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LEGAL.

Treasurer's Notice.
City Treasurer's Office,
Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 18, 1893.
Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer system in Madison street and in other streets in Portland avenue is now in my hands, and that I will receive payments on same for the period of twenty days from this date, at the office of the city treasurer, city hall.
jan2 M. R. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.
City Treasurer's Office,
Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 18, 1893.
Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the improvement of South College avenue, from Thomas street to Fifth avenue, is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall.
jan2 M. R. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Notice.
City Treasurer's Office,
Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 18, 1893.
Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll for the construction of a sewer in Lexington street from Oliver street to Grand river is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall.
jan2 M. R. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

WAYS OF OLD TIMES

Some That Still Survive in Portions of Canada.

SEIGNIORIES NEAR QUEBEC

Still Run on the Principal Laid Down in Paris Four Centuries Ago and Repealed.

Parkman and others have told us all about the mild feudal system which prevailed in French Canada down to 1854. The seignior received a grant of wild land from the king on condition that he should put settlers upon it. He had to preserve the oak timber for shipbuilding, and the red pine for the manufacture of tar, and to notify the king's agents if he found minerals on the seigniory. He had to go through the form of paying homage and fealty to the king's representative at Quebec when he entered on possession, sometimes oftener, and to pay a fifth of the purchase money if he sold the estate to the royal coffers, though he was allowed a rebate of two-thirds for cash down. The censitaire or habitant, who held the land under the seignior, had to pay the annual cens et rentes, often a sou (cent), or half a sol, with half a pint of wheat or a few live capons or eggs for each arpent. The land of the censitaire passed to his heirs, but, in case he sold during his lifetime, the lods et ventes came into play, and one-twelfth of the purchase money went to the seignior. By the droit de retrait the seignior could compel a purchaser within forty days of the sale to transfer the property to him at the price paid if he thought it had not fetched enough.

The censitaire had to get his wheat ground at the seignior's mill, and on some seigniories to have his bread baked at the seignior's oven, paying a toll in each case; to give a tithe of the fish he caught to the seignior, to do corvee or road work, and to get out stone and timber for public purposes. Seigniors who could afford to support a local magistrate were empowered to administer superior, mean and inferior justice on their estates, but as a class they were very poor and this right fell into desuetude.

In 1854, says the New York Post, the parliament of Canada bought out the seigniors. There were 160 of them, in possession of 230 fiefs, embracing 6,000,000 acres of cultivated land. The censitaire was given his choice of two things—the cens et rentes were capitalized, and he could either pay the capital sum to the seignior, in which case, of course, he got a clear title to his holding, or continue on as a tenant at a rental equal to 6 per cent. of the capitalization. The tenant I came across, or his father before him, had, like many more, chosen the latter course. The other seigniorial rights were settled by the government at a cost of about $5,000,000. The system would have been abolished before 1854 only the Roman Catholic church was afraid that in the debacle, as timid souls called it, the tithes and fabrique taxes which she collected by authority of law might be abolished, too.

The landlord of whom I have spoken was good enough to let me look at a batch of old papers and books in which the doings of his predecessors in the seigniory and of their censitaires are recorded for 150 years. These papers enabled one to form a tolerably good idea of the sort of life the people led.

First as to prices: In 1667, as other documents show, wheat sold in the markets of Quebec at 80 cents per bushel. A creditor was bound to accept it at that price. Beef sold for 8 cents and pork for 6 cents per pound, the four-pound loaf for 10 cents. Prices had dropped a little by 1738. Wheat was then worth 62 cents. In 1742 it fell to 40 cents. There had been a good crop in the region east of Quebec on the south shore of the St. Lawrence, which was regarded as the granary of New France. Capons sold for 10 cents each in 1746, but when paid as cens et rentes their conventional price was 20 cents. Most of the deeds called for "good fat capons of the brood of the month of May."

