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Their Origin in London and Adoption by the United States.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean. From \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000 change hands within five minutes every business day in an upstairs room on La Salle street. It is not a bank nor a resort of "high rollers." Plain letters on the dusty glass door say, "Clearing House." The room is plain, without the appearance of a business place, but rather looks usually as if the tenants were in the act of moving out, and had most of the furniture already away. A wire surrounded compartment in one corner contains an old flat-top desk, where the manager sits during the few hours the room is open, most of the time having no associate but the janitor. The greater part of the floor is taken up with a massive desk in the form of an oval. Inside it is about 8 feet across. and from end to end about 36 feet. A shelf for writing runs all around, and a few pigeon-holes hold the accumulated dust of months, for they are hardly ever used. Above the top of the desk, all around the oval, a walnut frame extends, the supporting posts dividing the desks into thirty-six spaces, numbered on plates to correspond. "What is the clearing-house, anyhow?"

do you say. Few persons who are fortunate enough to have a bank account to draw on ever concern themselves how the cash is obtained on their drafts, unless they are to be presented in person. Obviously they have to be cashed somehow, and finally by the bank whose style they bear. Suppose the check

is deposited in another bank, how is it

cashed then? That is to be explained here. All bankers nowadays are in daily receipt from their customers of numerous checks and drafts on other bankers. These papers are usually credited at once to the depositor, so that he may make his own checks against their sum, but nevertheless they are not cash. In places where there are only a few banks, the checks each has on the other are sorted and presented for cashing by a clerk at each of the other banks in turn. While the sum of these exchanges at any one time may not be temptingly large, carrying the cash from them through public thoroughfares is attended at all times with undesirable risks. In larger places, where business is on a larger scale, of course the exchanges have greater bulk, and to make a great deal of time and necessitates much

additional clerical force. About the time when Bunker Hill was problem of cashing checks on each other sideration among the bankers of London. worked successfully from the start and was ments were unwieldy, and it was decided to

ing-house kept an account. On this side of the Atlantic it was not till quite a generation later that there was any decided National center of trade. Banks were few, too. With the finish of the first third of the present century commerce and manufactures were in a healthy state of deto soon reach the same shape as in London. Albert Gallatin, the great financier of the time, in 1841 issued a pamphlet, suggesting bank. among other things a clearing-house in New York on the English plan.

New York. The currency then in vogue cities of the country.

House and an association formed. W. F. lowing, so he can compare the figures on Arbuckle & Co., sawmill operators at Lombard, Vice-President, and L. J. Gage, what he has received. Five minutes after and moulder, furnished by Hester & Fox.

total of the exchanges reached the very rewith the annual total of some of the clearfield Mass., and St. Jo., for instance, each aggregates under \$50,000,000, and there are \$7,500,000." only ten cities in the United States whose figures for a year yet exceed that first return two exceptions. The largest sum was for the year 1883, being \$2,517,000,000. The the same, and so on. greatest increase in any one year was in 1880, which showed \$500,000,000 over 1879. The exchanges last year were \$2,318,000,-000. The largest clearing in any day was nearly \$30,000,000. May 2, 1883, they were over \$23,000,000. In explantion of the apparent diminution of the sum of bank exchanges within a year or so, it is necessary to say that it is brought about by the establishment of a clearing-house on the Board of Trade for exchanges among its members. The yearly amount of these is quite \$100,-000,000, reducing the bank totals just so

The bank clearings are always in exact figures, and represent something tangible. Therefore they afford the best data obtainable to prove the condition of general trade. Transactions are few when the totals are small. Their statistics long since demonstrated the fallacy of the universal opinion that London was the business center of the world. The exchanges of New York are far ahead of those of the British capital, and the greatest of any city. Chicago is but 10 per cent. or so behind London, and clears three times as much in a year as Paris. The weekly clearings of New York are two-thirds those of the entire country. The Clearing House Association occupies

an important place in the affairs of every city where it exists, for through it, when necessary, the consolidated banking capital speaks. Rigid rules are adopted for membership and government of exchanges. The circuit of the banks with them calls for a Chicago association originally had more members than now, having at first accepted private bankers. It was subsequently determined, however, that new members must getting into history in the last century the have either a State or National charter and have a capital of not under \$200,000, and quickly and without risk came up for con- these conditions still stand. Old private bankers retiring left only Preston, Kean & It was agreed that a room should be hired Co. of their number for some years past, in a central place, where a representative of and their place is now taken by the New each house should appear at a stated hour Metropolitan National. True, the checks on business days, and present checks on the of private bankers are yet cleared regularly, others and receive checks on itself. At a but arrangements for that have to be made later hour in the day all owing on the ex- through accepted members. Of these there change was taken in coin to the same place are but nineteen. Each has its distinctive furnish each subscriber with blanks, which and given to clerks waiting therefor. This number, by which it is known to the other. he fills out and sends to his delinquent was called "clearing" accounts and plainly Following is the list: 1, First National debtors, with a statement of their accounts. did away with the clerks running from bank Bank; 2, National Bank of America; 3, Mer- The blank is simply a request for them to re to bank, and required carting gold to but chants' National Bank; 4, Northwestern mit the amount, with the declaration that if one place instead of all around. The plan National Bank; 5, Commercial National they do not their cases will be turned over Bank; 6, Union National Bank; 7, Mer- to the Uniformed Collection Company. pursued unchanged for many years. Then chants' Loan and Trust Company; 8, Corn When the company receives a case a collecthe transactions grew to where the settle- Exchange Bank; 9, Trader's Bank; 10, Met- tor is sent at once to the debtor to solicit ropolitan National Bank; 11, Hibernian the payment of the amount due. If he adjust balances by checks on the Bank of Banking Association: 12, National Bank of still refuses to pay, we send another England, where each member of the clear- Illinois; 13, Bank of Montreal; 14, Hide and collector who wears a striking uniform, Company; 16, Canadian Bank of Commerce; letters on the band of his hat. This collec-17, Home National Bank; 18, Chicago Na- tor visits the debtor three successive days, tional Bank; 19, Continental National Bank. at his house or place of business. If the This list is printed in a variety of forms, for third visit does not result in obtaining the use between members and at the Clearing House, and is also supplied to many leading band of which are the words, 'Collector of velopment, and banking affairs threatened business houses, which have checks for de- Bad Debts.' His orders are to call on the paper in order, and reduce work in their claim or claims against him. These calls

Till about five minutes before 11 in the morning the room of the clearing-house sel-If a clearing-house ever were needed in dom has an occupant besides Manager Paul the confidence of his butcher and baker and London, it was infinitely more necessary in Smith and his janitor. Suddenly the door candlestick maker who can boldly face more is shaken and in pops a bustling, beardless was various, and banks ran great risks in youth, with a rusty gripsack in hand, raphandling the wild-cat issues of other banks. idly followed by others of the same genus, Exchanges were demanded with promptness not all being similarly encumbered, howand frequency as a matter of financial safe- ever. The crowd is a motley one, doubtless ty. The area covered by New York was containing embyro financiers in number. steadily extending, and the distance be- Each bank sends a settling clerk and a mestween banks changed to correspond. The senger. The clerks have ready prepared a clerical staff necessitated by the circum- form, showing just what paper they bring stances was a burden in many ways. Yet against each other, and a ticket with the it was not until 1853 that the clearing-house total of their banks' clearings alone. One was considered thoroughly desirable, and a minute before 11 the first nineteen spaces in year passed then before organization was the oval should be occupied and the mancompleted, although business had meantime ager taps a warning bell to make ready. been done on the plan. The association The messengers are outside and the clerks had a membership of the fifty leading finan- inside. The former hold great bundles of cial institutions, headed by the ancient and checks all smoothed out and in a band havsolid Bank of New York. It was establish- ing the sum of the enclosure marked thereed on the basis that still exists, and has on. With the checks is a ticket showing since been followed by all the principal the figures of each in order as arranged and footed up. An instant later the manager Chicago got along in the style of country gives two taps more on the bell and the outtowns till early in 1865. On March 3 of that side line begins to move. Each clerk has a in the stave and heading business at Mt. year a meeting was held at the Sherman bundle slapped before him with a sheet fol- Clemens.

manager. The managing committee com- 11 the circuit has been made and the exprised E. E. Braisted, E. I. Tinkham, Ira changes completed. The messengers take Holmes, L. J. Gage, John DeKoven and A. the bundles in their grips, and disappear. C. Badger. Mr. Gage was the manager but Millions have gone up and down the stairs a short time, being succeeded by Geo. A. within ten minutes. The clerks remain to Ives, who remained in charge for some foot up their sheets. One after another finyears after. Rooms were taken in the Scam- ishes, putting the total on the ticket mon building. To the end of the year the brought, and disclosing whether his bank owes all the rest or is owed by them. These spectable sum, even for war times, of \$319,- tickets the manager takes, and enters on a 000,000. The figure is in strong contrast sheet before him. The last ticket in, they are footed up, and the result of the ing-houses in the smaller cities to-day. clearing is known in all of its details. The Lowell, Mass.; Syracuse, N. Y.; Spring-public learns of it in a single sentence only, something like this: "The clearings were

To insure accuracy and attention to business on the part of the clerks, a schedule of of Chicago. Of course, there was an increase fines is established. Prankishness, annoythe year afterward, and the increase has ing the crowd, costs \$2; keeping the clearcontinued annually since, with but one or ings waiting, the same; an error in figures not found in a certain number of minutes,

At 12:30 the Clearing House has another uisit. At that hour the cash due on balances is brought there in iron-bound boxes chained to the wrists of the messengers. Those banks to which money is due on the exchange have men to receive the same. Fifteen minutes' time suffices to effect the transfers, and the business of the day is ended, so far as the clearing-house is con-

Any differences about checks have to be settled at the banks themselves. Just as soon as the messenger of a bank returns from the clearing-house with his checks, they are distributed among the bookkeepers, and it quickly develops what "shinning" may have been done by customers the day before. The doubtful paper of all kinds is picked out, marked "no funds," or whatever may cause it to be questioned, and returned for cash to the bank that took it in deposit.

The economy of the clearing-house system is most remarkable, but it is all so simple that comment on it is not often seen in print. Without it, business would be greatly restricted for want of actual cash. This fact was what most forcibly impressed itself on the originators of the plan in London, and afterward on the New Yorkers. The weekly total of exchanges for clearinghouses in the United States alone will average over a billion of dollars. These are reported from Portland to San Francisco, and from Minneapolis to New Orleans. The conveyance of this bulk of coin to and fro is. a practical impossibility. There is not in existence enough for trade to continue, and such a bulk of money to be in transit for any distance whatever.

