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Character of the Men who Originated the P. of I.

As promised last week, THE TRADES MAN begins with this issue a history of the movement commonly known as the reason. Daniel Defoe was a genius in his way—erratic, versatile and inconcomprise a series of six articles, treating sistent. His life reads like a romance, the subject exhaustively under the following general heads:

- 1 The originators of the movement. 2. Hatching the plan and how it was received.
- 3. The State convention. 4. The national convention.
- Present status of the order. 6. Its effects on legitimate trade and how to combat it.

THE ORIGINATORS.

It is a somewhat common remark that farmers are not, as a rule, originatorsthat they do not invent their plows, nor in washing machine to the fellow who secures a signature to a raised note.

Considering the gullibility of the av erage farmer, then, it is not at all surprising that three men should have prising that three men should have plied, for he knew every particular gotten their heads together at Port Huron drawer, though he had a great many, as a few years ago and hatched a scheme by which the farmer could be made to bleed most liberally. Nor is it at all surprising that none of these men were farmers, nor that one was at the same time in the employ of a railroad—a species of employment which does not usually tend to promote the profoundest sympathy for the rural portion of our

The wheel horse of the Patrons of Industry is F. W. Vertican, a superannuated Presbyterian preacher, about 60 years of age, whose last pastorate was at Tyre, Sanilac county. It is understood that the parting with his last charge was not of a particularly affectionate character, and quiet rumors are rife to the effect that the gentleman is a trifle too thrifty to be a consistent follower of the Cross.

The second member of the triumvirate sails under the name of F. H. Krause. He is a German by birth, but has enough Yankee blood coursing through his veins to render him a tolerably shrewd schemer. He is about forty years old, with swarthy complexion, chin whiskers and thick-set frame. He does not attend church regularly and his reputation for profanity is as wide as the Detroit River. He formerly conducted a retail furniture store at Bad Axe, but report has it that which was six spoons of six spoons, and the enterprise ended in disaster-for his then, by the strength of his head, he creditors. Krause came out of the failure the same way he is coming out of the P. of I. movement-first best. His next occupation was as agent for bronze monuments and tombstones, in which he was eminently successful, owing to the bogus character of the business. He next appeared in the field as a detective in Uncle Sam's Secret Service, which brought him stipend of \$120 per month. In less than a month after President Cleveland's retirement, however, he was removed from office for reasons best known to his the German language. In the meantime he started a monthly paper in the interests of the P. of I., the Patrons' Guide.

Probably the most mercenary member of the trio-or triangle, as it is called in Business Practice Pumps, Pipes, Etc., Mantels the Cronin murder case—is I. R. Wadsworth, who is a decidedly slim individual of fifty winters, with black eyes and a exorbitant transportation charges from the farmers, he was well adapted to perform his part in the work of orginating

A Remarkable Set of Accounts.

fully acquainted with the writings of the celebrated Daniel Defoe, better known to the juvenile portion of the com-munity on account of his authorship of "Robinson Crusoe" than for any other behind are wonderful in their way. The article published in the April issue of this paper, entitled, "A Queer Set of Books," has suggested to a correspond-Books, ent in Baltimore the story of Ted Oliver, and we are indebted to him for the following excerpt from "The Complete English Tradesman," by Daniel Defoe, brought out about 1725:

I have heard of a tradesman, indeed,

that could not write, and yet he supplied the defect with so many ingenious knacks of his own to secure the account of what people owed him, and was so exact in doing it, and then took such care to have but very short accounts with anybody, that he brought this method to be in even their lightning rods; yet they are the constant prey of swindlers of all as I often told him, with half the study classes, from the alleged inventor of a and application that those things cost him, he might have learned to write and keep books, too. He made notches on sticks for all the middling sums and scored with chalk for lesser things. He had drawers for every particular customer's name, which his memory supwell as if their faces had been painted on them. He had innumerable figures to signify what he would have written if he could, and his shelves and boxes always out me in mind of the Egyptian hier oglyphics, and nobody could understand anything of them but himself.

It was an odd thing to see him when country chap came up to settle accounts with him. He would go to a drawer directly, among such a number as was amazing; in that drawer was nothing but little pieces of split sticks, like laths, with chalk marks on them, all as unin telligible as the signs of the zodiac to an old school mistress who teaches the horn book. Every stick had notches on one side for single pounds, on the other side for tens of pounds, and so higher; and the length and breadth also had its sig-nification, and the color, too, for they were painted in some places with one color, and in some places with another, by which he knew what goods had been delivered for the money; and his way of easting up was very remarkable, for he knew nothing of figures, but he kept six spoons in a place on purpose near his counter, which he took out when he had occasion to east up any sum, and laying the spoons in a row before him, he

counted upon them thus: One, two, three, and another; 1 1 1 1 1 By this he told up to six. If he had any occasion to tell any further, he began again, as we do after the number 10 in our ordinary numeration; and by this method and running them up very quick, he would count any number under 36, could number as many more as he pleased, multiplying them always by

This tradesman was indeed a country shopkeeper, but he was so considerable a dealer that he became mayor of the place he lived in; and his posterity have been very considerable traders there ever since, and they show their great-grandfather's six counting spoons and his hieroglyphics to this day.

After some time the old tradesman bred up two of his sons to do his business, and his two sons having learned to write, brought books into the countinghouse, things their father had never used superiors, when he resumed active connection with his newspaper, the Port sum and make up an account with his life work. Then, having since dead, I am tempted to write this Huron Herold, a weekly publication in spoons and his drawers as soon as they could with their pen and ink, if it was not too full of small articles, and that he had always avoided in his business.

Smokers' Freemasonry.
From the New York Tribune.
"There is a kind of Freemasonry between smokers in the United States that I have never seen in my own country," said a Canadian visitor to a reporter "and the first time it came under my obswarthy complexion. Until April 1, of servation it annoyed me. I was sitting ger and Freight Agent of the Port Huron & Northwestern Railway—and the love a railroad man bears the farmer is provon a Central Park bench smoking a cigar.

how large his income may be. A leading use his weed to light their own, say merchant of Port Huron asserts that he 'thank you,' and pass on without the would not trust him for a pound of tea, and it is current report that he still owes the men who plastered his house, years ago. Krause bewails the fact that it "takes lots of money to run Wadsworth," and it appears to be an established fact." on his cigar to make it burn brightly and that his income as Supreme Secretary of the P. of I. and his salary as Deputy Collector of the Port of Port Huron, which brings him \$150 per month, are not sufficient to enable him to keep his head upon cigars there as rather extravagant luxury, anyway, nearly all the smokers busy world, only to appear again when by to me nor looked in my direction at all; and that ain't the worst of it. I had above water.

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Such, in brief, are the men who originated and lost half a day's time in the bargain. That days. Holmes is right; there are no days. Holmes is right; there are no days. Holmes is right; there are no days to pay the carriage hire myself and lost with the old friend over those happy days. Holmes is right; there are no days. Holmes is right; there are no days to pay the carriage hire myself and lost the first in this city to see everybody smoking cigars, from the millionaire days. Holmes is right; there are no days.

"Big time to-night," the drummer said, As to supper they sat them down; "To-morrow's Sunday, and now's our chance To illuminate the town."

'Good!" cried Bill Barnes, the jolliest-The favorite of all;
Yes; let's forget our trouble now
And hold high carnival."

The supper done, the mail arrives;
Each man his letters scanning,
With fresh quotations—up or down—
His busy brain is cramming.

But Bill—why, what's come over him-Why turned so quick about! He says, just as his pards start forth: "I guess I won't go out."

His letter bore no written word, No prayer from vice to flee, Only a tracing of a hand— A baby hand—of three. What picture comes before his mind— What does his memory paint? A baby at her mother's knee— His little white-robed saint.

What cares a man for ridicule Who wins a victory grand? Bill slept in peace, his brow was smoothed By a shadowy little hand.

Naught like the weak things of this world The power of sin withstands; No shield between man's soul and wrong Like a little baby hand.

My Chum's High Ideals. H. Maher, in the American Grocer When I was nearly 16 years old, and had then been four years at work, an opportunity came by which I was able to go a term to boarding school; one known as a Literary Institution in the catalogue and advertisements. I look catalogue and advertisements. I look longer assist him. In fact, we both, back at those days as the pleasantest of my life. The windows of the world were then opened for me. It was my were then opened for me. It was my first experience of life away from home. Eighty boys of us met almost upon a place in the city than I could ever have level, and each had a chance to measure himself with his fellows, both in the recitation rooms and in every place in school-life. The study and sleeping When cooms were each intended for two scholars, and one's chum was so much a part of one's self that he either became very dear, or was hated most intensely.

My chum and I were more than brothers to each other. How like a dream our life there seems! Nothing about the school in any way pointed towards luxury. Drawing its support from the sons of New England farmers. Drawing its support almost exclusively, it was necessary that the charges should be very small; and The entire cost of board, of the State. they were. The entire cost of board, tuition, books and all the et ceteras of a fourteen weeks' term, was not much over fires, cut up our wood and took the entire care of our rooms. Our board was probably very plain, but that was of small importance, for there was enough! And, oh, how good it always tasted! I persistent and patient way that he had contained to the small importance of the probably the care of the probably the care of the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the probably the care of the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and patient way that he had contained to the persistent and persistent way the persistent and persistent and persistent way the persistent and persistent way the persistent and persistent way the persisten remembered there was complaint from set about his career. ome pampered few that we too often nad hash for breakfast. Great Cæsar, how ridiculous that seemed! There was an abundance of it; it was well cooked; and we sat down with such appetites that no roast duck in later years has ever tasted half so good to me as that hash did in those days. If I could have that appetite now what wouldn't I give

We were expected to be in bed by 10 o'clock, or very soon thereafter, but there were no rules about going to sleep. Chum and I often lay there and planned out our future till long after midnight. He was the only child of a small village tradesman; his father was very "close" in his expenses, and Walter was as limitted in his spending money as any of us. But there was no limit in the great future for him. My career seemed to be very plainly marked out—office assistant whole world was before Walter, and he week." proposed to conquer it. First, he was going to get out of the village and connect himself with something in Hartford. before. But the old man kept to his old What that something was to be he neither referred to the old fancies.

> our village school he was a dull, heavy and who intend to lift the world out of scholar, and he had no warm friendship its dreary commonplaceness. with anyone. At Suffield he studied diligently, taking front rank in his classes, and he had as many friends among the boys as any one there. His nature seemed to develop every day towards making him the man he desired to be, and when I left the school and went back to work he was one of the leading boys both in his classes and on the school

There are those at boarding schools was dying for a cigar, just so I could go who rejoice when the term or the year hoses. I know this is so, but I do not my last run into Lansing I met a nice when the results of the repeat when the results of th several years, while in the employ of the railway, in devising methods of wringing exorbitant transportation, charge from poved at what I don't want a match,' he railway, in devising methods of wringing exorbitant transportation, charge from poved at what I don't want a match,' he understand it. In that time of life when it is so easy to swear eternal friendship course I made myself as nearly so as and have it as real as anything is ever possible. Had a placeant hold to be understand it. name for my cigar. I left rather all and noved at what I thought his impertinence real in after-life, I do not see how one in trying to form my acquaintance and can look at the parting hour with aught replied: 'I have not the pleasure of but sadness. It is well that there are her if there were any parcels I could her if there were any parcels I could knowing you, sir, and I don't care to times in life when one can thoroughly carry for her. She smiled bewitchingly believe in friendship and his friends. and said I might help her if I would be Gould to the blush. He is inclined to be a little careless in financial matters, and slittle careless in financial matters, and "Since then I find everybody does it learn found to be at my refusal, but said nothing."

selves with those who have passed out of

the new times into the old. As I sat at my office desk, when school had begun, I enjoyed my chum's letters even as I had before enjoyed him. Conidence in himself was growing, and his plans for his future were widening. Our village life to him was nauseating in its littleness and its narrow bounds. He littleness and its narrow bounds. was intending to soar high, but his let-ters harped upon the fact that men must learn to labor and to wait. He pointed out that most boys went to the city and were in too great hurry for success; they took up with the first thing offered them, and rarely ever went away farther. Not so with his plans. Life was long, he said. It was the first step that counted. To end right one must begin right, and there was always room at the top, once you had begun to climb.

I never admired Walter so much as l did while reading these letters. My own soul echoed their sentiments, but I had been handicapped and compelled to get work at once; nothing better was ever expected of me. But it was good to see a boy who was going to be master of himself, and would strive, first and last, for noble things.

My work was not many miles from the school, so that chum and I had frequent meetings, but the only drawback to my pleasure was that I feared he was growing away from me. I had helped him at school, both with his lessons and in his intercourse with the boys, but he had long passed the point where I could socially. He would secure me a better where I was, and he would, through his friends, place me on the highest social

When he left school we spent several days together, and then he went back to his father. I knew he would be slow in striking out for himself, but a year passed and still he had made no beginning. His letters, however, had all the old ring of confidence, and my faith in him never wavered. When next I heard of him it was through a mutual friend, who told

me Walter was at work in Hartford. I was not surprised at his silence, and I was overjoyed that he had begun his career in his own way in the capital city

Months passed on, and still I heard nothing from him. I met one of our old We made our own beds, built our schoolmates, and, in discussing the boys,

Douglass laughed as he said, "So you take stock in all that kind of gush, do

"I take unlimited stock in Walter," I said; "he is just the fellow to do what he sets out to do."

