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A DISASTROUS PARTNERSHIP.

BY HJALMAR H. BOYENSEN.

IV. I regret to be obliged to introduce my reader to a courtship a step lower down Moe that James, when this incident was rethan the foregoing. For it happened that ported to him, refused the declare war. He simultaneously with his partner's, Truls Bergerson's fancy gently turned in the same and demanded that no hostile measures direction. The enchantress to whose charms should be considered; and Antoinette was he succumbed was a Norwegian cook, nam- made to promise that, however trying it ed Randie. If she had any surname it was might be to keep the peace, she would asnot generally known; but that was not of any consequence, as it was one of the first James was really so good to her that she things with which her husband would sup- could well afford to make a sacrifice where Golden Seal Bitters is meeting with grand ply her. What chiefly appealed to Berger- his interests were concerned. He submitted son in this maiden of his choice was her good-naturedly to the process of "being chants, and the only thing that was Amerilly, "that you may expel nature with a fork, muscle and her proficiency in cooking—a rare | Americanized," to which she systematically accomplishment in persons of her class. subjected him when they were alone togeth-She had received her culinary education in er. She corrected his accent until there was the house of the famous Mrs. Judge Hal- scarcely a trace left of it; she experimented land, who kept the grandest establishment with his hair until she hit upon a way of in all Northern Norway, and whose meat parintg it that was both fashionable and bepuddings and fish puddings had a national coming; and she trained him in all those renown. There was a strict military regime superficial arts of bowing, entering and their native tongue, and when addressed in in that house, and Mrs. Halland had no leaving a room, etc., which her observation scruple in boxing the ears of her cook if the rather than her experience had taught her. steak was burned or the soup too salt. She was determined he should be a gentle-These practices had filled Randie with ad- man in the narrowest sense, and she found miration, though she herself had often suf- him an apt pupil. A certain dash of manferred from them; and her one unquench- ner was, somehow, latent in him by inheri- tivated enough to be able to hide it in their

known outside of his native land. He re- she displayed in keeping them at a distance. turned her favors with specimens of his own handicraft, such as a spinning-wheel, reels for yarn, and cards for combing flax and wool. These gifts, he shrewdly reasoned, at-arms between the wives of the firm bein accordance with the custom of Norse peasant girls, to make their own trousseau, of its completion. He paid her occasional visits after working hours, and kept a strict account of the progress of her manufactures. When he thought she had accumulated

with him. Although the firm of Bergerson & Moe was now a considerable institution, employing fifty men or more, the senior partner worked as steadily at his bench as if he had been a common journeyman. He took a noiseless walk now and then in the sawdust over his men. If he caught anyone doing slipshod or flimsy work he was instantly discharged. Moe, in the meanwhile, sat in the office, kept the books and made new de-

enough, he built a modest little house on

on the other's character. to keeping house with Randie; and when had heard that Moe was "playing it rather dence laughed immoderately, and encour-Moe made a similar venture with the young big," as he expressed it; but he was deter- aged him in his buffoonery. Mrs. Bergerlady of ice cream antecedents, content- mined to show that, in his honest Norse first formal call which Mrs. Bergerson made had by his American marriage become alien- was received with enthusiasm. Some few rayed herself in her home-made finery, and the Americanized first name and superfluous had been persuaded that she looked quite middle initial had been a sore trial to Truls's card. Poor Randie might with equal pro- these and other affectations. priety have been asked for her coat-of-arms. When Moe saw that there was no help for It began to dawn upon her that Mrs. Moe, it, he accepted the invitation with good ling with animosity, in one of the large breakage) was scarcely less severe than that voice and said: chairs in the parlor. It was a perfectly pre- of Bergerson. It was only out of regard for posterous parlor, in Randie's opinion; heavy the steam factory and the profit it promised opportunity." silk plush curtains, Axminster carpet, of that Antoinette consented to celebrate this a rich subdued tint, spindle-legged chairs of feast of reconciliation. It would have suited different sizes, which seemed only to be her much better to give the vulgar Mrs. Ber-she thought she should sink into the ground From the Atlanta Constitution. waiting for a signal to dance a waltz, and gerson a piece of her mind--an effective piece before she could persuade herself to utter it. the figure of a naked man on the top of a carv- which she had all in readiness and was ach- She knew, however, that the proprieties in more attention than he usually receives. He ed stand. When Mrs. Moe finally appeared, ing to deliver. But since peace was the Norway demanded that she should disparage is an old friend. Everybody knows him. attired in silk—actual silk, at five dollars a programme, such ammunition must be herself and her table in order to give her He is a man who lives, not from choice, but yard—and with her heavy black hair banged, kept, temporarily at least, in abeyance. privilege of treating her as Mrs. Halland did die, dressed in a flaring red satin gown (she dance of everything. But her savory con-

iously in her face. There could, of course, the market. Unlike her husband, she could every family she had ever cooked for; and be no mistaking that; it meant war-war to the knife.

It was a severe disappointment to Mrs. put his foot down firmly on this occasion, sert her superiority by ignoring the insult. ferred from them; and her one unquench-able ambition was to reach a similar station tance, and waited only for the opportunity of authority, in which she could exercise to make itself apparent. He carried his Mrs. Halland's magnificent privileges. She head no longer as a petitioner, but as a comset her cap deliberately for Bergerson, chief- mander. Wherever he went his free and ly because he was reputed to be rich. Hand- easy amiability made him friends; and busisome he certainly was not, but that was a ness acquaintances began to seek him also secondary consideration. When he was in private. His handsome wife, too (whose began to bombard him with delicate atten- was a welcome addition to social circles; tions such as fish puddings a la Mrs. Hal- men flocked about her and did homage to land, and other dishes which were not her beauty, and respected her for the tact lar.

In the Bergerson household the passage-

would make her more valuable to him when came a formidable event. When Randie he should want her; for it would enable her, in her usual slam-bang style, reported the affair, with many embellishments, to her husband, he, for the first time in their wedfrom the raw material up to the last stage ded life, failed to agree with her. He maintained that a reparation was due Mrs. Moe: and, after long rumination, he had the unhappy idea that they ought to give a party for her. All his wife's chiding and obstreperas protestations (breakages included) were one of his lots, and after a preliminary visit of no avail. Truls would and must have to the parson, invited Randie to share it his party. He was as obstinate as a mule when he had got anything into his head, and Randie had to submit. When the affair was broached to Moe he get so hot about his ears that he had to blow his nose to hide his em barrassment. He saw breakers aheadwhite, tumultuous breakers, large enough to engulf the whole firm of Bergerson & and the shavings, and kept a strict watch Moe. They were just then completing their make room for the next arrival. new steam factory, and had within a few months doubled their force of men; everyeach felt that the other had contributed ratic equation to a Hottentot. Bergerson's by way of pleasantry, had secured a bottle made them feel a mutual respect in spite of brain was a very simple one-story structure, of Swedish punch, which he had concealed little private criticisms which each made up- which could house but one idea at a time. under his coat, but showed with expressive When he saw that Moe hesitated to accept his grimaces to everyone that passed. The ipon Mrs. Moe. Mrs. Bergerson, in her ated, both in dress and manner, from the bell and was asked by the servant for her ured way he meant now to pay Jens up for

crimped and elaborately dressed, Mrs. Ber- It was a bitter cold day, the last of the regarded her bill of fare, she had nothing to It seems impossible for a man who has comgerson conceived such a hatred of her that old year, that Mr. and Mrs. Bergerson made be ashamed of. It was, indeed, unconvenshe would have given fifty cents for the their debut as hosts and entertainers. Ran-tional, and there was too great an abun-be a steam engine in breeches, and a model her delinquent cooks. Mrs. Moe, on the had overcome her prejudice against precious coctions in the way of meat puddings and ergy and ability will go for nothing. It is other hand, though she put her visitor down stuffs of late), and blushing like a peony, pies, fish curries, oyster tarts, etc., betrayed useless for him to assert himself and make as a ridiculous vulgarian, was at pains to stood at her husband's side and wrung the a refinement of art worthy of Savarin. The a decided stand. The tide is against him, receive her, for her husband's sake, as civ- hand of each new-comer. She had a cur- guests were loud in the praise of every new, and he cannot successfully breast it. The ily as possible. She was relieved, however, ious bend in her back which recalled the dish they tried, recommended it to their fact that our unfortunate acquaintance once when the call was at an end; and she had days of her servitude; and Truls had exactly neighbors, and complimented the hostess: had a grip indicates that he at one time in a good mind not to return it. But James a similar stoop, only with him it was more and the latter, forgetting for the moment his career possessed some of the essentials begged her so earnestly that at last she in the shoulders. Her hair, which had a her changed position, was so carried away belonging to the make-up of a successful "FERMENTUM" can get samples and full yielded and went. Mrs. Bergerson herself pathetic look of artificial disorder, did homdirections by addressing or applying to the answered the bell, but when she saw who age to Mrs. Moe; but it was scarcely a sucthe visitor was she had such an access of cess. Gloves she had had the good sense to was on the point of remarking that Mrs. leading condition of success and failure.

would permit; his heavy, grayish-black lady at his side: frock-coat and trousers would have been useful in a Polar expedition; and his large recurret." boots made made no concessions to the anat-

sorts and conditions of Norsemen. They English." were mostly tradesmen and small mercan about them was their wives. Not that but the fork will be sure to show." they had married American women; but it cities the women, if they have emigrated in point. their youth, loes, as a rule, their nationality sooner than the men. Some of the younger of them even showed a strange aversion for Norwegian would answer in English. The trouble was that their Norwegian, which was generally a peasant dialect, would betray their origin; and they were neither democratic enough to be proud of it nor culadopted speech.

It was quite late when Mr. and Mrs. Moe made their appearance. They paused before the host and hostess, and Moe, with the easiest manner in the world, presented his wife. There was semething free and unembarrassed in the way they both carried slow in responding to her overtures, she humble antecedents were rapidly forgotten), their heads, which displeased Bergerson. It was as if they were taking in the whole company in general, but no one in particu-

Truls stared at them in a very inhospitable manner, twirling the curl over his right

"Well, Bergerson, won't you shake hands with my wife?" asked Moe, lightly.

"Thanks shall you have for last meeting!" said Bergerson in Norwegian, grasping Mrs. Moe's hand, and shaking it until she was on the point of screaming.

Randie, whose complexion by this time matched her dress, gave her husband a clandestine nudge, as if to warn him not to make a fool of himself. But he rather prided himself on the neatness of his speech, wouldn't you? But she doesn't? She sells and was not to be discouraged.

Thus matters stood when Bergerson went invitation, he grew only more urgent. He younger people whom he took into his confi-

It was a speech she had heard Mrs. Hal-

land make when she had dinner parties, but

wrath that she slammed the door uncermon- diseard, possibly because her size was not in Somebody had said that she had spoiled speak a kind of slangy English, with a that was a true word. But she had just got strong kitchen flavor. He was never at ease | into the middle of this confession when she except in his mother tongue, though he blushed, stammered and broke off. The knew a few indispensable phrases whihn, at young man with the Swedish punch, whose a pinch, might have passed for English. In career as a student had been cut short by his attire, too, he was as Norse as circumstances devotion to that beverage, whispered to the

"Naturam furea expellas, tamen usque

"What does that mean?" the lady inquired, archly. "You musn't talk French The rooms filled up gradually with all to me you know. I understand nothing but

"It means," the ex-student replied grave-

She laughed with forced hilarity to conis a curious fact that in the large Western ceal her obtuseness, she did not see the

[Concluded next week.]

Ladies as Commercial Travelers. From the Chicago Herald.

"There is a new racket on the road," said a commercial traveler. "It's a female drummer. I met her the other day and she is a dandy. Of course she travels for a Chicago house, and she sells goods like a January thaw. She has been out so long now that she is as independent as a hog on ice. She sits in an ordinary railway car and charges up sleeping berths in her expenses, just the same as the rest of us. She walks to the hotels from the stations and charges up the hack fares, just as we do. She beats the landlord down to \$1.50 a day and charges the house \$2.50 in the regular old style. She can take care of herself every day in the week, and she knows how the order up a bottle of wine and work it on the expense account, too. Why, when I saw her last she was a new silk dress ahead of the firm, and by New Year's proposed to have a sealskin sacque out of her expenses. And that isn't all. She has half of the hotel clerks in the Northwest mashed on her, and the way the little rascal knocks 'em down on her bill is a caution. She has a regular trick of staying over Sunday where one of her admirers runs the house, and she walks of Monday morning forgetting to pay the bill. What does she sell? That's the funniest thing about it. You would think she would handle jewelry or millinery or dry goods, gents' furnishing goods, and the young men "I tink ye have saw Randie before," he who usually keep that kind of stores buy of continued in English, "but I vill tell ye, her as if they hadn't seen a commercial Randie is nice enough ven ye know how to traveler for six months. And she is a dandy take her. Her bark is vorse dan her bite." poker player, too. She handles the cards "I am very happy to meet Mrs. Bergerson awkwardly, and acts as if she didn't know a again," replied Mrs. Moe. And she actual- full hand from two pairs, and raises \$2 on ly shook the hostess's hand with her most deuces, and nearly cries when t'other fellow affable smile, and moved on gracefully, to shows up three of a kind, and then gets excited in a big jack pot, and raises the open-While waiting for the dinner several of er and bets the limit and raises back and the guests made little reconnoitering exped- scares t'other fellow out, and slides into the thing was going so swimmingly in a busi- tions into the dining room, and reported to deck a little pair of sixes or sevens or a bobness way that they could less than ever af- interested groups of listeners what they had fail as innocent as you please. Bluff? Why, signs. The two partners were on a very ford to fall out over petty personal affairs. discovered. It seemed a matter of enor- she has a bluff on her like the Wisconsin friendly footing, though they said little to But to demonstrate this to his partner would mous consequence to them what they were River. She's a daisy, and I tell you it's each other. But the prosperity to which be about as hopeless as to explain a quad- going to eat and drink. One young man, mighty lucky for the boys that there ain't any more like her on the road.'

He Drew on the Czar.

