

In a message on the bond question, Governor Pillsbury appeals to the Legislature of Minnesota to put at rest the spectre of repudiation.

President Arthur assured a caller that he did not intend to make any important change in any office throughout the country until the regular session of congress.

During the past seventeen years there has accumulated in the New York subtreasury $1,800,000 in unclaimed postal money-orders, mainly caused by misdirection.

The Garfield pavillion and arches in the park at Cleveland are being torn down. Many relics will be preserved, and the floral emblems will be restored and distributed as Mrs. Garfield desires.

Charles Howland, a farmer residing near Paw Paw, Mich., went home intoxicated and struck his wife and stabbed his son, whereupon the latter drew a revolver and killed the brute.

The combination against Windom in Minnesota has grown so serious that J. B. Wakefield, formerly Lieutenant Governor, has been put forward as a candidate for Senator.

At the conclusion of Fanny Davenport's engagement at the Novelty Theatre, Brooklyn, her wardrobe was attached, on a suit of Anna Dickinson, on a small claim for royalty. Miss Davenport will contest the case.

The president of the Mutual Union Telegraph company contracted to frank all city of Chicago messages forever, whereupon Mayor Harrison signed the ordinance permitting the wires to be laid underground into town.

The Rothschilds have determined to place in this country a Hungarian loan of 300,000,000 florins, with every hope of success. New York financiers insist that the Italian loan would have been readily taken in that city.

Detective Bauer, of the secret service, captured on a train near Guthrie, Ky., three members of a daring gang of counterfeiters. All were armed to the teeth, and one was loaded down with spurious silver dollars.

The Marquis of Lorne has returned to Ottawa, to depart next week for England. The prejudice entertained against Canada by the Princess Louise is said to be largely due to her perilous sleighing accident.

John Robertson, formerly a clerk in the employ of the Lake Shore road at Chicago, has been arrested in Liverpool on a charge of forging checks for a large amount, and papers for his extradition will be asked.

Senator Mahone sends out a card to the public, announcing that he has read the recent speech of Gen. Early, but does not think he can obtain any satisfaction therefor, and has decided to let Early proceed with falsehood and insults, assured of

COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Mess pork $19 50a20; lard, 12½a13; hams, 14a14½; shoulders, 9¾a10¼. Live stock rather active. Cattle a shade higher for best qualities, at $5 25a5 75, with $6 possible for extra shippers; sheep $4a4 50; hogs $5 80a6 50. Flour white grade, $6 85a 7 25.

Wheat has had a bad shake this week, on the markets having broken. Our cash No. 1 white has recovered partially; to-day closed 1 38½, or 4½c lower than last Saturday and ½c lower than it was this morning. Nov. closed 1 39½; cash No. 2 white 1 36½; No. 2 red, 1 41½. It was expected that some wheat would be shipped out, in order to avoid extra storage, but other places have their elevators filled too—speculation rampant everywhere. Capitalists sit on the wheat while woodchucks pay the big premiums indicated by prices above and European buyers take the condition of things patiently. Corn about 3c lower. No. 2 65½. Oats lower; No. 1 mixed, 46 and dull. Barley even is lower; No. 2 $2 15a2 20 per cental.

Jerome Eddy

Will be allowed to serve a limited number of good mares up to December 1st, at $30.00 the Season.

All moneys forfeited when mares prove not in foal.

Owosso, Sept. 20, 1881.
5-8 DEWEY & STEWART.

Mrs. Fairbank, the lady tied and robbed in the farm house near Wheaton, Ill., was taken to St. Louis to identify Henry Myer, which she did with perfect certainty. The thief turned pale and his limbs shook.

Secretary Blaine delicately refrained from inviting the British legation to attend the Yorktown centennial. On learning that its members would be pleased to participate, he invited them to become his guests on the steamer, which they readily accepted.

A masked burglar at Wheeling, enraged at being discovered by a lady, forced her to rise from bed without disturbing her husband and submit to the clipping of her luxuriant head of hair, when he took his departure.

Miss Lizzie Price, formerly the wife of Fechter, the actor, is threatening a breach of promise suit against a prominent lumber merchant of Philadelphia, to whom she was announced to be engaged not long ago.

Gov. Hoyt of Pennsylvania refuses to charter any more of what he calls "death-rattle insurance companies,"—those based on mutual assessments.

The troubles in Ireland grow more and more alarming. There was serious rioting in Dublin Saturday, a church was attacked by a mob, and the gates of Dublin Castle were closed and arms stacked in the upper yard. O'Kelley, M. P., and O'Brien, editor have been arrested under the coercion act. The government probably is attempting to suppress the land league by the arrest of prominent leaders.

The facilities for drunkenness and loaferism are so good at Newport that the officials in charge of the naval training chool favor a removal for the sake of she boys' morals.

Sydney Smith said of a certain quarrelsome person tnat his very face was a breach of the peace.

Berlin has a vegetarian restaurant, in which no animal food nor spirituous drink can be had.

☞ Key Wind Watches changed to Stem Winding, at Guile's. Call and learn the low rates. W. F. GUILE

THE STAR
CLOTHING HOUSE
—OF—
WM. STERN

Has been in full blast for the last month, and its trade has been better than was expected. I claim my facilities are as good if not better than any other house in the State.

I manufacture my own goods, and by so doing I know that I can satisfy all who are in need of Clothing, in

PRICE, QUALITY, STYLE.

In connection with the above, I shall always keep on hand a fine stock of

GENTLEMEN'S
Furnishing Goods,
Hats,
Caps,
Trunks,
&c., &c.

WM. STERN.
N. HERRMAN, Manager.

☞ The state of the market in Dry Goods, Carpets and Ready Made Clothing is very active, and a majority of the manufacturers are running on full time, and many are sold ahead of production. By placing our orders at the factories early, we have now the largest stock of

DRY GOODS,
CARPETS,
—AND—
READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Ever shown in this section of the state.

Fall **Dress Goods** and Trimmings.
Black Silks of the most celebrated make.
Colored Silks, Cashmires Black and Colored, of the best makes.
Shawls and **Skirts,** a very fine assortment.
Ready Made **Dolmans** and **Cloaks** made from the celebrated "Worth" Paris Patterns.
Also **Cloakings,** Plushes, Satins, Surahs, etc.
Hosiery, Foreign and Domestic, wool and cotton for Ladies, Misses, Children, Men and Boys.
Blankets, White and Colored Horse Blankets and Robes.
Flannels, plain and twilled, white and colored; also our *Pennsylvania* home made Flannels and Yarn, well known in this county. Germantown Wool, Zephyr and Fancy Yarns.
Kid Gloves, Notions, Fancy Goods, Fringes made from sewing silk, etc.

Ready-Made Clothing,
Hats, Caps, and
Underwear.

We have a large stock of these goods, bought with great care, buying only from the best and largest manufacturers.

Overcoats and Suits to Fit,

From three years old up to the largest men.

We are doing a large trade and want to do more.

Remember all our goods are marked in **Plain Figures.** "No blind," and sold

ONE PRICE TO ALL.

Osburn & Sons,
OWOSSO.

"CLOTHING TO MEASURE."

Your attention is called t our comp lete stock of

Suitings and Pants Goods for Fall and Winter, Imported and Domestic,

Which will be made up by the best of workmen. *Perfect fit or no Sale*

Fall Hats now on my tables, Nobby and staple for young and old.

—Also, a splendid line of—
TIES and COLLARS, Cheap for Cash!
—CALL, SEE, BUY AND LEAVE YOUR MEASURE WITH—
WESTLAKE, the Merchant Tailor.
OWOSSO, MICH.

