# The Michigan Tradesman.

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# NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Albert Coye & Son is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Dated January 16, 1884. ALBERT COYE, CHARLES A. COYE. We have this day entered into co-partner-ship under the firm name of

ALBERT COYE & SONS,

For the purpose of continuing the TENT AND AWNING BUSINESS at the old stand, No. 73 Canal Street. ALBERT COYE, CHARLES A. COYE, JAMES A. COYE.

### SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—About March 1st, a situation as book-keeper, by a thoroughly competent and reliable man. Satisfactory references. Address B., Care of W. A. Severson, Druggist, Buchanan, Mich.

DRUG STORES FOR SALE.

DRUG STOCK FOR SALE. The F. D. Caul-kins stock and business at Fife Lake. Address H. B. Fairchild, Grand Rapids, Mich. DRUG STORE, FOR SALE in Grand Rapids, for \$2,500 or invoice. Owner has other business. Address Hazeltine, Perkins & Co., Wholesale Druggists, Grand Rapids, Mich.

D<sup>RUG</sup> STORE FOR SALE at Otsego, Mich. \$2,000. Address Hazeltine, Perkins & Co., Wholesale Druggists, Grand Rapids, Mich.

### D. DARWIN HUGHES-WALTER H. HUGHES. D. D. & W. H. HUGHES, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Ledyard Block, Ottawa St., Grand Rapids Special attention given to the COLLECTION of CLAIMS and Commercial Litigation in the City and throughout Northwestern Michigan. Also, Proofs of Claims in Assignment Cases.



How Small Herring are Made to Resemble Sardines. From the Portland Argus.

AMERICAN SARDINES.

Nine-tenths of the sardines consumed in the United States come from Maine. Very

few of the real French fish are imported now. These Yankee sardines are nothing but small herring put up in boxes with gaudy labels and French inscriptions. In Eastport there are nineteen places where they turn out sardines, besides three at Lubec, two at Jonesport, and one each an Millbridge, Lamoine and Robinston. In 1876 a firm did a lucrative business packing "Russian sar-dines" at Eastport. These were little herring packed in small wooden kegs preserved with spices of different kinds. It occured to one member of the firm that these little fish might be utilized to better advantage by cooking them and packing them in olive oil, like the French sardines. The experiment had been tried several years before without The difficulty was to eradieate the success.

taste of the herring. It was easy to cook the herring, pack them in olive oil and seal them air tight, but when the only and seen they had not the rich, spicy flavor of the reg-ular French sardines. After a great many experiments one of the manufacturers succeeded in producing a mixture of oils and spices which removed the difficulty.

The herring used for making sardines are about four inches long, and are taken in great quantities along the Maine and New Brunswick coast. They can be bought of the fishermen for about \$5 a hogshead, although when the fish are scarce, as they often are in the spring, they bring as much as \$15 a hogs-head. After being captured the fish are taken immediately to the factory and laid in heaps upon long tables. The first thing is to decapitate and clean the fish. The dexterity with which the expection is merformed by with which the operation is performed by the children who are employed is remarkable. On an average seventy-five fish are cleaned and decapitated every minute by each child. Both operations are performed with one stroke of a sharp knife. A box holding about a bushel lies at the feet of each operator, and as the cleaning is completed the fish slide into the box. The pay for this work is ten cents per box, and some of the children make \$1.50 per day. After being washed the herring are pickled

for half an hour, and then laid upon trays and placed in a large drying room heated by steam. After the fish are dry they are thrown into large shallow pans of boiling oil and thoroughly cooked. They are then packed in tin boxes by girls and women, and in each box is poured a quantity of the patent mixture of oils and spices. Covers are then fitted to the boxes and then sealed on by men. As air must be excluded, the cans, when sealed, are placed in a tank of boiling water where they remain half an hour, and are then removed and placed on an inclined plane, so that the air rushes to one corner of the box. This corner is punctured with an awl, the hot air escapes, and the can is made air tight by a drop of solder. The boxes are then ornamented with attractive French labels, stating that the enclosed are "Sardines a la Francaise;" some are labeled "a Vhuille d'olive." The oil used is cotton-seed oil, such as is made in South Carolina. It is not always the best quality of oil. The best oil is used, however, for the fish sold as 'prime.'

There are prepared at these factories other varibites of fish known as "mustard," "mar-anees" and "sea trout." The mustards are prepared like the sardines until they are put in the cans. They are packed in a prepara-tion made of mustard, vinegar and oil, with a soupcon of spice. The mustards are larger fish than the sardines. The marnees

Michigan Wants a Flavored Cigar.

stronger for being dark, or milder for being

light. We color our cigars to suit our trade.

We can give them any shade of brown they

want. We flavor only our cheaper grades

though many manufacturers flavor their best

10-cent cigars. In some parts of the West, Michigan, for instance, the trade demands a

flavored cigar. In regard to ash, gray is the best color. A black ash is always bad. A

white ash is not necessarily good; neither is it necessarily bad. It may be either. Men,

New Yorkers especially, accustomed to smoke the best imported cigars, are suspic-ious of a very white ash. Our American

seed cigars burn, as a rule, a whiter ash

than imported Havanas of the poorer grades.

Most of our domestic cigars are superior to

the cheaper class of Havana cigars imported

**Bad Investments.** 

into this country.

for a settlement.

other words."

MICH.

From the Syracuse Standard.

NO WONDER SHE WAS JEALOUS.

### Disadvantage of the Names Used in the Cigar Trade.

"The fact is, boys," remarked a well-known traveling man, "it will never do to carry a letter when you are fooling around dimity

"Did you ever get caught?" spoke up a man with a rent in his breeches. "Yes. I used to call on a young lady in Hopkinsville, and-now this must not go

any further." "By no means!" and all spoke in chorus.

"Go on." "Well, I thought considerable of the girl and I afterwards became satisfied that she was considerably 'gone' on me. Trip be-fore last I made it a point to remain in the town over night, and about 19:30 o'clock I called at the residence, having previously sent a boy around to inform her. I was met at the door by as pretty a girl as Kentucky eyer produced, and was greeted with a pair of as bright and dancing eyes as any houri ever possessed. We had hardly been seated before she began going through my pockets in a mischievous manner. I had several letters which I did not want her to see, that I had left in my sample case, knowing her curiosity and pick-pocket proclivities from former occasions. I had received a letter from the house regarding my line of goods by the late mail, and fearing nothing I had put it in my pocket. She found it. I told her it was a business letter and would not interest her."

"Did it?" inquired one of his hearers. "Didn't it? Here is the letter:"

"Didn't it? Here is the letter:" DEAR JIM-You don't seem to think enough of "Jessie." Keep her "away up," for I tell you she is straight goods. I don't go much on your "Little Pride," for even the "Lovely Lass" is far superior, and you know I always thought the aforesaid Lass is a fraud. You may also push "My Beamty" and "My Sweet Lips." You are not doing enough with either though you.are continually freezing to your "Little Pride." The "Southern Bell" is taking among traveling men, but she is hardly light enough for the old timers. Business is good at home. Chew "Bright Eyes" and then tell me what you think. Yours in haste, HARRY.

Yours in haste. HARRY.

"She glanced over the letter, screamedthey all scream-and then she cried-they all cry. As soon as she could catch her breath, with suppressed anger and disappointment, mixed in equal quantities, she addressed me, who was in entire ignorance of the cause:

'You base wretch! You deceiver! You professed affection for me and at the same time have a troop of female admirers, and whose affection, no doubt, you return! Your 'Jessies,' 'Little Prides' and 'Lovely Lassies!' I do not know who Harry is, nor I don't want to know, but he must be a nice gentle man, truly, when he wants you to push his 'Sweet Lips.' Oh! you horrid dissembler. But I could stand all but the last line: 'Chew Bright Eyes and tell me what you think." Oh!

"She flopped in the center of the parlor," continued the cigar man, "and the fall arroused the family. The old lady came run-ning in in her night clothes, and the old man had nothing on to speak of except a shot gun and a load of astonishment which changed to vengeance when he saw his daughter in hysterics on the carpet. There were no two horns to my dilemma, and I grabbed the only one and my hat at the same time and I left the town on a midnight freight, and have not visited the place since."

Corners and Syndicates.

The tendency of the age seems to be to divert business from legitimate channels into speculative schemes, through the operation of combinations-so-called syndicates. are packed in a sauce made of vinegar, spices. Prices of commodities are no longer regulalemon and sugar, and the sea trout are large herriag put up in oval boxes with still another mand, but are raised and lowered through mand, but are raised and lowered through the influence of combined capital acting in wet blanket to the convention. Then the

THE SUPREME COURT. Digests of Commercial Decisions Recently The Shoe and Leather Trade of Michigan.

Handed Down. The following table, compiled from the The rule that a lease for more than a year annual report of the Shoe and Leather Reis void unless in writing has nothing to do with a case where a man makes an oral and shoes shipped direct from the Boston agreement to take the premises for a year from some future date. The agreement and the lease are two different things. (Camp-bell, J.) Whiting vs. Ohlert.

bell, J.) Whiting vs. Ohlert. If a man by word of mouth orders a \$60 overcoat from Mr. Rasch and asks that it be Bay City.... made according to a specified sample, and when it has been delivered sends if back to be altered, and finally concludes that he does not want it, he cannot, at that late stage claim that his order was one of the kind that would have to be in writing to be worth any-thing, because the goods have already been delivered, and if returned to the tailor are held at the customer's commands. (Sherwood J.) Rasch vs. Bissell.

One Scotchman forwarded a lot of lumber by rail to another at St. Ignace. It was to be inspected by a railway official, but the pur-chaser would not wait, and not only used a great deal that the inspector passed, but some that he rejected. Of course there arose a dispute about payment, and the first one had to bring suit. When he came to prove quantity he told how much he had shipped but the other objected that this was no proof of the amount delivered. It bore upon it, however, and one who had taken away most of the stuff, and thereby made the facts hard The total receipts from this source by Michigan merchants was 67,678 cases, while to prove, could not object to such items of evidence as were accessible. The judge strained his discretion, however, in letting 2,568,033 cases. the plaintiff change his election of counts from common to special after the proofs were in; but as in this particular case the evidence would have been the same under both factories in the State to be 10, employing a capital of \$343,500, furnishing employment the error was of little consequence. (Cooley,

### Clerk as Agent or Partner.

J.) McLennan vs. McDermid.

are \$340,172. The total value of the mater-ials consumed is \$736,184, which includes When a clerk or agent is by agreement to 62.002 sides of sew leather, 167,172 sides of receive a fixed portion of profits as compensation for his time or labor, he does so as clerk or agent and not as partner. But where one advances money under an agree-ment that the principal is to be refunded, boots, valued at \$421,900, and 596,344 pairs of shoes valued at \$782,395. but for compensation he is to share in the net profits of the adventure, this makes him a partner, for he shares in the profits as a principal and not as a clerk or agent.-Cathran vs. Marmaduke, Supreme Court of Texemploying 461 hands, the annual wages of which are \$222,228. Of hemlock bark, 21,-

### Larceny and Embezzlement.

bark, besides \$1,474 worth of sumac and The felonious appropriation of goods by a other materials, 184,001 hides and 341,793 servant or agent who has merely the custody of them, is larceny. Where he has the manskins, the total value being \$1,450,559. The totel value of the products is \$2,029,653, ual possession of the goods, his felonious apwhich comprise 368,022 hides and 331,793 propriation of them is embezzlement. Genskins. erally, when the agent has received goods or money to carry, deliver, control or manage for his principal, unless he parts with the manual possession of the property to his principal, or to another for him, or places it the State, employing \$356,311 capital, employing 116 men, the annual wages of which in some depositary, such as a drawer or safe are \$51,950. Of materials, 101,308 sides, provided for the purpose and to which the 62,351 skins, and 33,226 gallons of oil are used, the total value of which is \$\$12,065. The total value of the product is \$996,932. principal or superior agent has access, or over which they have control, he cannot be convicted of larceny for felonous iappropriation which comprises 161,208 sides and 63,351 of the goods or money. The offense is emskins.