H. H. Honore, Col. Fred Grant's fatherin-law, who was very rich before the Chicago fire, lost most of his property thereby, and for a time had difficulty in meeting his son, in the meanwhile, had vanished, and at ordinary expenses. Having, according to ment reigned supreme in the firm of Berger- way, he was not afraid to take a hand with the end of half an hour reappeared, flushed report, overdrawn his account \$2,500 at one son and Moe. The first cloud upon their him. He swore to himself that no man and overheated, and invited the company to of the banks, the cashier asked him, toward matrimonial horizon was occasioned by the should go home sober from his party. Moe repair to the dining-room. This invitation the close of the year, to make it good. The ex-millionaire vowed he could not. "Give who prided themselves on their gallantry a check on anybody." Said the officer: We honest Norse heart, had looked forward to good old Norwegian style, and Bergerson offered their arms to the ladies who blushed want it mainly for the benefit of the bookthis event with pleasure, as she expected to began to chuckle to himself at the thought awkwardly and felt quite embarrassed at so keeper, so that he can balance." "I'll draw find a sympathetic friend and counselor of reclaiming him or making him show his much style; but the great majority, while on the Czar of Russia, if you like," remarkin the junion partner's wife. She had ar- colors. The signature James K. Moe, with admiring the boldness of the rest, lacked ed Honore, "though neither he nor anybody courage to imitate them. Each selected a else who is worth anything is indebted to seat according to his own inclination; and me." "He'll do; it's only for the form's imposing, until she rang Mrs. Moe's door- Norse soul, and in a harmless and good-nat- thus it happened that Mrs. Moe found her- sake, you know." The draft was made self, quite unintentionally, between her and happened to go through the regular husband and a middle-aged tanner with course of collection. When it reached St. cracked hands, molasses-colored hair, and a Petersburg it was nearly covered with strong smell of leather. When all were stamps, indorsements and seals, and was perhaps, wanted to insult her; but she grace. But the battle he had to fight in the seated, Mrs. Bergerson, apparently over-finally presented to the Emperor. He debridled her wrath and seated herself, brist- bosom of his family (though there was no whelmed with embarrassment, lifted up her clared that he had no recollection of H. H. Honore; but then, as he was an American, "Be so good as to put up with our poor he presumed it must be all right, and order-

Lost His Grip.

The man who has lost his grip deserves guests an opportunity to praise. And, as from necessity, on a diet of cold shoulder.

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Traverse City Business Men's Association. President, Frank Hamilton; Secretary, C. T. Lockwood; Treasurer, J. T. Beadle.

Subscribers and others, when writing to advertisers, will confer a favor on the publisher by mentioning that they saw the advertisement in the columns of this paper.

Some recent failures are, to say the least, a little peculiar. When a man buys enough goods of a certain kind to last ten years, does not pay for them, and soon after fails, there will always be a suspicion that he knew that he was going to fail when he bought the goods.

Look well to the credits of your custom ers. You may not do quite so much business, but it will count you more dollars in the end.

AMONG THE TRADE.

IN THE CITY.

Bishop & Greenley succeed Moran & Bishop in the livery business.

Fritz C. Jehle succeeds McLaren & Jehle in the merchant tailoring business at 110

Perkins & Hess effected a sale of 2,500 hides to one house on Monday. The sale aggregated \$13,000.

F. J. Lamb & Co. have sold their portable engine and boiler to P. F. Covell, of Walker, who will use it to operate a feed mill.

Van Dertill & Van Winsheyn havé engaged in the grocery business at the corner of Spring and Island streets. Cody, Ball & Co. furnished the stock.

Jas. A. Coye, the Broadway groceryman has purchased a desirable building lot at the corner of Sixth and Scribner streets, and will erect a two-story frame store during the coming summer season.

Mr. Sly, manager of the Peteskey Lime Co., has invented a new hard finish and will engage in the manufacture of the same at the corner of Fulton and Ionia streets under the style of the Combination Hard Finish

The Transportation Committee of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Exchange has petitioned Commissioner Fink to reduce the pool rate from New York to this city from 75 to 70 cents; in other words, put Grand Rapids on the same basis as Jackson. The grounds taken in the memonial are that the present calculation is based on the milethe city and before the D., G. H. & M. betrunk line. The Committee is quite son provided for. sanguine that the concession will be secur-

AROUND THE STATE.

John W. Free, hardware dealer at Paw Paw, has sold out.

M. W. Kitchen, grocer at Sheridan, has removed to Stanton

C. D. Bassett has opened a new feed and tobacco store at Marcellus.

O. A. House & Son, grocers at Mendon,

J. C. Dingman, grocer at Owosso, has sold out to Lawrence, Hamblen & Co.

have assigned to R. E. Fletcher.

Begole & Norton succeed Mary L. French in the grocery business at Chelsea.

C. Brown succeeds Brown & Slayton in

the grocery business at Middleville. Wm. Bates, grocer at Sturgis and Burr the season between April and December.

Oak, has been closed on chattel mortgage. Goodenow & Beman succeed McGuinnes & Co. in the dry goods business at Albion.

Wetherby in the boot and shoe business at

John F. McBane & Co. succeeds E. J. March in the dry goods business at North

J. W. Howry, dry goods and lumber goods stock. Frank Hagerman succeeds F. B. Raynale

& Co. in the drug and grocery business at Birmingham. Ionia merchants, having grown tired of

dealer at Sand Beach, has been closed under chattel mortgage. F. A. Rockafellow & Co., of Carson City,

have purchased the grocery stock of A. B. Martin, at Ithaca.

James Hullinger, formerly engaged in the drug business at Big Rapids, is now conduct-

ing a drug store at Kansas City. firm of Wisner & Page, boot and shoe dealers at Ionia. The business will be continued

by Wellington C. Page. Chris. Mynning has bought out Thos. P. Mortenson's interest in the firm of Morten-

son & Mynning, grocers at Upper Big Rapids, and will continue the business.

The general store of Geo. R. Shatts, at Co., Coldwater, was in town last week. Port Huron, is now owned by Martin Bros., formerly with Root, Strong & Co., of De- Co., of Chicago, was in town last week. troit. Mr. Shatts will go to Los Angeles,

H. J. Marsh, the Marshville general dealof \$100 worth of merchandise. The officers week. are of opinion that Marsh circulated the re port as an advertising dodge.

A. Young & Sons, the Orange general Sunday. dealers, write THE TRADESMAN that they have sold their stock, store and residence property to Hinds & Kilmartin, who will assume possession on May 1. A. Young & Sons will then devote their entire attention to their banking business at Mancelona.

Breckler & Lewinstein's dry goods and clothing stores at Bay City have been closed on seven mortgages. Deputy U. S. Marshal Conklin took possession on an attachment for J. V. Farwell & Co., of Chicago. This was resisted by mortgagees Schloss Bros., of Detroit, who were taking an inventory. Conkling smashed the front door and got in, and now holds the fort. The end is not

MANUFACTURING MATTERS.

The Challenge Corn Planter Co., at Grand gan trade. Haven, will engage in the manufacture of

A limited partnership has been formed between P. S. Sherman and N. Howland, under the name of P. S. Sherman & Co., to manufacture staves, heading, hoops, lumber, etc., at Linwood, just south of Deep

STRAY FACTS.

A new grist mill has just been completed at Maple Ridge.

L. L. Fowler, gunsmith at Ludington, has assigned to O. J. Graves. H. O. Wilson, restauranter and baker at

St. Joseph, has sold out.

Geo. Hoyland & Son, flour millers at Unadilla, have been burned out.

C. L. King & Co.'s basket and butter plate factory at Montague started up on the 11th. H. R. Dickinson & Co., of Nashville, have commenced operations on a 65-barrel roller process flouring mill.

The Second National Bank of Owosso begun business on the 2nd, and received \$61,-105.35 on deposit the first day.

It is stated that 50,000,000 feet of the lumber now on dock along Saginaw River will be handled by the car trade.

Upwards of 8,000,000 feet of logs will this season be got into Grand Lake, Presque Isle county, mostly for Alpena parties. D. B. Galentine, W. G. Williams, T. H. Carruthers and Ralph Falconer have organized a stock company at Bailey under the title of the Bailey Lumber Co. The capital

stock is \$10,000. Manistee Times: R. G. Peters has purchased a two-fifths interest in the Stronach Lumber Company, trading his property at Midland for the share of W. B. Remington, of Grand Rapids.

Daniel H. Fuller and Victor G. Beebe have been admitted to partnership in the firm of S. M. Isbell & Co., produce and commission dealers at Jackson. The firm name remains the same as before.

W. C. Stevens has purchased a part interest in the Locke & Eastman mill, at Tawas, and the concern has been merged into way, before the Michigan Central came into a stock company. Improvements will be

It is reported from Duluth that Osterhe stocking the firm's mill at Duluth.

Messrs. Hazeltine, Perkins & Co. have received intelligence from Mr. Bailey, the Plainwell druggist, to the effect that the loss by his recent fire was comparatively small and that the interruption to business was only temporary.

The Manistee Advocate's annual statement of the lumber record of that place shows 199,975,221 feet of log run and common lumber, 24,381,907 select lumber, 5,519,285 deals, and 1,555,023 longitudinal railroad stuff, to have been handled during

in the winter time.

were negotiating for the Weaver & Selig-Franklin street. A proposition was made about half of the birds. Geo. W. Dennis, book and stationery to Jacob Seligman to consolidate his bank with the proposed new one, but this proposition he refused to entertain.

Good Words Unsolicited.

Philip B. Kirkwood, druggist and stationer, Negaunee: "Nice and valuable paper."

F. L. Tucker, general dealer, Sumner: "A man who can take it out of the post office and read it and not pay for it has got more gall than the Colley B. Wisner has retired from the Ovid cow. What has become of Soliman and

Widder Spriggs?" Lyman Townsend, grocer, Howard City: "Am well pleased with the paper and think your price very cheap for the amount of news received. It is a great help, especially to peo-ple doing business with small capital."

The Gripsack Brigade.

A. E. Brownell, of the American Cigar

A. D. Oliver, representing Armour & Jim Derby, representing Spaulding &

Merrick, of Chicago, was in town last week. H. L. Bassett, traveling agent for Jno. P. er, claims that his store was recently robbed Hier, of Saracuse, N. Y., was in town last

H. P. Colegrove, representing E. R. Durkee & Co., of New York, was in town over

Hamilton Carhartt, representing Hawley, Folsom & Martin, Philadelphia, was in town

J. E. Turney, with DeGolyer Bros., Chicago, took in the Grand Rapids manufactur-

ers last week. Geo. P. Gifford, Jr., of East Saginaw,

State agent for Armour & Co., was in town last week, selling glue. J. H. Parker has sold a Chandler & Taylor 11x20 engine and boiler to J. A. Haak,

who will put in a sawmill. F. M. Keats, representing F. F. Adams & Co., of Milwaukee, paid Grand Rapids his usual by-monthly call on Monday.

C. W. Starr, of Owosso, has signed with the Drummond Tobacco Co. for the coming year. He will have charge of the Michi-

The First National Bank, of Ovid closed its first year December 1,0 and recently declared a dividend of 6 per cent. on the year's

The T. P. A. men of Muskegon have organized a local society, with D. G. Crotty as president, C. C. Moulton secretary, and A. Wiegel treasurer.

R. P. Bigelow, of the grocery firm of Bigelow & Bigelow, at Owosso, has gone on the road for C. W. Linsley & Co., of Detroit. He was formerly connected with the

same house. Plainwell Independent: Get C. B. Lamb to tell you about his interview with the representative of Boston culchaw, in the City of Baked Beans.

Albert C. Antrim, formerly with the Alabastine Co., but for the past year with the Anti-Kalsomine Co., has gone back to the old love, and is at present "doing" (up) the Michigan trade.

Wm. H. Downs put in last week at Detroit, posting up on Root, Strong & Co.'s line. He is similarly engaged his week, but will start out on his initial trip for the new house next Monday.

E. H. Smith, formerly on the road for Simmons & Co., of Philadelphia, has engaged to travel for Mohl & Kenning. His territory includes all the lake shore towns from East Saginaw to Erie, Pa., including Detroit, Toledo and Cleveland.

The Detroit subdivision of the Michigan division of the Travelers' Protective Association was recently organized by the election of M. J. Mathews, president; J. E. Langley, vice-president; J. B. Joselyn, secretary, and John Broad, treasurer. A committee was appointed to secure a permanent place of meeting and an adjournment had nntil January 16 to hear their report.

Thomas B. Threlkeld, Michigan traveling representative for Weisinger & Bate, was recently married to Miss Annetta J. Taylor, of iron ore for 1886 that has ever occurred. of Rutland, Ills. The bride is a handsome and accomplished young lady and the groom is known to the trade as a rising business man. The bridal tour will include the principal Southern cities, after which the happy couple will take up their residence in Chicago.

As a result of The Tradesman's reference to Geo. F. Owen's mancial troubles. & Fox are making arrangements for the his friends have rushed to his assistance purchase of 60,000,000 feet of pine on the and contributed a sum sufficient to prevent south shore of Lake Superior, contiguous to his relapse into bankruptcy. A. S. Dutton, Duluth. This pine will be logged for book-keeper for Brewster & Stanton, sent a postal note for one cent, accompanying the remittance with the following explanation: "George's experience of 1885 with the canine race undoubtedly explains his straightened circumstances and induces the which will be occupied by his hardware writer to contribute to the lessening of that stock. Turner Bros. will erect a structure writer to contribute to the lessening of that advertising account." Other contributions were made by Chas. W. Mansfield, J. H. Parker and the attaches of THE TRADES-MAN office, in consequence of which George's pocket now bulges out with a receipt in

full. A Northern correspondent relates an incident which serves to illustrate the natural The Detroit, Bay City & Alpena Railroad | deprayity to which some men are prone. A extension from Oscoda to Black River, Al- farmer having brought to town a coop full cona county, is completed, and trains are of fat fows, to grace the festive boards of C. R. Richardson & Co. succeed Amelia running through to Black River regularly. the honest citizens of the place, deposited The road is now eighty-three miles long the coop on the sidewalk in front of a meat from Alger, Arenac county, on the Michi- market. The street was filled with teams gan Central, to Black River. This road, to standing by the sidewalk, and to the tail of some extent, lets Alpena out of the woods one of these wagons a commercial traveler attached the coop containing the unsuspect-East Saginaw News: Some capitalists ing fowls, by a stout strap which hung from dealer at East Saginaw, has sold his dry from New York have been here during the the tail board. The owner of the wagon fore part of the week, who in conjunction presently came out of the market, and drove with two prominent East Saginaw citizens off, which caused the complete demoralizacontemplate starting a private bank with a tion of the coop, and considerable astonishcapital of half a million of dollars. They ment to the fowls and their owner. The latter, at last accounts, had succeeded by dead-beat customers, will form a protective man block, corner of Genesee avenue and dint of prodigious exertions, in recapturing

THE LOUNGER.

