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Trains from Paw Paw connect with the same named trains on the Michigan Central Railroad at Lawton, going east and west.  
LEAVE PAW PAW.  
5:00 a. m. Kalamazoo Accommodation, west.  
10:30 a. m. Mail Train, east.  
2:10 p. m. Mail west, and Way Freight east.  
8:15 p. m. Kalamazoo Accommodation, east.  
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**MRS. HOYT.**  
Has just opened a splendid assortment of NEW MILLINERY GOODS, Which she offers at very low figures. Call and she will make prices suit, and show goods that will please you. Rooms over E. Smith & Co.'s, Paw Paw, Nov. 15, 1871.

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Medicines,

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PHYSICIANS PRESCRIPTIONS  
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Carefully Prepared, at all hours of the  
Day or Night.

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A LARGE STOCK AT REDUCED  
PRICES.

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Keeps Constantly on Hand

**Parlor and Chamber Suits,**

LOUNGES, SPRING BEDS, AND  
MATTRESSES.

A large VARIETY of the best QUALITY.

Feathers and Feather Pillows.

HAIRS and ROCKERS of ALL KINDS  
CHILDREN'S HAIR, ARS,  
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Bureaus, Bed-stands, Tables, Etc.

Also the best

**WOOD-SKAT CHAIRS,**

Which for Durability and Finish are WARRANTED Superior to any other in the Market.

Mirrors, Mirror Plates, Picture Frames  
and Moldings.

Always on hand or made to Order. 852 1/2

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A Rare Chance for a Business  
Man with a Small Capital.

ONE-QUARTER OR ONE-HALF INTEREST IN A  
STREAM SAW AND PLANING MILL.

The Store now occupied by John M.  
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The Mill earns a large percentage on  
Capital invested. The Store is now  
under rent of \$350 dollars per year.—  
Possession given immediately.

The above property will be sold cheap and  
on reasonable terms.

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Lawrence, Nov. 8, 1871. 868

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AT

## MELCHOR'S JEWELRY HOUSE!

LADIES & GENTS GOLD WATCHES,  
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LADIES SOLID GOLD OPERA CHAINS,  
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NEW DESIGNS IN NAPKIN RINGS,  
BUTTER KNIVES, FRUIT KNIVES, &c.

IVORY AND STEEL HANDLE  
TABLE AND DESK SET KNIVES,  
HEAVY SILVER PLATED.

FANCY PIERCES IN SILVER,  
PINE MOROCCO CASES.

We guarantee to sell 10 per cent. cheaper than  
any other House in Michigan.

GOODS ENGRAVED FREE OF CHARGE.

## TEAS, FAMILY GROCERIES,

Of very superior quality and in great variety at  
**BUTLER'S.**

Be sure to try them. Prices range from 50c to  
\$1.50 per lb.

At the very lowest prices consistent with a fair  
living profit.

## DIED.

**HENDRICKS.**—At his residence, on Niles street, in this village, on Saturday morning, Jan. 13th, 1872, THOMAS E. HENDRICKS, Esq., aged 69 years.

**Notice.**—All persons are hereby notified and warned against purchasing a certain Note, given August 15th, 1871, by me, signed by myself and Jesse Pearson, for three hundred dollars to Sophia S. Moulton, and payable three years after date with ten per cent. interest, as said note was obtained under false and fraudulent representations. JULIA A. PEARSON. 877 1/2  
January 13th, 1872.

**Notice.**—The Annual meeting of the Van Buren county Medical Society will be held at the office of Dr. J. Andrews, in Paw Paw, on Tuesday, January 23d, at ten A. M. Invalids are invited to attend from one to three P. M. Medical examinations and surgical operations free. J. L. LLOYD'S SECRETARY. Keeler, Dec. 30, 1871.

## Farm for Sale.

A farm of twenty acres, located opposite the Brock School House in the township of Waverly, and that the title hereby notified to be sold, good buildings, well cistern, a never failing spring brook runs through the farm, an orchard of apple, pear, peach, quince and cherry trees and all kinds of small fruits. Terms, easy. Good reasons for selling. Inquire at this office. DANIEL CONGDON. 876 1/2

**Taken Up.**—By the subscriber, at his residence 3/4 mile south of the Scott School House, in the township of Waverly, on or about the twentieth day of October last, one red Bull, nearly two years old. The owner is hereby notified to come and prove property, pay damages and take the animal away. GEORGE KLEIN. Waverly, Jan. 16, 1872.

