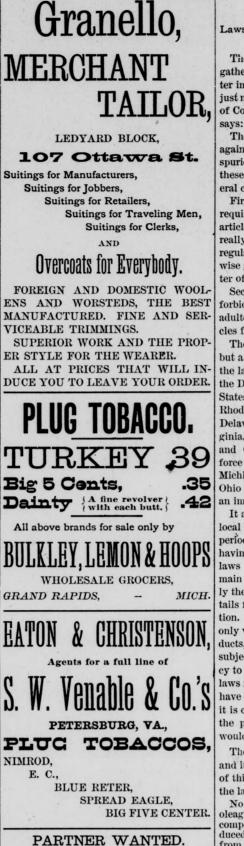
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BOGUS BUTTER. Laws Enacted for the Regulation of its Manufacture and Sale.

The Department of Agriculture has been gathering some facts with reference to butof Congress by the dairymen. The report

The laws for the protection of consumers against the purchase as butter or cheese of spurious or adulterated articles called by these names may be divided into two general classes-namely:

First-Regulative laws, or those which require that such spurious or adulterated articles shall be sold only for what they really are, and to secure this end provide regulations as to marking, labeling, or otherwise giving public notice of the true character of the article sold.

Second-Prohibitory laws, or those which forbid the manufacture of such spurious or adulterated articles or the offer of such articles for sale.

The earlier laws were of the former class, but a number of the more recent ones are of States: New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Georgia, West Virginia, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska, Nevada, and California. Prohibitory laws are in force in Maine, New York, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota, while Ohio has a law of the same class, but with an important limitation. It appears that a fair proportion of this

local legislation has been within a recent period, Connecticut, New Jersey, and Iowa having passed 'regulative anti-butterine' laws within the last two months. The

main features of these laws are substantially the same, the difference being in the details for carrying them into practical operation. Some of the States have legislated only with an eye to imitation dairy products, while others have covered the whole subject of food adulteration. The tendency to advance from regulative to prohibitory laws makes the States in which the latter have been enacted of more importance, as it is claimed by the butterine people that the proposed tax of 10 cents per pound would amount to practical prohibition.

The New York law is the most elaborate and it is quoted in full. The legal status of this enactment is thus stated. Sec. 6 of the law is as follows:

No person shall manufacture out of any oleaginous substance or substances, or any compound of the same other than that produced from unadulterated milk or of cream from the same, any article designed to take the place of butter or cheese produced from pure, unadulterated milk or cream of the same, or shall sell or offer for sale the same as an article of food. This provision shall not apply to pure skim milk cheese made from pure skim milk. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and be punished by a fine

of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500, or not less than six months' or more than one years' imprisonment, or both such fine

into the House of Commons of a bill to been made concerning its manufacture or 'regulate the importation, manufacture and sale. There are very rigorous general laws sale of butter substitutes.' It defines butter as 'such article produced from unadulter-

ated milk or cream, unmixed with any other fatty or oleaginous substance whatever." ter imitations. They are of special interest and margarine or oleomargarine as 'any ited or regulated any in manner by law. just now, in view of the legislation asked imitation of butter whatsoever, or any compound of butter and animal or vegetable

> butter shall have 'Margarine' or 'Oleomargarine' stamped or branded upon it in letters of duty as natural butter-namely; 16.2 at least an inch in length. The penalty for cents per kilogram. A question arising as the first offense against this section is a fine not exceeding £20; for a second a month's tom-house and found to be pure margarine, imprisonment or £50, and any subsequent

> dealers are required to inform every pur- dated, Feb. 14, 1884, to a duty of 5.4 cents chaser that the article sold is margarine, under penalty of £10. For the better carrying of the bill into successful operation it is

any fine to the informer by whose evidence quite extensively, and there is no law to conviction is obtained. Other countries are summarized as follows:

importation of spurious butter, but sale is regulated by the sanitary officers of the difthe latter. Regulative laws are in force in ferent municipalities. If any butters conthe District of Columbia and the following taining a deleterious mixture are sold they must be given their true name and quality and not be sold as butter, otherwise the goods may be confiscated and the venders knows his manager will audit his bill of punished with fine and imprisonment.

Belgium-There is no general law in relation to the matter. 'It is the subject of municipal regulation. An ordinance of the Communal Council of Brussels provides half a dollar for it, as though he ate the

real butter, shall occupy a place assigned to him by the communal administration, and his stall shall bear in distinct characters the sign 'artificial butter.'

Denmark-The only law bearing directly upon the subject is one providing that arti- first-class, is \$11.25. A scalper ticket costs ficial butter shall be packed in vessels dif- \$7. What is the matter with riding on a ferently fashioned from those known as scalper ticket and charging first-class fare? butter barrels or kegs, under specific rules The drummer says 'I deny myself, thereproscribed by the Minister of the Interior, and shall be marked with the word 'Marga- reasoning may be carried too far. I knew rine.' Violations of this law are punish- a traveler, Jack Cokejaw of a Union Square able by a fine of 200 to 2,000 kroner (\$53.60 to \$536), and by the confiscation of the arti- month's expense account. 'Here,' said the cles, of which one-half the value goes to the manager, 'we don't clothe you.' 'Oh, I reporter of the offense in case he demands thought you did,' said Jack innocently.

terfieit butter is supplied by the control over all food products vested in Health Commissioners of the different towns, which, in there now, do you?" said he. 'No. This concert with the police, exercise their au- bill is all right. This is the way we want

each town by the Ministry of the Interior. the manager. But there is a suit of ciothes A medical man is usually attached to these there, all the same,' chuckled Jack. He commissions, and they are authorized to call had spread the cost of the suit like butterin experts in case of need to assist them in the whole length of the account. When I their investigations.

frauds in the sale of butter was introduced work then for a sewing machine house, and in the French Chambers of Deputies Aug. had charge of the city trade. He used to 14, 1884, by M. Julius Meline, Minister of ask me often to dine with him, and I noticed Agriculture; but it does not apper from in- he never paid for what he got. 'We seldom formation at hand that the measure has be- ate twice at the same place, and I began to come a law. It requires the vender of arti- think his credit was monumental. 'Next

voice, freight-office ticket, or bill of lading

shall have deceived or attempted to deceive

concerning the sale of adulterated or unwholesome food.

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Netherlands-The importation, manufacture or sale of artificial butter is not prohib-

Portugal-There are no legal restrictions upon the production or sale of artifioil.' Any tub or firkin containing imitation cial butters. 'DeMourier's oleomargarine' is subject, on importation, to the same rate to another substance presented at the cusintended for use in the manufacture of aroffense six months' imprisonment. Retail tificial butter, it was subjected, by a decree per kilogram.

Russia-There are no restrictions upon the importation, but, in fact, none is improposed to give one-half the amount of ported. Artificial butter is manufactured protect or regulate its sale. It may be sold as genuine butter without penalty, Austria-There is no law to prevent the provided it does not contain any ingredients which are detrimental to the public health."

How Drummers Make Money. From the New York Star.

"If I give you your fare on a street car and you walk, you earn that money don't you? Just so with the drummer. He expenses if he doesn't run over \$4 or \$4.50 per day. Some firms let their men have more rope than that, but \$4.50 is the average. If a drummer misses a meal he charges that persons selling artificial butter, the meal. If he eats a 20-cent lunch it costs color and shape of which resemble those of the firm 50 cents—his stomach earns the other 30 cents." The speaker was a drummer for a firm of Broadway glove importers, and he gave away trade secrects to a Star young man at the Morton House.

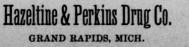
"The fare from Buffalo to New York, fore I earn \$2.25.' Of course that kind of house, who put a suit of clothes in the first it. Still another check on the sale of coun- Not long afterward Jack was in the city again. He brought in another bill of expenses. . 'You don't see a suit of clothes thority under the regulations sanctioned for to see your expenses-all itemized,' replied first met Jack he was always flush. In fact France-A bill for the suppression of he is now, but he is manager. Jack was at

Millions of dollars would be saved annually by the invalids of every community, if, instead of calling in a physician for every ailment, they were all wise enough to put their trustin Golden Seal Bitters, a certain cure for all dis eases arising from an impure state of the Blood and Liver, such as Scrofula in its various forms, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Female irregularities, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Exposure and Imprudence or Life. No person can take these Bitters accord-ing to instructions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by min-eral poison or other means, and the vital or-gans wasted beyond the point of repair. Gold-ed Seal Bitters numbers on its list of cures ac-quired a great celebrity, being used as a fam-ily medicine. Sold by Hazeltine & Perkins Drug Co. 143

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mills, 40 and 50 horse-power, well located repair and now running. Any party having the City and County of New York and the also be correctly described in the invoice merchandise to exchange must give particulars when writing. For further information, conviction having, on appeal to the general term of the Supreme Court in the first de- consignments of it. The neglect of these address W. L. Beardsley, Hersey, Mich.

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the case was carried to the Court of Appeals. The case was one in which it was oleomargarine as butter. His offense con- and with a fine of 100 to 2,000 francs, any sisted in selling an article designed to take one who by false declarations on the inthe place of butter and not made from pure milk or cream. The court (Judge Rappalo

the purchaser. giving the opinion) held that the prohibi-

tory clause of the act was so broad as to cover a case in which there was no simulation of butter or cheese, no attempt at conviction. Art. 4 provides for the confisfraud, and no complaint that the articles manufactured or sold were unwholesome. This was held to be an infraction of the constitutional right of every citizen to the free use of his faculties in any pursuit not ing up of the judgment of confiscation, and boarding-houses, and bought twenty maprejudicial to the public welfare. In conclusion, it was declared that the judgment ond offense. of the general term and of the Court of Ses-

sions should be reversed. This decision would leave in full force ous butter and cheese to be sold under their true names, and prescribing certain marks, brands, etc., to appraise the purchaser of their character. The Legislature, however, has since re-enacted the prohibitory provision, the vote to that effect being unanimous in one House and with only one dissenting

voice in the other. In Ohio the prohibition does not apply to when manufactured from beef suit and milk. It appears that the subject is causing agita- pression of oleomargarine. The Council lodging in various parts of the city, and as tion in other countries than the United has decided that inquiries should be made I say, I got tired of eating up my profits on imported from Holland and elsewhere, and sale will be issued.

sold as dairy butter, have paved the way, in Italy-There has not been any restriction heavy manufacturing machine for \$90 which accordance with the laws of a large number placed upon the importation of artificial but- cost me \$30-and what an elegant suit of 21 PEARL STREET, GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. of the American States for the introduction ter, and no special laws or regulations have clothes I got for that \$30."

apply to green or skimmed milk cheese.

rine or other fats, to make known the true the boys in the office with us,' said Jack, as A person accused of violating the provis- character of the article by means of a label we left a well-known restaurant one day. 'I to cut the timber on said tract, both in good ions of Sec. 6 having been convicted of that placed on the article itself or on the bar- don't like the place at all, and I'm anxious offense in the Court of General Sessions of rel or other package containing it. It must to eat up what he owes me."

"Then he owes you money," said I, to and way-bill or bill of lading accompanying draw Jack out.

