

NORTHERN TRIBUNE.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1882.

THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Annual Meeting Last Saturday—Constitution and By-Laws Adopted—Report of Committee on Permanent Grounds.

Last Saturday forenoon the annual meeting of the Cheboygan County Agricultural Society was held at the Town Hall with a fair representation from different parts of the county. President Humphrey being absent Vice President Richardson presided.

Hon. Jacob Walton, chairman of the committee on revising the constitution and by-laws, reported the result of the committee's labors. The report was accepted and the constitution and by-laws, after a few slight alterations, were adopted unanimously.

M. W. Horne, chairman of the committee on permanent grounds, reported that the committee after duly considering the matter, had come to the conclusion that it was better to rent than to buy, and that a proposition had been made by the Cheboygan Horse association to allow the use of their track, furnish ground on which to erect the necessary buildings, sheds, stalls, &c. for exhibitions and care of stock, the Horse association to keep the fence around the grounds in good repair, for the sum of \$100 per annum for a term of ten years. The report was accepted and the committee authorized to perfect the arrangement.

Upon motion the President and Secretary were authorized to procure the printing of 100 copies of the constitution and by-laws, in pamphlet form, for the use of the members of the society.

The Secretary was instructed to notify all officers of the society of their election and that they would be required to accept and pay their annual membership fee within thirty days or their offices would be declared vacant, as provided in the constitution and by-laws. Upon motion the meeting adjourned to meet again in five weeks from that day, Saturday, March 18th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The following is the constitution and by-laws as adopted:

SEC. 1. This Society shall be called "The Cheboygan County Agricultural Society," auxiliary to the Michigan State Agricultural Society, and its objects shall be the encouragement and advancement of agriculture, horticulture, stock-raising, manufactures and mechanics' arts in Cheboygan county.

SEC. 2. Any person may become a member of this Society by paying to the Secretary thereof one dollar, and he shall continue to pay one dollar annually to the Secretary, on or before the first day of the Fair in each year, to perpetuate his membership. All officers shall pay their membership fee of one dollar on or before the annual meeting in February, in each year, and their respective terms of office shall expire and commence on said day of annual meeting.

SEC. 3. The officers of this society shall consist of a President, one Vice President, a Secretary, a Treasurer, one Director from each organized Township, Incorporated Village, and the Indian Village, in the county, and two Auditors, whose duties shall be set forth in the By-Laws to this Constitution. Said officers shall be elected on the second day of the Annual Fair, at two o'clock in the afternoon. The President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be elected by ballot. The other officers in such manner as the members present may determine, and shall hold their respective offices for one year from the next annual meeting, or until their successors are elected to fill their places.

SEC. 4. There shall be a Board of Directors, who shall consist of the President, Secretary, Treasurer and the Directors elected from the several Townships and Villages, as provided for in Section 3, any five of whom shall form a quorum for the transaction of business.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to exercise general supervision over the affairs of the Society; to control the expenditures of its funds; to call special meetings of the Society, on the written request of five members thereof; to determine and select the place and appoint the time for holding the Annual Fair, and to publish due notice of the same; to distribute all seeds, plants, books, &c., received by the Society for distribution among its members.

SEC. 6. Said Board of Directors, or a majority of them, shall have power to fill by appointment all vacancies which may occur in the officers of the Society, and the persons by them appointed shall hold their offices till the next annual meeting in February, or until their successors are elected.

SEC. 7. There shall be an annual meeting held at the Village of Cheboygan, on the second Saturday of February, in each year, commencing at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Due notice thereof shall be given by the President and Secretary, or either of them. At said annual meeting all subjects pertaining to the welfare of the Society for the coming year may be considered, and means adopted to carry the same into effect. And at which all amendments to this Constitution and By-Laws shall be made.

SEC. 8. This Constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting of the Society by the votes of two-thirds of the members there present voting therefor.

BY-LAWS.
SEC. 1. The President, or in his absence the Vice President, shall preside at all meetings of the Society, he shall preserve order, and clearly state all questions when brought up for discussion by any member, and decide all questions that come to a vote. If the President and Vice President are both absent from any meetings of the Society, or of the Board of Directors, the members present shall appoint one of their number to act as President pro tempore.