☞ Bushelmen kept to clean and repair.

"Oh! My Stars!"
That 50 cent TEA
At GRAHAME'S is the
BEST

I ever had. So strong and Fragrant!"

That is what every one says that has tried it.

Six pounds of prime Sanas Coffee for $1.00.

—And a full line of—
Pure Ground Spices,
Snow Flake Baking Powder, &c.

☞ Remember the place: The "Little Grocery Around the Corner."

G. H. GRAHAME, Proprietor.

100 Chests
100 Chests
New Teas!
New Teas!

—OF—

DUFF

Has been East among the importers, and purchased 100 chests of new teas; 60 have arrived and 40 held for fall trade. The entire crop of **Block** and **"Blazing Star"** Garden Tea gobbled, *now on sale.*

Look Out for Weedy Teas!

"And buy the Block and 'Blazing Star,'" "and you will make no mistake." A written guarantee given to match, and save freight from Detroit, Boston or New York on purchase of from 1 to 10 chests of TEA, and guaranteed to hold good until the tea is sold.

Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Soaps, Matches, Saleratus, and all staples at wholesale at Detroit prices. *Freight Saved:* what I say I *MEAN.*

An immense stock of

TOBACCOS

Just received, at wholesale.

I am exclusive wholesale agent for the Alden Fruit Grape Vinegar.

Sign of he Japan Tea Man,
Main Street, Owosso.

P. S.—Bear in mind I sell for

Spot Cash Only.

C. C. DUFF.

Lawrence & Banister
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GROCERS.
Owosso, - - - Mich.
A New Stock of CANNED GOODS just received

THE OWOSSO PRESS.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1881.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.

—TO—

TRAINS LEAVE OWOSSO AS FOLLOWS:

Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee R. R

GOING EAST.

Mail, 2 15 p. m., for Detroit. Evening Express, 7 55 p. m. Steamboat Express, 9 20 a. m. Night Express, 3 50 a. m.

GOING WEST.

Morning Express 10 30 a. m. Mail, 2 15 p. m. Grand Rapids Express, 8 55 p. m. Night Express, 9 20 a. m.

Jackson Lansing & Saginaw R. R.

TRAINS LEAVE OWOSSO AS FOLLOWS:

GOING NORTH.

Mail, 9 55 a. m. Saginaw and Bay City Express, 7 20 p. m. Way Freight, 2 50 p. m.

GOING SOUTH.

Jackson Express, 8 55 a. m. Chicago Express and mail, 7 05 p. m. Way Freight, [illegible]

☞ BURT WICKING'S HACK LINE conveys passengers and baggage to and from trains and private houses.

☞ DRAKE'S OMNIBUS LINE meets all J. L. & S. passenger trains, carrying passengers to and from Corunna.

OWOSSO POSTOFFICE.

Daily Mails arrive and close until further notice as follows:

EAST VIA D. G. H. & M. R. R.

Close—1:45 P M ..... Arrive—2:45 P M
Close—7 00 P M ..... Arrive—10 45 A M

WEST VIA D. G. H. & M. R. R.

Close—1 45 P. M ..... Arrive—2:45 P. M
Close—9 50 A M ..... Arrive—8 00 P M

NORTH VIA J. L. & S. R. R.

Close—9 50 A. M ..... Arrive—9:30 A. M
Close—7 00 P. M ..... Arrive—8 00 P. M

SOUTH.

Close—8:50 A. M ..... Arrive—10:45 A. M
Close—7:00 P. M ..... Arrive—8:00 P. M

L. A. HAMBLIN, Postmaster.

WEATHER RECORD.

For the week ending Wednesday, Oct. 19, 1881

THURSDAY MORNING	50°
FRIDAY	40°
SATURDAY	66°
SUNDAY	40°
MONDAY	50°
TUESDAY	40°
WEDNESDAY	30°

CITY AND COUNTY

—Jack Frost last night.

—Mrs. G. R. Black is in Boston.

—Change of time in night trains on the D. & M.

—Mr. T. Christian goes east this week for a new stock of jewelry.

—Wesener's new advertisement of new Fall goods appears to-day.

—Osburn & Sons, of the Double Store, present their Fall announcement in this paper.

—The Star Clothing store, after a month's trial, says "success" and gives new advertisement.

—The Ross vs. White case was argued and submitted in the Supreme Court at Lansing, yesterday.

—Ovid Register:—Mattie Strickland Miller, of St. Johns, is taking a law course at the Michigan University.

—State Senator Wm. Kilpatrick and Representative John W. Dewey, are at the Yorktown celebration.

—J. L. Donaldson is in town with the Garrison Artistic Bay Window—Go to Andrus's hardware store and see it.

—Mrs. Decker has just received an elegant stock of millinery, and offers great inducements to purchasers. See advertisement.

—Mrs Sprinkle left for Chicago yesterday, for the purpose of adding the latest novelties to her millinery store, for particulars of which see next week's advertisement.

—The Clinton and Shiawassee Union Fair at Ovid notwithstanding the soaking time, was a success. The Union says there was a good show and a large attendance throughout.

—A State Teachers' Institute is in session at Corunna this week. To allow teachers of the Owosso schools to attend, the Union school will be closed on Thursday and Friday.

—Thos. Mitchell, of Rush, while digging a well for Mr. Shelton in Owosso township two miles north of the J. L. & S. depot last Friday, had a leg broken by the fall of a mass of blue clay.

—We are in receipt of a handsome pamphlet copy of the address delivered by Prof. McGrath at the Garfield memorial services in Corunna, for which some one has our thanks—we suspect the professor himself.

—An excursion to Detroit, the last of the season, will be given on the D., G. H. & M. road next Tuesday, Oct. 25, fare, round trip from Owosso, Corunna and Vernon $1.25 Train leaves Owosso 7:30 a. m., Corunna 7:40, Vernon 7:50.

—The street lamps sent forth their first illumination Friday night. There never was a better time to show up their value than these dark, rainy, muddy nights, and the test will doubtless result in a full supply for the city.

—Mr. Joseph Ames, sole proprietor of the hack and 'bus line, has a box prominently placed in the postoffice building for the reception of orders, and blanks attached which customers can fill out and deposit in the box. All orders promptly attended to.

—The Board of Supervisors paid a visit to the County House last Friday. They took Mr. and Mrs. Crowe by surprise, wishing to see things in their every day garb, but they found everything in tip top condition and expressed unbounded satisfaction at the excellent management.

—Miss Dole, assistant in the High School, has resigned to take a situation in Detroit, and Mrs. L. E. Gould takes her place—the same position she filled for years with great acceptance before her marriage. The return to the school of this accomplished teacher is a source of congratulation to the public.

—We have numerous enquiries regarding the Owosso & Northwestern R. R., mostly from persons residing along the proposed line. Some weeks ago parties were here surveying and the public had every assurance of a speedy commencement of the road. Those here who know the true inwardness of the matter say, "wait, the project is booming."

—Mr. H. H. Carson says he has to buy an extra stick of candy now when he comes to town, on account of a new little daughter at his son James's, and that said little son is just one half ounce heavier than the largest sweet potatoes raised on his son's farm this year. (The potatoes weighed 6 lbs.)

Advertised Letters.

Letters remaining uncalled at the Owosso P. O. for the week ending Oct. 15, 1881.

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LITTA.

This evening the people of Owosso and vicinity have an opportunity to hear one of the renowned singers of the times, and at the low figures of 25 and 35 cents. Such an opportunity does not often occur. Will the people improve it? Owosso has never before had a singer of the reputation of Litta. She sings in Detroit to-morrow night. Detroit papers are enthusiastic over her.

Death on the Railroad Track.

