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Saginaw County Agricultural Society has decided to hold its Annual Exposition in connection with the North Eastern Agricultural Society of Michigan at East Saginaw, on September [illegible]. The three first days are [illegible] as the Shiawassee county fair.

In Kent County a fusion has been formed by the Democrats and the Greenbackers on the county ticket. The former get candidates for Clerk, Treasurer, Prosecuting Attorney and Surveyor. The latter get the candidates for State Senator, Sheriff and Register, and each [illegible] a Commissioner and Coroner.

Outrageous Burglary

Correspondence of the Owosso (Mich.) Independent:

ELGIN, Aug. 21. One of the most daring robberies that was ever perpetrated in this part of the country, occurred at the house of George Doud, about two miles north-east of this village last Friday night. After midnight and as near as Mr. Doud can estimate about two o'clock a. m., Mr. Doud and wife were awakened by the opening of a door and as they both rose in bed the flash of a "bull's eye" nearly blinded them and two men sprang to the bed with cocked revolvers and ordered them to lie still, and they would not be harmed as all they wanted was money. Notwithstanding this Mr. Doud called to Dan, (his adopted son,) hoping to draw off their attention for a moment. One of the robbers immediately covered Dan. with his revolver and ordered him to get up and get in bed with the old folks. One of the burglars then stood guard over them while the other searched the house. After searching Dan's bed and the bureau, they took Dan out into the kitchen and threatened to shoot him if he did not tell where the money was. He was then brought back and they were all ordered into the bed that had been searched, ordering Mr. Doud to the back side of the bed; they then searched the other bed. So far they had only found a little change in Mr. D's pants' pocket and about seven dollars in Mrs. Doud's pocket book. The robber who guarded the bed then ordered the other one to pull out the bed and bureau and take up the carpet, which he did, finding a pocket book containing fifty-two dollars. They then tore up the rest of the carpet and scattered things all over the house, but found nothing more. They then took all the lamps and Doud's gun out of doors so that they could not strike a light, then took a lot of victuals and after ordering the family to lie still an hour on pain of death they decamped with their booty. They took nothing but money and food, except Mr. D's watch which they hung on the gate where it was found in the morning.

The robbers entered the house by a back window, by tearing out the musquito netting and moving the dishes off a table which stood under the window. The family all slept in one room and heard no noise until they were covered by revolvers.

Mr. Doud described the men as short and slim, the taller of the two not over 5 feet 6 inches high, while the smaller one had a rather long, slim hand which by the light of the "bull's eye" looked white as a lady's. They were dressed in brown clothes and were without hats, but had their heads and faces covered with handkerchiefs with eye holes in them. They left no clue and no keepsakes except two small canes, one hickory and the other beech, which they had cut somewhere several days before. Mr. Doud authorized your correspondent to say that he would give fifty dollars for the catching and conviction of the daring burglars. Earlier in the night, some one tried the doors of T. Kirby's house, but were frightened off by the dog.

THE TOY PISTOL.

I am the famously funny toy,
Made with a special view to destroy
The too inquisitive small boy,
With at intervals, one that's bigger.
I do my work with rare precision,
And open up the fields Elysian
To many a hopeful youngster's vision,
Who confidingly pulls my trigger!

I work by a kind of unrecognized law,
While my lock, at producing the dreadful lock-jaw,
Is far more effective than any buzz saw,
As likewise 'tis surer and faster;
I take whatsoever conveniently comes—
Now and then fingers, now and then thumbs
And manage somehow to pluck plenty of plums
From the pudding of daily disaster!

Though croup and colic and kerosene,
And cramps in the water when bathing unseen,
And watermelons and apples green,
Of their wonted mission have missed all,
There is still this perfect certainty given
To the average youngster of six or seven,
Who yearns to find a short cut to heaven,
Let him go and get a toy pistol!

From [illegible] H. L. Manning

[illegible]

Shiawassee County Pilgrim in the Pennsylvania Mountains.

[illegible] 22, 1882.

[illegible] the Manuscript River [illegible] Wednesday morning last [illegible] and pleasant, [illegible] mountains begin to [illegible] grandeur and sublimity as we [illegible] of the largest [illegible] in the Union [illegible] scenes at the end of the Belt [illegible] gauge R. R. beyond those [illegible] We reached this place about [illegible] to spend the night. We spent the evening at a negro camp meeting. The grounds were beautifully [illegible] bodies, and around the seats [illegible] vegetation, were tents neatly fitted and occupied by negro families. Just back of these stood a large boarding house and in front was the speaking stand. A fine troop of colored singers were in attendance making the meeting much more interesting with their fine voices. We heard a good sermon on "Eternity" by Rev. James Eaton of Altoona. Thus the evening passed very pleasantly. Only about one fifth of the people in attendance were colored. Policemen were stationed all around the grounds, and perfect order prevailed during services.

Next day we took the morning train for Rhododendron Park to spend the afternoon with a party of pic-nickers from Altoona.

This is a beautiful, romantic spot at the very summit of the mountain, 2,300 feet above tide, with cool, refreshing springs, fountains playing, dancing pavillions, and artificial lakes. Swinging, dancing, croquet playing &c., are among the amusements of the day. These are the most romantic pic-nic grounds in the State. The day soon wore away and passed so pleasantly that each one was ready to exclaim, "what a good time!" Six o'clock brought our train for Altoona; we boarded it tired, but happy, and were soon seated to a bountiful supper at the "Arlington House." Next day we rambled about the city and climbed hills nearly all day. The State of Pennsylvania is noted for its wealth of scenic beauty and atmospheric purity, and many popular resorts are located within its borders which present first claims for public favor.

Altoona is situated at the head of Logan valley on the main line of the P. R. R. on the eastern slope of the Alleghanies. The location is 1200 feet above the level of the sea, in an atmosphere of more than ordinary purity. It is the summit city of the P. R. R. and was really created by its company, and chosen as the place for the principal offices of its main line, the business of which stimulated the town into rapid growth and prosperity. From the extent and variety of its surroundings it especially appeals to the favor of the summer tourist. Within the radius of a few miles, is seen the gradual transition from the graceful and picturesque to the rugged and sublime. Just west of Altoona is the famous Horse Shoe Bend. The curve is so short that passengers in the back coaches can see the engine broadside across the deep pass that divides them. In the centre of the curve is a tiny house with several beds of flowers. Above the curve we can look down the almost perpendicular side of the mountain into the awful chasm below and across the ravine are stupendous mountains. The scenery is beyond the description of pen. Fancy wove for me a beautiful net, but it was not *half* equal to the realization.

We reached Cresson on our homeward journey at four o'clock on Friday. This has long been noted for the curative properties of its mineral springs, and is deservedly popular as a summer resort, from the beauty of its surroundings and the excellence of its hotel. It is located high up on the mountain 2,300 feet above the level of the sea, in the midst of delightful scenery away from the noise and bustle of the city. As our party were aiming to get to the very highest point, we took the hack to the Summit House, 2,700 feet above tide. Here we were about one and a half miles above the Cresson or Mountain House, surrounded by scenery equal to that, and in a much cooler and more bracing air.

The Mountain House was built in 1880 and 1881, on the site of the old hotel. It is a very striking structure in the Queen Anne style of architecture, blended with the Oriental. It is located on the crest of the hill in a beautiful grove. The main front is 300 feet long with an elevation of 100 feet, embracing four stories and basement, with wings extending from each end to a depth of 220 feet. The whole building is surrounded with a covered piazza 16 feet wide, forming a promenade 1200 feet long. The hotel itself will accommodate 900 persons, in addition to which there are 25 cottages in the surrounding grove providing special accommodations for those who seek the quiet of home, and at the same time are near enough to the concert and dance to participate at pleasure. There are 1,000 rooms in the hotel, and 600 guests this season patronize it all the time. Among the guests there at present are Mrs. James G. Blaine and Mrs. Geo. W. Childs, both of Philadelphia.

During our stay at the Summit House we had the pleasure of a walk over the old Portage Road with its ten inclined planes, by which the P. R. R. originally crossed the mountains. Tired and foot sore we returned to our hotel after a three miles walk (which by the way, would be quite a distance in Michigan to walk without the scenery to attract our attention) ready for a good dinner. After dinner we took carriages for a drive around the Cresson grounds, and the two hours we were out soon passed away. When the five o'clock train came, it found us very reluctant to leave the lovely scenes that had made a feast for our eyes for [illegible] days.

The invisible hand of [illegible] drew the curtains around us, twilight deepened into night, and the little [illegible] away [illegible]

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—The following patents were granted to citizens of this State, bearing date of Aug. 15, 1882, and reported for this paper by Louis Bagger & Co., Experts and Solicitors of Patents, Washington, D. C.:

L. Blanchard, Munson, Mowing Machine.
J. Cornwell, Cadillac, Grain Decorating Machine.
J. Howell, Jackson, Two Wheeled Vehicle.
S. E. Millett, Millett Station, Wire Gate.
W. Smith, Eaton Rapids, Fastener for Boot Straps.
F. Sweetland, Edwardsburg, Car Coupling.
S. E. Walbridge, Kalamazoo, Mail Shipping Case.

Black lace and colored silk ruches are worn in the neck of dresses.

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[illegible] Lansing and set down beside [illegible] makes more room [illegible] being a good [illegible] ady to become addicted [illegible] habit, and [illegible] myself walking [illegible] green meadows and beside the [illegible] well cultivated farms. We may be [illegible] have [illegible] Monday [illegible]

I want to speak to you of your mother. Perhaps you have noticed a cure worn [illegible] of late. Of course it has not been brought there by any act of yours, still it is your duty to chase it away. I don't mean for you to run around and shake your skirts, and tell it to shoo, as you would a hen, nor do I expect you to get on the other side of the fence and throw old oyster cans and pieces of barrel staves at it, as you did at the cow yesterday. But I want you to get up to morrow morning and get breakfast, and when your mother comes down and begins to express her surprise go right up to her and kiss her on the mouth. You don't imagine how it will brighten up her dear face. Besides, you owe her a kiss or two. Away back when you were a little girl she has kissed you when no one else was tempted by your feverstainted breath and swollen face. You were not attractive then as you are now. And along through those years of childish sunshine and shadow, she was ready to cure, by the magic of a mother's kiss, the little, dirty, chubby hands whenever they were injured in those first skirmishes with the rough world. And then the midnight kisses with which she has routed so many bad dreams, as she leaned above your restless pillow, have all been on interest these long, long years. Of course she is not so pretty and kissable as you are, but if you had done your share of the work during the last ten years the contrast would not be so marked. Her face has more wrinkles than yours, far more, and yet if you were sick that face would appear to you to be more beautiful than an angel's as it hovered over you, watching every opportunity to minister to your comfort, and every one of those wrinkles would be bright wavelets of sunshine, chasing each other over the dear old face.

