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Local and Miscellaneous.

DURING JULY
WE WILL SELL
All Summer Goods
20 Per Cent Off
1/4 OFF!

WE HAVE TOO MANY

Dress Goods, 1/4 Off. - Too
many Lawns, Wool Dress
Goods, Wash Dress
Goods, Wraps, Under-
wear, Mitts, Hosiery.

ALL THIN AND MEDIUM WEIGHT

CLOTHING,
Hats, Light Colored Flannel
Shirts, **PRICES ARE CUT**
FOR JULY.

Only One Price Clothing and Dry Goods
House in the county.

Osburn & Sons.

Woodard & North,
OWOSSO, MICH.

The Spring of 1889 finds us still in the swim. With our large
purchase of a Bankrupt Stock at 70 cents on the dol-
lar we are better prepared than ever to

Give Our Customers A Benefit.

Never before have we had such an immense stock in all de-
partments. We have more goods than we can crowd into our
stores and have to use room outside. Just received

100 Children's Carriages. 100
THEY ARE BEAUTIES.

Novelties in Book Cases, Chamber Suits and Side Boards.
All Down Pillows. Something New. In

PARLOR SUITS.

We have an endless variety, from the cheapest wool plushes
to the finest Tapestries in all the latest shades. Never before
were they so cheap, so beautiful or so durable as now. In short
if you do not see what you want, ask, for we have got it. Goods
Delivered and Freight Paid. **UNDERTAKING A SPECIAL-**
TY. Prices shall be as low as the Lowest. Thanking our many
customers for their liberal trade, we are Respectfully,

WOODARD & NORTH.

Dress Making, Cutting, Fitting, &c.
I will be glad to see all my old cus-
tomers at our new Rooms on Mason
St., north side, opposite Second Na-
tional Bank. Mrs. L. A. STONE

Call at the Standard Pump
Works, West Owosso, for all kinds
of JOB and REPAIR WORK,
promptly and satisfactorily done.
Foundry and telephone in connection

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I, the undersigned, having bought the
stock and interest of F. M. Garlick in the
"Little Grist Mill," near Main street
bridge, will be ready at all times to
receive the patronage of all who will fa-
vor me with their custom. Good Work
and Fair Dealing, and as cheap as the
Cheapest. Also Free Delivery within
the city limits.
27 If C. A. VANDERHOOF.

The prospect of Mr. J. O. Phelps,
of this city, is proof of what can be done
by close application to business and an
endeavor to earn and keep friends.
Last fall he came to this city in a finan-
cial condition, which the boys call "bust-
ed." Not being able to find work read-
ily, he took a rope and tin strips, and
cleaned chimneys. This work proved
very lucrative, and he soon found a
house where he and his family located.
He is a barber by trade, and eventually,
he found employment at that business.
By economy and hard work he accumu-
lated sufficient money to purchase one
of the finest barber shops in the city—
the one formerly owned by Wm. Hone-
ger. He employs two men, and declar-
es in his joking way, that "business is
hopping." His success is due to hard
work, good habits, strict attention to
business, and a happy disposition.

WASHINGTON NEWS.
The selection of Major G. H. Davis
assistant Judge advocate general of the
army, to supervise the prosecution of the
records of the rebellion has been made by
Secretary Tilden, but so far the two will
address to the board have not been
selected. It seems to be generally under-
stood that Mr. Kirkley, of the War De-
partment, will be one of the civilians
this act of Congress, while if in
measure be complied with, will not be
enforced literally. Twenty-three volumes
of thirty-four separate books have already
been published and issued, but the
indexes of five of these have been prepared,
and the books can be sent to press at
once. Besides these forty-eight books in
type there are nine volumes of twenty-
three books fully completed ready for
stereotyping, making a total of seventy
one books published and prepared for
publication, of the entire work. The work as now pro-
jected will make 100 books. There re-
main, therefore, to be prepared by the
board of publication only thirty-eight
books. All of the material for these books
has been selected and copied so that the
labors of the board will be comparatively
easy. The average cost of an edition of
11,000 copies so far has been \$2,000 per set.
With the present appropriation of \$100,000
per year not over nine books can be pub-
lished. The seventy-one books already
published and prepared for publication
carry events well into the year 1864.
Increased appropriation for this important
work was frequently being urged upon
Congress, but for the last eight years the
amount set aside for the publication of
the records has not exceeded \$200,000.