"Yes, they all owe me more money than partment, been affirmed by that tribunal, requirements is made punishable by a fine I'll ever get. I might quit work now and of 11 to 16 francs and by imprisonment not board around from place to place for two exceeding five days. Art. 2 punishes with years and not eat the accounts up. You see not charged that the defendant had sold imprisonment from six days to a month, I once put an advertisement in a Sunday paper which read something like this:

FIRST-CLASS board wanted for a first-class sewing machine direct from the factory. References required.

"Well, I got over seventy-five answers. I was given the best of references-bankers, Art. 3 imposes the maximum penalty on any preachers and doctors. Most of the letters. one convicted within a year after a former were from boarding house keepers and restauranteurs. They were from all parts of cation of the counterfeit or adulterated arti- the city. As manager of the city trade I cle when found in the possession of the per- could sell a single machine as a sample at. son offering it for sale. It also empowers the wholesale price. But I didn't do that. the Judge to order the publication and post- I picked out twenty good restaurants and makes the same obligatory in case of a sec- chines on my own account on four month's

time. The wholesale price of each machine Germany-The Mark Lane Express of was \$19, and the retail price \$55. Of course Nov. 9, 1885, contains the following: The I paid \$19 each and sold them at the retail question of butter manufacture has lately price. At each of the twenty places I told the regulative laws of 1882, requiring spuri- been very much discussed in Germany, them if they wanted a brond-new machine I especially in the Province of Schleswig- would let them have one direct from the Holstein, where a law has just been passed office for \$20, cash, and would take the balprohibiting the use of oil or any oily sub- ance out in board. They jumped at it, esstance, except milk or cream, in making pecially as the machine was one of the best butter and cheese. Nor may either be sold make, and I promised to take it back if not cheaply or offered in the market at an un- satisfactory. Near three restaurants I got a usually low rate. These conditions do not suit of rooms on the machine account. In less than two days I had delivered the Switzerland-The same paper has the fol- twenty machines, had \$400 in cash in pocket the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine lowing in regard to Switzerland: Efforts with four months in which to pay for the are being made in Switzerland for the sup- goods. I had \$700 to take out in board and

States. The decrease in the profits of into the subject, and should it be found that the scheme. The \$700 was all profit and British and Irish dairying and the large oleomargarine has become a regular article also \$1 on each machine. Why, I worked amounts of butterine, oleomargarine, etc., of commerce a tariff of duties to check its the same plan on the tailors-they wanted sewing machines. I could sell a tailor a

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# Merchants and Manufacturers' Exchange.

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Subscribers and others, when writing to advertisers, will confer a favor on the pub-lisher by mentioning that they saw the adver-tisement in the columns of this paper.

### LESSONS LEARNED FROM FAIL. URE.

THE TRADESMAN reproduces an article on the labor situation from an exchange this tions. week and heads it "Failure of the Eight-Hour Movement." It is unnecessary to state in this connection that the movement is a failure, for every man who reads the pose of organizing and the indications are newspapers-aside from the fire-eating labor organs-is aware that the agitation resulted disastrously. Three or four factories in this city are still running on the eighthour basis, but both employers and workmen are dissatisfied with the arrangement and both are awaiting an opportunity to resume the old system. There is no manufacturing center where the new order of your paper can't be beat as an advertising village. things obtains and a few isolated examples medium." throughout the country are all the agitators -can point to as the result of their efforts. Taking the country as a whole, not one hundredth part of the workingmen are working with the eight-hour plan and the indications are that even that infinitely small proportion will decreased instead of increased.

The reasons for the failure of the plan which the mouthy labor agitators represented would bring about the millenium are. many. First and foremost, a fair trial of the new system revealed the fact that the majority of the workingmen gained nothing from the extra hours of idleness except business at Grand Haven. Cody, Ball & \$105,000. They recently sold it for \$175,acquiring an added thirst for liquor. The Co. furnished the stock. "Great Labor Jubilee" with which the

between two or more persons wrongfully to injure or prejudice a third person or any body of men, as for instance, a combination to injure or more persons wrongfully to body of men, as for instance, a combination The W. C. Arnold drug stock, at Ludto injure a man in his trade or profession, is a conspiracy, and as such is an indictable offense. If, therefore, two or more persons conspire together for the purpose of boycotting a man, with intent to injure or destroy his business, they may be indicted for conspiracy.

POSTPONED PROSPERITY.

During January and February the country appeared to have recoiled from its previous The balance of the Hough & Wagley stock feet long and three feet high. The work lethargy and every indication pointed to the of goods was sold at auction Wednesday consists of a wooden framework, covered most profitable season for five years. Bus- and bid in by A. T. Burnett. iness began to move with old-time energy and confidence was apparently on the road grocery business at Sand Lake. The stock to restoration.

In an evil hour the hands moved back- Thos. Ferguson placing the order. ward. Labor asserted itself by means of senseless agitations and even less senseless Philo has sold the balance of his drugs and strikes—by riots and the bomb! What is the result? Confidence is timid, We understand they intend to remove them also stopped over at Grand Rapids on their business men are cautious, business opera- to Sand Lake. tions are suspended and the return of good times. is delayed at least a year, perhaps elhock & Lewenberg, has been closed on at- len Publishing Co., but for the last six

longer. The question for the laboring men to con-pending against William B. Lewenberg. for the Art Album Co., of Battle Creek, has sider is this, Are they any better off than The proceeding grew out of alleged fraudthey were before the reign of disorder? Knights of Toil, think of these things!

A report to the House shows that 20,747,-000 acres of American land, or about the area of Ireland, is owned by alien purchasers and companies composed of aliens. This is an abuse which should be corrected by heritance. The London property of Geo. will move there. Peabody escheated to the crown at his death. Why not adopt the same law for America? It would not meet the whole difficulty, un- George Greenwood, Samuel Kanaus, J. W. less some similar restriction were laid on Burk and N. W. Sherman has been organalien corporations.

It is a matter of frequent comment that the cheese product of this State is better in quality this year than ever before. This improvement indicates the acquisition of more knowledge on the part of the patron quite as much as the possession of more skill on the part of the maker. Still there is a chance for improvement in both direc-

Big Rapids business men have arranged to hold a preliminary meeting for the pur- St. Louis. sociation No. 26 will be something more than a mere matter of speculation.

An occasional advertiser of THE TRADES-MAN sends in the following unsolicited tes-

timonial: "By the way the responses come

AMONG THE TRADE.

IN THE CITY.

John Ludlow succeeds G. E. Simmons in the saloon business.

in the manufacture of excelsior on Grandville avenue.

Geo. D. Burton & Co. have engaged in the drug business at Holton. L. D. Putnam & Co. furnished the stock.

J. D. Ritzma has engaged in the grocery

Sidney Stark has engaged in general trade workmen ushered in the first day of May in at Allendale. Amos S. Musselman & Co.

ington, is now in the possession of Mr. Merriam.

Ann Arbor counter-jumpers will organize for the purpose of getting better terms from range in Ontonagon county. their employers and having the shops closed

at reasonable hours. A Cross Village correspondent writes: Gladstone's castle, Hawarden, about four

S. L. Ware will shortly engage in the clever.

will be furnished by J. H. Thompson & Co., A Trufant correspondent writes: A. J.

Julius Reiss, of Caro, successor of Himtachment. Criminal proceedings are also months Southern traveling representative ulent conveyances made by the old firm.

# MANUFACTURING MATTERS.

T. Rivet succeeds C. Rivet & Bro. in the carriage making business at Bay City. Whitehall Forum: Geo. H. Nelson, the cigar maker, has formed a co-partnership with G. C. Wehren, of Big Rapids, and the been in operation two weeks and is turning legislation. English law makes it impos- firm will soon enter upon the manufacture sible for aliens to transmit real estate by in- of cigars at the latter place. Mr. Nelson

A company composed Dr. S. H. Clizbe, the Hon. M. D. Campbell, Charles T. Allen, ized for the manufacture of the Sherman road cart at Coldwater.

### STRAY FACTS.

Mancelona's butter dish factory ships a carload of its products every day. C. W. Beers succeeds Beers & Hamlyn in

the meat business at Bellevue. Muchler & Allen succeed Muchler & Bax-

ter in the commission business at East Saginaw.

Mrs. Jane S. Waldron succeeds Mrs. Viola Shaffer in the millinery business at

Squier & McCarer succeed Geo. W. Squier that before another week has elapsed As- in the agricultural implement business at Charlotte.

J. A. Latcha has resigned the receivership of the Michigan & Ohio Railway. He will be succeeded by Geo. L. Bradbury.

Gladwin will pay a bonus to the man who will build a flouring mill there. Last year in to my advertisement, I begin to believe \$10,000 worth of flour was retailed in the

Englemann & Babcock are building a logging railroad in Crawford county, 10 miles in length, which will open up about 100,-000,000 feet of choice pine.

There is talk of consolidating the proposed new National bank and the State bank of Midland, the consolidation to be known as A. M. Collins succeeds Miller & Collins the First National Bank of Midland.

A Coloma fruit grower sent twenty-five barrels of apples to a Chicago commission house. Last week the Coloma fruit grower

received \$7.50 as his share of the plunder. Less than a year ago Sibley & Bearinger

That's

Dakota, in now one of the proprietors of the Chicago Preserving Co., at Chicago.

W. A. Severson, formerly engaged in the drug trade at Buchanan, has removed to Merriam, of the former firm of Hibbard & Milwaukee to assist in the management of the Aurora Iron Mining Co., which owns some of the richest mines on the Gogebic

> Edward White, the Broadway grocer, is constructing an ingenius representation of

with small pieces of cork, and is extremely

H. H. Everard, of the firm of H. H. Everard & Co., general job printers at Kalamazoo, and S. A. Gibson, superintendent of the Kalamazoo Paper Co., were in town Friday on their way to Charlevoix, where fixtures to Dr. Close & Son, of Sand Lake. they each own handsome cottages. They

> way home Tuesday. A. J. Little, formerly with the H. G. Alcontracted that territory with a leading New Orleans house, and has accepted the position of manager of the installment department of the factory. He will make Battle Creek his headquarters.

W. T. Long writes THE TRADESMAN as follows: The Vicksburg creamery has now out nearly or quite 2,000 pounds of butter a week. The company is now organized under the name of the Vicksburg Creamery Co., with W. T. Long as President, W. W. Scott, Secretary and E. L. Page Treasurer. Putnam & Brooks carry an immense stock of nuts of all kinds and are prepared to fill all orders, however large. GRADE, CULTIVATED coffee, and free from

Grocers wanting cheese warranted to give satisfaction should sell the Wayland cheese, I. B. Smith, proprietor.

