

For the Grand Haven News. NEGROPHOBIA. To Mr. "Lex Vox"—My attention was directed to your letter, No. 11, in the Ottawa Clarion, on the objects of civil government, wherein you invite a close examination. I find some of your political sentiments so directly opposite to my political faith I propose to look at the subject, politically, morally, or both if you please.

After declaring what THOS. JEFFERSON said about the "villainies" of slavery, I quote your statement as follows: "To say that a State or Nation cannot prohibit slavery within its jurisdiction, is a solecism of too gross a nature to be believed for a moment."

What, in all candor, are you laboring to arrive at? I have never known an individual, of any political faith, pretend to say that an independent, sovereign State could not abolish it; nor do I find very good logic in the use of a solecism. Good old Walker, as well as Webster's Unbridged, fail to solve the difficulty. And you say, "Still more absurd and abhorrent is the doctrine, put forth under the specious name of Popular Sovereignty, that the people of a State or Territory, when a majority are in favor of it, can form a constitution legalizing and establishing slavery."

But, sir, where is the proof? Simple statements or declarations prove nothing unless you go to the record of proper authority. Now, Mr. "Lex Vox," if you will take the trouble to look up the record you will find that a State can form a constitution legalizing slavery, or can make it free, just as the majority see fit, and have the power to regulate their own institutions in their own way, subject only to the constitution of the United States. This is what I call popular sovereignty; and if you can make out any public or private wrong in this system, you have, so far, failed to point it out. Perhaps you have read Blackstone, but it would do you no harm to read him again.

Now, when you talk about the natural rights of man, you evidently run the subject into the ground. No one pretends to deny that one paramount object of civil government is to protect the weak against the powerful, to suppress wrong and maintain the right. I lay it down as a rule of law well established, that when a man becomes a member of civil society he does surrender a part of his natural rights for the good of the whole. But I shall trespass on time and room to say more than that your whole effort looks like a spunky attempt to revive the everlasting nigger question. Yours truly, LEXUM VOXEM.

GRAND HAVEN MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various goods such as Flour, Corn, Oats, Buckwheat Flour, Corn Meal, Potatoes, Beans, Onions, Butter, Cheese, Lard, Eggs, Pork, Ham, Shoulders, Apples, Salt, Maple Sugar, White-Fish, Plaster, Stuzco, Wood, Brick, Shingles, Lath, Lumber, and Lamb. Includes prices per bushel, barrel, or other units.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HARTFORD, CONN. City Fire Insurance Company. Paid in Capital, \$250,000. Surplus, \$8,231. Assets, Jan. 1st, 1840, \$308,231. This Company has complied with the laws of the several States, in which it is doing business. C. C. WAITE, Sec'y. C. B. DOWERS, Pres. Western Branch Office at Chicago, Ill., through which all the business of the Company in the Western, North-Western and South-Western States is transacted.

Notice!

IS hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Supervisors of Ottawa County, at their next meeting to be held at the School House, in the village of Eastmanville, in said County, on the first day of April next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the formation of three Townships to be formed out of the Territory of the present Township of White River as follows, to wit: All of fractional towns eleven (11) and twelve (12), north of range eighteen (18) west, to be one Township and to be called the Township of White River. All of towns eleven (11) and twelve (12), north of range seventeen (17) west, and twelve (12) north of range sixteen (16) west; lying and being north of the following described line, to wit: Commencing at the Center of White Lake, on the line between ranges seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) west, and running along the center of said Lake until it intersects the section line between sections twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22), thence north on said line to corner of sections twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16), thence east one (1) mile, thence north one (1) mile, thence east to the line between ranges fifteen (15) and sixteen (16), thence north to the line between towns twelve (12) and thirteen (13), to be one Township and to be called the Township of Oceana; And all of the balance of the present Township of White River to be one Township and to be called the Township of Dalton. Dated at White River, this second day of March 1859. [4w n10]