SEC. 2. The Secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of all meetings of the Society and of the Board of Directors, in a book kept for that purpose; he shall also keep a record of the names of all members, receive and pay over to the Treasurer the annual membership fees, and perform such other duties as pertain to the office of Secretary.

SEC. 3. The Treasurer shall have the care and custody of all moneys belonging to the Society, and account for and pay out the same by direction of the Board of Directors, on the order of the President, countersigned by the Secretary; he shall keep a correct account of

all receipts and expenditures, and make a written report thereof to each annual meeting of the Society. He shall give such bonds for the faithful performance of his duties as the Board of Directors may require.

SEC. 4. The Auditors shall examine the books and accounts of the Treasurer, and approve his annual report; they shall also examine all claims and demands against the Society; recommend their payment, modification or rejection to the Board of Directors.

SEC. 5. The Board of Directors shall within thirty days after any vacancy may occur in any office of the Society, fill the same as provided for in Section 6 of the Constitution; they shall determine the time and provide suitable grounds, buildings, sheds and stalls for the accommodation of the Annual Fair or Exhibition; establish rules and regulations for the government of the same; prepare and publish a suitable premium list; appoint committees to take charge of the several departments of the Fair, and committees to award the premiums; provide for the keeping of stock and the proper care of all articles while on exhibition in the Fair Grounds; appoint watchmen, and keep up police regulations, if deemed necessary; invite stock raisers from outside of the county to compete at our Fairs, if thought best to do so; and to perform such other acts as may in their judgment add to the interests and further the objects of said Fair.

A RICH STATE.

An Exhibit of the Financial Condition of Michigan.

Auditor General Latimer Monday issued his annual report for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1881: Balance in Treasury on that day, \$11,794,382.07; bonded debt of the State, \$904,149.97, due and payable Jan. 1, 1883, and May 1, 1880, for the payment of which \$889,000 is set aside and pledged for the payment of said bonds. The current expenses of the different State institutions for the year were as follows: Ann Arbor University, \$164,639.37; State Normal School, \$24,435.20; Agricultural College, \$52,256.77; State Public School, \$37,908.18; Deaf, Dumb and Blind, Institute, \$46,915.70; School for the Insane, \$138,419.29; Pontiac Asylum for the Insane, \$101,989.71; Reform School for Boys, \$50,161.82; Reform School for Girls, \$2,587.78; State House of Correction, \$54,052.47; Jackson State Prison, \$195,905.45. Specific taxes received during the year from railroads amounted to \$823,133.52; from insurance companies, \$80,094.71; express companies, \$1,628.94; telegraph companies, \$4,067.70; mining companies, \$39,428.22. The amount of taxes paid under the liquor law was as follows: Manufacturers, \$9,041.25; wholesale dealers, \$17,923.10; retail dealers, \$460,599.24.

The Auditor General makes an exhaustive report on the present mode of paying the expenses for supporting indigent insane persons, showing the injustice inflicted in some sections, which had to bear an exorbitant proportion of such expenses. He also reports that the accommodations for these unfortunates are too limited, and that many who are unable to obtain admission are suffering for want of proper treatment.

Mince meat at Beckers 11c per lb.

New Scheme.

We have just instituted a

NEW JOB LOT COUNTER!

—FOR—

Boots and Shoes

Which we will sell at a great reduction. They are not old shop worn goods, but are remnants caused by selling all but one or two pairs of a kind, and not having a full line of them will sell at cost to close them out.

We have also some

Special Bargains in Dry Goods!

The Finest Line of Cottons in town, and Lowest Prices.

We have just received a few pieces of Handsome Plaid Dress Goods!

Which we will sell at 10c per yard. This is one of the cheapest things ever seen in the Dry Goods market.

NELSON & BULLEN.

Lovers of a good cup of coffee, go to Beckers and buy some of his fresh roasted.

Save money by buying clothing at the Star Clothing store.

To coal consumers.

From this date, until further notice, we quote the following prices on coal: Stove and nut, \$7.75 per ton. McARTHUR, SMITH & CO.

Becker roasts his own coffee once a week. It will always be fresh.

A large assortment of boys suits at the Star Clothing House.

What everyone says must be so. "That fresh roasted coffee at Beckers is excellent."

For fresh roasted coffee, go to Beckers.