"Fermentum" the only reliable compressed yeast. See advertisement.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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,

WANTED-To correspond with a good, live man, posted in the grocery business, with a view to partnership. I have a good store building in a village needing a grocery badly. Any grocer who has a small stock of one or two thousand would do well to corres-pond with Box 10, North Muskegon, Mich.141tf

**f** in a thriving farming town, twenty miles from Grand Rapids. Good opening for gro-cery or general stock. Address Store, care THE TRADESMAN. 140tf

FOR SALE-Stock of general merchandise and house and lot, on the shore of Grand Traverse Bay, near rairoad. Small amount required down. Address "Zero," care THE TRADESMAN. 145

**F**OR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Farm of 120 acres in southern Michigan, 100 acres im-proved. Large frame house and barn, and large orchard. Will sell on long time or ex-change for a stock of boots and shoes or gro-ceries. Address L. B. C., care THE TRADES-MAN. 141 MAN.

purchased what is known as the Gamble pine timber tract in Ogemaw county for \$105,000. They recently sold it for \$175,-000. It is estimated that the strike of the yard hands at Chicago entailed a loss of \$10,000



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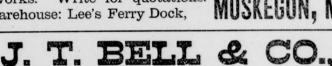
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WANTED-A position as book-keeper and general office man by a gentleman of large experience. Would prefer a lumbering firm or large manufacturing concern. Address and refer to Bulkley, Lemon & Hoops. 140tf FOR RENT-Desirable brick store building

this city was great only in the sense of filling the streets with more drunken men than Grand Rapids had ever known before; and it is noticeable that very few of the men in the shops still running on the eight-hour Perkins Drug Co. furnished the stock. basis go to their homes when work ceases reading rooms and libraries, as it was rep- & Stowe Company. resented would be the case. This puts an end forever to all talk to the effect that the workmen "need more time to improve their minds," and until there is a radical change in existing conditions that argument will in all probability be shelved.

the workmen acted on the advise of professional mischief makers and their manifest unwillingness to listen to the proposals of their employers. Such an attitude on the part of the men tended to provoke feelings of hostility on the part of their employers -a spirit the men are likely to feel in the future.

sarily follow in its wake.

### TWO RELICS OF BARBARISM.

The red flag has gone down with the arrest and punishment of the Anarchist leaders and its twin infamy, the boycott, has been practically abandoned because of the many similar opinions expressed by conservative judges relative to its legal status. The latest definition of the peculiar weapon is given by Judge Mallory, of Wisconsir, who pays it his compliments in the following emphatic terms:

It is not necessary for the indictment of It is not necessary for the indictment of a person accused of an unlawful act that he should have actually participated in the commission of it. Every person that coun-sels, procures or incites others to the com-mi-sion of an unlawful act is equally guilty with these that actually committed the act with those that actually committed the act, even though they may not have been present at its commission. \* \* \* An agreement W.

furnished the grocery stock.

Hibbard Ingalls has engaged in the drug business at Newberry. The Hazeltine &

The Belknap Wagon and Sleigh Co. has at 4 o'clock. They tarry in the saloon and just gotten out a fifty-six page, illustrated on the street corners, instead of flooding the catalogue. It is from the press of the Fuller

> The first California potatoes ever received at this market came in last week. They are large in size and fine in quality. They sell for \$1.50 per bushel.

F. Raniville has put in a new power scour-Another reason for the failure of the eight- ing machine, which enables one operator to hour scheme was the avidity with which do as much work as six men accomplished under the old hand method.

> J. W. Warren has invented a mineral paint for both outdoor and indoor work, which he claims to be superior to anything of the kind now on the market.

Frank Conlon, formerly with C. E. Andrews & Co., of Milwaukee, but for the past Finally, the eight-hour conspiracy failed two years on the road for B. Leidersdorf & because it was foisted upon the country at a Co., of Milwaukee, severed his connection time when the people were not prepared for with the latter house on Monday to engage it and insisted upon without as much as an in the produce and commission business at attempt at enquiry into the inconvenience it the corner of Spring and Island streets. would cause or the loss which would neces- Frank is a genuine hustler and his many friends among the retail trade will not allow him to starve to death in his new ven-

AROUND THE STATE.

ture.

J. M. Leberlent, the Marshall grocer, has assigned.

L. A. Howe has engaged in the drug bus iness at Lake City.

D. R. Thralls is erecting an addition to his store building at Walton.

J. D. McKenna succeeds Roche & McKenna in the drug business at Meredith.

Dayton D. Clark succeeds Mrs. W. T. Place in general trade at Beaver Lake. Kellogg & Woodin, grocers at Kalkaska, have dissolved, Mr. Woodin succeeding. L. Newman succeeds Newman & Miller trade. in the woolen and dress goods business at

on the laboring men of Muskegon. the way strikes do not help the laboring classes

Jas. Shavalier, of the sawmill and shingle manufacturing firm of Stevens & Shavalier, at Petoskey, was in town last Friday on his way to lower lake ports, where he will dispose of a couple of cargoes of timber.

The Grand Haven Lumber Co., which operated last winter at Cedar Lake, has exhausted the pine in that section of the country, and is now moving its entire equipment, including a logging railroad, to a tract of 75,000,000 feet of pine near Meredith, on the F. & P. M., in Clare county.

### Purely Personal.

Mrs. J. L. Manning, of Kalkaska, was in town over Sunday.

L. L. Loveridge put in several days with old friends at Coldwater last week.

John Shields, of Olney, Shields & Co., spent Sunday with friends in Indianapolis. I. A. Miller, formerly with M. C. Russell, has entered the employ of W. F. Gibson & Co.

F. H. Manning, of the well-known wool house of Luce & Manning, at Boston, was in town Monday.

John Bonney, formerly with S. A. Welling, died last Thursday of apoplexy and was buried Saturday.

D. N. White, the Petoskey grocer and baker, was in town Monday on his way home from a trip to Chicago and Kalamazoo. J. L. Bradford, manager of the Newaygo Manufacturing Co.'s store at Newaygo, was in town last Thursday, for the second time in a year. W. A. Stebbins, of the West Michigan

Oil Co., has purchased the pleasant residence at 663 Wealthy avenue and settled down for life.

B. M. DeLamater, Secretary and Treasurer of the Central City Soap Co., of Jackson, was in town a couple of days last week, interviewing both the jobbing and retail

Harry L. Baldwin, formerly engaged in the printing business in this city, but more

W. C. Cramer, late of Coopersville, has recently engaged in the banking business in 20 and 22 Monroe St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

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noon of each month.

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New Method of Treating Essential Oils.

Charles L. Coffin, of Detroit, has received letters-patent for a new process or system of treating essential oils. Heretofore a dozen different methods were employed to extract these oils from herbs and flowers. Regeants, solvents, distillation, oxidation, were but a few of these methods and all were faulty. Where theory showed a charge of mint to contain ten ounces of menthol, practice received but five, even with the most careful handling. In separating oils by distillation, there was always a formation of empyreumatic substances and a loss Removing Fixed Stoppers.

The Chemist and Druggist has gathered rom various sources a list of well known methods for getting fixed stoppers from bottles, which are well worth preserving in in this collated form:

When a stopper is found to be immovable, it may be loosened by gripping the neck of the bottle firmly in the left hand; applying the thumb at same time with a firm upward pressure against one side of the head of the stopper, and smartly tapping the opposite just now." side with the handle of a spatula or other suitable piece of wood. The force should

be applied in the direction of the longer axis. The operation may often be expedited by placing a drop of oil or other liquid -according to the nature of the contents of the bottle-on the line at the junction of the stopper and the neck of the bottle; when the stopper is tapped a minute space is momentarily formed, into which the liquid slips, and so gradually gets between the stopper and the neck of the bottle, and allows of the former being easily withdrawn. Another method is to use a stopper ex-

tractor. This can easily be made out of a block of wood three inches square and two inches thick, by cutting a hole through its center large enough to receive the head of a stopper of a forty ounce wide-mouthed shop round. The use of the above is preferable to pulling out two drawers, sticking the head of the stopper between them, and twisting the bottle round, as the latter method has a tendency to mark the shop fittings, which does not improve their appearance. To apply the extractor, it is placed over the stopper and grasped firmly in one hand other. A gentle, but firm and steady, twisting motion is then used, care being taken to keep both hands moving in the same plane but in opposite directions. If the pressure be applied too vigorously or spasmodically, or if the lines of the directions of the opposite forces be not qutte parallel, there is a danger of wrenching off the head of the stopper or breaking the neck of the bottle. If either or both of these methods fail, the application of heat may be tried. This may either be induced by friction, by means of a string passed around the neck of the bot-

tle and drawn rapidly backward and forward, the bottle being held fast meanwhile, or it may be applied by dipping the corner of a towel in hot water, squeezing and wrapping it round the neck of the bottle, and repeating this at short intervals. When the glass has sufficiently expanded, the stopper should be immediately removed, and not be inserted till the bottle has cooled. By one or other of these methods, or a combination of them, together with patience and perseverance, the most intractable stopper may

# Miscellaneous Drug Notes.

# The published proceedings of the last convention of the Michigan Pharmaceutical As-

be drawn.

ociation are now in the bindery and will be mailed to those entitled to them within a fortnight. Victims of the cocaine habit are reported

nearly as often as those who are slaves to morphine

A dose of oil of bitter almond, mistaken for essence of Jamaica ginger, caused the death of a woman at Denton, Texas, last week.

A woman at Jackson recently died from the effects of a solution of corrosive sublimate used by mistake as an alcohol bath. The Virginia State Board of Pharmacy is busy registering druggists who come under

the provision of the law. Over 500 certifi-

Some Human Nature. From the Boston Budget,

Another story from the school-room n not be out of place here. A boy broug his teacher some very beautiful and swe smelling spring flowers the other morning for which she thanked him very kindly she placed them in a tumbler of water up her desk. In the course of the morni the youthful giver held up his hand a said: "Please, ma'am, can I wet sponge?" "No," said the teacher, "

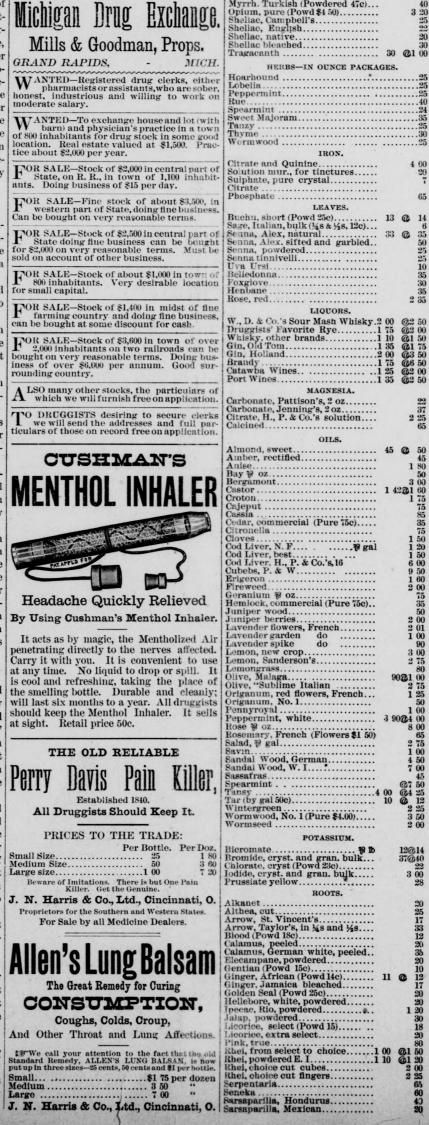
The boy, however, was persistent; he a parently thought he was entitled to so especial favor, and he repeated his reque in a loud tone. The teacher, however, sa "nay" the second time more decidedly the the first, and at this the petitioner gave ve to his anger as follows: "Say, teacher, y know the flowers I brought you just no I only lent 'em to you; I didn't give 'em you to keep." There was a good deal human nature in this. Children of an old growth sometimes show a similar dispo tion.