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of a certain Mortgage executed by Levi Day and Clarissa R. Day, his wife, to Ephraim Doan, bearing date the fifth day of May A. D. 1855, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Ottawa County, Michigan, on the sixteenth day of July, A. D. 1855, at nine o'clock in the afternoon, in Book C. of Mortgages, on pages 31 and 32, and which Mortgage was duly assigned by the said Ephraim Doan to George Witham, of Ottawa county aforesaid, by an assignment bearing date the sixteenth day of July, A. D. 1855, and recorded in the Register's office aforesaid, on the tenth day of January, A. D. 1856, at six o'clock in the afternoon, in Book C. of Mortgages, on page 177; on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty-Three Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$253 50), and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to Statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction of the Mortgaged premises therein described, to wit: The north-east quarter of the south-west quarter of section number thirty-two; and the north-west three-quarters of the north-west quarter of the south-west quarter of section number thirty-two, in township eight north of range thirteen west; containing seventy acres be the same more or less, and situated, lying and being in the County of Ottawa and State of Michigan, at the Court-House, in the village of Grand Haven, in said County, on the first day of June, A. D. 1859, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to pay the sum due with interest and costs. GEORGE WITHAM, Assignee of Mortgagee. Gnos. REED, Attorney. Grand Haven, March 1st, 1859. [13w n10]

Estate of Luke A. White.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Ottawa, ss: At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office in the village of Grand Haven, on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred fifty-nine—Present, Augustus W. Taylor, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Luke A. White, deceased. On reading and filing the petition duly verified of Nathan H. White, representing the death of said deceased, and that he died in said County of Ottawa intestate, and praying that he may be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the fourth day of April next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said Estate are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Grand Haven, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Grand Haven News, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Ottawa, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy.) AUGUSTUS W. TAYLOR, Judge of Probate.

Estate of Giles Vanderhoof.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, Ottawa County, ss: At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ottawa, holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Grand Haven, on Monday, the Twenty-eighth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine—Present, Augustus W. Taylor, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Giles Vanderhoof, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Jonas Manterstock, administrator of the estate of said deceased, praying for reasons therein set forth, that he may be licensed and authorized to sell certain real estate therein described, for the purpose of paying the debts allowed against said estate, together with the expenses of administering the same. Thereupon, it is ordered, that Monday, the eighteenth day of April next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate Office in the village of Grand Haven and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Grand Haven News, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Ottawa, four successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy.) AUGUSTUS W. TAYLOR, Judge of Probate.

B. HALL & CO.,

(SUCCESSORS TO A. SANGER & SON.) WHOLESALE and Retail Dealers in Leather, Hides, Shoe Findings, &c., No. 20 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. Cash Paid for Hides. Detroit, February, 1859. [n9 pd 1y] Noah Perkins, Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries, Provisions, Crockery, Hardware, Boots and Shoes, &c. Opposite the store of J. H. Newcomb, State st., Mill Point, Mich. LADIES' SHOES—Ladies' Gaiters for six shillings; also a large lot of Shoes of every description, equally so cheap. C. W. & E.'s

HARRISON'S

COLUMBIA WRITING FLUID

CARMINE INK,

QUARTS, PINTS, AND HALF PINTS, In abundance, and CHEAP.

AT - - - GRIFFIN'S & CO.

THE SHAKER'S PRESSED HOPS,

Sage, Wormwood, Arnica, Queen of the Meadow, Pennyroyal, Tansy, Sweet Margerom, Summer Savory Mint, Gould Thread,

And other Roots and Herbs,

In Supply at - - - GRIFFIN'S

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.

IN QUARTS, PINTS AND HALF PINTS, At Wholesale and Retail.

Twelve Varieties of Cathartic Pills, At - - - GRIFFIN'S.

DUPONT'S & HAZARD'S

Kentucky Rifle Powder, Shot, Lead and Gun Caps of all kinds, At - - - GRIFFIN'S.

DEPOSITORY OF

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY, DUTCH AND ENGLISH.

Also, a variety of

BOOKS AND STATIONERY

In Store. At - - - GRIFFIN'S.

Groceries!

Rice, Sugars, Coffee, Tea, Spices, Medicinal

Liquors, Syrup, Soap, Candles,

Always on hand at the

Drug Store of GRIFFIN & CO.

1859. Ayer's 1859. Cherry Pectoral,

And Ague Cure, always on hand AT GRIFFIN & CO'S DRUG STORE.

All of Dr. Jayne's Medicines Can be had at Griffin's.

DR. ROBACK'S SCANDINAVIAN MEDICINES AND BLOOD PILLS,

At - - - Griffin's

DR. JOHN BULL'S,

Helmbold's & Townsands Sarsaparillas

In Store at Griffin's.

Dr. Charles Osgood's India

Chologogue, Jones' American Chologogue and Dr. Guyott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla.

In large supply at - - - Griffin's

DR. L. A. WEAVER'S Canker and Salt Rheum Syrup (and Ointment) A few Bottles at Griffin's.

G. W. Merchant's Celebrated

Gargling Oil, and Sloan's Condition Powders and Ointments, a large Stock, At - - - Griffin's.