Anent the willingness of the average Kentuckian to resort to the use of fire arms on the slightest provocation, Capt. Perkins, of the firm of Hazeltine, Perkins & Co.-beg pardon, Hazeltine & Perkins Drug Co.—tells a characteristic story. Two gentlemen were stopping at the Parker House, Boston, when one of them got into a qurrel with the clerk over his bill. The elder gentleman listened to the discussion until disgusted, when he addressed his friend as fol- weigh?" "Oh, that depends on business. lows: "Bob, don't forget you are a Kentuckian. Paythe bill and shoot the man." don't weigh much of anything."

OUT AROUND.

News and Gossip Furnished by Our Own Correspondents.

Lyon, Dunning & Co., hosiery and underware dealers, have merged their business into a stock company under the title of the Lyon Bros. Co. The capital stock of the corporation is \$15.000. The house will re The capital stock of the

move from 99 West Larned street to 95 Jefferson avenue about February 1. E. H. Doyle, for several years manager of Jacob Seligman's banking house at East Saginaw, has taken the position of Treasurer of the Louis Reed Cooperage Co., having purchased an interest in the business.

J. F. Zahm & Co. succeed Hallaran & Zahm in the commission grain busines Mogford & Birdseye, butter and egg dealers, are succeeded by John Mogford.

Geo. R. Weaver, tobacco dealer, has sold

Thos, Mears succeeds Mears, Reusch & Co. in the galvanized iron cornice business

Hersey.

Hall, Manning & Pollock have purchased the Berry Mill, near Farwell, and intend moving it near Deer Lake, on the Luther branch, where they have purchased some shingle timber and have taken a job of cutting several million feet of pine into lum-

ber for the Osterhout & Fox Lumber Co.
Oliver Seaman, of Big Rapids has pur chased the Brown shingle mill on section nine, Cedar township, and is now running. He has contracted his cut of shingles to A. C. Beaver, of Fort Wayne, for \$2.60 and

Mr. Hall, of Reed City, has bought out his partner's interest in the Hall & Strong shingle mill, near Ravenna. He has contracted his cut to A. C. Beaver at the same

Frank Vorce, of Cat Creek, has also contracted his cut to Beaver at a little better

Will L. Beardsley's mill, as usual, grinds steadily on and his sheds are well filled with shingles.

Muskegon.

Farquharson & Ross propose erecting a wood mill near the factory of the Simmons & Kinne Manufacturing Co. thecoming sea-They have discontinued operations at

the old kindling factory. Assignee Billinghurst will offer the property of the Muskegon Car and Engine Works at public sale on the 23d. A local paper is authority for the statement that a syndicate has been organized for the purpose of buying the property, organizing a new company

and operating the works.

The Chronicle present an annual review of the lumber cut and shipments of the mills located on Muskegon Lake, which has the appearance of being generally reliable. The results may be summarized as follows:

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Negaunee.

Business of all kinds up here in "these neck of woods" is fairly good, with bright prospects for the coming summer. now everything points to the largest output P. B. KIRKWOOD.

The condition of trade is quite seriously effected by the absence of snow.

S. McNitt, who for the past year has been clerking for the Newaygo Manufacturing Co., severed his connection with that firm last week.

The vacant office in Raider's block has been taken p work, who will fit it up as a consultation room. Geo. E. Taylor is disposing of the rem-

nant of his holiday stock by lottery.

Three new brick buildings will be erected here as soon as the weather will permit in the spring. E. S. Fitch will pustory building, 22x80 feet in E. S. Fitch will put up a one-16x80 feet for use as law offices, etc., and Chas. Ward will build a barber shop, 16x40 feet in dimensions. Other important building enterprises are in contemplation.

Traverse City.

J. N. Broadfoot is buying cord wood in he vicinity of Empire and banking it on

Lake Michigan. Frank Misener, lately employed in Hannah, Lay & Co.'s grist mill, is now buying wheat for LeBar & Cornwell, Cadillac, ship ping it to them by rail.

Hannah, Lay & Co.'s grist mill is still running day and night to keep up with constantly increasing orders. J. E. Greilick's saw mill has shut down

for a few weeks, for repairs.

The Traverse City Manufacturing Co. is running on full time and turning out considerable custom work.

The late heavy fall of snow is just what was needed to liven up trade. Geo. Davenport, late in the employ of Despres & Montague, has gone to Grand Rapids to accept a position in a large hard-

and Loan Association, is visiting relatives in Springfield, Mo. He expects to be absent several months, and during his absence T. T. Bates will act as Secretary for him. C. M. Bell, Albert Cross, Paul Snyder and Geo. E. Banks, of this place, T. H. West, of the Peninsula and Will Steele, of North-

D. C. Leach, Secretary of the Building

C. A. Crawford and C. M. Wells have gone to Los Angeles, Cal., for a pleasure trip of several weeks' duration. J. H. Chine, who sold the Front street

port, have left for a winter's sojourn in

house about a year ago to L. A. Saxton, has bought it back again. He took possession January 11.

Some days I weigh a ton and some days I

VISITING BUYERS.

The following retail dealers have visited the market during the past week and placed orders with the various houses:

John Whitbeck, Fennville,
Frank Crane, Fennville,
John Crowner, St. Johns.
A. B. Steele, Advance.
Wm. Herdman, Saranac.
H. Baker, Drenthe.
Geo. A. Sage. Rockford.
A. D. Ayers, Otia.
E. S. Fitch, Wayland.
Wm. Vermeulen, Beaver Dam.
H. C. Peckham, Freeport.
A. Engberts, Zeeland.
Den Herder & Tanis, Vriesland.
P. Wyngarden, Vriesland.
A. & L. M. Wolf, Hudsonville.
Hunter & Sargent, Saranac.
E. H. Foster, Fife Lake.
Frank Rose, Manton.
S. S. Dryden & Sons, Allegan.
Joshua Colby, Rockford.
Emmet Hagadorn, Fife Lake.
L. K. Gibbs, Gibbs Bros., Mayfield.
Mr. Drury, Sampson & Drury, Cadillac.
C. Deming, Dutton.
Geo. Carrington, Trent.
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D. T. Huston, Ludington.
H. B. Huston, Chase.
C. W. Skellinger, Rockford.
B. M. Hoag, Hoag & Judson, Cannonsburg.
John Kamps, Zutphen.
E. Sunderfin, Palo.
Cole & Chapel, Ada.
A. M. Church, Alpine.
J. H. Spires, Leroy.
D. R. Stocum, Rockford.
E. F. Place, Grant.
Mr. Kellogg, H. M. Patrick Co., Leroy.
A. B. Gates, Rockford.

S. Cooper, Corinth. Geo. F. Cook, Grove. M. B. Nash, Sparta. Jas. Barnes, Plainfield. Jas. Barnes, Plainfield. C. O. Bostwick & Son, Cannonsburg. Wm. McMullen, Wood Lake.

Wm. McMullen, Wood Lake.
S. P. Frost, Stanton.
Wm, Karstens, Beaver Dam.
Jos. Omler, Wright.
Stanley Monroe, Berlin.
Jay Marlatt, Berlin.
Thos. J. Smedley, Lamont.
J. C. Benbow, Cannonsburg.
Alex, Patterson, Dorr.
Wm. Patterson, Byron Center.
John H. Bueliment. Grandville.
Wm. Borst, Vriesland.
John Vinkermulder, Grandville.
Jas. Riley, Dorr.
Scovill & McAuley, Edgerton.
Forman & Aldrich, Lowell.
G. H. Walbrink, Allendale.
Mr. Lemery, Upright & Emery, Charlevoix.
Mr. Leavenworth, Hannah & Lay Mercantile
Co., Traverse City.

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Mr. Leavenworth, Hannah & Lay Mercantile
Co., Traverse City.
D. Clelland, Coopersille.
Mr. Andre, Andre & Son, Jennisonville.
Gus Begman, Bauer.
John T. Snushall, Fife Lake.
C. H. Deming, Dutton.
A. C. Barelay, Crosby.
Zunder Bros. & Co., Bangor.
Jesse McIntyre, Fremont.
Dr. A. Hanlon, Middleville.
W. W. Peirce, Moline.
Hutty & Dickenson, Grand Haven.
Sisson & Lilley Lumber Co., Lilley P. O.
B. McNeal, Byron Center.
Dr. John Graves, Wayland.
A. W. Fenton & Co., Bailey.
E. C. Foote, West Carlyle.
Mr. Kerry, Williams & Kerrs, Reed City.
Geo. P. Corneil, Corneil Bros., New Era and
Twin Lake.
John J. Ely, Rockford.
Lyman Townsend, Howard City.
Geo. W. Hatch, Morley.
Hannah, Lay & Co., Walton.
Cutler & Wright, Morley.
W. H. Hicks, Morley.
Geo. S. Powell & Co., Sand Lake.
Henry Henkel, Howard City.
Henry Strope, Morley.
Fred I, Nichols, Beli's Siding.
Geo. Seribner, Grandville.

Fuller & Stowe Company.

The rapid growth of the job printing department of The Tradesman office has tine, Capt. C. G. Perkins and H. B. Faircaused it to assume such proportions that it child were elected directors. At a subsehas been deemed desirable to make it a quent meeting of the latter body, officers separate business, and an alliance has consequently been made with W. N. Fuller, the well-known engraver and printer, who will share the responsible duties attending the management of the new corporation. Mr. Fuller consolidates his engraving business with the concern, which has been merged into a stock company under the title of the Fuller & Stowe Company, with \$5,000 subscribed and paid up. The office house and its patrons. The officers are men has been reinforced with new machinery in the shape of an Otto gas engine, Babcock the concern up to its present high standing Standard cylinder press, Gem paper cutter, and who will lose no opportunity to increase router, and a full assortment of all the new- the field of their usefulness. est faces of type, rendering the office the most complete of its kind in the State. Everything has been selected with a view Chicago Grocer, has purchased an interest

Mr. Fuller needs no introduction to the Lynch & Deming under the title of the business public of Western Michigan. The Grocer and Marketman. Messrs. Lynch pioneer engraver of this section, his work and Deming are both gentlemen of ability has found its way to every locality in the and experience, and their united endeavors country, and his services have always been will undoubtedly put their publication to in active demand. He brings to the new the front. company a wide acquaintanceship and the applies to engraving and printing.

office, where the proprietors will be glad to cured together. End caps are made to fit over the end when the keg is complete. welcome their friends at any time.

Purely Personal.

Christian Bertsch and wife left for New York Saturday. They sail on the 16th.

W. F. Gibson went to Chicago Saturday night, and spent Monday on South Water street, returning home Tuesday morning.

E. J. Savage, the Coopersville cheese maker, was in town Monday, on his way to Holland, N. Y., where he will spend several weeks. The report that Ed. M. Metheany, billing

clerk for Cody, Ball & Co., contemplates engaging in the plaster business is probably without foundation. E. Burt Woodward, formerly engaged in the hardware business at Kalkaska, is now

in the employ of Jared H. Doughty, hardware dealer at Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. L. Van Epps, who has conducted a millinery establishment at Hudson for twenty years past, is in town for a few days, the

guest of Mrs. W. T. Stowe. She is accompanied by her son, Frank. Capt. C. G. Perkins, of Henderson, Ky., has been in town several days, for the purpose of drawing his dividend from last year's business at Hazeltine, Perkins & Co.'s, and assisting in the organization of

the Hazeltine & Perkins Drug Co. Manistee has a philanthropist in the person of Chas. F. Ruggles, a wealthy lumberman, who each year gives every child in the town a pound of candy as a New Year's gift. For this purpose he hires three halls which accommodate about 2,500 young people, and thus dispenses his charity in an ec-

centric manner. THE TRADESMAN acknowledges the receipt of a handsome invitation to the wedding of Wm. L. White and Miss Emma Blanche Ireland, which was solomnized at Chicago Tuesday. Mr. White is a young gentleman of good business qualifications, with bright prospects for the future, and his numerous friends wish him and bride all the success which is sure to attend them.

Hazeltine & Perkins Drug Co.

In pursuance of the same policy followed by other leading mercantile establishments, Messrs. Hazeltine, Perkins & Co. have merged their business into a stock company with a capital stock of \$150,000, \$100,000 of which is subscribed and paid in. The name of the new corporation will be the Hazeltine & Perkins Drug Co., and the business carried on will be the same as that pursued by the old house, the manufacture and sale of

drugs and everything pertaining thereto. Under the present arrangement of stock, Dr. C. S. Hazeltine and Capt. C. G. Perkins each hold \$40,000 worth of stock and H. B. Fairchild and J. A. Crookston will each vote on \$10,000 worth. At a meeting of the stockholders, held at the office of the new corporation on Saturday, Dr. C. S. Hazel-

were elected as follows: President-C. S. Hazeltine.

Vice-President-C. G. Perkins. Secretary and Treasurer-H. B. Fair-

The new arrangement will enable the

house to extend its business to even larger

proportions than it now enjoys, and other-

wise work to the advantage of both the

of experience and ability, who have brought Olin L. Deming, formerly editor of the to turning out a class of printing which few in the American Marketman and that pubestablishments are capable of undertaking. lication will hereafter be conducted by

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John E. Peck.
Local Secretary—Will L. White, Grand Rapids.
Next place of meeting—At Grand Rapids,
Tuesday, October 12, 1886.

Grand Rapids Pharmaceutical Society.

ORGANIZED OCTOBER 9, 1884.

OFFICERS.

each month. Annual Meetings-First Thursday evening in November, Next Meeting—Thursday evening, February 4, at "The Tradesman" office.

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ciation.

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Regular Meetings—First Thursday of each month.

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Muskegon Drug Clerks' Association. OFFICERS.

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Grand Rapids Pharmaceutical Society.

The regular monthly meeting of the Grand Rapids Pharmaceutical Society was held at THE TRADESMAN office last Thursday eveninff. After the usual routine business had been disposed of, President Wurzburg introduced the subject of ultramarine blue in granulated sugar by referring to an article in the January number of the Druggists' Circular covering the principle points in-

Isaac Watts stated that more or less zine was also used in the manufacture of granulated sugar, which rendered it unfit for fine far outweigh any that can be urged against chemical purposes. Havemeyer admits having used zinc for a number of years, and defends the practice on the ground that greater activity, on account of less chance the poison is used in such limited quantities of using deteriorated drug; less stock of as not to be injurious.

