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Editor & Proprietor.

### BROCKWAY CENTRE MARKET.

Report corrected every Wednesday by  
W. W. Grinnell, Grain Buyer.

No 1 White Wheat.....	84 85
No 2 Red Wheat.....	83 84
No 2 Spring Wheat.....	77 78
No 2 White Oats.....	39 34
No 1 mixed Oats.....	31 35
Barley.....	30 x 1 20
Peas.....	60 x 70
Butter.....	18
Eggs.....	18 20
Apples.....	45 50
Potatoes.....	25

**Newspaper Law.**  
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The courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers from the postoffice, or removing and leaving them uncollected for is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

### SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

**TENA BROWN, Editor.**  
Pollie and Sallie Williams of the primary department, were absent from school last week; they were visiting in Port Huron.

The Reading Circle is now reading Julius Caesar.

Elmer McDougall left this place for home last week.

The pupils in the front seat had better watch out, (or the goblins will catch them.)

Mr. Tappan, county superintendent of schools visited us last week.

Mr. Law has received the picture of the school taken by the Lexington photographer; the building looks something like a top; can't make out your own-self even if you know just where you ought to be. Splendid piece of work.

Alberta Rollins and Mary Chamberlain commenced school last week.

Lizzie and Kittie O'Brien, Martin and Aggie Menerey, James and Joseph Vincent of the High School wrote at the teachers' examination held in this place on Saturday.

Nellie Wear is at school after a long absence.

The 8th grade was examined in grammar Monday.

38 teachers attended the teachers' examination last Saturday.

The pupils in Mr. Law's room find the study of Physiology much more interesting since the arrival of the specimens and microscope.

Answers to questions of last week.

Why will the emblem of the United States outlive those of England, France, Scotland and Ireland. Because the rose may fade, the lily droop, the thistle wither and the Shamrock die, but the stars are eternal.

Lord Byron is the author of, Fare thee well! and if forever, Still forever! fare thee well!

Michigan has 7000 Indians.

Who is the present viceroy of India?

What city is called the Garden City?

What state is called the Nutmeg state?

What is the value of a ton of pure gold?

What is the salary of the minister to Gt. Britain?

In which township in St. Clair Co. is section 36 in the south west corner?

Why is it so?

Analysis of examples given in last week.

Let owner represent the part James has, 1 plus 24/100 acres represent the part Joseph has and 1 plus 24/100 acres plus 15/100 acres or 1 plus 40/100 represent the part Daniel has. Then 3 plus 65/100 5-12 acres will equal 475/100 acres. If 3 plus 65/100 5-12 acres equals 475/100 acres, 3 equals 475/100 acres minus 65/100 5-12 acres or 410/100 29-60 acres. Since 3 equals 410/100 29-60 acres, 1 will equal 1/3 of 410/100 29-60 acres or 135/100 149-360 acres, the number of acres James has. Joseph has 24/100 acres more than James. 136/100 149-360 acres plus 24/100 acres equals 151/100 253-360 acres or the number of acres Joseph has. Daniel has 15/100 acres more than Joseph. 161/100 253-360 acres plus 15/100 acres equals 177/100 183-860 acres or the number of acres Daniel has.

If 5000 lbs. are sold at 9 cents per lb, the whole sells for 5000 times nine cents which are 45,000 cents or \$450 he loses 10 per cent on each dollar; \$450 - 100 per cent - 10 per cent - 90 per cent of the whole cost. If \$450 - 90 per cent of the cost, the cost will equal \$450 divided by 90 per cent - \$500. By selling it at 12 cents per lb. he would receive 5000 times 12 cents or \$600; if it cost him \$500 he would gain \$600 - \$500 - \$100; and the gain per cent would be as much as the cost is contained in the gain or 20 per cent.

**CARD OF THANKS**—I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the kind friends who assisted during the sickness and death of my wife also consoling me with sympathy in my time of trouble.  
JOHN W. MORGAN.