## bezzlement.—Warmouth vs. the Common-wealth, Kentucky Court of Appeals. Killed the Measure It Endorsed.

banks, the small jobbers and retailers of the

West, the distributors of merchandise and

the last collectors from consumers, in short,

absent. Legislation in the interest-or even

according to the views of a one-sided con-

frame a law in a spirit necessarily hostile to the class most interested in fair adjust-

ments; against the class in whose prosper-

ity and solvency the country is far more in-terested than in those of the big capitalists.

public-spirited and fair-minded business mer

of this country want to secure national bankruptcy legislation, they must begin at

classes to start the movement. Every move

Preparation of Camphor.

the bottom of the tub steam slowly rises

has a closely fitting cover. From this cover

supplied with a straw layer which catches and holds the camphor in crystal in deposit

market. The oil is used by the natives for

Camphor is made in Japan in this way:

be damned in advance.

vention like this, is impossible.

said a merchant to a gentleman just intro-From the Merchants' Review. As the Merchants' Review predicted, the duced to him. 'Yes sir, that's what I am looking for." convention of representatives of mercantile bodies called at Washington, last week, to "What qualifications have you?" "Well, 1 went into business for myself five years ago with not a cent of capital and 'voice the sentiment of the business world' on bankruptcy legislation, amounted to little. It found the sentiment of congressfailed three months ago for \$300,000 even. "Good Heavens! do you call that a recommen, especially from the West and South, decidedly against any legislation—especially

The country

It would

mendation?" "Rather.,'

Pen Portaits of Grand Rapids Travelers. A new feature will be inaugurated next

week in the shape of brief biographical skethtcs of the leading commercial travelers who go out from this market. It is intended to make the articles as unlike the traditional biography as possible, giving little attention to the generally uninteresting facts surround-ing the date and place of nativity, and other minor matters to the general reader. By re-fraining from giving managements are as the surround-ing the date and place of nativity and other minor matters to the general reader. By re-

fraining from giving undue prominence to purely personal affairs, the articles can be enlivened by anecdotes, episodes and charac-teristics of the subject treated, and made to be of universal interest. The identity of each subject will be disclored a work set each subject will be disclosed a week or two in advance, and as the native modesty of each will preclude the bringing out of many essential features, the editor will be under obligations for pointers and contributions in any way bearing on the topic under discus-

The opening sketch will relate the princieipal events and a few of the many experiences in the life of Alonzo Seymour—the pi-ioneer grip-carrier out of Grand Rapids.

### A Clean-Cut Steal.

Investigation by the assignee shows a peculiar and not very satisfactory state in the affairs of Louis Brown, the clothing dealer who failed last week. His liabilities, all for goods bought in 1883, are \$4,603.75, while his assets are but \$1,605, his stock of goods, out of which he has taken \$250, his exemp-216 tion, leaving only \$1,355 for the creditors. Brown came here from Chicago nearly two years ago, bringing a stock of goods from Holland, where, he says, he had long kept a branch of his Chicago establishment. He claims to have had a branch store at Hes-peria, and to have closed it out a couple of months ago, bringing the remnant of his stock here. When he first came to Allegan he occupied a small room on Hubbard street, apparently with an old and mixed stock. Some months ago he took his present quarters opposite the Chaffee House, and made a more pretentions show, but the ap-praisers say the bulk of it is still old and materials. The total production is valued at \$1,216,255, which includes 153,969 pairs of dirty.

### A Canal Street Clerk's Slight Mistake.

"Speaking of umbrellas," remarked a oung man with a \$500 notion and a \$10 salary, "recalls a very unpleasant expersanty, recent the Monroe street cigar store ience. I was in a Monroe street cigar store the other day, and I put my \$1 gingham umbrella by the door. All at once I saw a man walking off with it. 'I think you've made a mistake, my friend,' said I, 'that's my bat preserver,' 'Oh, excuse me,' said my hat preserver.' 'Oh, excuse me,' said he, 'so it is; I took it by mistake,' and then, blame me, if he didn't pick up his own umbrella, and it was a \$10 silk one with a carved ivory handle. That was the umbrella that he was leaving me, and like a blasted fool, I didn't know enough to keep There are 44 currying establishments in the State, employing \$356,311 capital, em-my mouth shut. I've been swearing at myself ever since."

### Good Words for the Small Dealer.

"A marked peculiarity of the present time," said a leading jobber, "is the charac-ter of most of the failures that are occur-ring. Men who are carrying the largest loads, and small concerns which we expected would go down at the first adverse breeze, have held up manfully, most of them, and are paying their bills with a promptness that actually surprises us; while firms that were rated high, and were considered very de-sirable customers, have made most disastrous failures. Nine-tenths of our losses during the past six months have unexpectedly eame from the latter class of dealers.

### Caulfield's Column.

Attention is called to the full-column adnent of John Car

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FACTS AND FIGURES.

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Pontiac

Portland

Saginaw... Tecumseh

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Traverse City... Union City.... West Bay City..

SHOE MANUFACTURES.

to 783 men, the total annual wages of which

upper leather, and 57,645 pounds of other

LEATHER TANNED.

There are 66 tanneries in the State, em-ploying an aggregate capital of \$1,081,489,

139 tons are used, and 1,205 tons of oak

LEATHER CURRIED.

Wanted a Partnership.

"So you want a partnership in my house?"

The last census shows the number of shoe

Ann Arbor..... Charlotte..... Eaton Rapids....

sion. 183 1.268

From the Allegan Gazette.

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APPLIANCES,

-AND-

NO. 8 CANAL STREET.

GRAND RAPIDS, - MICHIGAN.



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Agent for Farren's Celebrated "F" Brand Raw Oysters.

117 MONROE STREET,

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A well-selected stock of groceries situated in a growing town of 1,500 population is offer-ed for sale. The stock will inventory \$3,000 to \$3,500, and the cash sales last year amounted to \$20,800. The store is located in the best part of the town, the building is of brick, and the rent but \$300 per annum, with a lease having three years yet to run. Best of reasons for selling. Address XXX, care THE TRADESMAN, Grand Rapids, Mich. ored, and I-"

Ask for prices on Boralumine.

ceryman.

harmony for the accomplishment of a com-mon end. Trade organizations, under the tion. Only the creditor class of the large Almost the entire product of these factories is shipped to New York, whence it is sold name of Exchanges, are often made instru- cities were represented, and the bulk of to retailers all through the country. One of the Lubec houses prepared about 4,500 boxes ments in the hands of operators schooled in these were from the East. the small jobbers and a day. The actual cost per box, including all expenses, is about five cents. The profit "squeezed" and fleeced when engaged in transactions which are not supposed to and expenses, is about its from five to seven cents. The difference between these prices, and what the consumer pays for the fish at or risk. Transactions that for years were largely involve the element of speculation all representatives of the debtor class were the grocery goes into the pockets of the gro

confined to railway shares, grain, pork, and a few staple commodities, have come to be common in very many channels of trade; in fact, in the department of groceries, the legitimate trader finds his calculations set at naught at almost every turn, and sees not

The veteran cigar manufacturer, Joseph Barton said, in regard to the color of tobac-co: Sweating or curing tobacco is done to only the profits due to a judicious investonly the profits due to a judicious invest-ment of capital and a conservative system of business turned into the pool, but too often a portion of the original investment as well. of business turned into the pool, but too often a portion of the original investment as take the vegetable taste out of it. It is a slow process of cooking. The tobacco having gone through the process of sweating, is sometimes light, sometimes dark. It is not necessarily well.

### Patents Issued to Michigan Inventors.

The following patents have lately been isued to Michigan inventors:

James Austin, Detroit, finishing till. A. Freschel, Detroit, application of fabrics to mouldings and other articles.

H. Hurlburt, Millbrook, spoke cutting machine

Hunter, Grindstone Center, car Wm. coupling

Jas. Jewell, Grandville, pipe wrench. Chas. J. Leach, Hartford, traction engine. up into chips, which are laid in a tub on a Jas. Lynch, New Haven, safety guard for railway frogs large iron pot partially filled with water and placed over a slow fire. Through holes in

Butler R. Platt, Plainwell, spring bed cotton

A. Schæffer, Detroit, wheelbarrow.

#### The Judicious Saleswoman.

#### From the New York Evening Post.

A banker was playing the devoted to a The really fashionable saleswoman is juhandsome widow who had buried three husbands. Last week he concluded to call dicious. Time was when she was indelent or pert, but now she is judicious, and when

"My dear madam," he began, "you may fore compartment. The upper compartment is self as to the customer's intention be have noticed that I have felt more than an making the smallest movement to find the goods desired. "Chenille?" she says grave-ly; "you mean chenille cord?" "Yes." ordinary interest in you; such an interest, madam, as might be termed usuary in business circles. In fact, madam, I want to go into copartnership with you; marry you, in "I'm very sorry, indeed sir, but I'm prom-ised to another. I am sure I feel highly hon-

color?" "Black." "Yes. Large or small?" "Large." "There's the card," she murmurs gently. "Yellow-dotted-net? Yellow? it. If you have issued fourth mortgage bonds on yourself, I haven't a word to say. I was willing to take the risk in your case, but let me give you a pointer; I don't grab up promiscuous stock with fourth mortgage

up promiscuous stock with fourth mortgage on it, as a business. It's a bad practice, and I know men who have been ruined by it. Good-day." An Indiana family that uses black tea be-cause they are in mourning are probably as sincere mourners as though they wore crape on their hats.—Peek's Sun

Well, I don't see

"Of course, I might have done better if 1 page. had been a little more experienced, but you quotee see it was this way: I had nothing to start with and when I settled I paid twenty cents on the dollar, deducting bad debts, rent, elerk hire, etc, it left me just \$150,000 for my five years' labor and enterprise. It ought to have been \$200,000, I know; but a man can't always hit it the first time. Rest assured, sir, I will never be caught that way

again. "Ahem, ahem," hesitated the merchant, "come around to-morrow, and we'll talk the matter over at our leisure."