In response to an inquiry, President ine blue in sugar could not fail to be more or less deleterious, although it is probably as harmless as any pigment which could be

Mr. Watts asserted that other ingredients besides ultramarum blue should be eliminated before granulated sugar is fit for drug-

The discussion recurring to the question of preparing tinctures from fluid extracts, paper read before the Americon Pharma-

ceutical Association by O. A. Wall: conceded by everyone who has had much strength. Admitting this, it simply argues assayable substances are contained in the er to use inferior fluid extracts as to use indrug, an assay of the properly made fluid ferior tinctures. Besides, the use of inferextract should yield the same percent- ior fluid extracts is more than counterbalage as the crude drug itself. The fact that anced by the use of the shop-worn and insome manufacturing, as well as retail, pharmacists make inferior fluid extracts does not neutralize this general truth.

theoretically perfect fluid extract, it is a to the extent to which this may be done, the question whether it is achieved in the actual writer believes that it should be the princifluid extract. The writer believes that a pal process of the Pharmacopeia, leaving fluid extract made by repercolation, from percolation as an alternate process, as being fresh and good drugs by a competent worker does come up to the theoretical require-

are much weaker preparations than fluid ex- all times. tracts, but resemble the latter in other regards. Some finctures are absurdities ther- made from fluid extracts, likewise most apeutically, as for instance the tincture of syrups, when they can be made that way, conium, in which much of the proper action | while the solutions of fluid extracts in water conium, in which much of the proper action of the drug is neutralized by the antidotal which generally are superior, are yet freeffects of the alcohol in the same prepara- quently so different from infusions and detion, and all tinctures are superfluous when coctions in strength, and occasionally in fluid extracts are at hand. Physicians could mode of action, that they cannot indiscrim-

extracts instead, adding alcohol as a separ- the expressed consent of the prescribing ate ingredient of the prescriptions in cases physician. n which its use was indicated. In other became obsolete, and were dropped from the itch: Pharmacopæia.

If made by the retail pharmacist, they are usually made in small quantities; and as he cannot well buy less than two or three times as much drug as he needs at a time, and as he does not care to make up more tineture than he needs within a reasonable time, on account of the cost of the alcohol, which becomes, for the time being, dead stock, he puts away the remainder of the drug and uses it at long intervals, perhaps, until all is consumed. The last portion of the drug, in the mean time, has often become inert and many of such tinctures are therefore worthless.

Now, a tincture made by percolating 100 grammes of a drug with enough of menwas also contained in the drug. But if 100 President—Frank J. Wurzburg.
Vice-President—Wm. L. White.
Secretary—Frank H. Escott.
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Board of Censors—President, Vice-President and Secretary.
Board of Trustees—The President, Wm. H. Van Leeuwen, Isaac Watts, Wm. E. White, Wm. L. White.
Committee on Pharmacy—M. B. Kimm, H. E. Locher and Wm. E. White.
Committee on Trade Matters—John E. Peck, H. B. Fairchild and Wm. H. Van Leeuwen.
Committee on Legislation—Jas. D. Lacey, Isaac Watts and A. C. Bauer, Isaac Watts and A. C. Bauer cubic centimetres of fluid extract also con- Internal Revenue Tax. on, therefore, the tinctures may be prepared his influence to secure the repeal of the U. the difference between weight and measures of different tinctures.

> By making the tinctures from the fluid law. extracts, we gain the advantage that we fluid extracts, and by this avoid the deterioration of it.

The unconscious common sense of a multitude often hits on a right idea, even without its being formulated into exact thought by the individual; and this aggregate common sense has led to the making of tinetures from fluid extracts, in spite of the un- Congress. A motion to that effect barely warranted remonstrauce of some few who see nothing but retrogression in any departure from traditional pharmaceutical usages, no matter how contrary to sense the latter may be. The Pharmacopæia recognizes the principle in the case of tincture of ipecac and opium, and it is to be hoped will recognize the superiority of the process by adopting it for all tinctures of vegetable substances from which fluid extracts can be

Some have objected that the habit was encouraged in the interest of manufacturing notice would serve to correct a wrong im pharmacists to increase their sales of fluid pression and set the druggist right befor extracts. To these it may be answered that the world. no is compelled to buy his fluid extracts unless he finds it to his interest to do so; and the fact that many of our most successful pharmacists buy, rather than make, their stating that they would refer the subject of fluid extracts, shows at least that there are two sides to the question as to the advisability of buying or making. In reality, this spective societies. President Latimer, of view has absolutely nothing to do with the main question at issue, of making tinetures agree with you that the free sample busines from fluid extracts, although the prejudice of some has attempted to make the process appear as the wicked invention of the man-

Actual comparison of tinctures made by diluting fluid extracts and by percolation from the drug itself has shown equal amounts of solid residue and equal effects therapeutically, and the writer is convinced that the arguments in favor of the process

We have as advantages: pro drug necessary; less cost of labor; less capital required to carry stock, as a small quan-Wurzburg stated that the use of ultramar- tity of tincture only, or even none of those more seldom employed, need be on hand, any that is prescribed being readily made extemporaneously if desired: less expenditure therefore for stock bottles, shop furniture, etc. If the preparations are purchased, as by many country physicians and pharmacists is altogether done, we add saving in cost of packages and in freight, etc.

Against these and other advantages is to be placed only the veneration for old habits. President Wurzburg contributed to the sub- for the writer does not know one single valject by quoting the following extract from a id argument why tinctures should not be prepared by diluting fluid extracts, unless it eutical Association by O. A. Wall:

That a fluid extract presents the full value are not what they should be, and therefore of the drug, if properly prepared, will be tinctures made from them will not be of full experience in making these preparations. that greater care should be used in securing When alkaloids or other ascertainable and good fluid extracts, for it is just as impropert drugs so often used in making tinctures.

In answer to the first part of the query, therefore, we must admit the propriety of This much being conceded in regard to the diluting fluid extracts to make tinctures. As moreapplicable and economical when making large quantities, as by manufacturing pharmacists who usually possess better facilities Let us now look at the tinctures. They for obtaining fresh, good drugs at any and

Tinctures and wines may be legitimately only be the gainers if they would use fluid inately be used one for the other without GRAND RAPIDS,

Wm. H. Van Leeuwen presented the folwords, no harm would be done if tinctures lowing alleged prescription for a case of

10 cents worth of aqua fortis.
10 cents worth red precipitate.
10 cents worth quicksilver.
Mix thoroughly and then mix with lard.

Mr. Van Leeuwen stated that he not only refused to put up the "prescription," but advised his patron to tie a rope around the neck of the physician and pull one end of the rope over the limb of a tall tree.

Secretary Escott presented the following letter from the Secretary of the Detroit so-

DETROIT. Dec. 31, 1885. F. H. Escott, Sec'y Grand Rapids Pharmaceutical Society:

DEAR SIR-At the last meeting of the Detroit Pharmaceutical Association it was resolved that the Secretary send out a circular to all the local societies and prominent struum to yield say 500 grammes of tincture druggists in the State, asking them to use cannot by any possibility contain more than their influence with their representatives in Congress in regard to the abolition of the

Please bring it before your society and let it receive your prompt attention.

Very truly,

F. W. R. PERRY, Sec'y. Dr. H. E. Locher moved that the Secretary communicate with the member of Congress from this district and ask him to use S. Internal Revenue law as affecting drug-

Mr. Van Leeuwen asked what object he had in view to securing the repeal of the

Mr. Locher replied that he could not make can work up all our crude drug at once into | \$25 a year on his liquor sales, and that he is money out year after year. Liquors are a necessity in any drug store, but the present U. S. tax is unjust.

> Isaac Watts stated that a suggestion was made at the recent meeting of the National Retail Druggists' Association that each member communicate with his member of passed, but it was not feasible at present, although it was thought desirable to keep up the agitation.

> Mr. Locher said there were other reasons why the motion should prevail. One is the erronous idea that druggists are liquor dealers, and that it is annoying to be classed as liquor dealers. The State makes a distinction in the form of the license, and the government ought to do the same. He wished the editor of THE TRADESMAN would mention the matter in his paper, as such

The motion was then adopted.

Secretary Escott read letters from the o ficers of the Jackson and Saginaw societies prohibiting the distribution of free sample bottles of proprietary articles to their rethe Jackson organization, wrote: "I quit is a nuisance."

Isaac Watts suggested the following sul ject for discussion at the next meeting which was adopted: "Dangerous con pounds-What are the explosive compounds which a druggist meets with?"

The Society then adjourned, to mee Thursday evening, February 4.

A man was recently brought into the criminal courts of England on the charge of having poisoned his wife with colchicine. Carbonate, Pattison's, 2 oz...... There was no direct evidence in the case It could not be proved that he had pur chased this drug, and the prosecution con fessed that they were not familiar with a test for the identification of colchicine, so its presence could not be detected in the body of the victim, and the prisoner was dis

A notice of dissolution of partnership pub- | Cassia | Cedar, commercial (Pure 75c).... lished in a Minnesota paper stated that th dissolution was by mutual consent, and ad ed that the reason therefor was that one the partners was "too lazy to continue t business."

Order a sample package of Bethesda Mi eral Spring Water from Hazeltine, Perki & Co. See quotations in another colum

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	A RESIDENCE DE L'ANNE DE L
WHOLESALE PRICE CUR	RENT.
Advanced—Arnica flowers, oil sp Declined—Cocoa butter.	earmint.
Acetic, No. 8. Acetic, C. P. (Sp. grav. 1.040). Carbolic Citric Muriatic 18 deg. Nitric 36 deg. Oxalic Sulphuric 66 deg. Tartaric powdered Benzoic, English Benzoic, German Tannic	9 @ 10 30 @ 35 34 @ 36 60 @ 65 11 @ 12 3 @ 4 52 @ 55 12 @ 15 12 @ 15
AMMONIA.	
Carbonate % b Muriate (Powd. 22c)	15 @ 18 14 3 @ 5 4 @ 6
BALSAMS.	77.5
Copaiba Fir. Peru Tolu	40@45 40 1 75 50
BARKS.	
Cassia, in mats (Pow'd 20c)	11 18 13 14 15 10 12 20 18 30 12
Cubeb prime (Powd 1 05c)	@1 00
Cubeb prime (Powd 1 05c) Juniper Prickly Ash	6 Ø 7 50 Ø 60
Prickly Ash	50 @ 60
EXTRACTS.	
Licorice (10 and 25 lb boxes, 25c) Licorice, powdered, pure Logwood, bulk (12 and 25 lb doxes). Logwood, 18 (25 lb boxes). Lgowood, ½s do Logwood, ½s do Logwood, ½s do Fluid Extracts—25 \$\mathcal{B}\$ cent. off list.	27 37½ 9 12 13 15
FLOWERS.	
Arnica	25 25
Alona Davhadoos	60@ 75
Aloes, Barbadoes. Aloes, Cape (Powd 20c). Aloes, Socotrine (Powd 60c). Ammoniae. Arabic, powdered select. Arabic, lst picked. Arabic, 3d picked. Arabic, 3d picked. Arabic, sifted sorts. Assafcentida, prime (Powd 35c). Benzoin. Camphor Catechu. Is (½ 14c, ½s 16c).	12 50 28@ 30 90
Arabic, 1st picked. Arabic, 2d picked. Arabic, 3d picked. Arabic, sifted sorts.	90 80 75 55 25
Renzoin	55@60
Camphor Catechu. Is (½ 14c, ½s 16c) Euphorbium powdered. Galbanum strained	25@ 27 13 35@ 40
Galbanum strained	80

Aloes, Socotrine (Powd 60c)		50
Ammoniae	28@	30
Arabic, powdered select	-	90
Arabic, 1st picked		90
Arabic,2d picked		80
Arabic, 3d picked		75
Arabic, su picked		55
Assafæntida, prime (Powd 35c)		25
Assarcentida, prime (Fowd 550)	55@	
Benzoin	25@	27
Camphor	2000	18
Catechu. 18 (14c, 48 10c)	35@	40
Euphorbium powdered	3000	80
Galbanum strained	000	
Gamboge	80@	90
Guaiac, prime (Powd 45c)		35
Kino [Powdered, 30c]		20
Mastie	1	25
Mastic Myrrh. Turkish (Powdered 47c)		40
Opium, pure (Powd \$5 25)	3	50
Shellac, Campbell's		30
Shellac, English		26
Shellac, native		24
Shellac bleached		30
Tragacanth	30 @1	00
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HERBS-IN OUNCE PACKAG	JES.	
W11		95
Hoarhound		0.5
Lobelia		.20
Peppermint		. 20
Rue		.40
Spearmint		.24
Sweet Majoram		.35
Tanzy		.25
Thyme		. SU
Wormwood		.25
IRON.		

n- re	Tanzy Thyme Wormwood		
	IRON.		
f-s,	Citrate and Quinine. Solution mur., for tinctures. Sulphate, pure crystal. Citrate. Phosphate		4
le.	LEAVES.		
e-	Buchu, short (Powd 25c) Sage, Italian, bulk (48 & 48, 12c)	13	0
of te	Senna, Alex, natural	18	0
88	Senna tinnivelli		
b-	Foxglove		
5,	Rose, red		2
1-	LIQUORS.		

-	LIQUORS.	
t'	W., D. & Co.'s Sour Mash Whisky. 2 00 Druggists' Favorite Rye 1 75 Whisky, other brands 1 10 Gin, Old Tom. 1 35 Gin, Holland 2 00 Brandy 1 75 Catawba Wines 1 25 Port Wines 1 35	888888888
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	Carbonata Dattigon's 9 or	

Carbonate, Jenning's, 2 oz Citrate, H., P. & Co.'s solution Calcined	2	37 25 65
oils.		
Almond, sweet		50 45
Auise Bay 智 oz		00 50
Bergamont		25
Croton	1742	19 00
Caseia	1	75

he	Citronella
	Cloves
ld-	Cod Liver, N. F 3
of	Cod Liver, best
	Cod Liver, H., P. & Co.'s, 16
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	Erigeron
	Fireweed
in	Geranium Poz
777	Hemlock, commercial (Pure 75
ins	Juniper wood
	Juniper berries
ın.	Lavender flowers, French

do Lavender spike do Lemon, new crop...... Lemon, Sanderson's.... Lemon, Sanderson S.
Lemongrass.
Olive, Malaga.
Olive, "Sublime Italian
Origanum, red flowers, French...
Origanum, No. 1.
Pennyroyal
Peppermint, white......