"Then he set out to be famous in a very modest way," said Douglass; "he is doing work you or I would not touch."
"I don't believe it," I said, "or there is more to it than you saw; did he tell

you of it himself?"
"No; he acted as if he was ashamed, and I asked no questions; but I have an acquaintance in the same store and I

mestioned him.' "What store is he in?" "Brown & Thompson's; he delivers packages."
"What! Surely you are joking?"

"Not a bit of it. I am giving you facts. His talk about high ideals is all bosh; he of a factory in a little village. But the is delivering dry goods packages at \$4 a

got a foothold, he would work his way little sketch for the benefit of all the youth with noble ambitions and lofty upward and onward.

I used to watch him with wonder. In ideals, who graduated a few weeks ago,

Yes; there is always room at the top.

so very few get there! How a Drummer Learned a Lesson.

"No more flirting for me, boys," remarked a drummer to some of his ac-quaintances as they sat smoking and chaffling at the Morton, Sunday night. "I used to go without smoking when I was dying for a cigar, just so I could go little careless in financial matters, and severlastingly "hard up," no matter ow large his income may be. A leading portance or were their benefactors.

But oh, the glow of first friendships, when the boy is merging into the man!

How painful were the last walks to-

GRAND RAPIDS GOSSIP. Hilton & Osborn have engaged in the grocery business at Morgan. Ball, Barn-

hart & Putman furnished the stock. The Telfer Spice Co. will give away 15,000 samples of tea and an equal number of samples of spices at the fair.

Ball, Barnhart & Putman furnished the stock for Blair Schell, who has opened a grocery store at 202 East Bridge

iness at Stetson. Foster, Stevens & Co. Blanchard. furnished the stock.

Thos. Walker & Son have sold their stock of pickles to Williams Bros. & Charbonneau, of Detroit, and will not be in the field this year.

Frank N. Cornell has lately removed his dry goods stock from Griswold to Sebewa and added a line of groceries. Ball, Barnhart & Putman furnished the

W. E. Barrett has retired from the lumber firm of Tucker, Hoops & Co. The firm name remains the same as be-

Olin M. Goold has sold his hardware stock at 675 Wealthy avenue to Walter A. Palmer, hardware dealer at 778 South Division street, who will remove his stock to the former location.

Moseley Bros. have on exhibition Hill's Chili peach nine inches in circumference one way and ten inches the other. It is the largest peach of that lumber business. variety ever seen in this locality.

Henry Seegmiller has engaged in general trade at Kingsley. Rindge, Bertsch & Co. furnished the boots and shoes, Voigt, Herpolsheimer & Co. the dry goods and Olney, Shields & Co. the gro-

grocery, crockery and notion business at Sons the crockery, and P. Steketee & ities. Sons the notions.

E. L. Boynton, a pioneer merchant of Griswold, but who retired from the mercantile business about six years ago, has re-engaged in general trade there. Ball, Barnhart & Putman furnished the groceries. The dry goods were purchased

Frank M. Wood and Chas. H. Rowland have formed a copartnership under the style of Wood & Rowland and purchased ting Co., of Lansing. the grocery stock of Seegmiller & Son, at 563 Cherry street. The Messrs. Seegmiller will continue the meat business at shortly remove their mill to Benzie their present location and also embark in the feed business at 595 Cherry street.

A. E. Brooks, Wm. B. Edmunds. Henry Dawley and Geo. McKay propose to organize a stock company under the style of the Brooks Candy Co. to engage in the manufacture and jobbing of candy. It is understood that the house will be located in the vacant store in the Cody block, on East Fulton street.

AROUND THE STATE.

Jackson - H. L. Merriman has sold his saddlery stock. Griswold-Frank N. Cornell has moved

Lapeer-H. D. Pike succeeds Pike & Adams in the grocery business.

his general stock to Sebewa.

Negaunee-Wm. H. Eddy has sold his

grocery business to Mrs. C. Lamar.

Gidley & Hooper in the grocery business. Litchfield - Chester Cahoon succeeds factory. Coon & Dickenson in the meat business. Detroit-Jas. K. Porter, dealer in fur-

Big Rapids-Geo. F. Fairman has sold

Muskegon-Peter Asmussen succeeds Asmussen & Welton in the roofing busi-

Alpena-F. B. Franks succeeds Franks & McGregor in the boot and shoe bus-

iness Lowell-Robt. G. Bostwick succeeds Howk & Bostwick in the boot and shoe

business Shelby-Rosen Bros., the Muskegon clothiers, will put in a branch store at

this place. Escanaba-F. T. (Mrs. W. J.) Coan's grocery stock has been closed on chattel

mortgage. Muskegon-E. A. Worden is succeeded

Murdock & Co. Flint-H. W. Watson & Co. succeed and storage.

H. W. Watson in the wholesale cigar and tobacco business. Ensley-K. L. Kinney has sold her

will continue the business.

the interest of J. Carpenter in the meat purchased last spring 5,000,000 feet of cessor of the old firm, including the business of Carpenter & Pitts.

St. Johns-The St. Johns Evaporator with a capital stock of \$25,000.

be started here by Vander Werp, Ben- a paid-up capital of \$150,000, has filed its jamin & Co., the Grand Rapids clothiers, articles. William C. Colburn is Presery stock has been purchased by J. O. Ford D. C. Hinchman Treasurer and

Detroit-It is A. Krolik & Co. who the business office here. foreclosed their mortgage on the J. W. Berns dry goods stock—not the reverse, ligation is on the tanis. For several as stated last week.

Shelby-It is reported that H. L. of Paton & Andrus and engage in the and timber and mining property elsemercantile business on his own account.

Sand Lake-J. H. Brayman has consolidated his hardware stock with T. J. L. E. Johnson, formerly of Pent- Blanchard's furniture stock and the new water, has engaged in the hardware bus- firm will be known as Brayman & Manistee-Rock & Goodrich's grocery

stock has been seized on chattel mortgage. Mr. Rock left for Washington Territory without saying good-bye to his friends, which precipitated the failure.

MANUFACTURING MATTERS. Sterling-Jas Horne has sold his lum-

er business.

Cedar Springs-A. G. Rose has sold out his shingle mill.

Marenisco-Dunn & Jamieson have gone into the sawmill business.

Kalamazoo-It is understood that the Kalamazoo Cart Co. will soon remove to

nis sawmill business and removed to Centralia, W. T. Manistique-The White Marble Lime

Co. has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$10,000. Standish—The Standish Manufacturing

Co. is succeeded by James Norn in the Plainwell-The A. G. Graham Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of wooden-

ware, is closing out. Delton-F. Woodhams has pulled up stakes here and removed his harness

business to Richland. Shelby-Paton & Andrus have put in about \$1,000 worth of improvements and Christian Haller has engaged in the their mill is now in first-class condition. Ann Arbor-The Michigan Furniture

Lake Odessa. Ball, Barnhart & Putman Co. will set itself at work in its new furnished the groceries, H. Leonard & shops soon, with greatly increased facil-Midland-Samuel Sias, an old-time

> logger, has taken a contract to lumber 10,000,000 feet of pine in towns 16 and 17. 1 east. Kalamazoo-The American Cart Co.

will soon begin the erection of a new building, 50x150 feet in dimensions and three stories high.

Charlotte-W. H. Reynolds, of the dry goods firm of Reynolds Bros., has been elected president of the Michigan Knit-

Cadillac-Clary & Eaton have finished their shingle cut in this county and will county, where they have a large tract of

Bay City-Thomas Toohey, who is lumbering on the Tobacco for Mosher & Fisher, has 6,000,000 feet on the skids already. The logs will come to this city to be manufactured.

FOR SALE — NEW, CLEAN STOCK OF FANCY of FANCY to be manufactured.

FOR SALE — NEW, CLEAN STOCK OF FANCY of FANCY of FANCY at the commencement of the season.

West Branch-French Bros., who re cently built a sawmill here, are building a shingle mill. It will have a capacity of 35,000 daily, and will be ready to start early in October.

Montague—The Montague Mill Co. has been dissolved by the retirement of Geo. was made, but Soper agreed to erect a Hancock. D. D. Erwin will have control of the business in the future, Geo. Gardner acting as manager under him.

Cadillac - A representative of the Goshen Pump Co., of Goshen, Ind., was in the city last week and placed an order Litchfield-J. Gidley & Son succeed of large dimensions for screen doors, tered Thursday setting the contract aside. etc., with the Cadillac sash and blind

Manistique-The Manistique Railway Company is to extend its road about eight lighter and a crew of fifteen men, and niture, has assigned to Wm. A. Hastings. miles south of Seney. Shingles, lumber, etc., will be the principal freight hauled. his grocery stock to his father, F. Fair- and Manistique hopes to yet see the road extended to this place.

East Saginaw-A change has taken place in the planing mill firm of Brown, Mershon & Co., J. G. Macpherson of the firm having retired. Brown & Mershon will continue the business, which has assumed large proportions.

Shelby-The purchase of the Getty mill site by Alex. Paton terminates the sawmill business. He has several schemes on foot, and is still undecided

as to what move he will make. Bay City-Eddy Bros. & Co. have be-Lentz, of the Pine River boom, to gain possession of 2,100,000 feet of logs, the in the dry goods business by John F. parties to the suit being unable to agree on rates and charges for rafting, booming

East Saginaw-The Saginaw Lumber & Salt Co. will operate one camp on Fitzwilliam Island, in Georgian Bay. It general stock to Miss Ellen Kinney, who purchased 20,000,000 feet of timber on that island a year ago and put in about Shelby-Mr. Bennett has purchased 4,000,000 feet last winter. This company logs put into the Whitefish by the Corning book accounts, formulas and good-will of Lumber Co., but only 1,500,000 feet have the business, and will undoubtedly reand Produce Co. has been incorporated been delivered, the rest having been ceive the same confidence and patronage hung up.

Wayland—A branch clothing store will Detroit—The Huron Lumber Co., with LYON & CO.'S EXHIBIT Manistee-The Douville Bros.' station-ident, William H. Strong Vice-President. Nesson, who has moved it in with his R. C. Faulkner Secretary and Manager. The mills will be located in Alpena and

East Saginaw-A large-sized land litvears W. R. Burt and Henry Gamble have been jointly interested in lumber mat-Andrus will shortly retire from the firm ters, operating a mill at Grand Marais. where. Last week Mr. Burt began suit against Gamble far \$200,000.

Saginaw-The Saginaw Iron Mining Co. has been organized with a capital stock of \$400,000. The incorporators are Levi Tillotson, C. W. Wells, F. C. Stone, C. H. Gage, J. K. Stevens and Congressman A. T. Bliss. The company owns 200 acres near Ishpeming and will at once commence to put down a shaft.

Bay City-McKeon & Glover, who are interested with J. W. Babcock in the extensive timber purchase in the South, and are erecting a sawmill, do not seem inclined to let go their hold in Michigan. The will run five camps in this State the coming winter, and are building a short railroad to assist them in their opera-

East Saginaw-Merrill & Ring have sold to Midland parties 1,750 acres of pine and hardwood timber land in towns Deer Lake-H. Stowe has closed out 16 and 17 north 1 east. It is estimated that the tract contains 12,000,000 feet, and a contract has been taken by Samuel Sias to put in one-half of the timber the coming winter. Operations will begin October 1.

Saginaw City-The N. & A. Barnard Lumber Co. has sold its entire lumber and salt plant to Bliss & Van Auken, of this place. The sale includes a sawmill of 20,000,000 feet capacity, salt works of 50,000 barrels annual capacity and thirtyfive acres of real estate. The Barnard company will operate the plant until the close of the year.

Manistee-Louis Sands owns 12,000,000 eet of pine about twelve miles from Baldwin, across which the Chicago & West Michigan Railway is building an extension, and the managers have slashed their way through the tract without permission or any regard for the owner's rights. They have done the same thing in other cases, and suits are likely to follow.

Bay City-Some time ago McLennan & Son sold a quantity of pine to a lumber dealer named H. J. Bogue, but the claim was made that he failed to live up to his agreement, and the McLennans have begun suit against him to recover \$1,500, the difference claimed on the selling price of the stock, they having sold it at \$1.15 less than the price Bogue agreed to take it for.

Oscoda-The mill of the Potts Salt & Lumber Co. is evidently working for a record. During the month of August it of about \$13,000. Address No. 502, care Tradesman. averaged 460,000 feet per day, which is remarkable work. If it continues to hustle the balance of the season, it will Pack, Woods & Co.'s mill here is no insignificant affair, having averaged 362,000 feet per day.

