

# WEEKLY EXPOSITOR.

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A LIVE PAPER MAKES A LIVE TOWN.

INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS, NEUTRAL IN NOTHING.

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BROCKWAY CENTRE, St. Clair Co., Mich., THURSDAY, June 7, 1888.

Price: \$1.00 per Year.

Holden Bros.' Column.

## NEW GOODS.

We have just received a large stock of

## DRY GOODS!

and having had several years' experience we feel confident that we have selected a stock of goods that will please our customers and the trade in general.

We buy First Class Goods and sell them at the Lowest Possible Price.

Never before have we been able to present such a complete line of Dry Goods, such as

SUITINGS in all the latest colors.  
DRESS GOODS, a great variety and very cheap.  
WASH GOODS of all kinds.  
SATINS, Chambray, Gingham and Indigo.  
In PRINTS, an elegant line.  
WHITE GOODS of all descriptions  
Bed Spreads, Lace Curtains, Embroidery, Hosiery and Notions of all kinds.

## Boots & Shoes

In this line we certainly have the

### Most Complete Stock

of Fine Goods in the village at

### Prices Away Down.

## Hats and Caps

We have a large Stock of the very latest styles.

## GROCERIES!

You will always find this department full.

### Our 50c. and 35c. Tea AND 20c. TEA DUST

are acknowledged by all to be

### The - Best - in - Town.

A good stock of  
**WALL PAPER!**  
**WINDOW BLINDS!**  
**AND FIXTURES!**

## BUTTER AND EGGS WANTED.

Highest Prices paid for same.

Thanking our patrons for past favors, we expect by fair dealing to merit a continuance of the same.

The Old Reliable Firm

## Holden Bros.

Brockway Centre.

### Brockway Centre Bank,

OF R. R. NOBLE & CO.

### Responsibility \$75,000.

Good Notes, Town and School Bonds bought at best rates. Certificates of Deposit issued and 5 per cent. interest allowed. All business transacted by patrons of this Bank will be held strictly confidential.

### \$75,000 TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE

Mortgages at 7, 8 and 9 per cent. according to time and amount. Lowest charges and lowest expenses. No long delays. We do not do as others do, make mortgages draw semi-annual interest, but make our interest payable once a year, in the Fall when farmers can pay their interest. Call and see us.

### Local Expositions.

What about a 4th of July celebration? Wm. Bettes is building a new porch to his residence.

J. B. Francis has made a big improvement to his house by a coat of paint.

Henry Rankin, of St. Clair, was in the village visiting E. E. Dowman last week.

Harvey Sparling and Lawyer McCall, of Port Huron, were in the village Tuesday.

A change of adv. appears in this issue for the New York Clothing House, Pt. Huron. Read it.

Miss Emma Elliot, of Grant Centre, was the guest of her sister Mrs. Phil McDougall over Sunday.

Laurent Jones has moved into the house lately vacated by Delos Zavits, and owned by D. G. Williams.

Warren Finch and Miss Ida Peabody, of Armada, visited Ed. Hopkins and family, Saturday and Sunday last.

J. D. Vanderlip formerly a resident of this place but now of Goodells was in the village on business, Tuesday.

Phil McDougall has added a fine toned piano to the furnishings of his house.

James McCall is at present visiting relatives and friends at Baden, Ont. He expects to be away three or four weeks.

Mrs. E. R. Beecher and daughters left this week for their old home in Franklin, N. Y., where they will remain for a month.

Mrs. Wm. Halesley, (nee Melissa Bettes), of Mackinac, is visiting her parents and friends in this place at present.

The clam has a larger mouth in proportion to its size, than a human being, yet the clam never talks about its neighbors.

David Barrett has lately graded his premises in front of his residence and also made other improvement about the place.

Dave Menery, of Midland City, is taking a vacation and visiting his parents and other friends in this vicinity at present.

James Newell, highway commissioner, has the road warrants almost ready to place in the hands of the several overseers in the township.

Tomer Hector has made a decided improvement to his premises by setting out evergreens and a hedge fence along the front, as also has Dave McArthur.

A. & E. O'Leary, Brockway, having purchased a lot of bankrupt stock are offering the same at special sale. Be sure you call on them and get some bargains. Read their change of adv. in this issue.

When in Port Huron don't fail to stop at the Commercial House where you will get good accommodations and be treated in a first-class manner. Will is always jovial and pleased to see his many friends at any time.

Notice is hereby given that whereas William McIntyre has made an assignment to me the undersigned, for the benefit of his creditors, all who are indebted to the said McIntyre are requested to call and settle their accounts at once.