James Thorn, aged 19 years, grandson of Mr. J. H. Thorn of this city, met a horrible death on the D., G. H. & M. track last Friday morning, about 6 o'clock. While uncoupling cars near the coal shute a short distance east of the Junction, he caught his foot in the frog at the switch and before he could extricate himself was run over by the tender of an engine and was instantly killed. His body was mangled in a shocking manner, literally cut to pieces.

Coroner Taylor immediately summoned a jury, composed as follows: W. H Andrus, Geo. Carpenter, Geo. W. Harris, L. Van Dusen, Jas. Wilcox, Daniel P. Austin. An inquisition was taken upon the view of the body, and afterward completed at Mr. Taylor's office, on Saturday, resulting in a verdict in accordance with the circumstances.

The deceased was a worthy young man and his tragic death cast a gloom over community. He had lived with his uncle, Mr. C. W. Matthews, for years, working with him at the blacksmith trade, and commenced work on the railroad only a few days before his death. He was buried on Saturday.

Changes and Improvements.

The old postoffice building is giving place to the new brick bank on that corner.

Dimmick has commenced work for his new brick store on the ground occupied by Goetzen.

Goetzen will return to his store on Exchange street, and he is offering his entire stock at cost preparatory to removing.

Westlake will remove to the Thomas Block Nov. 2, with a new stock of goods, and make way for Shattuck to occupy the building, which he has purchased.

Burhans & Dawes are to remove to the bank block store.

The 99 Cent Store is to remove to the Fletcher building on Exchange street.

It is said the present Dimmick block is to be converted into a hotel.

Sharpsteen is to remove his wholesale liquor business to the Thomas Block, about Nov. 1.

Reported, that Patterson will fill the vacant space south of the National with a new Opera House in the spring.

The plate glass front of the Thomas Block is elegant.

L. E. Woodard is making extensive brick additions to his planing mill and factory.

—Thanks to Justice Taylor for a copy of the Springfield (Mass.) Union, containing extended biographical sketch of the late J. G. Holland.

Mr. Taylor was personally acquainted with Mr. Holland, years ago in Springfield, and Mrs. S. J. Harding of this city (Mr. Taylor's sister) was a schoolmate of Mrs. Holland.

—The deaf and dumb colored boy picked up near Pittsburg, as stated in last week's PRESS, proves to be a son of Joshua Outland, of Cass county. The lad was on his way to the institution at Flint, and somehow "lit out" from under the conductor's charge. Mr. Jas. A. Chapin, Superintendent of the Poor, took the boy in charge and advertised him whereby news of his whereabouts reached the boy's father, who came yesterday and took him away.

—Kalamazoo papers give a glowing description of a high-toned wedding in that place—the event of the season—the marriage of Mr. Edward P. Bagg, of Holyoke, Mass., and Miss Lizzie C. Parsons, daughter of Hon. Jonathan Parsons of Kalamazoo. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. White and daughter and son, of this city, were among the guests. The groom is nephew to Mrs. White. His mother, two sisters, and two nieces, the Misses Brooks, who attended the wedding, were guests at the residence of Mr. White last week.

—The Ladies Library Association of Perry will give an entertainment at the Methodist Church, at Perry, the evening of the 25th inst. The program is to consist of a half hour's talk upon social life in England, by Rev. Jas. Verney, music, solos, duetts, glees, both instrumental and vocal, essays &c. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Admission 10 cents.

Bennington Notes.

The Johnson brothers have returned from their prospecting trip to Isabella county, but as we have not interviewed them yet we can not say whether they "struck a lead" or not.

Mr. Joseph McCoon has exchanged his farm north of the village with Mr. Reynolds of Corunna, for property in that place. Mr. McCoon goes north to purchase a new farm we understand.

Mr. Lyman McCartey and family stopped at the Yerkes mansion a few days last week, on their way from Denver, Col., to Rochester, N. Y. Miss Hettie Yerkes accompanied them east, where she expects to remain during a part of the winter at least.

Sanford Sherman to-day received notice of the death of his father, who resides at Goodrichville.

TRIX.

From a correspondent:

Fairfield comes to the front as an agricultural town of our county. Nowhere have I found such potatoes and corn as here. Mr. R. Sawyer husked 630 bushels of corn from six acres, and dug 60 bushels of potatoes, and thinks he will get 10 more, on a piece ¼ of an acre. He took first and second premium on potatoes and corn, 36 of one variety filling a bushel, at the Ovid fair. The town is improving gradually in other directions. Mr. Ames, of Corunna, builds a splendid house and barn, and many more buildings are going up this fall. S.

Last Thursday morning the Marquis of Lorne, Gov. General of Canada, and party passed through Flint on the C. & G. T. road, on their return to Ottawa after a three months' absence, exploring the proposed route of the Canada Pacific road between Lake Superior and the Rocky Mountains. The party breakfasted at the Bryant, escaped the Governor, whose breakfast was taken to his car.

The Hall murder trial is taking place at Pontiac.

The first train on the J. L. & S. northern extension entered Bay City Monday.

Mr. Geo. Willis, of Lockport, died Sunday last, aged [illegible] years.

Owosso Union School.

Rhetorical exercises take place in the High School every Friday afternoon from 3 to 4. Friends of the school are always welcome at these exercises as well as at the daily work of the classes.

Program for Retorical Exercises B Division, Oct. 21, from 3 to 4 p m:—

Music ..... Chorus
"A Good Plan for a boy to have plenty of Money while in College" ..... Kirk White
"Something about a Book that I read this Summer" ..... Jessie Lyon
"How I like to be treated when I go visiting" (Gertrude White
Music—Instrumental Solo ..... Alice Beckwith
Declamation—"How they brought the Good News from Ghent to Aix" ..... Charles Hurd
"Boys have an easier time than Girls" (Estella Douds
"Girls have an easier time than Boys" (Byron Dawes
Music—Vocal Duet ..... Misses Matlock and White
"What I'd like to do when I am a Man." (Herbert Lyon
"Some things that Girls are fit for besides teaching" ..... Anna Williams
"A Study in Bed-quilts and the Moral therefrom" (Edith Bartholomew
Music ..... Chorus

The statistical report of the city schools for the month of September is as follows:

Whole number enrolled	557
Average " belonging	536
" " daily attendance	486
" " tardiness	2.5
Per cent. of attendance	96
Number of visitors	32

The Slocum-Burk Wedding.

Married, Oct. 23, 1881, at the residence of the bride's parents in Owosso township, Cass H. Slocum, eldest son of Mr. G. W. Slocum of Middlebury, to Emma, daughter of Mr. I. W. Burk. Rev. E. E. Caster performed the ceremony and Rev. H. W. Hicks presented the gifts, which were many and elegant, as follows:

By the father and mother of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Slocum, two sets of silver knives; by his brother and sisters and their husbands, E. B. Voorheis and G. W. Swarthout, silver dinner castor; silver dining castor, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Doty, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Doty, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doty, all of Oakland county; Mrs. Ballard of Holly, and Mrs. Heath of Fenton, pickle castor; silver cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Rose, Ovid; silver butter dish and call bell, Messrs. James and Fred Osburn, Owosso; silver cup, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Rose, Ovid; silver pickle castor, Mr. and Mrs. David Thorp, Middlebury; silver pickle castor, Mr. and Mrs Wm. Crowe, and china cup and saucer, Miss Emma J. Crowe of Owosso; silver butter knife, Mr. and Mrs. Dayid Salsbury; set of majolica ware, Mr. and Mrs. John Salsbury; silver sugar spoon, Mr. and Mrs. Banghart; set of sauce dishes and majolica pickle dish, Miss May Byerly; set of glass ware, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Burk and Mr. C. F. Swayze; fruit dish, John Walsh; hanging lamp, bedroom china set, and an entire set of crockery, D. D. Holdridge and wife and Ellis Holdridge of Medina, Orleans county, N. Y.