East Saginaw-Two years ago J. T. Burnham sold a mill site in East Saginaw to A. H. Soper. No cash payment mill, which he did, and on which security was given to Burnham. The mill manufactured only a small quanity of lumber or last year, and has been operated only a portion of this season. Soper failed to make a payment, and a decree was en-W. O. Leonard furnished the money to build the mill, and about 5 o'clock Sunday morning he went to the dock with a began removing the machinery, boilers and engines. By evening all that was movable of the mill was on the lighter and started down the river in tow of a tug. Burnham procured the necessary papers and found the property the next morning and seized it. Litigation will

The Putnam Candy Co.

The negotiations pending between the partners of the firm of Putnam & plans of Mr. Getty to re-engage in the Brooks came to a successful termination last Monday, when a dissolution was effected and a corporation formed to continue the business under the style of the Putnam Candy Co. The company has a gun a replevin suit against John C. capital stock of \$150,000, one-half of which is paid in, as follows: Ben. W. Putnam, \$35,000; Fred. B. Aldrich, \$15,000; Thos. M. Peck, Jas. M. Barnett, John W. Blodgett and Henry Idema, each \$5,000. All the stockholders have been made directors in the corporation. which is officered as follows:

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At the Michigan State Pharmaceutical Convention.

The exhibit at Rooms 114 and 115, Plankinton Hotel, Detroit, in charge of Mr. J. L. Kymer, of the firm, George Raynor, Walter B. Dudley and Gilbert J. Haan, was one of the features of the meeting. Such an elegant display of comb and brush sets, odor cases, work boxes, smokers' sets, collar and cuff boxes, frames and mirrors, lap tablets. writing desks, bronze novelties, photograph albums, autograph and scrap albums, tov. juvenile and miscellaneous books, has never before been shown in Michigan, surpassing even their own fine displays of former years. Visiting druggists, as well as other dealers visiting the exposition, were no less aston ished at the low prices named on the goods than at the extent and elegance of the display. Many new customers have placed their orders and their sales have exceeded their most sanguine anticipa

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The Michigan Farmer, the recognized organ of the farming interests of the State, pays its respects to the Patrons of Industry in the following left-handed ashion:

The Patrons of Industry seems, from s constitution, to be following the path first taken by the organizers of the Patrons of Husbandry. Since then changes have been made in that organization which have not only strengthened its hold on the farmers of the country, but have placed it in a position where it can much more efficiently aid the special in-dustry it was organized to assist. The TRADESMAN, published at Grand Rapids by E. A. Stowe, also publisher of THE us a paper giving what is asserted to be the constitution of the order, its ritual, including the secret work. If this is correct as published, we see nothing to either condemn or praise in the organi zation. It is simply traveling a well beaten path, over which kindred organizations have been passing for years, only to drop into "innocuous desuetude" in a onger or shorter period. If farmers and laborers think the order will accomplish any good for them, then they are justified in giving it a trial. The experience will not hurt them a great deal, and the small amounts they contribute will help the "organizers," which, after all, is the strength of the game. As long as the "organizers" can make it pay they will keep right at the business—so as to benefit their fellow farmers and laborers; but when the funds run short the aver "organizer" will, very discreetly let his fellow farmers look after their honest and productive.

Undersold the Owner.

"Your reference to the bantering style of doing business calls up many reminiscences," said an old merchant to a Utica "I must tell you of one occurrence that took place in a neighboring country store. The proprietor was noted for being particularly affable and obliging to his customers, and he had a fair. elear-headed and smart young man for elerk. One day one of the best customers of the concern called to buy a dress pattern. The price was 75 cents, and after a long talk the clerk closed the bargain at 70 cents. While the clerk all its people; and, second, because we was selecting trimmings, etc., in another part of the store, the genial proprietor came along rubbing his hands, nquired after the family of the customer, oraised her taste in selecting that par icular piece of goods, and, as a special favor to a good customer, let her have it

for 68 cents per yard. "The clerk returned and the lady told ment. of the reduction the proprietor had made. The clerk was furious, but not in the least disconcerted. He saw that if the customers thought that he was selling higher than others in the store they would avoid him, and his discharge would follow. So he says:

you that piece at 65 cents a yard.' "When the deal was completed the proprietor was as angry as the clerk.

"Do you know that I made the price 8 cents?" said the proprietor.
"'Yes,' said the clerk; 'but I want you to understand that no man can undersell me in this store.'

"He kept his job." Notwithstanding the fact that the quoforce it on the market at a remarkable ities in 1789, and perhaps its of 1887, there has been more salt pro-

SUPPORT THE FAIR.

Open Appeal to Business Men by President Ramsdell.

That the West Michigan Fair Association, by its annual exhibitions, has been eans of drawing thousands to this city who would not otherwise have come, a large part of whom, through the acquaintance thus formed, have become permanent customers to the merchants of Grand Rapids, no business man will dispute. The management wish to make these annual exhibitions more attractive by enlarging the scope and raising the standard of excellence in every depart-ment. If they can do so, they are confident that multitudes will be induced to visit this city annually, thousands of whom will thereafter become permanent patrons of its business men. It is not so much the volume of trade during the fair that makes these annual fairs of great advantage to the merchants and business men of Grand Rapids as it is the steady and permanent trade which follows the first introduction that the fair induces. We need larger grounds and more commodious buildings, better arranged for the display of our agricultural and industrial products, art, science and skill and the unequaled resources of Western and Northern Michigan in forests and mines. We also need the means to award larger prizes on a more varied and attractive premium list. To accomplish this we must have the active cooperation of the business men whose interests we subserve. We do not ask donations, we are not begging for help we warrant an exhibition worth much more than the entrance fee at the gate. We ask you to patronize us by coming with your families to the fair and allowing and encouraging your employes to come with their families, also.

This is not a private corporation, where the surplus earnings are divided among the stockholders. Every dollar received over the expenses of the fair must be used to make future exhibitions more complete, and, therefore, more at If the business men of Grand Rapids will co-operate with the West Michigan Society by attending and urging every other citizen to attend the fair, management will soon be able to offer attractions that will bring an annually increasing attendance of the people. The management are aware of the fact that during the fair week there some days when the throng is so great and the customers drawn to the to secretion. In old and feeble persons city are so numerous that the merchants water should not be taken cold, but it are overwhelmed with visitors and may be with great advantage taken warm patrons and cannot, without loss, allow or hot. This removal of the accumu themselves or their clerks the pleasure of attending the fair on such days. Every merchant thus situated owes his increased custom directly to the fair and is found so beneficial. in equity bound to reciprocate the favor to the full extent of his patronage. This he can do by attending the fair on Tues- From Lippincott's Magazine. day and Friday, when the throng is not

We would also appeal to the manufacturers and manufacturing corporations of store, had the bill changed, returned, this city and ask them to close their factories one day during the fair to allow their workmen an opportunity to attend the Now, it turned out that the \$50 bill was a exhibition. While the pecuniary benefit counterfeit, and the dealer, of course, to the manufacturers arising from the gave \$50 to the one who had changed the MICHIGAN DAIRYMAN, and Secretary of the State Dairymen's Association, sends to the city is not as immediate and direct as it is to the merchant, yet every one who visits their warehouses or salesrooms or the immense factories where
these wares are made becomes a free advertising agent for the manufacturing
the dealer loses \$45 and the boots.
For he keeps, in exchange for the boots,
the good money he received in change for the counterfeit \$50 bill, and adds to this \$5, \$45 more, consequently of Grand Rapids, and the granting of an annual holiday during the fair and the purchasing of tickets for those whose wages are too low to admit of the expenditure will go far toward establishing that friendly relation between employer and employed which avoids misunderstanding and proves the strongest barrier to the influence and appeals of the "walking delegate" in

times of trouble.

We ask the patronage of the people of Grand Rapids, of all occupations and professions, that they come to our fair and bring their families-with them. The object lessons which your children will learn, by coming in contact with the best productions of nature, skill and art, to more remunerative employment—
struggle of life than weeks of hard
which we sincerely hope will be both
honest and productive. ling liquors and carrying on games of chance upon our grounds, but have per-emptorally refused them, that your children might not be brought in contact with their contaminating influences. To give the children of the city an oppor-

are confident that the exhibition confident that you will be pleased with the exhibition and with its management, we hope to see you all on our grounds during the fair.

Submitted in behalf of the manage J. G. RAMSDELL, Pres.

The First Ice Cream.

France about 1660 by a Florentine named | it all day. At night it is placed in a big | Procope Cultelli, who founded a cafe in | safe, which is similarly guarded all Paris, which is still in existence. It found night. It is said to be of the rould follow. So he says:

"I just looked at the bill and can sell
The earliest reference to it we have been French crown diamonds. able to find in any English publication is contained in the "Cooks and Confec-tioners' Dictionary," published in London in 1720. Here a very similar, but not identical, compound is described, though under a different name. Clermont. in his "Professed Cook," published in London in 1776, gives a process for making it which does not differ materially from that in use at the present day, and calls the dish "iced cream." tation price of salt is 55 cents per barrel, and manufacturers insist that there is no this country; but it is said to have formed profit in its production, they continue to one of the dishes at the inaugural festivit on the market at a remarkable With the exception of the season dates from that time. It could not have come into very general use, however, trough)-I'm soakin' th' blackin' off my duced in Michigan up to September 1 until the early part of the present cen-old cowhides, so as ter make 'em lo duced in Michigan up to September 1 until the early part of the present central than ever before, the aggregate reaching tury, when ice became an article of com-

Advertising Run to Seed.

It is well known that at the Pere la Chaise Cemetery, near Paris, there stands in a conspicuous position a splendid mon-ument to Pierre Cabochard, a grocer, with

a nathetic inscription, which closes thus: "His inconsolable widow dedicates this monument to his memory, and continues the same business at the old shop, 167 Rue Mouffetard."

A Parisian paper relates that a short time ago a gentleman who had noticed the above inscription was led by curiosity to call at the address indicated. Having expressed his desire to see the Widow Cabochard, he was immediately ushered into the presence of a fashionably dressed and full-bearded man, who asked him what was the object of his visit.

"I came to see the Widow Cabochard, "Well, sir, here she is."

"I beg pardon; but I wish to see the lady in person."
"Sir, I am the Widow Cabochard." "I don't exactly understand you. I allude to the relict of the late Pierre Cabochard, whose monument I saw yesterday in the Pere la Chaise."

"I see, I see," was the smiling reinder. "Allow me to inform you that joinder. Pierre Cabochard is a myth, and, therefore, never had a wife. The tomb you admired cost me a great deal of money, and although no one is buried there, it proves a first-rate advertisement, and I have no cause to regret the expense Now, sir, what can I sell you in the way of groceries?"

How and When to Drink Water.

According to Dr. Leuf, when water is taken into the full or partly full stomach, it does not mingle with the food, as we are taught, put passes along quickly between the food and lesser curvative toward the pylorus, through which it passes into the intestines. The secretion of mucus by the lining membrane is constant, and during the night a considerable amount accumulates in the stomach; some of its liquid portion is ab sorbed, and that which remains is thick and tenacious. If food is taken into the stomach when in this condition, it be comes coated with this mucus, and the secretion of the gastric juice and its actions are delayed. These facts show the value of a goblet of water before breakfast. This washes out the tenacious mucus, and stimulates the gastric glands lated mucus from the stomach is prob-

This Time it is a Shoe Dealer.

A man entered a shoe store and bought so great and the opportunities for in- a \$5 pair of boots, handing the dealer a spection best. \$50 bill. The dealer, not being able to change the bill, went into a neighboring customer the change, \$45 with the boots. Now, it turned out that the \$50 bill was a counterfeit. How much did the dealer lose by the transaction?

The dealer loses \$45 and the boots losing \$45 and the boots.

Not Square.

The Teuton who could speak some English went to his grocer and paid a bill which had been standing for several

"Now you are all square, Hans."

"I vas vat?"

"You are square, I said." "I vas square?"

'Yes-you are all square now." Hans was silent for a moment, then, with reddening face and flashing eyes, he brought his plump fist down upon the counter and said:

"See here, mine frent, I vil have no more peezness mit you. I treat you like for clemency? study in the school room. We have been offered large sums for privileges of sel-parrel. I dond like such shokes. My peezness mit you vas done!"

Celery in Winter.

To keep celery well during winter, it must be kept in a cool temperature, say tunity to take these object lessons, we ask the school authorities to permit the closing of the schools on Friday of the fair.

We make this appeal to the business We make this appeal to the business depends a good deal upon the variety depends a good deal upon the variety men and the people of Grand Rapids grown and the cultural conditions before because, first, we are engaged in a public storing. After storing, dryness wilts it, enterprise which is of great benefit to the business interests of the city and to bleaching crisp, but celery that is half well repay all who enter the gate, both in amusement and instruction. Feeling perfection after being stored; and the red celeries are better flavored than any white celeries.

Giant Diamond.

The Giant diamond, lately discovered in Cape Colony, and now at the Paris Exposition, weighs 180 carats and is valued at \$4,000,000. It is kept in a glass The first ice cream was introduced into case by itself and guardians stand around

His Idea of Modesty.