#### Small Laths.

Some dealers are arguingin favor of lath of smaller dimensions. The old size of 1/2 x 1½ inches has given away to some extent to 36x11/2, but less width is wanted, say 36x136. The latter size would permit the loading of 60,000 lath in a car of 24,000 pounds, while but 50,000 can be loaded of the present size. Less plastering is required for the thin lath, the circumference to create public sentiand they are preferred by many on that acment and work in towards the various hubs of trade. When they want such laws they count. must interest the distributors and debtor

### Adding Insult to Injury.

of this kind that begins at the center will "Madam, you have destroyed five dollars' worth of merchandise," angrily remarked a dude to a lady, as she seated herself in a chair in which he had deposited a new Derby hat. "Serves you right," she replied, slowly rising from the ruin; "you had no business to buy a five dollar hat for a fifty cent head." After a tree is felled to the earth it is cut

The boy who was caught laughing after his teacher had thrashed him because the master and, heating the chips, generates oil and camphor. Of course the tub with the chips had licked the wrong boy, had better send his congratulations to Charles Godfrey, of Middleton, New York, whose daughter of 13 a bamboo pipe leads to a succession of other tubs with bamboo connections, and the last years was recently married by her mother, contrary to her father's wish, to a man much older than herself. Godfrey hired two burly of these tubs is divided into two compartments, one above the other, the dividing negroes to thrash the venerable bridegroom, floor being perforated with small holes to he himself mounting a flight of stairs where the new husband's rooms were situated, whence he intended to throw him to the colored men below. But instead of meeting his son-in-law, he met his own wife, Mrs. as it passes to the cooling process. The camphor is then separated from the straw, packed in wooden tubs, and is ready for the Godfrey, who pushed him down stairs in the The colored men, supposing that the dark. he was the man whom they had been hired to thrash, proceeded to earn their money so system of graded discounts to the book trade, in the hallway.

Man at Telephone—"Confound you! Can't you hear? I hear you easy enough." And there came through the instrument these re-markable words: "Should think you might. You've got a big advantage over me. Just think of the size of your ear!" The man them down the receiver with a jerk, and American ideas run so largely in the di-rection of creation, invention, and device, it less that ten, 33% per cent.; ten volumes or is not at all surprising to hear that a Yankee more, and less than twenty-five, 40 per cent.; has proposed to the Italian Government to

The statements made and prices quoted are characteristic of the man and house, and will undoubtedly find a hearty response wherever either are known. column will be a regular feature of the pa-per hereafter, and will be watched with eagerness.

#### Best of All.

There are buggies without number, but none approach that degree of perfection and durability that is characteristic of the Spiral Spring vehicle. With one of these buggies, long rides and rough roads are no longer dreaded, but rendered easy and enjoyable. Call at the factory, corner Ottawa and East Bridge streets, and inspect samples.

Frederick Kellogg, an old man running a grocery store at Downer Grove, Illinois, whose stock in trade consists of one orange, three dried herring, a loaf of bread, half a dozen nuts and a cigar box, has unexpectedly come in possession of a deceased brother's estate in New York, worth \$1,000,000.

A bill is now before the New York State Assembly which is intended to provide that a woman who orders groceries for her fam-ily should be responsible for them to the merchant if her husband does not pay. is not, however, under any obligation to pay for her husbands "groceries."

An Alpena paper says that in some parts of Canada they measure wood by making a tight box of the dimensions of one cord, then pack the wood into it and fill up the spaces between the sticks with water. After taking the wood out they measure the water and deduct it from 128 cubic feet. leaving only a fraction of a cerd of wood.

"My mother says your father has gone into bankruptey," said one little girl to an-other, "What is bankruptey, Nellie?" "I don't know exactly," replied Nellie, "but I 'spects it's something awful nice. Pa used to work earthly hard and used to go round in to work awful hard, and used to go round in his old clothes; but since he has gone into bankruptcy he dresses up every day, and doesn't do anything but walk around just like a perfect gentleman."

Mr. Townsend MacCoun, of New York nonestly as to leave their employer half dead n the ballway. System of gratter discounts to the book states. It is substantially as follows: "After publication one volume or more, and less than

asked for anything she always informs her- allow water and oil to pass to the lower

ly; "you mean chenille cord?" "Yes." "Red chenille cord?" "Yes." "Bright red?" "Yes." "Well, we haven't it." "Black crochet buttons?" "Yes." "What

illuminating and other purposes

# MICHIGAN TRADESMAN.

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A JOURNAL DEVOTED TO THE Mercantile and Manufacturing Interests of the State.

E. A. STOWE, Editor and Proprietor.

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### WEDNESDAY, FEB. 13, 1884.

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.

The financial situation throughout Europe inspires the gloomiest forebodings.

"pernicious piece of legislation." And the ports are alone worth the price of the paper." experience of the past five months amply corroborates the statement.

By furnishing her rooms at Windsor with Irish poplin, the Queen expects to make that material fashionable and set the looms of Ireland humming again. Unfortunately, however, the Queen is no longer the leader of the fashions. Mr. Worth is the individual to give Irish poplin a boom.

"The standard of commercial integrity is low," says the Chicago Inter Ocean. "Many things pass for sharp and shrewd which are simply disreputable. The man who robs by deception is no better than a sneak thief, and is far more dangerous. 'Business is From the Luther Lance. business' is a phrase that covers more sins than charity."

The decision of the Supreme Court, annulling the insolvency law of 1883, is hailed with satisfaction by the business men of Michigan, as the new statute had few friends from the first and was rapidly disgusting everyone who had occasion to acquaint himself with its workings. The new law contained some commendable features, notably the non-preference clause, but its pernicious provisions more than overballanced the former. The old law contains many objectionable features, but it has the advantage of being thoroughly understood, and will undoubtedly give more general satisfaction.

The strike of the Fall River cotton opera- MICHIGAN CONNERCIAL TRAVELERS' ASSOCIA'N. tives, by which 30,000 hands are thrown out of employment, is one of the most significant Incorporated Dec. 10, 1877-Charter in Force for Thirty Years. industrial events which have occured in the present period of depression. It is said the shut-down at Fall River is to be followed by a curtailment of production throughout Massachusetts. The reasons are twofold for this New England depression and strike-overproduction and inability to compete with the mills of the South, which have their raw material at their doors. Southern mills make no complaint, and are credited with being quite prosperous.

The differences between the window glass workers and their employers, which have lasted for seven months, have been aocommodated and the laborers, to the number of twenty-five hundred, have returned to of twenty-five hundred, have returned to work. Both parties, we are told, have made concessions. This was almost a matter of course. Such variances are nearly always determined by compromise. The hardship of this strike, as usual, has fallen mainly on the workmen. The shut-down enabled the manufacturers to keep up the price of glass. They have worked off their stocks at their accustomed profits. A half million dollars in wages have been lost, and no point gained, except to compel the people of the country to pay more for their window-glass than it was worth. Wages, we are informed, are to be adjucted on a sliding scale, governed by the adjusted on a sliding scale, governed by the card rate on glass. This is a restrictive, unwise system. Its purpose and effect are to curtail production and consumption. The profits of employers and workmen ought rather to lie in the direction of increased production and consumption. The same principle applied to all the industries would produce utter stagnation.

Good Words Unsolicited. Geo. W. Bevins, general dealer, Tustin: 'Success to you and best wishes.''

C. W. Peters, groceries and provisions Bangor: "Could not get along without it." John D. Merritt, general dealer, Olive enter: "Just what I have been looking Center: for."

F. M. Hentig, wholesale produce, Casnovfa: "I can only say, I would not do with-out THE TRADESMAN if it cost \$1 per month.'

C. F. Stout, grocer, Cedar Springs: "Your paper is a long-felt want, and is worth double the amount of the subscription price to any merchant."

A. Young & Sons, general dealers, Ionia: "Your paper is the best of the kind we have ever seen. We have tried different ones, but none suited us before.'

Four months ago THE TRADESMAN de-clared the new State assignment law to be a would not do without it. The market re-J. Vanderburg, buyer for Wyman Bros., Wyman: "After reading your paper for two or three months, I couldn't get along without it. It is a great help to me in buying, as you quote prices correctly."

S. D. Thompson, groceries and produce, Newaygo: "I like the paper well, and always have. See you have given me a send-off with laurels equal to Julia A. Moore as a poet. You have my best wishes for your

J. McKelvey, general dealer, Maple Grove: "There is only one thing needed to make your paper perfect, and that is a dead-beat list on the back of the supplement of those persons who leave a place without paying all their store bills."

# From Brady's Late Stamping Ground.

THE MICHIGAN TRADESMAN is a welcome visitor to our exchange table. It is reliable and enterprising, and every merchant should take it.

Looks Like Success.

From the Charlevoix Journal. The advertising patronage of the Grand Rapids TRADESMAN has increased so that a full page supplement is necessary. That looks like success.

Most of Them Do.

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Any wholesale house will fill your orders for Boralumine.

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TIME TABLES.

# CENTRAL STANDARD TIME.

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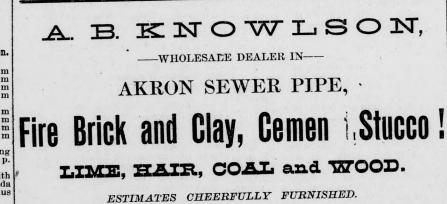
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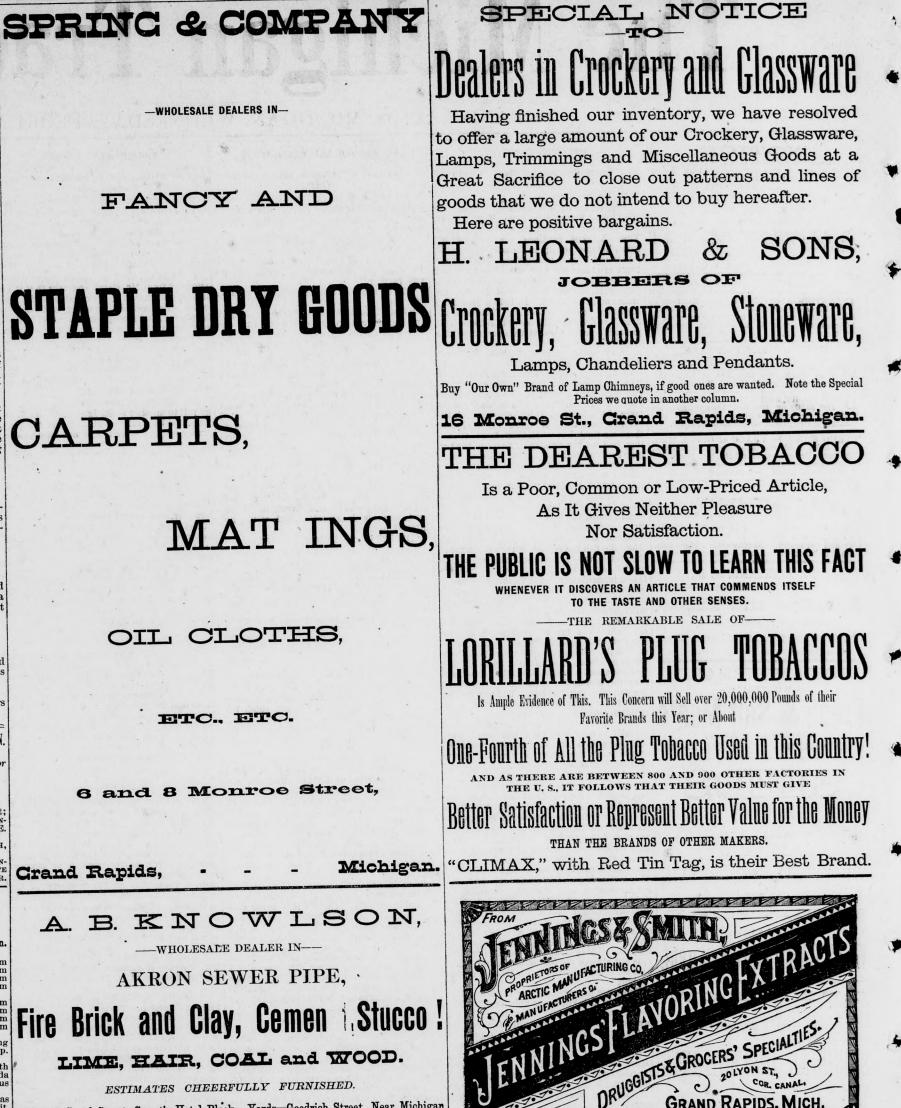
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### KALAMAZOO CAPITALISTS.