## PROBATE ORDER.

State of Michigan, County of Van Buren, ss. At a session of the Probate Court, for the County of Van Buren, holden at the Probate Office, in the Village of Paw Paw, on Monday, the fifteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two. Present—Geo. W. Lawton, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Albert C. Cony deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Emily R. Cony, praying that administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is Ordered, that Monday, the twelfth day of February, 1872, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, 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 Paw Paw, 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 the Order to be published in the True Northerner a newspaper, printed and circulating in said County of Van Buren for three successive weeks, at or about, previous to said day of hearing. 877 1/2  
GEO. W. LAWTON, Judge of Probate.  
A true copy. G. W. LAWTON, Judge of Probate.

**MORTGAGE SALE.**—Defendant having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, executed by Edwin S. Clark, Sheriff of Van Buren County, Michigan, to Carlton Wheeler of the same residence, and which said mortgage bears date the fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Van Buren Michigan on the seventeenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, in Liber W of mortgages on page five hundred and seventy, and upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice, the sum of three hundred and forty three dollars and forty-seven cents (\$343.47) and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that on Saturday the twentieth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two at the hour of twelve o'clock (noon) of said day, I shall sell at public auction, or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Van Buren county court house, in the village of Paw Paw, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the amount then due on such mortgage, and the notes accompanying the same, with the interest and legal costs, together with an attorney fee of thirty (\$30) dollars, covenanted for thereon in case any proceeding should be had to enforce the same, and to say, the following described parcel of land lying and being in the County of Van Buren Michigan, viz: Village lot five (5) in Block O in the village of Decatur Van Buren county State of Michigan. Dated Jan. 17th, 1872. W. H. TUCKER, Mortgagee.  
W. H. TUCKER, Attorney for Mortgagee.

**FOR SALE.**  
I offer my House and two lots on Niles street for sale cheap, or will exchange it for other property. House as good as new; substantially built and well finished. Good cellar, also, a good well and cistern, with pumps in each. Good out-buildings and all in the best of order. Location desirable. Terms easy. Apply to J. M. SEIVOS, Paw Paw Mills. Paw Paw, Jan. 2, 1872. 875 1/2

The largest stock, the best assorted and the finest quality of Dry Goods, notions, Boots & Shoes, Hats & Caps, ever offered in this market at the lowest prices, at Selick's. 842

We propose to keep the largest stock and make the lowest prices in all Paw and Millinery Goods now being shown at Selick's. 842

**TEA, TEA, TEA, TEA.**  
Those who enjoy a good cup of Tea are heretofore informed that a choice article of Japan Tea can be had at the Grocery Store of W. H. Giddens, which will be sure to give satisfaction to all lovers of that beverage. 845.

**AVOID QUACKS.**  
A victim of early indiscretion, causing nervous debility, premature decay, &c., having tried in vain every advertised remedy, has discovered a simple means of self-cure, which he will send free to his fellow-sufferers. J. H. REEVES, 75 Nassau-st., New York. 855 1/2

**WANTED!**  
TEN GOOD MEN for Sewing Machine Agents. Call on, or Address—JOHN GALLAGAN, Agent Wheeler & Wagon's M. Co., 176 1/2 103 Main street, Kalamazoo, Mich. 876 1/2

**E. G. BUTLER**  
Has revised his prices and will sell all kinds of

## The Ancient Egyptians.

The most remarkable and grandest relics of civilization, are to be found in the land of Egypt—a land so ancient, that, even in the early days of Greece, it was considered to be of wondrous and remote antiquity. Some works, which excited the wonder and admiration of former ages, are now lost to mankind, having been buried beneath the shifting sands of the desert, or gradually overwhelmed by the alluvion yearly deposited by the Nile. Among these is the famous Labyrinth, described by Herodotus, and situated near Lake Meris, itself a wonderful work of human labor and ingenuity. This remarkable structure contained five hundred rooms above the surface of the ground, and three thousand beneath it, devoted to the reception of the sacred mummies of kings, crocodiles, and other objects of Egyptian veneration. It was so artfully contrived that a person ignorant of the clue might wander for days in its vast recesses, and perhaps never emerge.