In 1740 carpenters and blacksmiths got from 60 to 80 cents a day, unskilled laborers 40 cents. Cloth of all kinds except homespun was dear. The foreign trade of the colony was confined to France and French possessions, but there was a good deal of smuggling by land and water from New England and New York. Twenty yards of "fine woolen cloth" cost 62½ cents a yard in 1746. The censitaires and the common people generally clothed themselves in homespun, l'etoffe du pays, made boots out of green beef hides, got their sugar from the maple, and had, as a rule, plenty of game and fish. Most of them had a vegetable patch. They exchanged timber or furs for store goods as they required. The well-to-do seigniors imported wine, brandy, velvet, lace, jewelry, etc. An all-velvet suit with a dress-sword, ruffles, buckles and a gilt snuff box thrown in, cost $52 in 1770. The poorer seigniors lived much as their censitaires lived. Their wives and daughters were forced to work in the fields to save the cost of hired labor, which was scarce. Just before the British conquest the colony was flooded with depreciated paper money, and the crops failing at the same time the price of wheat ran up to $1.20.

There were no books save among the clergy and seigniors; printing was not introduced until nearly a century and a half after the first printing press had been set up in New England. There were no schools in the rural parishes and no semblance of municipal government either in town or country. Public meetings were not allowed lest they stir up sedition.

A Curious Coptic Custom.

The Coptic patriarch of Alexandria is never allowed to sleep more than fifteen minutes at any one time, and if the attendant should allow the holy one's nap to extend beyond the allotted time the penalty is decapitation. Upon being aroused at the end of each quarter hour the patriarch arises and spreads his rug upon the floor, kneels upon it, bows his head three times to the east, and again retires.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas of Junction City, Ill. was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 120 Florida street, San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in coughs and colds. Trial bottles 10 cents at Peck Bros.' drug store. Regular size 50 cents and $1.

The cook's favorite—LILY WHITE.

HOLIDAY RATES
via
G. R. & I.

Excursion tickets sold to all points on December 23, 24, 25 and December 30, 31, and January 1, all good for return until January 2, 1894. Call telephone 636 for full information.

Do you use LILY WHITE flour?

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood. —Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters.—Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.—Price 50 cents and $1.00 per bottle at Peck Bros.' drug store.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Peck Bros., druggists, corner Monroe and Division streets.

The bald and gray will find a sure remedy in Hall's Hair Renewer.

A New Certain Cure for Piles.

We do not intend to indorse any except articles of genuine merit; we therefore take pleasure in recommending to sufferers from Piles in any form, a prompt and permanent cure. The following letters speak for themselves:

Mrs. Mary C. Tyler, of Heppner, Ore., writes: One pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely cured me of piles from which I have suffered for years, and I have never had the slightest return of them since.

Mr. E. O'Brien, Rock Bluffs, Neb., says: The pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely removed every trace of itching piles. I cannot thank you enough for it.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is a new, certain, painless cure for every form of piles. It is safe, sure and cheap. Any druggist will get it for you if you ask him.

BRANCH OF
Columbia Grain and Stock Exchange
53 Pearl Street, Grand Rapids.
MAIN OFFICE,
124 and 125 LaSalle Street, Chicago,
Dealers in
Grain, Provisions and Mining Stocks
Telephone No. 1205.

LEGAL.

PROBATE ORDER—State of Michigan, county of Kent—ss. At a session of the probate court for said county of Kent, held at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 26th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
Present, Cyrus E. Perkins, judge of probate.
In the matter of the estate of
JANETH CHULSKI, deceased.
An instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased having been filed in this court for probate.
It is ordered that Friday, the 26th day of January, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be appointed for proving said instrument.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published two successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Grand Rapids Herald, a daily newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Kent.
CYRUS E. PERKINS,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
HARRY D. JEWELL, Register. tues jan 26

PROBATE COURT—State of Michigan, county of Kent, ss. At a session of the probate court for said county of Kent, held at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 30th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and nine-three.
Present, Cyrus E. Perkins, Judge of Probate
In the matter of the estate of
JOHN BARLEY, deceased.
John Mowatt, adm nistrator of said estate, having rendered to this court his final administration account and praying for the distribution of said estate.
It is ordered that Friday, the 26th day of January, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be appointed for the examination and allowance of said account and hearing said petition.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Grand Rapids Herald, a daily newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Kent.
CYRUS E. PERKINS,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
HARRY D. JEWELL, Register. tues jan 16