Peppermint, white Rose 및 oz. Rosemary, French (Flowers \$1 50) Salad, 및 gal.

ROOTS.

POTASSIUM.

Alkanet
Althea, cut
Arrow, Ct. Vincent's
Arrow, Taylor's, in ½s and ½s.
Blood (Powd 18c).
Calamus, peeled.
Calamus, German white, peeled.
Elecampane, powdered.
Gentian (Powd 15c).
Ginger, African (Powd 14c).
Ginger, Jamaica bleached.
Golden Seal (Powd 25c).
Hellebore, white, powdered.
Jecac, Rio, powdered.
Jecac, Rio, powdered.
Licorice, select (Powd 15).
Licorice, extra select.
Pink, true.
Rhei, from select to choice.
Rhei, powdered til.
Rhei, choice cut cubes.
Rhei, choice cut fingers.

HAZELTINE, 5 Ø 6 4 Ø 4½ 15 Ø 18 1 75 1 75 1 10 SEEDS. **PERKINS** Canary, Smyrna. Caraway, best Dutch (Powd 20c). Cardamon, Aleppee. Cardamon, Malabar Celery. Coriander, best English. Fennel Flax, clean 3%@ 4 @ 7 @ 4%@ Flax, clean Flax, pure grd (bbl 3¼). Flax, pure grd (bbl 3¼). Foenugreek, powdered. Hemp, Russian Mustard, white Black 10c). SPONGES. Florida sheeps' wool, carriage.....2 25 Velvet Extra do do ... Extra Yeilow do do ... Grass do dc ... Hard head, for slate use... Yellow Reef, do Wholesale

Calomel, American
Chalk, precipitate English
Chalk, red fingers.
Chalk, white lump
Chloroform, Squibb's.
Colocynth apples.
Chloral hydrate, German crusts.
Chloral do do cryst.

Chloral hydrate, German crusts.
Chloral do do cryst.
Chloral do Scherin's do
Chloral do Scherin's do
Chloral do do crusts.

18 Cloves (Powd 23c).
18 Cochineal.
Cocoa Butter.
Copperas (by bbl 1e).
Corrosive Sublimate.
Corks, X and XX—40 off list.
Cream Tartar, pure powdered.
Cream Tartar, grocer's, 10 b box.
Creasote.
Cuttle Fish Bone.
Dextrine.
Dextrine.
Dover's Powders

Cudbear, prime. 24
Cuttle Fish Bone 20
Dextrine 12
Dover's Powders 110
Dragon's Blood Mass 50
Ergot powdered 45
Ether Squibb's 110
Emery, Turkish, all No.'s 8
Epsom Salts (bbl. 11%) 2 3
Ergot, fresh 60
Ether, sulphuric, U. S. P 60
Flake white 14
Grains Paradise 55
Gelatine, Cooper's 60
Gelatine, French 61
Glassware, flint, 79 off, by box 60 off
Glassware, met 12 70
Glue, white 16 6 28
Glycerine, pure 16 29
Hops ½s and ½s 256 40
Indigo 18
Insect Powder, H. P. & Co., boxes 10
Insect Powder, H. P. & Co., boxes 10
Insinglass, American 150
Japonica 17
London Purple 10 6 15

Quassia 6 Quinia, Sulph, P, & W...... 15 oz 80

Juinine, German ...

Quinine, German
Red Precipitate.
Seidlitz Mixture
Strychnia, cryst.
Silver Nitrate, cryst.
Saffron, American
Sal Glauber
Sal Nitre, large cryst.
Sal Nitre, medium cryst.
Sal Rochelle.
Sal Soda.
Salicin
Santonin
Santonin
Sonuf's, Maccoboy or Scotch.
Soda Ash [by keg 3c].
Spermaceti.

Soda Ash [by keg 3c]
Spermaceti
Soda, Bi-Carbonate, DeLand's.
Soap, White Castile.
Soap, Green do
Soap, Mottled do
Soap, Mazzini
Spirits Nitre, 3 F.
Spirits Nitre, 4 F.
Sugar Milk powdered.
Sulphur, flour.
Sulphur, roll.
Tartar Emetic.
Tar, N. C. Pine, ½ gal. cans \$\frac{1}{2}\$ doz
Tar, do quarts in tin.
Turpentine, Venice.

Wax, White, S. & F. brand.
Zinc, Sulphate.

Capitol Cylinder
Model Cylinder
Shield Cylinder
Eldorado Engine
Peerless Machinery
Challenge Machinery
Backus Fine Engine
Black Diamond Machinery
Castor Machine Oil
Paraffine, 25 deg
Paraffine, 25 deg
Sperm, winter bleached

Bbl

Whale, winter.....

Whale, winter
Lard, extra.
Lard, No. 1
Linseed, pure raw
Linseed, boiled
Neat's Foot, winter strained
Spirits Turpentine.
VARNISHES.

Red Venetian.
Ochre, yellow Marseilles.
Ochre, yellow Bermuda.
Putty, commercial
Putty, strictly pure.
Vermilion, English.
Green, Peninsular.
Lead, red strictly pure.
Lead, white, strictly pure.
Whiting, white Spanish.
White, Paris American.
White, Paris American.
Whiting Paris English cliff.
Pioneer Prepared Faints..
Swiss Villa Prepare? Paints.

PAINTS

Zinc, Sulphate.....

Hard head, for slate use.
Yellow Reef. do
Miscellaneous.
Alcohol, grain (bbl \$2.21) \$\partial gal.
Alcohol, wood, \$per cent ex. ref.
Anodyne Hoffman's.
Arsenic, Donovan's solution.
Arsenic, Fowler's solution.
Annatto 1 \$\partial rolls.
Alum.
Alum 2 31 1 50 50 27 12 45 Druggists, Alum, ground (Powd 9c). 3

Annatto, prime
Antimony, powdered, com'l. 4½
Arsenic, white, powdered. 6

Blue Soluble. 8

Bay Rum, imported, best.
Bay Rum, domestic, H., P. & Co.'s.
Balm Gilead Buds. 8

Beans, Tonka. 9

Beans, Vanilla. 7 00

Bismuth, sub nitrate. 9

Bismuth, sub nitrate. 9

Biue Pill (Powd 70c). 9

Biue Vitriol. 6

Borax, refined (Powd 12c). Cantharides, Russian powdered. Capsicum Pods, African Capsicum Pods, African Capsicum Pods, Bombay do Carmine, No. 40. Cassia Buds. Calomel, American Chalk, prepared drop. Chalk, prepared from Chalk

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1885.

RETAIL GROCERS' ASSOCIATION. The Most Interesting and Profitable Meeting Ever Held.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the in the collection of bad accounts. Retail Grocers' Association, held on the 5th, was attended by about thirty representative ship of 62, and total receipts of \$77.50. grocers. Applications for membership were Cash on hand, \$75.45. received from John Cordes, Mrs. Jacob Ritzema, Rademaker & Konkle and M. P. Hedges, all of whom were elected members of the Association.

The Committee on Entertainment was given until the next meeting to report.

The special Committee on Honorary Members reported as follows.

Mr. President and Members of the Association:

Your special Committee on Honorary Members beg leave to report an amendment to the constitution, and unanimously recommend its adoption. From all we have been able to ascertain in regard to the subject, we conclude that honorary members have the right of speech on any and all

A. J. ELLIOTT, MARTIN C. DEJAGER, E. A. STOWE.

ARTICLE I. Section 2. Any suitable person may be elected an honorary member of this Associa-tion on a two-thirds vote of the members present at any regular meeting, such member to be exempt from the payment of membership fee, dues and assessments.

On motion of Jas. A. Coye, the report was accepted and the Committee discharged. The amendment was laid over for adoption at the next meeting.

Chairman Elliott, of the Committee on Rooms, presented a lease for the rooms for the ensuing year for the approval of the As- HAZELTINE, PERKINS & CO. have sociation. On motion of Mr. Coye, the lease was referred back to the Committee with instructions to revise the same and execute it in the name of the Association.

Actuary Stowe read the names of all delinquents thus far reported to the Association, 100 in all, and thus ascertained the addresses of several persons whose present whereabouts were heretofore unknown. The reading of all names reported in the interim will be made a regular feature of each meeting hereafter.

President Herrick stated that the reading of the list disclosed information which would be of direct monetary value to his firm, and Vice-President Walker expressed similar sentiments.

E. A. Stowe presented the following letter from Smith Barnes, of Traverse City, and moved the adoption of the accompanying resolution.

Your very kind invitation to place myself in an embarrassing position before the clearheaded retailers of your city I have placed on file as one of the compliments that oc-casionally come to one during a business

I need not say that I am very much interested in everything relating to business re-form, and should you signify your wish to receive a brief screed to be read before the retailers' association of Grand Rapids I will endeavor to send you something in the near future. I think the old habit of purchasing eggs the one remnant of business dishonesty ingrained into the community by centuries

Resolved-That Smith Barnes, general manager of the Hannah & Lay Mercantile Co., be invited to address this Association either personally or by letter, on the subject of "Eggs by Weight" at his earliest convenience, and that the matter be made the spec ial order of business for that evening.

The resolution was unanimously adopted. E. A. Stowe moved the appointment of a committee to wait on the jobbing trade of the city and solicit signatures to a paper containing an agreement not to sell at retail, the agreement and signatures to constitute a "Roll of Honor."

Jas. A. Coye moved as an amendment that the matter be taken in charge by the Arbitration Committee, which was adopted.

Jas. A. Coye suggested that the grocers in each ward resolve themselves into a committee to secure pledges from the nominees for aldermen in their respective wards relative to the abatement of the peddler nuis-

W. C. Harper asserted that the grocers ought to begin work before the nominations were made, that the time to strike was at the caucuses. Candidates are free to make pledges after they once get a place on the ticket, and are equally free to go back on their pledges after election.

Milo G. Randall said that he knew the sentiment of the Common Council well GRAND RAPIDS, enough to assert that any petition presented to that body by this Association would be treated with respect. The Council will cordially co-operate with the Association in the suppression of the nuisance.

Jas. A. Coye moved that the Law Committee be requested to draft a resolution for the approval of the Association expressing its views relative to the huxtering business; and that after adoption it be presented to the Council by Alderman Richmond.

In answer to an enquiry, Mr. Richmond stated that the present city license levied on huxters is \$15 per year, but that only two

persons had taken out licenses. Wm. Karreman stated that the State law on the subject was inoperative, as there was no penalty attached for violation of the

Referring to the sentiment set forth in large letters on the wall to the effect that 'Intemperance has slain more than war, famine and pestilence," Mr. Coye facetiously remarked that the sentence should be paraphrased so as to read, "The peddling nuisance has slain more grocers than war, famine and pestilence."

M. C. Goossen stated that the milk peddlers were beginning to carry around butter and eggs in their wagons.

Milo G. Randall said he knew of several milk men who peddled vegetables as well.

Mr. Coye's resolution was then adopted. W. C. Harper suggested that the employers of delinquents be notified, when the latter refuse to pay their debts, that they may be given an opportunity to assist the trade

Treasurer Harris reported a total member-

The Association then adjourned, to meet again on Tuesday evening, January 19.

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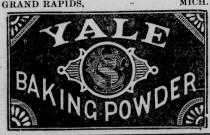
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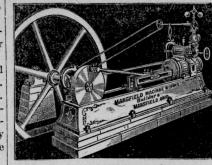


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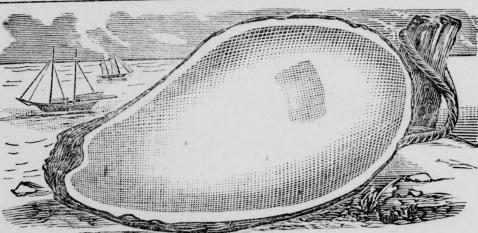
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Mr. Cooper was always a careful and prudent business man. He was always opposed to the methods of many merehants, who launched out in extravagant enterprises on borrowed money, for which they paid exorbitant rates of interest. Once, while talking about a project with an acquaintance, the latter said he would have to borrow the money for six months, paying interest at the rate of three per cent. a month.

"Why do you borrow for so short a time?" Mr. Cooper asked.

"Because the brokers will not negotiate bills for longer."

"Well, if you wish," said Mr. Cooper, "I will discount your note at that rate for three

"Are you in earnest?" said the would-be

"Certainly I am. I will discount your note for \$10,000 for three years at that rate. Will you do it?"

"Of course I will," said the merchant.

"Very well," said Mr. Cooper; "just sign this note for \$10,000 payable in three years. and give me your check for \$800, and the transaction is complete."

"But where is the money for me?" asked the astonished merchant.

"You don't get any money," was the reply. "Your interest for thirty-six months, at three per centum per month amounts to one hundred and eight per centum, or \$10,-800; therefore, your check for \$800 just makes us even."

The force of this practical illustration of the folly of paying such an exorbitant price for the use of money, was such that the merchant determined never to borrow at such runinous rates, and he frequently used to say that nothing could have so fully convinced him as this rather humorous proposal by Mr. Cooper.

Religion vs. Trade.

"Yes, Mr. Goodman," said the grocer to the minister who had dropped in for a little chat, "as you say, life is short, but eternity is long. It behooves us all to so shape our course in this world that we may inherit the blessings of the world to come. With me, sir, honesty in business is not a policy, it is something more than that, something higher, something-"

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Grocer-I've never kept it. You might

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Creditor-But your rival across the way who failed last year, paid thirty cents.

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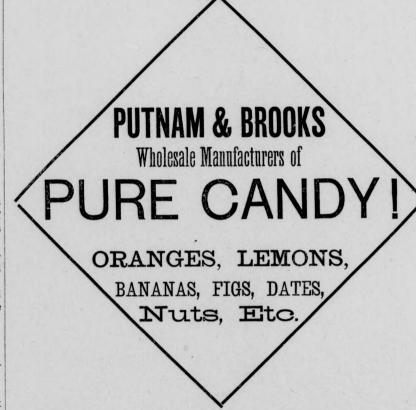
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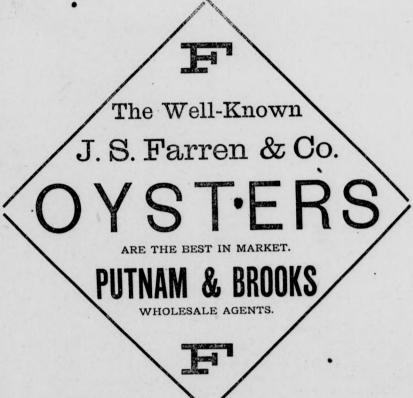
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+Evening Express 3:40 p m	3:50 p m
	0:45 p m
	11:00 a m
GOING WEST.	
+Morning Express 1:05 p m	1:10 p m
+Through Mail 5:00 p m	5:10 p m
+Steamboat Express10:40 p m	
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To "swap" a clerk is to leave him with-

THE PEDDLER NUISANCE.