# The Drug Market.

Business is good and collections are fa Quinine is very dull at the recent declin Opium is very weak and lower. Cube are excited and are now held at \$1.35. of cubebs has advanced in sympathy. Oth articles in the drug line are about steady.

A large number of teaspoons on being measured showed an average capacity, a cording the Western Druggist, of 80 mi ims. A spoon which held 80 minims water, when filled up to its edge, was found while the neck of the bottle is held by the by actual experiment to hold 40 minims more of water, or 2 fluid drachms, without running over. This affords a good argument for the use of measuring glasses. The Hoboken druggist, Am Ende, whose mistake in compounding a prescription caused the death of two young women, has been acquitted professionally by the State Druggists' Association.

> "Fermentum" the only Reliable Compressed Yeast. See advertisement.



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 Benzoin
 50@55

 Camphor
 25@27

 Catechu. Is (½ 14c, ½s 16c)
 13

 Euphorbium powdered
 35@40

 Gabanum strained
 80@90

 Gauaiac, prime (Powd 45c)
 35

 Kino [Powdered, 30c]
 20

 Mastic
 125

 Myrrh. Turkish (Powdered 47c)
 40

 Opium, pure (Powd \$4 50)
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 Shellac, Campbell's
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 Shellac, English
 22

 Shellac, native
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 Tragacanth
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 @2 50

 Druggists' Favorite Rye
 1 75
 @2 00

 Whisky, other brands
 1 10
 @1 50

 Gin, Old Tom
 1 35
 @1 75

 Gin, Holland
 2 00
 @3 50

 Brandy
 1 75
 @6 20

 Oatawba Wines
 1 25
 @2 00

 Port Wines
 1 35
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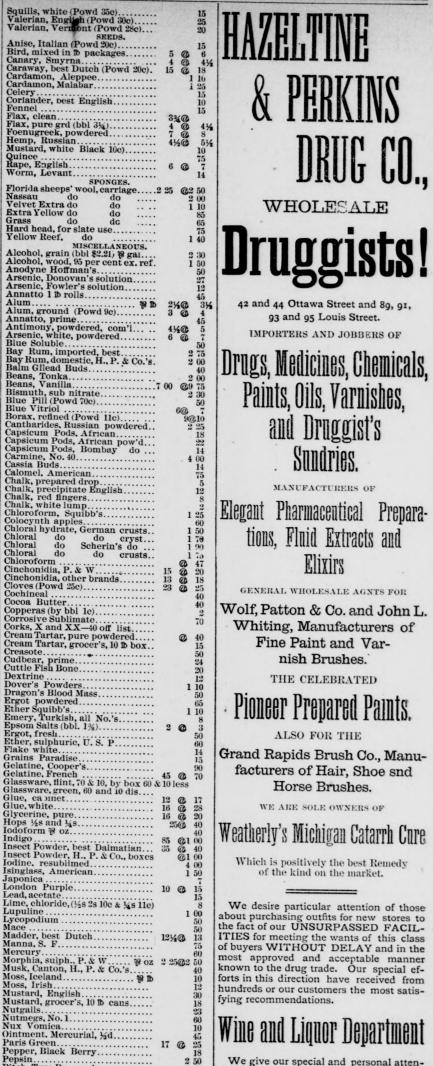
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	Paris Green Pepper, Black Berry	17
1	Pensin	
1	Pepsin. Pitch, True Burgundy	
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Squills, white (Powd 35c)..... Valerian, English (Powd 30c)..... Valerian, Vermont (Powd 28c)....

Flax, clean. Flax, clean. Flax, pure grd (bbl 3%). Hemp, Russian. Mustard, white Black 10c)....

Quince Rape, English. Worm, Levant. SPONGES.

Chloral dydrate, German crusts.. Chloral do do cryst... Chloral do do crusts.. Chlorof do do crusts.. Chloroform ..... Cinchonidia, P. & W... Cinchonidia, other brands... Cloves (Powd 25c)... Cochineal



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of the oils. The basis of Mr. Coffin's invention is that the oxide of empyreumatic and other substances renders them less volatile, and so enables the manufacturer to distill off essential oils mixed with them. To secure this oxidation he uses electrolysis and then distills in vacuo. The arrangement is remarkably simple and effective. He first mixes the essential oils to be purified with enough water to form an emulsion and agi-

tates the mixture in a metallic churn. The churn is part of an electric circuit. Electrolytic action begins and an undoubted separation of the oil and impurities, with a very slight oxidation of the latter, occurs. The mixture, after thorough churning, is

caused to flow in a thin sheet over metallic plates. This exposes the emulsion to the full power of the electric current and the oxidizing influence of the air. The mixture is then run into a strong tight vessel, into which air is forced until a moderately high pressure is reached, which is allowed to remain until the foreign matters are precipitated and the oils and water begin to separater The latter are then drawn off, filtered and distilled in vacuo. The new process seems scientifically perfect, as it apparently utilizes every particle of essential oil. Its seeming complexity amounts to nothing so far as any difficulty of management is concerned. Its cost is greater than that of some of the old processes, but less than that of others. Taking into consideration the loss of oils under the old methods, Coffin's system effects a saving of never less than 25 per cent., and from that to 75 per cent.

Expecting Impossibilities. From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

The deleterious results of the Anarchist to be gutted shall keep nothing on hand but a trade on that account." first-class whisky.

It is a pretty healthy man who can read a 150 of the 200 diseases described therein.

cates have been granted. Edward A. Sayre has resigned his position as president of the National Retail Druggists' Association, to accept a position with Messrs. Seabury & Johnson of New York.

A singular explosion recently occurred in a drug store at Stockton, Cal., from an empty paint barrel that had remained in the store for several years. The sun shone through a skylight upon it, and, it being air tight, covered on the inside with paint, generated gas, and when it was struck, with the intention of breaking it up, an explosion followed which was heard for blocks around.

# Snuff for the Complexion.

A reporter for the New York Sun stood in an up-town cigar store when a stylishly dressed young woman came in and asked for a "quarter's worth of Scotch snuff." She had a decidedly pretty face, but when she opened her mouth the pleasing effect was spoiled, her teeth being a brownish yellow. She left the store without once looking around.

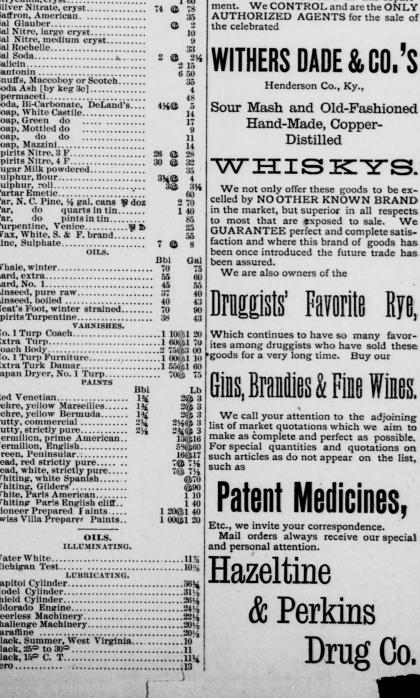
"There was a time," said the dealer, "and not so many years ago, either, when we sold large quantities of snuff. No tobacco store of any pretension carried less than four or five kinds of snuff. The coarse black snuff sale. Now very few carry any but Scotch snuff, and the only customers we have to speak of are young women and girls."

"Why, what in the world do they want of snuff?" asked the reporter in astonishment.

"They chew it for their complexion. They also place the stuff inside of the upper raid on a Chicago drug store seem to call for lip and keep it there for a long time. It the incorporation of a plank in the next makes their teeth yellow, but they say it Anarchist platform that drug stores about clarifies their complexion. We have quite

Equal parts of collodium, tincture of Equal parts of collodium, tincture of iodine and ammonia water are said by Prof. discovering that he is afflicted with about remedy for lumbago; to be applied widely Large over the parts with a camel's-hair brush.

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Amber, rectified	Sa
Bay & oz	Sa
Bergamont	Sa
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Cajeput	Sa
Cedar, commercial (Pure 75c) 35	Sn
Citronena	So
Cod Liver, N. F	So
Cod Liver, best	So
Cod Liver, H., P. & Co.'s, 16         6 00           Cubebs, P. & W	So
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Fireweed 2 00	So
Geranium P oz	Sp
Juniper wood	Sp Su
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Hellebore, white, powdered 20	Wa
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Grand Rapids & Indiana. thing is certain, Bro. Stowe, if this thing keeps on, and that is, that the list of boywill have to take around a book about the size the Encyclopedia Brittanica, and that will make to average man sick of the whole GOING SOUTH. G. Rapids & Cincinnati Ex. Mackinac & Cincinnati Ex. Mackinac & Cincinnati Ex. Mackinac & Fit. Wayne Ex. Cadillac & G'd Rapids Ac. 10:30 a m All trains daily except Sunday. thing Some men are always ready to take advantage of any popular excitement to make

money. For instance, only last week a chap with a tall, late style plug hat, 9 inch cuffs and terrible tight pants, called on me and presented his card:

G. SHARP.

General Agent for the General Western Boycotting Advertising Company.

"Anything in my line to-day?" said the chap briskly, as I slowly perused the above card

"Well," said I, as I politely showed him a nail keg to set on, "I don't really know as I catch onto this snap. What is it?"

"Why, my dear sir, have you never heard of us? Why all the leading merchants are patronizing us now. Our terms are very low indeed. Here is our price list."

Plain boycott for one week, \$10. Ditto, with a hint that the subject should be hung, \$20. Extra boycott, \$25. Double extra boycott, waranted for two months, \$50.

"This last pays the best, Mr. Snooks, eve if it is a little more expensive at first. Why one firm in Detroit made over a thousan dollars in 3 weeks by one of our double en tras and a woman In New York has made clean twenty thousand out of a boycott ou firm placed for her six weeks ago, and a she had was a bake shop to begin with."

"That sounds all right my friend, said 1, as I mixed up a small tumbler of cough drops, from a bottle marked SP. VIN. GAL. "But I don't understand how your snap can apply to me." "You don't? why, my dear sir, I will you. Now you put up a little "That sounds all right my friend," said

SLEEPING CAR ARRANGEMENTS. North—Train leaving at 5:05 o'clock p. m. has Sleeping and Chair Cars for Petoskey and Mackinac. Train leaving at 11:30 a. m. has combined Sleeping and Chair Car for Mackinaw City.

uth—Train leaving at 5:30 p. m. bas Wood Sleeping Car for Cincinnati. C. L. LOCKWOOD, Gen'l Pass. Agent.