The wedded pair started on the train going to Lansing and Jackson after the bountiful repast and congratulations, and good advice from Rev. H. W. Hicks. * *

Prosperity of Owosso.

Correspondence of the Detroit Free Press.

Owosso, October 11.—The frequent warm rains for the past few weeks have given new life to vegetation. The grass is as green as in May, affording good pasturage for stock. Wheat looks fine in all directions and there is almost the usual acreage sown. We have not had frosts as yet to do any damage, the foliage of the trees is still green and the whole country has a summer aspect. The farmers are jubilant over the fine weather, allowing them to secure all their root crops in good condition, as well as their apples. Everything they have to sell commands extreme prices, and they are taking advantage of it.

Several buyers of apples and potatoes from Ohio are here buying and shipping by the car load. Apples are abundant but potatoes are not plentiful. The excessive prices paid are bringing forward all the surplus of produce except wheat. Large quantities of the latter are being sold, still the bulk of the crop is held back most tenaciously. The apple market seems the most lively. The streets are crowded with wagons waiting their turn to be unloaded.

The business of Owosso never had such a "boom" as it is experiencing the present fall. Outside of the mercantile trade our manufacturers are besieged with orders way beyond their capacity of production.

The building in Owosso has been on a large scale the present season; many fine residences and scores of tenement houses have been erected and there is not one vacant. There is not a house or room in Owosso to rent. All are full and there are at least fifty families boarding, waiting for buildings to be vacated or new ones built. Several new stores have been erected, and one block of five, with elegant plate glass fronts, is just receiving the finishing touches, all of which were rented before the ground was broken for their erection.

Within the past two weeks several transfers of real estate have been made for the purpose of improvement. Contracts are being made almost daily for the construction of brick buildings, mostly on the main streets, filling up the ugly gaps that have long been an eyesore to all. Contracts call for the building of some this fall.

One cause of this general activity is from the fact that Owosso is most beautifully located in the center of one of the best agricultural counties in the State, with two railroads running at right angles to each other and sure prospect of another road within a year, cutting diagonally across the junction of the two. But the more immediate causes are the many and extensive manufacturing establishments that have sprung up within the last year, one institution employing nearly 200 hands, half of them men of families, and all new comers to Owosso.

Our city fathers have awakened to the situation, and have contracted for several naphtha lamps, and in a short time the streets of Owosso will be lighted as becomes a city. They have also taken steps looking to the supply of the city with water for fire purposes. It has been found that a thirty foot head of water can be had from an isolated lake about a mile south of the city. Surveys are being made to-day, which, without doubt, will terminate in placing hydrants at convenient places throughout the city, from which our steamer can be supplied.

FOREIGN.

Some Algerian spies were captured and shot at Tunis by the French.

The Chinese college of Shetosh was swept away by a flood, two hundred lives being lost.

The first Irish landlord to ask the land commission to increase rents was the Marquis of Waterford.

A new conspiracy against the life of the emperor of Russia is said to have been discovered.

Four nihilists who were convicted of secretly printing a revolutionary paper have been sentenced to exile in Tobolsk.

The hurricane in Europe last Friday extended to France, Germany, and the Netherlands. No less than eighty-five vessels were lost off the British coast.

Foxhall, the famous American horse, took the Czarowisch stakes at the Newmarket races. His owner, James R. Keene, won upward of $500,000, and declares him the best three-year-old in the world.

Charles S. Parnell, while a guest of a hotel in Dublin, was arrested on two warrants, signed by Chief Secretary Forster, charging him with intimidating people from paying just rent and preventing tenants from taking the benefit of the land act. He was placed in a cab with detectives, and escorted to Kilmainham jail by two cars filled with police. Intense excitement prevails throughout Ireland, and rumors are current that the troops will take possession of the Land-league headquarters. Father Sheehy, Patrick Egan, and V. B Dillon made haste to quit Ireland for French soil.

Proclamations forbidding the meeting at Limerick, on Sunday, were torn down before daylight. The commander of the Scots guards warned the mayor that any assemblage would be suppressed. Crowds gathered outside of town and soon brought on a conflict. The troops charged several times, and finally drove the people through George street. The police in Denmark street fired on the mob. Many houses were wrecked, several persons wounded, and twenty arrests made. The club house was subsequently attacked, the windows smashed, and the street lamps extinguished. In Dublin a mob attacked a Congregational church and destroyed the [illegible]. All classes of residents in Ireland are [illegible] to any [illegible]. All parts of the country are [illegible] [illegible] the price of [illegible] and other [illegible] [illegible]

Shiawassee County S. S. Convention.

The Seventh semi-annual Shiawassee County S. S. Convention will be held in the Baptist Church at Byron, Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 25 and 26, Mr. Chas. Holman, of Corunna, President. Following is the program:

FIRST DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Devotional Exercises.
Reports of Delegates.
General Discussion of Various Topics.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Song Service.
Address of Welcome, DR. KNAPP.
Response.
How to Induce Young People to Attend Church, L. D. GOSS.
Primary Class Management.
Question Box, REV. GEORGE ATCHINSON.
Progress of S. S. in United States, DR. JAMES SLEETH.
Sabbath Sanctity, How Shall it be Maintained, DR. C. P. PARKILL.
Sowing and Reaping, H. B. DUNNING.
Holding Young Men in Sunday School, PETER PATCHEL.
General Discussion of Previous Questions, 5 minute speeches.

EVENING SESSION.

Song Service by the Children.
Historical Travels, MRS. T. B. PARTRIDGE
What I Know About Boys, HON. J. W. TURNER.
The Sunday School a National Defense, J. M. MCGRATH.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Preparation for the Day in Song and Worship.
Music in the Sunday School.
The Christian Element in Civilization, REV. FRED'K STRONG.
Temperance in the S. S. General Discussion.
How to Recuperate our Sunday Schools, REV. H. O. PARKER.
Illustrative Teaching, W. D. CASTLE.
Township Organization, How Shall it be Done? General Discussion.
Election of Officers and General Business.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Possibilities of the Future, REV. CHAS. ELLIS.
The Ideal Sunday School, REV. W. L. FARNUM.
Tests of Successful Teaching, DR. INGRAM
Lights and Shadows of Sunday School Work, REV. D. H. YOKOM.
Black Board Exercise on Temperance, by special request, MRS. CHARLES WEEKS.
Personal Character of the Teacher Essential to Success, REV. S. REED.
General Discussion of any Question presented to the Convention, 5 minute speeches.
Question Box, REV. GEORGE ATCHINSON.
Have you experienced any benefit from the Convention, and can you suggest any thing for its prosperity? Replied to by Members of the Convention.
Where Shall our next Meeting be Held?
Closing Words, MR. BOYCE.
Singers from Corunna will furnish music.

☞ All persons interested in the work are invited to attend. Entertainment free. Every Sunday School in the County is requested to send a delegate. Free transportation from Gaines for those coming on the D. G. H., & M. Railroad. All Sunday Schools who neglected to forward their penny collection last spring, are requested not to forget it now. Bring Gospel Hymns 1, 2 and 3.

W. D. CASTLE, Secretary.

MARRIED.

SLOCUM—BURK.—At the residence of I. W. Burk, in Owosso township, Oct. 13, by Rev. E. E. Caster, assisted by Rev. H. W. Hicks, Mr. Cass H. Slocum of Middlebury, and Miss Emma M. Burk, of Owosso.