A Consideration From a Sanitary Standpoint.

From the American Analyst.

The question of how far peddlers and street venders of all kinds interfere with the "gouger" is not an enviable thing. rights of storekeepers by being enabled to undersell them, not having any store rent to pay, or their infringing upon public rights dlers and street venders seldom have any these goods during the past year as comparestablished custom, and as they move from place to place, only look for transient trade.

Consequently the policy of not cheating, influence with them. If they can only sell years 1885 and 1884: their wares they are satisfied. Their low rate of business expenditure being well known, they are extensively patronized by those who look for bargains under the false impression that they are enabled to sell cheaper than storekeepers under much heavier expense. Again, it is erroneously supposed that because they only carry enough stock to last for a part of a day, that the goods they offer are fresher and better than those sold by storekeepers, who, because they have the means of caring for their perishable goods, are supposed to have only stale goods. Another great error is the supposition that all the women who go about with one or two baskets full of vegetables, fruit, butter and kindred things, Harford county, was regarded as quite adbring these fresh from the farm or truck garden. All these are mistaken notions. The majority of peddlers and venders buy ing the past three years is stated to be due only the very cheapest and poorest stuff to various causes. One is that the quality any wholesale market to see street venders ed it has been at the expense of quality. waiting for the grocers to drive away, when The competition of other canned vegetables they swoop down upon the leavings, which they obtain at a nominal price. Though they buy cheap and correspondingly poor words they do not sell at any low figure.

The competition of other carned vegetables that sales the consumption, which the general depression in trade has had its effect upon this industry as on others.

The competition of other carned vegetables thanks the sales that the sales thanks the sales that the sales the sales thanks the sales thanks the sales that the sales that the goods, they do not sell at any low figure, but having only a limited stock in trade, which they must sell in a few hours, and then remain in enforced idleness for the greater part of their time, are compelled to charge a much larger percentage of profit than the storekeeper, who has a very large stock in constant demand and facilities for selling at all hours. When the peddler's stock, originally poor and none too fresh, continues to decay or spoil, he has no means of preserving the same or preventing spoiling. The fallacy of fresh butter or vegetables, right from "our own garden," is too well known to need any further reference. We once knew a man who managed to earn plain." a large amount of money by dressing up as a farmer and selling roll butter, made by his wife, in the city, from partially rancid firkin butter, bought at a low price, by washing the butyric acid out with milk and working the butter over. We have only to call attention to the facts developed by a visit to Washington Market, where we recently saw decomposed poultry, decaying vegetables, strong game, partially rotten and the other observed to his left-hand fruit, and many other similar things bought | neighbor: up by peddlers, who, after slightly and superfically fixing up these various purchases, sell them on the streets at prices proportionately much higher and with poorer tioned!" measure, than better and fresher goods are sold by storekeepers. As these venders are

"Eggs by Weight."

watched and which are responsible.

tire nuisance by law? Surely, there is no

There should be a large attendance at the next meeting of the Retail Grocers' Association as the programme includes an address by Smith Barnes on "Eggs by Weight," a subject with which he is thoroughly familiar, eggs by weight for twenty years.

STORE SLANG.

Its Origin Found in the Peculiarities of Shoppers.

From the New York World.

If the women who spend so much of their time in shopping day after day only knew how much they jeopardize the positions of the clerks by not buying, perhaps they would not spend so much time in overhauling box after box of goods simply to see the latest fashions and without the least intention of buying. The employer or floorwalker is supposed to know if the lady, who has been for the last half-hour looking over a box of laces, intends buying or not. He does not know that the laces are only being looked at to see the newest paterns, or to consume time while waiting for a friend. The same thing has occurred during the day, and, perhaps, on several days previous -ladies leaving the counter without buy-OFFICERS.

President—H. B. Fargo.
First Vice-President—Wm. B. Keift.
Second Vice-President—A. Towl.
Recording Secretary—Wm. Peer.
Financial Secretary—John DeHaas.
Board of Directors—O. Lambert, W. I. McKenzie,
Arbitration Committee—Wm. B. Kelly, A. Towl and E. Johnson.

Committee on Rooms and Library—O. Lambert, H. B. Smith and W. I. McKenzie,
Arbitration Committee—B. Borgman, Garrit Wagner and John DeHaas.
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Boelkins, J. O. Jeannot, R. S. Miner and L. Vincent.

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Law Committee-H. B. Fargo, Wm. B. Keift time by the clerks that are near to the one

To "swap" a clerk is to leave him without buying, a great many "swaps" during the day exposing him to a discharge.

To "gouge" is for one clerk, at the approach of a customer to the counter, to run ahead and wait on her before the other clerks. To have the reputation of being a

The Tomato Pack of 1885.

The annual review by the American Groby obstructing the streets and sidewalks, is cer of the progress of the tomato canning not within our province, but there is a very industry in 1885 has just been published. It important sanitary view to be taken. Ped- shows a heavy decrease in the output of which would prevent a return of the cus- and 2,943,579 cases in 1883. The following tomer at another time, is not an element of table gives the production by states for the

Jeans 1000 and 1001.			
	Cases, two		
	dozen t	ins each.	
	1885.	1884.	
Maryland, Virginia and Penn-			
sylvania	408,212	507,020	
New Jersey	.352,650	529,582	
New York	102,700	75,400	
Iowa		80,175	
California		174,800	
Indiana		91,000	
Delaware		77,000	
Missouri		65,000	
Ohio		75,500	
Kansas and Nebraska		89,450	
Canada		112,000	
Michigan		38,000	
Massachusetts	. 24,264	59,550	
Connecticut	. 12,933	8,280	
Illinois		37,600	
	101.000	2 001 188	
Totals		2,021,177	
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The chief event in the trade this year was the failure of the red seal combination in Maryland, which, while being a disaster to vantageous to the trade at large. The large decrease shown in the total production dur-In summing up the prospects of the coming year, the Grocer says: The year 1885 closes with the statistical position exceedingly favorable; stocks in the hands of jobbers are light; the pack has been small—all of 50 th Tubs.

50 th Round Tins, 100 cases......

He Had No Reason to Complain.

From the New York Independent. He was complaining in the most bitter manner about the size of his gas bill, when the fat, bald-headed man in the corner of the car remarked:

"I have burned that same company's gas for thirteen years, and never had to com-

"Ever change your meter?"

"Never."

"How often have you had it tested?" "Not a single time." "Well, well! Never overcharged you?

"No." "And you are perfectly satisfied?" "Perfectly."

The fat man got off at the next corner,

"Who do you suppose he is?" "Oh, I've known him for years. He's the president of the gas company you men-

The Grocery Market.

Business and collections are fairly satisgenerally only patronized by the poor, and factory. Sugars are comparatively quiet. the latter are thus not only robbed of their money, but of their health, is it not the du- Jobbers have increased the broom quotations ty of our health officials to closely watch 25 cents a dozen and salt to \$1 per barrel. these people? In fact, under all circum- Other articles in the grocery line are about stances, would it not be best to end the en- steady.

Candy is firm and steady, with fair depart of large cities which is not abundantly mand. Florida oranges are in good request supplied with stores, which can be better and firm in price. The quality is generally fine. Lemons are steady, with good supply. Foreign nuts are steady. Peanuts are higher and the market is very firm, with prospects of still higher prices in the near

Any one who has facilities for getting out beech, birch or maple dowel rods, 36, 7-16 as Hannah, Lay & Co. have bought and sold and 1/2 inch in diameter, can secure a contract by addressing this office.

Tiaverse City Business Men's Association

TRAVERSE CITY, January 6, 1886. Editor Michigan Tradesman:

DEAR SIR-Knowing you would be interested in the progress of the Business Men's Association of this place, I thought I would write regarding it. At our regular meeting held last evening we elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President-Frank Hamilton. First Vice-President-D. E. Carter.

Second Vice-President-F. Friedrich. Secretary-C. E. Lockwood. Treasurer-J. T. Beadle.

Our Association has been running now one year and we have 72 members enrolled on our books and we are in a flourishing condition. Harmony and good will prevail among the members.

> Yours truly, C. E. Lockwood, Sec'y.

Hides, Pelts and Furs.

Hides are lower and weak. Pelts are in ber during the past week leave her counter, fair demand. Furs are unchanged, except and when the clerk receives her pay envel- mink, which are weak. Wool is firm at ope on Staturday night she finds in it a present quotations. Tallow is dull and

> Order a sample package of Bethesda Mineral Spring Water from your grocery job-

Advertisements of 25 words or less inserted in this column at the rate of 25 cents per week, or 50 cents for three weeks. Advance payment.

D perience in mercantile business, to manage a general store or lumber supply store. Can furnish unexceptional references, Address, XXX, care The Tradesman. 121tf

WANTED-A clothing salesman in a retail Wastore—general store man preferred. A good situation for the right man in a town of moderate size. Address, stating age, experience, references, etc., "A," care Tradesman.

PHYSICIAN WANTED-A good regular phy-A scian, who can come recommended, can hear of a good location, good pay, little opposition, in splendid farming and fruit growing section which can be obtained by renting property of retiring physician. Address, W. Ryuo, M. D., 251 Gold St., Grand Rapids, Mich. 121tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Store in the livliest manufacturing town of 2,000 population in the State. Splendid opening for grocery, drug or clothing business. Possession given March 1. For further particulars, address Lock Box 116, Muskegon, Mich. PARTNER WANTED—A general merchant doing a good business in a thriving lumber town desires a partner with two thousand dolars capital. For particulars address, "Partner," care the Tradesman.

FOR SALE—The font of brevier type formerly used on The TRADESMAN. The font comprises 222 pounds, with italic, and can be had for 30 cents a pound. Apply at the office.

PROVISIONS.

The Grand Rapids Packing & Provision Co.

quote as follows:
PORK IN BARRELS.
Mess, Chicago packing, new
Clear back, short cut
DRY SALT MEATS-IN BOXES.
Long Clears, heavy

Boneices Shoulders Breakfast Bacon Dried Beef, extra quality Dried Beef, Ham pieces Shoulders cured in sweet pickle 734 LARD. LARD IN TIN PAILS.

BEEF IN BARRELS. Extra Mess Beef, warranted 200 lbs...... SAUSAGE-FRESH AND SMOKED. Blood Sausage.....Bologna, straight.....

PIGS' FEET.

HIDES, PELTS AND FURS. Perkins & Hess pay as follows:

HIDES. Green ... \$\mathbf{b} & \tilde{a} 7 \ Part cured ... \$\langle 8\langle 8\langle 8\langle 8\langle 4 \ Full cured ... \$\langle 9 \tilde{a} 9\langle 1 \ Dry hides and kips ... \$\langle 8 \tilde{a} 12 \ \end{array} \text{Calf skins, green or cured ... \$\tilde{a} 10 \text{ Deacon skins, } \mathbf{piece 20} \text{ \$\tilde{a} 50 \text{ } \text{ \$\tilde{a} \$\t SHEEP PELTS. Old wool, estimated washed # b

WOOL. Fine washed # 15 24@27 Unwashed...... Coarse washed...18@22 FURS. Bear.....
 Bear
 100a

 Fisher
 2 000

 Red Fox
 25a

 Grey Fox
 25a

 Martin
 25a

 Muskrat, winter
 05a

WHOL	ESALE PR	ICE CI	JRRENT.						
These pric	es are for id buy in fu	cash b	uyers, who	pay					
AXLE GREASE. 90 Paragon 1 80									
Thompson's " J. H. Thomp " " Arctic, 1/8 lb " 1/2	Butterfly,	bulk 6 or 10 1	b cans	25					
	:	14. 4 do	z. in case.	95					
J. H. Thom	oson & Co.'s	Princes	88, ¼8 ½8	2 25					
			ls bulk	.4 25					
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Arctic 8 oz.				12 00					
Arctic No. 1	pepper box			. 2 00					
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No. 1 Pario	r Gem2 30	Comme	mw msk						
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Clams, 2 b	standards			1 75					
Cove Ovster	rs. 1 lb stan	dards		1 15					
Cove Oyster	rs, 2 lb stan	dards		1 90					
Lobsters, 1	b star			2 00					
Lobsters, 2	b star	ndarda		2 90					
Mackerel, 5	th fresh sta	ndards.		3 50					
Mackerel in	Tomato Sa	uce, 3 lb		5 25					
Mackerel, 3	b broiled			3 25					
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Sardines, do	mestic 4s.			15					
Sardines, M	lustard 1/2s.			12 14					
Salmon, 1 to Sardines, do Sardines, do Sardines, M Sardines, in Trout, 3 to t	prook			4 50					
Apples 3 th	CANNED standards	FRUITS	•	90					
Apples, gall	lons, stands	rds		2 30					
Cherries, re	s. standard	S	85	@1 00					
Damsons	standarda			1 00					
Green Gage	es, standards	s 2 b		1 40					
Peaches, Ex	tra Yellow		1 750	2 40					
Peaches, se	conds		10@	1 50					
Apples, 3 b Apples, gall Blackberrie Cherries, re Damsons Egg Plums, Green Gage Peaches, Ex Peaches, se Pineapples, Pineapples, Quinces	Erie			1 75					
Quinces	standards.			1 45					
Raspberries	s, extra			1 10					

Herring, Holland, domestic..... Herring, Scaled Mackerel, Penny bbls Mackerel, shore, No. 2, ½ bbls

White.

8 oz. No. 2 Taper.

FRUITS-FOREIGN.

Richardson's No. 9 do ... Richardson's No. 7½, round... Richardson's No. 7 do ...

OATMEAL.

Small SALT.

Horse Shoe
Hair Lifter
D. and D., black
McAlpin's Green Shield
Ace High, black
Sailors' Solace
2c. less in four butt lots.

2c. less in four butt lots.