A Classified List of the Rich People of That Place.

A Kalamazoo correspondent writes: A recent count of the noses of the people residing here worth \$100,000 and over places the number at 50. In making up the list, hair-splitting accuracy is impossible, much of the data being gathered from general rep-utation and commercial ratings. The list utation and commercial ratings. may be assumed, however, to be reliable in the main, the exceptions being four persons, whom a majority of those supposed to know, place in the list, and whose disability would be cured by substituting \$75,000 for \$100,000. Grouping the names, the showing is about as follows:

Col. Frank B. Stockbridge, L. B. Kendall and J. P. Woodbury, \$500,000 to \$1,000,000; many rate Mr. Stockbridge at from \$1,000,and J. P. Woodbury, \$500,000 to \$1,000,000; many rate Mr. Stockbridge at from \$1,000,-000 to \$2,000,000; Mrs. T. Israel, Nehemiah Chase and Latham Hull. \$300,000; Mrs. G. C. Burnham, Leroy Cahill and H. M. Peck, \$250,000: Henry Allen Potter, T. P. Shel-don, Henry Brees, Alexander Buell, Bush & Paterson, O. M. Allen, Sr., W. G. Dewing & Sons, Bradley S. Williams and Frank M. Clark, from \$150,000 to \$200,000; R. S. Babcock, N. Baumann, John Bassett estate, S. M. Berry, S. A. Browne, Hon. S. S. Cobb, E. A. Carder, B. Desenberg & Co., C. H. Dickenson, L. Eglestone, S. S. Hubbard, E. O. Humphrey, Andrew Krom, R. Kellogg, C. Kellogg, W. G. Kirby, Mrs. D. May, J. B. Millard, D. B. Merrill, Jacob Mitchell, Hon. C. D. Nelson, W. G. Pattison, Hon. J. Par-sons, Hon. Peyton Ranney, J. L. Sebring, F. S. Stone, Pelick Stevens estate, J. B. Trowbridge, L. J. Talbot, Dr. E. H. Van Deusen, W. A. Wood estate and M. D. Woodford, from \$100,000 to \$150,000. Woodford, from \$100,000 to \$150,000.

Negotiations are pending and probably will be closed, whereby B. S. Tibbitt's cigar factory at Coldwater will be sold to the American Cigar Co., L. M. Wing manager.

Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee. GOING EAST. Arrives. Arrives. Leaves. 6:15 a m ...10:10 a m 10:20 a m ...3:20 p m 3:35 p m ...9:45 p m 10:45 p m ...10:00 a m +Steamboat Express... +Through Mail...... +Evening Express.... +Atlantic Express.... +Mixed, with coach...

8:00 a m 5:30 a m

Passengers taking the 6:15 a. m. Express make close connections at Owosso for Lansing and at Detroit for New York, arriving there at 10:00 a. m. the following morning. Parlor Cars on Mail Trains, both East and

Parlor Cars on Mail Trains, both East and West. Limited Express has Wagner Sleeping Car through to Suspension Bridge and the mail has a Parlor Car to Detroit. The Night Express has a through Wagner Car and local Sleeping Car Detroit to Grand Rapids. D. POTTER, City Pass. Agent. THOMAS TANDY, Gen'l Pass. Agent, Detroit.

Grand Rapids & Indiana.

GOING NORTH.

GOING NORTH. Arrives. Leaves. Cincinnati & G. Rapids Ex. 9:02 p m Cincinnati & Mackinac Ex. 9:22 a m 9:50 a m Ft. Wayne & Mackinac Ex. 9:22 a m 9:50 a m G'd Rapids & Cadillac Ac. 7:15 a m G'd Rapids & Cadillac Ac. 7:15 a m GOING SOUTH. G. Rapids & Cincinnati Ex. 6:32 a m Mackinac & Cincinnati Ex. 4:05 p m 4:32 p m Mackinac & Ft. Wayr e Ex. 10:25 a m 12:32 p m Cadillac & G'd Rapids Ac. 7:40 p m All trains daily except Sunday. SLEEPING CAR ARRANGEMENTS. North—Train leaving at 4:45 o'clock p. m. has Woodruff Sleeping Cars for Petoskey and Mackinac City. Trainleaving at 4:32 p. m. has combined Sleeping and Chair Car for Mackinac City.

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To the Distributors Of Blackwell's Durham Smoking Tobacco throughout the United States:

# DURHAM, N. C., August 20, 1883.

DRUGGISTS& GROCERS' SPECIALTIES.

GREETING:-It has been our aim for some time to supply you with an article that would not only advertise our brand of W. T. Blackwell's Genuine Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco, but also be useful to you and an ornament to your place of business; just what to select has been our difficulty. Chromos, and articles of that nature soon lose their novelty, and we regretted to expend such an enormous sum on anything that would not last and be of some value. The novel idea finally struck us of producing a bale of Blackwell's Genuine Durham Smoking Tobacco, containing "Works" instead of the original well-known article, guaranteed to furnish you with Respectfully to the Trade, Correct Time and be a pleasing reminder when your orders should be sent in for the "Bull."

# BLACKWELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO CO.

# THE WAY TO GET THEM!

You can get One of these Novel Clocks FREE by ordering from your Jobber Fifty Pounds of Blackwell's Cenuine Bull Durham smoking Tobacco. The Fifty Pounds can be made up of assorted sizes if you wish, and the goods will be charged at LOWEST PRICES.

NEW YORK, August 1, 1883.

BLACKWELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO COMPANY, DURHAM, N. C. GENTLEMEN-The Clock which we supply you contains a good lever movement, which, with the usual handling, will make a very Yours truly, ANSONIA CLOCK COMPANY. xcellent time-keeper.

The Clock you will get will be over 16 times the size of the accompanying diagram; that is, 12 inches high and 8 inches wide.