PROBATE ORDER—State of Michigan, county of Kent, ss.—At a session of the Probate Court for the said county of Kent, held at the Probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 15th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
Present, Cyrus E. Perkins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of
AMANDA GLEASON, deceased.
Robert M. Gleason having filed in this court his petition praying that the administration of said estate may be granted to himself.
It is ordered that Friday, the 12th day of January, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at said probate office, be appointed for hearing said petition.
And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Grand Rapids Herald, a daily newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Kent.
CYRUS E. PERKINS,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
HARRY D. JEWELL, Register. tues jan 2

PROBATE ORDER—State of Michigan, County of Kent, ss.—At a session of the probate court for said county of Kent, held at the probate office, in the city of Grand Rapids, on the 23d day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.
Present, Cyrus E. Perkins, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of
ELIZABETH D. JOHNSON, deceased.
An instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, having been filed in this court for probate.
It is ordered that Monday, the 22d day of January, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be appointed for proving said instrument.
And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Grand Rapids Herald, a daily newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Kent.
CYRUS E. PERKINS,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
HARRY D. JEWELL, Register. tues jan 9

It is an agreeable Laxative for the household and is made into a Tea for use in one minute. Price 25c., 50c., and $1.00 per package.
KO NO An Elegant Toilet Preparation for the Teeth and Breath.

Want Columns

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—A first-class stenographer; steady employment; a young man preferred. Inquire 88 North Front street. 379

MANAGER WANTED—To appoint salesmen to sell the Rapid Dish Washer. Washes and dries the dishes in two minutes without wetting the fingers. $75 per week and all expenses. Easy position; no capital; no hard work; can make $100 a week. Address W. F. Harrison & Co., Clerk No. 14, Columbus, Ohio.

WANTED—Two good men at the American Wringer Co., 22 Crescent ave. 373

WANTED—Live, active man to represent our famous custom made clothing in this city and other Michigan towns. Address Plymouth Rock Pants company, room "A," Y. M. C. A. building, Grand Rapids, Mich. 377

WANTED—A first-class dress goods salesman; permanent position to the right man; references required; state present occupation and salary wanted. Address G., box 3, care this office. 14-tf

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—General agent for all or part of Michigan to handle the best selling article in America. No opposition. From $7,000 $10,000 can be made annually through subagents. Indorsed by everybody. Capital required. Inquire W. E. Ricker, Room 15, Hotel Vendome, Grand Rapids, Mich. 78

AGENTS make $5 a day. Greatest kitchen utensil ever invented. Retails 25c. 2 to 6 sold in every house. Sample, postage paid, 25c cents. Forshee & McMakin, Cincinnati, O. 13

WANTED—Agents by the Equitable Life Insurance company of Iowa, under renewal commission contracts for good territory; best references required as to character and qualification. J. T. Martin, Supt. of Agencies, Des Moines, Iowa. 364

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

FOR RENT—Twenty rooms, 138 Kent street. 78

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or without board at the Winegar block, 125 South Division street. 25tf

FOR RENT—BUSINESS.

FOR RENT—Store No. 15 Canal street, 3 stories and basement. Maher & Salsbury, 25 Monroe street. 67 tf

FACTORY FOR RENT—After July 1 we will rent our three story and basement brick building, Nos. 4 and 6 Erie street; central location; gas and electric light, power, elevator, steam heat; low rate insurance. Apply to Bissell Carpet Sweeper Co., 32 Mill street. 79-tf

WANTED—BOARDERS.

GOOD HOTEL—Room and good board only $4.00 to $5.00. Transients $1.00 per day. Guarantee as good fare as any $2 hotel. Bath free. At Lincoln House, 36 Spring street.