E. H. DRAKE, Assignee.

Rev. S. G. Bettes arrived here with his tent Monday, June 4th, as advertised. He gave a temperance lecture in the evening and was greeted by a large audience. He was at Old Brockway Tuesday; Kenosha Wednesday; and will be at Ruby tonight, Fargo Friday and soon.

The Disciples of Christ will hold meetings in the hall at Fargo commencing Friday, June 15th, and continue three evenings. Services will begin at 7 o'clock sharp. On Lord's Day, meetings will be held at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and 2 p. m., in the grove near by. Elder Allen, of Grand Rapids, will be the speaker. All are invited to attend.

The frame of Jas. Brown's new house is up and enclosed.

Born to the wife of John Richardson on Tuesday, May 14, 1888, a daughter.

Dr. Pace and wife, of Port Huron, have been visiting E. F. Law the past week.

J. S. Crandall, of Sandusky, passed through the village Monday on his way home.

The band boys have decided to give a concert about the middle of this month.

Circuit court commissioner Crimmons, of Port Huron, was in the village Friday last.

John Fitzpatrick, of Alpena, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Ella Brown, the past week.

Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Sandusky, has been visiting relatives and friends in this place the past week.

Elias Bell and mother, of Newmarket, Ont., have been visiting Jas. Hisey and other friends in this vicinity the past week.

Our old friend Jim McArthur, of Cass City, was in the village the fore part of this week visiting his brother Donald and other friends.

R. B. Tucker and daughter, of Peck, accompanied by Miss McKenzie, of Sandusky, were guests of S. J. Welch and daughters last week.

Thos Emery passed a very satisfactory examination last Saturday and was admitted to the bar of St. Clair county as a full-fledged attorney. We congratulate Tom on his success.

W. H. Sutphin, of Richmond, was in the village the first of the week looking up the prospects of opening another term of voice culture but not meeting with good success, left for Marlette where he expects to organize a class.

"My daughter was greatly troubled with scrofula, and, at one time, it was feared she would lose her sight. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has completely restored her health, and her eyes are as well as ever, with not a trace of scrofula in her system." G. King, Killbuck, Conn.

The vocal organs are strengthened by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Clogymen, lawyers, singers, actors, and public speakers find this preparation the most effective remedy for irritation and weakness of the throat and lungs, and for all affections of the vocal organs.

J. W. Benedict, of Port Huron, who got hot-headed and made a raid on McIntyre's store a short time ago, taking therefrom \$118 worth of goods, claiming they were his, has quieted down and the swelling left his head. On Tuesday he returned the goods to the assignee.

Good authorities state that winter wheat will not average 45 per cent. of a crop this year. Wool will not bring as good a price this year as last, on account of the movement in Congress toward free wool. This is the age of "reform," and Michigan wool must take its medicine with the rest.

There are a number of fine bred stallions in this section among them we notice one owned by Foley & Byrne, of Emmet. This famous stallion, Almont, approved by the French government, was imported by N. W. Dunham, of Illinois, Aug., 1880. Almont is a dapple gray with heavy mane and tail, is a fast walker, has a fine action and is a wonderful trotter for so heavy a horse.

Judge Canfield this week appointed Judge Harris, S. L. Merriam and Wm. Cline a committee to examine applicants for admission to the bar. Prof. Robeson, Denis P. Sullivan and Thos. Emery were put through a grind this afternoon. Messrs Robeson and Sullivan passed an excellent examination, and so did Mr. Emery in part, but he was compelled to leave to catch the train for Brockway Centre before his examination was completed. [Port Huron Sunday Herald.]

The row of test holes across the river on the line of the tunnel has been carried out five hundred feet from shore on this, and five hundred and fifty feet on the opposite side, leaving about twelve hundred feet of the river bed yet to be tested. The developments so far are most satisfactory, the measurements showing more than the required thickness of clay everywhere, with no fault or breaking discoverable. The shoe on the other side was successfully put in place last week, and the shaft is now being excavated. On this side, good progress is being made, and the brick lining has been lowered by successive drops of from four to eight feet each, until it is now half way or so to bed rock. A "blower" for forcing air down the shaft, the electric light plant and other machinery, are on the way and are daily expected. [Sarnia Canadian.]

## NOW IS THE TIME!

—TO BUY—

### GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

At Low Prices.

Straw Hats,	Men's Shirts,
Wool Hats,	Boys' Shirts,
Fur Hats,	Men's Shoes,
Stiff Hats,	Boys' Shoes,
Boys' Hats,	Overalls,
Child'n's Hats	Underwear.