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Dry Goods.	Groceries.	SALERATUS. DeLand's pure @ 5½ (Cap Sheaf Churh's @ 5½ Dwight's Taylor's G. M. @ 5½		Drugs & Medicines	Seneka Sarsaparilla, Hondurus Sarsaparilla, Mexican Squills, white (Powd 35c) Yalerian, English (Powd 30c)	65 35 18 10 25	PROVISIONS. The Grand Rapids Packing & Provision Co. quote as follows: PORK.
Spring & Company quote as romows: WIDE BROWN COTTONS. Androscoggin, 9-423 [Pepperell, 10-425] Androscoggin, 8-421 [Pepperell, 11-427] Pepperell, 7-418	AXLE GREASE.           Modoe	TEAS. Japan ordinary23@25 Young Hyson. Japan fair		permaceti. Declined—Quinine, Acid Tartaric. Hazeltine, Perkins & Co. quote as follows for uantitics usually wanted—for larger amounts	Valerian, Vermont (Powd 28c) SEEDS.	20 13 6 5	New Heavy Mess Pork
Pepperell, 8420 Pequot, 8421 Pepperell, 9422½ Pequot, 9424 CHECKS. Caledonia, XX, oz11 Park Mills, No. 9014 Caledonia, XX, oz10 Park Mills, No. 100.15	Liquid, 4 oz	TOBACCO-FINE CUT. Wide Awake. Daisey [In half barrels, 30c] Hiawatha Globe	32 C 69 C	Acetic, No. 8	Cardamon, Aleppee	$     \begin{array}{c}       12 \\       2 20 \\       2 50 \\       20 \\       12 \\       15 \\       4     \end{array} $	S. P. Booth's Clear Pork
Economy, oz10         Prodigy, oz11           Park Mills, No. 5010         Otis Apron10½           Park Mills, No. 6011         Otis Furniture10½           Park Mills, No. 7012         York, 1 oz10           Park Mills, No. 8013         York, AA, extra oz.14	No. 1 Hurl	May Flower Rose Leaf. Silver Crown Owl Club Hero. Atlas.	66 O 38 S 30 T @45 B @35 B	Nitric 36 deg.       11 (2) 12         Stalic       14/2@ 15         Sulphuric 66 deg.       3 @ 4         'artaric powdered.       48         Benzoic, English.       20         Benzoic, German.       12 @ 15	Flax, pure grd (bbl 3%)		Extra Short Clear Backs, 300 fb cases. 1134 Long Clears, heavy, 500 fb. Cases. 934 do. Half Cases. 10 Long Clear medium, 500 fb Cases. 10 do Half Cases. 104 Long Clears light, 500 fb Cases. 10
OSNABURG, Alabama brown	The Ford and and 1 2002 20         Corn, Trophy 1 15           Apples, 3 15	Royal Game. Silver Thread. Old Dog Tray. Seal. Kentucky. Mule Ear.	@38         T           @67         60           @60         C           @60         M           @60         A	AMMONIA. Carbonate	Worm, Levant sponges. Florida sheeps' wool, carriage2 25 @ Nassau do do Velvet Extra do do	14 2 50 2 60 1 10	do. Half Cases
Louisiana plaid 8 [Utility plaid	Raspberries         140         Pumpkin         110@1         15           Cherries, red1         20         125         Succotash	Peek-a-Boo Peek-a-Boo. ½ barrels Clipper Fountain. Old Congress Good Luck	@29 @30 @74 @64 #P @52	Aqua 18 deg or 4f	Extra Yellow do do Grass do do Hard head, for slate use Yellow Reef, do MISCELLANEUS. Alcohol, grain (bbl \$2.26) @ gal	85 65 75 1 40 2 36	30 and 50 b Tubs         10¼           LARD IN TIN PAILS.         10¼           20 b Round Tins, 80 b racks         10¼           50 b Round Tius, 100 b racks         10¼           3 b Pails. 20 in a case         10¼
And roscoggin, 44. $3\frac{1}{2}$ Hill, 7-8. $7\frac{1}{4}$ Androscoggin, 54. $12\frac{1}{2}$ Hope, 44. $7\frac{1}{4}$ Ballou, 44. $7\frac{1}{2}$ Hope, 44. $7\frac{1}{4}$ Ballou, 54. $6^{1}$ $6^{1}$ $11\frac{1}{2}$ Boott, 0. 44. $8\frac{1}{2}$ Linwood, 44. $9^{1}$ Boott, 6, 64. $8\frac{1}{2}$ Lonsdale, 44. $8\frac{1}{2}$ Lonsdale cambric. $11\frac{1}{2}$ Lonsdale cambric. $11\frac{1}{2}$ Lonsdale GB 44. $9\frac{1}{2}$ Lonsdale CB 44. $9\frac{1}{2}$	Gages 1 65 Sardines, Am. 8 Pears 1 35 Sardines Inport. 13 Lusk's Apricots 2 95 Corned Beef 2 to 3 25 Tomatoes 1 05@1 20 Cond. Milk, Eagle	Good and Sweet. Blaze Away. Hair Lifter. Old Glory, light. Charm of the West, dark. Governor, in 2 oz tin foil. Ripper, in palls.	(033) (030) (060)	BARKS.           Cassia, in mats (Pow'd 20c)	Alcohol, wood, 95 per cent ex. ref. Anodyne Hoffman's Arsenic, Donovan's solution Arsenic, Fowler's solution Annatto 1 b rolls	$ \begin{array}{c} 1 50 \\ 50 \\ 27 \\ 12 \\ 30 \\ 50 \end{array} $	5 b. Pails, 12 in a case
Boott, K. 54	Green Rio13 @15 Roasted Mex.18 @20 Green Java18 @28 Ground Rio10 @18 Green Mocha.26 @28 Ground Mex. @174/ Roasted Bio 14 @18 Arbuckle's @1174/	PLUG. Sentinel 17 b and 28 b cads. Climax Honey Bee 28 b cads. Hold Fast McAlpin's Gold Shield.	@48 V @50 H @48 V	Jam, powdered, pite     10       Mild Cherry, select     12       Bayberry powdered     20       Hemlock powdered     18       Wahoo     30       Soap ground     12	Blue Soluble. Bay Rum, imported, best Bay Rum, domestic, H., P. & Co.'s. Alum	32	Extra Clear Bacon. 1052 Dried Beet 14 Extra Dried Beef 16 BEEF. Extra Mess Beef Chicago packed 39 bbl. 12 25
Cabot, 7-8	Roasted Mocha         @35	McAlpin's Gold Shield. Nickle Nuggets 6 and 12 b cads. Chocolate Cream 4 and 8 b cads. My Choice 3 oz pocket pieces. My Choice 16 oz pieces. Cock of the Walk 6s. Black Spun Roll.	@51 @50 C @34 J @33 F @37	BERRIES         @1 00           Cubeb, prime (Powd \$1 20)	Bismuth, sub nitrate Blue Pill (Powd 70c)	$\begin{array}{r} 40 \\ 2 & 25 \\ 2 & 9 & 75 \\ 2 & 20 \\ 45 \end{array}$	CANNED BEEF. Libby, McNeil & Libby, 14 b cans, ½ doz. in case
Fruit of the Loom, cambric, 4412 Gold Medal, 44	CAPS. G. D	Nimrod. Acorn Red Seal Crescent Black X	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Licorice (10 and 25 fb boxes, 25c)         27           Licorice, powdered, pure	Blue Vitriol		do. 2 b Compr'd Ham, 1 doz. in case 4 50 Prices named are lowest at time of going to press, subject always to Market changes. SAUSAGE—FRESH AND SMOKED. Pork Sausage
Armory       7½ Kearsage       8¼         Androscoggin sat.       8¼       Naumkeag satteen       8½         Canoe River       6       Pepperell bleached       8½         Clarendon       6¼       Peppergl sat       9½         Hallowell       1mp       6½       Rockport       74	New Valencias Raisins	True Grit Nobby Spun Roll	. @35 I . @50 F . @50 . @47 A . @50 A	Logwood, ass'd do	Capsicum Pods, African powdered Capsicum Pods, African pow'd Capsicum Pods, American do Carmine, No. 40 Cassia Buds Calomel, American	$     \begin{array}{r}       18 \\       20 \\       18 \\       4 00 \\       14 \\       70 \\     \end{array} $	Pork Sausage Meat, 50 tb tubs       10         Ham Sausage       12½         Tongue Sausage       11         Liver Sausage       8½         Frankfort Sausage       10         Blood Sausage       8½         Bologna, ring       8½
Ind. Orch. Imp	FISH.         4%@6           Whole Cod         5½@8%           Boneless Cod         5½@8%           Herring ½ bbls.         @3 00           Herring Scaled         226/20	Good Luck Big Chunk or J. T. Hair Lafter D. and D. black. McAlpin's Green Shield. Ace High, black.	$\begin{array}{c} @50\\ . @40\\ . @37\\ . @37\\ . @48\\ . @48\\ . @48\\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . $		Castor Oil. 1756 Chalk, prepared drop. 1756 Chalk, prepared drop. Chalk, precipitate English. Chalk, red fingers. Chalk, white lump. Chalk, white lump.	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Bologna, straight
Allen's checks	Herring Holland         (eff 10)           White Fish ½ bbls         7           do         Kits         (eff 10)           Trout half bbls         450           do         Kits         450           do         Kits         6           Mackerel half bbls No. 1         6         75           do         Kits No. 1         100	Champion A. Sailors' Solace. Red Star. Shot Gun Duck SMOKING.	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Arabic. extra select	Colocynth apples Chloral hydrate, German crusts Chloral do do cryst Chloral do Scherin's do Chloral do do crusts Chloraform	60 1 60 1 79 1 79 1 90 1 75 @1 05	In quarter barrels
Cocheco fancy5 Kichmond	MATCHES. Richardson's No. 2 square	Dime Peerless Standard	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Assafœntida, prime (Powd 35c)	Cinchonidia       70         Cloves (Powd 28c)       20         Cochineal       20         Cocoa Butter       20         Copperas (by bbl 1c)       20         Corrosive Sublimate       20         Corks, X and XX-35 off list       20	©© 30 45 60	FRESH MEATS. John Mohrhard quotes the trade as follows: Fresh Beef, sides
Garner pink	Richardson's No. 3       d0       153         Richardson's No. 5       d0       170         Richardson's No. 6       d0       270         Richardson's No. 6       d0       270         Richardson's No. 8       d0       255         Richardson's No. 9       d0       255         Richardson's No. 9       d0       255         Richardson's No. 7       d0       255         Kichardson's No. 7       d0       170         Electric Parlor No. 7½ d0       170       170         Electric Parlor No. 17       380       170	Honey Dew	25	Gamboge         1 00@1 10           Guaiac, prime (Powd 45c)         35           Kino [Powdered, 30c]         20           Mastic         1 10           Myrrh. Turkish (Powdered 47c)         40           Opium, pure (Powd \$5.50)         4 55	Cream Tartar, pure powdered 38 ( Cream Tartar, grocer's, 10 b box Creasote Cudbear, prime Cuttle Fish Bone	$\begin{array}{ccc} & 40 \\ & 15 \\ & 50 \\ & 24 \\ & 23 \\ & 12 \end{array}$	Dressed Hogs         8         9           Mutton, carcasses         9         600%           Veal         9         600%           Spring Chickens         14@15           Fowls         613           Pork Sausage         610%
Conestoga W, 44 7   Nashua E, 40-in 9 Conestoga D, 7-8 5½ Nashua E, 40-in 9 Conestoga G, 30-in. 6½ Nashua O, 7-8 7¾ Conestoga G, 30-in. 6½ Nashua O, 7-8 7¾	Grand Haven, No. 9	Camp Fire Oronoko. Nigger Head. Durham, ½ tb. do ½ tb.	22 19 26 60 57	Shellac, Campbell's	Dextrine Dover's Powders. Dragon's Blood Mass Ergot powdered. Ether Squibb's. Emery, Turkish, all No.'s.	$120 \\ 50 \\ 45 \\ 110 \\ 8 \\ 3$	Pork Sausage in bulk
Dwight X, 54	Porto Rico		. @22  ] . @16  ] . @30  ] . @26  }	Hoarhound         25           Lobelia         25           Rue         25           Rue         40           Spearmint         24           Sweet Majoram         35	Epson Salts.       2½0         Ergot, fresh.       2½0         Ether, sulphuric, U. S. P.       1         Flake white.       6         Grains Paradise.       6         Gelatine, Cooper's.       6         Gelatine, French       45	50 69 14 35 90 (4 70	STICK. Straight, 25 b boxes
Indian Orchard, 14 7½ DOMESTIC GINGHAMS. Amoskeag	Sweet, 2 oz. square.         75           Sweet, 2 oz. round.         1 00           Castor, 2 oz. square.         75           Castor, 2 oz. round.         1 00           OATMEAL.         1 00	Love's Dream. Conqueror Fox's Grayling Seal Skin. Dime Durham	· 028 023 022 032 032 030 025	Tanzy       25         Thyme       30         Wornwood       25         Citrate and Quinine       6 40         Solution mur., for tinctures       20	Glassware, flint, 60 off, by box 50 off         Glassware, green, 60 and 10 dis         Glue, cabinet.       12         Glue, white.       17         Glycerine, pure.       23         Hops ½s and ½s:       25	$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 17 \\ 0 & 28 \\ 0 & 26 \\ \end{pmatrix}$	Royal, 25 tb pails.         101/2@11           Royal, 200 tb bbls.         10           Extra, 25 tb pails.         12           Extra, 200 tb bbls.         11/2           French Cream, 25 tb pails.         15
styles	do 5 th cases, 60 fbs \$ case	Rob Roy Uncle Sam Lumberman Railroad Boy Mountain Rose Good Enough	· @26 · @28 · @26 · @37 · @20 · @23	Sulphate, pure crystal	Iodoform ⅌ oz	$\begin{pmatrix} 35\\ @1 & 00\\ @ & 34\\ 2 & 30\\ 1 & 50\\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$	Cut loaf, 25 b cases         15           Broken, 25 b pails         11½           Broken, 200 b bbls         11           FANCY—IN 5 b BOXES.         11           Lemon Drops         14