Customer-Why are you so unassuming that you never make comparisons between your goods and those of other

Manufacturer-Because modesty is the best policy in business. You see, we never admit that there is any comparison

Bound to Be in the Swim. City Nephew-What in thunder are you standing in that water for, uncle? Uncle Enoch (standing in

Dry Goods.

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The Judge Wouldn't Have It.

Prisoner-Judge, I hope you will be easy with me. Judge-On what grounds do you ask

Prisoner-Professional grounds, your Honor. I've spent ten years at the Judge-Officer, is this man a lawyer?

Officer—Your Honor, he's a shoemaker. He works at the bench when he works at all, and I understand he has "worked" all the bars in his neighborhood. Judge-Put him behind the bars for

HARDWARE.

The Hardware Market.

Notwithstanding the advance accorde the workmen, the manufacturers have when green will keep for months without not yet announced an advance in glass. Manufacturers of bar iron refuse to book orders for future delivery, which gives ground for believing that an advance is by no means improbable. The jobbers are still selling nails cheaper than the manufacturers. Sisal and manilla rope have advanced a trifle.

Prices Current.	
These prices are for cash buyers,	who
pay promptly and buy in full pack	ages.
AUGURS AND BITS.	
Ives', old style	. 60
Snell's	
Cook's	
Jennings', genuine	. 2
Jennings', imitation	.50&10
AXES.	
First Quality, S. B. Bronze	. 8 7 00
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Carriage new list	. 7
Plow	.40&1
Sleigh shoe	. 7
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WORTHY ORGANIZERS.

The September issue of the Patron's of Industry, contains the following:

Bro. A. P. Waterhouse is just rushing things in Newaygo county—four associations a week being about his average.

"Brother" Waterhouse is peculiarly P. of I., as his name occupies a commanding position on the delinquent lists of several Business Men's Associations quoted at 10 cents on the dollar, with no depict the woes of the down-trodden bitant exactions and monopolistic practices of the opulent merchant!

Perhaps, however, "Brother" Waterhouse will make enough out of his organization work to square the numerous debts against him. THE TRADESMAN is informed by Supreme Treasurer Krause that the fee paid organizers of the P. of I. is \$10 an association, so if Waterhouse is averaging four lodges a week, he is in receipt of an income of \$40 a week, or \$160 a month-a pretty fair return for the poor equivalent he leaves in the hands of the farmers.

Another organizer frequently praised by the Guide is Elder Payne, of Kent county. In view of the fact that the Elder was for several years under indictment for bastardy before the Kent Circuit Court, he would also appear to be a desirable person to champion the cause of the Vertican-Krause-Wadsworth triumvirate, for if there ever was an organization of dubious parentage, it is the Patrons of Industry.

IN THE LINE OF PROGRESS.

At the annual convention of the Michigan State Pharmaceutical Association, held at Petoskey two years ago, President Wurzburg, in the course of his annual address, made the following recommenda-

Board of Pharmacy will meet the approval of this Association. In this connection, however, I desire to put myself on record as favoring a

return to the original intent of the law when it was enacted, that this Association recommend three or more eligible persons for appointment to the Board, and that such recommendations be for warded to the Governor, with a request to make his selection therefrom.

the fact that the Board owes its existence to this Association, and that it cannot be brought too closely in connection with storm ended. She was to make nineteen the parent organization.

most virulent opposition of those who her armament and stores. She made preferred to keep the matter of appoint- twenty and a fifth. For four consecutive ments to the Board in the hands of a ring, as it had been up to that time, and the fifths knots an hour. She thus fills exrecommendation was not adopted. Confident that the point was well taken, how- take among the warships of the world. ver, he continued to agitate the matte at each convention, and at the meeting held at Detroit last week the suggestion characterized our vessels in the War of was adopted, many of those voting in its 1812. We will have a navy of just the favor having a previously opposed it.

selfish interests have at last given away fast as an ordinary train moves on a railto the good of the trade at large and road, and which could sail all around trusts that the bringing of the Board and such floating fortresses as are the chief the men who created it into closer relationship will do much to remove the illydisguised suspicion with which the Board has come to be regarded by a large portion of the drug trade of the State.

NAMES WANTED.

A patron of The Tradesman at Milan writes as follows:

In regard to the P. of I. stores, wouldn't it be a good idea to give the names of parties who have taken it up and their failures. I understand that the business is a failure, which, of course, it must be, unless the P. of I. merchant is a knave and swindles his customers. Give us results. Theories are cheap, but results

Joshua Colby, the Rockford hardware dealer, signed with the P. of 1.'s on a 20 per cent. basis. He is a P. of I. dealer no longer. Herold Bros., the Howard City boot and shoe dealers, have also satisfied air of a man who had just come thrown up a contract with the P. of L.'s. into the possession of a fortune, the darkey took the coat and went on his same place, has repeatedly stated that he is losing money by selling goods on a 10 per cent. basis and that, when his contract expires, he will not renew it on any

him a duplicate invoice with 121/2 per roform residue.

The Michigan Tradesman cent. added or the jobber sends him a number of blank invoices, which enables Official Organ of Michigan Business Men's Association. him to make a "cost price" behind his own desk whenever called upon to do so. In some cases, the prices secured in this Retail Trade of the Wolverine State, way are considerably higher than those ordinarily charged, but the "10 per cent. above cost" catches flies for awhile, the same as the "14 off" sales used to attract custom, even though the goods had been marked up one-third previous to the sale.

The election of Frank Inglis as President of the Michigan State Pharmaceutical Association will meet the hearty commendation of the great body of Michigan druggists. It is an open question, however, which is honored the Guide, the official organ of the Patrons more—the Association or the recipient of its confidence.

Wyoming and New Mexica are follow ing the example of Idaho in holding constitutional conventions and getting ready adapted to expound the doctrines of the to apply for admission as states. The case of Wyoming can very well be postponed until the census of next year shall have shown whether or not the territory and accounts against him are generally has the population requisite to rank it as a respectable state. In 1880 it had 20,789 takers. A man who owes every mer- inhabitants, or a trifle over one to every chant who would trust him within a five square miles of its area. This was radius of twenty-five miles of his home the very smallest population of any diswould appear to be particularly fitted to tinct area within the United States; and even if it has doubled since 1880, as it farmer, as brought about by the exor-doubled in the decade before that, this would not give it much more than the population in 1880 of Montana, which is the smallest of any of the new states.

> The elections in Brazil are reported to have given a decided majority to the party of progress, who are in sympathy with the ideas of Dom Pedro as to slavery and other matters. This indicates a great change of feeling in the country, as for many years past the imperial policy of emancipation has been carried forward in spite of a majority of representatives of the planting interest in the Imperial Parliament. Indeed. the liberation of the Brazilian slaves may be said to have been the work of one man, who at last finds the nation on his side, after living down more obloquy than usually falls to a monarch. The friend of Whittier, the disciple of Cole ridge, represents a higher type of civilization than do his people in general but his patience and his faithfulness to duty are coming to bear the legitimate fruit. When he dies, he will lie down in an honored grave, to which an emancipated race will make perpetual pilgrimage.

The country has a right to feel proud of its growing navy. Two of the Roach vessels have just shown what they are good for. The Dolphin has come back The appointment of Jacob Jesson to good for. The Dalphin has come back succeed himself as a member of the State from a trip round the world, and in good condition after facing all sorts of weather on a long series of coasts. The Atlanta was out at sea all through the four days of storm last week, and serious fears were felt for her safety. She stood it all, and came into Newport harbor at its close none the worse for wear, and having shown herself a good sailer. And now comes the Baltimore, one of I make this recommendation in view of the Cramps' build, an armed cruiser whose trial trip was had just after the knots an hour, loaded with as much pig-This recommendation met with the iron as would represent the weight of hours her speed was nineteen and threeactly the place our new cruisers are to Not heavy armament, but the maximum of speed for both attack and escape same kind for any coming war-ships THE TRADESMAN is glad to note that that can carry their guns and stores as reliance of the European navies.

> Both Coat and Buyer Sold. A Marietta merchant tells how he sold second-hand coat that had been worn but a few times. He had repeatedly tried to sell the coat to different colored men, but always failed. So he tried a new scheme. He got a cheap pocket-book and stuffed it generously with paper and put the book in one of the pockets of the coat. He accosted a negro man and wanted to sell him the coat. The "colored gemman" said he didn't desire to buy the coat. "Yes, but you just try it on. It belongs to a man who has plenty of money, but has no use for the coat." The negro put the coat on, put his hands in the pockets, and, of course, he felt the fat pocket-book. His eyes fairly dilated with an astonished but pleased expression. "Boss," he inquired, "what do you ax for dis coat?" "Three dollars and fifty cents." "I take it, boss!" and with the satisfied air of a more right bed in the coat."

way rejoicing. Pepper Adulteration.

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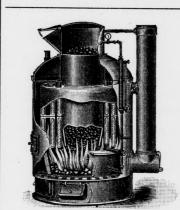
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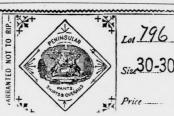
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THE DRUMMER'S "LITTLE GRIP."

The drummer had a little grip.
It's color was 'twixt and 'tween,
And everywhere the drummer went
That grip was surely seen. He took it with him everywhere: Was never seen without it; And though he often got "hard up" Was never known to spout it.

"What makes him love the grip so much, And watch it every minute?" 'Tis not the grip he loves so much— But what he carries in it;

The photos of the goods he sells As lovely as any pearl:
But the photo of all he loves best
Is the one of his newest girl.

Dean Swift and the Shoemaker.

A shoemaker of Dublin had a long desire to work for Dean Swift. He eventorder, adding, "When shall I have them?"

"On Saturday next," said the shoe-

"I hate disappointments," said the

"I thank your reverence," said Bamerick, for that was his name; "I desire no longer time than Saturday next, when you will be sure to have them without

They parted, and the boots were finished to the time; but, through the hurry of business, Mr. Bamerick forgot to carry them home until Monday evening. When the Dean drew the boots on, and found them to his mind, he said: "Mr. Bam-erick, you have answered the commendation of your friends, but you have dis-

"Indeed and indeed, sir," said Bamerick, "the boots were finished to the time, but I forgot to bring them home." The Dean gave him one of his stern looks, and, after a pause, asked him whether he understood gardening as well

as boot-making? Bamerick answered, "No. sir."
"Come," said the Dean, in a goodhumored tone, "I will show you improvements I have made in the Deanery

They walked through the garden to the further end, when the Dean started, as if recollecting something. "I must step in," said he: "stay here until I come back." Then he ran out of the garden, locked the door and put the key in his pocket. Bamerick walked about until it his fingers. grew dark; and not seeing the Dean, he at last ventured to follow him, but found the door locked: he knocked and called several times to no purpose, and then perceived himself confined between high walls, on a dark and cold night in the month of March. However, he had not the least suspicion of his being intentionally confined.

The Deanery servants went to bed at the usual hour, and the Dean remained in his study until 2 o'clock in the morning. He then went into the hall and drew the charges out of a blunderbuss and other firearms, then returned and rang his bell. He was immediately attended by one of his servants. "Robert," said he, "I have been much disturbed with noise on the garden side: I fear some robbers have broken in. Give me a lantern and call up Saunders." Then the Dean took the lantern and stayed by the arms until the men came. "Arm yourselves," said he, and fol-

He led them into the garden, where the light soon attracted poor Bamerick, who came running up to them. Upon his approach, the Dean roared out, "There's the robber! Shoot him! Shoot him!" Saunders presented, and Bamerick, terrified to death, fell on his knees and begged for his life. The Dean held his lantern up to the man's face, and gravely said, "Mercy on us! Mr. Bamerick, how came you here?'

"Lor', sir," said Bamerick, "den't you remember you left me here in the even-

'Ah! friend," said the Dean, "I forgot it, as you did the boots;" then, turning round to Robert, who was butler, he said, "Give the man some warm wine and see him safely home."

Liability for a Wife's Debts. From the Chicago Tribune

The wife of a wealthy resident of a which reversed on the ground that the trial court had refused to instruct the jury that a husband could not be made liable for debts contracted by his wife in his name, unless she had authority to make such a contract, and a tradesman who sold goods to a wife without such

authority did so at his peril.

This is unquestionably the law. It is the business of the tradesman to find out whether the husband will pay, and it is for him to show the authority in case he brings suit. Such authority may often be inferred. If the husband has paid one bill without protest the assumption is fair that he will pay another, but it should be one for goods of the same kind or value. Payment for a calico dress bought on credit is not a promise to pay for a silk one if the wife should make such a purchase later on. Therefore, it is always the part of wisdom when a wife orders some specially costly article, for the seller to find out whether the husband will pay for it, even though he has been paying her bills without protest.