# Detroit, Grand Haven & Milwaukee.

GOING EAST. Arrives. Leaves. Arrives. Arvis. Arvis. Arrives.

D. POTTER, City Pass. Agent. GEO. B. REEVE, Traffic Manager, Chicago.

### Michigan Central.

	DEPART.
en	*Detroit Express 6:00 a m
	*Day Express
y.,	*Atlantic Express10:40 p m
d	+Way Freight 6:50 a m
a	ARRIVE.
x-	*Pacific Express 6:00 a m
	*Mail 3:30 p m
a	+Grand Rapids Express
ır	Way Freight 5:15 p m
	*Daily except Sunday. *Daily.
11	Sleeping cars run on Atlantic and Pacific
	Express.
	Direct and prompt connection made with
I.	Great Western, Grand Trunk and Canada

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Every can wrapped in colored tissue paper with signature and stamp on each can.

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# WM. SEARS & CO. Cracker Manufacturers, Agents for

AMBOY CHEESE

37, 39 & 41 Kent Street, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

# ABSOLUTE SPICES.

Warranted to be Pure Goods.

Manufactured Only by

BKUU M

46 Ottawa St., Grand Rapids.

EMON & HOOPS



set forth in the closing paragraph of the above, a study of the market reports from week to week must tend to impress the fact that under present conditions the only chance for profit in butter-making is by way of improvement of quality.

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Dairy Boards of Trade.

The growing importance of the dairy interests of the Wolverine State renders it necessary for both cheese and butter producers to avail themselves of the most approved methods for placing their goods on the market. The time has gone by when Michigan can consume all the creamery butter produced within her borders and no inconsiderable portion of her cheese product finds a market in other states. Up to the present time, the only means of communication between buyer and seller have been by the post or personal visits, and much dissatisfaction has necessarily resulted from such antiquated methods. Michigan having recently attained the distinction of being a "Dairy State," it is now proposed to adopt the same system used by other states prominent in the dairy business in attracting buyers from all parts of the country. With this end in view, it has been deemed desirable to establish a series of Dairy Boards of Trade in this State, the first step in this direction having been taken by the dairymen in and around Grand Rapids, who will meet next Tuesday for he purpose of talking over the situation. Jackson promises to be the next place to secure a Board and Flint will probably not be far behind in the race. There are now enough dairy products shipped out of the State to warrant the establishment of half a dozen Boards and the probability is that the time is not far dis tant when every dairy locality will be represented by a market of its own.

The so-called peanut factories of Norfolk, Va., handle and put on the market a million and a half dollars' worth of peanuts each the work is all done by machinery.

# Groceries.

# Grocers' Association of the City of Muskegon.

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RETAIL GROCERS' ASSOCIATION

OF GRAND RAPIDS.

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Annual meetings-Second Tuesday in November.

Regular meetings-First and Third Tuesday Evenings of each month. Next meeting-Tuesday evening, June 15.

Kalamazoo Retail Grocers' Association. President—P. Ranney. First Vice-President—O. K. Buckhout. Second Vice-President—Hugh Beggs. Secretary—M. S. Scoville. Treasurer—Julius Schuster. Regular Meetings—Second and fourth Tues days of each month.

# Ate Bullheads for Trout.

A good story comes to THE TRADESMAN from Newaygo, which involves a gentleman named Coats and a former resident of Grand Rapids in the person of David L. Stiven. man, particularly priding himself on his not be fully exercised until it is actually knowledge of fish and fishing. Indeed, it wanted. is a common remark that "Coats thinks that what he doesn't know about fish isn't worth knowing." He recently spent a day sponsibility. A man possessed of the latter in whipping a neighboring stream and returned at night with quite a string of minute things, and will prefer to be considspeckled beauties. He arranged with the ered stupid rather than pretend to undercook at the restaurant where he boarded to serve him with trout for supper, while the remainder of the boarders had to content themselves with bullheads. Before Coats took his seat at the table, Stiven went around to the former's place and exchanged fish platters, greatly to the amusement of those who witnessed the exchange. On taking his seat, Coats held up one of his fish and reproached the other boarders on their misfortune in being compelled to regale themselves on common bullheads. He then proceeded to devour his fish on the supposition that they were trout, and the TRADESMAN will be the first intimation he has received that he was the victim of a

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conspiracy.

Editor Michigan Tradesman: DEAR SIR-Mr. N. B. Blain kindly hands In rei

Maxims for Merchants. From the Dry Goods Chronicle. The merchants who profit least by interviews are often those who are most inclined

to resort to them. A good merchant is very watchful over both himself and others, to prevent things from being carried against his sense of right in moments of lassitude.

American business affairs are full of failure. In laying down plans for the organization of the same, there is hardly ever allowance enough made for failure.

Councils are the fly-wheels and safetyvalves of the machinery of business. By their means the motion is equalized and a

great force is applied with little danger. When a merchant has to communicate the motives for an unfavorable decision, he should study how to convey them so as to FINE CUTS

give the least pain and to insure the least discussion.

occasionally with persons of nature quite Label. No SCAB work goes from this facdifferent from his own, as to very few are tory. Every employee is a Union man and given all the qualities requisite to form a a K. of L. good man of business.

Credit is founded on the trust reposed by rect will be filled promptly at prices quoted, one man in another, and it presupposes the and delivered to your railroad depot free of existence of thorough honesty and good freight.

faith, with a reputation for punctuality in the fulfillment of all engagements.

The moment that you fix a qualification, whether of age, of length of service, or of the possession of money, you do something which, at some time or other will prevent your making choice of the best man.

Concessions and compromises form a very important part of mercantile life. The former may be looked upon as distinct defeats. In making the latter, you never gain anything by concealing your views or wishes. The primary qualities for a good organizer of business are ardour, forethought and imagination, and existing with them an unwearied interest in details and a power of massing them together, and of marshalling

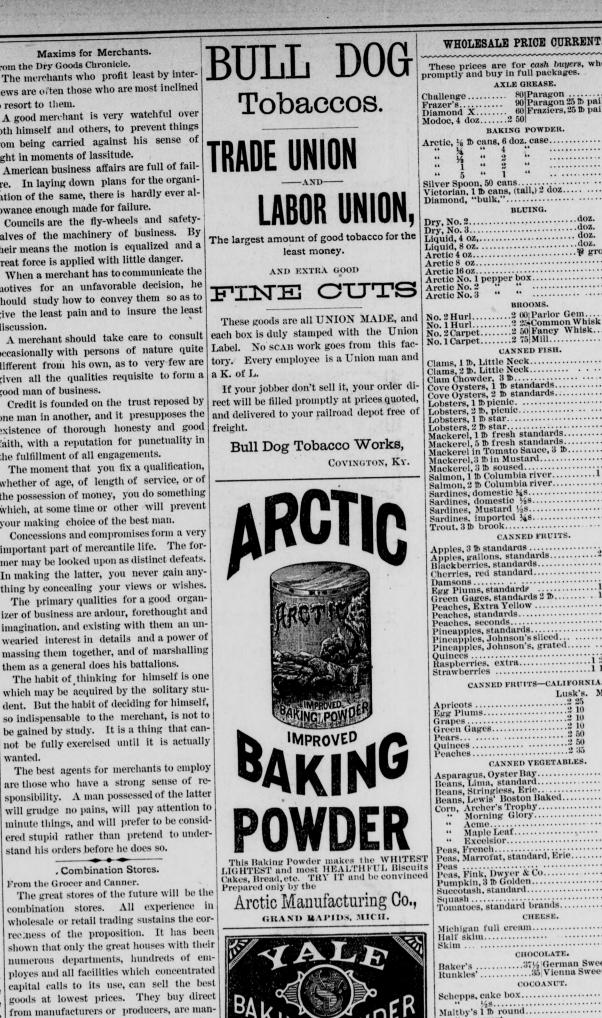
them as a general does his battalions. The habit of thinking for himself is one which may be acquired by the solitary student. But the habit of deciding for himself, so indispensable to the merchant, is not to Coats, it appears, claims to be a great sports- be gained by study. It is a thing that can-

> The best agents for merchants to employ are those who have a strong sense of rewill grudge no pains, will pay attention to stand his orders before he does so.

# . Combination Stores.

From the Grocer and Canner. The great stores of the future will be the combination stores. All experience in wholesale or retail trading sustains the correciness of the proposition. It has been shown that only the great houses with their numerous departments, hundreds of employes and all facilities which concentrated capital calls to its use, can sell the best goods at lowest prices. They buy direct from manufacturers or producers, are manappearance of the facts in the case in THE ufacturers themselves, or direct importers of the raw material or manufactured goods made in foreign markets. They have reduced the first cost of their stock to the minimum, and can afford to turn their goods on a margin of profit which would scarcely meet the running expenses of the smaller

and less advantageously equipped establishments. Their great and general prosperity is known to the commercial people of the



Manhattan, pa

Rio ..... Golden Rio...

Maricabo ....

Santos

Green

DANIEL LYNCH.