She will leave you one of these days. Those burdens, if [illegible] lifted from her shoulders, [illegible] those [illegible] him, ask him how [illegible] got up in the middle of the night to warm peppermint for you when you were dying with the colic, or how many hours he has carried you up and down the room just because you would not be quieted any other way. Ask him to repeat Mother Hubbard backwards, and, if he is unable to do it, it will be proof positive that he is not the one who has repeated it and explained it to you seventeen hundred times. Catechise him to find if he is the one who gave you the black silk dress, and sat up at night to make it while you were off having a good time. Corner him up and make him admit that he went without a new bonnet last winter that you might enjoy a $12 one that you admired so much. Wring from him a confession that he has a stitch in his side brought there by doing up your finery week after week. Then show him out the front door, put on a calico apron, and help your mother pick currants for jelly, and I guarantee you will think more of yourself, the world will think more of you, and you will be happier and better for having done so.—[Peck's Sun.

Apples for Export.

From reliable sources we learn that the apple crop will be very poor in England this year, and not over-abundant on the continent of Europe. A short apple crop in England, means a demand for American fruit, to the profit, if not of our orchardists, at least to our shippers. In former years, American apples have met with a ready sale at paying prices in England, but within the last two or three years, the trade has been less profitable. It is the old story over again, that good fruit in good condition, brings good prices. Two years ago, taking advantage of the unusual scarcity abroad, parties sent over large quantities of apples, without regard to their quality or condition. As a consequence, this fruit in Covent-garden market, as it would have been in Washington market, was left on the dealer's hands. Hundreds of barrels did not bring the cost of the freight, and American apples fell into disfavor. The same course, if followed this year, will meet with a similar result. Only the best fruit, packed in the best manner, will pay in England as at home. The English received their first impressions of American apples from the Newtown Pippin, which several years ago was the only kind sent abroad, and was in demand there, however large their own crop of fruit might be. But this variety is now far from abundant, and others have been forwarded of late years. The "Baldwin," "Greening," "Spitzenberg," "Northern Spy," "King of Thompkins Co.," etc.,

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MICHIGAN STATE [illegible]

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A Saginaw paper says that an [illegible] published young lady of Watertown, who is a recent graduate of the Lansing high school, cut all of her fingers [illegible] last year with a self raking reaper.

The Holland City News says that Mr. Garfield of Jamestown, Ottawa county, brother of the deceased president, is building a fine house and barn on his farm the means being furnished him by Mrs. James A. Garfield.

W. C. Latta, a graduate of the State Agricultural College, class of '77, has been appointed professor of agriculture in Perdue university, in place of Professor Ingersoll, recently made president of the Nebraska agricultural college.

Some of our farmers are said to be threshing their good and damaged wheat together, instead of separating it before threshing. This will bring down the price of good wheat to a level with a poor article, and the farmer is hereby doing himself great injustice.—[Kalamazoo Commercial.

In Saginaw City, recently, a lady saw a man getting through a window into her house and aroused her husband, who got out just in time to fire at a man who was getting over the fence. An officer was in the vicinity and gave chase. The would-be burglars had something that resembled the old-fashioned police rattles with which they gave signals. The officer was unable to track them.

The Ionia Sentinel says: "From reports received we are inclined to believe that the damage to wheat in this county is not so serious as has been feared. A large proportion of the grown wheat will bring a cent a pound, and a fair percent. of that which has been standing out during the rains, if properly handled, will bring still more. Forty per cent. will probably cover the loss on wheat that was not sheltered. Estimating this at one million bushels in this county, the loss to farmers may be calculated at $400,000, instead of $750,000 as estimated by our buyers."

Robert Dennis of Casco wintered one swarm of bees and from them now has seven swarms. This may seem an extraordinary yield to some of our bee men, and we will try and tell them how it happened, they of course allowing that the weather has not been very warm for the past two or three days, and we have had a chance to study this matter. The original swarm swarmed twice in May, making him three swarms. Then the first swarm of these two new swarms swarmed twice in July, making him five swarms. Then the original swarm swarmed in July, making him six swarms. Then the second swarm from the original swarm swarmed in August, making him seven swarms—this last swarming being a swarming considered something new by bee men.—[South Haven Sentinel.

The weather bulletin says "the rivers will remain stationary." This is truly ungrateful on the part of the rivers. After the liberal appropriations that have been bestowed on them, they should each and all rise, if only to express their thanks.—[Boston Transcript.

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John McCullough will begin his next session at St. Paul, Minn., on the 4th of September.

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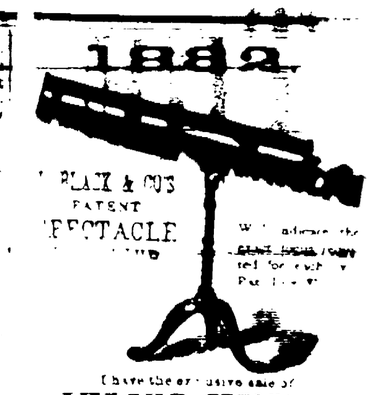

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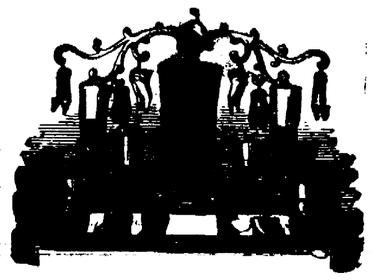

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H. Champ[illegible]

Wednesday, August [illegible]

[illegible]

Democratic Congressional Convention

[illegible] Court House in the city of Saginaw [illegible] September [illegible] at [illegible] o'clock [illegible]

[illegible]

Democratic County Convention

A Democratic County Convention is hereby ordered to be held at the Court House in Corunna on Friday, Sept. 8, 1882, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of appointing thirteen delegates to represent Shiawassee county in the 6th Congressional District Convention, to be held in Saginaw City, Sept. 13, also, to appoint delegates to attend the 12th Senate District Convention when called, and to nominate candidates for county officers and appoint members of the County Committee for the ensuing two years.

Each township and city is entitled to be represented in the County Convention by the number of delegates indicated by the figures following the name of the township or city, as follows:

Antrim	5	Owosso	6
Bennington	7	Perry	9
Burns	8	Rush	8
Caledonia	6	Sciota	8
Corunna	8	Shiawassee	10
Fairfield	4	Venice	6
Hazelton	7	Vernon	11
Middlebury	5	Woodhull	4
New Haven	5		

Aug. 26, 1882. By order of Co. Committee.
J. H. CHAMPION, Chairman

The Republican Congressional Convention unanimously nominated Horr for re-election.

The Chesaning Argus says that Hon. Jerome W. Turner, of Owosso, has been mentioned as a possible Democratic candidate for Congress in this district. Yes, a very possible candidate.

The Republican county convention to nominate officers will be held at Corunna next Saturday. Candidates for nomination are thus forecast by the American: Sheriff, Ball of New Haven, Sager of Bennington, Chapell and Agnew of Corunna, Washburn of Fairfield, Shotwell of Antrim, and J. A. Chapin of Owosso city. Circuit Court Commissioners, R. F. Taylor and C. H. Hutchins, of Owosso, Mathew Bush of Vernon and W. E. Frazer of Corunna. The American proposes C. J. Gale, Esq., as the next chairman of the county committee, the position now held by Hon. W. M. Kilpatrick.

The Democratic State Convention has done a good work. It has given to the people of Michigan not only a State ticket on which Democrats and Greenbackers can unite, but one which all who feel that the country can be relieved from official corruptions and knaveries only by the overthrow of the dominant party, may sustain, and feel that they are sustaining honest, capable men for State officers. For brevity we give the follwing sketch from the Grand Rapids Democrat:

"Josiah W. Begole, the candidate for Governor, has served the Flint district with distinction in Congress; Mr. Pringle, the candidate for lieutenant governor, has served the state in the legislature, constitutional conventions, and in other public and responsible capacities; Mr. Shakespear, for Secretary of the State, is the well-known editor of the Kalamazoo Daily Gazette; Timothy Tarnesy of Saginaw, for attorney general, is an able lawyer, and as the Democratic nominee for congress against Mr. Horr ran far ahead of his ticket; while as to James Blair of this city, the nominee for auditor general, he is too well and too favorably known, not only in this community, but throughout the state, to make any introduction necessary.

It is seldom, indeed, that so strong an array of names finds a place on one ticket—a fact to be in a measure accounted for by reason of two parties being drawn upon to secure them."

The excellent platform is warmly endorsed by the Michigan Democracy, and is also receiving high commendations from abroad. The N. Y. World says:

These straightforward utterances of sound Democratic principle come into the squabbles and personalities of our New York politics like a fresh breeze from the Northwest into the slums. As the World has more than once pointed out, it is from the West and the South that the impulse which will secure the triumph of sound economic doctrines in this country must come. While the World will hail every indication of its advent, no matter through what windows the light may shine, it is particularly satisfactory to find a Democratic convention forward and fearless in the good work. Until the manacles of protection are struck from the industry and enterprise of this country, there can be no relief for the people from those burdens of high prices and grinding taxation which are the stock in trade to-day of every scoundrelly demagogue and political humbug in the land, and no hope, therefore, of a re-establishment of the old Democratic supremacy in the counsels of the nation.

THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

[illegible] Platform Adopted and [illegible] Ticket Nominated

The Democratic State Convention held in this city last Wednesday [illegible]

[illegible]

Governor,
Commissioner of the State [illegible]
Superintendent of Public Instruction,
Member of the Board of [illegible]

SECOND DIVISION.

Lieutenant Governor,
Secretary of State,
State Treasurer,
Auditor General,
Attorney-General.

And that the National Greenback convention be invited to make a choice between the foregoing lists of candidates to be selected from their party, and this convention will name candidates for the offices named in the other list, the nominees to be ratified by each convention.

Mr. Powers said this brought the question fairly before the house, and in such a manner that every Democrat in the State could support the movement without any sacrifice. It would be a union in which all the elements opposed to the Republicans could join, and he believed that patriotism and good government demand that an earnest effort be made to unite the people against Republican misrule.

This was received with applause and enthusiastic speeches favoring the movement were made by Hon. D. Cramer of Washtenaw, Hon. N. H. Stewart of Kalamazoo, Hon. J. W. Turner of Shiawassee, and others.