A New Way to Collect Bad Debts. . For the benefit of our readers we give a synopsis of the method yursued by the Uniformed Collection Company of Elmira, N. Y., in collecting bad debts:

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Coolbaugh, was elected President; Josiah each, Then he notes on a list of his own Lake City, have added a planer, matcher

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It begins to look as though somebody besides the Western Union Telegraph Co. and the Bell Telephone Co. had some rights in this country. For years every decision wherein the interests of the people and the monopolies were in conflict was invariably recorded in favor of the corporations. But a new era seems to have dawned, in which monopoly is destined to take a back seat. The recent decision of the Indiana Supreme Court, relative to the rights of the people to resist overcharges for telephone service, is a case in point, and the verdict of a jury in the United States Court at Detroit is another. Briefly stated, the latter is as follows: J. Jenks & Co., the owners of a 1884, their agents telegraphed them that a name. contract to supply 1,000 barrels of flour at \$4.25 per barrel had been closed that day. Through some mistake on the part of the Telegraph company the dispatch was not delivered, and the firm remained in ignorance of their agent's contract until January 6, 1885. In the meantime the price of wheat had advanced, and the firm had to fill the order at a loss. If the message had been promptly received, the firm could have bought the wheat and made the flour at a profit of \$617. Suit was brought for that amount, the company contesting it on the ground that the dispatch was not a repeated rules on every blank, they were not respondict for the plaintiffs for the amount claimed.

An obscure lawyer made himself conspicuous at the meeting of the stockholders of the new Fifth National Bank by moving that the salary of the cashier should not exceed \$1,000 a year. Inasmuch as the National banking law vests the authority of fixing the salaries of all the officers of a bank with the directors, the resolution was out of order and should have been so considered by the chairman of the meeting; and inasmuch as the motion was offered after the election of thirteen directors had been accomplished, it cannot fail to be regarded as a reflection on the gentlemen composing the board. The latter, however, will undoubtedly ignore the affront, and the alleged attorney who offered it, by placing the salary of the cashier at a figure commensurate with the responsibilities and requirements of the position.

Grand Rapids cannot wait for the season to open, but has concluded to begin booming, regardless of the weather. Real estate transactions are increasing in number and amount and the prospects are that business will break loose with a vim and virility when the grass begins to get green, seldom witnessed in towns of this size. A casual calculation of the amount of building contemplated the coming season brings it up to the vicinity of a round million.

Lawyer Felker has put himself on record as opposed to decent salaries-in fact anything decent is seemingly foreign to his comprehension. In his small mind, \$1,000 a year is ample salary for the cashier of a National bank. It is such men as Felker that make embezzlers and defaulters. Pay men salaries commensurate to their worth andnine times out of ten-the temptation to defraud their employers is removed.

The Fifth National Bank.

The West Side has finally effected the organization of one of those substantial commercial institutions which are so necessary to grate to Dakota. the prosperity and development of a busibegins operations with a paid-up capital of sold to L. Wolverton. \$100,000 and the personel of its directors substantial character of the institution.

The thirteen gentlemen comprising the Board of Directors are all representative his interest in the Pine street drug store to business men and will guard well the trusts | C. L. Brundage. Mr. B. has taken possesreposed in them.

Wm. Dunham, who has been elected to ter. the Presidency, possesses a keen business

fiduciary position which he holds. the project, and who has been selected to tinue the business. act as cashier, is well and favorably known among business men, having served as in- is still confined to his house with sciatic dividual bookkeeper for the Old National rheumatism. He will take a trip to South-Bank for over five years. He previously ern California as soon as the weather modheld a position of trust in the National erates, in hopes of obtaining relief. Bank of Auburn, and his somewhat varied bank experience has rendered him thorough- sold his interest in the hardware store to ly familiar with the work in every depart- Ellsworth Varnes, and hereafter the firm ment of a National bank. This advantage, will be known as Wise & Co. All outcoupled with affable manners, exceptional standing debts must be paid to W. W. Wise, energy and unusual shrewdness, will enable who is authorized to receive and receipt for Mr. Fowler to discharge the duties of cash- the same. ier to the satisfaction of himself, the bank

and its patrons. ulated on its choice of directors and officers & Shank, from whom Johnson purchased and THE TRADESMAN expects to see it take the business several years ago, Possession front rank among our reliable monetary in- will be given April 1. Johnson will engage

AMONG THE TRADE.

IN THE CITY.

The new two-story refrigerator room of the Grand Rapids Packing and Provision Co. is now completed.

Frank T. Roberts has engaged in the grocery business at Rockford. Bulkley, Lemon & Hoops furnished the stock.

John Cummings succeeeds Duggan & Cummings in the carriage making and blacksmithing business at 36 North Division

E. M. Reed, tobacconist at Coopersville, has put in a line of groceries. Clark, Jewell & Co. furnished the stock.

Wm. Rowe & Co. will shortly engage in the drug business at Manistee. The stock will be furnished by the Hazeltine & Perkins Drug Co.

The Grand Rapids School Furniture Co. has closed a contract with the Board of Education of Kalamazoo for 132 sittings, in the face of active competition.

A. V. Chapman has sold his interest in the grocery business of T. B. Martin & Co., steam flouring mill at Sand Beach, have on South Division street, to T. B. Martin, agents at Portland, Me. On December 29, who will continue the business in his own

> The indications are that the Peirce & White matter will so shape itself as to present an offer of compromise to the creditors, from 35 to 50 per cent. The creditors will all probably jump at the offer.

> A. Van Duren, for several years past in the employ of G. R. Mayhew, has formed a copartnership with his brother under the firm name of Van Duren Bros., and purchased the B. V. K. Van Raalte boot and shoe stock at Holland.

The Peninsular Novelty Co. has recently perfected a new and unique hand-tool for message, and that hence, under the printed attaching buttons to shoes. The machine is accompanied with three tubes, each holdsible for any mistakes or delays that might ing twelve buttons. The tubes may be occur in transmitting it. The jury heard filled with buttons and fasteners with very the evidence and promptly brought in a ver- little trouble, after which the machine works automatically.

AROUND THE STATE.

W. A. Masters, grocer at Grayling, has sold out.

W. R. Phillips, druggist at Battle Creek, has been attached.

R. Reid succeeds Reid & Mills in the harness business at Clarkston.

W. R. Cutter succeeds Taylor & Cutter in the drug business at Ionia.

H. Sorkness, the Manistee grocer, is erecting a new store building. D. W. Mills succeeds D. W. Mills & Son

in the grocery business at Caro.

F. Sable, formerly of Chase, will open a clothing store at Lake City about April 1.

Wright, Kay & Co. succeed Roehm & Wright in the jewelry business at Detroit. C. R. Richardson & Co. succeed S. C. Gayer in the boot and shoe business at Flint. Fall & Hendricks, clothing dealers at Ann Arbor, are succeeded by J. T. Jacobs & Co.

J. R. Godfrey has purchased Wm. Dean's store and hardware stock at Parma. D. Silverhorn succeeds Silverhorn & Frazer in the feed mill business at Greenville.

T. Edmunds, boot and shoe dealer at Big Rapids, has been closed on execution. B. E. West & Co. succeed T. C. West &

Co in the drug and book business at Lowell. Wm. Stage, general dealer at Hazelton, will erect a new store building the coming

Saginaw.

Jones Bros. succeed John H. Young in the confectionery, news and cigar business at Flint.

Arvis, Newman & Co. succeed Hixson, Newman & Co. in the hardware business at Portland.

Geo. A. Young succeeds Geo. A. Young & Co. in the crockery and notion business at

Manistee. Showerman & Warner succeed Showerman & Foster in the grocery business at

Paw Paw. Chas. Tasker has sold his grocery stock, at Bonanza, to D. M. Crane, and will emi-

The grocery stock belonging to the estate ness community. The Fifth National Bank of J. K. Seafuse, at Lake City, has been

J. A. Mayrand and Daniel Lancteau, comand officers is a sufficient guaranty of the posing the "East Lake Drug Firm," at East Lake, have dissolved, Mayrand continuing. Muskegon News: Dr. McDonald has sold sion of the store and will conduct it hereaf-

Mr. Heffernan, until recently manager of foresight and is in every way worthy of the H. Mathews & Co.'s drug store, at Chase, has purchased the J. H. Creegan & W. H. Fowler, who is really the father of | Co. drug stock, at that place, and will con-

Wm. H. Andrews, the Fennville druggist,

Mancelona Herald: W. W. Wise has

Herbert E. Johnson has disposed of his grocery business at Lansing to Robert B. The Fifth National Bank is to be congrat- Shank, of the late creamery firm of Farrand in other business.

loon business at Muskegon.

Cooley & Webb, bakers at Paw Paw,

John Morse succeeds C. J. Bachant in the turning. hotel business at Chase.

Jas. McLeod succeeds Jas. Fox in the sa-

Miss Dottie Kelly succeeds Miss Maria L. Bros., of this place, has opened a branch meat market in Grand Rapids.

Milmo & Stokoe, of Manistee, have purlands in Louisiana. They have established with Rice & Moore. camps and are deadening and trailing cy-

A local paper states that thus far the exity of Manistique has not been utilized sand. otherwise than as firewood. There is evihardwood mill business in that vicinity.

It is estimated that fully 1,000,000 pieces of cedar will be cut in Presque Isle county this season. A local paper figures out that this cut would denude 2,000 acres of land. But a cedar swamp doesn't stay denuded long; it has a faculty of re-clothing itself speedily,

MANUFACTURING MATTERS.

Anderson Bros., of Angola, Ind., have started a road cart factory at Bronson.

Faughner & Co. succeed Hopkins & Gould, excelsior manufacturers, and B. Johnson & Son, planing mill operators, at Owosso. Anway & Herrick have rented their saw

place, who will run it for all it is worth. The Danaher & Melendy Co., at Ludington, is adding a new shingle mill to its plant there, with a capacity of 25,000 to 30,-

000 a day. The Caro Woodenware Works, which has been a copartnership, has been merged into brokers in the same line. a corporation under the style of the Caro Woodenware Manufacturing Co.

Manton Tribune: Williams Bros. have business. They will also erect on the same site, just south of Green's mill, as soon as the weather will permit, a suitable building for their mill machinery.

Miscellaneous Dairy Notes.