E PRICE CURRENT.	DRIED FRUITS-DOMESTIC.
	Apricots, 25 10 boxes
e for cash buyers, who pay in full packages.	Apricots, 25 b boxes. Cherries, pitted, 50 b boxes. Pears, 25 b boxes. Pears, 25 b boxes. Peaches, Delaware, 50 b boxes. Peaches, Michigan. Raspberries, 50 b boxes. DRIED FRUITS-FOREIGN. Currents
KLE GREASE.         80 Paragon	Peaches, Michigan
80 Paragon	Citron
.2 50 ING POWDER.	Lemon Peel
6 doz. case	Citron Currants
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s, (tall,) 2 doz 2 00	Raisins, Loose Muscatels Raisins, Ondaras, 28s
BLUING. 25	Raisins, Sultanas Raisins, Valencia Raisins, Imperials
	MATCHES. Grand Haven, No. 8, square. Grand Haven, No. 9, square, 3 gro Grand Haven, No. 200, parlor Grand Haven, No. 300, parlor Grand Haven, No. 7, round. Oshkosh, No. 2 Oshkosh, No. 8. Swedish
12 00 2 00	Grand Haven, No. 300, parlor Grand Haven, No. 7, round
a	Oshkosh, No. 2 Oshkosh, No. 8
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2 00 Parlor Gem	Swedish       Swedish         Richardson's No. 8       square         Richardson's No. 9       do         Richardson's No. 7½, round       Richardson's No. 7½, round         Richardson's No. 7       do         MOLASSES.       MOLASSES.
1 00	Cuba Baking. Porto Rico. New Orleans, good.
b	New Orieans, choice
b standards 1 75 nic	New Orleans, fancy ½ bbls. 2c extra. OATMEAL.
Neck         1 30           Neck         2 00           bb         2 15           b standards         1 00           b standards         1 75           nic         2 50           r.         2 50           r.         2 00           standards         1 75           nic         2 50           r.         3 00           seh standards         1 10	Steel cut
esh standards	Rolled Oats
r	OATMEAL. Steel cut
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rd $\frac{12}{28}$	Imported Clay 3 gross. 2 s Imported Clay, No. 216, 3 gross. Imported Clay, No. 216, 3 gross. Imported Clay, No. 216, 2½ gross. American T. D. RICE.
4 00	American T. D.
ANNED FRUITS. 75 dards	RICE.         Choice Carolina
dards	Good Carolina5 Rangoon Good Louisiana5 Broken.
andards	5 DeLand's pure
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tra	Diamond C
FRUITS-CALIFORNIA.	Ashton, English, dairy, bu. bags Ashton, English, dairy, 4 bu. bags
T II. Manland	a. Higgins' English dairy bu. bags American, dairy, ½ bu. bags
	00 Rock, bushels
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tandard	Catsup, Tomato, pints Catsup, Tomato, quarts
Boston Baked166 Trophy100	Hallord Sauce, 72 plats
ter Bay	SOAPS.         New Process, 1 b. 3 96 Napkin         New Process, 3 b. 3 85 Towel         Acme, bars.         Acme, blocks.         Best American.         3 75 Blue Danube.         Big Five Center.         40         Nickel.         40
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CHOCOLATE.	Mustard
	23 29 Electric Lustre. Niagara, Laundry. 754 Niagara, gloss. 8 Niagara, corn.
COCOANUT.	Niagara, Laundry Niagara, gloss
	Koyal, corn
COFFEES. Roasted.	Powdered
	6 Granulated, Standard
13 Santos Maricabo	No. 1, White Extra C
ails	<ul> <li>Granulated, Standard</li> <li>Confectionery A.</li> <li>Standard A.</li> <li>No. 1, White Extra C.</li> <li>No. 2, Extra C.</li> <li>No. 3 C.</li> <li>So. 4 C.</li> <li>No. 5 C.</li> </ul>
OFFELS-FACINGE.	No.5 C
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@ 25	Our Leader 16 Hiawatha
@ 12	Our Leader
@ 20 @ 15	Mule Ear
@ 28 @12½	TEAS.           Japan ordinary.         .18@20           Japan fair to good.         .25@30           Japan tine.         .35@45           Japan dust.         .15@20           Vounge Hysop         .30@50
. @ 23	Japan fair to good
. @ 21	Japan dust
. @ 7	Japan dust.         300-50           Young Hyson.         300-50           Gun Powder.         350-50           Oolong .         33055040
. @ 14	Oolong
. 12½@ . 8½@	Congo
@ 41/2	Lorillard's American Gentlemen @ 72 Maccoboy @ 55
@3 25 @2 75 @2 40	Gail & Ax' " @ 44
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	Burners, No. 1
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1 00	do Felix 125
1 50	Gum, Rubber 100 lumps @25 Gum, Rubber 200 lumps @35
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	Jelly, in 30 b pails @ 41/2
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me yours of the lot say, that the name of our organization is "The Lowell Business Men's Protective Association." The constitution is patterned after the Ionia Association and the classifications of delinquents are the same. The officers are as follows:

President—Norman B. Blain. Vice-President—Jno. Giles. Secretary-Frank T. King. Treasurer-Chas. D. Pease.

Executive Committee—A. W. Weekes, W. R. Blaisdell, J. Q. Look, R. G. Bost-wick, H. T. M. Treglown and Chas. Mc-Carty.

The workings of the Association are giving satisfaction, not only to the members but the few business men who are not mem-

If there is any further information in regard to our Association or its workings that you wish, I will be pleased to furnish it to Respectfully Yours, CHAS. QUICK, Acting Secretary. vou.

The Grocery Market.

Business is good and collections are excellent. Sugars are easy and are probably good value at the figures named this week, as the advent of the berry season renders higher prices inevitable.

Oranges are scarce and higher in price. Lemons are steady in price and in good demand. Bananas are steady and fine in quality. Pine apples are not plenty in this request. Best grades of Virginia peanuts are higher in Virginia.

# Hides, Pelts and Wool.

Hides are without change. Pelts are dull. Tallow is unchanged. Wool is beginning to move freely, being nominally quotable at 20@22 cents.

Some of THE TRADESMAN'S readers may have inferred that the recent decision of Judge Brown in the United States Court at Detroit, reported in THE TRADESMAN of May 19, was inimical to the Central City Soap Co., of Jackson. Such was not the case. The Judge held that the plaintiff, the Summit City Soap Co., of Ft. Wayne, the name "Anti-Washboard" and dismissed 132 clerks. the action with costs to the plaintiff. cheese come back on their hands.

entire country, and the uniform success of operations conducted on the scale indicated, points to the combination store as the store of the future. In a San Francisco house, representative of the advanced idea in mer-

chant trading, additions to its already numerous departments are constantly being made, and the field of trade broadens before its enterprise with every passing season. The house has now its comprehensive ceneral grocery department, which includes

all the well-known specialties of Eastern or foreign manufacturers; its tea, coffee and spice departments, where all grades of the famous brands of Japanese growth may be sampled, where coffee, direct from the Central American plantations, may be examined in every condition, from the natural state to perfect preparation for use, where new stocks of all the spices, in original packages

from the Spice Islands, are constantly being received. It has its tobacco department, where some of the finest domestic cigars and cigarettes are manufactured, and where all the popular brands of imported cigars

and Eastern manufactured plug and smoking tobaccos are always in stock. The stocks of the Eastern concerns are of like variety and extent. These great houses are market. Nuts are steady and in moderate constant advertisers in the leading trades journals of the country, and by this means have let the trading public know of the great advantages they are enabled to present

through a plan and scale of operations, which have proved perfect success for the combination store.

# He Wanted It Stopped.

"I see they are trying to put a stop to all betting in New York."

"I'm glad of it. Betting is a pernicious practice. I hope they will stop it."

"But they can't do it." "Can't do it? I'll bet you \$50 they can."

The Cincinnati grocery clerks have organized a clerk's association, the principal obin the suit age nst the company named, did | ject being to secure the early closing of gronot have the exclusive right to the use of cery stores. The membership now numbers

Putnam & Brooks are headquarters for Jobbers never have any of the Wayland fire-works and fire-crackers. Early purchases advised.



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# OUT AROUND.

## News and Gossip Furnished by Our Own Correspondents.

Hersey. J. Sweet is having his skating rink building moved onto Main street. He will raise the roof ten feet and fit the building up for

a hotel.

# South Manitou.

John J. Gunn and B. C. Green have formed a copartnership and engaged in the pur-chase and sale of hemlock bark.

L. F. Sheridan, of Glen Arbor, has been buying potatoes on the Island. He bought several hundred bushels, paying 25 cents per bushel.

### Shiloh.

Shiloh has seventy-three inhabitants, having received one accession by a birth in Post-master Brown's family. T. R. Compton & Son have engaged in the merit of the first store of the firs

the manufacture of flat hoops for the apple harrel trade.

### Jackson.

Aldrich & Phillips succeed to the business of the Standard Broom Co. E. M. Marsh has bought the furniture

stork of R. E. Strong & Co. Martin & Giddings succeed Martin & Boy-

lan in the drug business. A. C. Cowherd has sold out his paper box business.

Chas. L. Pierce succeeds W. N. Hartupee & Co. in the hardware business.

### Traverse City.

Hannah, Lay & Co.'s new dock is nearly completed. Three hundred and twenty thousand cubic

feet of square timber has been shipped from this point this season. Seven new phones have been added to the

exchange during the past week. Cadillac.

A good move in the right direction has been made by many of our merchants, who have entered into a mutual agreement to close their places of business at 8 o'clock p. m. on and after June 1, excepting Saturdays, Cummer and G. R. & I. paydays and the day before a national holiday. The places not included are groceries, drug stores and meat markets, but it is hoped that they, too, may take this advanced step. The agreement will be in force three months and will undoubtedly be continued after that time, if the plan works satisfactorily.

# Failure of the Eight-Hour Movement.

From the Chicago Current. The eight-hour movement failed. No man really knows why. Possibly its defeat was due to the throwing of the Chicago bomb. Certainly that crime made a resumption of work at any price almost a public necessity. Men were in no mood to discuss the right and wrong of any question, much less one that touched their pockets. With the going back to work, which was necessary, of course, the workingman abandoned his cause. If eight hours eventuated. the concession came voluntarily from the employer, and could not last in the face of overwhelming competition by more greedy or less capable manufacturers. The dyedin-the-wool "boss" or man-driver, whether rich or poor, has chuckled his voice register down an ectave in celebrating the surrender of Labor, and the peaceable philosopher has been equally glad when he has reckoned the blessings of peace. Why did not the men ask for nine hours at nine hours' pay? That is a mystery the Current has tried in vain to solve. Probably they reserved nine hours for a hoped-for compromise. The eighthour movement came on blindly. It was like a tidal wave; it was from the bottom unward: it roiled the waters so that no man could see clearly; no prophet could forcast its length, strength or duration. It has ended as do nine out of ten movements that originate the same way, for they may succeed only by revolution. Against the success of the eight-hour idea was ranged phalanx after phalanx of the upper classes of society. Nearly every man in America who works less than ten hours a day vowed that the principle was wrong. In fact, we remember that the eight-hour attempt of twenty years ago came nearer success-did not soil itself with the odium of the classes that work short hours. Now Labor has gone back; he has signed a pledge to rat his union, and he half believes he has done wrong in the past. With this penitent attitude good Capital is half-pleased, though still very angry, and a working arrangement is effected only through the escape-valve of a right valiant pursuit of anarchists. Let the bomb-thrower reap his whirlwind! The very ones he helped so much will blot him out if that shall be possible. Meanwhile the good and the bad of Europe flow in, an uninterrupted stream, and the reason why wages were ro high twenty years ago is that since that time seven million laboring pair of hard hands have come from the Old World, helping to do the work of this nation. Wages must fall. There is no other hope for American labor. But the hours of labor ought to shorten, or the Republic will be a flat failure, like all European Governbeneath society. Let Mind now set to nine hours. Let there now be Agitators among pounds each. millionaires!

B. Dosker is working the city trade for P. Steketee & Sons. D. S. Haugh has been spending a fortnight among the Upper Peninsula trade. Cary & Loveridge are now represented on

The Gripsack Brigade.

the road by O. A. Perry and Wm. Van Frank Michmerhuizen is now on the road for P. Steketee & Sons, seeing his trade

every three weeks. D. E. McDowell, general agent for the

Wassall Fire Clay Co., of Columbus, Ohio, was in town a couple of days last week. Dwight K. Hulbert, for several years a

wool buyer at this market, is now on the road, selling flour for a Winona, Wis., mill.

Wanted-A dog. Must be one that can live without eating and be proof against

tative for Heavenrich Bros. & Co., of Detroit, put in a couple of days at this market last week.

Charley Robinson went frogging with John Perry last Friday and had almost as good luck as he did on his fishing excursion the week previous at Mecosta and Man-

One of the boys came in Saturday and said the farmers through his territory were so busy that trade was extremely dull. When asked what the farmers were doing, he said they were thrashing their ties.

W. P. Townsend is the happy possessor of a full-blooded rat terrier weighing only a pound and ten ounces. This knocks out Geo. Owen and every other dog fancier within the knowledge of THE TRADES-MAN.