JUNE CROP REPORT.
The June crop-report returns of the de-
partment of agriculture make the total
area planted in maize over 77,000,000 acres.
The largest increase is west of the Missis-
sippi. The condition of the crop is medium;
lower than usual at this period of its de-
velopment. In the Ohio valley the con-
dition is lower than elsewhere.
The general average of condition is
about 90, and the averages of principal
states are: New York, 80; Pennsylvania,
88; Virginia, 90; Georgia, 95; Texas, 90;
Tennessee, 92; Kentucky, 90; Ohio, 81;
Michigan, 70; Indiana, 81; Illinois, 83;
Wisconsin, 88; Minnesota, 87; Iowa, 93;
Missouri, 92; Kansas, 97; Nebraska, 98;
Dakota, 83.
The condition of winter wheat is well
sustained, the general condition standing
at 92. In the heart of the west the harvest
is well advanced, and is generally finished
by this date. It is entirely completed in
the south, and thrashing is in progress.
The average of condition of principal
states is as follows: New York, 94;
Pennsylvania, 90; Virginia, 90; Georgia, 94;
Texas, 90; Tennessee, 95; Kentucky, 89;
Ohio, 88; Michigan, 90; Indiana, 90; Illi-
nois, 94; Missouri, 94; Kansas, 98; Cali-
fornia, 97.
The returns concerning spring wheat in
Dakota are very unfavorable because of
long-continued drought. Rain late in
June had improved the situation, but the
general average as consolidated is 82.
Results are extremely variable—from a
good yield down to a bushel an acre. In
some sections, as reported, the grain is
already heading out, with straw six
inches high. The averages of Wisconsin
and Nebraska are each 95; Iowa, 97; Minn-
nesota, 87, and the averages of Montana,
Idaho, and Washington are lower. The
general average is about 85, which is very
low at this stage of growth.

We often cease to think when we
begin to talk.

Well now I declare," she said, "you
are the first doctor who ever said that
that was what ailed him."
"Well, it is," said I, "and you better take him
to the doctor—well, I can't think of his
name but he treats some of our double-
refined people who know more than the
doctors generally do, and he treats them
very successfully too unless they are
diseased. Now you just take this little
darning to him, and I swear that he will
effect a cure, for I have the utmost con-
fidence in him in all cases of agility,
fragility and certain cases of inebriety."
"Thank you, how much?"
"Nothing, madam. Such information,
though true and so to speak, priceless,
comes to you free as the air you breathe."
Go and be happy.

A gentle ripple of unrest came over
our quiet community last Monday evening
at our annual school meeting, when the
ladies here for the first time on such
an occasion put in an appearance. Yes,
but it seemed nice to see their lovely
faces there and what a time we did have
to be sure, nice time too without the
rant and reckless regard for feel-
ings that usually prevail at school meet-
ings. The meeting however was ad-
justed one week on a point of law,
viz: as to whether a man and wife were
one or two at school meetings. It was a
very delicate point, you see, for while
the scriptures declare them one, the
voting of both would necessarily make
them dual at school meetings, at least.
The question will be decided tonight.

The people of Michigan love trotting
and trotting contests, and it is remark-
able that Michigan has encouraged trot-
ting contests, and almost every town of
note in it has a trotting track, and gives
during the year one or more trotting
meetings, which are largely attended and
greatly interest the people. Detroit is
the metropolis, and its name and fame
have gone abroad in the land, and it is
known in every nook and corner of the
nation on account of its famous trotting
meetings. The annual events are the
pride of the breeders and horse-loving
citizens of the state, and the week of the
great Blue Ribbon is a week set apart
for recreation and pleasure. These summer
meetings have scarce a rival and certainly
no superior. This is attributable to
the large amount of cash offered for
purposes and stakes by the Detroit Driving
Club, and giving its meetings at the
date as to catch the horses which have
been trotting both in the past and the
west. But the main reason of the popular-
ity of the Detroit meeting is the fact
that the whole endeavor of the manage-
ment is to conduct its meetings on a
broad and liberal scale, to do exact and
even-handed justice to all horsemen, and
to afford the people who attend the races
an entertainment, which will give them
pleasure and satisfaction. The meeting
begins Tuesday, July 23rd, and continues
four days. The opening day will be
called Blue Ribbon Day, and the man-
agement have decided to make no charge
for admission. On the third day the
great \$10,000 stake race takes place, 2:24
class, when some of the great flyers will
show up. Buckle Doble and his string of
twenty-three fine animals will be there,
and the great pacer, Johnston who will
try to beat his record. Reduced rates on
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Detroit Summer Trotting Meeting.

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A bulletin from the Agriculture Col-
lege says that the insect now infesting
the wheat is not the green midge, but
the ordinary plant louse. This in-
sect is usually kept under by a parasite,
more prolific than itself, but which ap-
pears to be missing this year.

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on July 23rd, the opening day of the
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Financial Report of the Secretary of the Owosso Union School Board.

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Union School Board for the year ending
June 30, 1889.