Caledonia is bidding for a cheese factory. The Pontiac Creamery Co. expects to be gin operations April 1. The company has a paid-up capital of \$5,200.

C. B. Lambert is authority for the statement that 300 patents have been granted to churn inventors in this country and that there are 900 patents on cans, pans and other dairy appliances.

The patrons of G. B. Horton's Home Cheese Factory, at Fairfield, held their annual meeting on the 10th, when the following showing was made: Total pounds of milk received, 1,492,041; number of cheese made, 3,138; pounds of cheese made, 149,-660; gross sales, \$12,298.14; Losses, postage, exchange, etc., \$255; making, furnishing and selling, \$1,870.74; net to patrons, \$10,172.40; general average, 68 17-100 cents per hundred pounds milk. Yield, 9 96-100 pounds milk to one of cheese.

THE TRADESMAN acknowledges the receipt of the fifth annual review of the commerce, manufactures and business interests of the Saginaw Valley, from the Saginaw Valley, from the Saginaw Paper of Trade. The publication is a value of the Saginaw Valley of the saginaw THE TRADESMAN acknowledges the re-Board of Trade. The publication is a valu-B. B. Faeder succeeds Slesinger & Faeder | able one, and reflects much credit on the orthe hide, pelt and fur business at East ganization which directed its compilation.

Purely Personal.

Gaius W. Perkins is in New York and will spend several days in Boston before re-

M. J. Clark has returned from Pelatuma, Cal., where he spent the winter. He is as as brown as a berry.

Geo. A. Sage, the Rockford grocer, was Stone in the millinery business at Marshall, in town last week. He didn't buy any Manton Tribune: High Kibbe, of Kibbe goods, however. He came on purpose to see the leg show.

S. M. Frost succeeds James E. Granger as shipping clerk for Cody, Ball & Co. Mr. chased 26,000 acres of bottom timbered Frost formerly occupied a similar position

W. J. Gould, head center of the wholepress logs, and expect to make a large float sale grocery house of W. J. Gould & Co., at Detroit, was in town a couple of days last week. He is interested in the Peirce & cellent maple and beech timber in the vicin- White failure to the amount of a cool thou-

The many friends of Landlord Maxfield, dently an opportunity for pioneering in the of Coopersville, will be pleased to learn that he has nearly recovered from the effects of his broken limb. During his illness, the wants of his patrons have been faithfully supplied by Mrs. Maxfield.

W. H. Willard, the Manistee druggist will shortly wed Miss Hattie Fox, the charming daughter of Col. P. V. Fox, of this city. By way of a farewell to his Manistee bachelor friends, he recently gave them an elaborate symposium.

James E. Granger, who has been connected with the wholesale grocery house of Cody, Ball & Co. for the past seven yearsfour years as shipping clerk-has resigned to engage in the merchandise brokerage busi mill at New Era to A. L. Dennis, of that ness, his resignation to take effect on the 20th, at which time he will take a trip through the East to arrange for desirable connections. "Jim" has many friens among the jobbing trade, who will undoubtedly accord him as cordial a reception as is consistent with the presence of half a dozen other

The recent sharp advances in raw rubber, and a strong market at 70 cents a pound for fine rubber at Para, causes some concern commenced the construction of a large steam among Eastern manufacturers, as the time dry kiln, for use in their manufacturing is near when large contracts must be entered

GRAND RAPIDS

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" Prime "	6 50
" No. 2 "	6 25
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" White 20e 39 fb "	9 00
" Alsyke20e " "	9 00
" Alfalfa or Lucerne20c " "	9 00
Timothy, Prime 45 \$\partial bu	2 10
"Fair to Good"	2 00
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Blue Grass	2 50
Orenard Grass	2 50
Hungarian	1 10
Millet, common	1 10
German	1 20
Buckwheat "	1 00
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Drugs & Medicines

Explosives to be Met With at the Prescrip tion Counter.*

The phenomenon which is classed under the head of explosion, is due to a violent and considerable expansion of matter. It is always accompanied by the production of ing these together. sound, which is in proportion to the extent and suddenuess of the expansion, and the amount of resistence to be overcome. Ex- tight containers. plosions may be produced by a very rapid conversion of a solid or liquid into a gas or vapor, through the action of heat, producing Turner's drug store, at Frankford, Penn., a sudden change in the state of matter. Heat is, therefore, the most important and his hair destroyed. source of explosion. Explosions may be produced by the alteration in the state of matter, resulting simply from chemical explosive. change. Such changes may be affected very suddenly, and quite independently of any heat developed, the sudden expansion producing the effect of an explosion.

There are numerous instances of combinations of a very energetic character, between compound bodies, but few are accompanied by explosive results, the combination proceeding in a gradual manner. It depends upon the intensity of chemical affinity between bodies when brought together, whether a sufficiently sudden expansion of matter is produced to cause an explosion. If active, elementary bodies, such a bromine on the one hand, and potassium or iron on the other, are brought in contact, we find that a violent, rapid combination takes place. The intense heat, suddenly generated, which suffices to produce a powerful explosion, by the instantaneous generation of great volumes of vapor. In a few instances combination causes explosion. But many more explosions are the result of instantaneous or rapid decomposition of a chemical compound.

There are several classes of compounds remarkably unstable in their character, particularly among the organic bodies. There are a few inorganic compounds which are flame. remarkably unstable, for instance, iodide of nitrogen, which is formed whenever iodine and ammonia are brought together. If turated together, explode. quite dry a very slight touch will cause an explosion.

The combinations of mercury and also o silver with carbon, nitrogen and oxygen, are remarkably explosive. Explosive properties are manifested by various organic compounds, produced from non-explosive, orremarkable for the amount of oxygen which quantity, lard, one and a half ounces. The it contains, and for the tendency which it has to impart that oxygen to other substances nitric acid, and thus producing from cotton gun cotton and nitromannite, by the action of this acid upon the sweet principal, from manna, beet root, parsnips or onions. Passing to explosions resulting from reac tion upon each other of substances, not chemically combined, there are substances rich in oxygen, such as oxides of manganese and lead. These substances lightly part Mix. with their oxygen, so that bodies easily oxidizable, such as sulphur or phosphorous, or the sulphides of arsensic or antimony, when brought into intimate contact with place. these sources of oxygen, will produce explosive materials. Take, for instance, binchloric acid in combination with metals such as potassium sodium, etc., to which explosive properties are given, by mingling them

A great influence may be exerted upon the properties of an explosive mixture, by the ents are mixed. The more perfect the mixture, the more powerful will be the exploplosive mixtures, manifest equally important differences in their mode of action. Take, for example, nitrate of potash, and chlorate of potash mixed with of Iodine. amorphous phosphorous. The mixture with nitrate of potash burns brilliantly phosphorous with the chlorate results in unknown. violent explosion, chlorate of potash is most readily acted upon. Sulphuric acid, decomposing the salt, transforms the chloric acid into dangerous compounds, and the resulting heat from the chemical changes thus effected by the acid in a small portion of the mixture of chlorate of potash with an oxantlmony, if sufficient to ignite it, and the

whole be almost instantly exploded. Again, friction will readily ignite some of these mixtures, for example, by rubbing together in a mortar a few grains of chlorate of potash and sulphur, etc.

But a selection of explosive mixtures, such as are likely to be found at the prescription counter will be of most interest to the pharmacist. The following are a few of the leading ones:

1. Chlorate potash, pow'd galls, tannic acid. Mix, for gargle. The powders should not be rubbed together, but mixed separate-

ly with the water. 2. Chlorate potash, pow'd catechu. Mix, for dentifrice. It should not be dispensed

alone. If other combinations are made, the danger is averted. 3. Chlorate of potash, hypophosphite of

soda. If the salts are rubbed together, they will explode; but if dissolved separately in water and mixed, no harm results. 4. Chlorate of potash, tannic acid, gly-

cerine, water. If the tannic acid, chlorate of potash and glycerine are rubbed together, an explosion ensues, but if the acid is first dissolved in the glycerine, and the chlorate

* Paper read by Isaac Watts before the last neeting of the Grand Rapids Pharmaceutical Scciety.

of potash in the water, and then mixed, no harm follows.

5. Chlorate of potash, Tr Ferri Chlor, glycerine, of each one-half ounce. In these proportions, if warmed, an explosion en-

6. Chlorate of potash, muriate of morphia. Great care must be taken in dispens-

7. Chlorate of potash, muriate of ammonia. In tablets. Explosive when in I do not wish to put myself on record a 8. Chlorate of potash, acid tannic. Mix.

While rubbing these in a mortar, a clerk in do say that when a family undertakes was terribly injured in his face and hands,

9. Chlorate of potash, prussiate of potash and sugar. When triturated together, are girl, etc., to the drug store for a free samp

10. Chlorate potash, roll sulphur. When triturated together, are explosive.

11. Potassium Permangan, glycerine. This is one of the common mistakes. It almost certainly produces an explosion. patent medicine a year ago. That sam Nevertheless, they may be combined. The medicine is given away in samples and w glycerine may be very slowly and in very small quantities, added to the potash.

12. Potassium permangan, alcohol, aqua, distill. This may be dispensed by adding the potash slowly to the alcohol and water, previously mixed, and by dispensing in a loosely-stoppered vial. But it is quite liable to explode.

13. Potassium permangan, Ferri Redact. These ingredients took fire while mixing. On being again prepared by the addition of 45 grs. talc, reaction was prevented.

14. Potassium permangan, morph acet. When rubbed together there was a rapid emission of sparks, followed by explosion and evolution of gas smelling like chlorine. Pure morphia and sulphate and chloride were attended with like results when used in the same combination.

15. Potassium permangan, extract milfoil. Mix and make pills. Is liable to in-

16. Postassium permangan, peroxide manganese, pow'd oxalic acid. When tri-

17. Possium permangan in concentrated solutions of alcohol is liable to explode.
18. Iodine, ammonia. Form a very powerful explosive agent when combined, unless some water is introduced into the mixture, which seems to retard the forma-

tion of nitrogen iodide, upon which the ex-

plosive properties seem to depend. pounds, produced from non-explosive, or 19. Hydrarg ammon, grains twenty. ber of the Board will probably be delegate ganic substances, by the action of an acid Iodine, grains fifteen, water, sufficient to hold an examination at some convenient first two, mixed and moistened with a few drops of water, begin to react upon each

other with faint, explosive snaps. 20. Iodine, spirits turpentine. Iodine acts energetically upon turpentine, producing substitution products, etc., liberating hydrogen, which may take from the violence of the reaction.