A Choice Line of Groceries Always On Hand.

We always pay the highest price for Butter and Eggs. Please give us a call and get prices.

## ALEX. H. BRAIDWOOD.

The weather has been fine the past week.

D. G. Finlayson, of Blaine, is in the village at present.

A nice style of creamery can be at Ferguson & Co.'s hardware store.

Jimnie Brown, of Port Huron, is on a visit to his parents in this place.

Frank Weston, who left for Alpena some time ago, is here visiting friends.

Elton Fuller and wife, of Capae, visited Wm. Black and family Sunday last.

The Seymour diamond edge sheep shears are the best in the market. Thoroughly warranted by Ferguson.

Our readers are invited to peruse the new adv. of Lowry & Nimock, photographers, in this issue. They intend locating here permanently this fall.

The Alma Heywood combination gave an excellent entertainment in Central hall on Monday evening. The impersonations and music were extremely good and received by the audience with great applause.

C. Andree & Sons have made an addition to their woolen mills which they use as a drying room, also added machinery whereby they do work cheaper than ever. They will be pleased to meet their old friends again this year and as many new ones as may favor them with a call.

C. F. Michaels' ball last Friday evening was first class in every particular. He will give another in his hall on the evening of July 4th. First class music has been secured for the occasion. There will be dancing in the hall all day. Be sure and attend or you will miss a rare treat.

The village authorities have opened fire on the saloons in the village—both Jackson and Sexton having been hauled up for selling without a license, and have given bonds for their appearance at the next term of the Circuit court. A special detective from the Pinkerton force, Chicago, has been here for over a week, and it is he who is the complaining witness. We understand that others in the village will be brought before the court soon, for the same offence. It looks as though the village "dads" meant business.

### More Pensions and Bounty.

A gentleman representing the Detroit office of Milo B. Stevens & Co., will be at the Rapley House, Brockway Centre, St. Clair Co., Tuesday, June 19, 1888, and at Anderson House, Crosswell, Sanilac Co., Wednesday, June 20, 1888, to receive claims for pensions, increase of pensions, bounty, etc., which interested parties may desire to have prosecuted by said attorneys.

### MARRIAGES.

DUSH-ELLA.—At the residence of the bride's parents in Brockway township, on Saturday, June 2nd, 1888, by the Rev. J. M. Crandall, Peter Dush, of Tully City, and Ella Emily Ella.

### DEATHS.

TOM.—At her home in Greenwood, on Monday, May 28th, 1888, Mrs. James Todd, aged 26 years. The funeral services were held at the M. E. Church, Fargo, on Wednesday, Rev. W. H. Flint officiating.

MICKEY.—In the township of Clyde, on Friday, June 1st, 1888, A. S. Menzies, aged 40 years. The funeral services were held at the Fargo Church, Rev. W. H. Flint officiating.

## LOOK! LOOK!

### New Spring Goods

AT

## WEAR & PAISLEY'S,

CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, Prints, Curtains, Laces, Embroideries, Lawns, Sateens, etc.

Don't buy your Spring Goods until you examine our stock.

## WEAR & PAISLEY.

One door north of Leonard's Hardware.

## HELLO THERE!

Do you want a suit of the Newest Style of Clothing? Then go to PALMER'S.

If you want a new Hat, go to PALMER'S. In fact if you want Furnishing Goods, Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, or anything found in a general store, Go to PALMER'S. Last but not least, Ladies, do you want a new bonnet, a new hat or anything in ladies line of wear, go to

## PALMER'S.

Brockway Centre, - - Mich.

N. B.—Some nubby two-piece suits and fancy hats for your little boys, at PALMER'S.

## GRAND SPECIAL SALE.

As I visited the assignee's sale of beef, strong & Co. last week, and bought goats for spot cash, so low, we are enabled to sell them to our customers for

Less than the Wholesale Prices of Other Houses.

We are prepared to give you rare bargains in all the dry goods line, and an examination of our stock is all we ask to insure your favoring us with your orders.

Respectfully yours

## A. & E. O'LEARY,

BROCKWAY, MICH.

## BEAR IN MIND!

THAT

## WALLACE

Is selling goods at Astonishingly Low Prices. Look at the following:

Single Harness, from.....	\$6 00 up
Double Harness, from.....	21 00 up
Gray Robes.....	4 00
Blankets, from.....	85 up
5-ring Halters.....	75
Web Halters.....	25

and everything else accordingly.

## WALLACE

BROCKWAY CENTRE.