





College Re-Visited.

He was a guileless college youth. Who mirrored modesty and truth; And sometimes at his mazy room His sister called to chase the gloom.

NINETEEN HUNDRED.

Table with 2 columns: Association Name and Amount. Includes Grand Rapids, Oceana, Traverse City, etc.

Toothpick Toes Out of Date.

From the Mail and Express. "There are periods when common sense becomes the fashion," said a shoe dealer on Broadway.

A Natural Error.

A Philadelphia merchant recently adopted the new advertising scheme of stenciling enormous foot prints on the sidewalk, all leading finally to his place of business.

The Coming Convention, as Viewed by Chairman Allen.

BATTLE CREEK, May 6, 1887. E. A. Stowe Grand Rapids: DEAR SIR—I desire to supplement the admirable communication of State President Kelsey, in your issue of April 27.

Some Reasons for Organization.

If you are in favor of making peddlers pay a license—organize. If you are in favor of wholesalers selling strictly at wholesale—organize.

Explanation of the Proposed Exemption Law by its Originator.

Someone who was too cowardly to disclose his identity writes the Detroit News, condemning the proposed reduction of the garnishee exemption, on the ground that such a change in the law would work injury to laboring men.

April Report of the Michigan Division T. P. A.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Grand Rapids, May 1, 1887. Report for month ending April 30, 1887.

Good Words Unsolicited.

F. H. Lester, the well-known grocery traveler, in sending in a late remittance, writes: "I have to do to say that it is an independent paper, published in the interest of no one but its patrons, and they all see the point at once and go for it like a bat after a bug."

The bill, which aims at the welfare, not only of the creditor, but also of the debtor whom it will make more careful, more economical, less prone to get into debt, and, consequently more prosperous and happy.

Yours for "Fair Play," W. E. KELSEY. From the Denver Retail Grocer. If you are in favor of making peddlers pay a license—organize.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

A factory fully equipped with wood working machinery—good brick buildings—ample grounds—good shipping facilities—well located in a thriving city in Illinois—will be sold at a bargain, or exchange for other property—a rare chance.

WOODENWARE.

Table listing various woodenware items and prices. Includes Standard Tubs, No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.

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The jobbers are kicking at the extra labor entailed on them by the retail trade in asking them to secure tobacco licenses for the current fiscal year.

One house says that it has been called upon to procure about 400 licenses, and that only one dealer took the trouble to send in the money with the order.

NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and carried on under the name of Emery & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

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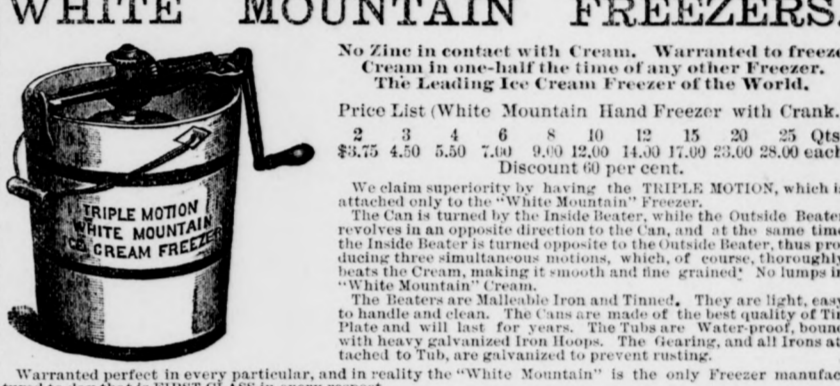
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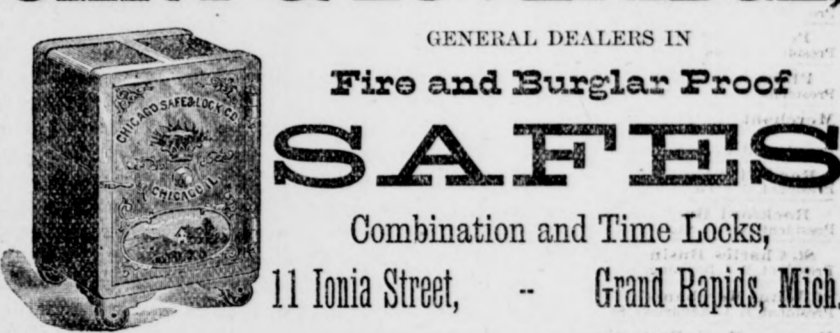
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