21. Iodide of sulphur, sulphur, or hypo-chloride of sulphur. Is apt to explode if the bottle is only lightly tapped.
22. Iodine, half a dram, Linim Camph.

Co., Linim Saponis, of each two ounces. Mix. This is said to have exploded, owing to the formation of nitrogen iodide

23. Iodine, hydrarg ammoniati, alcohol. When alcohol is added to the white precipitate and iodine, a violent oxplosion takes

24. Tincture of iodine and ammonia are often prescribed together, the rarity of accidents from which is due to the fact that oxide of lead with sulphur, or nitric or the iodide is not in a condition free from water.

25. Chloride or iodide of Nitrogen is formed by the addition of chlorine, or a chloride or iodine, or an iodide, to ammonia, with oxidizable substances, such as resin or and this compound is liable to violent explosion on coming into contact with phosphorous, iodine, arsenic, olive or cod liver COUGHS oil, turpentine, etc.

26. Even the vapor of ammonia on comdegree of intimacy with which its compon-ing into contact with iodine may produce an explosion. This may account for the accident which happened to Mr. F. J. Trauten, on July 27, 1870, who, having filtered a sion. Substances supplying oxygen in ex- strong solution of Iodine in Iodide of potassium, left the filter to dry in the funnel till next morning. On taking it out, the paper and funnel were shattered to atoms, covering the walls and his body with stains

27. A solution of Mercury Oxylodide with Iodine and Iodide potassium, after standing a few weeks, on being disturbed with the aid of heat. While the contact of with a glass rod, violently exploded. Cause

28. The addition of nitrate of silver to essence of bitter almonds, to remove the Hydrocyanic Acid, has been followed by ignition.

29. Oxide of silver, morphia mur., ext. gentian. Above made into pills and silvered was furnished to a lady, who put the box HAZELTINE & PERKINS DRUG CO. into the bosom of her dress where it exploded three-quarters of an hour afterwards idizable body, such as sugar or sulphide of severly injuring her, and setting fire to her dress.
30. Oxide and Nitrate of Silver when

made into pills with Saccharine or other reducing agents, do not usually explode with violence, but cause the pills to swell up

rapidly and fall to pieces. Nitrate of silver, Creosote. When rubbed together, is said to have violently

exploded. 32. Oxide of silver, honey, licorice pow

der. Form an explosive compound.

33. Chromic acid. This is another agent which readily parts with its oxygen. Hence, the following prescription, for instance, is dangerously explosive. Acid chromic, 10 grains, glycerine, one dram. But even in this case quiet combination may be effected by adding the glycerine slowly, drop by drop, to the acid, and rubbing very slowly. as the product will not be what the physi-

cian intended it should not be put up.

34. Potassium Bichrom, Spts. ether, Nit.
Is said to have been prescribed and produced an explosive mixture.

35. Potassium bichrom in alcohol may

ignite the latter.

36. Potassium bichrom, sulphuric acid. This well-known battery liquid, we are in-

formed, has, in several instances, caused an explosion and destruction of battery. Acid nitric, acid muriate, tinct, nux vomica, of each two drams. Mix. This

exploded after several hours.
38. Acid Nitro, Mur., one ounce, tinct. Curd. Co., half ounce. This combination was the cause of serious personal injury.
39. Nitrie acid, spts. camphor. Mix. Explodes in from ½ to 48 hours.

[Concluded next week.]

Says He Didn't Say So. GRAND RAPIDS, March 9, 1886.

Editor MICHIGAN TRADESMAN: DEAR SIR-I think your reporter did no fully understand a remark I made at-tl last meeting of the Grand Rapids Pharma ceutical Society. What I said was, that "too many \$2 coughs" were cured wit "free sample bottles." And I never advo cated the throwing out of ten cent sample being opposed to the public getting their doctoring done as cheaply as possible; but carry a person through six months of cor sumption wholly on free samples obtained by sending the old man and Bill and Joh and Sam and Mary and Jane and the hire every two days, the thing gets to be a mos confimed and beautiful nuisance. And, M Editor, the thing has been done right her in Grand Rapids more than a few time We purchased one-half dozen of a certai have the one-half dozen vet on hand, a though it is well advertised. Comment Respectfully,

O. H. RICHMOND.

Had Forgotten the Combination. A wealthy citizen had been out until th small hours with convival companions, an

he arrived home slightly exhilerated. H managed, by describing several erratic rath er than geometrical lines, to get to his been room and into a chair. Then he called his wife in a stage whisper:-

"I can't get my boots off."

"What's the matter with your boots?" "Nozin," in a faint whisper. "What's the matter with your hand

"Nozin." "Why don't you pull your boots of

"Maria, I've forgot the combination!"

State Board of Pharmacy.

The next meeting of the State Board Pharmacy, for the examination of applicant for registration, will be held in July, b the place of meeting has not yet been dete mined. If there are a large number of a plications from Northern Michigan, the meeting may be held in that section of th State; but if only a few applications are received from that part of the State, one mem ber of the Board will probably be delegate point, while the remainder of the Board hold the principal examination at a more central location in Eastern and Southern

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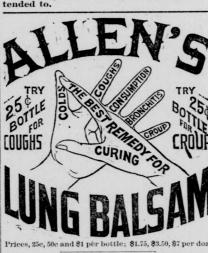
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yalint, white		4	1 30 1 50 3 00	Capitol Cylinder
y, French (Flowers \$1 50) gal		2	65 75	Eldorado Engine
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out St. Vincent's 'aylor's, in ¼s and ½s			20 25 17	Extra Turp. Coach Body. No. 1 Turp Furniture Extra Turk Damar. Japan Dryer, No. 1 Turp.
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ane, powdered(Powd 15c) African (Powd 14c)	11	0	20 10 12	Red Venetian. Ochre, yellow Marseilles Ochre, yellow Bermuda Putty, commercial
African (Powd 14c) Jamaica bleached Seal (Powd 25c)			17 20	Putty, strictly pure Vermilion, prime American Vermilion, English
e, white, powdered Rio, powdered owdered		1	20 1 20 30	
select (Powd 15)			18	Lead, red strictly pure. Lead, white, strictly pure. Whiting, white Spanish. Whiting, Gilders' White, Paris American. Whiting Paris English cliff
extra select le m select to choice wdered E. I. bice cut cubes. oice cut fingers.	1 00	0	85 1 50 1 90	Whiting, Gilders'
oice cut cubes	1 10	9	2 00	Whiting Paris English cliff Pioneer Prepared I aints Swiss Villa Prepared Paints

Serpentaria. Seneka Sarsaparilla, Hondurus Sarsaparilla, Mexican. Squills, white (Powd 35c). Valerian, English (Powd 30c). Valerian, Vermont (Powd 28c).	65 60 40 20 15 25 20	
Anise, Italian (Powd 20c). Bird, mixed in b packages. Canary, Smyrna. Caraway, best Dutch (Powd 20c). Cardamon, Aleppee. Cardamon, Malabar. Celery	4 @ 4½ 15 @ 18 1 50	
Celery. Corlander, pest English Fennel Flax, clean. Flax, pure grd (bbl 3½) Foenugreek, powdered Hemp, Russian Mustard, white Black 10e). Quince Rape, English	15 3% @ 4% 7 @ 8 4% 0 5% 10 75 6 @ 7	
Quince Rape, English Worm, Levant SPONGES. Florida sheeps' wool, carriage Nassau do do Velvet Extra do do Extra Yellow do do Grass do do Hard head, for slate use	2 25 @2 50 2 00 1 10 85 65	-
Yellow Reef. do MISCELLANEOUS. Alcohol, grain (bbl \$2.19) \$\mathbb{g}\$ al. Alcohol, wood, \$9\$ per cent ex. ref. Anodyne Hoffman's. Arsenic, Donovan's solution. Arsenic, Fowler's solution. Annatto 1 \$\mathbb{b}\$ rolls.	27	
Arsenic, Fowler's solution. Annatto 1 b rolls. Alum. Alum, ground (Powd 9c). Annatto, prime. Antimony, powdered, com'l. Arsenic, white, powdered. Blue Soluble. Bay Rum, imported, best. Bay Rum, domestic, H., P. & Co.'s Balm Gilead Buds. Beans, Tonka.	3 @ 4 45 4½@ 5 6 @ 7 50 2 75 2 00 40 2 00	I
Beans, Tonka. Beans, Vanilla Bismuth, sub nitrate. Blue Pill (Powd 70e). Blue Vitriol Borax, refined (Powd IIe). Cantharides, Russian powdered. Capsicum Pods, African pow'd. Capsicum Pods, Bombay do Carmine, No. 40. Cassia Buds.	7 00 @9 75 2 30 50 7 9@10 2 25 18 222	
Chalk, prepared drop. Chalk, precipitate English. Chalk, red fingers. Chalk white lump	5 12 8	H
Chloroform, Squibb's Colocynth apples. Colocynth apples. Chloral hydrate, German crusts. Chloral de do cryst. Chloral do Scherin's do . Chloral do do crusts. Chloroform. Cinchonidia, P. & W Cinchonidia, other brands. Cloves (Powd 23e).	1 50 1 70 1 90 1 75	7
Cocoa Butter. Copperas (by bbl 1e). Corrosive Sublimate. Corks, X and XX—40 off list. Cream Tartar, pure powdered. Cream Tartar, Tartar, Torcer's, 10 b box.	40 40 2 70 . 70 . © 40	
Creasote Cudbear, prime Cuttle Fish Bone Dextrine Dover's Powders Dragon's Blood Mass. Ergot powdered. Ether Squibb's. Emery, Turkish, all No.'s. Epsom Salts (bbl. 1%)	1 10 50 65 1 10 2 @ 3	(
Fither, sulphuric, U. S. P. Flake white. Grains Paradise. Gelatine, Cooper's. Gelatine, French Glassware, filnt, 70 & 10, by box 66 Glassware, green, 60 and 10 dis.	60 14 15 90 45 Ø 70	1
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Lycopodium Mace Madder, best Dutch	50 50 12%@ 13	tI
Mercury Mercury Morphia, sulph., P. & W Musk, Canton, H., P. & Co.'s Moss, Iceland Moss, Irish Mustard, English Mustard, grocer's, 10 b cans Nutgalls Nutmegs, No. 1 Nux Vontes	2 2 60@2 85 40 b 10 12 30	l f
Nuttmegs, No. 1. Nux Vomica. Ointment, Mercurial, ¼d. Paris Green Pepper, Black Berry Pepsin. Pitch, True Burgundy Quassia Quinia, Sulph, P, & W. b o	17 @ 25 18 2 50 7	1 1 1
Quinine, German Red Precipitate. Seidlitz Mixture Strychnia, cryst Silver Nitrate, cryst Saffron, American Sal Glauber Sal Nitre, large cryst Sal Nitre, large cryst Sal Notre, medium cryst Sal Redolle	75@ 80 b 85 28 160	1
Sal Soda. Salicin. Santonin. Snuffs, Maccoboy or Scotch.	2 @ 21/4 2 15 6 50 38	
Soda Ash [by keg 3c] Spermaceti. Soda, Bi-Carbonate, DeLand's. Soap, White Castile. Soap, Green do Soap, Mottled do Soap, do do Soap, Mazzini. Spirits Nitre, 3 F. Spirits Nitre, 4 F. Sugar Milk powdered. Sulphur, flour.		
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Green, Peninsular Lead, red strictly pure	16@17 7@ 7½	

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History of a Bank Check.