THE TRADESMAN is requested to call a

meeting of the traveling men of Grand Rapids. to be held at THE TRADESMAN office Saturday evening, June 12, for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for the third annual picnic of the fraternity. Let there be a general attendance.

Bulkley, Lemon & Hoops have engaged in the fish canning business. As yet, operations are not conducted on a large scale, but the business may increase. L. L. Loomis inagurated the new departure last week by catching twenty-two perch at Fre-

mont and packing them in an oyster can. Pittsburg *Chronicle:* "In tice that all the differences of the drummers have been settled," remarked McSwilligan. "The drummers?" replied Squildig. "There have been no differences with them that I know of." "No! Well, I certainly saw a heading, 'Brass Men in Harmony,' but didn't read the article.""

D. E. Stearns writes as follows from Albany, Oregon: "Please send me copies two last number of THE TRADESMAN to Los Angelos, Cal. This is a great country for snow-capped mountains and other grand scenery, but when it comes to living, give me Michigan "straight" in mine. Sprinkle a little hydrant water on those papers to make 'em smell home like."

The first annual convention of the Michigan Division, T. P. A., which was held at \$1.10@\$1.15. Jackson last Friday and Saturday was well atttended, Grand Rapids being represented by Geo. F. Owen and wife, Leo. A. Caro and wife, and several others. C. S. Kelsey was put in nomination for State President, and the following were elected delagates to the Baltimore convention: M. J. Matthews, Louis J. Koster, J. L. Macauley, Thos. Madill, Detroit; S. H. Sanford, A. F. Peake, Chas. W. Gregg, Edwy Knight, Jackson; Geo. F. Owen, Leo A. Caro, A. A. Hufford, Grand Rapids; D. G. Crotty, Muskegon; E. L. Jones, Battle Creek; H. E. Tremain, Bay City; Chas. Rosenberg. Bay City; M. B. Field, Lansing; W. J. Richard, Union City. An Alpena correspondent writes: Not since the more or less indefatigable Dave Beattie feasted on a chicken frame at Chas. Golling's festive board has Alpena been favored with a more enjoyable incident than was afforded by the recent visit of the obese pants manufacturer, Sam Friedenberg. Sam, as everybody knows, is as fond of a joke as a duck is fond of water and he never loses an opportunity to indulge his penchant in this respect. One of his customers here is surrounded by a couple of assistants who are about as nervous as they make 'em. Sam took keen delight in the going up behind these individuals and scaring them so they literally jumped out of their boots. After he had tried that game several times and was about to repeat it again, some one sung out "Hit him!" and the next moment Sam. was gasping for breath and somewhat sore from the concussion. He soon realized that he was the victim of a conspiracy and he spent two days in trying to find the author of his misfortune, but his search resulted as disastrously as the attempt to find the man who struck Billy Patterson.

orders with the various houses: N. Bouma, Fisher. Dell Wright, Berhn. Mr. Paton, Paton & Andrus, Shelby. A. Ball, Morley. Mr. Tanis, DenHerder & Tanis. Vriesland. John Demstra, Forest Grove. H. Andre & Son, Jennisonville. L. Cook, Bauer. A. F. Herrison, Sparta H. Andre & Son, Jennisonville. L. Cook, Bauer. A. F. Harrison, Sparta. H. M. Harroun, McLain. M. Heyboer & Bro, Drenthe. Mrs. Mary Hammond, Plainwell. Wm. Karsten, Beaver Dam. Mrs. Anna Mulder, Spring Lake. J. D. Ritzema, Grand Haven. Miss Mary E. Snell, Wayland. Walter Struik, Forest Grove. C. O. Smedley, Byron Center. M. P. Shields, Hilliards. John Kamps, Zutphen. Wm. Vermeulen, Beaver Dam. A. Purchase, South Blendon. Geo. P. Stark, Cascade. Sidney Stark, Allendale. A. & L. M. Wolf, Hudsonville. A. C. Adams, Ashton. A. Norris, Norris & Son, Casnovia. J. B. VanOrt, Holland. N. O. Ward, Stanwood. W. W. Bass, Lawrence. O. B. Granger, Plainwell. Paine & Field, Englishville. Herbert Hazeltine, Hazeltine & Son, Casnovia. H. B. Irish, Lisbon. H. B. Irish, Lisbon. H. B. Irish, Lisbon.
J. Grutter, Grandville.
W. F. Rice, Alpine.
John Whiteford, Lake City.
John Gunstra, Lamont.
Capt. Wm. Rose, Bass River.
M. Minderhout, Hanley.
Hugh Beggs, Kalamazoo.
Gaylord & Pipp, Howard City.
D. N. White, Petoskey.
I. B. Smith, Wayland.
M. Koorman, Grand Haven.
G. S. TenHoor, Forest Grove.
Jas. Toland, Ross.
A. Wagenaar, New Holland.

VISITING BUYERS.

The following retail dealers have visited the market during the past week and placed

.Toland, Ross. Vagenaar, New Holland. . Wiseman, Nunica. I. Decker, Zeeland. V. Sinz, Trent. H. Woodward, J. H. Woodward & Co. rankfort.

Wm. Yarger, Freeport. N. Brayton, Freeport. Jas. Shavalier, Stevens & Shavalier, Petos-

ey. Miss Belle Miller, Shelby. Herder & Lahuis, Zeeland. Moerdyk, DeKruif & Co., Zeeland. John Scholten, Overisel. Hoag & Judson, Cannonsburg. C. K. Hoyt, Hudsonville. Jacob Heerenga, East Saugatuck. J. F. Hacker, Corinth. G. W. Bevins, Tustin. Hibbard Ingalls, Newberry. Neal McMillan. Rockford. Severance & Rich, Middleville. Wm. McMullen, Wood Lake. H. M. Freeman, Lisbon. Geo, F. Cook, Grove P. O. C. O. Smedley, Byron Center. C. S. Comstock, Pierson. E. I. Hewes, Newaygo. Paine & Field, Englishville. W. S. Root, Taillmadge. Geo, Lentz, Croton. Hoag & Judson, Cannonsburg. W. S. Root, Talimadge.
Geo. Lentz, Croton.
J. W. Closterhouse, Grandville.
G. W. Stevens, Austerlitz.
A. C. Barkley, Crosby.
C. O. Bostwick & Son, Cannonsburg.
M. J. Howard, Englishville.
Wm. Karsten, Beayer Dam.
J. C. Benbow, Cannonsburg.
Wm. Borst, Vriesland.
C. Hage, Grandville.
O. Sanders, Rockford.
H. Campbell, Hudsonville.
H. A. Croger, Cascade.
Jay Marlatt, Berlin.
Stanley Monroe, Berlin.
J. Omer, Wright.
G. H. Walbrink, Allendale.
W. H. Struik, Forest Grove.

It is claimed that the popular drink of the future will be milk charged with carbonic acid gas. Milk so charged keeps well.

COUNTRY PRODUCE. Apples-Entirely out of market. Asparagus-35c per doz. bunches. Beans-Local buyers pay 50c@75c 78 bu. for inpicked and hold ordinary hand-picked for Beans-String, \$1.75 for % bu. crate. Wax \$2.25 \$ % bu, crate. Beets-New, 40c B doz. bunches. Butter-Michigan creamery is in poor de

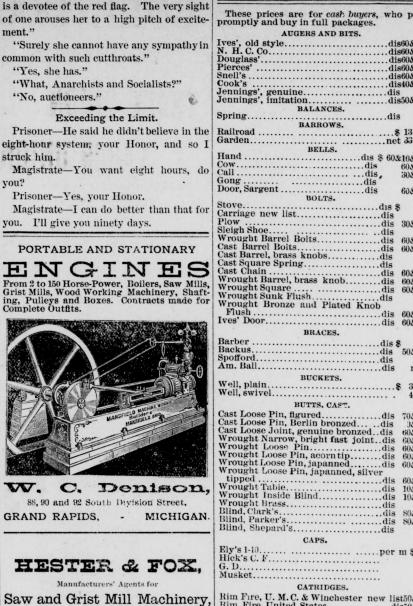
nand at 17@18c. Dairy is a drug on the market at 12@14c. Butterine-Solid packed is weak at 14c.

Cabbages—\$4 per crate of about fifty heads. Cabbage Plants—35c 🄁 100.

Carrots-25c ₽ doz. Cucumbers-65c P doz.

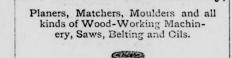
Cheese-April and May stock of Michigan heese is in good demand at 11@11½c. Dried Apples-Quartered and sliced, 3@31/2e.

Evaporated, 61/@7c, according to quality. Dried Peaches-Pared, 15c.



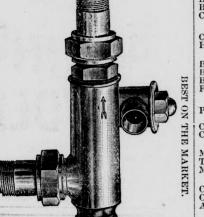
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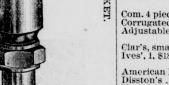
"Yes," said a husband sadly, "my wife



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PATENT FLANISAED IRON. "A" Wood's patent planished, Nos. 24 to 27 10 "B" Wood's pat. planished, Nos. 25 to 27 9 Broken packs ½c 🖗 D extra.

He Wanted the Job.

New boy-Say, boss, going to shut up yer store now?

Hardware Dealer-Yes: right away. New boy-Do you shut up everything? Hardware Dealer-Yes, everything. New boy-Say, boss, can I shut up the knives?

### The Hardware Market.

Business is good and collections are fair. Nails are a trifle weaker. Barbed wire is weak. Other articles in the hardware line are about steady.

# Lenawee County Dairy Notes.

G. B. Horton is receiving 10,000 pounds ments. There is, it seems, little force from of milk at his home factory. Rufus Baker and B. E. Peebles are getting about 8,000

> More cheese was manufactured in this county in May, this season, than ever before.

> C. D. West is making butter this season. having bought a creamery. He markets his butter in Detroit.

# Good Words Unsolicited.

C. L. Hasbrouck, drugist, Mendon: "Good paper." Albert C. Gowdy, grocer, Stetson: "I like it | tracts for new bark on the basis of \$5.50 per very much.' Harvey Grattan, grocer, Delta: "A very

good paper." Allen Brewer, general dealer, Frankfort: "It

A. M. LeBaron, general dealer, Levering: per cent. off, and second quality at 35, 5 and 10 "Cannot get along without THE TRADESMAN." | per cent off.

Eggs-In plentiful supply and weak. Jot bers pay 9@10c and sell for 10@10%c. Honey-Easy at 13@14c. Hay-Bailed is dull at \$14 per ton in two and ive ton lots and \$13 in car lots. Lettuce-12c P tb. Maple Sugar-7@8c Mint-Out of market. Onions-Green, 12@25c \$ doz, bunches. Bermudas, \$2.75 % bu. crate. New Orleans, \$2.50 per 1% bu, sack or \$4.50 % bbl. Peas-Green, \$1.50 % bu. box. Pop Corn-Choice new commands 21/2 78 1 und old 3c P b. Potatoes-Old stock is completely played out. New Memphis are in good demand at \$2 per bu. sack. New California command \$3 \$2 bu. sack. Pieplant-le # b. Poultry-In fair supply. Fowls sell for 10@10%c; turkeys, 12c. Ducks are out of maret. Radishes—18c P doz. Spinach-70c % bu. Strawberries-Ohio and Illinois berries are n good demand at \$5@\$6 \$ 2 bu, stand and Michigan berries are grabbed up as fast as they come in at \$2 \$ box of 16 ots. There is every indication that prices will go much ower before the week is out. Tomatoes-Florida, too high for this market. Tomato Plants-40c # 100. GRAINS AND MILLING PRODUCTS. Wheat-Lower. The city millers pay as follows: Lancaster, 79; Fulse, 76c; Clawson, Corn-Jobbing generally at 44@45c in 100 bu. lots and 38@40c in carlots. Oats-White, 40c in small lots and 34@35c in car lots.