SLOCUM—INGERSOLL.—At the residence of E. K. Ingersoll in Owosso township, by Rev. H. W. Hicks, Oct. 18, Mr. Geo. L. Slocum, of Middlebury, and Miss Ella F. Ingersoll, of Owosso.

SABINS—BYERS.—By the Rev. G. M. Reynolds, at his residence in Shiawassee, Oct. 15, 1881, Mr. Fred B. Sabins and Miss Alice O. Byers, both of Shiawassee.

BLANCHARD—BRIDGER.—At the residence of the bride's parents, in Perry, Mich, Oct. 17, 1881, by Rev Chas. D. Ellis, Orrin D. Blanchard Esq., of Osanovia Mich., and Miss Ella A. Bridger, of Perry.

FOR SALE CHEAP, Two parlor stoves, and a No. 9 cook stove. Enquire at Mrs. Decker's, Exchange street west.

ORDINANCE

To provide for the construction of a Sewer along the south side of Main Street, from the east line of the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw Railroad right of way, west sixty-five rods, to Chipman Creek.

SEC. 1. The Common Council of the city of Owosso, do determine and ordain, that it is a necessary public improvement that a Sewer be constructed along the south side, and thirteen feet north of the south line of Main Street, from the east line of the Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw Railroad right of way, west sixty-five rods to Chipman Creek, the line and depth of which is more particularly shown by the minutes of a survey thereof, made by H. C. Main, City Surveyor, and now on file in the City Clerk's office of said city, and that the estimated expense of the constructing of such Sewer, is the sum of six hundred dollars, and that the said sum of six hundred dollars be assessed on the following described lands, viz; On all lands, lots, and parts of lots, locate and situate between Lansing Street and the western end of said Sewer, and within sixteen rods of the north side of, and thirty-two rods of the south side of said Main Street, that being the portion of said city which said council deem to be benefited by such improvement.

SEC. 2. Such Sewer shall be constructed on the line aforesaid, and according to the specifications of the said survey thereof, so as aforesaid, made by said H. C. Main, City Surveyor, and shall be tiled with suitable drain tile, of not less than twelve inches in diameter, covered to a level with the street, and a suitable bulk head shall be constructed at the east end thereof, sufficient to prevent such Sewer from filling or clogging from wash or surface water.

SEC. 3. Such Sewer shall be built under the direction and supervision of the committee of said council on Grading and Sidewalks, and shall be completed within thirty days from and after the passage of this ordinance.

SEC. 4. David W. Parker, George B. Hughes and Alexander McDonald, being resident freeholders of said city of Owosso, and not interested in any of the property benefited by said improvement, nor of kin to any person interested therein, are hereby designated as commissioners, and directed to make an assessment upon all the lands, lots, and parts of lots, hereinbefore specified and described, as the portion of said city which said council deem to be benefited by such improvement, of the said sum of six hundred dollars, in proportion as near as may be, to the advantage and benefit which each of the pieces or parcels of land within the limits hereinbefore specified, shall, by said commissioners be deemed to acquire by the making of the aforesaid improvement. Approved Oct. 10, 1881.

O. H. COSSITT, Mayor.

Attest: E. A. TODD, Jr., City Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Shiawassee, in favor of Charles W. Matthews, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Henry U. Linzey, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 15th day of October, A. D., 1881, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Henry U. Linzey in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: The north half of the north-east quarter of section twenty-one (21), also the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-two (22), situated in the township of New Haven, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Corunna, in said county, (that being the place for holding the circuit court for said county of Shiawassee) on the *5th day of December, A. D., 1881,* at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 19th day of Oct. A. D., 1881.

LYON & KILPATRICK, Plaintiff's Attorneys. CLARK D. SMITH, Sheriff. By E. P. BYERLY, Dep'y Sheriff.

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LORING keep a full line of Harper's School Books. 6 8

NOTICE.

I hereby forbid all persons from harboring or trusting my wife on my account as I shall pay no debts of her contracting on and after this date. Owosso, October 10, 1881.

G-7 GEORGE K. MIX.

OWOSSO CITY MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

—for—

Patent Flour ℔ Bbl	$ 5 50
Flour ℔ Bbl	7 50
Meal, fine bolted, ℔ 100 lb	1 00
Meal, coarse	1 75
Bran ℔ 100 lb	80
Feed ℔ 100 lb	1 00
Wheat No. 1	1 00@1 02
Corn,	70
Corn in ear	50
Oats,	40@42
Barley ℔ 100 lb	1 00@1 75
Potatoes,	70
White Beans,	1 00@2 00
Apples, Green, ℔ bbl	1 00@2 00
Onions,	50
Butter,	20@25
Butter, creamery,	25
Cheese, dairy	11
Lard,	11
Honey,	15
Eggs, fresh	20
Beeswax	18
Tallow,	4
Wool,	30@35
Hay ℔ ton	8 00
Dressed Hogs	4 00@5 00
Pulse, green	50
Plum, dry	1 75
Lower Rock Salt	1 00@1 10

☞ This space belongs to **LORING**, and you will hear from him soon.

Stoves! Stoves!

☞ Now is the time to buy. I still remain to sell as *Cheap as the Cheapest.* I have a large line of **COOK STOVES.** My *Prize Acorn, Central Draft and Model Range* have no equal for price, beauty and durability.

Also a full line of **HEATING STOVES** at prices to suit all. Coal Heaters from **$8** to **$40.** My Invincible Base Burner is a beauty. I will guarantee it to do more heating with the same amount of fuel than any other stove in the county, or no sale.

The highest price allowed for old stoves in exchange for new. Old stoves repaired. I use the heaviest iron in the market, Now is the time to get your old stove repaired. I am prepared to put up all kinds of hot water fixtures—can attach boiler and fixtures to any common stove. I also manufacture a bath tub which is cheap and convenient.

I keep in stock a full line of *Granite Iron Ware, Tea Pots, Coffee Pots, Wash Bowls, Pie Plates, Stew Kettles, and White Porcelain Ware.* A neat line of *Packet and Table Cutlery, Razors, Revolvers, &c.*

TIN AND COPPER WARE of my own make—the best to be had.

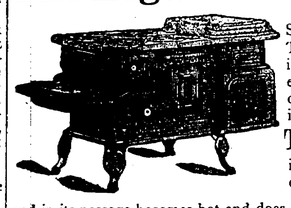
No. 8 Copper Wash Boiler $4.25. No. 9 Copper Wash Boiler $4.50. Coffee Pots from 20 cents to 50 cents. Tea Pots from 15 cents to 50 cents. Tea Pots, copper foot and bottom, 65 cents to 75 cents. Pails from 10 cents to 60 cents. Dish Pans from 35 cts to $1. The best 5 and 10 gallon Oil Can in the market

My stock of *House Trimmings* are all new—no old stock. I have a large stock of AXES, bought before the advance, and can sell the best warranted axe for $1. Stove Pipe, Elbows, &c. I have a large stock on hand of the best grade of Sheet Iron. I have a good variety of Wringers, the Peerless Wringer for $4. Old Wringers repaired. Glass, Oils, Paints, and Colors always on hand. A large supply of Water White Kerosene Oil. Remember the place. THE NEW HARDWARE. **P. FAUTH,** OWOSSO.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!

☞ We say to every one, do not buy your Stoves this fall until you have seen our complete line and got prices, as we have the largest stock to choose from in the county.