The pyramids, the most stupendous structures ever erected by man, still remain, almost uninjured by time or by repeated attempts to demolish them. The erection of one of them is said to have cost the labor of an hundred thousand men for twenty years. It covers the surface of eleven acres, and rises nearly to the height of five hundred feet. In its immediate neighborhood is the Sphinx, a colossal half-human figure, crouching in the sand, carved from the solid rock, and more than a hundred feet in length.

The ruins of Thebes, situated about five hundred miles from the mouth of the Nile, have always excited the most enthusiastic admiration. The circumference of the ancient city was twenty-seven miles, and the structures which still remain, though vayed by successive conquerors, and exposed to the elements for thousands of years are unequalled by any in the world. The great temple is a quarter of a mile in length, and with its avenues and adjoining buildings, covers many hundred acres of ground. The immense statue of Ozymandias, now thrown from its pedestal, lies upon the ground. Its size may be imagined from the fact that the breadth of the shoulders is twenty-six feet. Two other figures, each in a posture, and about fifty two feet in height, still retain their places; one of them being the celebrated Memnon, which was accustomed to salute the rising sun with a single note of music. In the neighborhood are tombs excavated in the solid rock, so magnificent as to appear like temples; one of which, being opened by the traveler Belzoni, was discovered to be that of Pharaoh Necho, who took Jerusalem, the captive Hebrews being portrayed upon the wall. At the island of Philae, farther up, is another assemblage of stupendous temples, palaces, and monuments; and in many other places along the Nile, there still remains splendid memorials of the power and magnificence of the ancient Egyptians.

These ruins are, for the most part covered with figures and hieroglyphics (sacred sculpture), which tell the history of their founders with various degrees of clearness and obscurity. Often the entire series of events of a battle or conquest are sculptured in succession, and the nation of the captives are often distinguished by their features and costumes.

A species of hieroglyphics, and for many ages untranslatable, was at last deciphered by the ingenuity of Young, Champollion, and other eminent antiquarians. It consisted of a kind of alphabet, each letter or sound being represented by some object whose initial commences with it; and from this rude beginning is supposed to have sprung the more improved method of writing which Cadmus carried with him to Greece, and which was there perfected into nearly our present system of letters.

These mystical inscriptions, so ingeniously deciphered, have thrown much light on the chronology and history of Egypt, and have confirmed the truth of statements in the ancient writings of Manetho, which had heretofore been considered fabulous. There is also little doubt that the present system of arithmetical numbers, for which we are indebted to the Saracens, was by them derived from that of the Egyptians.

Learning and the sciences appear to have been pursued with great diligence; and the education of an ancient philosopher was hardly considered complete, until he had voyaged to Egypt, and received from the lips of the priests some portion of their traditional lore—"all the wisdom of Egypt."

Anatomy, medicine, and surgery were particularly studied; and the prodigious structures, which still remain, indicate a high knowledge of mathematical and mechanical sciences. Their histories, though now lost to mankind, were perused with deep interest by ancient writers, and served as models for the many valuable records of Grecian history which we now possess. A library existed at Thebes even before the Trojan war; and the national reputation for learning was revived at a later day by the celebrated collection at Alexandria.

No people appear to have paid more attention to the funeral rites and the preservation of their bodies. A talent of silver (\$2,500) was often expended upon the last offices of the upper classes; and the tombs excavated in the solid rocks are innumerable, and wrought with inconceivable labor. The body itself, swathed in numerous bandages, and embalmed in

fragrant gums and spices, was deposited in cases, often curiously adorned with incidents in the life of their tenant. Although great numbers of these mummies have been, for many ages, wantonly destroyed, it is said that many millions still remain in the extensive catacombs which line the banks of the Nile.