There are, of course, exceptions to this rule that the wife may not pledge the rule that the wife may not pledge the credit of her husband. She can do it for necessaries when he refuses to furnish them, but even then the tradesman is not safe in taking her word for it. If he sells the necessary provisions on credit, and the husband can show that he had given her the cash with which to buy those articles, then the dealer has no remedy. The definition of necessaries, too, is sometimes a more limited one than women or tradesmen might relish. Food, lodging, clothing, medical attendance, fuel, washing, etc. are necessaries. It has been decided that a set of artificial teeth are. A church pew, however, an eighty-dollar ball dress, and pipes, tobacco and eigars have been held not to

The Michigan Tradesman be necessaries. There is no hard and fast rule to determine them. They depend on the apparent means and social position of the husband and wife. A washer-woman neglected by her husband

can safely run into debt on his account for a cotton frock, but not for a satin dress. The wife of the wealthy suburb-anite, whose case is under consideration, may have been justified in paying \$5 for a pocket handkerchief, but not \$50. Nor is it allowable in such a suit to call in witnessess on behalf of the plaintiff to state that in their opinion the goods sold were such as families in the condi-tion in life of the defendant usually purchased, and were suitable for the wife of defendant. It is not permissible to call in experts, who would widen the definition of "necessaries" till it embraced every article of luxury under the

Therefore, it is well for the Chicage tradesman to keep an eye on the purchases of his customers, and if he thinks a woman is branching out in her expendually succeeded, the Dean giving him an itures, to have a little talk with her husorder, adding, "When shall I have hand and see how far he is inclined to go. No man, no matter how punctually he had been paying his wife's bills, would be held liable for a 10,000-dollar cloak, unless he had given a sweeping Dean; "nor would I have you disappoint others; set your own time and keep to it." that she night wish.

Fun for the Drummer.

He was a meek-looking old gentleman from the country, and as he took his seat at the dining-room table the drummers looked at him over their soup spoons. They noted his weather-beaten face, his wet hair carefully parted and brushed around over his ears, and his air of dif-fidence as he nervously fingered his fork; and when the waiter-girl stood at his side and winked at the boot and shoe

man they were all attention. "Soup?" she asked. The old man seemed a bit surprised at the brevity of the bill of fare, and fidgeted about as though waiting for her to

say something more.
"Would you like some soup?" said the girl with a side-glance at the coffee and spice man. "I ain't particular about soup, as

know of," answered the old man. "Boil' mutt'n, capersauce, roas' beef, s' lamb, r's' veal, fricasse chick'n, cole ham-tongue, chick'n salad, fritters, boil' 'n baked p'tatus," said the girl, with

lightning-like rapidity.

The old man looked kind of helpless, and the boys felt a little sorry for him as he kept his eyes fastened on the fork, which he shoved from side to side with

his fingers.
"I guess I'll take—I guess you'll have to say that again," he said, looking up, and the girl rattled the whole thing off in exactly the same time as before. The old man looked round the table

and caught sight of a drummer winking at the girl. Then he jerked his head around, and, looking her straight in the face, he said:

"You may gimme s'm bile cornbeef 'n cabbage, roas' beef, veal 'n mutt'n, cole cabbage, roas' beer, veal 'n mutt'n, cole chick'n 'n turkey 'n tongue, 'n' s'm ham 'n' eggs 'n' codfish cakes 'n' sassage 'n' beefsteak 'n' a piece o' punkin pie 'n' a cup o' coffee, sis, 'n' now see ef yer kin make yer little legs fly 's fast as ye kin make yer conjue, for I wanter git home; there's a shower comin' up."

The girl hesitated, turned red, and then

made a break for the kitchen, while the drummer laughed and the old man gazed out of the window at the gathering clouds.

Do a Little Sampling.

That retail grocer who should buy butter from a farmer without testing it would be set down as a chump, to use a word which all comprehend. What the retailer does to his butter he should do to many other goods-sample them.

Because things appear fair on the out side is no reason why the condition per-tains clear through. Beauty is only skin deep, and so may be the appearance of canned goods. Cut a can and see what is inside. Many city grocers now insist on seeing what a can contains before they buy. And they are right. It is all right to rely on your jobber for quality, but don't neglect to follow him up with

a little detective work of your own. And then there are sardines. many retailers know what they get? It may cost a few cents to sample a box when you purchase but then you know what you have, and can sell accordingly

Chicago suburb bought of a dry goods firm some costly articles of woman's wear. When the bill was presented the husband refused to pay it. The firm sued and recovered judgment. The case was carried up to the Appellate Court, which reversed on the ground that the buy on the brand? Not a bit of it. buy on the brand? Not a bit of it.

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Walter A. Smith is expected home from

Boston the latter part of the week. John W. S. Pierson, the Stanton mer chant, was in town one day last week. DH. M. Hemstreet, the Bellaire grocer, is in town for a few days, called thither by the fair and "Pompeii."

Dr. Chas. S. Hazletine started for New York Staturday to meet his daughter, Irene, on her return from Europe.

A. B. Dean, of the drug firm of Dean Bros., druggists at Freesoil, was in town sponsible for bad management, of which he might not be guilty, and deterred over Sunday, the guest of L. M. Mills.

Peter P. Steketee and L. K. Hascall went to Detroit, last Friday. They will spend a week there and on the St. Clair ited responsibility was introduced, and

J. R. Trask, formerly engaged in general trade at Grattan, is now clerking for tion, the English law requires that the the West Michigan Lumber Co., at Wood-

Nicholas Bouma, the Fisher Station general dealer, was in Chicago a couple liability, and but few, if any, of the of days last week, buying a stock of States enjoin the companies formed unboots and shoes.

Geo. Kerry, formerly engaged in the ter is so generally understood in this what did you buy, Augustus?"

commission business here, left Friday for country by business men, however, that commission business here, left Friday for country by business men, however, that Chicago, whence he goes to Kansas and it is not deemed necessary, though many Texas for the winter.

E. D. Barker, senior member of the firm of Barker & Co., commission merchants of Philadelphia, was in town a couple of days last week.

Fred. I. Nichols, the Luther sawmill owner, was recently married to Miss Dana E. Pennington, of Lansing. Mr. Nichols contemplates opening an office in Grand Rapids for the sale of lumber.

in the market and with the cash, but they met with refusal from most houses on their offers of 1/2c below asking price. The asking price is 1c below that of July for X wools if offered for sale. It is claimed that what was sold was on the heavy order and not worth full value. The goods market shows some improvement, which gives mill owners more nerve to buy. They would take the choice piles of wool at ruling price, but such are held 1@2c above. However, buyer and seller are coming nearer together through force of circumstances, and this month is likely to show considerable change of hands of wools.

Hides have lost what little advance they gained. Tanners held out and would not buy, and the little boom the dealers were looking for has busted and does not take risks by buying too largely prices are 1/4c lower. It is now too late of any article, and with that pays his in the season to get an advance, but a still further decline is almost certain. Of naving good creat, of upon as a safe in the city. He is looked upon as a safe Leather will not respond to any advance man. He keeps things snugged up. His in hides.

Tallow is quiet on low market. No foreign demand makes dull, sluggish

Gripsack Brigade.

line in this territory.

All of Ball, Barnhart & Putman's men stay in this week to attend to the wants of visiting merchants.

line, now carries a line of tinware from new. the Richard Brown Manufacturing Co.,

Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas and Mis-

Geo. F. Owen was taken sick at De his bed, but hopes to be able to dance a jig at his silver wedding Saturday night.

E. W. Crane, formerly traveling salesman for the Worden Furniture Co., but of late engaged in the manufacture of failure in the grocery trade, or as it pulleys at Kalamazoo, died at Kalamazoo might more properly be said, one of the principal reasons why so many grocers last Tuesday. The interment was held at Paw Paw the following afternoon.

The Grocery Market.

Sugars are lower, but the market is buying. The truth of this was recently firm. Corn syrups are firm. Canned impressed upon us forcibly by a promigoods are looking up, especially corn and tomatoes, which are liable to sustain something of a boom. The recent storm in the East, followed by cold weather, has caused such a general decay among the tomatoes that a small pack will result. Ondara raisins are a little firmer and higher prices are looked for. Cheese is higher and still higher prices are looked for. New California raisins are beginning to arrive. New Turkey prunes that should attend its possession? How

For the Detroit Exposition.

Thursday, September 26, the D., G. H. & M. Railway will run a cheap excursion Detroit at 7:30 or 10:50 p. m., giving markets, gained through years of close about eleven hours, ample time to see the great Exposition. This will be the as affecting their particular line of trade. last cheap rate excursion of the season.

Pompeii" will be given this week and attention to these matters as those en

Meaninig of the Word "Limited," as

It has become somewhat common nowadays to see the word "limited" in paresis, after the titles of corporations. and it is safe to say that people generally term, though, of course, business men in the shares of corporations. To remove this objection the principle of limin order to notify the public that only the separate property of the corporation was liable for the debts of the corporation. The liable law requires the corporation was liable for the debts of the corporation. are constituted on the principle of limited der their laws to append the word. "lim-

companies do it of their own accord. The most noteworthy exception to the general rule is the case of the national bank, but even in this instance liability is limited to an amount equal to the par value of the shares held. That is, if the national bank fails, each stockholder ganized with unlimited liability, and what did you buy?" assessed thousands of pounds sterling to meet the debts of the bank. Since that time the Scottish banks have been allowed to reorganize on a limited liability

Keep Your Credit Good.

The importance of having good credit cannot be overestimated by the country merchant. This does not consist alone in being able to buy goods on time, but the ability to be judicious in purchasing as well. The dealer who is reckless with his purchases becomes at once the sub-ject of suspicion by the jobber. The latter reasons, and with justification, that the merchant who buys recklessly is not a capable financier, and while he may pay his bills promptly, there is a feeling uncertainty that presents itself, whether there is really ground for it or

The merchant who buys carefully, who selects his goods for his trade and who bills promptly, is generally pretty sure of having good credit, both at home and stock is in shape. He knows how many remnants he has and he does not allow them to accumulate. In that way his stock is kept clean, and old goods are not allowed to pile up. By buying in moderate quantities he has not had an overstock, and has thus been able to W. N. Ford has engaged Frank J. make fresh purchases often and thus Miller to handle Jas. G. Butler & Co.'s present his customers with something new at each visit.

The keeping of your credit means the keeping of a fairly clean stock, and that means better business. Customers always prefer to buy where the stock is Graham Roys, in addition to his whip changing and they can get something ine, now carries a line of tinware from new. The merchant who depends wholly on the farmer for support does not need as varied a stock as the village merchant, who has a limited demand for W. N. Ford, general traveling representative for Jas. G. Butler & Co., has returned from a two months' trip through returned from a two months' trip through importance. It helps keep the credit importance. good by not making a drain on the bank account to pay for goods not needed.

Country merchants can well afford to troit last Tuesday and was brought home give this subject their attention, as it Saturday night. He is still confined to will be of aid to them in making a favorable showing at the and of the year. able showing at the end of the year.

Buying Goods Right.

From the New Jersey Trade Review One of the most prolific sources of do not succeed in business, is owing to the fact that the selling of goods is regarded by perhaps nine-tenths of the trade as of more importance than the nent member of the trace in the during a short though interesting conduring a short though saving. "Well versation. The old saying, "Well bought is half sold" has more significance in it than is generally imagined. To illustrate, let us take the average retail grocer, possessing say a capital sufficient to carry on his business without pecuniary embarassment, and having at command sufficient ready cash to invest part of it in a desirable purchase, should the opare expected to arrive in about twenty often is an investment made at the proper time and in a safe direction. which would yield a 20 per cent., instead of a 10 per cent. profit? Rarely, indeed, and it will be found that those merchants who are most successful in their business to Detroit. Fare, only \$2.50 for the relations are those who are continually round trip. A special train will leave alert for opportunities to buy well, giving Grand Rapids at 6:15 a. m., arriving in Detroit at 11:45 a. m.; returning, leave ling, by reason of their experience of the

There is no reason why retail grocer Five exhibitions of the "Last Days of magnitude of their business, as close an two next week. The exhibition is in every way worthy the patronage of the people.

Old Man's Farm. Once upon a time an old man called his three sons to him in the dusk of the do not understand the significance of this evening and in a faltering voice said to

The following evening the three sons

"Father."

"Well done, well done. The journey through life is rugged and hard, and the thorns are thick upon the way. You have shown prudence and forethought, ited" to their corporate titles. The mat- and I love you the better for it. And

The old man regarded him with a commenced by phing glance of pride and affection, and said: almost in front of the other's window. "You, too, have done well, Augustus; often in this world the brow is fevered and the sun's rays beat fiercely upon the rival. The first merchant then erected a position as to inconvenience his rival. but \$100 more for each share of the stock he holds, if so much is necessary to pay aching head, and your hat will comfort the debts of the bank. Until within a you. I rejoice that my sons are so filled which completely shut off his neighbor's few years all the Scottish banks were or with wisdom. And you, Theophilus, view and his own as well. To what ex-

Wool, Hides and Tallow.

Wools show some firmness over last week, but actual sales are little or no higher. There have been more buyers furrowed face the venerable man embraced Theophilus and murmured in a voice hoarse with emotion: "Had I a on it, it would be yours!"