SMOKING
Old Tar. 40, Sweet Lotus.
Arthur's Choice 22 Conqueror
Red Fox. 26 Grayling
Flirt 28 Seal Skin
Gold Dust 26 Rob Roy.
Gold Block. 30 Uncle Sam
Seal of Grand Rapids
Lumberman
(cloth) 25 Railroad Roy.

SHORTS.

SNUFF.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Mayflower 23 Hiawatha Globe 22 Old Congress Mule Ear 24 May Leaf

Lorillard's American Gentlemen...

Maccoboy.

Gail & Ax'

Rappee...
Railroad Mills Scotch
Lotzbeck

Bath Brick imported

do No. 2.
Condensed Milk, Eagle brand.
Cream Tartar 5 and 10 b cans.
Candles, Star.
Candles, Hotel.
Extract Coffee, V. C.

Old Tom

Tom & Jerry..... Joker..... Traveler

Maiden
Pickwick Club
Nigger Head
Holland
German
Solid Comfort
Red Clover
Long Tom
National
Time

24 lina, 16 oz boxes... 25 Big Deal...... 35 Apple Jack..... 25 King Bee, longcut. 40 Milwaukee Prize...

32 Golden Age...... 30 Mail Pouch.....

Shad, ½ bbl ...
Trout, ½ bbls...
12 b kits...

"No. 10

FRUITS—DOMESTIC.

Apricots, 25 15 boxes.

Cherries, pitted, 50 15 boxes.

Egg plums, 25 15 boxes.

Pears, 25 15 boxes.

Peaches, Delaware, 50 15 boxes.

Peaches, Michigan.

Raspberries, 50 15 boxes.

FRUITS—FOREIGN.

Citron

Currants, new
Prunes, French, 60s.
Prunes, French, 80s.
Prunes, Turkey
Raisins, Dehesia
Raisins, London Layers
Raisins, California
Raisins, Loose Muscatels, new
Raisins, Muscatels, 10 b boxes
Raisins, Ondaras, 14s.
Raisins, 28s.
Raisins, 28s.
Raisins, Sultanas, new
Raisins, Valencia
Raisins, Imperials, 10 b boxes.

KEROSENE OIL.

KEROSENE OIL. Water White 12% | Legal Test.

MOLASSES. Black Strap.....

SALT.

60 Pocket, F F Dairy.

28 Pocket.

100 3 b pockets.
Saginaw or Manistee.
Diamond C.
Standard Coarse.
Ashton, English, dairy, bu. bags.
Ashton, English, dairy, bu. bags.
Higgins' English dairy bu. bags.
American, dairy, ½ bu. bags.
Rock, bushels.

SAUCES. SAUCES. Parisian, ½ pints Pepper Sauce, red small Pepper Sauce, green Pepper Sauce, red large ring Pepper Sauce, reen large ring.
Pepper Sauce, green, large ring.
Catsup, Tomato, pints.
Catsup, Tomato, quarts
Halford Sauce, pints.
Halford Sauce, ½ pints.
SPICES. SPICES. | STARCH. | SUGARS. | SUGA

| Sign |

Cod FRESH FISH. @12
Haddock @8
Mackerel 12 @14
Mackinaw Trout @ 7
Perch, dressed @6
Smelts 10 @11
Whitefish @ 9 MISCELLANEOUS.

mand at \$1.75@\$1,90. Beans-Local buyers pay 50c@\$90 \$ bu. for unpicked and hold ordinary hand-picked for

Sweet dairy is in sharp demand and firm at 16, while old is dull at 5@8c. Butterine-Creamery packed commands 20c. Dairy rolls are held at 14@15c and solid packed

Cabbages-In fair demand at \$6@\$8 \$2 100. Cheese-The best grades of September, October and November make are selling at 111/2. Cider-10c & gal. and \$1 for bbl.

200 or Grand Haven. Cranberries-The market is well supplied with both cultivated and wild Michigan and

Eggs-Fresh are firm at 20c, and pickled are moving slowly at 17@18c. Honey-Choice new in comb is firm at 14c. Hay—Bailed is active and firm at \$16 per ton

Hops-Brewers pay 8@10e ₽ tb. Onions-Home-grown, 70c 8 bu. or \$2 8 bbl. Pop Corn-Choice new commands 21/2c 7 15

Rose are in only occasional demand at 300 on account of the "red streaks." Poultry-Fairly well supplied. Fowls sell

turkeys, 11c. b, although very little is moving.

Sweet Potatoes-Jerseys command \$4.50 and Baltimores \$3.50.

GRAINS AND MILLING PRODUCTS. Wheat-No change. The city millers pay as

Corn-Jobbing generally at 44@45c in 100 bu. lots and 38@40c in carlots. Oats-White, 38c in small lots and 33@34c in

Rye-48@50c ₩ bu. Barley-Brewers pay \$1.25 \$2 cwt.

Meal-Bolted, \$2.75 \$2 bbl. Mill Feed-Screenings, \$14 \$ ton. Bran, \$13 \$ ton. Ships, \$14 \$ ton. Middlings, \$17 \$ ton.

Climax
Hold Fast
McAlpin's Gold Shield
Nickle Nuggets 6 and 12 b cads
Cock of the Walk 6s
Nobby Twist
Acorn
Crescent
Black X COUNTRY PRODUCE.

\$1.10@\$1.30. Butter-Michigan creamery is easy at 25@28.

New Jersey berries, which command \$1.75@ \$2 \$ bu. for choice.

n two and five ton lots and \$14 in car lots.

Potatoes-Burbanks command 42@43c. Late

Squash-Hubbard, quoted nominally at 1c ?

follows: Lancaster, 90; Fulse, 87c; Clawson,

Flour—No change. Fancy Patent, \$5.75 \$\ bbl. in sacks and \$6 in wood. Straight, \$4.75 \$\}

Corn and Oats, \$20 \$ ton.

Standard, 25 th boxes..... FANCY-IN 5 B BOXES.

@ 3½ @3 00 @1 90 @ 18 @5 00 @2 75

Hominy, \$\partial \text{bbl}.....

Jelly, in 30 \text{lb} pails

Pearl Barley

Peas, Green Bush

Peas, Split Prepared

Powder, Keg.

Powder, ½ Keg.

CANDY, FRUITS AND NUTS.

Putnam & Brooks quote as follows:

| FRUITS | Granges, Jamaica, bbis | Granges, Jamaica, bbis | Granges, Florida | G4 00 | Granges, Rodi Messina | G4 00 | Granges, Rodi Messina | G4 00 | Granges, Naples | G4 50 | Granges, Naples | G4 50 | G4

OYSTERS AND FISH. F. J. Dettenthaler quotes as follows: F. J. Dettenthaler quotes as follows:

OYSTERS.

New York Counts.

F. J. D. Selects.

30
Selects.

27
F. J. D.

Standards.

17
Favorites.

16
Mediums.

15
Primes.

13
Selects, by bulk.

1 0001 10
Standards, by bulk.

1 0001 10
Standards, by bulk.

1 0001 10
Standards, by 100.

1 25
Princess Bay Clams, \$ 100.

1 40
FRESH FISH.

at 12@14c.

Celery-26@22c & doz. bunches for Kalama

and old 3e P b.

for 61/2@7c; chickens, 7@8c; ducks, 13c; and

car lots.

bbl. in sacks and \$5 in wood.

Hemlock Bark—The local tanners are offering \$5 per cord delivered, cash.
Ginseng—Local dealers pay \$1.50@1.60 \$ 15 for clean washed roots.

Rubber Goods—Local jobbers are authorized to offer 40 and 5 per cent. off on standard goods and 40, 10 and 5 per cent. off on second quality.

Apples-Choice winter fruit is in good de-

ART OF WORK.

A Few Pertinent Suggestions for Toilers With Brain and Muscle.

The secret lies in keeping the machine in order. To do this, observe the following

First-Amuse yourself. This is the first principle of good, hard work. And the second is like unto it.

Second-Don't work too much. It is quantity not quality of work that kills. Therefore.

Third-Work only in the day time. Night was made for sleep. And

Fourth-Loaf on Sunday. Six days work earns the right to go-a-fishing, or to church, or to any harmless diversion on the seventh.

Fifth-Go to work promptly but slowly. A late hurried start keeps you out of health all day trying to catch up.

Sixth-When you stop work forget it. It spoils the brain to simmer after a hard boil. Seventh-Feed regularly, largely and slowly. Lose no meal; approach it respectfully and leave it gratefully. No more can be got out of a man than is put into him.

Eighth-Sleep one-third of your whole life. How I hate the moralists who croak over time wasted in sleep. Besides, sleep is on the whole the most satisfactory mode of existence.

Ninth-Don't abuse tobacco. Enjoy it, but not in an unconscious habit. Burn no incense thoughtlessly on the altar of this god of good digestion and peace of mind.

Tenth-Keep whiskey for emergencies. Like religion, it is too good for every day use, and should be respected accordingly.

Eleventh-Focus your brains as you would a burning glass. Butter enough for a slice won't do for a loaf.

Twelfth-Keep empty-headed between times. Mental furniture should be very select. Useless lumber in the upper story is worse than a pocketful of cyster-shells. Leave your facts on your book-shelves where you can find them when wanted. A walking encyclopedia cannot work for want of room to turn around in his own head.

Thirteenth-Don't tax your memory. Make a memorandum and put it in your pocket. Every unnecessary thought is waste of effective force.

Fourteenth-Don't believe that muscular exercise counterbalances head-work. Brain and muscle are bung-hole and spigot of the same barrel.

Fifteenth-Don't hide your light under a bushel. Not that the light is of any special consequence, but you might set the bushel

Sixteenth—Pin your faith to the genius of hard work. It is the safest, most reliable, and most manageable sort of genius.

To Remove Clinkers.

To remove clinkers from the stove, sprinkle common table salt on the linings when the stove is cold. Use plenty of it. Build a moderate fire-wood and coal-and in a (a) in troy weight; (b) in metric terms day or two the clinkers will be gone. This using figures; (c) in metric terms using is a sure remedy, and within the reach of all, and does away with the liability of cracking the lining by the use of hammer of the ingredients of dover's powder? and chisel. Clam shells are used only for the salt in them.

Copper in 1885.

Montana furnished 55,000,000 pounds of copper in 1885.

Arizona produced during the year 1885, 19,000,000 pounds of copper.

Copper was exported during the year 1885 to the amount of 70,000,000 pounds.

Michigan is credited with producing 66, 000,000 pounds of copper during the year

The production of copper for the year 1885 is given at 146,000,000 pounds fine copper. The home consumption of copper during

the year 1885 amounted to 85,000,000 pounds. The production of Chili copper last year is estimated to be 5,000 English tons less

than in 1884. Our exports, including the re-export of copper from foreign ores, were about 5,000,-000 pounds greater in 1885 than in 1884.

An improved method of tanning-namely, with soap and oil, together with carbolic acid-has been brought to notice by an Australian inventor. The skins which have been limed in the ordinary manner also haired and prepared if for the production of sole leather, are placed in a tin bath consisting of a mixture of ten gallons of water, in which 200 pounds of soap are dissolved, and containing one gallon of carbolic acid, in which the skins are left until they have become converted into leather. This process, it is asserted, may be considerably accelerated by adding a pint of fresh carbolic acid to the tanning fluid from time to time. For a softer leather the raw, limed, and haired skins are for one or two days placed in a mixture Iceland moss; (g) ginger; (h) chamomile of four parts carbon bisulphide and one of flowers; (i) calomel; (j) tartar emetic.

carbolic acid, and then washed. The question of a "black-list" which was taken to the Texas courts a few weeks ago by a workman who could not get a place because he had been "black-listed" by a railroad company, is being fought out by public opinion at Belleville, Ill. The grocers of that place have formed a mutual protective association, agreeing not to cut prices, and that no merchant in the association last five preparations. shall sell goods to anyone who is posted by another for not paying his debts. A man who is shut off from buying his usual family supplies because he refuses to pay an old bill of \$1.20 has published a pamphlet about the situation, a grand local hullabaloo has been raised, and some grocer, with an eye for business, may be expected to draw out of the pool for the sake of catching the trade of the pamphleter and his friends.

New York Board of Pharmacy.

The following is the set of questions used by the New York Board of Pharmacy, at From the Toronto Commercial Traveler. the last examination day. No future sets of questions will be given in print, but by of the character of the examination. Chemistry, materia medica, doses, toxicology, and pharmacy are the subjects of the written examinations, while an oral examination in prescription reading and recognition of drugs is usually given in addition.

CHEMISTRY.

1. State sources from which the following are obtained; their synonyms, and which are the pharmacopæial: Alcohol, amyl alcohol, methyl alcohol, and ethyl alcohol?

2. State the purposes for each of the following tests for subnitrate of bismuth in the United States Pharmacopæia. It should dissolve in nitric acid (a) without effervescence; (b) without leaving any residue. The solution in nitric acid should yield (a) no precipitate with dilute sulphuric acid; (b) no precipitate with solution of silver nitrate; (c) no precipitate with solution of barium nitrate.

3. What gas is given off when you mix sulphide of antimony with hydrochloric acid?

4. What if it should be a fraudulent sulphide of antimony consisting of powdered coal and chalk?

5. What gas is given off on adding muriatic acid to black oxide of manganese?

6. How would you recognize each of the gases referred to in the foregoing three questions?

MATERIA MEDICA.

1. What is cocaine?

What is atropine? What is strychnine?

What is opium?

What is musk? What is ergot?

What is boneset? What is wormseed?

Name the different kinds of buchu, their habitation, etc.

10. Name the different kinds of saffron, their habitation, etc.

11. What is balsam copaiba?

13. What is oil of turpentine? Where and how is it obtained?

TOXICOLOGY AND DOSES.

1. (a) State the dose of amyl nitrite and (b) mention two methods of administering it.

2. (a) What is vermillion? (b) What article called for by the United States Pharmacopæia has the same chemical composition; and (e) how is that article used medicinally?

3. (a) State the dose of scammony; (b) what preparation from it is official in the United States, and (c) what is the dose of that preparation?

4. Give the dose of phosphide of zinc; words.

5. What are the names and proportions

6. What substances should be administered in case of poisoning by corrosive sublimate?

7. (a) State the dose of oil of tansy; (b) For what criminal purpose has it been occasionally administered?

8. Name properties that would enable you to distinguish between the mercurial chlorides in powder form?

Vhat is the principal symptom of poison ing by this substance?