RECEIPTS.	DISBURSEMENTS.
From Parents, \$1,200.00	For Salaries, \$1,200.00
From Teachers, 500.00	For Fuel, 100.00
From Pupils, 100.00	For Boarding, 200.00
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Reviewed Promptly by Reviewers' Prize.

Figure 1. The effect of the concentration of the *Agrobacterium* suspension on the transformation efficiency of *Agrobacterium* strains.

Mrs. Flatreuter: Yes, we have chil-

General Manager. CHICAGO, ILL. Gen'l Ticket & Pass Agent.

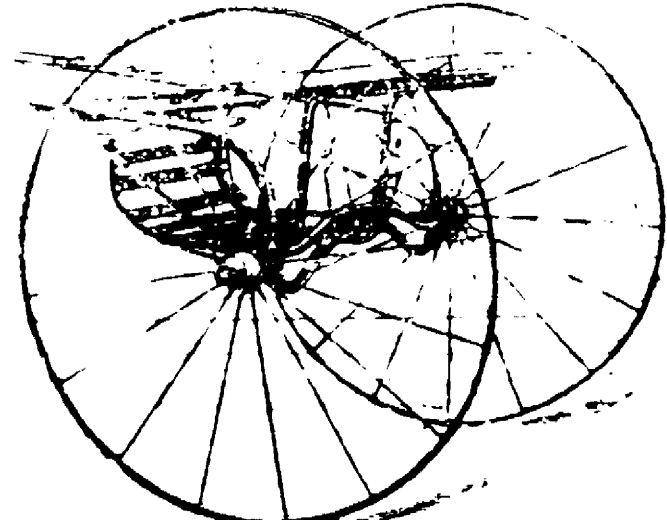
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8TH GRAND SEMI-ANNUAL Clearance -:- Sale!

AT
D. M. CHRISTIAN'S
Before Invoice.
Commencing SATURDAY, July 13.
And continue for TWO WEEKS,
TILL SATURDAY, July 27.
DRY GOODS & CARPETS
Will Be Sold
REGARDLESS -:- OF -:- COST.
AT D. M. CHRISTIAN'S, OWOSSO.

Ah, There!
New Firm! New Prices!
KNAPP & SMITH.
Come and see our prices. Down, Down, WAY DOWN.
Bound to please everybody. Beautiful Easy Chairs for the Ladies, little Jumpers for the Babies.
Upholstering and Picture Framing a Specialty.
UNDERTAKING
Attended to Promptly. Don't forget the place. 47m 3
KNAPP & SMITH,
Washington St., Owosso.

ATTENTION!



Come and examine the NEW ROMEO CART, before purchasing. SOMETHING NEW. CHEAPEST AND BEST CART in the market. Easy riding, to horse motion. For sale by D. J. NYSE-WANDER, brick store building, first door west of the National Hotel, Owosso, Mich. Sole Agent for Shiawassee County.

EVERYBODY
FINDS IN OUR STOCK OF
BOOTS & SHOES,
Just the things they are looking for. Attention is invited to our immense line of
People Pleasers.
Fashionable, Durable, Seasonable, Reasonable
Perfect Fitting, Wear Resisting Footwear.
For Ladies', Gentlemen, Misses, Youth, Boys', Girls and Babies, Children
Old People, Farmers, Merchants, Workingmen, in fact Everybody.
SALISBURY BROS.,
Corner Opera House Block, Owosso, Mich

WATCHES!
FOR ALL THE
Leading American Watches
GO TO
T. O. CHRISTIAN'S.
We carry in stock the Elgin, Waltham, Hampden, Rockford, Illinois, Columbus, Aurora, Seth Thomas, Howard, Waltham Non-Magnetic, also the Geneva Non-Magnetic, and a number of other cheaper makes. We aim to give satisfaction.
We have in stock a fine line of goods suitable for Wedding Presents.
T. O. CHRISTIAN, Jeweler,
Washington Street, Owosso.

BEAUTIFUL PRESENTS
Books, China, Glass Ware, and Porcelain Lined Stew Kettles, Given Away
With BAKING POWDER.
Good Tea from 9c up. The Best 25c Coffee in town.
REMEMBER THIS, if you want the BEST COFFEE in the city
TRY OUR
Fresh Roasted Mocha & Java
IT WILL PLEASE YOU.
S. B. Fuller & Co.,
THE COFFEE ROASTERS.

OWOSSO GREEN HOUSE.
Are you going to Beautify your Lawns and Yards? If so, get your Plants, Shrubs, Bulbs and Seeds at the Green House and save money by so doing. Verbenas, Fannies, Coleus and other Plants anything you want we will furnish at reasonable prices.
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