And then Reginald and Augustus

gloom, and, while the one tried to keep the flies off himself with his hat, the The One With Modern Ideas Got the other kicked himself severely with his boots.

Artificial Cloves.

In the Apotheker Zeitung for June 9, m, though, of course, business men them: "My boys, in a little while you Dr. Hanausek announces finding in commercial cloves a manufactured article of our exchanges, may, therefore, he the characteristic fields and in a lattering voice said to them." "My boys, in a little while you mercial cloves a manufactured article of our exchanges, may, therefore, he the characteristic fields and in a lattering voice said to them." "My boys, in a little while you because of the property of the characteristic fields and the said to them." "My boys, in a little while you because of the characteristic fields and the said to them." "My boys, in a little while you because of the characteristic fields and the said to them." "My boys, in a little while you because of the characteristic fields and the said to the characteristic fields are the characteristic fields and the said to the characteristic fields are the characteristic fields and the characteristic fields are the characteristic fields a one of our exchanges, may, therefore, be of general interest. The old principle of corporation created by legislative act was that the entire property of every stockholder was liable for the whole of the specific captures. The color approaches stockholder was liable for the whole of the company, as the whole property of plexed as to which should have it. I every member of a general partnership is still liable for the debts of the firm.

This system made every shareholder responsible for had management of which sponsible for bad management, of which he might not be guilty, and deterred wealthy men from becoming interested in the shares of corporations. To me how you have each expended your soften to a griffy pasta of corporations. me how you have each expended your money. Now, good night, and heaven bless you all."

The following mount the spurious "cloves" soften to a gritty paste, coloring the saliva brown, and tasting slightly of cloves, with a remarkable "bark" flavor. When pulverized and the powder examined microscopically, a very minute proportion of clove tissue was found. the conclusion arrived at was that the ou purchase with your \$2?" returned the son, "I pon-returned the son, "I pon-spurious "cloves" are made from a paste consisting mainly of wheaten flour and case by the company in connection with its title. Most American corporations strong shoes."

dered long that I might make wise use of the money, and at last bought a pair of of genuine cloves powder, pressed into

Foolish Competition.

Competition in trade is often carried beyond the line of fairness, and experience will teach rivals in business that the "life of trade" does not consist sponded the second son, "that I might not purchase anything trivial or foolish. in petty schemes and small practices to injure each other. It is related of two Since the cap that I wear is worn and ragged I bought a hat with a wide brim, which I show you, my father."

The old man regarded him with a commenced by piling boxes and baskets and provided the commenced by piling boxes and baskets. tent the unbusinesslike methods will be "My father," answered Theophilus, "I carried it is hard to predict, but the mer-

Honesty the Best Policy.

A shoemaker hung out a new sign, and farm as large as Texas, with a windmill wondered what passers-by found so on it. it would be yours!"

A shockman had I a large as Texas, with a windmill wondered what passers-by found so amusing. His sign ran as follows: elsewhere to be cheated. "Don't noved sadly away into the gathering Walk in her.

Dry Mined Rock Salt.

99 1-2 PER CENT. PURE

We Have secured the sole agency for the Dry Rock Salt

mined in the celebrated Retsof mines, in the Genesee Valley, N. Y., which we offer to the trade in 100-pound sacks. The superiority

of this salt over the manufactured or evaporated article will give

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Boxes, Cans, Pails, Kegs, Half

Barrels and Barrels. Send for sample of the celebrated

Frazer Garriage Grease

PRODUCE MARKET

es—Maiden Blush, Fall Pippin and St. nee are in fair supply at \$1.50@\$1.75 per rawberry command \$2@\$2.10 per bbl. —Dealers pay \$1.40 for unpicked and r picked, holding at \$2 per bu.

\$1.60 for picked, holding at \$2 per bu.

Beets—40c per bu.

Butter—The market is firm; dairy has advanced to 14@16c, while creamery is in good demand at 17@18c.

Cabbages—Home grown, fine in quality, command \$1.25 per crate.

Cheese—Lenawee and Allegan county makers bill their stock at 8½c, while jobbers hold at 9½@3½c.

The market is firmer and advancing.

Cider—10c per gal.

Cooperage—Pork barrels, \$1.25; produce barrels 25c.

25c. Cranberries—Home grown are in very limite supply and demand. Cape Cod bring \$8@\$8.5

18c. Pickled and cold storage stock commands about 1rc.
Field Seeds—Clover, mammoth, 85 per bu.; medium, \$4.75. Timothy, \$1.65 per bu. Honey—In small demand. Clean comb commands 15@16c per lb.
Musk Melons—75c per crate.
Onions—75c per bu. for clean stock.
Peaches—Hill's Chili and Old Mixon are still in market, commanding \$2.25@2.50 per bu. Late Crawford's are beginning to come in, commanding \$2.25@2.50 per bu.

Pears—\$2 per bu.
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Pop Corn—4c per lb.
Potatoes—The market is firm. Dealers pay 30c

rotatoes—The market is firm. Dealers and sell at 40c.
Squash—Hubbard, 2c per lb.
Sweet Potatoes—Fancy Jersey stock com \$3.50 per bbl. Tomatoes—65@75c per bu. Turnips—30c per bu. Water Melons—\$15@\$18 per 100.

PROVISIONS. The Grand Rapids Packing and Provision Co

uotes as follows: SMOKED MEATS—Canvassed or Plain ns, average 20 lbs. 12 to 14 lbs.

LARD-Kettle Rendered

BEEF IN BARRELS.

Egg Plums, stand.

Green Limas.... Strings.....

extra marrofat...

" French, extra fine
Mushrooms, extra fine
Cumpkin, 3 lb. Golden
Succotesh, standard...

CHEESE.
Michigan Full Cream 9½@10

CHOCOLATE—BAKER'S. German Sweet.....

Rubber, 100 lumps.....

CHICORY.

fair. 11/26 good 18/26 prime. 20 good 20 good 18/26 good 19/26 good 19/26 good 11/26 goo

coffees-Package.

Durham.... Thompson's Honey Bee.

Enough

Mixed bird

Superior..... Queen Anne.... German Family Mottled German

Mottled German
Old German
U. S. Big Bargain
Frost, Floater
Cocoa Castile
Cocoa Castile, Fancy

@ 7½ @ 8 @ 7½ @15

FRESH MEATS. Swift and Company quote as follows: Beef, carcass...... " hind quarters.

blood or head Frankfort...

OYSTERS and FISH. F. J. Dettenthaler quotes as follows: FRESH FISH. Whitefish.

F. J. D.'s. CANDIES, FRUITS and NUTS.

OYSTERS.

The Putnam Candy Co. quotes as follows: STICK.

MIXED. Royal, 25 lb. pails . 200 lb. bbls. Extra, 25 lb. pails . 200 lb. bbls.

m. 25 lb. pails. FANCY-In 5 lb. boxes.

Lozenges, plain, in pails...
" " in bbls...
" printed, in pails.
" in bbls."

Chocolate Drops, in pails Gum Drops, in pails..... " " in bbls..... Moss Drops, in pails.

Oranges
Lemons, choice
fancy, large case.
Figs, layers, new
Bags, 50 lb.
Dates, frails, 50 lb.
fard, 10 lb. box
frails, 50 lb.
fard, 10 lb. box
frails, 50 lb. Almonds, Tarragona.

Game Cocks

The Frazer Goods Handled by the Jobbing Trade Everywhere.

Wholesale Price Current.

	The quotations given below are such as are ordinarily offered cash buyers who							
1	pay promptly and buy in full packages.							
	DATE OF THE PARTY	DRIED FRUITS-Domestic.	SAL SODA.					
	BAKING POWDER.	Apples, sun-dried 3 @ 3½	Kegs					
	ROYAL BAWAGE 100 cans 95	Apricots, "12 @15	SAPOLIO.					
	ROYAL FEWENT 10c cans 95 14 lb. " 1 40 1 oz. " 1 90 12 oz. " 3 80 12 lb. " 3 80 12 lb. " 3 80 12 lb. " 11 78 24 lb. " 11 78 3 lb. " 11 78 5 lb. " 11 77 76 5 lb. " 22 20	Blackberries " 5 Nectarines " 12	Kitchen, 3 doz. in box 2 35 Hand, 3 " " 2 35					
	20 21 1 10 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Peaches "12	SYRUPS.					
	12 oz. " 3 80 1 1b " 4 95	Raspberries "20	" one-half barrels @27					
	2½ lb."11 78	DRIED FRUITS—Citron. In drum	Pure Sugar bhl 280036					
	BA 11b. "17 76	In boxes	" half barrel30@38 sweet goods. X XXX					
	5 lb. "22 20	DRIED FRUITS—Currants. Zante, in barrels @ 4% " in less quantity @ 5 DRIED FRUITS—Prunes.	SWEET GOODS. X XXX Ginger Snaps. 9 9½ Sugar Creams. 9 9½ Frosted Creams. 9½ Frosted Creams. 9½					
	25 359	" in less quantity @ 5	Sugar Creams9 91/2 Frosted Creams 91/2					
	Arctic, % lb. cans, 6 doz 45	Turkey 4½@ 4½	Graham Crackers 9					
١	" ¼ lb. " 4 " 75 " ½ lb. " 2 " 1 40 " 1 lb. " 2 " 2 40 " 5 lb. " 1 " 12 00	Turkey 4½@ 4½ Bosna 5½@ 6 Imperial @	Graham Crackers 9 Graham Crackers 9 Oatmeal Crackers 9 SODA.					
	" 1 lb. " 2 " 2 40	Valencias 8½@ 9	Boxes					
١	Absolute, 1/4 lb. cans, 100s11 75	Ondaras10 @10½						
	Absolute, 14 lb. cans, 100s11 75 " 12 lb. " 50s10 00 " 1 lb. " 50s18 75	London Layers, California @	TEAS.					
	Telfer's, 1/2 lb. cans, doz 45 " 1/2 lb. " 85 " 1 lb. " 1 50	London Layers, for'n. @ Muscatels, California. @	JAPAN—Regular. Fair					
	" 1 lb. " " 1 50	DRIED FRUITS—Peel. Lemon	Good					
	Acme, 1/4 lb. cans, 3 doz 75	Orange 14	Choice					
	Acme, ½ lb. cans, 3 doz		F'917 14 @15.					
	Red Star, ¼ lb. cans, 45	Farina, 100 lb. kegs 04 Hominy, per bbl 3 50 Macaroni, dom 12 lb box 60	Good					
	" ½ lb. " 85	" imported @10	Choicest					
١	Red Star, ½ lb, cans, 45 " ½ lb. " 85 " 1 lb " 1 50 AXLE GREASE. \$2,60	Macaroni, dom 12 15 box 610	Fair @20					
١	Frazer's	" split @ 3	Choicest					
١	Diamond 1 00	Tapioca, fl'k or p'rl @ 6¼	Extra choice, wire leaf @40					
١	English, 2 doz. in case 80	Wheat, cracked @ 6½ Vermicelli import @10	Common to fair25 @35					
Ì	Bristol, 2 " 75 American, 2 doz. in case 70	" domestic @60	Extra fine to finest50 @65					
١	BLUING. Gross	Jennings' D. C. Lemon Vanills	IMPERIAL.					
١	Arctic Liq, 4-oz 3 40 " '' ½ pt 7 00	2 oz. Panel, doz. 85 1 25	Common to fair20 @35 Superior to fine40 @50					
١	" " 1 pt 10 00	6 oz. " " 2 25 3 25	Common to fair18 @26					
1	" Pepper Box No. 2 3 00	No. 8, " 1 00 1 60 No. 8, " 2 75 4 00	Superior to fine30 @40					
١	Bristol, 2	FLAVORING EXTRACTS. Jennings' D. C. Lemon Vanills 2 oz. Panel, doz. 85 1 25 4 oz. " " 140 2 25 6 oz. " 2 25 3 25 No. 3, " 100 1 60 No. 8, " 2 75 4 00 No. 10, " 4 50 6 00 No. 10, " 4 50 7 50 ½ pt, Round, " 4 25 7 50 1 " " 8 50 15 00 FISH—SALT. Cod, whole	Common to fair25 @30					
١	1 000	1 72 pt, Round, 4 20 1 00	Superior to fine30 @59 Fine to choicest55 @65					
١	No. 2 Huri 1 10 No. 1 " 190 No. 2 Carpet 2 00 No. 1 " 2 25 Parlor Gem 2 60 Common Whisk 90 Fancy 1 100 Mill 3 25 Warehouse 2 75	FISH—SALT.	ENGLISH BREAKFAST.					
١	No. 2 Carpet	Cod, whole @ 5 " boneless @ 7½	ENGLISH BREAKFAST. Fair					
١	Parlor Gem	Halibut	Best55 @65					
ı	Fancy " 1 00	" gibbed 2 50	Tea Dust 8 @10 TOBACCOS—Plug.					
١	Mill		S. W. Venable & Co.'s Brands					
١	BUCKWHEAT. Kings 100 lb. cases	" Scaled 5" 25 Mack. sh's, No. 2, ½ bbl 11 00 " " 12 lb kit. 1 65 " 10 lb, kits. 75 White, No. 1, ½ bbls 55	Nimrod, 4x12 and 2x1237					
١	" 80 lb. cases 4 25	" " 12 lb kit1 65	Reception, 22-5x12, 16 oz36 Vinco, 1x6, 4½ to b30					
١	BUTTERINE	Trout 14 bbls @5 00	Big 5 Center, 3x12, 12 oz 34 Wheel, 5 to 1b 37 Trinket, 3x9, 9 oz 25					
1	BUTTERINE 13 13 14 15 15 16 17 17 17 17 18 17 19 17 18 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	10 lb. kits	Trinket, 3x9, 9 oz25					
1	Creamery, solid packed 15	White, No. 1, ½ bbls	of the latter of the latter of					
1	CINDIES	" T " " 1111 0 0F	Something Good37 Jouble Pedro37					
I	Hotel, 40 lb. boxes 101/2	" Family, ½ bbls 2 35 " kits 50 GUN POWDER. 5 25	Peach Pie 37 Wedding Cake, blk 37					
1	Hotel, 40 lb. boxes. 10½ Star, 49 3½ Paraffine 12 Wicking 25							
1	CANNED GOODS—Fish.	Half kegs	TOBACCOS-Fine Cut.					
-	Clame 1 lb Little Neck 120	1 NO. U	TT!					
	Clam Chowder, 3 lb 2 10 Cove Oysters, 1 lb. stand	No. 1	Sweet Cuba 37					
	" " 2 lb. "1 75	LICORICE. Pure	* 2, per hundred 2 50					
١	Lobsters, 1 lb. picnic	Calabria	8 5, " " 3 00 \$10. " " 4 00					
١	" 1 lb. Star							
1	Mackerel, in Tomato Sauce.	Black Strap. 23 Cuba Baking 22@25	Subject to the following dis-					
	" 2 lb. "3 00	Porto Pico 94@35						
	" 3 lb. in Mustard3 00 " 3 lb. soused3 00	" choice33@38	500 "10 " 1000 "20 "					
	Salmon, 1 lb. Columbia	One-helf harrels 20 extra	VINEGAR.					
	" 1 lb. Alaska 1 80 Sardines, domestic 1/4s 5 " 1/2s@ 9	OATMEAL.	20 61 (
	" Mustard 1/8@ 9	Muscatine, Barrels 5 75 "Half barrels 3 12						
	" Mustard ½s @10 " imported ¼s 13½ " erriged ½s 10	" Cases2 15@2 25 ROLLED OATS	YEAST.					
	" spiced, ½s 10 Trout, 3 lb. brook	Muscatine, Barrels @5 75 "Half bbls @3 12	Fermentum, Compressed MISCELLANEOUS.					
)	CANNED GOODS—Fruits.		Cocoa Shells, bulk					
,	Apples, gallons, stand2 40 Blackberries, stand 90	OIL.	Jelly, 30-lb. pails 4 Sage 15					
5	Cherries, red standard1 35 " pitted2 00	Water White						