To Rescue Liquor Tax Evasionists.  
A REPLY TO CITIZEN OR DR. GOWAN, SIGNED JOHN D. GRINNELL, VILLAGE PRESIDENT, BUT ALL KNOW THE WORDS OF THE ONE WHO WROTE IT.  
The ground gone over before by the gentlemen, who are apparently aiding the liquor dealers to beat the village out of what lawfully belongs to it, is much of it brought up again, no doubt for the purpose of detracting attention of the people from the main question, viz: "Why the officials have not collected the \$500 liquor tax this year same as was done last year? and why is it that all communications of President and others are almost and I might say wholly silent in answer thereto? Not one word of excuse is offered by Village officials about their neglect in not collecting liquor tax, unless the excuse that Dr. Gowan brought the matter to the attention of the people and for that reason and his connection and position on other public questions years ago, now creates a suspicion of improper motives. Men's motives are easily maligned by any one and it is one of the subtleties of refined meanness that has ever been used to flank the danger of meeting the truth. But the case under discussion does not admit of any method in this matter but one, viz: face the open and demonstrated facts that there are a number of places in the Village in which whisky has been sold during the present year and that proprietors have not paid into Village treasury the lawful tax—and some no tax at all—and in doing so such liquor dealers are withholding from our Village about \$500, and that there is a law to compel its payment and that village officials are required to enforce the law. Officials enforce the law, collect the tax as you are required by your official oath and duty bound to do and the main question will vanish, but not before.

The writer can respect the truth and feel its force, no matter from whence it comes, and all the difference between Dr. Gowan and the majority of the residents of village (not connected with village ring) is that the Dr. was outspoken in the matter. He has spoken what others believe. But Mr. Grinnell says more brainy men and big taxpayers say nothing, and assumes their silence gives consent to course of officials in not collecting the tax. Friend Grinnell there are some of our brainy citizens, and large taxpayers, who can only look, with dismay and horror, at some of those places selling liquor without authority—the death of a dear son looms up in their minds, it cannot be forgotten. Dr. Gowan is reminded of his action in trying to keep the whisky money for the township. Dr. Gowan was not a resident of the village at that time and his action was as an attorney employed by supervisor John D. Jones and when satisfied that village ought to have it, advised Jones to quit hindering the matter.

But the most astonishing phenomena in all of the discussion, is how easy it is for those who are defending wrong to try and sanctify their utter disregard and neglect of official duty. Grinnell claims he has used talent God gave him. I cannot deny his statement; but there is this, if his statement is true, such a talent is of but little use in collecting liquor tax or supervising the affairs of the village, and he is out of place.

Grinnell speaks of things he has not done; but John don't be offended if the writer asks you to tell the people what you have done? They are certainly anxious to know. There are quite a number at a loss to know what you ever attempted to do and did it. What you have not done people will not be likely to forget soon, viz: the loss the village is going to sustain through your refusal to enforce the law in collecting the liquor tax. Mr. Lamont collected it and he deemed it his duty and James Brown collected it, please tell us why you will not.

The doctor, because he dare speak out against the lawlessness of village officers must be maligned and his acts vilified with the garments of falsehood although in fact true. The statement that the Dr. agreed to serve village for \$25 salary is true, but such service was distinctly understood to be only for advice, work in the administration of affairs of village was to be extra and Dr. Gowan made out his account for actual services, in relation to collection of liquor tax, drafting of new ordinances and seeing the same lawfully recorded, published etc., and caring for and assisting in collecting what was due in the Grandy matter to village, and upon submitting his account, stated to council "do what you believe is right and be satisfied." What the council allowed him for services he received without a murmur. But see the cunning of so blending the truth with ingenious evasion. Truly Grinnell's (Scribe) does his best to make falsehood out of truth.

But already this is too long and in conclusion would say that as Dr. Gowan has, in his communications, explained that the question is a public one and that no amount of bad names, or dirt throwing can or will cover up or put out of sight the main question, is the \$500 due the village to be lost through neglect of officials?

There are but few people who desire to do battle for right and justice, just for the reasons that they must expect all kinds of vilification for it is a max-

im that "wrong cannot have any support in right" and the violations of law in the village must necessarily be supported by those methods and those who favor them.