Mr. Turner said: The first duty of a delegate is to be sure of the sentiments of his constituents. I am assured that in my section the feeling is that there is such great danger in the ascendency of the Republican party in the future that the people are willing to do anything that will form a combination to oppose them. There is no reason why two parties should not combine for a common object. There is no argument against the coalition of two parties which can not be urged against the organization of one. [Applause.] I do not suppose the time will ever come when somebody will not find fault with the co-operation of two parties on the ground of principle. You can not frighten me with any such rawhead and bloody bones. [Laughter.] We've been standing by principle for the last twenty-five years. We have embodied our principles every two years in a fine coffin in the platform, and they have there lain in state for two or three days in the columns of the newspapers, to be then very decently interred for two years, when they will be again brought out. Stand by principles! As if a union with another party implied a descent to Avernus and was a prelude to the dissolution of all things in the world; [laughter.] There are times when the party discipline requires parties to break ranks just as it requires them to organize. Talk about principles! I will bet a hundred dollars to ten cents that when the platform of the other convention is adopted, there will be hardly a shade of difference between them. Talk about sacrifice of principle! There are no principles in the way. They will resolve against monopoly; so will we. They will denounce that miserable thing called a protective tariff; so will we. Every Democrat believes with the statement of a member of Congress, that the tariff was designed to prevent the free distribution of God Almighty's blessings by act of Congress. [Laughter.] They will advocate laws for the actual settler. They will go against the assessment of officials and against drawing money from the people to elect Horr and other Congressmen who voted for the River and Harbor steal. Ten to one there will be no difference between the two conventions upon any of these questions. But the money question—the money question! There are some who regard that as the ark of the covenant, and that those who lay hands on it should die. [Laughter.] There is nothing to find fault with about money. It shows how men often quarrel with little difference between them. It is not the nature of value, but the performance of functions that men crown themselves with. Every Democrat is ready to take anything—gold, greenbacks or silver so long as it will perform its function. I feel deeply. I am a little fellow, but I feel all through. I am sorry to hear that, if we should form a combination, we should lose the First Congressional District. I am in favor of it, even if they should be defeated there. However, they have not been in the habit of electing their Congressmen there of late. [Laughter.] A principle against union! Shake not thy gory locks

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[illegible] Governor Jackson, Secretary of State, A. J. Sherwood, of Kalamazoo, State Treasurer, Edward Kanter, of Wayne, Auditor General, Jas. Blair, of Kent, Attorney-General, Dorothy S. Tarsney, of Saginaw.

The nominees [illegible]

[illegible] Governor, Josiah Begole; [illegible] Land Commissioner, John [illegible], of St. Joseph; Superintendent of Public Instruction, David Preston, of Mackinac; Member of Board of Education, [illegible] Barr.

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A Democratic state central committee was elected, as follows:

Hon. O. M. Barnes, Chairman.
First District, John Minock, [illegible]; James S. Campbell, Wayne.
Second District—C. H. Richards, Washtenaw; Ira B. Card, Hillsdale.
Third District—A. J. Brown, Berrien; Enoch Boucher, Jackson.
Fourth District—A. J. Shakespeare, Kalamazoo; B. Frankenburg, Berrien.
Fifth District—I. M. Weston, Ionia; M. R. Howard, Ottawa.
Sixth District—Geo. F. Spencer, Tuscola; Elliot R. Wilcox, Oakland.
Seventh District—Warren Parker, Macomb; Elliott G. Stevenson, St. Clair.
Eighth District—W. H. F. Benjamin, Saginaw; E. W. Sprague, Montcalm.
Ninth District—H. B. Wilson, Muskegon; H. F. Burtch, Mecosta.
Tenth District—L. S. Coman, Paw Paw; Powell Rose, Emmet.
Eleventh District—John Power, Delta; W. P. Preston, Mackinac.

The following platform was adopted with great unanimity and enthusiasm:

The Democracy of Michigan, in convention assembled, recognizing the People as the source of political power, and the Constitution as the fundamental law of the land, do solemnly declare:

1. That home rule is the essence of free government; that the line bounding State and national authority is clearly defined, and needs only to be strictly followed to insure the broadest liberty to the People.

2. Earnestly believing that a real civil service reform is needed to purify every department of the Federal Government, we, therefore, demand, as an initial but important step in this direction, an amendment to the Federal Constitution which will give to the people of the several cities, villages and such other postal districts as may be authorized by law, the right to elect postmasters.

We also demand that Federal subordinate officers shall not be appointed or removed because of political belief, nor appointed until their ability and merit have been proven by open public examination and competition, and that political assessments on, or forced contributions from, public officers, should be made felony by law.

3. We are unalterably opposed to the unjust, unequal and iniquitous system of taxation called a protective tariff, which oppresses the farmer and laborer, destroys our merchant marine, breeds and enriches monopolies and impoverishes the poor. The traditional policy and principles of the Democratic party are on the side of complete commercial freedom; and we demand immediate and aggressive revenue reform in the direction of free trade, subject to a tariff only sufficient to raise the necessary revenue for the expenditures of government economically administered.

4. That the right of Congress to make appropriations for the improvement of rivers and harbors should be restricted to such as are of national importance; that the people of Michigan cannot be bribed with a share of the theft to sanction the waste of $30,000,000 in two years; and we denounce, without distinction of party, all who voted in Congress for the iniquitous River and Harbor bill.

5. That the letting of the printing of the annual tax sales to party favorites, without competitive bidding, and the keeping in the State Treasury of from one to two million dollars of State funds for the benefit of partisan office-holders while the people are heavily taxed, are demoralizing to the public service and demand immediate reform.

We cordially invite the voters of Michigan, without regard to previous party affiliations, to join us in an earnest effort to correct these abuses, by withdrawing the administration of State affairs from those who have been already too long in power, and confiding it to those who come freshly from the people, untrammeled by the tyranny of political rings and of party machinery.

The convention adjourned amid wild and enthusiastic cheering and applause.

The Greenback State Convention.

The Greenback State Convention at Grand Rapids, last Wednesday, was called to order by Gen. Innes, and W. D. Fuller, of Newaygo was made chairman. The Convention voted to unite with the Democrats on a State ticket, and made their nominations for the first division offered by the Democrats, as given in this paper in the proceedings of the Democratic convention, Gen. Innes presenting the name of Mr. Begole for Governor. The following platform was adopted:

Re-affirming the leading principles of the party as set forth in the last national platform.

The right to petition to amend the constitution is a sovereign power of the people and we therefore favor the submission to the people of the question of constitutional prohibition of the liquor traffic for ratification or rejection.

We will support no candidate for any [illegible] who is not pledged himself [illegible] accept from any corporation a free pass on any railroad or public conveyance or [illegible] in exchange for any such favor.

We [illegible] a party for saving the homes of the people, for saving the people from the robbery of national banks, for saving the people to relieve the hands of speculation, monopoly and the producing classes, and for extravagant appropriations of near $500,000,000 out of the earnings of former years.

The success of other parties for a generation past, and the crowning shame of the present, are due to grasping monopolists who have purchased the public politicians, who have power to give special privileges through misrepresentation of the people.

We favor the repeal of the specific tax on railroad and other corporate property, and demand that they be subjected to a tax in the municipality where located, upon the basis on which other property is assessed.

We invite all good citizens to join us in saving the union, preserving free government, and rebuking the Republicans who are reported to be in conspiracy with the Greenbackers with the hope of creating a split in the Democratic party, which succeeded in creating a split in some Congressional districts, all of which went [illegible] in the form of nominating [illegible]

GENERAL NEWS

The arrivals of Russian Jews in New York have almost ceased, but the relief committee is still caring for a considerable number who have not found employment.

The St. Louis and San Francisco road has sold all its lands in Jasper, Newton and McDonald counties, Missouri, to a company formed in Scotland to establish a cattle and sheep ranch.

Rymer, who stabbed McCarvey near Fort Lyon, was taken from jail at West Las Animas and lynched by a mob supposed to be composed of soldiers from the fort.

At Rock Creek, Wyoming, a hunter named Gibbon shot dead a clerk of the name of Robert Aiken. Within five hours the corpse of the murderer ornamented a box-car.

Two steamers stirred the waters of Lake Minnetonka Wednesday until they gave up the body of Miss Ella Walker, of St. Louis and there is no longer any doubt that she took her own life.

Forty Iowa brewers held a secret meeting at Davenport Wednesday, probably to concert measures in opposition to the enforcement of the prohibitory amendment.

Hon. A. W. Sawyer, formerly justice of the supreme court of New Hampshire, died in the hands of a physician, who was giving him ether in order to amputate his foot.

During a difficulty at a shooting match at Greencastle, Ind., Saturday, James Ryan instantly killed Thomas Eads by breaking his neck with a blow of his fist.

The St. Louis *Christian* and Chicago *Evangelist* have been consolidated. The former name will be retained, and the paper will be published simultaneously at St. Louis and Chicago.

Turkish wheat, which was introduced into Kansas two years ago, is in great demand for milling at Minneapolis, whither shipments are being made.

George Spencer, well known in the vicinity of Wabash, Ind., is charged by his wife with burning her wheat stacks and threatening her life. Mrs. Spencer some time ago sued for divorce hence the alleged illegal acts of her spouse.

Cablegrams from Constantinople report the arrest of fifty persons engaged in enlisting men in behalf of the khedive. Osman Pasha is said to have been the intermediary. A secret investigation is being made.

O'Donovan Rossa claims that there is $80,000 of the Irish skirmishing fund in the hands of trustees, and has called a meeting to compel an accounting. Violent threats were made by the gathering against the holders of the funds.

In a letter to the auditing board, Dr. D. W. Bliss asks for $25,000 for his services at the bedside of President Garfield, claiming a direct loss of $15,000 in practice and by subsequent ill-health.

Joseph A. Shirk, one of the best known postal clerks in the west, was killed near Indianapolis by a lurch of the car, as he stood near the open door, throwing him out against the beams of Eagle creek bridge.

There is a bear market in Wall street. Attacks are the most determined against such stocks as have of late advanced most rapidly. Prices have dropped sufficiently to induce the public to invest for a rise in September.

By the use of a magnetic rod, a mine locator has found off the harbor of Erie the wreck of the schooner Vermillion, which was sunk in a storm nearly half a century ago, with 350 tons of copper on board, valued at $150,000.

Henry J. Hall, paying teller of the Rhode Island Hospital Trust company, has confessed the embezzlement of $21,000 in the past seven years. He has a wife and three children, and spent the money in extravagant living.

The greenbackers of Kansas nominated for governor Chase Robinson, the earliest chief magistrate of that state, and passed resolutions favoring the enforcement of all laws on the statute books.

The democratic state convention of Michigan, after a debate, voted to divide the state ticket with the greenbackers. The proposition was accepted, and Hon. J. W. Begole was nominated for governor.

The three men who robbed a stage near Globe, Arizona, and killed the express messenger have been captured, and one of the number has made a detailed confession. The $3,000 stolen has not yet been recovered.

The butchers of Baltimore met to voice their indignation at the large sales by a refrigerator company of frozen beef from Chicago. They assert that the live-stock trade of Maryland is being driven away.

A. W. Robertson, whose father is president of an insurance company, eloped from Indianapolis with a young daughter of B. A. Wilson, a real-estate agent. The fleeing pair were overhauled at Peru, Ind., by the girl's father.