Gloucester, new White Man'g Co, standard	Dingee's ½ do 400 Dingee's ½ do 500 Dingee's ½ do 500 Dingee's 240 Dingee's 240 Saur Kraut, 79 bbl. 1056 SUGARS.	Home Comfort, ¼s and ½s Old Rip, long cut. Durham, long cut. Two Nickle, ¾5 Two Nickle, ¾5 Two Nickle, ¾s Star Durham Golden Flake Cabinet	. @60 . @60 . @25 . @26 . @25	Senna, Alex, natural	Lead, acetate. Lime, chloride, (½s 2s 10c & ½s 11c) Lupuline Lycopodium Mace Madder, best Dutch 12½	$ \begin{array}{r}15\\9\\1\ 00\\35\\60\\13\\1\ 25\end{array} $	Sour Drops         15           Peppermint Drops         16           Chocolate Drops         17           H M Chocolate Drops         20           Gum Drops         12           Licorice Drops         20           A B Licorice Drops         14
WIDE BLEACHED COTTONS.           Androscoggin, 7-421         Pepperell. 10-427½           Androscoggin, 8-423         Pepperell. 11-421           Pepperell, 7-421         Pequot, 7-421           Pepperell, 8-422½         Pequot, 8-421           Pepperell, 9-425         Pequot, 9-421	Granulated         8½@8½           Cut Loaf         8%           Cubes         6           Powdered         8%           Conf. A         67	Seal of North Carolina, 2 oz Seal of North Carolina, 4 oz Seal of North Carolina, 8 oz Seal of North Carolina, 16 oz boxes	. @52 . @50 . @48 . @50	Foxglove	Manna, S. F. Mercury. Morphia, sulph., P. & W P oz Musk, Canton, H., P. & Co.'s Moss, Iceland. Moss, Irish. Mustord English	$     \begin{array}{r}       1 & 25 \\       48 \\       3 & 50 \\       40 \\       10 \\       12 \\       30     \end{array} $	A D Incorport         16           Lozenges, plain         16           Lozenges, printed         17           Imperials         16           Mottoes         16           Cream Bar         15           Molasses Bar         14
HEAVY BROWN COTTONS. Atlantic A, 44 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> Lawrence XX, 44 8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> Atlantic H, 44 7 Lawrence Y, 30 7 Atlantic D, 44 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> Lawrence LL 44 6	Extra C	Hiawatha Old Congress V1NEGAR.	. 23	Druggists' Favorite Rye       175       62       00         Whisky, other brands       1       10       61       50         Gin, Old Tom       135       61       75       66       50         Brandy       1       75       66       50       50         Catawba Wines       1       25       62       00         Port Wines       1       35       61       55	Mustard, English. Mustard, groeer's, 10 b cans Nutgalls. Nutmegs, No. 1 Nux Vomica. Ointment, Mercurial, ¾d Pepper, Black Berry.	18     20     75     10     40     18	Carannels.       20         Hand Made Creams.       23         Plain Creams.       20         Decorated Creams.       23         String Rock.       16         Burnt Almonds.       24
Atlantie P, 44	do. India 61/4 do. Savon 6	Pure Cider White Wine YEAST. Seneca Falls "Rising Sun" Twin Bros 1 75 [Wilsons	1 75 1 75	MAGNESIA.         23           Carbonate, Pattison's, 2 oz	Pepsin Pitch, True Burgundy. Quassia 6 Quinia, Sulph, P. & W b oz Seidlitz Mixture. Strychnia, cryst.	$3 \begin{array}{c} 3 \begin{array}{c} 00 \\ 7 \\ 0 \\ 7 \\ 1 \begin{array}{c} 45 \\ 28 \\ 1 \begin{array}{c} 50 \end{array}$	Wintergreen Berries
Indian Head 44". 7% Wachusett, 447% Indiana Head 45-in.12% Wachusett, 30-in6% TTCKINGS. Amoskeag, ACA15 Falls, XXXX18% Amoskeag * 44.19 Falls, XXX15%	Goodrich's English Family 53, do. Princess 44, Proctor & Gamble's Ivory 675 do. Japan Olive 55	Gillett's 1 75 National MISCELLANEOUS. Blacking	40, 50@60 . 1 50 . 50	OILS.           Almond, sweet	Silver Nitrate, cryst	@ 82 30 40 @ 2 10 9	Lozengres, printed in bbls.       14         Chocolate Drops, in pails.       15         Gum Drops, in pails.       9         Gum Drops, in bbls.       7½         Moss Drops, in pails.       11½         Moss Drops, in bbls.       10½
Amoskeag, A 14 Falls, BB 11 Amoskeag, B 13 Falls, BBC, 36	do.         Golden Bar	do American Barley. Burners, No. 1 do No. 2 Bage, American A. Baking Powder bulk	$\begin{array}{c} & 65 \\ & 2\frac{3}{4} @ 3 \\ & 1 & 10 \\ & 1 & 50 \\ & 20 & 00 \end{array}$	Croton         2 00           Cajeput         75           Cassia         1 35           Cedar, commercial (Pure 75c)         40           Citronella         85	Sal Rochelle       2         Sal Soda       2         Salicin       2         Santonin       3         Snuffs, Maccoboy or Scotch       5         Soda Ash [by keg 3c]       2	$\begin{smallmatrix}&&33\\&&2\\&2&50\\&6&75\\&&38\\&&4\\&&4\\&&&2\\&&&&2\\&&&&&\\&&&&&\\&&&&&&\\&&&&&&\\&&&&&&$	Sour Drops, in pails
Amoskeag, F10         Hamilton, H10           Premium A, 4417         Hamilton fancy10           Premium B6         Methuen AA14½           Extra 4416         Methuen ASA14½           Extra 7-814½         Omega A, 7-811           Gold Medal 4-415         Omega A, 4.413           CCA 7-812½         Omega ACA, 7-814	Babbitt's         5 50           Dish Rag         4 25           Bluing         5 00           Magnetic         4 20           New French Process         4 50           Spoon         5 00           Anti-Washboard         5 00	Beans, medium Beans, hand picked. Butter Butterine Cream Tartar 5 and 10 b cans. Candles, Star. Candles, Star.	$\begin{array}{c} 2 & 30 \\ 18@20 \\ 18@21 \\ 25 \\ 0.15^{1}4 \end{array}$	Cloves         1 25           Cubebs, P. & W.         8 00           Erigeron         1 60           Fireweed.         2 00           Geranium P 02.         75           Hemlock, commercial (Pure 75c).         40           Juniper wood.         50	Spermaceti	14 17 9 11	Oranges % box.         3         @3         25           Oranges OO % box.         3         @3         25           Oranges, Florida % box.         5         06         00           Oranges, Florida % case.         5         56@6         00           Lemons, choice.         3         00@3         50           Lemons, fancy.         3         50@6         00
CT 44.         .14         Omega ACA, 44.         .16           RC 7-8.         .14         Omega SE, 7-8.         .24           BF 7-8.         .16         Omega SE, 4-4.         .27           AF 4-4.         .19         Omega M, 7-8.         .22           Cordis AAA, 32.         .14         Omega M, 4-4.         .25           Cordis ACA, 22         15         Shetuckt SS&SSW 111	Vaterland     3 25       Magic     4 20       Pittsburgh     4 00       Bogue's     6 75       White castile bars     13       Mottled castile     12	Candles, Hotel Chocolate, Baker's do German sweet Cheese full cream choice Catsup quarts 2 dozen. Cocoanut, Schepps'1 1 packages. Cocoanut, Schepps'1 4 ½ 1b do .		Juniper berries.       2 25         Lavender flowers- French.       2 40         Lavender garden do       1 00         Lavender spike do       90         Lemon, new crop.       1 85         Lemon, Sanderson's.       2 00	Soap, Mazzini	@ 28 @ 32 @ 30 @ 4 85	Bananas & bunch
Cordis No. 1, 3215 Cordis No. 214 Cordis No. 313 Cordis No. 313 Stockbridge A7 Cordis No. 411½ Stockbridge frncy. 8 GLAZED CAMBRICS.	Old Style	<ul> <li>Extract Coffee, v. c</li></ul>		Lemongrass.80Origanum, red flowers, French1 25Origanum, No. 1.50Pennyroyal2 00Peppermint, white2 85Rose # 02.9 75Rosemary, French (Flowers \$5)65	Tar, N. C. Pine, ½ gal. cans 發 doz Tar, do quarts in tin Tar, do pints in tin Turpentine, Venice	$270 \\ 140 \\ 85 \\ 25 \\ 60 \\ @ 8$	Dates, frails         do         Ø 6           Dates, ¼ do         @ 7         @ 6           Dates, ¼ skin         @ 6         @ 7           Dates, ½ skin         @ 6         @ 12½           Dates, ½ skin         @ 12½         @ 12½           Dates, Fard 50 b box ¥ b         @ 10
Garner 5 Empire 44 Hookset 5 Washington 44 Red Cross 5 Edwards 5 Forest Grove 8. S. & Sons 5 GRAIN BAGS.	Činnamon         .         16@30           4         Cloves         .         20@25           Ginger         .         17@20           Mustard         .         .         .           Austard         .         .         .           Pepper ¼ b # dozen         .         .         .           Allspice ¼ b         .         .         .         .	Gum, Spruce. Chimneys No. 1. do No. 2. Indigo. Ink ¥ 3 dozen box. Jelly in Pails.	035 045 1 000 1 000	Sandal Wood, German	OILS. Capitol Cylinder. Model Cylinder. Shields Cylinder.		Choice do do
American A 19 Stark A	2         Cinnamon ½ ID         63           2         Cloves ½ ID         75           Pepper, whole         618           Allspice         106012           2         Cassia         912	do Glass Tumblers 筆 doz Licorice . Licorice Root Lye 爭 2 doz. cases Macaroni, Imported Domestic	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Wintergreen       225         Wormwood, No. 1 (Pure \$6.50)       450         Savin       100         Wormseed       250         Cod Liver, filtered       9 gal         Cod Liver, best       400         Cod Liver, H., P. & Co. \$, 16       600	Challenge Machinery Backus Fine Engine. Black Diamond Machinery. Castorine. Paradine. 25 deg		25         Fancy H P., Va         do         10½@11           30         NUTS.         0           30         Without change.         0           30         Aimonds, Terragona, P D         0
Everett blue	4         Nutmegs, No. 1	Mince Pies, 1 gross cases, & case French Mustard, 8 oz & dozen do Large Gothic Oil Tanks, Star 60 gallons 2 Oil Tanks, Patent 60 gallons 4 Pines, Imported Clay 3 gross	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Olive, Malaga	Paramile, 36 deg.       Sperm, winter bleached.       Bb       Whale, winter.     60       Lard, extra.     70       Lard, No. 1.     60	1 4	and         Brazils,         do
Manville         6         S. & Sons         6           Masgnville         6         Garner         6           WIGANS.         8         Berlin         7           Berlin         7         Thistle Mills         8	Muzzy Gloss bulk.       @6         Muzzy Corn 1 b.       7       @7         Special prices on 1,000 b orders.       Kingsford Silver Gloss.       @8         Kingsford Silver Gloss 6 b box.       @9       %9         Kingsford Corn.       8¾@9	do American T. D. 4 Pepper Sauce. Peas, Green Bush. 4 do Split prepared. 4 Powder, Keg. do ½ Keg.	90@1 00 90@1 00 1 40@ @ 3½ 5 50@ 3 00@	Bromide, cryst. and gran. bulk 31 Chlorate, cryst (Powd 23c) 20	Linseed, pure raw	10@1	65     Walnuts, California     do     @12 ½       95     Cocoa Nuts, ¥ 100     500@       50     Hickory Nuts, large ¥ bu       Hickory Nuts, small do        20     COAL AND BUILLDING MATERIALS.
Garner	Oswego Gloss	%       Rice.         Sago       Sago.         %       Shot, drop.         do       buck.         Sage.       Curry Combs # doz.		Althea, cut	Extra Turp	$\begin{array}{c} 60@1\\ 75@3\\ 00@1\\ 55@1\end{array}$	70       A. B. Knowlson quotes as follows:         10       Ohio White Lime, per bbl
W infimantic 6 cord. 55 Metricks	25 POCKEL.       2 49         Saginaw Fine       1 10         Diamond C.       1 75         Standard Coarse.       1 55         Hemp       5         Comm       5	Tobacco Cutters each	2 75@ 1 25@ 18@20 @50 3 00@	Elecampane, powdered       23         Gentian (Powd 17c(	Bbl Red Venetian	I 2@ 2@ 2% 2%	Lb         Buffalo Cement, per bbl
No.         10         12½         Masonville         1.0           Coin	<sup>4</sup> Rape       7 <sup>4</sup> Mixed Bird       5½@6         Jugs P gallon       6         Crocks       6         Milk Canceles       7	Tapioca Washing Crystal, Gillett's box Wicking No. 1 % gross do No. 2 do Argand Washing Powder, 1776 % b	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Ipecac, Río, powděred	Putty, strictly pure	234 @ 15@ 55@ 16@ 234@ 0	3       Land plaster, car lots.       175         916       Fire brick, per M.       \$27 @ \$35         57       Fire clay, per bbl.       3 00         917       COAL.       \$00         9 3       Anthracite, egg and grate.       \$6 50@6 75         70       Anthracite, stove and nut.       6 75@7 00
Tandan 101/ Victory V 10	Milk Crocks		Q #1/	Rhei, powdered E. I.       1 10 @1 20         Rhei, choice cut cubes.       2 00         Rhei, choice cut fingers.       2 25         Serpentaria.       60	Whiting, white Spanish Whiting, Gilders' White, Paris American Whiting, Paris English cliff	@ 1 1	7.0         Anthracite, stove and hut