CAN BOARD a few more driving horses very cheap at my boarding stable, 20 Bowery street, corner Court. F. S. Bliss. References given. Phone 1197. 290

WATSON HOUSE—Everything nicely furnished throughout; rates for transients $1 a day; board $4 to $4.50 per week. 164 West Bridge street, A. W. Wandel, proprietor. 377

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—The business of one of the best paying hotels in this city. Address F. T. Worrell, Michigan House. 343-tf

A RARE business chance for sale or exchange for unencumbered city property or small fruit farm a general stock of goods invoices at $3,000. Address A., Box 5 HERALD office. tf

$5 to $15 per day at home selling Lightning Plater and plating jewelry, watches, tableware, etc. Plates the finest of jewelry good as new, on all kinds of metal with gold, silver or nickel. No experience. No capital. Every house has goods needing plating. D. K. Deino, Columbus, O.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—A good saloon and fixtures; good location. Address C., box 5, Herald office. 320

A REMINGTON typewriter in good condition for $15; also cheaper machines at Franklin Typewriter Agency, room "R," Y. M. C. A. building. H. B. Rose, Manager. 303

FURNITURE SALE—Panic prices at Johnson's place, 25 North Front st. 2 [illegible] furniture bought and sold. 91tf

STENOGRAPHERS, attention! We have just opened up a fine line of typewriter supplies, such as paper, ribbons, carbons, oils, brushes, etc., etc., and are prepared to furnish anything in that line at the very lowest figures. Call in and examine. Franklin Typewriter Agency, room R, Y. M. C. A. building. 403

FOR SALE—My entire stock of furniture and miscellaneous household goods; a new house and large lot corner of Union and Carrier streets; house and lot No. 139 Madison street; vacant lot on Christ street; farm of ten acres 3½ miles east of city limits; new buildings and all kinds of fruit; will sell or exchange for other property. A. A. Lord, No. 15 Stocking street. 112tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms by widow without family. Address D, care carrier No. 9. 379

OWING to our recent loss by fire it will be greatly appreciated if our friends will aid us by settling their accounts promptly. Nickle-Out Cigar Co., Waterloo street.

WANTED—All men to step in and get our price on a fall or winter suit of clothes or pair of pants made to order; we can save you money. Voigt, Herpolsheimer & Co.

BUSINESS CARDS.

I HAVE first mortgages on Illinois real estate to exchange for stock of goods. What have you? Address J. P. G., box 6, Herald office. 378

A RARE bargain for cash for carpets, stoves, furniture, and second hand goods of all description, at 39 South Division street. 83

GOTLOB SCHLACHTZ—Gentlemen's garments cleaned, dyed and repaired; dry cleaning or scouring a specialty. Work done on short notice. Basement 94 Canal st., with Chicago Laundry. 290

LEAVE orders at Serlson's drug store, 74 Monroe street, for Grand Rapids moving van; goods packed, moved and stored. L. P. Depo, proprietor. Phone 154.

PLEASURE SLEIGH for parties and balls, furnished with four horses, all complete; prices reasonable. Call on O. H. Shaver, livery stable, 132 Ionia street, telephone 858. 283

POTATOES is selling best coal and wood cheap. Also full line of flour and feed. Third avenue and G. R. & I. crossing. Office 508 Cherry street.

UNION BUTTER STORE—2,000 pounds of choice roll goods received daily; that will sell for 20 cents per pound; also fine grade of butterine that will sell for 16, 17 and 18 cents per pound. Rubadeaux bros., No. 16 East Bridge street, opposite Hermitage block. 314

WOOD AND COAL.

SEASONED wood $1.50 per cord; $1.40 in ten cord lots; less than value for the money in the city; prompt delivery. H. W. Grutsch, 327 Wealthy avenue. 294

STOVE WOOD CHEAP—2 cords $3.25, 5 cords $7.50, 10 cords $13. Special prices on car lots of dry maple. Telephone 415. Grand Rapids Veneer Works. 250

SLEIGHRIDERS, ATTENTION!

RADCLIFFE & HOLT are prepared to furnish sleigh, warm sleigh with or without seats, with fine horses, merry bells, etc., at low rates. Single hands separate, if desired. Telephone 676, or 680, or 980, after business hour, or two days ahead if possible.

SKATING RINK.

PLAINFIELD avenue roller skating rink is open to the public. Afternoon sessions from 1:30 to 5, evening sessions from 7 to 10. There will be a series of prize skating during the season. Admission 15 cents, skates 10 cents. 294

BATHS AND MASSAGE.

BATHS AND MASSAGE—Ladies wishing Steam and Turkish or Russian baths and Hygienic Treatment or Facial Treatment can now find Mrs. Kate Washington at 49 Ottawa street. Mrs. Kate Washington has had 9 years experience and gives particular attention to ladies. 283

BILLIARDS AND POOL SUPPLIES.