# Rye-48@50c \$ bu.

Barley-Brewers pay \$1.25 % cwt. Flour-No change. Fancy Patent, \$5 % bbl. in sacks and \$5.25 in wood. Straight, \$4.20 % bbl. in sacks and \$4.45 in wood. Meal-Bolted, \$2.75 % bbl. Mill Feed-Screenings, \$13 \$ ton. Bran, \$12 # ton. Ships, \$13 # ton. Middlings, \$13 # ton. Corn and Oats, \$17 \$ ton. MISCELLANEOUS. Hemlock Bark-Local tanners are paying

\$4.75 per cord for old bark, and making concord, delivered, cash. Ginseng-Local dealers pay \$1.75 % th for clean washed roots.

Rubber Boots and Shoes-Local jobbers are is a good paper and worth all you ask for it." authorized to offer standard goods at 35 and 5

HIDES, PELTS AND FURS. Perkins & Hess pay as follows: HIDES. Green ..... B b @ 6 Part cured.... 7@ 7½ Ful cured.... 8 @ 8½ Dry hides and kips ...... 6 @ 8 HIDES. SHEEP PELTS. Old wool, estimated washed \$ b.....20 @22 Tallow...... 21/2@ 3 WOOL. WOOL. Fine washed ? b 20@22 Unwashed...... Coarse washed...18@22 WOODENWARE. Standard Tubs, No. 1..... Standard Tubs, No. 2.... Standard Tubs, No. 3.... Standard Pails, two hoop... Standard Pails, three hoop. Maple Bowls, assorted sizes... Butter Pails, ash..... Butter Ladles. Rolling Pins... Potato Mashers... Potato Mashers... Clothes Pounders. Clothes Pins. Mop Stocks. Washboards, single. Washboards, double. BASKETS. 

# WHOLESALE CROCKERY, H. LEONARD & SONS, GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

### HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT. PART 7. PRICE LIST.

Terms Cash. Thirty days allowed on approved credit. One per cent. discount for Cash in Ten Days. We present a few more specialties from our Household Department stock, showing a staple, regular line of rapid sellers that will find their place in every PROGRESSIVE MERCHANT'S store. In addition to the immense variety of goods shown in these last 42 columns, we carry the LARGEST STOCK and GREATEST VARIETY of Glassware and Crockery shown in the State. WE MEET ALL COMPETITION AT HOME OR ABROAD.

87	88	89	40	41	42
Stationary and Paper Department.         All goods warranted first-class standard quality on our usual low scale of prices and may be relied upon as "every-day sellers."         Writing Paper and Envelopes.         3 b Note "Excelsior" per ream	Memorandum Books. F doz. Gross. GROCER OR GENERAL STORE PASS BOOK, 16 to 18 leaves, printed leatherette cover	Lead Pencils—Continued. P doz. Gross. Hexagon, red, polished 11 1 25 Express, natural finish, rubber tips 15 1 75 " black " " 15 1 75 " red " " 15 1 75	Papeterie.         Only two styles at present, but the very best for the money.         % doz. Gross.         No. 2450, fancy chromo boxes, 24         sheets and envelopes to match 84         No. 2365. Elegant chromo box, with colored silk trimming, containing finest quality cream-tinted ruled paper and envelopes to match, two sizes.	Hair Pins.         LION, J b papers, six assorted sizes, crimp and plain in package.         Price per b.       18         ROYAL CABINET, partition box, 100 pins of 4 assorted sizes in each. Assorted color "Mikado" boxes. A bargain for a "nickle" per dozen.       45         Bundry Staples.       \$2 doz. Gross.         CROCHET HOOKS.       12 assorted sizes in each. Assorted color "Mikado" boxes. A bargain for a "nickle" per dozen.       45         Sundry Staples.       \$2 doz. Gross.         CROCHET HOOKS.       12 assorted sizes fine bone hooks on card 30       3 50         BRASS CUSPIDORE ASH RE-CEIVER       89 10 50         POCKET FOLDING MIRRORS.       Fancy paper, double hinged back, good plate, 2½x4.       46 5 40         SAME, only very large, 3¼x5	New Reduced Prices.It keeps us busy trying to reduce our prices as fast as the manufacturers do theirs, but we are determined to "get there" and here give our customers the benefit of the latest reductions in our stock.Pocket Rules, 1 foot, brass bound.540 2 " "
GARDEN CITY No. 38. For pen and ink. Fine glazed ruled pa- per. 80 sheets in each tablet 70 "FAVORITE" Letter size, for pen and ink, with blotter 8x10 70 "FAVORITE" Foolscap, for pen and ink, with blotter, size 8x12 inch	doz. each style, per box       1 25         P doz. Gross.         Perfection, cedar, rubber inserted       13 1 40         "red,"14 1 50         "black,"14 1 40         Plain Cedar, round, 6 in	Price per dozen boxes	box, BB	"Here's a state of things" when we can offer a 10 inch warranted BEST CAST STEEL screw driver, positively no ordinary quality, but each one warranted, with brass ferule, and polished handle, put up in strong boxes of 6 each, at this price	" 9x12
Points for Retailers. Good, shrewd dealers never have under- paid clerks; they know better.	If two or more merchants in the same town, or at competing points, cannot agree		IB & CO.,		DER Our Leader Fine Cut 33c per pound.

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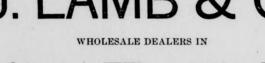
those of your neighbor's.

they will go away from you to some more sensible trader who is polite.

iscernible in trifles, for in them, as a rule.

should always be sharers in its prosperity. like men to stop cutting and to sell staples Be polite to your employees. It is their at a living profit, it will pay any one of right, and yet it will be received as a favor. them to stop the practice short off, and to There are three qualities that may be step out, alone, if need be, in the path of named as essentials in a good clerk-hones- keeping store for money. No live storekeeper need be forced into "marking-down" There is as much responsibility in impart- by the unbusinesslike example of his coming your cwn business secrets as in keeping petitors. There are other ways of keeping trade. Customers whose trade is worth Be polite to your customers. If you don't having are bright enough to appreciate, when told, that they cannot get something for nothing, and that the merchant who pre-

The primary character of any dealer is tends to deal with them on that basis has sinster designs on their pocket-books. It is better to stop cutting and unprofitable selling by consent and agreement, and an ally receives, kind and liberal treatment standing is advisable, but it is well to stop



# Fruits, Vegetables, Clark, Jewel Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Etc. Wholesale Agents for the Lima Egg Crates and Fillers.

# 8 and 10 Ionia St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Our Leader Shorts,

16c per pound.



The Best in the World.

Our Leader Cigars,

\$30 per M.

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he acts almost unconsciously.

A dealer who fails in business from evident misfortune, not only merits, but generfrom his creditors.

To get extended, liberal views, you should consult with persons who differ from you in disposition, circumstances and modes of thought.

Gratuities, kind words and a manifestation of interest in his welfare go farther toward making a good clerk than a thousand business precepts.

The dealer who is habitually unpunctual is in a fair way to destroy all confidence in himself and to estrange the friendship of his best customers.

Do not confine your politeness merely to customers who buy goods and pay money, but extend it also to agents who come to solicit orders or to receive money payments.

Habit of mistrust is the torment of some dealers. It taints their business and social life. They expect people to show the same aspect to them at all times, which is more tory. than human nature can do.

Many dealers, doubtless, feel the wants and miseries of their fellow men tenderly, if not deeply, but this feeling is not of the kind to induce them to exert themselves out of their own small circle.

All men of business justly insist that their clerks shall be honest, and yet there are many of them who overlook the fact that the treatment given to their clerks is anything but consistent with thorough honesty in themselves.

John Helm, of Burdickville, who is engaged in a commission house at Chicago, writes from the latter place to the Leelanaw Enterprise advising farmers to plant no Rose potatoes this year. He says plant Burbanks, Peerless, anything white, but no more Rose.

"Fermentum" the only Reliable Com pressed Yeast. See advertisement. Smoke the celebrated "American Field." Fox & Bradford, sole agents.

it anyway.

Another Strike Averted.

The striking mania reached the thirty girls at work in Will Lamoreaux's bean picking establishment the other day. A committee of three waited upon the proprietor, and, as they entered the office, he asked:

"Is it a strike?"

"That depends. We have come to demand, not increased pay or shorter hours, but the removal of the paint on the windows, so that we can flirt with the boys in

the house opposite." "Are you determined?"

"No flirt, no stay."

"Your demand is granted. Go back to

vour beans." And that afternoon the paint was removed and the girls sang the songs of vic-

## What He Wanted.

"I want," he said, as he helped himself to a light lunch of cheese, "ten pounds of sugar, a pound of tea and a dozen lemons." "You know what I told you, Mr. Slugg,"

said the grocer.

"I recall the insult perfectly, Mr. Soper; but this time I want to pay cash."

He got his goods, and was walking toward the door with them, when the grocer said:

"Here you, Slugg, I thought you wanted to pay cash?"

"So I do, rejoined the other; but, unfortunately, I can't."

Putnam & Brooks are handling large quantities of oranges and lemons. Orders for car lots or less given prompt attention. "Silver King" coffee is all the rage. One silver present given with every 1 pound package.



We make the handling of POTATOES, APPLES and BEANS in car lots a special feature of our business. If you have any of these goods to ship, or anything in the produce line, let us hear from you, and will keep you posted on market price and prospects. Liberal cash advances made on car lots when desired. Agents for Walker's Patent Butter Worker. BROS., Commission Merchants. 157 S. Water St., Chicago, Ill. Reference: FIRST NATIONAL BANK. OLNEY, SHIELDS & CO., WHOLESALE CROCERS. And IMPORTERS OF TEAS. Our Stock is complete in all branches. New, fresh and bought at latest declines and for cash. We have specialties in TOBACCOS and CIGARS possessed by no other jobbers in the city. SOLE AGENTS FOR McAlpin's Peavey Plug. The P. V. is the Finest Tobacco on the market. ALSO SOLE AGENTS FOR MENDEL & BROS.' Celebrated CICARS. Finer quality and lower prices than any handled in the market. VISITING BUYERS ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO CALL AND EXAM-INE OUR STOCK, AND MAIL ORDERS WILL RECEIVE PROMPT AND CARE-FUL ATTENTION. Grand Rapids, Mich. 5 and 7 Ionia Street, Grand Rapids, Mich.



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