A number of gentlemen were talking in this place about the complications that had been brought about by the failure of the Middletown bank, the affairs of which after a year and a half's efforts to straighten out are still in an entangled condition, says a Goshen dispatch to the New York Times. The conversation led to the relation of the following story of singular accidents that had interfered to save the little fortune of an orphan girl, whose money was to have been invested in Middletown bank shares:

The money was a trust in the hands of an uncle of the girl. It had previously been invested in bond and mortgage, which had matured and been paid. The girl was about to be married and she wanted her money, which amounted to \$4,000, invested in some good security. The Middletown bank stock was then held at \$125 a share, and was the favorite investment in that part of the country. The trustee of the girl's money wrote to a friend who lived near Middletown and asked him if he could secure \$4,000 worth of stock in the Middletown bank. The friend replied that he thought he would be able to do so just at that time, as several estates which held stock were selling it in order to settle up their affairs. The girl's uncle procured a certified check for \$4,000 and enclosed it in a letter addressed to his friend at Middletown. He had to ride two miles to the village postoffice, and when he arrived there it was closed for the night. He put his hand in his pocket, took out the letter, as he supposed, and dropped it in the mail-box at the postoffice and drove home. He waited a week without hearing from his friend. He wrote a second time, inquiring as to the success which his friend had met in getting the bank shares, and, as a matter of form, asked if the certified check had been received all right. A letter from Middletown by return mail assured the trustee that no such check had come to hand. He went to his postoffice and made inquiry of the postmaster about the letter, the amount of business done at the office making it an easy matter for the postmaster to remember what mail had passed through his hands during at least a month's time. He said he had not see any letter addressed to the Middletown gentleman, for he knew him well and would have remembered it. The writer of the missing letter gave the postmaster the day, date and hour when the letter had been placed in the postoffice.

"Ah!" said the postmaster, "then I'll bet that the blank envelope containing a circular was the letter you dropped in the office. I found one in the box the morning after the night you say you mailed your letter."

The postmaster found the blank envelope and circular. The writer of the letter recognized it as one that had been handed to him by a boy on Broadway, New York, one day while he was in the city, and which he had mechanically placed in his pocket. He then concluded that he must have dropped the letter containing the check on his way from home to the postoffice the night he supposed he had mailed it, and in the darkness had placed the blank envelope in the mail box. He hurried home, and looking in the buggy he had used that night, found the missing letter in the boot, with the check safe. He placed the letter in an inner pocket of his coat and went about doing up his regular chores at the barn and at the house. He intended to write a second letter and mail it that evening, but while he was at work a number of friends drove up to spend the remainder of the day at the farm and he went to the house with them. Before they arrived he had taken off his coat and hung it up in the wagon house. When he went to the house he left the coat hanging there, with the letter in the pocket, hav ing forgotten it for the time.

He did not get to the village that evening, and the first thing next morning he wrote the second letter to his friend. He went to the wagon house to get the certified check out of the letter in his coat pocket, and was startled to discover that the coat had disappeared from the place where he had hung it. A thorough search failed to reveal where it was, and none of the family had seen it. The conclusion that the coat had been stolen by a tramp was arrived at. Neither coat nor check was ever seen again. Payment on the check was stopped at once, and in the course of two weeks another certified check for the same amount was issued by the bank, which was a city bank.

A day or two after the receipt of the check the trustee of the fund started for Middletown to deliver the check to his friend in person. On his way to the railway station he was taken suddenly ill. He was obliged to return home, and was unable to transact any business for over a week. As soon as he could get around again he put the check in his pocket and went to Middletown to pay for the bank stock. He went directly to the bank and found an excited crowd in the vicinity. The news that he heard almost made him faint. The bank in whose stock he was about to invest his neice's little fortune had closed its doors and neice's little fortune had closed its doors and was hopelessly bankrupt. He went back home, thoroughly convinced that for some reason or other Providence had interferred with his intention on behalf of his ward.

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BUSINESS LAW.

Brief Digests of Recent Decisions in Courts of Last Resort.

INSURANCE POLICY-ACCIDENT-RECOV-ERY.

In a case recently decided by the Supreme Court of New Mexico, Rodey vs. Traveler's Insurance Co., the plaintiff recovered under an accident insurance policy for an injury to the ear which happened to him while div-

FORGERY OF CHECK-CONVICTION. The Kentucky Court of Appeals held, in

the case of Rawlins vs. Commonwealth, that in order to sustain a conviction for forging a check, it must be averred and proved that the bank upon which the check was forged was an authorized one by the law of the State, or of the United States, or of some foreign government.

SAVINGS BANK-REFUND OF TAXES.

A savings bank cannot maintain a suit to recover taxes illegally collected unless a claim for abatement or refunding of the amount claimed has been presented to the commissioner of internal revenue within two years after the claim accrued, as required by section 3,228 of the Revised Statutes. So held by the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of Kings County Savings Institution vs. Blair.

GUARANTY-ACCEPTANCE-NOTICE. In a case decided by the Kentucky Superior Court, it appeared that a firm addressed a letter to the appellants offering to take certain pianos on consignment on certain conditions, and appellee by indorsement on the letter guaranteed to appellants the faithfnl performance of the agreements therein mentioned. Under the circumstances the court held that the appellee was entitled to notice of the acceptance of the proposition contained in the letter and of his offer as guaranty, and not having had such notice was not liable, his connection with the transaction not being of such a character as to charge him with notice that the guaranty was accepted.

NOTE PAYABLE IN MERCHANDISE—LIABIL-ITY OF MAKER.

A dealer in certain articles of merchandise executed a note payable in these articles at his place of business on a certain day. He kept on hand at his place of business sufficient of those articles to pay the note, but the note was not presented on the day when it became due, nor was the holder present to receive the property. Upon an action brought to recover the amount of the note in money, the Supreme Court of Minnesota held that the readiness of the maker of the note to perform was a good defense, and that it was not necessary that the maker on due day should have segregated from his general stock sufficient of the articles to pay the note and set them apart as the property of the holder.

JOINT GUARANTY-CONTINUING LIABIL-

ITY. Three directors of a company gave a joint guaranty to certain bankers to secure the repayment of an overdraft of the company. Afterwards the company was newly constituted and its name was changed. Subsequently one of the guarantors died, but the bank went on making advances, and the two survivors gave no notice that they would t be any longer responsible. Finally the remaining sureties were sued on the guaranty. The English Court of Appeals held that the guarantors were liable, and that under the circumstances the liability first assumed by them continued, notwithstanding the death of their associate and the change in the name and constitution of the com-

Boston Dairy Market.

Receipts of butter continue light and fresh grades are distributed about as fast as ordered. Well kept held stock is nearly all sold out, and most of what remains is more or less "off" in quality. With the exception of very low grades the market is in a sound condition, and when the decline sets in-which will be just as soon as the weather grows warmer-it will be gradual and cause no loss to anybody.

Trade in cheese has been slow, although the market remains steady. Buyers are operating only in a small way. Although sev-Cough Cure will not disappoint the most saneral round lots have recently been shipped guine expectations of a single broken-dawn from Boston to Liverpool, the advices from consumptive invalid that we warrant it. Had the other side are not encouraging, and quotations show no margin of profit. The mar- do. Sold by Hazeltine, Perkins & Co., wholeket may take a change for the better before sale druggists, Grand Rapids, Mich. new cheese comes to hand, but the outlook at present is not promising.

New York Dairy Market.

Butter continues in buyers' favor. The arrival of new milk creamery has relieved the market from the lack of quality, and easier prices are looked for. Choice to fancy creamery is held at 26@33c, while fancy dairy commands 24@26c.

The export demand for cheese is limited and exporters will not buy excepting at concessions. The home trade continues to buy sparingly, but the volume is fair for this time of the year. Choice full cream is in moderate demand at 9% @106.

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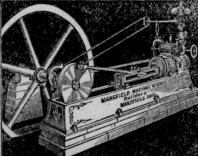
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And share not in our joys;
They mustn't forget the times when theyWhen they were called "the boys."
Although they are so wrinkled now,
With hair all tinged with gray.
They may at times just reap such joys,
But it isn't for me to say.

The Gripsack Brigade.

J. M. Dunlap, representing the Defiance Cigar Co., of New York, was in town over

J. W. Bryden, representing John Plankerton & Co., of Milwaukee, was in town over Sunday.

W. H. Jennings, is still flat on his back, although his symptoms are considered more favorable. E. P. Dana is taking a trip over his territory for the house.

J. Friend has engaged to travel for Fox and Northern Indiana trade.

T. B. Threlkeld, general Western representative for Weisinger & Bate, of Louisville, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

S. W. Bush, general traveling representative for Jas. Craig, the Detroit fish and oblivion. salt jobber, put in Sunday at this market, and left Monday for Kalamazoo.

C. A. Banker, who pursued the brokerage has as many good-looking daughters as ever.

J. H. Brown, whose name and fame are only eclipsed by the house whose goods he has had the honor to represent-P. Lorillard & Co.-put in Sunday and Monday at this market, and left Tuesday for the Saginaws. The report that Mr. Brown is a retired prize fighter is happily without foundation. It undoubtedly is due to the fact that he is invariably successful in "knocking out" the goods of other manufacturers, whenever he comes in contact with them.