10. (a) State the dose of wine of opium in minims. (b) How many milligrams of opium does the dose you have given repre- From the Detroit Free Press. sent?

PHARMACY.

1. In what respect does the Pharmaco pæia differ from the dispensatories?

2. Name six official ointments. 3. (a) What amount of morphine should

opium contain? (b) What amount should tincture of opium contain? 4. By what method is benzoic acid ob

tained? 5. From what sources is benzoic acid de

rived? 6. In what official preparations is benzoic

acid directed? 7. What physical differences exist be tween liquid ferri tersulphatis and liquid ferri subsulphatis?

8. State the pharmaceutical and remedial use of each.

9. Name twelve United States pharmacopeial preparations you have made.

10. Give the United States Pharmaco pæia names for: (a) Dover's powder; (b) hive syrup; (c) Tully's powder; (d) Monsel's solution; (e) Fowler's solution; (f)

11. What tests would you apply to two powders, one containing cream of tartar, the other bicarbonate of soda, so that you might identify each?

12. What ingredients enter into tincture cinchonæ compositum; citrine ointment; spirit (essence) peppermint; seidlitz powders; compound cathartic pills. Give United States pharmacopæial names of each of the

(An oral examination in pharmacy is also required.)

To Close Out the Stock.

"See hier, fadder. Dot celebrated Dr. Hammond says dot in a tousand years all mankind will be bald."

"My gracious, my son, ish dot so? I guess may be ven ve better mark our schtock of combs down."

How a Commercial Man Got Cheap Drinks.

"Barney" B. was at one time a well known traveler on the W., G. B. & G. W. consent of the Board this is published in railway. He was of bibulous habits and order that applicants may have a fair idea largely at the expense of others. Not long ago he met a few travelers at his hotel and with great elation told them he was on a new racket and would show them how it worked. He gave them some instructions and waited until a new arrival appeared.

"I say," said Charlie, coming at once to the point, "we've had a little discussion here "Welcome," done by the artistic hand of and want your advice."

"We were arguing that more men said, 'Will you have something?' than 'What will you take?' Now, for instance, what do you

"Well, what is it," inquired the man.

say?" "'Oh, I say, 'Will you have some thing?" "-

"Of course we will!" shouted the gang. and before the man could recover they rushed him to the counter and he paid for the drinks.

It was voted a great invention and they got ready for the next victim. He came in in a few minutes and Charles caught:

"I say," he began, as before, "we've had a little discussion here and want your advice." "Anything I can do for you call on me,

answered the new man politely.

"Well, we were arguing that more men say, 'Will you have something?' than began, but it began, and with forty couples 'What will you take?' Now, for instance, which do you say?"

"Neither." crooked by the reply.

"That's what I said," replied the man. "Well, what in thunder do you say?" "I alway say, 'Thanks, I don't care if I

Charles had to "set 'em up" for seven men, and the gag was incontinently ruled

The Meanest Man on Earth.

"Do you want to know who, in my opinion, is the smallest man on earth?" asked a Chicago traveler.

Of course they all looked assent. "Well," said he, "Ed. Smythe told about him the other day, and I know the man. Ed had his samples open at the Moody House and called on the man. Yes, he would go look at them, he wanted a few German goods. He went there, looked the cards all over (Ed. has three trunks), made a sheetful of memorandums, and said he would write out an order. Ed. called around ahout six o'clock in the evening. There were two chairs on the office: the hog sat in one and had his feet in the other; he was reading a newspaper and kept on reading: Ed. stood around patiently, as any man can afford to be patient if he is going to get an order. In the course of half an hour a friend came in and wanted to know of the hog if he wasn't ready to go somewhere. He jumped up and pushed his books in the safe, talked to his friend and ignored Ed. After a while Ed. said: 'Have you made out your order, Mr. B?' 'No sir; I'm not going to give you any order. I don't intend to buy any more from expectations. Inquiry is more persistent your house,' and he walked into Ed, in a and manifests an earnestness which is its way that he evidently thought would im- best feature as signifying a demand back of press his friend that he was a wonderful it. The orders booked have been almost encuss. Ed. is a good-natured fellow, and bus- tirely spontaneous, very little effort to se iness is business; he didn't open on him cure trade having been made. Traveling then, but he got even before long. I tell men are just beginning to start out, and a in his own store."

Took Him All Off.

"Ah!" said Smith, a commercial traveler, to a group of friends, "I was witness to a sight just before leaving Chicago." And then he told how he had seen a poor German emigrant with his wife and family of eight yellow-haired children, how he had become interested in them, and had learned that they had left their native land to seek a home in the Northwest. He was touched with the tenderness of the father, and saw him purchasing apples for the children. All the family except the father had taken seats on the train, and he was just making change on the platform for his small purchase when the train began to move out of the station. He made a rush for it, slipped, and then, before the eyes of the poor family and other horror-struck passengers, his head was taken off by the cars.

Smith's friends were much affected, and OOOOOOOOOOOO it was decided to take up a purse for the poor widow and fatherless children, and this was speedly done and a neat sum presented to Smith to be forwarded. He, with tears in his eyes, said:

"My friends, I thank you, but I can conceal it no longer. That train took off the rest of the man, and he still lives."

Smith will not travel this week. He is laid up for repairs.

A Singular Co-Incidence. From the American Bar.

Directory canvasser: "And your occupation, please?"

Householder: "Manufacturer of plug to bacco." Directory canvasser: "Rather a singular coincidence; the man next door makes

shoes." Householder: "How is that a coincidence?"

Directory canvasser: "The explanation is simple. He makes shoes, and is therefore a shoemaker. You manufacture plug tobacco, ergo you are a chewmaker, too." No inquest.

OUR CLUB.

IV. The hall was ablaze with light, for in honor of this, our first ball, four extra kerosene lamps were burning. On one side of the hall was a small platform on which was seated the orchestra, which consisted of three colored men. On the other side of the hall was a large sheet of paper tacked to the wall which had thereon the dances and took the place of a programme. In the north end of the hall was a banner on which was inscribed our monogram and the word our honored president. In the south end of the building was a bench and a pail of water and a dipper for the thirsty ones, while just back of the hall was Summer's drug store, which accommodated those who thought water injurious, and kept open, house all night to dispense prescriptions at ten cents per prescrip. At the ticket window, smiled the genial face of our beloved brother, Residue Johnson. At the door, with the determined mien of a professional ticket taker, shown forth Mr. DeBottom. In the check room was our worthy fellow-citizen, Mr. Farmer, his spectacles firm on his Grecian nose and a "ten-cents-here's-yourcheck" look on his face. Mr. Snow, Mr. Rund and myself were the highly honored and envied trio, who with badges and bouquets on our bosoms acted as floor-managers. Nine o'clock struck in the church tower across the river before the dancing on the floor and twenty dollars in the treasury the first success of the season was at hand. Oh, the joy of the occasion! Old married "Neither?" questioned Charles, knocked men who had not been in a ball-room in ten years capered about like little lambs on the green (the above in lots at greatly reduced rates on account of overstock). Mr. Snow. whose face was suspiciously red, and who "never could bear water," was smiling in a benevolent manner on every one. Mr. Rund, whose breath was suggestive of cardamon seeds, nodded his head in time to the music. "Ladies to the right," tum, tum, tee, tum, tum; "swing the gent you first meet," tum, tee, tum, tum, tum. How the words rang out, how happy we feel! But oh the next day! Old limbs unused to the exercise, groaned with Cold.....net twinges of pain; heads not accustomed to being swung around in the "mazy waltz" and gay "military" ached in sympathy with backs lamed from too much dancing. Never will I forget Mr. Snow with his No. 12 feet kicking up in the military, or Mrs. Snow, her little pug nose red with the violence of the exercise off in a corner, telling her neighbors about this one and that one, whom she disliked, for never was there a gossip in the world like little Mrs. Snow. And over in that corner stood three or four of the men, listening to the rehearsing of some old story. At twelve the dance was over, the fun was done, and we went home to ponder call it fun. COAL ERA.

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 then, but he got even before long. I tell men are just beginning to start out, and a you the smallest man in the world, the meanest dog in the kennel, the Edirtiest ent face on affairs. As regards values, whelp I know, is the fellow who thinks its there is apparent an undertone of great firm-2. (a) What is the dose of chloral; (b) whelp I know, is the fellow who thinks its there is apparent an undertone of great firmbrave to abuse a drummer when he has him ness. Holders have lost the anxiety to sell State. ness. Holders have lost the anxiety to sell which was the main feature of the market a few weeks back, while buyers have to a large extent thrown off their apathy and exhibit more readiness to take hold. The week has witnessed but few actual changes

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BUSINESS LAW.

Brief Digests of Recent Decisions in Courts of Last Resort.

CUSTOM-PRESENTMENT OF DRAFTS. Evidence of the usage and custom of a bank as to the presentment of drafts for acdraft, according to the decision of the Su-Co. vs. Pendleton.

PARTNERSHIP-JOINT OWNERSHIP.

mill, pay all its expenses from the proceeds, and divide the net profits equally between owning the property from which the income was derived, the Supreme Court of Georgia held that this constituted a partnership between them.

MUNICIPAL BONDS-DUTY OF PURCHASER. always take the risk of the genuineness of the official signature of those who execute the paper they buy, according to the decis-States in the case of the Merchant's Exchange National Bank vs. County of Bergen. By "genuineness of the official signature" is meant the genuineness, not only of the signature itself, but also of the official character of him who makes it.

BANKRUPTCY-FAILURE TO ACCOUNT. When one is intrusted with the offects of

another to dispose of them for the benefit of the latter, and to account to him therefor, the mere fact that he who was so intrusted has failed to account does not create a debt which is exempted from a discharge in bankruptcy, under section 5,117 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, for fraud, a fiduciary capacity, where there is no proof showing that in appropriating the property or proceeds it was done wrongfully and fraudulently and with a fraudulent intent at the time. So held by the Supreme Court of Georgia.

EXEMPTION-NECESSARY WEARING AP-PAREL-WATCH.

A watch may constitute a portion of "necessary wearing apparel" within the meaning of a statute of exemptions, according to the decision of the Supreme Court of Oregon in the case of McClung vs. Stewart. The court said: The question whether a watch is a necessary article of wearing apparel, and as such exempt, seems from the decisions to depend upon the particular facts or attendant circumstances of each case, such as the value of the watch, the condition and business of the debtor, etc., and has been differently decided under different circumstances. * * * It is probably true that a watch is ordinarily worn for convenience than as a mere luxurious ornament. But to determine whether it is one or the other, necessary or luxurious, as the merchant and his customers. an article of dress or apparel, the value of the watch is allowed to have a controling influence in determining the result. If the value of the watch be unreasonable, or too much money be invested in it, the law re- claim that I have the most complete, safe and gards it, as justice to the creditors would require, rather as a luxury than a necessity, and under our statute this element of value would necessarily become an important factor, as the exemption of wearing apparel is limited to \$100. * * * Upon the question whether a watch is a necessary article of wearing apparel the authorities are conflicting. Upon the whole our own judgment inclines us to the opinion that the phrase "necessary wearing apparel" as used in our statute may include in it a watch of moderate value without doing violence to its meaning. We are not, therefore, prepared to say that a watch of moderate value is not a necessary article of wearing apparel and as such exempt when it is made to appear affirmatively that the watch and other articles of apparel selected or reserved do not exceed the amount limited by the statute.

GUARANTY-APPLICATION OF PAYMENTS.

Certain advances were made by a Charlestown (S. C.) firm to a firm in Williston upon the following guaranty: "Charleston. S. C., February 3, 1881. Messrs. E. H. Frost & Co.-Dear Sirs: In consideration of your agreeing to advance to Messrs. John A. Weathersbee, Ashley M. Weathersbee and Martin F. Weathersbee, doing business at Williston, S. C., under the firm name of A. M. Weathersbee & Co., not exceeding the sum of seven thousand dollars and interest, I hereby guarantee to you the repayment of the sums advanced and commissions as agreed, etc. Yours respectfully, A. J. Weathersbee." Upon the delivery of an aeditional guaranty given by the same person for the sum of \$1,500, further advances were made aggregating in all \$8,500. Afterwards large advances were made by the Charleston firm to the Williston firm, for the purpose of buying cotton, which was shipped to the former, but these latter advancements were without the guaranty of A. J. Weathersbee. When the cotton was shipped no directions were given except to hold for a better price. Nothing was said about applying the proceeds at that time, nor until a large amount, nearly \$10,000 had been advanced and a large quantity of cotton had accumulated, when A. M. Weath-

ersby & Co., by direction of A. J. Weathersbee, wrote to the Charleston firm directing them to sell the cotton at once and apply net proceeds to credit of amount indorsed by A. J. Weathersbee. The Charleston firm declined to make the application directed and declined to make further advances. Upon a suit brought by the Charleston firm against the guarantor, after judgment against the Williston firm, the Supreme Court of Sonth Carolina held (Frost et al. ceptance and payment is admissible to cor- vs. Weathersbee et al.) that the guaranty roborate the testimony of a cashier as to the above referred to was limited to \$8,500, and presentment for acceptance of a particular was not a continuing guaranty in the sense of securing any eventual balance, and that preme Court of the United States in the the guaranteed debt was not paid by the dicase of the Knickerbocker Life Insurance rection of the debtors to apply the proceeds of the cotton in the hands of the plaintiffs to the payment of the same, leaving unpaid the advances made to purchase the cotton. Where three parties owned and ran a saw | The court said: A debtor owing two debts mill jointly, on the agreement that one of to the same creditor has a right, on making them was to conduct the operations of the payment to direct its aplication. If the debtor has given no directions the creditor may make the application at his pleasure. In this himself and the other two, the three jointly case no instructions were given when the shipments were made, except to hold for better prices. No instructions whatever were given at the time as to the application of the proceeds. In the absence of these the creditor had the right to make the ap-Purchasers of municipal securities must plication. Besides, the arrangement as to the purchase of cotton amounted to a contract that these advances were made upon the condition that they should be paid out ion of the Supreme Court of the United of the sales of the cotton. A factor who advances money for the purchase of goods has a general lien upon them to secure such advances. The plaintiffs had the right to apply the proceeds of the sale, first, to the advances made in purchasing the cotton, and then the balance in liquidation pro tanto of the guaranteed debt.

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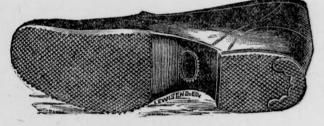
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