The owners of Manhattan Beach, at Coney island, propose to fill, in a sufficient space on which to erect fifty or more cottages in the Queen Ann style, to cost $7,000 to $20,000 each, to be rented with handsome furniture.

In a filthy hut on the outskirts of Waukesha, Wis., living in a manner which would cast disgrace to a pig, exists Lincoln Wright, who many years ago had the best medical practice in southern Wisconsin.

It is stated that General Grant will decline to serve as a member of the commission framed to establish commercial relations with Mexico. He claims that all that is necessary to be done is to lower the customs duties on both countries.

John A. Rice, a Chicago landlord, has caused papers to be served upon General Edward S. Bragg, of Wisconsin, to recover $1,250 advanced upon drafts on the sergeant at arms of the house of representatives, which were dishonored.

Hon. G. A. Tucker, from New South Wales, who is inspecting jails and insane asylums, paid a visit to the mad house at Salt Lake, and expresses himself as deeply shocked by the sights he witnessed. Among the patients are two sane persons, bound hand and foot.

The joint executive committee of the trunk lines has agreed on passenger rates to the western cities. The price of tickets from New York to Chicago is fixed at $18.50 by all but the Pennsylvania and New York Central routes, which are allowed $20. The Pennsylvania road entered a protest against the decision.

Yellow fever is increasing in violence along the Rio Grande. At the request of the governor of Texas, Surgeon Murray has been ordered from Memphis to take charge of the hospital at Brownsville, in which city there are 150 cases of fever and 2,000 destitute persons.

The Omaha pool of the Chicago roads is threatened with disruption on account of large live-stock shipments by the Union Pacific over the new St. Paul route. The latter company has as yet made no application for admission to the pool, which is another source of uneasiness.

The supervising architect and two other commissioners are engaged at Denver in selecting a suit for a government building. Governor Tabor is determined to secure the prize for his opera-house block, and an English land company urges a location several blocks distant.

The wife of Charles R. Thorne, the actor, filed a bill for divorce two years ago, but has been unable to secure a decision in the case. Meanwhile he has been living with the divorced wife of Horace Brown, of Baltimore. The father of the latter lady recently died, leaving her $500,000, on the supposition that she was married to Thorne.

The gas-well developed on Saturday at Bloomington, Ill., attracts hundreds of visitors. Experts say that 100,000 feet of illuminating material escapes daily, a two-inch pipe showing a pressure of eighty-five pounds. In the basement of David Davis' block is a gas-well which in winter is used in heating the furnace.

Major Rogers, locating engineer of the Canadian Pacific road, telegraphs that he has discovered a favorable pass for carrying the road through the Selkirk range of British Columbia, which will save the company millions of dollars. The pass is one hundred miles north of the boundary line and directly east of Kamloops.

A mob of over fifty men, headed by the sheriff and treasurer, removed the safe and records of Grant county, Minnesota, from Herman to Elbow Lake, during Saturday night. The auditor and register of deeds will not officiate at the new point, and the supreme court will be compelled to decide the matter.

President Arthur, accompanied by a large party of representative men, visited the torpedo station off Newport, Thursday, and was shown wonders in naval warfare until he grew weary. At the dinner given him by Cornelius Vanderbilt, the walls of the room were hidden from view by flowers, and at each plate were twelve glasses and a $25 bouquet.

Near Elkhorn, Ind., six years ago, an old farmer was robbed of money with which he had intended to purchase a mill. A man named Elliot was convicted of the crime and sent to the penitentiary. Just as his sentence is to expire, a thorough search of his old home resulted in the discovery of the swag in his cistern, together with the burglar tools used.

Two Paris journals denounce the seizure of the Suez canal as the act of a thief. Another urges the company to bring an action against England for damages, while a fourth contends that as France was not permitted to cooperate in Egypt no reproach should be cast upon the British for exclusiveness.

An attack upon the Gould system of railways of the southwest has been opened by the attorney general of Texas, who has served notice that proceedings will be commenced for the forfeiture of the charter of the Red River road for failure to maintain a general office in the state.

The citizens of Butler, Ala., recently made the discovery that four hundred negroes had organized a conspiracy, under the lead of Jack Turner, to massacre all the whites in that region between Oct. 15 and 17. Seven leaders of the plot were speedily placed in jail, whence Turner was taken and hanged to a tree on the chief business street of the town.

Miss Alice C. Fletcher, a conscientious laborer in behalf of the Indians, has reached Carlisle, Pa., with thirty-six children of the Omaha tribe, thirteen of whom are girls. During her tour she visited the camp of Sitting Bull and selected ten pupils for the Carlisle school, and sixty more will be taken from the Rosebud and Pine Ridge agencies next month.

A train which left Boston for the White mountains was wrecked near North Haven hill, at a curve on an embankment, by obstructions purposely placed on the rail. Part of the train plunged down, but the parlor-car was left standing on the embankment at an angle of forty-five degrees. The engine now lies nearly fifty feet from the track. No one was seriously injured.

The southwestern railway pool has secured the abolition of the roundabout freight line between St. Louis and Kansas City, heretofore operated by the San Francisco and Fort Scott roads. In regard to the Omaha pool, it is charged that the St. Paul road is accepting from the Union Pacific much less than the regular proportion on the live-stock traffic, and is distributing passes to shippers with a lavish hand.

The free-thinkers, in convention at Watkins, N. Y., Sunday, formulated a series of resolutions denunciatory of ecclesiastical power, lauded the march of liberalism, asserted that woman's degradation was a result of Christian [illegible] and pledged themselves to support a [illegible] secular home.

Dr. Hicks [illegible] United States Navy, [illegible] a sensation when he [illegible] public expense, and he denied [illegible] allegations. He was then asked [illegible] assassination bureau to the case of the [illegible] United States Navy. Mr. Keiper [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] from Lake [illegible] Chicago, [illegible] the morning [illegible] desperadoes [illegible] robbed [illegible] passengers and trainmen of everybody of valuables. Some [illegible] of Toledo gave up $[illegible] and another was relieved of his money [illegible] and thrown off the train. [illegible] was badly injured [illegible] one of the robbers was captured.

A temperance widow of Augusta, Me., secured a warrant against the officers of an express company for bringing liquors to the city. The deputy sheriff broke the locks of the store house and seized sixty two cases of beer. As it was being loaded upon the wagons the crowd drove away the drivers and carted off about half the cases, several persons being arrested for the act.

In accordance with an act of the legislature of Massachusetts, the Boston and Albany road has taken the stock held by the commonwealth and handed over to the state treasurer 5 per cent. twenty year bonds to the amount of $3,858,000, thus paying $160 per share for its own stock. When a purchaser shall have been found for the Hoosac tunnel, the commonwealth will retire from the railway business.

E. D. Morrison of New York, made a vain attempt on Wednesday to take possession of the Canonchet homestead, which he recently purchased under the forms of law. Trustee Carlee and an attorney went with Morrison Friday to obtain control, and found that William Sprague had stationed a large force of armed men at various points. An appeal has been made to the authorities of Rhode Island to enforce the law.

WASHINGTON NOTES

SENATOR HILL'S SUCCESSOR.

The members of the senate and officials who attended Senator Hill's funeral have returned here. They say that the man who is most talked of as Senator Hill's successor is ex-Senator Gordon, who, it will be remembered, resigned some time since in order to engage in money-making enterprises. His railroad and mining speculations have resulted fortunately and he will be able to come back to the senate, if elected, a very wealthy man. There is a strong feeling, however, in favor of Alexander H. Stephens, and should he be elected to the governorship of Georgia there is no doubt that he will be an important and formidable candidate. The name of W. Emory Speer, the independent congressman from northern Georgia is also mentioned.

THE LADY OFFICE-SEEKERS.

The ladies who are prominent in the latest movement to get their fellow-women into the departments intend to supplement their protest by systematic and secret work. A secret society has been formed, with all the customary paraphernalia, the object of which is partly the collection of information concerning politicians who use their influence to get improper persons in the departments. The movers in this society say that they intend to publish the politicians to the world. A programme like this will be liable to the charge of blackmail, and the society can easily make a social nuisance of itself. There is some improper influence exerted which might well be criticised, both secretly and openly, but a secret society, with the avowed object, among others, of prying into the department scandals and publishing them in detail, will not, in the long run, be useful.

A RUSH FOR THE THREE PER CENTS.

At 12 o'clock Friday Secretary Folger took a sealed envelope from a heaping barrelful of similar packages, and a clerk at his elbow made a record of the bid it held. This proved to be the request of the Mechanics and Farmers' bank, of Albany, N. Y., that bonds representing $5,000 in 3½ per cents be exchanged for bonds of like value bearing 3 per cent. interest. Secretary Folger smiled to see that his own state had won the first place in the lottery, and left the room to return to his office. The drawing, however, continued all day, and even when the 2,500 clerks were streaming from the treasury in all directions at the close of office hours, the officer in charge of the drawing was thrusting his wearied arm deep in the barrel, while the monotonous voices of the clerks and their busy pens told of progress in the work of record.—There were two thousand envelopes in all. The clerks brought them into the room of the chief of the loan division of the treasury at 11 o'clock, and tried to stuff them into a large box that had been brought there for the purpose, but it proved insufficient and the floor was strewn with a litter representing tens of millions of dollars. The drawing was postponed therefore till a barrel could be brought. When one was obtained the envelopes were poured into it and then two clerks rolled it vigorously around the room. When the contents had been well shaken the recording clerks took their places and the lottery began. It was estimated that $200,000,000 of the 3½ per cent. bonds were surrendered in exchange for a corresponding amount of 3's. This merely represents the surrenders which bore the earliest possible date, that of 10 o'clock a. m. precisely on Aug. 1.

UNPOPULAR WITH ARMY OFFICERS.

Secretary Lincoln seems to be peculiarly unfortunate in his relations with the officers within the control of the department. His relations with Gen. Sherman have never been of the most cordial character, owing, as the latter thought, to the desire of the secretary to encroach upon his domain. His repeated revisals and overrulings of Judge Advocate General Swaim have caused a serious rupture between himself and Swaim that has not as yet been healed. Now there is a report of a disagreement between Quartermaster General Ingalls and the secretary regarding certain appointments in the office of the former. It has been the habit of the quartermaster general, as well as that of other heads of bureaus, to appoint the clerks and other employes under his control. When the new quartermaster general took his office, a short time since, upon the retirement of his predecessor, Gen. Rucker, he attempted to exercise this power, which he supposed vested to himself, when the secretary took the entire matter out of his hands. He called upon the secretary and remonstrated against this subversion of his prerogative, when the latter informed him that he was in his position but little more than a clerk under the department, and the head of the department should make the appointments in that office. It was in vain that Ingalls pleaded that he was responsible for the good management of his bureau, and that he ought, at least, to be consulted about those who were put in charge of its details, and should have a hand in designating the mode and manner of running the department. The secretary reiterated his statement that the power lying in the hands of the secretary could not be delegated to any officers, and Gen. Ingalls was forced to submit. That he is doing this with a very bad grace is evident from the fact of his complaint among army officers against the secretary.