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REVIEW OF THE MARKETS, The Dry Goods Market. There was considerable activity in Eastern dry goods markets last week, princi-pally in plain and colored cottons. The Eastern mills have materially reduced pro-

duction, goods are lower now than they have been for many years and stocks are well eleaned up—such are the facts to which the improvement is due. From all over the State comes the assuring intelligence that the bottom has been touched, and that the spring trade gives promise of a profitable business.

### The Provision Market.

Pork took a big upward jump again Monday, and experienced buyers declare that the end is not yet. Beef is also on the ascending scale, with every indication of its reaching an unusual elevation.

### The Drug Market.

The drug business continues fair to good,

Collections are gradually improving—indeed there has been very little cause for com-plaint in this respect. The market changes are few and unimportant. Quotations of paints, oils, and painters' supplies are added to the regular drug price current with this issue, and will be a regular feature of the paper hereafter.

### The Grocery Market.

Several houses have experienced the oldtime activity during the past week, and the others report a fair business, with indica-tions of still further improvement. Collections have been better so far this month than ALABASTINE! last. Sugars are about a sixpence easier, but as the decline is evidently only tempor-ary, the quotations are left the same as last week. Teas have advanced from 2 to 5c at the Eastern markets, but local jobbers have large stocks on hand and will not advance prices until compelled to do so. White fish are very scarce and firmer, and London layers and Loose Muscatel raisins have declined a trifle.

### **Country Produce.**

Apples—In fair demand at \$3.25@\$3.75 for Russets and Baldwins. Extra fancy, \$4.

cheapness of genuine butter. Prices range from 18@21c.

Buckwheat-New York patent, \$3.75 per

100 fbs, and \$7 \$ bbl. Beans—Prices are looking up, the Eastern market having advanced very materially. Handpicked are firm at \$2.25@\$2.50 and unpicked are in moderate demand at \$1.75@

Barley—Choice \$1.30 \$ 100 lbs. Cheese—Full cream is firmer, selling for 14@14½c; skim is active at 9@11c. Celery-Winter stock is scarce and has ad-

vanced to 45c P doz. Cabbage—Small quantity fair stock at \$12

(@\$15 \$\P\$ 100 heads. Cider—20c \$\P\$ gal. for ordinary. Clover Seed—Choice medium firm at \$6.50 (@\$7 \$\P\$ bu, and mammoth in fair demand at

\$7@\$7.25 ¥ bu.

57(2)57.25 # bu. Cranberries—Choice cultivated Wisconsin are firm at \$13 # bbl. Corn—Local dealers stand in readiness to supply carload lots of Kansas corn at from 45(2)600 # bu. It is all of the same quality, but the former price is for damp, and the but the former price is for damp, and the

latter for dry, stock. Dried Apples—Quarters active at 7@7½c P b. Sliced quarters, 8@8½c. Evaporated, 14@15c.

14@15c. Eggs—Still very scarce, fresh selling for 35@38, and pickled at 35c. Honey—In comb, 16@18c 爭 lb. Hops—Choice New York 25@28c 爭 b; low and medium grades 18@24c; Pacific coast 24@27c; Wisconsin 12@20c; Michigan 20@22c

20@22c. 20@22c. Onions—Choice yellow 75c P bu. in sacks and \$2@\$2.25 P 3 bu. bbl. Peas—Holland \$4.25 P bu.

Potatoes-Slow sale at 50c for choice Bur-

banks and 45c for Rose. Carload lots can be had for 5@10c less.

Poultry—Spring chickens and fowls are scarce at 14@15c and 13c, respectively. Turkeys are to be had in limited quantities,

# DECLARED UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

The Supreme Court Annuls the Now Assignment Law.

The announcement, Saturday morning, that the Supreme Court had declared the assignment law of 1883 to be unconstitution- A. al created something of a sensation in commercial circles, as the recent decisions by Judge Mills, of the Kalamazoo Circuit, and Judge Mills, of the Kalamazoo Cheth, and Judge Withey, of the United States Court, sustaining the validity of the enactment, had caused business men generally to accept the law as a fixed fact. Although there is still considerable speculation as to what effect the decision will have on insolvency cases now in process of settlement, it is thought that a way can be devised to avoid

Justice Champlin of the Supreme Court was seen regarding the decision declaring the assignment law of 1883 unconstitutional, and asked regarding the history of the case He said that it grew out of the failure of L. F. Mumford, doing business at Kalamazoo The drug business continues and the business. with promise of an active spring business. Collections are gradually improving—indeed there has been very little cause for com-there has been very litt chattel mortgage to secure a debt, but that it was not filed for over a year. Then it it was not filed for over a year. Then it was placed on file and a new one also given. Mumford also conveyed his property at Battle Creek to his wife, claiming that he was in debt to her, and there were other preferences. He made an assignment sub-ject to the two mortgages, but without other preferences. The unsetured architers of ject to the two mortgages, but without other preferences. The unsecured ereditors ob-jected to this mode of procedure and filed a petition before Judge Mills, of the Kalama-zoo Circuit, asking that a receiver be ap-pointed. Judge Mills appointed a receiver and issued an order to prevent the disposi-tion of the prevent and at the heaving held tion of the property, and at the hearing held that the assignment was void and also the mortgages. Then the parties interested in mortgages. Then the parties interested in the mortgages took out a writ of certiorari and took the case to the Supreme Court. The secured parties argued that the law was unconstitutional, and, that if it was not the court below had no right to appoint a receiver, an assignment having been made. In deciding the case Justice Cooley said that there might be some provisions of the law which would be held good, but he saw grave difficulties in the way of its being enforced. Justice Campbell thought the whole law unfor Russets and Baldwins. Extra raney, 44. Butter—Firmer, with slight upper ten-dency. Dairy rolls are moving actively at 20@22c, and packed at 16@20c. Western creamery 27@28c. Duttering—Slow sale on account of the Duttering—Slow sale on account of the of course, not be known until the written opinion is handed down in April.

### Kendall's Figures.

H. P. Baker, assignee for John C. Kendall, has filed his report with the County Clerk, showing the assets to be as follows, the first figures being the cost value and the second the assessed value: stock in old store, \$14,588.11, \$7,881.87; stock in new store, \$14,588.11, \$7,881.87; stock in new store, \$1,861.91, \$953.88; furniture and fix-tures in old store, \$1,172.48, \$454.43; same in new store, \$288.25, \$142.45. The book accounts amount to \$6,908.44, and are val-ued at \$2,318.47. There was \$2.37 cash on hand. This showing makes the gross assets \$24,819.19 and the net assets \$11,751.10. The liabilities are \$17,366.47, distributed among numerous creditors in the following amounts:

amounts:			
Old National Bank, Grand	1 Rapids	\$\$	2,000 00
J. Kendall			649 02
J. Kendall, agent			492 25
Blair, Kingsley & Kleinha	ans.		200 00
J. Boyd Pantlind			25 00
S. Hyatt	**		35 70
H. H. Colestock	**		22 42
A. F. Burch	**		27 35
B. Morrison	**		22 70
Shriver, Weatherly & Co	**		8 61
Julia Reghil	**		18 00
Annie Minton	**		21 17
W. S. Gunn & Sons	**		4 61
W. S. GUMI & Sons	Co		8 86
Voigt, Herpolsheimer &			8 53
E. S. Holmes	-		1,350 00
F. H. Kendall, Beloit, Wi	S		286 50
Bosworth & Marshall, Ne	W TOPR		1,720 95
J. Swan			1,120 95
L. Erstein & Bro.			800 00
A. Wimpfheimer & Bro.			669 45
Carroll & Co.			204 00
Ball & Roy	**		773 65
F. Funar	**		517 50
J. Thompson			396 09
Gorldt & Lindheim	**		769 32
Heimarn & Wall	**		725 25
Sullivan, Drew & Co.	**		500 94
J. G. Johnson & Co.	**		289 08
Bisset, Snow & Co.	**		176 25
F. Bianchi & Co.	**		778 13
Adelson Bros.	**	•	225 50

Visiting Buyers. The following retail dealers have visited the market during the past week and placed orders with the various houses: J. Walbrink, of I. J. Quick & Co., Allen-A. L. & E. W. Kitchen, Edmore.
J. D. F. Pierson, Pierson.
T. W. Provin, Cedar Springs.
J. R. Seafuse, Lake City.
A. Giddings, Sand Lake. Wm. Parks, Alpine. Geo. P. Stark, Cascade. R. B. McCullock, Berlin. A. B. Foot, Hilliards.
L. D. Townsend, Howard City. T. S. Riley, Mendon. E. Medes, Coral. F. E. Davis, Berlin. J. H. Toren, Jennisonville. H. B. Irish, Grand Haven. J. O. Sabin, Luther. A. & L. M. Wolf, Hudsonville. J. R. Harrison, Sparta. G. H. Walbrink, Allendale. C. E. & S. J. Koon, Lisbon. M. J. Howard, Englishville. C. O. Bostwick & Son, Cannonsburg. T. J. Sheridan & Co., Lockwood. J. Omler, Wright. Byron McNeal, Byron Center. Barker & Lehnen, Pierson. G. Bron & Ten Hoor, Forest Grove. J. C. Benbow, Cannonsburg. Smeadley Bros., Bauer. Paine & Field, Englishville. W. S. Root, Talmage. U. S. Monroe, Berlin. W. Schoemaker, Cannonsburg. B. M. Denison, East Paris. F. G. Thurston, Lisbon. Conklin Bros., Ravenna. Parkhurst Bros., Nunica. Corneil & Griswold, Griswold. C. E. Kellogg, Grandville. L. P. Swift, Crapo. T. N. Preston, Crystall. C. B. Moon, Cedar Springs. W. W. Pierce, Moline. Mr. Dildine, of Dildine & Post, Edgtrton. Geo. A. Sage, Rockford. A. B. Jonnson, Lowell. Mr. De Groat, of DeGroat & Swain, Hungerford. Geo. J. Shackelton, Lisbon. E. E. Allen, Tustin. Hill & Sharer, Cedar Springs. Frank Narregang, Byron Center. Henro DeKline, Jamestown. S. C. Fell, Howard Clty. L. W. Stiles, Cedar Springs, F. F. Taylor, Pierson. G. Grutter, Grandville. Jay Marlatt, Berlin. J. J. Wiseman, Nunica. G. C. Baker, Le Barge.