BOORHAVE'S HOLLAND BITTERS, At Griffin's.

Griffin & Co., Dealers in Drugs, Medicines, Groceries, Provisions, Perfumery, Paints, Oils, Glass and Fancy Goods. At the old Store, corner of Washington and First Street, Grand Haven, Mich.

Muskegon Advertisements.

1859. Messrs. 1859.

RYERSON & MORRIS,

MUSKEGON, - - - MICH.

Have now in Store a very desirable

STOCK OF GOODS,

Which they are desirous of Selling for CASH OR READY-PAY.

Muskegon, January 6th, 1859.

French Merinoes,

Valencias, Bayaderes,

Fluids,

Stripes, De Laines,

&c., &c., To be found only at the Store of

RYERSON & MORRIS,

Muskegon, - - - January 6, 1859.

PRINTS,

GINGHAMS, STRIPE SHIRTINGS,

DEMINS, TICKINGS,

SHEETINGS &c., &c.

Selling at low figures at R. & M's.

Muskegon, January 6, 1859.

Gloves,

KID, SILK,

CASHMERE,

LISLE THREAD, AND COTTON

GLOVES. A Good Assortment at

RYERSON & MORRIS'S.

Gents', Ladies', Misses'

Children's

BOOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS,

Cheaper than ever at R. & M's.

LADIES' BLACK LASTING

GAITERS,

Worth \$1.50, - - - For 75 Cents.

For sale at the Store of R. & M.

Woolen Yarn.

Mixed, White, Black and Random Yarn,

Very Low at R. & M's.

GROCERIES!

Tea, Coffee,

Sugars, Syrups, Spices,

Pork, Lard,

Hams, Flour, &c. At better bargains than ever offered in town. RYERSON & MORRIS. Muskegon, Jan. 6, 1859. [1y n3]

Grand Rapids Advertisements.

1859. 1859.

J. KENDALL & CO.,

NO. 18, CANAL STREET. GRAND RAPIDS, - - MICHIGAN.

The readers of the Grand Haven News will please take notice, that the place to buy

DRY GOODS,

Is at - - - J. Kendall & Co's, - - - WHERE A -

LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK Will always be found.

Wool Plaids, French Merinos, PARAMATTAS, AND VALENCIAS,

Are Selling very cheap at J. KENDALL & CO'S.

- New styles of -

DE LAINES AND PRINTS, Are being received, daily, at J. KENDALL & Co's.

Worsted Hoods & Comforters, Are selling low to close off the Stock, At - - - Kendall & Co's.

A splendid Stock of

Carpets of all Kinds, Oil Cloths, Rugs, Matting, Curtains and Curtain Fixtures, at

J. Kendall & Co's.

Ladies', Gents' & Children's

BOOTS AND SHOES,

A fine stock at J. KENDALL & Co's.

DRESS SILKS,

Of all kinds, are selling very cheap at

J. KENDALL & Co's.

Hosery, Gloves, Mittens, Embroideries,

BLEACHED GOODS, &c.

At - - - J. Kendall & Co's.

Millinery & Dress-Making,

Done in the best style, by experienced hands, at

J. KENDALL & Co's. Grand Rapids, January 6, 1859. no3 1y

1859. - - - 1859. Merchant Tailoring,

- BY - J. & L. W. FECHHEIMER,

AT THE POST-OFFICE, GRAND HAVEN, MICH.

'Tis understood that FECHHEIMER'S supply, With superior fits, all those Who are pleased to call and try Their skill in making clothes.

They keep on hand GOOD SUPPLIES, Of materials of all kinds, To make garments of any price, To suit all tastes and minds.

They do TAILORING of any kind, Most workmanlike and nice, And do it as quick as you can find, At a VERY MODERATE PRICE.

They have Clothing all READY-MADE, For those that have no leisure - Or otherwise should not see fit, To have them made to measure.

Of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS they keep also, A nice and large assortment; And what they say, you'll find "JUST SO," Or they'll refund your PAYMENT.

Their Goods are new and they are sold, As low as at EASTERN PLACES, Give us a call and what we told, You will find true in all cases.

J. & L. W. FECHHEIMER. Remember our place at the Post-Office. January 6, 1859. n3 1y

JUST received, a new lot of those Warranted Water Proof Grained Leather Boots at C. W. & E.'s.

SURGOAS for nine and ten cents, to be had at C. W. & E.'s.