A well-known traveler writes THE TRADESMAN as follows: Knowing that the traveling men of this city are benevolent and ready to enter in any matter that may redound to their credit, I desire to lay the following before them through the columns of your esteemed paper: Let the traveling men of this city raise a fund and furnish one or two rooms in the U.B.A. Home. I would suggest that a subscription paper be circulated, or be in the office of THE TRADESMAN. I would nominate as trustees of this fund Steve Sears, Geo. Owen and Geo. Seymour. I will readily pay \$5 to this fund as a starter whenever the committee call upon me.

following resolution was unanimously

Resolved-That it is the sense of this meeting that a Dairy Board of Trade ought to be established at Grand Rapids.

Business and collections are both satisfac tory. Sugars are a trifle weaker, but a firmer feeling is predicted. Package coffees have advanced 1/4c., and kerosene is down 1/2c. a gallon. Other articles in the grocery line are about steady.

Oranges are a shade higher. Lemons have taken quite a decided advance. Nuts are steady and without change.

Hides, Pelts and Furs.

Hides are extremely dull, as is evidenced by the fact that there were no buyers in Boston last week and no prices quoted. Pelts are quiet. Furs are firm. Tallow is 1/4c. lower. Wool is quiet, and lower.

The days are almost at hand when the man who can't do a day's work, on account Pennsylvania Stogas. and come home with a single bird and tell retail price \$5.50. his neighbor that he never saw 'em so thick should be strictly confined to able-bodied inhabitants.

any jobbing house at this market.

"Silver King" coffee is all the rage. On silver present given with every 1 pound

HANG THIS ON THE OUTER WALI

THAT HE WHO RUNS MAY READ.

You Will Never See the Like Again.

The Greatest Offers Ever Made the Purchasers of Tobacc Since the Discovery of the Weed.

We have seen all the schemes, and now come to the front with one that DOUBL DISCOUNTS anything ever placed before the public.

IT IS SHORT, SWEET AND DECISIVE.

Taking advantage of the war between Plug Tobacco Manufacturers, we secured Butts, 28 lbs. each

R. & R., 2x12, 15-oz., SPACED 6, OF

McAlpin's Famous Gold Shield Plug

Well known to be one of the finest and most reliable brands of Plug Tobacco manufa J. Friend has engaged to travel for Fox & Bradford, taking the Southern Michigan and Northern Indiana trade.

LICATE them. It will be "first come, first served."

Our FULL GUARANTEE goes for with these offers that everything is just as we represent it. The country has been floode with tobacco schemes for the past year. It made us tired to keep track of all the scheme that have been issued; it was equally perplexing to our customers. And now, for a gran round-up, we have decided to cap the climax by offering such a practical list of gifts wit the above brand that all other tobacco schemes will be driven from the field and sink interest of the country has been flooded with the scheme.

We call attention of the public to the fact that we are offering a first-class pi of Plug Tobacco AT A MUCH LESS PRICE than POOR SECONDS are being forced upon the public, backed by schemes that have no merit, while we claim that never in the history of the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the public of the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the public of the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the public of the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have such expensive and meritorous articles been offered with the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have the Tobacco Trade have th business at this market for a brief period with indifferent success, is now on the road for N. K. Fairbanks & Co., of Chicago. He

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PRICE, ONLY 38e PER POUND.

Warrant a quipling to the Tobacco as the James Stewart Co. have the pleasure of naming in this sheet.

PRICE, ONLY 38e PER POUND. We cordially Invite our friends to inspect the dazzling display of articles now on e

hibition in our office, purchased for above purpose.

A GRAND OFFER.

We Offer with 40 Butts of Gold Shield Very Fine Organ, Valued at \$125.

AN ELEGANT OFFER.

We offer with SO Butts of Gold Shield Superb Tea Set, comprising Five Pieces of Rogers Bros.' Finest Ware, Gold Lined and Beautifully and Artistically Engraved. List price, \$80.

A HANDSOME OFFER.

We offer with 20 Butts of Gold Shield Very Handsome Silver Tea Set, comprising Six Pieces of Rogers Bros.' Finest Triple-plate Ware, Embossed. List price, \$60.

With 10 28-lb Butts Gold Shield we Offer One of the Following Articles:

The Coopersville Cheese Factory.

The annual meeting of the Coopersville cheese factory was held on the 9th, a large number of farmers being in attendance. The annual reports of the officers showed that the product had been placed at remunerative prices and the indications are that the product for 1886 will be considerably in excess of last season. Addresses were made by C. B. Lambert and E. A. Stowe. The following resolution was unanimously Bros.' Triple-plated ware, listed at \$20.

With 5 Butts Gold Shield One of the Following Articles will be Given to the Purchaser:

Two Barrels My Flour. Two Hundred and Fifty James Stewart Co.'s 100 Pet. Cigars. Five Hundred Henry Clay Cigars. One Thousand Pennsylvan Cent. Cigars. Five Hundred Henry Clay Cigars. One Thousand Pennsylvania Stogas. Thirty-five pounds Topsy Granulated Smoking. One-half chest Japan Teatory, as its superior merits commend it to the consumer, and its consequent fast-selling properties render it a firm friend of the dealer. Those in need of a brand which will walk off the shelf of its own accord, would do well to make arrangements with the manufacturer of "Old Country," or his selling agents, without delay.

The Grocery Market.

Business and collections are both satisfactory.

Cent. Cigars. Five Hundred Henry Clay Cigars. One Thousand Pennsylvania Stogas. Thirty-five pounds Topsy Granulated Smoking. One-half chest Japan Tea. One-half chest Japan Tea. These baskets, or Japanese boxes, are works of art, showing the wonderful skill of the Japanese in working colored straw into artistic designs. These baskets are our own importation under Queen Brand Tea, retails designs. These baskets are our own importation under Queen Brand Tea, retails at 75c to 85c per pound. We have them in 4½, 2½ and 1 pound boxes. Eight 2½ pound Baskets Queen Brand Japan Tea.

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Trea. These baskets have been retailed at \$1. One Silver Pitcher, Triple-plated Satin Finish, \$10. One beautiful Silver-Flower Vase, listed \$8.50. One Silver Caster, 5 bottles, listed \$8.75 one 10-fb Butt McAlpin's Santa Claus Plug, 5-oz. plugs and one of the finest chews ever up in Plug Tobacco, retails 80c. One 10-fb Butt McAlpin's Success Plug, a gil edge, first-class piece of fine tobacco. Nothing finer sold in the fancy line of plugs than McAlpin's Santa Claus and Success brands. Cent. Cigars. McAlpin's Santa Claus and Success brands.

With 3 Butts Gold Shield We Offer an Extremel Attractive List:

One Elegant Ice Cream Set, of finest French china, consisting of one Large Platte and one dozen plates, handsomely decorated, valued at Ss. One Beautiful Water of Lemonade Set, comprising one handsome Hammered Brass Salver, one Pitcher and Foundation of the Brass Salver, one Pitcher and Pitc Lemonade Set, comprising one handsome Hammered Brass Salver, one Pitcher and Fou Tumblers of genuine, imported Bohemian Glass, worth \$7.50. One Barrel My Flour One Hundred and Fifty One Hundred Per Cent. Cigars. Three Hundred Henry Cla Cigars. Twenty ibs. Topsy Granulated Smoking Tobacco. Five Hundred Pennsyl vania Stogas. One Dozed Red Sox, retail at 60e per pair. Two 4½ ib Basket Queen Brand Basket Fired Japan Tea. Three 2½ ib Baskets Queen Brand Japan Tea. Three 2½ ib Baskets Queen Brand Japan Tea. One Silver Flower Vase, listed \$6.50 One Silver Caster, four bottles, \$6.25. One Berry Dish, Silver and Glass combined \$7.50. One Handsome Toilet Set, \$7.

With 2 Butts. The Articles in this Class ar Worth from \$2 to \$5.50.

One Dozen Bohemian Glass Tumblers, warranted genuine, very beautiful. Tw Yes Sacks My Flour. 100 100 Per Cent Cigars. 200 Henry Clay Cigars. Pennsylvania Stogas. 10 fbs Topsy Granulated Smoking Tobacco. 6-fl One 4½-fb Basket Queen Japan Tea. Two 2½-fb 1 of his back or stomach or some other portion of his system being inadequate to any drain upon it, will take a heavy shotgun uponhis shoulder and trudge off fifteen miles in an afternoon, through mud and high grass, and see heavy shotgun with a size of the state of Case, contains a Beautifully Carved Pipe, also Cigar Holders, Cigar Clip and Match Safe

in his life. Hunting is fine sport, but it 1 Butt. The Articles in this Class are Worth from \$1.25 up to \$2.25.

One-half Dozen Bohemian Glass Tumblers.
Per Cent. Cigars. 100 Henry Clay Cigars.
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Three 1-th Baskets Queen Japan
Three 1-th Baskets Queen Japan Harry Snedeker, representative for Lautz
Bros. & Co., Buffalo, took an order for 1,050 boxes of soap from Bulkley, Lemon & Hoops last week. This is claimed to be the largest purchase of soap ever made by

One-nail Dozen Boneman Glass Tainberts 5 fb Topsy Granulated Smoki Tobacco. One 2½-fb Basket Queen Japan Tea. Three 1-fb Baskets Queen Japan Tea. One Case No. 9 Matches. One 5-gal. Keg Buffalo No. 6 Syrup. Ten from Roasted Rio Coffee. One dozen Silver-plated Spoons. One-half Dozen She field Dinner Knives, \$1.50. One Silver Owl Pepper, \$1.50. One Silver Cup, \$2.

THE JAMES STEWART CO., Ltd. EAST SAGINAW, Mich., Feb. 22, 1886.

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Kuppenheimer is the only Manufacturer of the Celebrated O-WASH

OUT AROUND.

News and Gossip Furnished by Our Own Correspondents.

Traverse City.

Perkett & Lardie are buying all the potatoes brought to town.

The increase of business has caused the Traverse City Manufacturing Co. to purchase a new 62-inch saw.

Mrs. A. M. Davis has returned from her

Washington trip and resumed her position with Hamilton & Milliken.

T. R. Bentley has taken down the old

Asylum boarding house, and moved the material to the Traverse City Manufacturing Co.'s grounds, where he will erect a storage house, 20x80.

The Traverse City Driving Club was in-corporated last week with a capital stock of \$3,000, divided into shares of \$10 each. Fif-teen hundred dollars has already been sub-

Hamilton & Milliken have secured the services of Miss Clara Campbell, in the la-dies' department, and B. H. Bracken, of Allegan, in the clothing department.

The make-up of Traverse City sand, and that lying beneath it, will be fully described by Prof. Winchell in his lecture, March 19.

Lake City.