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Frank Chickering and Chickering & Kysor. No. 0 Sur No. 1 Mr. J. D. Robinson, assignee for Frank Chickering and Chickering & Kysor, was seen yesterday by a reporter for THE TRADESMAN and questioned relative to the No. 1 No. 0 Sur No. 1 No. 2 approved paper are both being considered by a committee of the creditors, and that there is approved the creditors, and that there is committee of the creditors, and that there is committee of the creditors, and that there is committee of the creditors. is every probability that both offers will be accepted. Mr. Robinson is emphatic in declaring that the lumber alleged to belong to Furman shall not be included in the assets of the latter, as a thorough investigation of the matter has convinced him that the contract existing between the two men is too indefinite to give Furman any claim to the lumber. As he understands it, the lumber was lumber. As he understands it, the full betwas to remain in Chickering's posession, and be disposed of by him to the best advantage, Furman to receive the proceeds. The title to the lumber never passed from Chickering. Chickering & Kysor's assets consist mainly of a pine land contract, the firm to pay the

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### AMONG THE TRADE.

IN THE CITY.

M. B. Church is home again from Mobile. Wm. G. Herpolsheimer is spending a fort-night duck hunting on the Kankakee marshes.

Apker & Brittain, dealer in agricultural implements, have dissolved, John B. Brittain continuing.

A grocery jobbing house received an order yesterday from a Northern customer for 100 pounds of "scorched" coffee.

Geo. J. Shackelton, of this city, has en-gaged in the grocery business at Lisbon, purchasing his stock of Hawkins & Perry.

John J. Ely has resumed business at Rockford in a barn improvised for use as a store. He purchased his dry goods stock of Spring & Co.

Jas. Fox, of Fox, Musselman & Loveridge, is spending the week among the Northern trade, renewing old acquaintances and making new ones.

Luther Lance: We understand that the Eagle Clothing house of Grand Rapids has rented a room in this village, and will put in a large stock of clothing soon.

C. S. Robinson and C. L. Bradford recent-ly participated in a mask ball of Newaygo. Robinson masqueraded as Ack, the eunuck, and Bradford personated an equally noted Turkish character.

The accounts and notes of Jas. E. Furman were sold Saturday by Assignee Fletcher to Frank Furman for \$236. E. E. Winsor bi \$200, and Wm. Thonfas \$230, but both refused to go higher.

C. E. Coloney, with T. J. Keveney & Co., carpets, New York, and W. E. Lapsley, manager of the Chicago branch of D. Powers & Sons, oil cloths, New York., were in town last week interviewing the carpet trade.

In New York City, 100 boxes of lemons are considered a large truck load, but one of Putman & Brook's teamsters recently trucked an even 150 boxes, the gross weight of which was 14,250 pounds. This is the largest load of fruit ever trucked in this city.

Winegar & Peck, the Alba dealers, have not yet made any advances to their Grand Rapids creditors, indicating what they pro-pose to do toward liquidating their debts. Mr. Wm. Winegar, father of Will, states that every cent of indebtedness will be paid in full as soon as he can get his affairs in shape. It is stated that the firm owes about \$7,000.

When THE TRADESMAN interviewed a score or more of business men on the new assignment law last October, L. J. Rindge was the only one who ventured the opinion that the measure was unconstitutional. The late action of the Supreme Court confirms his opinion, and it is now in order for Mr. Rindge to establish his reputation as a weather propnosticator.

Secretary Jesson, of Muskegon, sends THE TRADESMAN a neatly printed pamphlet of 67 pages, exclusive of advertisements and cover, containing the proceedings of the first annual meeting of the Michigan State Pharmaceutical Association, which was held at Lansing last Nevember. The volume also contains the constitution and by-laws, list of members, etc. Mr. Jesson is mailing a copy to each member of the Association.

A certain jobbing house in this city was recently asked by a northern customer to quote lowest prices on an order for patent medicines aggregating about \$300, and put the estimate down to hard pan. Before placing the order, however, a drummer for a Chicago house happened along and offered \$7 cash for the order, which was accepted. The result will be that the Chicago house will pay an expense account which includes an item for \$7 for livery hire or some other

STRAY FACTS. ' The Saranac Local clamors for a wagon factory. Capitalists are prospecting for salt near

Moorestown. A. J. Phelps, of Trenton, has made 25,000 snow shovels this year.

Morley, Mecosta county, will ship 15,000 cords of hardwood this season.

Hartel Bros. contemplate erecting a roller grist mill at Wayland the coming season. The St. Paul Knitting Works has been or-ganized at Detroit with capital stock of \$15,-

Some fine cherry logs were got into Bean lake, Benzie county, that measured 32 inches at the small end.

Canfield & Wheeler, of Manistee, are for-tunately situated for salt making, and their net profit is 50 cents per barrel. The daily output is 250 barrels.

The banking business of Fairman & New ton, at Big Rapids, is being wound up as fast as possible, the firm having determined to cease banking operation.

The prisoners in the Ionia prison have cut this season 300,000 feet of logs for Vosper Brothers, at 75 cents per thousand. They have also cut 2,800 cords of wood, 285 men and 12 teams having been employed.

The Dailey Preserving Co., at Detroit, re-port a capital stock of \$25,000, all paid in, and have debts amounting to \$5,379.30. The Mackinaw Canning Co.'s stock is \$11,000, of which \$5,500 is paid in, and debts \$1,222.

At a recent meeting of the Newaygo Brick Co., S. K. Riblet was re-elected president for another year, and he and D. P. Clay were authorized to secure the services of a com-petent superintendent. It was resolved to manufacture 5,000,000 brick during 1884, and begin active operations as soon as spring opens.

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES. Lee & Son, grocers, Allegan, liabilities \$2,414.95, assets \$2,235.72.

### Late Furniture Gossip.

The bedstead factory at Potterville has shut down for a short time. Ferry & Butts, East Saginaw undertakers,

are about to locate in Lansing. Chesire & Hartman, retail furniture dealers at Stanton, are succeeded by John J.

Hartman. . A patent iron coffin dealer advertises that

any one who uses his invention once will never use any other.

A. L. Ruffe, of the M. B. Church Bedette Co., is off on a fortnight's tour of the trade in Michigan, Ohio and Indiana. Max. N. Møyer, of the Berkey & Gay Fur-

niture Co., is on the Pacific Coast, R. W. Corson is in the East, and Mr. Ayers is in the South.

A. H. Fowle is furnishing complete the interior decoration, carpets, furniture, etc., for two fine residences at Walla Walla, Washington Ter.

Spencer & Barnes, furniture manufacturers at Buchanan, will erect a three-story brick building for their finishing department the coming season.

Knapp & Stoddard, the Chicago representatives for Nelson, Matter & Co., have ar-ranged to handle the goods of the Widdi-comb Furniture Co.

Ruggles & Weston, the retail furniture dealers at Charlotte, who recently made an assignment, claim that their assets are more than sufficient to meet all liabilities.

Mr. Elder, of King & Elder, Indianapolis, and Mr. Robert Keith, of the Robert Keith Furniture Co., Kansas City, were the only large buyers at this market last week.

Stow & Haight have lately gotten out two new extension tables, which will be designa-ted as Nos. 27 and 29. The firm has lately received an enormous order from Fort Scott. Kansas.

Mr. Chas. W. Jones, of the Widdicomb Furniture Co., leaves for an extended Eastern tour shortly. Mr. Jas. Robinson, of the Phœnix Furniture Co., is doing the New Orleans trade.

The Casket, which is published in the interest of undertakers, complains of depres

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AROUND THE STATE.

Dr. W. Davis has opened a general store in Mattanan.

The Michigan Overall Co., at Ionia, is mak ing 100 dozen of overalls per week.

Cook & West, dealers in groceries and produce at Howell, have dissolved, Cook continuing.

L. W. Herrick, an Edmore jeweler, has made an assignment to Henry Blair, of that place.

J. W. French, meat dealer at Ovid, has admitted a partner, and the firm mame will be French & Wort.

F. N. Latimer has started a branch drug at Ludington under the fire name of E. V. Roussin & Co.

L. M. Jennings' grocery store at Edmore, was burned on the 7th, involving a loss of \$3,500. Insurance \$2,000.

D. P. Ashland, formerly proprietor of the Novelty Chair Works, at Lansing, has bought out the variety store of W. H. Marple, at Portland.

M. Freehling has purchased the Oppen-heim stock at Whitehall, and will carry on both stores, adding a line of clothing to the Oppenheim stock.

Levi Redden, one of the grocery firm of Treat & Redddn, at Buchanan, will erect a hotel building, with two stores on the first floor, in the spring.

The drug firm of Hathaway & Bullock, at Howard.City, was dissolved on the 5th, Sid V. Bullock retiring. Dr. J. R. Hathaway will continue the business.

Vanderhoof & Palmer, boot and shoe dealers at Coldwater, have sold out to A. Vanderhoof, who also runs a grooery and is controlling partner in an agricultural ware-house. Consideration, \$6,000.

L. F. Mumford, of Kalamazoo, whose insolvency case recently attracted attention Court on a charge of embezzlement preferred ness. by Osborne & Co., the Auburn harvesting nachine firm.

Wagner Bros., dry goods and clothing dealers at Plainwell, have bought the dry Wagner Bros., dry goods and clothing dealers at Plainwell, have bought the dry goods stock of the late E. Sherman, thus se-curing one of the best locations in the place. The dry goods stocks have been consolidated in the Sherman block, and the clothing busi-tin the the place is a start of the place. ness will be carried on at the old location.

sion in the coffin industry. Overproduction is not the trouble in this case. What is needed is more consumption.

The Berkey & Gay Furniture Co. has late ly made to order, and will perhaps keep in stock, a suit consisting of six pieces, bed, dresser, wash stand, chiffonier, shaving stand and pier glass. It is in imitation mahogany, very dark, and half antique in style.

Business has been ordinarily brisk during the past two weeks, and there is every reason to think that it will continue so for some time to come. Indeed, it is not unreasonable to expect that the year as a whole will be a fairly prosperous one, and in the event of good crops the latter part of the season may be marked by a rush such as characterized the entire year of 1882.

The Oriel Cabinet Co., which is about the poorest furniture property in the city, so far as dividends are concerned, has been re-organ-ized, Mr. Geo. G. Clay retiring from the posi-

tion of manager, to be succeeded by Mr. Chas. Black, late of Cincinnati. The old stock is being closed out as rapidly as possible, one order for \$6,000 worth of goods having lately been received from an Eastern house. The factory was started up on the 11th, after having been idle for several months, and a complete new line of fancy goods is to be gotten out in time for the early fall trade. It is hoped that under the new management the company can be put in a prosperous conthe company can be put in a prosperous con-dition, and the stock made to pay a dividend —something it has never done since the in-

auguration of the establishment three years

### Rare Opportunity.

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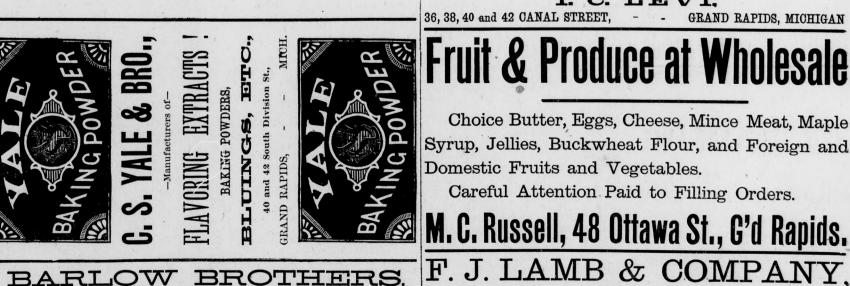
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