The Legal Tender Cook Stove



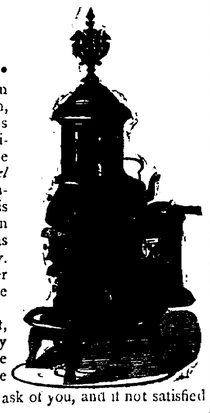
Leads the Van in being the BEST STOVE manufactured, for the money. There is probably more of these Stoves in use in this county than any two others made; and it always gives the best of satisfaction. Ours is the only place in the county where you can buy

The Charter Hot Blast,

in which the draft is taken at the back of the Stove, and carried to the front and in its passage becomes hot and does not strike the fire cold, and thereby drive all the hot air out, but retains it in the stove, and we will guarantee it to do one-third more work than any direct draft stove with the same fuel. Come and see it and be convinced.

In Heating Stoves we have them from $5.00 to $25.00, for wood, both direct draft and diving flue, too numerous to mention; but come and see them and get prices, and for Coal Burners we have the

Old Reliable, Crown Jewel.



In its new dress of 1881 it is handsomer than ever, and for beauty of finish, handsome design, and superior working qualities it as usual stands at the head of all the coal stoves made. I cordially invite all to call in and see it. I am sole agent for Shiawassee county for the *Kelley Steel Barb Wire,* and I wish to call the especial attention of those in want of wire to the fact that this wire measures nine rods more to 100 lbs., than any other wire made; it is better painted, and has a better barb. Be sure you see it before you buy.

My line of House Furnishing Goods was never more complete, and to **BUILDERS** we say come and see.

John W. Masury's Railroad Colored Paint, guaranteed to give better satisfaction than any other colored or white paint made, and to go one quarter farther or no pay. It is for sale by me only in Shiawassee county. Try it once is all I ask of you, and if not satisfied your money will be returned.

Blacksmiths and Wagon Makers' Supplies always on hand.

I have something new in Buck and Hand Saws, something that, if it does not do more and better work for less money, than any saws you have, we won't charge you anything for them. Do not fail to see them; take them and try them for yourselves.

I have a very fine line of Revolvers cheaper than ever before. Pocket and Table Cutlery a large variety. Granite Iron Ware, a full line, Stew Kettles, Stew Pans, Water Pails, Wash Basins, Pie Plates and Tea Pots. I also have a few very fine large Copper Kettles. 4tf

C. J. STUART, OWOSSO.

All Have Come.

—to—

We are again prepared to show one of the largest and best assorted stocks of

DRY GOODS

—AND—

CARPETS

In this county. Having personally made the selection in New York, we can convince the public of the above fact.

Not having time to write a large advertisement, will only state that there may be found here an immense line of DRESS GOODS, from the cheapest cotton to the finest all wool goods.

We never had such a large and well selected stock of CARPETS as this Fall, and as far as beauty and cheapness are concerned, we can please all.

COME AND BE CONVINCED

H. WESENER'S CASH DRY GOODS HOUSE,

OWOSSO, MICH.

I MEAN BUSINESS

When I tell you that I am selling Millinery cheaper than any other establishment in the county.

Call and see for Yourselves, and be convinced.

MRS. DECKER.

NEW GOODS!

The Latest Styles of

Fall and Winter Millinery,

In all the NEW SHADES, weekly received, and marked at BOTTOM PRICES.

See the 50 Ct. and $1 Goods

Before buying. All other goods will be sold at the same low rate. Feeling grateful for past favors, I cordially solicit a continuance of the same. Very Respectfully,

MRS. C. L. HARRINGTON.

Jewelry and Silverware!

☞ I have been stocking up and have now in hand one of the LARGEST and BEST SELECTED STOCKS to be found in Shiawassee County, consisting of

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Solid Silver and PLATED WARE.

☞ Also the largest selection of SPECTACLES and Eye Glasses, comprising the famous DIAMOND SPECTACLES, KING'S COMBINATION, LAZARUS and MORRIS, together with other makes, enabling me to give to customers their choice in the above brands. I have never sold my stock of Spectacles to any one, and will still continue the business of selling more Spectacles than any two men in the county. I also have the agency for the Celebrated Mabie, Todd & Co., 14k Gold Pen, the best pen in the world. I have also placed on my bench a very fine lathe, made expressly for me by the American Watch Tool Co., of Waltham, Mass., at a cost of over $300—the only complete Watch Makers' Lathe between Detroit and Grand Rapids, enabling me to make any part of a watch without the delay of sending away for same. I am also manufacturing Key Wind Watches to Stem Wind, at one half the price charged in years. All work guaranteed the best.

W. F. GUILE,
Jeweler and Optician,
212 Washington St., Owosso.

CALL AND SEE

Our Mammoth Stock OF Stoves.

The Largest Variety in the City. We show a more complete assortment than any two houses in the county. Elegant patterns of Parlor Stoves from $9.00 up. Two Revertible Flue Wood Burners of the latest designs. For Coal Stoves

THE GARLAND

1881

Has the Broom!

☞ The Prince of all Base Burners, acknowledged Favorite. The most beautiful and modern Stove the world ever produced. The popularity of the Garl and stands without a rival. For the latest and most desirable of

COOK STOVES

My assortment surpasses anything ever before displayed, and my *prices are cheaper than the cheapest.*

BUILDERS' HARDWARE. I am prepared as usual to compete with Detroit prices for anything in this line. I carry the largest line of House Trimmings in Shiawassee county. Sole Agent for Gilbert's Locks and Knobs. For durability and excellence of finish these goods are the best made; every knob warranted never to pull off; they cost no more than the old style. All are invited to examine these trimmings and get my prices before buying elsewhere. 4tf

W. H. ANDRUS, OWOSSO.

NEW MILLINERY PARLORS

Over Osborn Bros. Drug Store.

Where always will be found a Choice Selection of Goods,

Nobby Hats, Bonnets, and Hoods,

Of LATEST STYLES, which will be sold *Cheap*.

—:o:—

Having been connected as trimmer with one of the largest millinery houses in Cleveland, Ohio, I feel confident and shall endeavor to please you. Soliciting your patronage,

I Remain Yours,

Owosso, Sept. 21, 188 **Mrs. Geo. Sprinkle.**

WOODARD'S

FURNITURE EMPORIUM.

—:o:—

We are showing a splendid line of Goods on our Six Floors, and offer them at SURPRISINGLY LOW PRICES.

CHAMBER SUITS, from $15 to $200.

PARLOR SUITS, from $40 to $300.

—:o:—

BOOK CASES! GREAT VARIETY

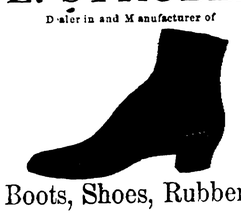
——And all other goods in our line at——

BOTTOM PRICES.

103 Wasihngton St., OWOSSO, Mich. xix14

L. STRUBER

Dealer in and Manufacturer of



Boots, Shoes, Rubbers,

Leather and Findings.

NEW BRICK STORE,

Main Street, - Owosso.

I am always prepared to serve customers with the finest assortment of BOOTS and SHOES.

All New Goods and New Styles, at BOTTOM PRICES. Every variety for MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S WEAR, of all kinds. Leather and Findings always on hand.

As I have been established in business in Owosso since 1857, I invite all my old customers, also new ones, to call and examine my superb stock of goods.

L. STRUBER.

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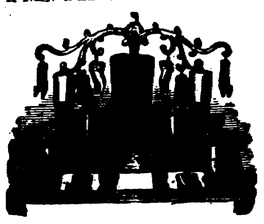
JUST RECEIVED,

A NEW & ELEGANT STOCK of FINE



Boots and Shoes!

For MEN'S, BOYS', WOMEN'S, MISSES', and CHILDREN'S wear,

At Prices to Suit the Times.

Do not fail to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

Burt's fine shoes a specialty.