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Dry Goods...
Jute Manilla
Red Express No. 1 Japan . TWINES. No. 5 Hemp No. 8 B..... Wool WOODENWARE. ½ bu

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No.1 5 75 No.2 6 25 No.3 7 25 No.1 3 50 No.2 4 25 No.3 5 00 SNUFF.
Scotch, in bladders......
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"fancy, washed 19 @22
"golden 20 @23
Santos 17 @22
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Java, Interior 20 @25
"Mandheling 26 @29
Mocha, genuine 25 @27
To ascertain cost of roasting and 15 per cent. for shrinkage. No. 1. " Saigon ...
Cloves, Amboyna.
" Zanzibar.
Ginger, African...
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Valley City.....XTRACT. "Trieste......
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"white. Jute Cavenne. CONDENSED MILK. Iary STARCH. Mystic, 64 pkgs..... barrels

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Granulated, H. & E.'s.,
Franklin.,
Knight's...
Confectionery A..... MISCELLANEOUS.

 Tallow
 3½@ 4

 Grease butter
 3 @ 5

 Switches
 2 @ 2½

 Ginseng
 2 00@2 50

Drugs Medicines.

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Michigan State Pharmaceutical Ass'n.

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Next Meeting—At Saginaw, beginning third Tuesday
(September, 1890.

Grand Rapids Drug Clerks' Association. resident, F. D. Kipp; Secretary, Albert Brower.

Detroit Pharmaceutical Society

was attended by the following:

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Vranken, Cadillac; John Crispe, Plainwell: Arthur H. Webber, Cadillac: J. A. Barrett, Wayne; George J. Haenssler, Plankinton; F. M. Allsdorf, Lansing.

Statement from Mr. Hall of Manistee

I am glad to see your paper taking up and discussing the pharmacy law, as I hope good will come from it. I believed two years ago, and I am more thoroughly convinced now, that such laws are contrary to the spirit of our government; that our government aimed at freedom. and that the majority shall always rule yet a few greedy druggists, feeling their own lack of business capacity, and panic

petition and increased prices, as an offset for their expense and trouble.

Who did I say asked for this law? Every druggist, proprietor as well as The people of Michigan? Oh; no! Only clerk, knows what a pleasure it is to be a few druggists. Not one person in a called out two or three times at night to hundred to-day in Michigan knew of the sell 5 cents' worth of castor oil, a guitar

Detroit Pharmaceutical Society
President, J. W. Allen; Secretary, W. F. Jackman.

Muskgeon Drug Clerks' Association.

Annual Meeting of the State Pharmaceutical Association.

The seventh annual meeting of the Michigan State Pharmaceutical Association, which was held at Detroit last week, was fairly well attended, but there was a manifest lack of interest in the proceedings which bodes no good to the organization.

The convention was 'called to order Tuesday morning, when Hon. J. Logan Chipman welcomed the druggists to the city. The response was made by F. M. Alsdorf, of Lansing.

At the afternoon session, the reports of officers and committees were heard. To the regret of many present, the Committee on Trade Interests made no report.

They do at home, as the very lighest. Freedom and intelligence must go hand in hand. Were such men as Edward R. Squibbs and his products the result of any pharmacy law, or do Powers & least something for waiting on customers at least something for waiting on customers. Weightman manufacture chemicals which will just pass the law? Did our present between the will just pass the law? Did our present the manufacture chemicals which will just pass the law? Did our present the will just pass the law? Did our present the might said to be the set on earth, eminate from men under restrictions or under no pharmacy law? We have gained our present high standing in pharmacy law then the output our present high standing in pharmacy law then the output our present high standing in pharmacy law and have been steading on his patients without an extra fee, and who would hink of getting up at night and waiting have at least something for waiting on customers at light, show at least something for waiting on his patients without an extra fee, and why should not the druggists to the feet on earth, eminate from men under restrictions or under no pharmacy law? Weightman manufacture chemicals which is always should not the drugsist pass the law? Beguit have at laws to pharmacy law and has bear of the foll mittee on Trade Interests made no re-until within a few years without any pharmacy law and have been steadily port.

In the evening a hearty reception was given the delegates at the residence of Mr. Parke, of Parke, Davis & Co. Almost a miracle that the druggists had not annihilated the whole population of the law. It would give one a nervous to the passage of this law. It would give one a nervous two extremes of Druggists.

the drug page.

The afternoon was devoted to visiting the man whose familiarity makes him careless? Who blow up our leave the clerks to meet face to face with the Exposition and the evening to dis-buzz saws? It is, nine times out of ten,

lack of business application. Such a law would be expected in Russia, but it make himself disagreeable. Nelson Hower, Mendon; Henry J.
Miller, Fort Gratiot; H. J. Coleman,
is a disgrace on the statute books of this
"land of the free." WILL R. HALL. MANISTEE, Sept. 21, 1889.

A Sharp-Witted Drug Clerk. McDonald, Kalamazoo; Henry Kephart, Berrien Springs; F. S. Smith, Saginaw; similar set of men anywhere, but the Berrien Springs; F. S. Smith, Saginaw; similar set of men anywhere, but the following from the Australasian Journal trols the elements with which he has to of Pharmacy for July shows that their the and divide by seven, to find the voltage of the seven to make the properties of the pharmacy for Howell; C. W. Vining, Lakeview; H. M. Dean, Niles; J. C. Bostick, Mendon; brethren, out among the men who are so rapidly building up a newer England fluids should, in the order named, be S. B. Calkins, Petoskey; Frank E. Brack-ett, Cheboygan; Guy M. Harwood, Petos-key; Geo. P. Harmon, Mackinaw City; W. W. Swipperton, Niles, F. S. Sways, O. W. Swinnerton, Niles; E. S. Swayze, Says our contemporary: "One of our Otisville; A. S. Fildew, St. Johns; W. J. surburban chemists had a narrow escape Brown, Marquette; F. J. Wurzburg, a forthnight ago of figuring as witness in Grand Rapids; James L. Spencer, a case of poisoning by laudanum; but, Linden; George Gundrum, Ionia; T. T. which woods, Belleville; W. B. Reynolds, who supplied it (and who at the time Woods, Belleville; W. B. Reynolds, who supplied it (and who at the time Eaton Rapids; Albert B. Prescott, Ann Arbor; John J. Orr, Tecumseh; C. M. La Rue, F. B. Glazier, Chelsea; B. D. Northrop, Lansing; G. S. Frenzel, Mayville; F. P. Merrell, Ithaca; H. E. Hamson, Richmond; C. D. Wickes, Coldwater; Prevent him taking it. The youth having followed him some distance, saw the ing followed him some distance, saw the man pull the bottle out of his pocket and prepare to take it, and he (the youth) acted up to instructions so well that he Vandecar, North Branch: F. J. McMur-managed to entirely upset the contents trie, Three Rivers; D. H. Hunt, St. Johns; of the bottle, he having come upon him H. A. Blackmar, Charlotte; L. Pauly, St. in the undignified manner in which a goat amuses himself when he has some timorous children to scare. A detective Richmond; George J. Ward, St. Clair; C.
A. Bugbee, Cheboygan; C. C. Varnum, escorted the man home, and at the same time administered a warning. It appears the man has lately had some serious family and pecuniary troubles, which had undoubtedly unsettled his

A Pleasant Tonic. A chemical friend of THE TRADESMAN furnishes the following prescription for

Shakitis violenter. Suckite dulciter cum strawum.

The Drug Market.

Gum opium is steady for prime. Some ow test on the market is offered lower. passed, offering to the druggists who advanced.

would be included in the law less com- The Night Bell--A Plea for the Drug petition and increased prices as an offset Clerk.

G. H. Scheel in the National Druggist hundred to-day in Michigan knew of the existence of this law outside of those active in its passage. Then it must be a class law and, as such should be repealed.

Let us examine the pretense under which the law was passed and believed in by many who have only thought on the surface of such subjects. The thought is, you can pass restrictive laws which will force men to be intelligent; and yet your Board, if they will only think, will tell you that the drug trade has gained its present intelligence through freedom, not restrictions, and, as a result, we are sending our goods to restricted Europe, where they rank, as they do at home, as the very highest. Freedom and intelligence must go hand in hand. Were such men as Edward R.

of this law. It would give one a nervous chill to look back and see how close he came to being poisoned with some deadly lotion before we had this self-assuming officers, which resulted as given in the roster of the Association at the head of the local poisoned with some deadly lotion before we had this self-assuming intelligent board to select the competent from the incompetent.

Who is it that makes to mistakes to proprietors who spend the most of their proprietors who spend the most of their customers. cussing the merits of a banquet kindly provided by the Detroit druggists.

Thursday forenoon was given to the competency and accuracy of the men who is familiar.

The people are the best judges of the competency and accuracy of the men with whom they deal and not the answering of any questions that any board may rack their brains to conjure up. Let any the propriet or to the competency and accuracy of the men with whom they deal and not the answering of any questions that any board may rack their brains to conjure up. Let any the propriet or to the competency and accuracy of the men who is familiar.

The people are the best judges of the competency and accuracy of the men with whom they deal and not the answering of any questions that any board may rack their brains to conjure up. Let any the proprietor to the "front." Then there is another equally large proportion of the trade, and they know when anything goes wrong, but it takes a very prominent customer to call the proprietor to the "front." Then there is another equally large proportion of the trade who seem to think the clerks should be kept in the background as much as possible. The proprietor either does a large amount of the waiting on person with whom he is trading knows customers or he stands around and tries. trade abandon the sale of patent med-little or much about his business. He icines was not adopted. A resolution makes a better bargain, if posted, in providing that the names of three memwhich case he and he alone is the one
These are the two extremes, but they inbers of the Association be presented every year to the Governor and the latter requested to choose one for member ter requested to choose one for member terministic for the first present the f of the State Board of Pharmacy, was adopted and the following were selected:

O. Eberbach (now a member of the Board); Hugo Thum, of Grand Rapids;

The dragsted the disable of their own judge the golden mean. The man who never the drag the buyer instead to look for a framed certificate. The Board of trade is always at the mercy of his clerks, who can leave and take with the drug trade and will grow larger as they meet with no opposition. Geo. Gundrum, Ionia. President Inglis

I would ask every druggist who is man then appointed committees on pharmacy.