S. H. Bird fills the vacancy at Sampson & Drury's store, caused by the departure of the former clerk.

Wood & Walton have put up a stock of ice and will keep Lake City cool next sum-

Geo. Morrison is putting up a store adjacent to his present building and will lease it to Theodore Fohl for a harness shop.

H. J. McMillan will bank nearly 20,000,-

000 feet of pine this winter. He has several

It is currently reported that the C. & N. E. Railway, which now terminates here, will be extended as soon as the frost leaves the ground. The road has now a large patronage and its advantages have already given business here a new impetus, in con-sequence of which Lake City is experienc-ing the biggest boom in its history.

Big Rapids.

The boot and shoe store of Timothy Edmonds was closed Friday by W. D. Robinson, of Detroit, who holds a judgment of \$700 against Edmonds. Magraw, of Detroit, also holds a chattel mortgage of \$800 on the stock. The invoice is not yet completed but will perchably amount to \$2,000. pleted, but will probably amount to \$2,200. Dealing in too many horses, with Tom, Dick and your wife to run your business, is the main reason for the present state of

The grocery store of M. B. Wiseman was closed Friday by a Grand Rapids party who held a second mortgage; but J. W. Wiseman fixed it up. Glidden & Marsh held a first mortgage of \$500 to secure creditors.

F. L. Slater, of Three Rivers, has rented J. Laduke's vacant store and will open a jewelry and music store, holding auction sales every Saturday. His goods were placed in the store Saturday.

Wm. Judson purchased only a one-third interest in the banking business of F. Fairman, instead of one-half, as was previously stated. Mr. Fairman gave his son, George a one-third interest, and retains a one-third interest. He makes the change in order to be partially relieved from the close confine ment to business.

Geo. W. Crawford started up his sash and

blind factory last week, and during the summer will employ a large force of men.

O. Webster, of the firm of F. A. Clary & Co., has gone to Pt. Au Frein to take measurements for belting their new circular mill

at that place. They expect to begin manufacturing lumber early next month.

Geo. Deitz has sold his property here to J. A. Smith, and started for Florida Monday. George has been one of our most popular business men, and his departure is deadly regretted. deeply regretted.

The butter and egg store was closed this

week, and the proprietor, W. H. Otis, has moved Northward.

Vet Stevens has sold his interest in the restaurant business, and contemplates start-

The residence of F. W. Bohnankamp, a well-to-do farmer in Forest Home township, was destroyed by fire with all its contents including \$40 in currency, on the 10th. Mr. Bohnankamp was away from home at the time. Mrs. Bohnankamp got the children out, and in trying to get the money was quite severely burned. Cause of the fire, stove pipe running through the roof. No insurance.

Henry Richardi, one of the firm of Richardi & Bechtoldt, goes next week to Val-paraiso, Ind, to a ttend the State Normal School, pursuing a course of study in the mechanic arts.

Newaygo.

M. S. Angell is papering and otherwise fixing up his vacant store building on State street. A firm from Cedar Springs expect soon to occupy it.

VISITING BUYERS.

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

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H. M. Harroun, McLane.
H. W. Potter, Jennisonville.
J. DeGraff, Zeeland.
Rose Bros., Allendale.
Gus Begman, Bauer.
R. Purdy, Fremont.
Henry Henkel, Howard City.
Mr. Frace, Frace & Huhn, Saranac.
B. Dickerson, Bellaire.
H. W. Marsh, Hobart.
E. E. Hewett, Hewett & Teft, Rockford.
Arthur Cheesbrough, Reigler, Roush & Co., Treeport.

E. E. Hewett, Hewett & Teft, Rock Arthur Cheesbrough. Reigler, Rou Freeport.

N. De Vries, Jamestown.
Jno. Gunstra, Lamont.
Jas Murray, Cadillac.
D. W. Shattuck, Wayland.
J. Grutter, Grandville.
J. J. Wiseman, Nunica.
W. J. Clark, Harbor Springs.
Walter Struik, Forest Grove.
Henry DeKline, Jamestown.
F. C. Stone, Cedar Springs.
S. T. McLellan, Dennison.
O. D. Chapman, Stanwood.
Geo. A. Sage, Rockford.
Wm. Rowe & Co. Manistee.
Sisson & Lilley Lumber Co., Lilley.
W. B. Wilson, Muskegon.
J. B. Watson, Coopersville.
B. E. West & Co., Lowell.
Nagler & Beeler, Caledonia.
Severace & Rich, Middleville.
Jas. Campbell, Westwood.
A. L. Dennis, New Era.
C. E. Coburn, Pierson.
M. N. Parris, Kent City.

The Strobridge Lithographing Co.'s large calendar for this year is fully up to the elaborate souvenirs of previous years in point of artistic excellence. THE TRADESMAN is indebted to State Agent Maybury for a copy

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.

Advertisements directing that answers be sent in care of this office must be accompanied by 25 cents extra, to cover expense of postage, etc.

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FOR SALE—General stock, comprising lines of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, hardware, drugs, etc. Owner is postmaster, at salary of \$300 per year. Am doing a good paying business, but compelled to close out at sacrifice, on account of ill-health. Address R. B. Jennings, New Troy, Mich. 135*

FOR SALE-Drug store at a bargain. Address C. L. Brundage, 79 W. Western ave., Muskegon, Mich.

FOR SALE—I wish to engage in a special line of business and offer for sale half interest in the general merchandise store at Richland, Mich. Wm. B. Tyler, Richland, Mich. 130* FOR SALE—Drug store and house and lot. For further particulars inquire of or address Box 172, Muskegon, Mich.

PARTNER WANTED—A grocery merchant with fifteen years' experience and doing a business of \$20,000 per year in one of the best towns in Northern Michigan desires a partner with \$2,000 capital. For particulars, address CB., 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.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples-Choice winter fruit is in fair demand at \$1.75.

Beans-Local buyers pay 50c@75c ₺ bu. for unpicked and hold ordinary hand-picked for \$1.10@\$1.20.

Butter-Michigan creamery is easy at 28@30. Sweet dairy is in fair 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 at 12@14c.

Cabbages—In fair demand at \$8@\$10 \$\ 100. Cheese—The best grades of October and November make are selling at 11½@12½.

Cider-8c \$ gal. and \$1 for bbl. Celery-25c ♥ doz. bunches for Kalamazoo or Otsego, and scarce.

Cranberries-The Michigan crop is about played out. New Jersey berries are slow sale at \$2 per bu. box, and Wisconsin Bell and Cherry berries are in occasional demand at \$5 per bbl.

Dried Apples-Quartered and sliced, 3@31/2c. Evaporated, 61/2@7c, according to quality.

Dried Peaches-Pared, 15c. Eggs-Weak and supply largely in excess of demand. Jobbers are paying 9@10c, and holding at about 11c.

Honey—Choice is new in comb firm at 14c. Hay—Bailed is active and firm at \$15 per ton in two and five ton lots and \$13 in car lots.

Hops-Brewers pay 8@10c 78 b. Lettuce—25c 報 tb. Onions—Home-grown, 75c \$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$bu.}} or \$2.25 \$\text{\$\text{\$\text{\$bbl.}}}

S5c.
Corn—Jobbing generally at 44@45c in 100 bu. lots and 38@40c in carlots.
Oats—White, 38c in small lots and 33@35c in car lots.
Rye—48@50c \$\partial \text{bu}\$ bu.
Barley—Brewers pay \$1.25 \$\partial \text{cwt}\$.
Flour—No change. Fancy Patent, \$5.50 \$\partial \text{bb}\$. in sacks and \$5.75 in wood. Straight, \$4.60 \$\partial \text{bb}\$. in sacks and \$4.80 in wood.
Meal—Bolted, \$2.75 \$\partial \text{bb}\$. in Bran, \$15 \$\partial \text{ton}\$. Ships, \$16 \$\partial \text{ton}\$. Mill Feed—Screenings, \$15 \$\partial \text{ton}\$. Bran, \$15 \$\partial \text{ton}\$. Ships, \$16 \$\partial \text{ton}\$. Mildlings, \$16 \$\partial \text{ton}\$. Corn and Oats, \$18 \$\partial \text{ton}\$.

FRESH MEATS.

John Mohrhard quotes the trade selling

resh Beef, sides 5 @	7
resh Beef, hind quarters 61/2@	71/2
ressed Hogs 51/260	5%
utton, carcasses 6 @	61/2
eal 8 @	19
	71/2
ologna 6½0	17
owls10 @	101/2
oring Chickens11 @	111/2
ucks @	112
urkeys @	12



FULL LINE OF ALL STAPLE PLUGS KEPT IN STOCK.

Sole Agents for Celebrated

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76 South Division St., Grand Rapids, Mich Exclusively Wholesale.

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Daniel Scotten & Co.'s "HIAWATHA" Plug Tobacco.

Lautz. Bros. & Co.'s SOAPS.

Niagara STARCH. Dwinell, Howard & Co.'s Royal Mocha and Java. Royal Java. Golden Santos.

Thompson & Taylor Spice Co.'s "Magnolia" Package Coffee.

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"JOLLY TIME" Fine Cut

Dark and sweet, with plug flavor, the best goods on the market.

In addition to a full line of staple groceries, we are the only house in Michigan which carries a complete assortment of fancy groceries and table delicacies.

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The best and most attractive goods on the market.

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COMPANY,

Exclusively Wholesale,

Present to the Trade the

Largest and Most Complete Line

Heavy Hardware Shelf and

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Our Stock Comprises Everything

Included in a First-Class

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Foreign and Domestic Fruits, Southern Vegetables, Etc. We handle on Commission BERRIES, Etc. All orders filled at lowest market price. Corresndence solicited. APPLES AND POTATOES in car lots Specialties. NO. 9 IONIA ST.

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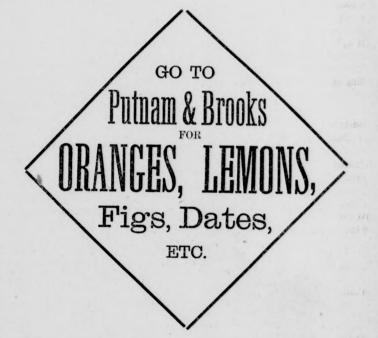
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OIL CANS.