RAILROAD SALOON! FRESH supplies on hand, of Stables and Drinkables, at E. S. Lewis, near the R. R. Bridge. Mill Point, February 16, 1859. [n5 2w



DR. HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,

AND DR. HOOFLAND'S BALSAMIC CORDIAL,

The great standard medicines of the present age, have acquired their great popularity only through years of trial. Unbounded satisfaction is rendered by them in all cases; and the people have pronounced them worthy.

Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Debility of the Nervous System, Diseases of the Kidneys,

and all diseases arising from a disordered liver or weakness of the stomach and digestive organs, are speedily and permanently cured by the GERMAN BITTERS.

The Balsamic Cordial has acquired a reputation surpassing that of any similar preparation extant. It will cure, WITHOUT PAIN, the most severe and long-standing

Cough, Cold, or Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Influenza, Croup, Pneumonia, Incipient Consumption,

and has performed the most astonishing cures ever known of

Confirmed Consumption. A few doses will also at once check and cure the most severe Diarrhoea proceeding from COLD IN THE BOWELS.

These medicines are prepared by Dr. C. M. JACKSON & Co., No. 418 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and are sold by druggists and dealers in medicines everywhere, at 75 cents per bottle. The signature of C. M. JACKSON will be on the outside wrapper of each bottle.

In the Almanac published annually by the proprietors, called EVERYBODY'S ALMANAC, you will find testimony and commendatory notices from all parts of the country. These Almanacs are given away by all our agents.

For sale at the Drugstore of Griffin & Co. in this village, also by Luther & Hinsdale, Lamont, December 22, 1858. [n1 1y

NOTICE. VANDERVOORT & BEAN,

(Successors to Parks & Vandervoort.) General Land Agents, Grand Haven, AND PENTWATER, Oceana County, - - - Michigan,

Will pay particular attention to the selection of Government Lands, Pay Taxes, Examine Titles, Locate Lands, Make Surveys, Furnish Abstracts of Titles, Maps, Plans, &c.—Having complete Sectional Maps of Ottawa, Oceana and Mason Counties, which are carefully corrected, we are prepared to correct Plans of these Counties on short notice. Business will receive prompt attention, at reasonable charges. Deeds and Mortgages made out and Acknowledgements taken, we will give particular attention to making Collections. Office, on Washington Street.

J. D. VANDERVOORT, JOHN BEAN, Jr., Surveyor & Draftsman, Sur. Defts, Pentwater, December, 22, 1858. [n1 1y

ZETNA Insurance Company.

CASH CAPITAL, - - - \$1,000,000. SURPLUS, July, 1858, - - - 666,140.

RISKS taken on reasonable terms. LOSSES promptly paid. D. CUTLER, Agent. December, 22, 1858. [1y n1

Richmonds & Backus,

MANUFACTURERS OF BLANK BOOKS,

A Full Assortment kept constantly on hand or Manufactured to Order, Detroit Michigan. County Offices supplied with Records of all Styles, of our own manufacture, with or without Printed Headings.

All kinds of Plain and Ornamental Book Binding executed in a superior style. Also a new assortment of Stationery, Copy Letters and Note Writing Paper, Wrapping Tissue and Envelope Papers, Single and Fancy Stationery, in great variety, as Ink, Steel Pens, Slates, Lead Pencils, Envelopes, Red Tape, Sealing Wax, India Rubber, Paste Boards, Drawing Paper, &c., with many other articles in their line which they offer for sale at Low PRICES.

RICHMONDS & BACKUS. Detroit, January 12, 1859. [6m n4

Estray Notice!

ON or about the first of December last, a stray red and white Cow came into my enclosure. The owner is hereby requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away. Residence in Georgetown, opposite the village of Lamont. WM. M. BLAKENET. February 2, 1859. [n6 w7

ALBERS & VAN DEN BERG,

Painters, Grainers & Paper-Hangers, GRAND HAVEN, MICH.

ARE ready to do every kind of Work in their line, by the job or otherwise, at reasonable prices. All Work entrusted to them, from any part of the county, will be promptly attended to. Grand Haven, Feb. 9, 1858. [n7 1y

Lights.

BURNING FLUID! Lamp Oil!! Kerosene Oil and Candles to be had at C. W. & E.'s

FOR SALE—Two Village Lots on Fifth and Clinton streets. CUTLER & WARTS. January 17, 1859. [n5 1f

GRAIN and Feed, always to be had at C. W. & E.'s. THE best four shilling Tea is to be found at CUTLER, WARTS & STEDGMAN'S. BLACKSMITHS' Coal for sale, by CUTLER, WARTS & STEDGMAN. 500 BARRELS of Grand Rapids and Mill washes Flour, for sale in quantities to suit purchasers. C. W. & E.