BILLIARD and pool tables for rent or sale; 10 lbs. cues, tips, etc.; corner Crescent ave. and Ionia street. 433

Want Columns

REAL ESTATE—CITY.

12 FENCE per day for one house and 18 fence posts per day for another block, will rent two houses for the winter. L. S. Trowbridge, room 6, Lovett's block, opp. Sweet's.

FITZGERALD & FRANKFORD can interest you in a few bargains in real estate. We have a few houses to rent from $8 to $20 per month. Also protect you against fire in reliable companies. We make a specialty of management of properties. Call or telephone 141 W. Bridge street. Phone 1236. 403

R. C. HATHEWAY, room 10, Power's block, over Arcade, has all kinds real estate for sale and exchange. Elegant house, modern improvements, sacrificed on account of illness. Houses to rent, money to loan, business chances. 431

GOOD NEWS—Man wants to buy a house and lot on the west side. Two parties looking for homes on the east side. One man got some money to invest in vacant lots. If you have a bargain to offer I think I can make a quick sale for you.
WILLARD R. GRIFFITHS,
375 No. 6 Canal Street.

$100, $200, $300, $400, $500, $600, $700, $800, $900, $1,000, $1,100, $1,200 and $1,300 to loan on real estate security; if the security is good loans are quickly made.
WILLARD R. GRIFFITHS,
375 No. 6 Canal Street.

I AM still looking for a house and lot for my own use, somewhere on the hill or in the south or east part of the city.
WILLARD R. GRIFFITHS,
No. 6 Canal Street.

WE HAVE a $2,000 house and lot in city to trade for a 20-acre farm near city, and a $2,500 house and lot for 40-acre farm; also farms of 60, 80 and 120 acres, all improved, to trade for city property; stock of groceries, boots and shoes and a clean stock of goods to trade for city property. Brink & Jameson, No. 3 Canal street, under the Old National Bank. 333

BRINK & JAMESON, 3 Canal street, buy and sell real estate, merchandise, stocks, and insurance and make investments, loans and collections. Under Old National bank. Phone 1277. 361

FOR SALE—I have some fine pieces of plat for sale, one piece of 100 millions well located, 36 and 37 New Houseman block. A. R. ANTISDEL.

FOR SALE—Once in a life time; fine business block in one of the very best locations in the city; can be had cheap; call at once 36 and 37 New Houseman block. A. R. ANTISDEL.

FOR SALE—Near Williamsburgh, Michigan, a small piece of pine timber; call 36 and 37 New Houseman block. A. R. ANTISDEL.

I have parties that want to buy pine timber either on the Chicago & West Michigan or Grand Rapids & Indiana Railroad; call at the office of A. R. Antisdel, No. 36 and 37 New Houseman block.

A BARGAIN—Parties leaving the city; two fine houses and lots for sale cheap; also desirable lots; call at No. 36 and 37 New Houseman block. A. R. ANTISDEL.

MONEY TO LOAN.

DO YOU WANT MONEY?—If so, you will find it to your advantage to see us before borrowing.
We make loans on household goods, pianos, horses, wagons, or personal property of any kind at the lowest possible rates and in the quickest possible time.
Our loans are made without publicity and the property is left in your individual possession.
Loans can be carried as long as desired or can be paid in full or in part at any time to suit your convenience, and any part paid reduces the cost of carrying the loan.
If you owe a balance on furniture, piano or other property, we will pay it up for you and carry as long as you desire.
Our offices are the most pleasant in the city and are so arranged that parties calling upon us may be waited upon quickly and courteously.
Remember that you have the use of both the property and the money and can return the money at any time.
GRAND RAPIDS MORTGAGE LOAN CO.
Room 2, Tower Block. Phone 1342.
Corner of Monroe, Pearl and Canal sts.

MONEY TO LOAN on city real estate in sums to suit. Willard R. Griffith's, No. 6 Canal street. 284

IF you have money to loan leave it with me and I can place it for you free of charge; call at 36 and 37 New Houseman block.
A. R. ANTISDEL.

MONEY WANTED — In sums as follows: $1,000, $2,000 and $3,000, on good real estate security; call at No. 36 and 37 New Houseman block. 361 A. R. ANTISDEL.