B. H. Strahle,

Sign of the Golden Boot, opposite National Hotel, OWOSSO, MICH.

T. Nelan,

CARRIAGE MAKER.

Shop north-east corner of Water and Exchange Streets, Owosso.

Orders solicited for all kinds of vehicles, from a Wheelbarrow to an Omnibus

Work Guaranteed as good as the best.

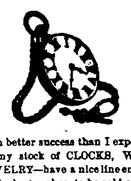
A good supply of finished work constantly on hand.

BLACKSMITHING

In connection with the Carriage Shop for all sorts of jobbing in that line, including

Horseshoeing.

JEWELRY OF ALL KINDS.



T. O. CHRISTIAN.

Meeting with better success than I expected, I have enlarged my stock of CLOCKS, WATCHES, and JEWELRY—have a nice line embracing the best makes, to be sold at

Prices as Low as the Lowest.

JEWELRY,

Comprising Ladies' and Gents Chains, Rings, Bracelets, Charms, Necklaces, &c.,

In Great Variety.

SILVER PLATED WARE.

KING'S SPECTACLES in all grades and prices.

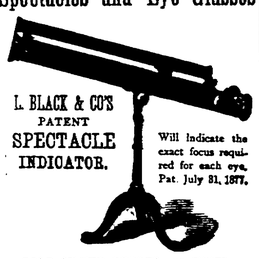
REPAIRING in my line done to order.

Please call and examine goods before buying

T. O. CHRISTIAN,

July 13, 1881. y1 OWOSSO, MICH

Spectacles and Eye Glasses



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Will indicate the exact focus required for each eye. Pat. July 31, 1877.

GOLD, SILVER, RUBBER AND STEEL.

The largest line in the county. I have the only Patent Indicator for testing the eye sight, and getting an accurate and scientific fit. Perfect fit guaranteed or the money refunded.

Glasses and Bows fitted to Old Spectacles on short notice.

——HEADQUARTERS FOR——

Crockery & Glass Ware,

Silverware, Table and Pocket Knives, Razors, Shears, Revolvers, Cartridges, Whips

And a full line of NOTIONS.

Also a full and complete stock of strictly pure

FAMILY GROCERIES

Always on Hand.

Call and examine goods and prices, as I will make it an object from now on.

JAS. A. BEEBE, Opp. National Hotel, Owosso

—WILL PAY—

CASH

—FOR—

50 Tons

—OF—

GOOD DRY CORN HUSKS.

Union Mattress Co., OWOSSO.

WISCONSIN LANDS

500,000 Acres

ON THE LINE OF THE WISCONSIN CENTRAL R. R.

For full particulars, which will be sent FREE, address CHARLES L. COLBY, Land Commissioner

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DEALER IN

Hats and Caps,

Ready Made Clothing,

AND

GENTS FURNISHING GOODS.

Washington St., OWOSSO.

DRESSMAKING.

Mrs. L. A. Stone, having taken rooms opposite the Baptist Church, is now ready to do Cutting, Fitting and Dressmaking in all styles.

Owosso, May. 4, 1881.

THE DETROIT EVENING NEWS

Will be delivered to subscribers in this city at the rate of 10 cents a week. Subscriptions should be made to

WILLIE GOULD, Agent, Owosso

SUBSCRIBE

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Only $1.40 per year, cash in advance.

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MAKES TO ORDER ALL KINDS OF

Carriages, Wagons, Platform Spring Wagons, Sleighs, Cutters, Etc., Etc.

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A SPECIALTY.

Also GENERAL JOBBING. Corner of Main and Ball Streets, Owosso. 50tf

—For—

PRINTING

Of all kinds done at the Owosso Press Printing Office.

THE OWOSSO PRESS.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1881.

Little Dora's Soliloquy.

I tan't see what our baby boy is dood for anyway;
He don't know how to walk or talk, he don't know how to play;
He tears up ev'ry single sing he posser-billy tan,
An' even tried to break, one day, my mamma's bo-oest fan.
He's al'ays tumblin' 'bout so floor, an' gives us awful scares,
An' when he goes to bed at night, he never says his prayers.
On Sunday, too, he musses up my go-to-meetin' clothes;
An' once I foun' him hard at work a pinc'in' Dolly's nose;
An' so coser day sat naughty boy (now what you s'pose you sink?)
Upset a dreat big bottle of my papa's writin' ink;
An' 'stead of kyin' dood an' hard, as course he ought to done,
He laughed, an' kicked his head most off, as much he sought 'twas fun.
He even tries to reach up high an' pull sings off se sheif,
An' he's al'ays wantin' you, of course, just w'en you wan't s you'selfe.
I rather dess, I really do, from how he pulls my curls,
Zey all was made a purpose to 'noy us little girls;
An' I wish zere wasn't no such sing as naughty baby boys—
Why—why, sat's him a kyin' now; he makes a dreful noise.
I dess I better run an' see, for he has—boo-hoo!—
Felled down se stairs an' killed hisse'f—whatever s-s-s'all I do!

—[St. Nicholas.

Guiteau's counsel thinks that it will take him three months to prepare for trial. He will rely entirely on the plea of insanity, and expects by producing evidence of the assassin's peculiar conduct in years past to prove that he is and has been irresponsible, weak, and demented. In presenting the case to the jury he will make an effort to fasten the responsibility for Guiteau's dreadful crime on the stalwarts, and hopes in this manner to arouse some sympathy for his client.

Passengers by a Southern Pacific train which has reached El Paso report witnessing a hot fight with Indians at Willcox, Arizona, last Thursday, in which the noise of the firing drowned that made by the cars. The bodies of five telegraph repairers were seen beside the track. A courier has reached Bowie with information that the band above mentioned have been driven into the mountains, abandoning all their animals. There are three columns of troops in the field, which expect to meet at the Mexican line and cross the border to co operate with the greasers.

The four men, who captured the Arkansas train-robbers secured $9,000 of the booty, which they divided up, one of the party making some objection. The robbers would then have been released but for the large rewards offered. In consideration of their silence about the divide, a solemn pledge was made them that no effort would be spared to release them from the penitentiary. The captor who favored returning the money to the railroad company escaped two attempts at assassination and revealed the facts to the authorities.

Farmers and Mechanics,

If you wish to avoid great danger and trouble, besides a no small bill of expense, at this season of the year, you should take prompt steps to keep disease from your household. The system should be cleansed, blood purified, stomach and bowels regulated, and prevent and cure diseases arising from Spring malaria. We know of nothing that will so perfectly and surely do this as Electric Bitters, and at the trifling cost of fifty cents a bottle.—*Exch.*—Sold by all druggists. 48xsy1

Clara Louise Kellogg is stout but pretty, and is said to look younger than before she left us.

We have a speedy and positive cure fo Catarrh Diphtheria, Cankes mouth and Head Ache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal Injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and wet breath. Price 50 cts. Sold by Osborn & Bro's, Owosso, Mich. ks

Muggins says he don't wonder his sweetheart is afraid of lightning—she's so awfully attractive.

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat should be stopped. Neglect frequently results in an Incurable Lung Disease or Consumption. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES are certain to give relief in Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases. For thirty years the Troches have been recommended by physicians, and always give perfect satisfaction. They are not new or untried, but having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well-merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age. Public speakers and Singers use them to clear and strengthen the Voice. Sold at twenty-five cents a box everywhere. 9nov81*

A woman woke her husband during a storm the other night, and said, "I do wish you would stop snoring, for I want to hear it thunder."

Dyspepsia & Liver Complaint.

Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints; if you think so call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer, every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Osborn & Bro's, Owosso. ks

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The Ancient Order of United Workmen has been in existence here, three years, and has cost its members (on a two thousand dollar policy) an average of eight dollars and a half a year, in assessments. Owosso Lodge No. 48, has initiated over one hundred members, and still the applications come in every week. Those desiring life insurance can find no organization or company, at once so cheap, safe and reliable.

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FOREIGN.

Gen. Prendergast has been appointed Captain General of Cuba and will sail at the end of the month.

The open market in London was again cleared of its gold supply for shipment to New York on Monday.

Parnell, in an address at Waterford, pronounced Gladstone the greatest coercionist and most unrivaled slanderer of the Irish nation.

The Czar of Russia has been asked by the Shah to send officers to reorganize the Persian army on the Russian model.

Sir Robert Lynch Blosse, of Balla, Ireland, proposes to sell to his tenants their holdings for life.

There are apprehensions of financial trouble in Germany, where the loss of gold for the past six months may force a resort to paper currency.

Under French and English advice the Khedive's ministers will give the Turkish commissioners no information about the internal affairs of Egypt.

Eugenie, on her recent visit to Paris, is said to have executed a will in favor of Prince Victor, and urged him to devote his mind to the imperial cause.

An Irish farmer, named Leary, living on the estate of Lord Kenmore, near Rathmore, was fatally shot by a band of armed men, who warned him not to pay rent.

Senor Guell, presented in the Spanish senate a demand for autonomy for Cuba and the concession of a commercial treaty between that island and the United States on the basis of absolute freedom of commerce.

Gladstone, on appearing at Leeds, was presented with eighty-six addresses. He claimed that £100,000,000 had been lost by bad harvests. At a banquet in the evening he expressed the sentiment that, while justice to Ireland is a sacred duty, it must be accompanied by equal justice to England and Scotland. He took occasion to contrast O'Connell's fidelity to the crown with Parnell's hostility to everything English.

The Russian emperor is negotiating for the purchase of the residences surrounding his palace. A subterranean passage has been constructed all around the imperial residence, which can be patrolled by sentinels and speedily placed under water.

The recent massacre of railway employes by Arabs at Wadzergha, Tunis, was prompted by the wholesale destruction of olive forests and vineyards which General Sabatier deemed necessary. The station-master was burned alive. The ten workmen killed were Maltese and Italians. A thorough investigation is being made by the English and Italian consuls.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

In pursuance of Act No. 117 of 1879, and acts amendatory thereto, the undersigned, Commissioner of the Angle Swamp Land State Ditch, will receive proposals in writing for the digging and constructing of the eastern division of said ditch, commencing at a point 4 86-100ths chains east and 17 95-100ths chains south of the north quarter post of section twenty-two town eight north of range two east, thence west two miles, to a point 21 26-100ths chains west and twenty feet north, of north-east corner of section twenty, town eight north of range two east; length of ditch two miles, according to survey made by Ezra Mason, Deputy County Surveyor, July 20 and 21, 1881.

The average depth of ditch will be about 4 feet and 8 feet wide on bottom, one foot slope on each bank to one foot rise; greatest width of bottom, 10 feet, least width of bottom, 6 feet.

Contracts will only be made with responsible bidders, who will be required to furnish two acceptable sureties as a satisfactory guarantee that the parties proposing will enter into contract as required, and complete the work in a good workmanlike manner by the first day of December, 1882.

Proposals will be received by me in Henderson Village, Shiawassee County, Michigan, until *two o'clock p. m., on the 23d day of November, 1881*, where the survey of said improvement and form of contract required, can be seen, and such other information obtained as may be desired.

Payment for the work will be made by the state in any vacant state swamp lands in the Lower Peninsula, at the minimum price established by law.

The right to reject any or all bids deemed inconsistent with the interests of the state is hereby reserved. Dated at Henderson, Oct. 13, 1881.

JOHN HENDERSON, Local Commissioner.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

In pursuance of act No 117 laws of 1879, and acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, the undersigned Local Commissioner of the Maple River Swamp Land, State Drain, will on the *10th day of November*, 1881, at two o'clock p. m., at my residence in the township of Owosso, Michigan, receive bids for the construction of said drain, as follows: Commencing 11 48-100ths chains west, and 13 34-100ths chains north of the east ¼ post of section 22, in town 7 north, range 1 east, Middlebury from thence running an easterly course to a point situated 10 chains north of the south-east corner of section 29, in town 7 north, range 2 east, Owosso, a distance of four miles and 195 48-100ths rods, according to the approved survey thereof. All bids must be written or printed, and each bidder will be required to furnish at least two responsible sureties, that in case the contract is awarded him, that the work will be fully completed in accordance with form of contract required, on or before the 1st day of July, 1882. The survey of said drain and the form of contract required, may be seen at my residence at any time previous to the date of receiving bids. Payment for the work will be made by the State in Swamp Lands in the Lower Peninsula, at the minimum price established by law. Blank bids may be had upon application. All bids will be subject to the acceptance of the Board of Control of State Swamp Lands.

The right to reject any or all bids deemed inconsistent with the interests of the State is hereby reserved. ELIHU W. MASON, Local Commissioner.

Dated, Owosso, Oct. 10, 1881. 6td

Order of Publication.

State of Michigan. The Circuit Court for Shiawassee county, In Chancery. Annie M. House vs. Charles W. House.

It satisfactorily appearing to this court by affidavit, that Charles W. House the defendant, is a non-resident of the State of Michigan, and that he resides in the State of Alabama, therefore on motion of Jerome W. Turner solicitor for complainant, it is ordered, that said defendant appear and answer the Bill of complaint filed herein, within four months from the date of this Order, and that this Order be published once in each week for six weeks in succession in the Owosso PRESS, a newspaper printed and circulating in Shiawassee county, unless a copy of this Order shall be served on said defendant personally, at least twenty days before the time prescribed for the appearance of said defendant in said order. And it is on like motion further ordered, that in default of the appearance herein required, and upon due proof of the publication of this Order, or of the personal service thereof, on said defendant, the said bill of complaint shall be taken as confessed against said defendant.

JEROME W. TURNER, Sol'r for Comp't. JOSIAH TURNER, Circuit Judge. 3-9

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Shiawassee, in favor of Newton McBain, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Hugh Davis and Henry U. Linzey, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did on the 13th day of September, A. D., 1881, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said Henry U. Linzey in and to the following described real estate, that is to say: The north half of the north-east quarter of section twenty-one (21), also the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-two (22), situated in the township of New Haven, all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of Corunna, in said county, (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county of Shiawassee) on the *31st day of October*, A. D., 1881, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Dated this 14th day of Sept., A. D., 1881.

LYON & KILPATRICK, Plaintiff's Attorneys. CLARK D. SMITH, Sheriff. By E. P. BYERLY, Dep'y Sheriff 2-8

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Local and Otherwise.

—The streets of Owosso are filled with teams, every day.

Dr. McVicar of the State normal school has issued an order that male and female pupils shall not board at the same house.

Track laying has commenced on the the Saginaw, Tuscola and Huron Railroad. It is the intention to have the road completed to Sebewaing by the 1st of December.

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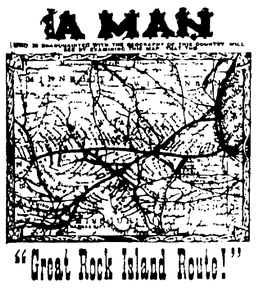

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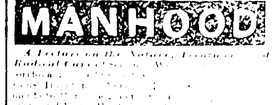

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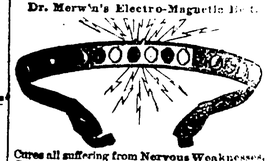

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