### SCHOOL REPORT.

The following is a report of the school taught in District No. 4, Greenwood, for the term of five months commencing Sept. 25, 1887, and ending Feb. 22, 1888: Number of days taught 98; whole number of pupils enrolled 72; whole number of days attendance 4,964; average number of pupils belonging 60; average daily attendance 421. The following are the names of those that have attended over 85 per cent of the time and at examinations held during term have averaged over 85 per cent in the branches of study pursued by them: Gena Hayes, Edie Barry, Maudie Kyes, Emma Kyes, Mollie Hayes, Hattie Fox, Ida Fox, Albert Barry, Albert Campbell, Freddie Campbell, Archie Black, Alfred Kyes, Anna Black, Maggie Black, Mary Heath, Paul Hayes, Katie Streeter and Willie Gardner. School commences for the summer term March 5th. R. T. WILLOUGHBY, Teacher.

Report of school in district No. 4, Speaker, for the term ending, Feb. 24, 1888:

No. of pupils enrolled, 51; number of days taught, 77; number of boys enrolled, 20; number of girls enrolled, 31; average daily attendance, 325; aggregate number of days present, 2464; number of visitors, 20. Following is a list of pupils who passed creditably for scholarship, department and attendance: Grade A—Nina Moore 95; Hattie Jones 93; Peter Moore 98; Maggie Duffie 87; Edward Duffie 87; Francis Malaney 81; Connie Jones 81; Frank Little 78; Minnie Haled 84; May Mitchell 84; Nellie Morrill 85; Lillie Mooney 79; Katie Conroy 79; Ettie Sly 75; Teresa Malaney 75; George Irving 85; Ruth Malaney 85; Johnnie Irving 98. Grade B—Maudie Mitchell 87; Mary Irving 84; Dora Irving 84; Lizzie Mooney 80; Grade C—Frankie Jones 87; Johnnie Little 80; Herbert Haled 81; Thomas Diviney 80; Arthur VanCamp 80; Frank Collins 75; Ralph Collins 70; Russell Collins 70. Following are the names of pupils who have neither been absent nor tardy during the term:—Connie Jones, May Mitchell and Maudie Mitchell. A cordial invitation is extended to all, not excluding school officers and parents, to visit our school.

SARAH TUCKER, Teacher.

Address of a District School to their Teacher.  
(Composed by the pupils.)  
To Mr. Robert T. Willoughby.

Dear Teacher:—We, the pupils in district No. 4, Greenwood, take the liberty to review in a measure the past five months of your residence among us, as our teacher, and to express in some degree our appreciation of your service as such. The interest you have at all times taken in instructing us, and the kindness you have shown us while repairing our educational wants in regard to us that the trust committed to you, you held as sacred. Although we are very fond of whispering and making some disturbance at times, which gave you the trouble to correct, yet as you are so generous we hope you will overlook our mistakes. Your character has at all times been marked by promptness and diligence and as such is worthy of imitation by each of us. These with many other good qualities prompt us to ask you to accept this Clock as a very slight token of our esteem for and good will towards you. We hope that the gift (though trifling) may serve to remind you of the pleasant as well as profitable days we have spent together; and our desire is that you may be long spared to instruct many, as well as you have instructed us, and when your days of teaching come to an end that you and all may be pupils of our Great Teacher, our Father in Heaven.

### A Maccabee Suit.

Mrs. Hannah Moore, of Clyde, has commenced suit in the circuit court against the Order of the Knights of Maccabees. She claims that her husband, who recently died, was a Maccabee, and asks the supreme record keeper to pay her \$1,000, the amount of the policy held by her husband. The officers of the K. O. T. M. claim that Moore misrepresented his age when he joined the order, and was past the limit of 51 years. In addition to this the tent to which he belonged have entered a protest against the payment of the money, claiming that Moore would never have been admitted if he had given his right age. Major Boynton says the courts have repeatedly ruled on similar cases, and he has no doubt as to the outcome of this case.—Pt. Huron Times.

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FOR SALE—The undersigned wishes to sell the brick building and lot on which it stands, next to Wallace's harness shop and offers it at a bargain. For further particulars inquire of Johny Sexton, Brockway Centre. 367f

English Spavin Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and Blennisies from horses, Blood spavin, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ringbone, Stiles, Sprains, Swellings, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted. Sold by Chas. A. Wells & Co., Druggists, Brockway Centre, Mich.