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AN EMPTY PURSE has few friends, but it has a good one that will help you. The When Clothing Co. Don't pinch and squeeze and wait to get the cash. Payments $1.00 weekly will make you comfortable with a Winter Suit or Overcoat, tailor made. Fine clothing and Ladies' garments.
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LEGAL.

Old National Bank
Annual Meeting and Dividend Notice.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the above bank for the election of directors will be held in the banking room on Tuesday, Jan. 9 a. m. to 1 o'clock in the forenoon. Polls will close at 12 m.
This bank has declared a dividend of three per cent for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1893, payable on and after January 2, 1894.
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SEALED PROPOSALS.

GRAND RAPIDS, Dec. 28, 1893.
Sealed proposals of the renewal coupons of the money and funds of Kent county for one year will be received on or before the 4th day of January, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, by H. G. Prentiss, chairman Finance Committee, at the County Clerk's office. Said money will be let out to the bank or depository paying the highest rate of interest for money in his hands. Provided that said depository or depositories will give a bond to the Board of Supervisors of Kent county, with sufficient sureties to be approved by said board, in such amount as the board may direct conditional for the faithful care and custody of the moneys so deposited, with said bank or depository. See Local Acts of Michigan, 1891, to which all proposals must conform.
H. G. PRENTISS,
S. HOUSEMAN,
C. W. FIDE,
jan4 Finance Committee Kent County.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sullivan Lumber Co. for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before it will be held at their office in the city of Grand Rapids, Mich., on Thursday, Jan. 11, 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
FRANKLIN R. WALLIN,
Pres.

Annual Meeting of Goshen Sweeper Company.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Goshen Sweeper Company of Grand Rapids, Mich., for the election of officers and transaction of business will be held on Tuesday, January 9th, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the company in this city.
FRANCIS LEONARD, Secretary.
Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 21, 1893. jan2

Treasurer's Notice.
City Treasurer's Office,
Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 18, 1893.
Notice is hereby given, that the assessment roll for the improvement of South Prospect street from Washington street to Cedar street is now in my hands, and that I will receive payment thereon for the period of twenty days from this date at the office of the city treasurer, city hall.
jan2 M. R. SORRICK, City Treasurer.

H. J. DE GOLIA
REAL ESTATE AGENT.
ROOMS 8 AND 9 TOWER BLK.

FOR SALE—HOUSES AND LOTS.
A fine modern nine-room house on Terrace street, just finishing, owned by non-resident; must sell; a bargain. Also one on Burton avenue, eight rooms; corner lot. One on South Lafayette, with furnace, bath and all modern improvements. One on Bronson avenue, twelve rooms; corner lot; good barn, a bargain. One on Central avenue, one on Paris avenue, one on North Prospect, one on Hastings, one on Bond and avenue. Also two houses on Cherry street, to exchange for house and lot centrally located. Two houses on Union street. Store on Kalamazoo avenue for sale or exchange.

FARMS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.
40 acres one mile from Byron Center, good house and barn, good orchard, all under high state of cultivation, to sell or exchange for improved city property.
Also farm of 80 acres near Jenisonville, good buildings, good orchard and good land to an exchange for house and lot in city.
Also 200 acres in township of Ionia, 10 miles from city; 120 acres improved, balance beech and maple timber; fair buildings, and one large.
I have a number of fine improved farms to exchange, which I can dispose of at great bargains.
Also a number of fine pieces of garden land near the city, ranging from five to forty acres.
I have lots in all parts of the city to sell or exchange houses to rent.
Money to loan on good real estate security.
H. J. DeGOLIA.

FOR SALE
2 houses on West street, near Walker avenue.
1 house on Lincoln street, near West Leonard street.
1 house on Dunton's addition, near Lake avenue.
1 house, No. 11 Umatilla street.
1 house, No. 21 Umatilla street, hardwood finish.
1 house, No. 514 South Union street, with barn.
1 house, No. 1140 Fifth avenue, 10 rooms.
1 house, No. 149 Bank street, with barn.
1 house, No. 130 Clinton street, with barn, modern improvements.
1 house, No. 263 Henry street, large, with modern improvements.
1 house on Packard street, near Cherry st.
1 house on Paris avenue, near Cherry st.
Also several others at different prices from $700 up; vacant lots in almost every part of the city; money furnished to build if desired; payments can be made to suit the purchaser; farms for sale in different counties.