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3-gal. "G	ood Enoug	h," Tin	12 00
5-gal.	**	**	15 00
5-gal.	**	Wood Jacke	t18 00
10-gal.	46	**	24 00
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Fine Glazed Earthenware

"Common Sense" Stew Par	18.	
12 1/2 -gal. Milk Pans, flat bottom	6	72
24 1-gal. " "	0	1 92
12 1-gal. " round bottom	8	96
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A complete stock of AKRON OHIO STONEW onstantly on hand. We are agents of Akron Stoner ssociation and will make special prices in car lot vered to any point in Michigan or Indiana.	vare i



"Burgess & Goddards" White Granite English Ware, "Crown" Shape.

Crown Shape.		-
Diamond X.		
4 doz. Plates, Pie 48	1 92	
4 doz. " Tea 58	2 32	
11 doz. " Breakfast 69	7 59	
3 doz. " Dinner 80	2 40	
1 doz. " Soup 69	69	
6 doz. Fruit Saucers, 4 in 32	1 92	1
6 sets Handled Teas 42	2 52	
18 sets Unhandled Teas		
15 platters 7 in. 8 in. 9 in. 18 in. 11 in. 12 in.	2 54	
8 9 11 16 22 27		2
4 each.		1
16 Bakers 5 in. 6 in. 7 in. 8 in.		
.07 .09 .12 .17	1 80	1
6 each.		1
24 Scollops, 5 in. 6 in. 7 in. 8 in.		
	2 70	2
2 Covered Dishes, 7 in	74	1
2 " 8 in 5 10		
1 Sauce Boat, 14c; 2 Pickle, 11c	36	
4 Covered Butters 88	1 28	
2 Tea Pots. 24s 3 40	57	
6 Sugar Bowls, 24s 2 87	1 43	
6 Creamers, 24s 1 28	64	
3 Bowls, quarts 1 06	27	1
6 " pint and a half 85	42	
6 " pint 71	35	
4 6 4 4 6		1
24 Pitchers, 6s 12s 24s 30s 36s		
.33 .22 .13 .11 .09	4 14	
4 pair Ewers and Basins, 9s8 08	2 69	1
6 Covered Chambers, 9s	2 55	1
6 Soaps, 27c each; 6 Mugs, .07 each	2 06	1
Crate	2 50	1
		2
	53 55	1

Lines of Crockery

Carried in Original Packages or Repacked to order: Wedgewood & Co., White Granite; Knowles, Taylor & Knowles, White Granite; T. & R. Boote, White Granite; Wedgewood & Co., Lustre Band; W. H. Grindley & Co., Decorated Ware; T. & R. Bootes, Decorated Ware.

Maxims for Merchants.

Energy in action is a requisite to even moderate success in business.

More is required in the management of a

really means nothing harsh.

other and more decisive men.

three or four years.

A man of energy controls many circum advances to honor and wealth.

portance to the merchant.

standing accounts and their maturity.

While circumstances may often make or

cept matters pertaining to business should limestone caves. Each cheese weighs five be regarded as a serious drawback, and pounds and is worth 35 cents per pound. worthy of more attention than a mere pass- An old French gentleman, residing on Staten

tion to the business be dwelt on continually cheese. He supplies quite a number of or too frequently, when the danger is not dealers, and is worth quite a little fortune resolution and wavering.

Economy or a careful avoidance of unne- and wholesales at \$3.50 per dozen. Pout l' cessary waste, both in the goods that are Eveque is worth \$3 per dozen and Fromage fruit, also on apples in car lots. dealt in and in the expenses of conducting de Brie \$1.50 per piece. Neufchatel, a a business, are matters which should enlist species of pot-cheese, is worth 10 cents per the closest attention of the merchant.

portion. Limburger made here is worth 12 Have an honorable purpose and pursue it cents per pound and Munster cheese 20 with enthusiasm, resolution and diligence, cents. The bright red Edam cheese from Reference-First National Bank. and the turning points in life will turn in Holland, as round as a cannon ball and alyour favor. Be your best self. Obey your most as hard, is worth \$10 a case of a dozen highest convictions or right and duty.

A man should take care in starting out in ly used in the preparation of macaroni, life that he does not overrate himself, lest comes from Italy in tubs containing five when he gets into practical business, he is loaves, and is worth 28 cents per pound. too easily dissatisfied, and discouraged by The favorite cheese of the Italians is the every postponement of success, and thus be- Caccio Cavallo or horse-head cheese, which comes vacillating and changeable in his is shipped to this country from Naples, and

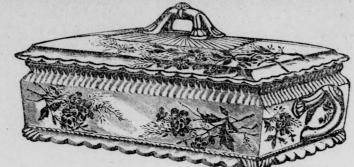
the fact that much of his stock is not worth what it cost him, and that many of his outstanding accounts are uncollectable and nearly worthless.

Nearly all the mining corporations of the Marquette district have advanced the wages of underground employees 10 per cent. since March 1—an excellent method of preventing strikes.

The Importation of Foreign Cheese. From the Chicago Grocer.

If our American makers keep on, there will soon not be any necessity for importing Saw and Grist Mill Machinery, business, as a whole, then in special actions any foreign cheese. American ingenuity is rapidly solving the cheese problem. We A grum, surly look and tone of voice often already produce a domestic Swiss cheese, drive away a customer when the merchant which is considered fully equal the imported article, although the latter brings five cents Some men seem to do business without more in price. The importation of Limburany opinions of their own. They are the ger cheese is now very small. Still the imsubjects of circumstances and the prey of portation of foreign cheese into this country last year amounted to over \$1,000,000. Perseverence is necessary to success in al- The principal foreign cheeses are the Stilmost any undertaking in life. A business ton, Cheddar Cheshire and Gloucester cheese is not built up in a year, and often not in from England; Gruyere from Switzerland, Roquefort, Camembert, Pont l' Eveque, Fromage de Brie and Neufchatel from stances otherwise unpropitious, and opens France, Edam cheese from Holland; Parup opportunities for himself, by which he mesa fromage Romans and Caecio Cavallopoli from Italy. Stilton cheese is in the The prompt recognition of persons who shape of a cylinder, ten inches in height and have before traded with him, and the prompt eight inches in diameter. It is worth 45 recollection of their names, are of great im- cents per pound wholesale. Cheddar is similar to factory cheese in appearance, and In actual business the powers of the memiss worth 32 cents. Both Cheshire and Glouory should be exerted to remember the prices cester are flat cheeses and are worth 28 cents. of the goods, the amounts of the special out. The genuine Gruyere cheese comes from Switzerland, although an inferior article is made in France. The Swiss Gruyere cheese mar a man's life, we may often make the cir- measures three feet across. Four cheeses cumstances. The only way to conquer cir- weighing about 150 pounds are packed in a cumstances is to be the biggest circumstance tub for exportation. Swiss Gruyere is worth 25 cents per pound. Roquefort cheese is An ability to remember everything else ex- made from the milk of goats, ripened in Island, owns a large herd of goats and If the possibility of a disastrous termina- makes a very fair article of Roquefort is imported in boxes of five dozen pieces,

business aims. It is only a question of It should be remembered that, as a general thing, the insolvency of a man in business does not come upon him suddenly. It edites the successfully reproducted here in our own dairies.



The Square "Windsor"

Dinner Ware

Price-List on Application.

This new decorated pattern is the success of the trade and readily retails at \$48.50 per set of 125 prices. Positively the handomest set on the market.

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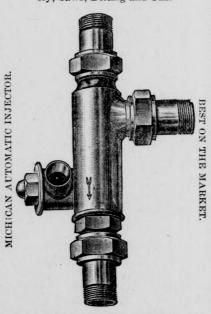
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0 doz. " 7 in. or Breakfast 1 06 10 6	0
3 doz. " 8 in. or Dinner 1 12 3 6	66
6 doz. Fruit Saucers, 4 in 49 2 9	14
2 doz. Soup Plates, 7 in 1 06 2 1	
2 3 6 4 4 2	
1 Platters, 8 in. 9 in. 10 in. 11 in. 12 in. 14 in.	
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Rakers 7 in 8 in 9 in	

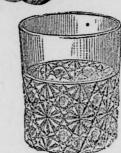
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5	4 Casseroles, 7 in. 8 in. 9 in.		
	.65 .73 .81	2	1
	3 Tea Pots, 24s, 5 20; 6 Sugars, 24s, 4 39	3	
	6 Cream a 94a 105		

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Planers, Matchers, Moulders and all kinds of Wood-Working Machin-ery, Saws, Belting and Oils.



Send for sample pulley as 130 Oakes St., -Grand Rapids, Mich



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		ox Containi 1, Canary T		ers.
11/2 "	**	Amber	**	
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11/2	46	Crystal	**	
	tal. 6 d	loz. @ 70		4 20
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Half Gallon Water Pitchers.

"Empire," 1½ doz. in bbl. per doz 1
"Patience," Assorted, 1 doz. in bbl. per doz 2
"Owl," Assorted, 1 doz. in bbl. . . . per doz 2

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Plain Table Tumblers. Plain Table Tumblers.

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4 doz.	**	1.	otton	1.
4 doz.	Star	**		
3 doz.	Fluted.	**		
3 doz.		**		

Half Gallon Water Pitchers. 25 CENT BARGAINS.

New Glassware for Spring Trade New Glassware for Spring Trade The "No. 100 Lace" Pattern.

	1/4 doz. 9-D Celeries
	3 doz. 9-D Pitchers, half gallon2 25
01 Hobnail Tumbler. 01 Hobnail Tumbler.	2 doz. 9-D Comports, 4 in. 30 2 doz. 9-D Tumblers 50 2 doz. 9-D Goblets 48 4 doz. 9 D Comports, 8 in. 1 40
	4 doz. 9-D Salver, 9 in
One Box Containing	14 doz. 9-D Salver, 10 in
No. 101, Canary Tumblers.	½ doz. 9-D Pickles 45
" Amber " Blue "	14 doz. 9-D Oval Berry, 8 in 60
" Crystal "	14 doz. 9-D Oval Berry, 9 in 80
otal, 6 doz. @ 70	½ doz. 8-D Bread Plates
ox 35	
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Salvers, 10 in., any color doz.

Salvers, 10 in., any color doz.

"10 in., crystal doz.

Individual Butters, assorted colors.

Covered Sauce Bowls, any color.

"" crystal "



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" Amber " " Blue " " Crystal "	14 doz. 9-D Oval Berry, 8 in
otal, 6 doz. @ 70	14 doz. 8-D Bread Plates
	Package

Less 10 per cent, on \$8 20.....

TABLE SET

Of 9-D Pattern.

Extra Heavy Flint Glass.

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Five and Ten Cent Colored Table Glassware

New Packages for 1886, superior to any goods now sold.

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