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Close 1:45 P. M. Arrive [illegible]
Close 7:00 P. M. Arrive [illegible]
WESTERN [illegible] & M. R. R.
Close 1:45 P. M. Arrive [illegible]
Close 9:00 A. M. Arrive [illegible]
NORTHERN [illegible] R. R.
Close 9:50 A. M. Arrive 9:30 A. M.
Close 7:00 P. M. Arrive 8:00 P. M.
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Close 8:50 A. M. Arrive 10:45 A. M.
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WEATHER RECORD

For the week ending this day	
THURSDAY	90
FRIDAY	93
SATURDAY	90
SUNDAY	88
MONDAY	90
TUESDAY	91
WEDNESDAY morning	58

CITY AND COUNTY

—New goods at M. L. Decker's this week.

—Mary Sandford of Burns is ill.

—Lasell's [illegible] taking the school census.

—See call for meeting by the Fire Company.

Mrs. L. A. Beach has been quite ill for several days.

—Rev. Mr. Platt preached in Sandusky, O., last Sunday.

—Rev. Mr. Matran expects to start for home Sept. 25.

Mrs. F. A. Rogers has returned from Port Hope, Ont.

Frank Marshall spent Sunday in town with his aunt.

—Thanks to Mr. Albert Todd for Louisville, Ky., papers.

—See advertisement of Mr. Geo. L. Wright's farm for sale.

Miss Mary Essig is still very ill. Her disease is typhoid fever.

—Mrs. H. B. Peterson and children are expected home next Saturday.

—Strawberry plants at VanHouten's in prime order, for sale. See card.

—Drain Commissioner McClellan, of Caledonia, advertises contract to let.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Osburn and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Osburn have returned from their trip to Marquette.

—Mrs. Albert Gillitt went to Flint this morning, called there by the serious sickness of her sister, Mrs. Charles Lanckton.

—Meyrelles' band will play an open air concert at the Band Stand next Tuesday evening, the 5th, to commence at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. Eli Bilheimer and his mother, and Miss Carrie Bilheimer have returned from their summer trip to Pennsylvania.

—The old reliable boot and shoe store is making a specialty of the Walker boot, which people are invited to examine. See advertisement.

Society note in Detroit Post and Tribune:—Miss Jessie Lyon of Owosso, will be the guest of Miss Minnie L. Noble, 407 Cass avenue, this week.

—Mrs. Arthur Bigg, who has been spending some time at her father's Mr. J. V. D. Wykoff's, in Laingsburg, returned yesterday to her home in Detroit.

—A new and much needed enterprise has been started by Mr. E. M. Brooks, in West Owosso—a coal yard. It cannot but be successful. See advertisement.

—The Episcopal church social will be held this (Wednesday) evening, at the residence of Mr. Ebenezer Gould, on Exchange street. All are cordially invited.

—All degree members of Owosso Lodge, No. 810, I. O. G. T., are earnestly requested to attend a degree meeting at their hall this week, Friday evening, Sept. 1, at 8 o'clock.

—The Ladies Aid Society are engaged to furnish suppers at their rooms to the Good Templars who will meet in this city next week. They will also be prepared to furnish suppers to all others who may be pleased to patronize them at that time.

Advertised Letters.

Letters advertised at the Owosso P. O. for the week ending Aug. 26, 1882:

Jard Kibby, Jno. Gool, Edward Robinson, William Worden.

Drpp—Sheldon Grove.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.

L. A. HAMBLIN, P. M.

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—Mr. S. Herrman, late of the Star Clothing store, left Saturday for his new home in Escanaba. During his residence in Owosso he has made friends, both in his business relations and in friendly intercourse. He is a reliable, genial gentleman, and deals fairly with his customers; consequently is a very popular dealer. We knew him years ago as a fair and honorable gentleman, and as a near neighbor in business in Owosso we have found him still the same. That he may be successful in his new home is the expressed wish of his many old friends.

BASE BALL. Owossos vs. Browns of Pittsburg, Pa., at Pastime Park, Friday, Sept. 1st. The Browns are composed of gentlemen of Pittsburg who are on a month's vacation under the care of Chas. S. Brown, the great Coal King, for his own amusement. Turn out everybody and witness a good game. Admission 25 cts., ladies 15 cts.

DEMOCRATS, note the call for a county convention, Friday, Sept. 8, and prepare to send full delegations.

—The Mission Band will give a "Kate Greenaway Tea Party" next Tuesday evening, Sept. 5, at Mrs. G. R. Lyon's. A cordial invitation is given to all.

ROSA JOHNSON, Sec.

—The following Companies will appear at Salisbury Hall during September: The Jolly Pathfinders, the 20th; The Geo. H. Maxwell Dramatic Co., the 23d and 25th; Horsman's Gigantic Minstrels the 27th and 28th.

—A call for a Democratic convention to nominate a candidate for Representative in Congress for the Eighth District will be found in this paper. We are gratified to state that Hon. J. W. Turner, of this city, is prominently mentioned as the candidate.

—Would it not be well for persons who can accommodate school pupils with rooms, to leave their names with Prof. Seelye? The call for rooms will soon commence, and it not unfrequently happens that the want of a convenient and pleasant room or boarding place diverts pupils from this school to some place where these accommodations can be obtained.

—Miss Adah Curliss is very fortunate in a school vacation trip. She was spending last week at Montreal in attendance upon the annual meetings of the National Agricultural Association, National Forestry Association, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science. She went in company with a party of distinguished scientists and scholars from the State Agricultural College and other localities. In the party were Prof. A. J. Cook and wife, (family relatives of Miss Curliss) Dr. R. C. Kedzie and wife, and Dr. W. J. Beal and wife, all of the Agricultural College; Representative C. W. Garfield and wife, of Kent county; Prof. Will Tracy, of Detroit; Prof. Sam Tracy, of the agricultural department of the Missouri University; Prof. Frank Gulley, of the Mississippi Agricultural College; and Prof. E. M. Shelton, of the Kansas Agricultural College.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Buckminster are deeply afflicted in the loss of their little daughter, seventeen months old. She died on Friday last; on Saturday funeral services were held by Rev. Mr. Leonard, of the Baptist church, and the remains were taken to Maple River for burial.

—Miss Helen Manning, who favors THE PRESS with a letter this week, is not materially improved by Minnesota air, and her friends will not be surprised to see her home soon, perhaps this week.

—Cheboygan wants a band stand. As Owosso has one which serves no purpose except to obstruct the street (and it does that most effectively) perhaps we can supply Cheboygan's "much felt want."

LARGE—Music next Tuesday night.

[illegible]

—Hot weather.

[illegible]

Mr. Wm. Miller, proprietor of the New York house, is building a large addition to his barn.

Mr. E. M. Brooks, has started a coal yard, and will deliver coal to all parts of the city, when ordered.

Mr. R. F. Decker has purchased the two lots east of his brother, G. C. Decker, on River street, and has enclosed them with a neat looking fence.

Mr. Charles Prece, who has been visiting his home at Natural Bridge, N. Y., returned last week, and is again at his old post in the New York house.

Work is progressing finely under the direction of Mr. Wm. J. McCurdy on Mr. Warren Woodard's house, situated on Michigan avenue. When completed, it will be one of the finest houses in the city.

Mr. A. T. Thomas has started a fruit vegetable drying establishment in the large building just west of the J., L. & S. R. R., which will no doubt prove a great success. People who have never visited an enterprise of this character, would be well repaid by making it a visit. A number of girls are employed by Mr. Thomas.

The D., G. H. & M. R. R. have 700 tons of Ohio coal on hand, and are still receiving large shipments. Heretofore the railroad company were using Corunna coal, but two weeks ago the miners struck for higher wages, and the mine has been closed ever since.

It is a great wonder that more people are not injured by the passing freight trains, on the J., L. & S., crossing, especially is it a wonder to your eagle-eyed reporter that some of 50 boys who catch on trains, are not mangled beyond all identification.

THE NEW CASKET FACTORY.

The casket factory is being pushed forward as rapidly as possible, and by the 1st of November, the factory will start up with a large force of men. The wet weather has been a source of great annoyance, and work was entirely suspended for a while. The buildings just erected are 48x96; the north building is four stories high, while the one a few rods south is three stories high. Operations have been commenced on the dry-kiln, which will be 36x40, and the engine house is progressing finely, being 32x60. The buildings are all good, substantial structures, and too much credit cannot be given the firm, Stever Bros., and L. E. Woodard, for the energetic manner in which they have conducted the building operations.

They are to put up a building in the near future which will be devoted to the manufacture of hardware trimmings, such as handles to caskets, screws, robes, in fact everthing pertaining to the casket business. D.

—Hot weather.

[illegible]

BASE BALL

Owossos Victorious

OWOSSOS VS CORUNNAS

On Friday last the Corunnas came to the city [illegible] with the best picked men they could find in the State and Chicago; Weiss and Guiney, of the Casu club of Detroit, were the battery for the Corunnas; but the Owossos were not asleep; they found out how the land lay, and acted accordingly, by sending for Hungerford of the old Kalamazoo nine to pitch for them, and the following score tells the result. The Corunna sports came over "loaded" to take the financial condition of Owosso, but alas, got broke instead. Some whining by one backer who came over with them afforded amusement to a crowd of spectators in the evening on our streets. He showed lots of "sand," though, and said he only took the club's word for it, and bet accordingly. They probably told him it was a perfect "walk away," for them and so he bet for them. He said he wished to make another game for the next day but much to the regret of the Owosso people he could not accomplish it, on account of the Ionia club playing on that day. Corunna had *eight* imported men in this game, while Owosso had *two*, the rest of the nine having played together for the last year or more. Some of the Corunna players made the assertion on our streets Saturday evening that the battery of the Corunna club were paid $20 each for the game. If so, it was not a very profitable investment. The Owossos can say to their credit that they tried to play a square game with Corunna, but Corunna men would not have it that way; they should have played the same clubs the whole series, and the Owossos wished to, but hired players were pitted against them, and in Thursday's game they retaliated. It was a brilliant game; the players on both sides strove to *win* and the Owossos "took the cake." Two more games will conclude the series, and Owosso people need not be surprised to see another paid club, even stronger than the last, put into the field to contest against our home club.

Following is the score:

OWOSSOS.

	R.	B. H.	T. B	P. O.	A.	E.
Kearns, c	0	1	1	4	1	0
Mumby, s.s.	0	1	1	0	3	0
Murphy, 3 b	1	1	1	2	2	2
Platt, 2 b	1	0	0	3	4	0
Gates, 1 f	0	0	0	2	1	1
Hutchins, 1 b	2	1	1	11	0	0
House, c f	0	0	0	0	0	1
Hungerford, p	0	2	2	2	1	2
Beebe, r f	0	0	0	3	0	0
Totals	4	6	6	27	12	6

CORUNNAS.