FOR RENT
House No. 263 Henry street, modern improvements.
House on Washington avenue, near East Fulton street.
House on Washington avenue, next to above, with barn.
N. W. NORTHROP,
Room 712-3-4,
Michigan Trust Building
Telephone—Office 174; house 953.

C. W. WATKINS,
INSURANCE.
323-325 Michigan Trust Company Building.
The losses of property by fire for the year 1893 have been unprecedented, amounting in round numbers to over $14,000,000 per month, or more than $112,000,000 for the eight months ending August 31st.
Presumably insurance companies will suffer to an extent that will compel many of the smaller companies to go out of the business.
Insurers should look to it in these perilous times that their property is insured in safe and reliable companies like the following:
Phenix, Brooklyn $ 4,000,000
Boylston, Boston 1,000,000
London and Lancashire, England 4,000,000
Citizens', N. Y. 1,141,000
Scottish Union and National 17,000,000
Liverpool, London & Globe 42,000,000
Imperial, England 10,000,000
American, Philadelphia 2,500,000
Northern, England 15,000,000
Sun Fire Office of London 8,500,000
LIFE AND ACCIDENT.
Travelers' Life and Accident of Hartford, Conn. $13,000,000
SECURITY.
American Surety, N. Y. $6,500,000

FOR SALE
27 vacant lots for good contracts or mortgages.
Four new houses, near car line, for $2,100, $1,900, $1,800 and $800. Terms very easy.

FOR RENT
$11, $9 and $8, houses in east part of city near street car.
WANTED—New milch cow, good farm team and farm machinery in trade.
J. H. McKEE & SON
72 MONROE STREET.

THE PATTEN ADDITION.
Is the place to buy a good lot for a home or as an investment.
The Best in the City for the Money.
Because it is within twenty minutes walk of Monroe street, street car and city water to corner of park, large lots, lays nicely, and best of all, for the next sixty days you can buy a limited number of these lots for less money than others ask for smaller lots a mile further away. For prices, terms, etc., call on
J. G. ALEXANDER
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Michigan Trust Building. Telephone 911

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THE NIAGARA FALLS ROUTE
Arrive. Leave.
Detroit Express 9:20 p m 7:05 a m
New York Express 1:40 p m 1:40 p m
Night Express *5:20 a m *11:00 p m
*Daily. All others daily except Sunday.
Taking effect November 19, 1893.
Sleeping cars on night trains to and from Detroit. Parlor cars run on train leaving Grand Rapids at 10 a m and leaving Detroit at 4:15 p m, arriving at Grand Rapids at 10:10 p m. Direct connections made at Detroit with all through trains east over the Michigan Central railroad (Canada Southern division).
A. ALMQUIST, Ticket Agent, Union Passenger Station.
O. W. RUGGLES, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

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Weak men, with brain, nerve and muscular system broken down, can find absolute cure in Some Boom. Your cabinet, young, give free and regret. Some Boom Co., Detroit, Mich. Sold by Fred Brun, and White & Weiss.

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Safe, permanent cure in one to four days of Gonorrhoea and Gleet. Consultation or Writes free, at home, or office. Address Pharo Medicine Co., Detroit, Mich. Sold by Fred Brun, and White & Weiss.

TIME CARDS.

GRAND RAPIDS AND INDIANA RAILROAD.
Dec. 24, 1893.
TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	Ar. From South.	Lv. Going North.
For Mackinaw, Traverse City and Saginaw	7 30 a m	7 40 a m
For Cadillac and Saginaw	2 15 p m	2 25 p m
For Petoskey and Mackinaw City	2 15 p m	2 25 p m
From Kalamazoo and Chicago	10 50 p m	----
From Kalamazoo	7 20 a m	----

Trains from the southward 7 20 a m and 7 10 p m arrive daily. Other trains daily except Sunday.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

	Ar. From North.	Lv. Going South.
For Cincinnati		4 05 a m
For Kalamazoo & Chicago