NOTICE—is hereby given that the undersigned has lost a note given by Josephus and Phoebe Wedge, on Feb. 18, 1888 and running until Jan. 1, 1889, the full amount of which is \$25 drawn in favor Peter Vanskiver. All persons are forbidden purchasing said note. PETER VANSKIVER.

FOR SALE—An improved farm, containing 80 acres, 40 acres cleared, with good buildings, well watered, two good orchards, fences in first-class order, situated within two miles of Brockway Centre. For further particulars inquire of J. A. Menzies, at the EXPOSITION office. Brockway Centre, Mich.

TO THE FARMERS—I have 150 bushels of choice seed Peas for sale at \$1.00 per bushel, also a quantity of Early Swedish (not different from the International Seed Co., Rochester, N. Y., at 50 cents per bu., a number of bush of choice seed corn, at my farm in sec. 8, Emmet or address, ROBT. LOTHIAN, Mt. Salem. 42

AUCTION SALE—Wm. Reddell, auctioneer, will offer for sale by public auction at the residence of the undersigned 14 miles north of Moore's Corners on the Brockway road, on Saturday March 3, 1888, a lot of stock, farm tools, household goods, etc. Sale to commence at 1 p. m. ANDREW SPRING.

Directors Meeting.  
A meeting of the directors of the Brockway Centre Agricultural Society is called for the 31 day of March next at ten o'clock a. m. at the office of Joseph Efrick in Brockway Centre. A full attendance is requested.

Sealed Tenders  
Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned at his office in the village of Brockway Centre up to the 3rd day of March, at 12 o'clock m. for the letting of the fair grounds for pasturage purposes. I reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids. JOSEPH EFRICK, Secretary.

Dissolution of Partnership.  
The co-partnership heretofore existing between D. Mills and John B. Mills, and known as D. Mills & Son is this day dissolved by mutual consent. D. Mills goes out and John B. Mills will continue in the business. All accounts and debts of the firm will be attended to by D. Mills. Dated this 10th day of Feb, 1888. JOHN B. MILLS. D. MILLS.

Dissolution of Partnership.  
The undersigned having sold out their butcher business has this day dissolved partnership by mutual consent, all accounts due the firm must be paid by first of March next to W. H. Rollins and all debts to be paid by the same. Dated this 9th day of February, 1888. W. H. ROLLINS. JAS. HISEY.

The business will hereafter be conducted by W. H. Rollins, H. E. Beard and E. E. Bowman and will be known under the firm name of W. H. Rollins & Co. A continuance of the liberal patronage bestowed upon the old firm is solicited. W. H. ROLLINS & CO.

### PROBATE NOTICE FOR HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT.

State of Michigan, ss  
County of St. Clair, ss  
Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the county of St. Clair, made on the ninth day of January, A. D. 1888, six months from that date were allowed for creditors to present their claims against the estate of Charles R. Morrill, late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court at the Probate office, in the city of Port Huron, for examination and allowance, on or before the ninth day of July next, and that such claims will be heard before said court on Monday the ninth day of April and on Monday the ninth day of July next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of those days. Dated Port Huron, January 9, A. D. 1888. JOE W. AYER, Judge of Probate.

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- Rice, best.....6c per lb
- Good rice.....4c per lb
- Good Rio coffee.....25c per lb
- Baking Powder.....16c per lb
- 7 bars Red Star soap for.....6c
- 2 1/2 lb bar good soap for.....10c
- 6 bars Dingman soap for.....25c
- 30 boxes matches for.....25c
- Soda.....5c per lb
- Yeast cakes, all kinds.....6c per pkg
- Rising Sun stove polish.....5c per pkg
- Best syrup.....35c per gal
- 3 lb can tomatoes for.....10c
- Sugar, com., per can.....10c
- Yellow Peaches (best) per can.....20c
- French mustard.....10c per jug
- D. & D. plug tobacco.....35c per lb
- Good smoking tobacco.....18c per lb
- Sauer Kraut.....10c per qt
- Prepared mince meat.....7c per lb
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