	R.	B. H.	T. B	P. O.	A.	E.
Oram, s s	0	1	1	0	4	2
Shoneck, 1	1	1	1	13	1	0
Weiss, 2b, p	1	1	1	2	7	1
Guiney, 3b, c	0	1	1	7	1	2
Rainey, c, cf, 2b	0	0	0	1	3	0
Lytle, rf, cf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Miller, cf, 3b	0	1	1	0	1	0
Jenkins, l f	1	0	0	0	0	0
McArthur, p, rf	0	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	3	5	5	24	20	5

INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Owossos,	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1*	4
Corunnas,	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	3

Runs earned—Owossos 1, Corunnas 0.
Balls called—on Hungerford 60, on McArthur 49, Weiss 48.
Strikes called—off Hungerford 3, off McArthur 5, Weiss 5.
Left on bases—Owossos 5, Corunnas 10.
Passed balls—Kearns 1, Rainey 1, Guiney 2.
Umpire—Wescott.

The next game will be played in Corunna on Thursday next, (to-morrow) being the fourth of the series.

OWOSSOS VS. IONIAS.

Ten Innings Played to Decide the Game.

On Friday last the hottest game of the season, both in respect to the weather and playing, occurred at Pastime Park, between the Ionia club and Owossos. The Owossos played against another picked nine, but, although the odds were against them by 3 to 1 at the fourth inning, they grasped the ash with a determination to win, and from that inning it was one of the most exciting games ever played in Owosso. Each club had four runs on the 9th inning, but in the 10th Owosso came to the front with three runs, and sent the Ionias from their 10th with a whitewash. The Ionias are a [illegible]

Kearns and Mumby did well, last [illegible]

Stone and Kearns were complimented by the Muskegon [illegible], by being sent for to play with them against the [illegible] Indiana.

There is no place like Home" was the Corunna backers lament last Thursday and Friday. Put your money out at interest, boys, and you will have more at the end of the season.

The Owossos have now won 11 out of 15 games played this season [illegible] the best club in the state.

Kearns got a bad hit in the face by the ball while batting, Friday last, but he had lots of sand and caught [illegible] as if nothing had happened.

There is a talk of a Western Association League. Wonder if Owosso will be represented?

The receipts on the Ionia and Owosso game were the lowest of the season, being only about $18.

Kearns knows how to run his club to advantage it appears, close and don't forget it.

Chas Cooper, the genial left fielder of the old Blue Sox club of 1879, is now holding the second bag "in posish" for the Clifton Springs, Colorado, nine.

You should have seen the smile on Hutchins's face when he thought he got last score in the Corunna game. Good boy, Charles.

No club has scored more than 9 runs in any one game against the Owossos this year. Keep it up, boys. B. B. F.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held Monday evening.

Present—The Mayor, Clerk, and all the Aldermen except Ald. Bedford.

A petition asking the council to open an alley between West Elizabeth and River streets, was presented and referred to the committee on Opening Streets and Alleys.

Accounts were presented and allowed as follows:

P. M. Bowel, [illegible] assessment	$ 2 00
H. H. Gates, " "	31 05
T. J. Horsman, " "	4 00
C. A. Baldwin, " "	2 00
J. J. Parmerly, 2 bills for plank	48 55
Parker & Belford, brick	4 25
The Times Printing Co., 2 bills for printing	18 50
Osburn & Sons, for goods	2 30
L. E. Woodard, lumber, &c	330 33
Oscar Wells, labor	54 30
P. Elwell, "	2 50
Wm. Booker, (2 bills) labor	9 37
C. Young, (2 bills) labor	30 00
A. McDonald, (5 bills) labor	59 37
H. Paul, (5 bills) labor	30 62
H. Simpson, (3 bills) labor	60 45
C. Mathews, (3 bills) labor	11 25
R. Johnson, labor	5 06
E. Wood, "	3 00
Geo. Love, "	2 50
L. Clark, "	1 25
J. Wiswell, "	1 25
J. Smith, "	3 75
Henry Hall, "	7 00
David Parker, "	5 00
W. Clark, "	1 25
M. Retan, "	3 75
F. Sophie, "	11 25

A communication from the Board of Health was received transmitting a resolution adopted by that board, directing its secretary to notify the council that the alleys and privy vaults in rear of the brick blocks on both sides of Washington Street between Main and Mason Streets need purifying, also asking the council to allow Dr. A. J. Robb his bill of $13.00 for attending one W. Fox while quarantined on suspicion of small-pox, and recommending the disallowance of the bills of H. Axford, $2.15, and A. T. Thomas $8.83 for supplies furnished said Fox.

The committee on Grading and Sidewalks submitted a report which was adopted, recommending that Exchange Street be guttered on the south side from Washington Street west to Ball Street.

The same committee also recommended that a sidewalk be constructed on the east side of Hickory Street from Williams Street to Mason Street. Adopted.

The same committee also recommended that sewer pipe of not less than nine inches be laid on the east side of Hickory Street from Exchange Street to Main Street, thence on the north side of Main Street west to Saginaw Street. Adopted.

A motion by Ald. Erfeseke directing the committee on Grading and Sidewalks to open the Owosso drain, was adopted.

Ald. Lewis offered a resolution fixing the sum to be raised by tax for the contingent fund for 1883, at $6,000, was referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

A matter relative to Copas's drain was referred to the committee on Nuisances.

The matter of a drain on the east side of Pine Street was referred to the committee on Grading, &c.

Notice was given of the intended introduction of ordinances to provide for constructing the proposed sidewalk on Hickory Street, and to provide for paving the gutter on Exchange Street.

Adjourned.

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[illegible]

[illegible]

I will weave it fine, I will weave it fair,
And [illegible] shall see
Its fineness and strength while I weave my web
But perhaps it will come after I am dead,
Some morning between sunset and sunrise
Dear grew sweet with the breath of June
And young love had by the waiting moon

[illegible]
And morn [illegible]
I will weave it carefully, fine and strong
But the sun rode high in the cloudless sky
The burden and heat of the day one bore,
And [illegible] and went
[illegible]

"Ah! life is too busy at noon," she said,
My web must wait in the weaving
[illegible] work of the day is done,
[illegible]

So [illegible] the hours passed on,
Till the creeping shade was longer grown;
[illegible] was still, and the breezes slept,
As the [illegible] to their nests had flown

And now I will weave my web," she said
As she turned to her loom ere set of sun,
And laid her hand on the shining threads
To set them in order, one by one.
But hand was tired, and heart was weak;
"I am not as strong as I was," sighed she,
And the pattern is blurred and [illegible]
rare,
Are not so bright, or so fair to see."

"I must wait, I think, till another morn;
I must go to my rest with my work undone
It is growing too dark to weave" [illegible]
As lower and lower sank the sun
She dropped the shuttle; the loom stood still
The weaver slept in the twilight gray,
Dear heart! Will she weave her [illegible]
web
In the golden light of a longer day?

JULIA C. R. DORR.

Putting Up a Job.

Each new comer at a Paris art studio is put through "a course of sprouts" before he is admitted to full fellowship. The latest practical joke is as follows:

The new-comer on entering the studio and proceeding to select a seat is informed by the senior of the corps that he has been made the subject of an important wager.

"What wager?"

"A bet has been made that you will not open your box of colors. I have taken it because I am sure you will."

"But why did they bet I wouldn't?"

"That I can't say, but they say you daren't but I know you will."

"I'll soon show you that I will." (Draws a key from his pocket and approaches the box. The others start back anxiously.)

"What have you fellows been putting in this box?"

(No answer. They slowly retreated.)

"I know you are only trying to fool me."

He thrusts the key into the key-hole. With wild shrieks of alarm half the students throw themselves on the floor, and the others dash to the door and fly down stairs.

The novice drops the box in a panic, and flies after them. As soon as they have all reached the street he is informed that there was nothing in the box.—*N. Y. World.*

The Delaware peach crop is expected to reach 500,000 bushels.

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George Eliot says, "One of the lessons a woman most rarely learns is never to talk to an angry or sleepy man."

JOHNSTON'S EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA.—It were but courteous to call the attention of our readers to the invaluable preparation which will be found advertised in another column. It has in its favor many flattering testimonials from the most eminent practitioners in every part of the country where it has been used. There is beauty, taste and size enough in the bottles to induce purchase, even if the preparation itself were not one of the "sovereignest in the world," as every one must believe it is—that is, every one who would not resist a mass of the documentary evidence conclusive enough to convert a Turkish Christianity. Buy one of the bottles gentle reader, and see whether you do not agree with us, on this latter point at least. 1

"You are weak," said a woman to her son, who was remonstrating against her marrying again. "Yes, mother," he replied, "so weak that I can't go a step-farther."

BATTLE CREEK, Sept. 25, 1881.
Dear Sir:—In my family for the past two years, your Columbian Oil has been in frequent use for a variety of complaints, for which it is recommended by you, and with the most decided success. I have used it myself for lameness in the back, and have found it to give immediate relief. I am persuaded that it is an excellent remedy in the cases for which you make special claims of its efficacy, and believe it to be a valuable medicine for every family to keep on hand. GEORGE WILLARD,
51-52 Editor Daily & Weekly Journal.

Citizens of St. Paul have raised $40,000 to be used in completing the state capitol. The legislature appropriated $180,000, and made it a penal offense for the governor to involve the state beyond that sum.

An Impossibility.

Deserving articles are always appreciated. The exceptional cleanliness of Parker's Hair Balsam makes it popular. Gray hairs are impossible with its occasional use. 1

An endeavor to establish a rule for the dismissal of all lady teachers intending marriage has just failed in the Chicago Board of Education.

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Egypt is just the place for love-sick maidens. The fellahs there are so numerous.

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tf L. E. GOULD & CO.

Our Boys.

[illegible]

Q. How are many American [illegible] age and city, [illegible]
A. They get [illegible] until they are [illegible] years of age, when they [illegible] around home [illegible] get married.
Q. And then?
A. And then there [illegible] old folks of the next part manage [illegible] the same way for they [illegible] the second part, and [illegible] the first part, and [illegible] what [illegible]
Q. What [illegible]
A. [illegible]
A. [illegible] less he can have his spring, summer, fall and winter suits of clothing, change his neckties with every fashion, endure the miseries and want of a semi-fashionable boarding house, and spend what is left of his salary at the end of the month in taking a young woman to the theater with a carriage and fashionable [illegible]
Here [illegible] the end of [illegible]
—New York Graphic.

An Emblem of Industry.