A singular custom prevailed, on occasion of the death of any distinguished personage, was placed by the shore of the nearest lake, with a boat in waiting to carry him across. Two-and-forty judges, seated on the bank, listened to any criminal accusations which might be preferred against his former life; and if these were substantiated, the cherished rites of sepulture were denied to him—a doom far more grievous to the Egyptian mind, than any punishment while living. If the charges were not proved, a heavy punishment awaited the accuser. So much attention was bestowed upon the final disposal of the remains of humanity, that some one had said that the Egyptians passed their lives in preparing to be buried.

All nations are represented here. There is no better place to observe the panorama of Cairo life than from the front piazza of Shepherd's Hotel, which is well protected from the sun by an awning. It seemed as if a great kaleidoscope was hung up before our eyes, and that through it we saw at every glance a constant succession of new scenes that interested us from their novelty. Dancing dogs, performing monkeys, jugglers of every description, donkeys and donkey boys, splendid carriages with outsiders, liveried footmen and Arab runners in their turn amused us. There were also men of every shade of color, or every complexion, the Copt, the Bedouin, the Nubian, the full-blooded Negro, the Jew, the Greek, the Barbarian, the Turk, the Syrian, the Frenchman, the Englishman, each constituting a distinctive type, so far as the outward manifestation of the characteristics that distinguish his own race from that of others is concerned; each bearing in his own bosom the prejudices that belong "per se" to his own nation; never amalgamating nor assimilating to those with whom he comes in daily contact.

Some of the first things that strike the eye are the mosques, with their tall and graceful minarets, so slender and delicate that it almost seems as if a hard wind would blow them down. As the Cathedrals are to Italy, so are the Mosques to the East. They are, for "the faithful," fitting places where they assemble daily and practice their devotions. They are sacred shrines, and so sacred that many of them were shut to all but the faithful, until within a few years. Now a silver key will unlock their doors, and provided the shoes that have been worn in the streets are removed, all can at the present time gain admittance, but not to their regular services. At these all are excluded but the Moslems; and as in their eyes the Moslems are the only real candidates for Paradise, it would be a profanation to allow the outside world to sit in solemn assemblies and hear the Koran read. There are no bells on the minarets, hence the Muezzin, from the upper, outward gallery of the minaret, in his loud, shrill voice, calls the people to prayer.

There are about four hundred mosques, in Cairo. It would be a matter of surprise to see so many mosques at the East, if we did not know that Mahomet encouraged his wealthy followers to build as many mosques as possible, promising that every one who should build a mosque on earth should have one in Paradise, covered with diamonds, and filled with all kinds of precious stones, and that the builders should be crowned with eternal happiness. The tombs and mosques of the Mameluke kings, called by some the Tombs of the Caliphs, were formerly magnificent, but are now rather dilapidated.

The Citadel itself is an interesting place to visit. It is on an eminence overlooking the city and the surrounding country, hence the view from it is very grand and imposing. The fertile land of Goshen is on one side; and the Pyramids on the other, with the River Nile in the distance, and the Great Arabian Desert lies beyond. There are high walls and massive gates to the Citadel, and it is well fortified. An enemy who should gain possession of its heights could at once send shot and shell into Cairo. It was here that the well-known tragedy was enacted by Mahomet Ali, one of the boldest, cruellest, and most efficient of all the Pashas that have governed Egypt. He became jealous of the Mamelukes, who had ruled Egypt previous to his accession. Though they manifested friendship for him, I suppose he judged them by himself; and as he resorted to every measure to remove all the obstacles that came in his pathway, he secretly feared they might consider that he was in their way; so he invited them to a sumptuous dinner to celebrate the departure of his son, Toussan, who was setting out on a warlike expedition to exterminate some of their enemies. These unsuspecting Mamelukes came—gaily attired in their gayest colors, with their noble horses, equally adorned with their rich caparisons. After the feast was ended and they prepared to depart, they found the outer gates locked. Then there crept into their bosoms a cold tremor—that a snare had been laid for them was evident, and soon apparent, for a signal being given, there was an indiscriminate massacre of these gallant men; and every one perished, save Emin Bey, who found a breach in the wall, and with an insane desire for life,

gave what might seem to him a death-leap with his horse down the yawning precipice. Strange to say, though the horse was killed, the interpid Mameluke survived. Mahomet Ali, not satisfied with doing his work by halves, had all their families remain in the extensive catacombs which line the banks of the Nile.

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