Wool yarns, Germantowns, Zephyrs, worsted, &c. at greatly reduced prices at Hempstead's.

Don't forget that Becker has always on hand a large and fine stock of groceries at bottom prices.

H. Chambers means business. Read his ad.

Best flour from \$7 to \$8.50 per barrel at the east side grocery.

Call at the Star Clothing store.

Baths! Baths! Baths!

Baths, hot and cold, at W. C. Moore's 25 cents.

Diaries for '82 at Fexer's.

H. Chambers has the spiciest ad we ever read. Don't fail to read it.

No trouble to show goods at the Star Clothing House.

Becker has some very fine sauer kraut.

Be sure and call at the Star Clothing House and examine their stock of fresh goods.

The Star clothing store sells goods cheaper than they ever were sold in Cheboygan.

Rindskoff Bros. at their Star Clothing House would like to make your acquaintance. Give them a call.

All styles of Valentines, at Fexer's.

Suits of clothes for \$5 at the Star Clothing House of Rindskoff Bros.

For Fine Poultry

Fish and choice meats see the large stock kept by F. C. McDonald at his meat market on Third street.

FOR SALE.

I DESIRE to sell a horse, buggy, harness and cutter, and will take in exchange village property. For further particulars enquire at J. J. Cueny's bakery. feb18-2t

FOR RENT.

A GOOD house to rent situated on the Court House Road, near the railroad station. For particulars enquire at McArthur, Smith & Co's store, or George Norton. feb18-3w

Holiday Novelties

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

FOR SALE BY

W. C. MOORE

WINTER SEASON

1881

In Silk Handkerchiefs I HAVE THE CHOICEST LINE EVER SHOWN New and Exclusive Designs Linen Handkerchiefs

Silk Han's. HOLIDAY

Mens' Fine Neck-Wear Including All the Latest styles in FLAT SCARFS, WINDSOR SCARFS, Wide End Ties, Band Bows, Linen Cuffs

1881

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

1881

GOODS. Silk Mufflers

Fancy Dress Shirts.

FANCY SUSPENDERS

KID-GLOVES.

Under-Wear.

1881

ALL THOSE WANTING FURNITURE TRY

Uncle Sam's Furniture House!

My Figures Speak Louder than Words.

I WILL SELL.

Now is the Time to Buy.

PICTURE FRAMES MADE TO ORDER. Just Received, a nice stock of Chromos. UNDERTAKING in all its branches. Burial Cases and Caskets, Burial Robes and Shrouds. Funerals attended to promptly with HEARSE and CARRIAGES. J. H. Tuttle.

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AFTER THE HOLIDAYS

We Shall Make A Great Reduction in Prices.

CLOAKS, FURS,

Dress Goods, Corsets, CHILDRENS' UNDER GARMENTS,

Knit Goods, Felt Skirts, Wool Yarns, & many other Kinds of Winter Goods

Which we propose to sell CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST. We shall also offer Many

JOB LOTS.

From which you can make selections at prices far BELOW THE ACTUAL COST. Don't Fail to Examine our Goods and Prices, and judge for yourselves. Remember the Place; Weed's new brick store first door south of the Grand Central Hotel. We invite all to examine our goods and prices.

H. M. & P. HEMPSTEAD. Cheboygan, Dec. 31, 1881.

SMYTH & CO., JEWELERS AND STATIONERS!

AND DEALERS IN Waltham, Elgin and Springfield Watches.

Sterling Silverware AMERICAN CLOCKS, WA

Triple Plated Ware Nickel stem-winding WATCHES, STAPLE & FANCY STATIONERY. ENGRAVERS AND MANUFACTURERS OF JEWELRY. ALL GOODS BOUGHT OF US ENGRAVED FREE OF CHARGE. Howell Block, Main St., Cheboygan. Special Attention paid to Repairing and Rating fine Watches.

McARTHUR, SMITH & CO., Steamboat AGENTS.

—AND DEALERS IN—

W. A. Wood, Salt, Lime H. A. Cement, Calcees and Land Plaster.

Baled Hay. PRICES OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTIONS OF COAL. STEAMBOAT COAL, \$5 00 CHESTNUT COAL, 7 75 LEHIGH LUMP, 10 00 STOVE COAL, 7 75 BLOSSBURG, 7 00