A carpenter, who recently opened a shop on Grand River avenue in Detroit, says the Free Press, went to a sign-painter and told him he wanted him to paint an emblem representative of industry and perseverance, leaving it to the man of brush what form the emblem should take. The other day the painter appeared with a board on which he had painted the likeness of a man, and announced that he had finished the job.

"That's no emblem!" exclaimed the carpenter as he stood off and surveyed it.

"That picture represents industry and perseverance, and that's what you wanted," was the reply.

"Why didn't you paint me a beaver or a bee-hive?"

"My friend, that picture is the likeness of a ward politician who has been hunting for office for twenty-one years, and I want to tell you that for industry and perseverance he can double discount all the beavers ever heard of and all the bee-hives in America."

It was nailed up in place.

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"Farewell," was the title of a poem sent to a newspaper; and the cruel editor, in acknowledging its receipt, said, "It is a good thing that the gifted authoress bade it good-by, as she will never see it again."

A. O. U. W.

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.

The rents received by the American Bible Society for the use of rooms in the great Bible house in New York, amounted last year to $61,665.61.

An English writer says you must say "scient," and not "scientist," and don't you forget it.

Jerry Shaven.

The Jerry Shaven has long furnished excuse for wild flights of fancy, but he has never before inspired anybody quite so thoroughly and overwhelmingly as he did the captain of the British bark Emanuel Swedenborg, who has made a short trip to the primary water fast on the coast of Cuba. May he sailed the vessel away of [illegible] from their [illegible] Eight which [illegible] the vessel. [illegible] they had [illegible] as ever at [illegible] crew from a fever patient, and within half an hour they had succeeded in forcing through the captain's thickest winter overcoat. I was [illegible] desperate, he declares, and I [illegible] up the mate [illegible] to escape the ferocious animal. You may now how glad I was when I found they had not got up so far. The first mate came to me to know how I was up there. I told him to come up and to bring as many of the men aloft as could be spared. This he did, and there we stayed all night. When supper time came our Chinese cook went below and filled a basket with cold victuals, which we hoisted up to our perches in the shrouds. The men took hour turns in going down on deck and managing the vessel. We slept aloft, as we feared to venture on the deck. At 4 o'clock a stiff breeze sprung up and the mosquitoes began to rage. Many of them stayed on the boat, however until we reached Delaware. At the Breakwater I attempted to send a dispatch to the consignees in Philadelphia, but my hands were bitten so badly that I was unable to write, and had to get the telegraph operator to pen the message. When the captain's British friends hear of this they will have a worse opinion of New Jersey.

Death of George Washington

"When did George Washington die?" asked an Austin teacher of a large boy.

"Is he dead?" was the astonished reply. "Why, it is not more than six months ago that they were celebrating his birthday, and now he is dead. It's a bad year on children. I reckon his folks let him eat something that didn't agree with him."—*Texas Siftings.*

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A jailer had received strict orders not to keep any prisoners in solitary confinement. Once, when he had but two in charge, one escaped, and he was obliged in consequence to kick the other out-of-doors, to comply with the regulations.

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It lacks ten years of a century since the first English missionary offered himself for the foreign work. Now there are five thousand missionaries in various foreign countries, and 30,000 native preachers and helpers.

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A fair damsel of the West, according to the Litchfield (Ill.) Democrat, recently sent this note to her faithful knight:—"Deer Will—Doant kum to see mee anymore for a whial eny way. Father has got awfully skeered about burglars, and he sits up every nite till late with a double-barreled shot gun watching the back yard. He put moren a pound of lead into Brown's Newfoundland dog which was cummin over the fence after a bone last nite.

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A Matrimonial Complication.

We learn of a curious matrimonial complication which occurred in Jones Co., Georgia, a short time ago. It seems that a certain young lady was ardently sought after by two young gentlemen. [illegible] that the young lady could not decide between them. [illegible] postponed to coin, duly appointing a time for marriage. The young gentlemen at once went to the father to get his consent, which was made happy. The other [illegible] politely interviewed the mother, with [illegible] satisfactory results. Neither father nor mother mentioned the affair to each other. The young lady then wrote to No. 1 postponing the marriage but the appointed time came and No. 1 came with it, having made every preparation. But at the very last moment he was informed of the other engagement and retired. No. 1 hearing how No. 2 was treated, and fearing a like fate, withdrew from the race. Thereupon No. 1 renewed his suit, won the vacillating fair one, and everybody was [illegible]—*Macon Telegraph.*

He Noticed.

"That man over there," said Sligo to his friend Slick, pointing to a bloated bondholder, "is so proud that he will take no notice of anything beneath him."

"He won't eh?" replied the friend. "I'll bet you $5 that I'll make him."

The wager was taken, and the young man followed the purse-proud aristocrat into a restaurant. Just as he was about to sit down Slick stuck a heaven-ward-pointing tack on the chair. Before the commotion had ceased he returned to his friend and claimed the wager.—*N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.*

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The girl who sings to an admiring company in the parlor, "You must wake and call me early, call me early, mother dear," is the same creature who expects her mother to make the fire, get the milk, and bring her breakfast up to her room.

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The Republican party is split into warring factions and in this state will go into the campaign weighted down with an administration which everybody knows represents no party, no principle, no patriotism and no honest citizen, and is entirely unpopular with a large portion of its own party, and who possesses no single quality that will enable him to draw votes from the opposition. Republicans throughout the State are largely opposed to the river and harbor steal as it is called by leading Republicans, the most tardy frauds in the interest of the wealthy, and in utter disregard of rights of laborers and producers, and the general waste and extravagance that has characterized the republican party for the last twenty years. These are facts that the opposition may take advantage of to remove from power the republican leaders who have made the facts, yet too much reliance must not be placed upon republican dissatisfaction, or supposed political independence and integrity since the discipline of the republican party, and its means of corrupting the venal are such as to demand the united efforts of the opposition. Any Democrat or Greenbacker who may be found trying to neutralize the combination of yesterday may well be suspected of a secret desire to contribute to the success of the Dorsey, Hubbell and Robeson party, who represent the political principles of the Republican party as to-day constituted. The Democratic platform is one all candidland just men must approve, the candidates nominated by the two conventions have the confidence of the people of the State; all that remains to be done, is for a united opposition to disregard party prejudices and ambitions, and to complete the work so well begun by the conventions.

Hubbell's Machine

N. Y. Sun.

Jay Hubbell advertises through the machine organs that the "voluntary contributions" levied on the officeholders are coming in more freely this year than during the Presidential campaign of 1880. This artful dodge to stimulate the zeal of the backward will not prove successful. The announcement is not true. If the assessments were freely paid there would be no need to proclaim the fact.

Discussion has not helped the blackmailers this time, and the enforced declarations at Washington that refusal to pay would not be followed by dismissal, in some of the departments, have had a damaging influence on the expected revenues of the Congressional Committee.

But the most injurious effect has been caused by the belief that Jay Hubbell is far more interested in electing himself to the Senate than in promoting the general success of his party. The opinion has taken deep root, perhaps unjustly, that the assessments are to be applied in Michigan in securing a Hubbell Legislature, before other and more important points are cared for.

Coupled with the personal attack on Senator Ferry, whose seat in the Senate Hubbell aspires to capture by ways that are dark, the National Assessor has lost ground, and is no longer the terror to poor scrubbers and messengers that he recently was, when his edicts caused fear and trembling to a hundred thousand officeholders. His circulars are repeated when the first demand is not answered, but the second attempt at extortion often fails like the first.

The suspicion that Hubbell is running the machine for his own benefit gains ground.

THE WAR IN EGYPT.

Dispatches of Aug. 24:—An advance of heavy cavalry and marine artillery has commenced from Ismailia and it is reported that the English will push on rapidly from Suez to Cairo by the old direct railway line on which new rails are to be laid for the purpose.—Fifty Bedowins raid and pillage Ramleh and are driven out by a body of Highlanders.—Seamen land guns guns at Port Said and arm a train similar to that at Alexandria.—The porte addresses a protest to Lord Dufferin in regard to the interruption of telegraphic communication with Egypt, the porte being unable to communicate with his officers at the khedive's palace.—Gen. Wolseley and cavalry are at Nefiche.—No signs of the enemy.

SUEZ, Aug. 25.—Arabi with his forces is intrenching near Heliopolis, eight miles northeast of Cairo, where it is believed he will make a determined stand to prevent the British occupation of Cairo.

STILL REFUSES TO CALL ARABI A REBEL.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 25.—The porte has finally concluded to refuse to declare Arabi a rebel in any of the ways demanded by the English government. Said Pasha and Assym Pasha, the Turkish delegates in the conference of the powers, to-day were instructed by the sultan to seek an interview with Lord Dufferin, the English minister, which they did. At this interview the Pashas, on behalf of the porte, submitted a new draft for a military convention between England and Turkey in regard to the occupation of Egypt. In this draft the porte demands that Turkish troops be allowed to land at Alexandria independently of England, and to be subject entirely to the orders of Turkish officers, unhampered by English restrictions. The next conditions are that they shall be only summoned to submit to the khedive as the sultan's viceroy in Egypt.

Patti is summering at her Welsh castle.

A PLEASANT LETTER

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read with pleasure by every one. The Marlboro chronicles and bright eyed girls will find pleasant reading when in the magazine. There is an instructive and amusing article on elephants, entitled "Our Largest Friends," and there are many other interesting papers, and poems by Celia Thaxter, Phoebe Cary, Lucy Larcom and other popular poets. There are the usual reports of travel and an entertaining story, for the little folks, of a dog [illegible] on a horse [illegible]

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Sick Children.

It is better to take your child to the doctor unnecessarily than to postpone this duty and find that it is too late. A few hours in the diseases of children may make all the difference between hopeful and hopeless cases.

When you take counsel of a doctor give him your explicit confidence. Do not permit any friend, even though the friend be an experienced old mother and nurse—to disturb confidence in the doctor. Follow no advice that is against what he has said. If you lose confidence in him get another physician.

When a child is old enough to know what you mean, never threaten it with the doctor. It may be very important some day that your child should not be frightened at the doctor, but regard him as a friend and helper.

A sick child demands a nursing mother, who has tact, patience, firmness, added to her affection. With these so much can be done; without them the battle may be hopeless from the first.

It is asserted that every year 3,000 children die in New York who need not die if proper care were taken of them. High heated terms have much to do with these deaths. Every hour that a young child is exposed to a temperature above 85 or 88 degrees, in a crowded neighborhood, it is robbed of vitality. High heat acts injuriously on its blood, nerve and muscle-cells, and also on the digestive system of the child and the milk of a nursing mother. High heat does more—it decomposes all organic refuse and dirt in houses and about them, and poisonous air, water, food, clothing, bedding, carpets, etc. Hence the need of excursions for children and of cleanliness at home.

Do not lift or drag a child by its arm or arms. You strain ligaments which were not intended to bear the weight of the body. A grown person swinging from a bar with his hands relieves the ligaments by the use of muscles.