I would ask every druggist who is man enough to stand up and meet his brother casions does not get the full benefit of A then appointed committees on pharmacy, trade interests, legislation, adulteration between the desiration and meet his brother in open trade to put his shoulder to the wheel and have this law repealed, when wheel and have this law repealed, when the druggist seems to be the only man and let us. wheel and have this law repealed, when the convention adjourned to meet at Saginaw the third Tuesday of next September.

Besides the Detroit delegation, which Besides the Detroit delegation, which numbered twenty-six, the convention

A Rainbow Show-Bottle

The Druggists' Bulletin gives the following directions for making a bottle which is exceedingly attractive for win- C American drug clerks are generally dow or counter exhibition, and which admitted on all hands to be about as serves to illustrate to the ordinary obor through a thistle funnel.

First, one volume of sulphuric acid. Tragacanth tinted blue with indigo sulphate; second, one volume of chloroform; third, volume of glycerin, slightly tinted with caramel; fourth, one volume of castor oil, colored with alkanet root; fifth, one volume proof spirit, slightly tinted with green anilin; sixth, one volume of codtake it, to knock the bottle out of his liver oil, containing one per cent. of turpentine; seventh, one volume of rectified spirit, slightly tinted with violet anilin. By thus selecting liquids which are held in place by the force of gravity, and alternating with fluids which are not miscible, the strata will remain clearly defined, and will not mingle by diffusion, as is the case when miscible liquids such as glycerin and water are brought in direct contact with each other.

Absinthium ..

Cajiputi Caryophylli Cedar Chenopodii Cinnamonii Citronella ...

Conium Mac.

sipii, Sem. gal

A Drug Clerk With a Bad Record. It will be remembered that a few weeks ago an account was given of the farcical trial of one Pastre Beaussier, a French drug clerk, charged with the murder by poison of a large number of persons, among them his employer, the pharmacist Decamp, the latter's wife, a fellow about nineteen persons, and who, al-Limonis thought the testimony would have hung him anywhere else in the world, got clear. Morrhuae, gal. Myrcia, ounce. Olive Picis Liquida, (gal.,35) Ricini Rosma Well. Pastre is in jail again-this time for stealing exhibits at the great Paris Exposition. He was caught in the act and the stolen wares found in his posses- Ro sion, and will scarcely get off from conviction this time, though the vagaries of French criminal law are past the under-Morphia is steady. Quinine is a trifle lower for foreign. Domestic is unuating circumstances" in a case where a standing of the average Anglo-Saxon. own lack of oursiness capacity, and panic stricken at the thought of increasing competition, hastened to the Legislature and, under the pretence of protecting the people, had this restrictive law paiba is tending higher. Turpentine has the court on the ground that he legislature paiba is tending higher. Turpentine has the court on the ground that he legislature and commended the criminal to the mercy of the court on the ground that he



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ACIDIM			Carb 1900 15	Antinurin 1 0501 10		
Aceticum Benzoicum, German	8@	10	Carb 12@ 15 Chlorate, (po. 18) 16@ 18 Cyanide 50@ 50@ 50 Lodide 2 80@2 90 90 27@ 29 Potassa, Bitart, com 6 10 9 10 Potassa Nitras, opt 8@ 10 9 Prussiate 25@ 28 Sulphate po 15@ 18	Argenti Nitras, ounce @ 68		
Benzoicum, German	80@1	30	Iodide	Balm Gilead Bud 38@ 40		
Boracie Carbolicum Citricum	40@	45	Potassa, Bitart, pure 27@ 29 Potassa, Bitart, com @ 15	Bismuth S. N		
Hydrochlor	30	5	Potass Nitras, opt 8@ 10	11; ¼s, 12) @ 9		
Nitrocum Oxalicum Phosphorium dil	13@	12	Prussiate 25@ 28	po		
Calionlioum	4000.1	80				
Sulphuricum	134@	5	Aconitum 2002. 25	" " po @ 16 " " B po. @ 14 Carvophyllus (po 28) 22@ 25		
Sulphurieum1 Tannicum1	400	43	Aconitum 20@ 25 Althae 25@ 30 Anchusa 15@ 20	" Bpo. @ 14 Caryophyllus, (po. 28) 23@ 25 Carmine, No. 40.		
AMMONIA.			Arum, po. @ 25 Calamus. 20@ 50	Cera Flava 28@ 30		
Aqua, 16 deg	3@ 4@	6	Gentiana, (po. 15) 10@ 12 Glychrrhiza, (pv. 15) 16@ 18	Cassia Fructus @ 15		
Aqua, 16 deg	11@	13 14	Glychrrhiza, (pv. 15) 16@ 18 Hydrastis Canaden,	Centraria @ 10 Cetaceum @ 35		
ANILINE.	149	-	(po. 50)	Cetaceum		
Dlack	2 00@2	25	Inula, po	Chloral Hyd Crst1 50@1 75		
Brown	45@	50	Iris plox (po. 20@22) 18@ 20	Cinchonidine, P. & W 15@ 20		
	2 50@3	00	Maranta, 48 @ 35	Corks, list, dis. per		
Cubeae (po. 1 60	8500	00	Podophyllum, po 15@ 18 Rhei 75@1 00	Creasotum @ 60		
JuniperusXanthoxylum	80	10	" cut	Creta, (bbl. 75) @ 2		
Xanthoxylum	~00	30	Inulia, po. 15% 20 Ipecac, po. 2 40% 2 50 Iris plox (po. 20% 22) 14% 20 Jalapa, pr. 25% 30 Maranta, ½s 6, 35 Podophyllum, po. 15% 18 Rhei 75% 100 " cut 61 75 " pv 75% 135 Spigelia 44% 53 Sanguinaria, (po. 25) 6, 20 Serpentaria 40% 45	" precip 8@ 10		
BALSAMUM. Copaiba Peru Terabin, Canada Tolutan	55@	60	Sanguinaria, (po 25)	Crocus 35@ 38		
Peru Terabin, Canada	45@	50	Similar Officinalis II @ 40	Cumpi Culph		
Tolutan	4503	90	Scillae, (po. 35) 10@ 12	Dextrine		
CORTEX. Abies, Canadian		18	Symplocarpus, Fœti-	Emery, all numbers @ 8		
Cassiae Cinchona Flava		11	Valeriana, Eng. (po.30) @ 25	Ergota, (po.) 45 40@ 45		
		30	Zingiber a 10@ 15	Galla @ 23		
Myrica Cerifera, po Prunus Virgini Quillaia, grd		12	Zingiber J 226 25	Gambier		
		12	Similar Simi	Glassware flint, 75 & 10 per		
Ulmus Po (Ground 12)		10	Apium (graveleons) 10@ 12 Bird, 1s 4@ 6	cent. by box 70 less Glue. Brown 960 15		
EXTRACTUM.	24%	25	Cardamon 1 00@1 25	" White 13@ 25		
Glycyrrhiza Glabra po Haematox, 15 lb. box	33@	35 12	Cardamon 100@1 25 Corlandrum 10@1 25 Corlandrum 3½@4 4 Cydonium 75@10 Obertain 10@4 22 Dipterix Odorate 1 75@18 Foeniculum @ 15 Foeniculum 6@8 Lini 4 @ 4½ Lini, grd, (bbl. 4) 4½@ 4½ Lobella 35@ 4½ Pharlaris Canarian 3½@ 4½ Rapa 5@ 6	Grana Paradisi@ 15		
" 18	13@	14	Cydonium	Hydraag Chlor Mite. @ 90		
" ½s " ½s	16@	17	Dipterix Odorate1 75@1 85	" Ox Rubrum @1 00		
PERRIIM.			Foenugreek, po 6@ 8	" Ammoniati. @1 10 " Unguentum. 45@ 55		
Carbonate Precip	@3	50	Lini	Hydrargyrum @ 80 Ichthyobolla, Am 1 25@1 50		
Citrate Soluble Ferrocyanidum Sol	0	50	Lobelia	Indigo		
Solut Chloride	11/2/03	15 2 7	Rapa 5@ 6 Sinapis, Albu 8@ 9 "Nigra 11@ 12	Iodoform		
Carbonate Precip Citrate and Quinia Citrate Soluble Ferrocyanidum Sol Solut Chloride. Sulphate, com'l pure	0	7	Nigra 11@ 12	Lycopodium 55@ 60		
FLORA.	14@	16	SPIRITUS.	T 000 00		
	300	35	Frumenti, W., D. Co. 2 00@2 50 "D. F. R 1 75@2 00	Liquor Potass Arsinitis 10@ 12		
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Barosma	25@	28	Spt. Vini Galli 1 75@6 50 Vini Oporto 1 25@2 00	S. N. Y. Q. & C. Co		
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Aloe, Barb, (po. 60) "Cape, (po. 20) "Socotri, (po. 60).	@	12	Grass sheeps' wool car-	Picis Liq., quarts (31 00 minus (37 00 pints		
Socotri, (po. 60). Catechu, 1s, (1/2s, 14 1/4s,		50	Hard for slate use 75	Pix Burgun		
Catechu, 1s, (½s, 14 ¼s, 16)		30	Yellow Reef, for slate use 1 40	Turis specae et opii 1 10(4) 20		
Assafœtida, (po. 30) Benzoinum	50@	15 55	SYRUPS.	& P. D. Co., doz @1 25		
Camphoræ Euphorbium po	35@ 35@	38 10	Accacia 50	Pyrethrum, py 3500 40		
Galbanum	80%	80	Ipecac 60 Ferri Iod 50	Quassiae 8@ 10 Quinia, S. P. & W 39@ 44 " S. German 32@ 40 Rubia Tinctorum 12@ 14		
Gamboge, po	0	40 20	Auranti Cortes 30	Rubia Tinctorum 12@ 14		
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Outlook for Savings Banks. From the New York Shipping List.

The general shrinkage that is taking place in the rates of interest paid upon all kinds of investment, especially those that are more or less of a permanent character, is awakening a good deal of interest and discussion among financiers, as to how the savings banks will be affected thereby. The laws under which these institutions exist prescribe certain limits with regard to the investment of their funds, but the steady decrease in the rates of interest which such investments return is seriously curtailing the earning power of these large aggregations of capital and constantly diminish ing the rates which they are enabled to pay their depositors. Then, again, the large amount of capital from trust com-panies, insurance companies and other financial institutions, that is constantly seeking to secure profitable investment within the very lines to which the sav-ings banks are limited, creates so keen a competition that the latter institutions experience no little difficulty in finding employment for their funds, even at the lowest rates of interest. The level for good bond and mortgage on improvement city or suburban property is slowly drop-ping to $4@4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. and it is safe to say that renewals of old 5 and 6 per cent. mortgages are constantly being made at lower rates, while city and state bonds are readily placed at 3@3½ per cent. and a constant shrinkage in the national debt displaces 4 and 4½ per cent. investments of this character, for which there is no alternative, but to seek lower rates of interest. Deducting the running expenses of these institutions, cost of management and administration and loss of interest upon idle capital and what left for the depositor must necessarily be a diminishing percentage, especially as every year witnesses a large increase in the deposits that savings banks are carry-ing, and for which they are endeavoring to earn a profit. It is quite evident that the most favorably situated of these institutions cannot much longer continue to pay 31/2 or 4 per cent. to small depositors, and the present course of events would seem to indicate that in a few years, not more than 2½ and possibly 2 per cent. will have to be established as a maximum rate for the strongest, while the younger and weaker will find it in possible to do more than make a living and hence be driven out of business.

A Costly Chronometer.

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- 1	Arrives.	Leaves
	Traverse City & Mackinaw7:00 a m	7:30 a m
		11:30 a m
-	Traverse City Express 3:05 p m	4:20 p m
3	Petoskey & Mackinaw 8:45 p m	10:30 p m
	7:30 a m and 11:30 a, m, trains have cha	ir cars for
7	Petoskey and Mackinaw City.	
3	10:30 p. m. train has sleeping car for Pet	oskey and
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1	GOING SOUTH.	
	Cincinnati Express 6:25 a m	7:00 a n
9	Fort Wayne Express11:45 a m	12:45 a n
_	Cincinnati Express 5:40 p m	6:00 p n
	Chicago and Sturgis	11:05 p n
2	7:00 a m train has parlor chair car for (Cincinnati
	6:00 p m train has Pullman sleeper for Cin	cinnati.
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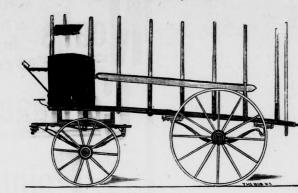
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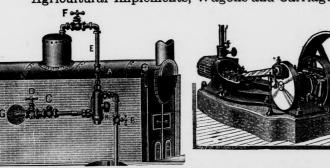
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