Using Clover for Manure.

The cheapest way to keep up the fertility of most soils consists in raising red clover and turning it under while it is green. The growth of the plants may be greatly increased by the application of ground plaster or gypsum which costs very little and is easily applied. The old practice of plowing under the entire stalks of clover when at their full size the year after the seed is sown is now generally abandoned. The trouble of turning them under is great, the time for doing the work conflicts with pressing farm operations, and the rotting of the plants is generally quite unsatisfactory. At present the practice of allowing the clover to grow till two crops are harvested is generally followed. At the end of two years the soil contains a large number of roots which are very long. They furnish a large amount of fertilizing material which readily rots in the ground. When corn is to be raised on an inverted clover sod the land is plowed quite deep just before the planting is done. At that time the plants will be quite large, but not so tall that they can not be easily covered by the plow. When fall grain is to be sown on the land it is plowed after the clover crop is harvested. Observation shows that the soil is in poor condition to plow when there is a rank growth of clover on it. The numerous leaves of the clover plant aid in evaporation and cause the soil to become very dry under it. After the crop is cut and removed the soil will become more moist and in a better condition to be plowed. The value of red clover as manure is being better appreciated every year, and the recent expansion of the winter wheat crops is largely owing to the general introduction of clover.

Whisky still continues the only known antidote for a rattlesnake's bite; but it must be taken immediately, for the poison works with marvelous celerity. It saved the life of the Bowery museum proprietor, who was bitten in New York the other day. He sucked the wound and then drank freely of whisky. The latter, in conjunction with morphia, was used in the hypodermic treatment at the hospital afterward.

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A Choice Farm for Sale.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

All the good new in the store lately occupied by W. J. Westlake, on Main street, in the city of Owosso, will, for the next ten days, be sold at cost and less than cost, to close the stock. The stock consists of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, in great variety. Call early and secure bargains. All the stock must be sold without reserve.

All persons indebted to W. J. Westlake on note or account, must make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Owosso, Aug. 22, 1882.

R. F. TAYLOR,
Assignee.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made by Peter N. Nugent of the township of Sciota, county of Shiawassee and State of Michigan, to Isaac Gale of the same town, county and state, as last aforesaid, dated March 24th, 1880, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Shiawassee, Michigan, on the 26th day of March, A. D., 1880, in liber 20, of mortgages on page 419, which mortgage was duly recorded on the 29th day of October, A. D., 1881, duly assigned to Laurence Murphy, and the assignment recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county aforesaid on the 24th day of February, A. D., 1882, in liber 20 of mortgages on page 258, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of four hundred and forty-nine dollars and sixty cents, ($449.60) and no proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on *Thursday, the 16th day of November*, A. D. 1882, at one o'clock in the afternoon, we shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the city of Corunna in the county of Shiawassee and State of Michigan, (the place where the circuit court for said county is held) the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage, with ten per cent. interest and all legal costs on foreclosure, together with an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars in said mortgage contained; the premises being described in said mortgage, as all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Sciota, in the county of Shiawassee and State of Michigan, and described as follows: The east half (½) of the east half (½) of the west half (½) of the south-east quarter (¼) of section thirteen (13) in town six (6) north of range one (1) east.

Dated Aug 21st, 1882. LAURENCE MURPHY,
TURNER & TURNER, Assignee.
Attys for Assignee. XXX-51-47

Notice of Letting Drain Contract.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 2d day of September, A. D. 1882, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the house of John Bennett in the township of Owosso, in the county of Shiawassee, I will be present for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township, described as follows: Commencing at a point north 30 west 9.82 chains from the south-east corner of section No. 16, in township No. 7 north of range 2 east, from thence running north 12¼ east, 41 links, thence north 56° east 36 links, thence north 31½ west 49 links, thence north 15 degrees east 2.26 chains, thence north 46½ degrees east 28 links, thence south 63¾ degrees east 5.21 chains, thence north 1 degree east 5.30 chains, thence north 85¼ degrees east 3.43 chains, thence north 56½ degrees east 4.67 chains, north 83¾ degrees east 1.98 chains, thence south 74¾ degrees east 5.25 chains, thence south 64½ degrees east 3.66 chains, thence north 84½ degrees east 3.70 chains, thence north 70½ degrees east 3.44 chains, thence south 60 degrees east 2 chains, thence south 27½ degrees east 3.28 chains, thence north 77¼ degrees east 3.78 chains to a point witnessed by a 10-inch hickory, north 48¼ degrees west 1.40 chains, and that at that time I will let contracts for the construction of said drain by sections, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders. Also take notice that I will then and there, at the time of the letting of such contracts, be present to review all assessments of benefits upon the lands upon which said drain is to be constructed, and assessed for the construction thereof.

Dated at Owosso, this 22d day of August, A. D. 1882.

H. H. CARSON, Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Owosso, in the county of Shiawassee. 51-52

Notice of Letting Drain Contract.

Public Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1882, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the house of Daniel Munger, in the township of Caledonia, in the county of Shiawassee I will be present for the purpose of letting contracts for the construction of a drain in said township, described as follows: Commencing about 48 rods north and 14 rods west of the south-east corner of section 23, in said township, thence easterly bearing a little south across section 23, the north-eastern corner of section 26, and across section 25 to the town line of Vernon, about 88 rods south of the north-east corner of section 25, according to the survey thereof made by H. C. Malh, surveyor, on file with me; and that at that time I will let contracts for the construction of said drain by sections, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders. Also take notice that I will then and there, at the time of the letting of such contracts, be present to review all assessments of benefits upon the lands upon which said drain is to be constructed, and assessed for the construction thereof.

Dated at Caledonia, this 30th day of August, A. D. 1882. GEORGE W. McLELLAN,
Township Drain Commissioner for the township of Caledonia, in the county of Shiawassee. 5-51

NOTICE.

Having been appointed exclusive agent for Philip Best's Celebrated Milwaukee Lager Beer, I offer the same for sale, on draught or by the bottle. The bottle beer is put up expressly for family use.

A. J. PORTEBOIS.

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Meal, fine bolt	[illegible]
Meal, coarse	[illegible]
Bran (per ton)	[illegible]
Feed (per ton)	[illegible]
Wheat	[illegible]
Corn	[illegible]
Corn meal	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Potatoes	[illegible]
White Beans	[illegible]
Apples (green)	[illegible]
Onions	[illegible]
Butter	[illegible]
Butter, creamery	[illegible]
Cheese	[illegible]
Lard	[illegible]
Honey	[illegible]
Eggs (fresh)	[illegible]
Beeswax	[illegible]
Tallow	[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]
Hay (per ton)	[illegible]
Dressed Hogs	[illegible]
Hides, green	[illegible]
Hides, cured	[illegible]

GENERAL MARKETS

CHICAGO.

WHEAT.—Lower: August, $1.02½@1.03; Sept. 99@$1.00; the year, 97½@98½. CORN.—Lower: Aug., 76¾@77½c; Sept., 75¾@76¾c; Oct., 74½@75½c. OATS.—Higher: Aug., 36½@37½c; Sept. 36@36½c; Oct., 35@35½c. RYE.—Firm: August, [illegible]; Sept., 67½@68c. BARLEY.—Higher: No. 2 August, 90c; Sept., 90c. PROVISIONS.—Mess Pork higher; August $21.80@21.90; Sept., $21.82½@21.85; Oct., $21.97½@22.00. Lard—Steady; Aug., sold at $12.37½@12.40; Sept. $12.40@12.42½; October, $12.52½@12.55. CATTLE.—Market firm. We quote:

Fancy heavy export steers	$7.50@7.75
Choice fat steers	7.15@7.40
Good do.	6.50@7.00
Medium grade steers	5.25@6.30
Fair to medium steers	4.50@5.00

HOGS.—Market firm. Sales ranged from $7.90@8.75 for light packing and shipping; $7.90@8.65 for heavy packing, and from $8.50@9.25 for fair to choice smooth heavy shipping lots.

BUTTER.—Steady and firm. We quote: Choice to Fancy Creamery at 26@28c ⅌ lb; ordinary to good do. 20@24c; good to fancy Dairy at 18@23c; common to fair do. 12@15c; Ladle packed, 14@16c; packing stock at 12c. Grease, 5@6c.

NEW YORK.

WHEAT.—Lower: No. 2 August, $1.13⅛@1.13¾; September, $1.13⅝@1.13¾; October, $1.14½@1.15. CORN.—Quiet: Mixed Western Spot, 87@92½c.

CINCINNATI.

FLOUR.—Market quiet: Family, $4.50@5.00. WHEAT—Firm: No. 2 Red Winter, $1.01@1.01½. CORN.—Higher: No. 2 Mixed, 78c. OATS.—Lower: No. 2 Mixed, 42c. RYE.—Quiet; No. 2 Fall, 75c. PROVISIONS.—Pork dull at $23.00. Lard quiet at $12.30. Bulk Meats firm: Clear sides $9.75@14.00. Bacon dull: Clear sides $15.50.

MILWAUKEE.

WHEAT.—Lower: August, $1.02¾; September, 99½c; October, 98½c; No. 3, 89c. CORN.—Tame at 76½c for No. 2. OATS.—Firm: No. 2 White, 40c. RYE.—Higher: 67c No. 1. BARLEY.—Lower at 76½c for No. 2.

ST. LOUIS.

WHEAT.—Lower: No. 2 Red Aug., 95@97½c; September, 95@95½c; October, 98½c. CORN.—Lower: August, 76@76½c; Sept., 75@75½c; October, 69@69½c. OATS—Lower: Aug., 35½@36c; Sept., 34@34½c; October, 33½@34c. RYE—Higher at 67c. BARLEY.—Steady at 80@$1.05. PROVISIONS.—Pork higher at $22.40. Dry Salt Meats quiet at $9.90, 13.75, 14.25. Bacon steady at $10.37½, 14.50, 15.37½. Lard lower; $12.35. HOGS—Higher: Yorkers, $8.20@8.40; butchers' to best heavy, $8.40@8.90.

BALTIMORE.

FLOUR.—Quiet: Western Superfine, $3.00@3.25; do. extra, $4.00@5.00; Family, $5.25@6.50. WHEAT—Western lower; No. 2 Winter Red Spot and Aug., $1.12½@1.13⅛; September, $1.12⅛@1.12⅝; Oct., $1.12⅝@1.13. CORN.—Western lower: Mixed Spot and August, 83@83½c; September, 84½@86c. OATS.—Higher: Western White, 51@52c; Mixed do. 45@47. RYE—Quiet at 65@68c.

BOSTON.

WOOL.—Demand active; Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces, 40@43c; Michigan 38½@40c; No. 1 combing 42½@45c; unwashed fleeces, medium 33@35c; fine and medium 25@32c; low coarse 17@23c; combing delaine 42½@40c; pulled wools 25@45c.

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