$6,300.00 *IN PRIZES!*

RODENBAUGH'S

GIFT CONCERT

TO TAKE PLACE AT

Skimming's Brick Hall,

BREEDSVILLE, Mich.,

SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 4, 1874.

One Ticket to Concert.....$ 2.00
Eleven Tickets to Concert.....20.00

LIST OF PRIZES:

One Grand Capital Prize,

Fruit Farm of 107 acres, 75 acres cleared, good Frame House and Barn, bearing Orchard, Grapes and small Fruits, good spring of water, situated three miles east of the flourishing Village of Breedsville.....$4,500 00
2, Grand Prize, Span of Matched Horses and Harness.....350 00
3, Grand Prize, Star Organ.....200 00
4, One Buggy.....150 00
5, Grand Cash Prize.....100 00
6, Domestic Sewing Machine, Wheeler and Wilson.....85 00
7 and 8, Two Colts, two years old, $75 each.....150 00
9, Two-Horse Lumber Wagon.....75 00
10 and 11, Two Cows, $30 each.....60 00
12, Cook Stove and Furniture.....25 00
13, Parlor Stove.....15 00
14, Corn Sheller.....15 00
15, Fanning Mill.....15 00
16, Pair of Bobs.....15 00
17, Bureau.....15 00
18, Farm Plow.....12 00
19 to 29, Ten Cash Prizes, $10 each.....100 00
30, Cauldron Kettle.....10 00
31, Three Log Chains.....10 00
32, Domestic Safe.....8 00
33 and 34, Two Heifers, $6 each.....12 00
35 to 55, Twenty Cash Prizes, $5 each.....100 00
56 to 57, Two Tables, $7.50 each.....15 00
58 and 59, Two Double Shovel Plows, $5 each.....10 00
60 to 72, Twelve Head of Hogs, $5 each.....60 00
73, Butterfly Drag.....5 00
74 and 75, Two sets of Chairs, $4 each.....8 00
76 to 115, Forty Cash Prizes, $2 each.....80 00
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Two Hundred and Sixteen Prizes, Amounting to $6,300 00

☞ ONLY THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED TICKETS WILL BE SOLD.

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Every Ticket Holder will be entitled to Admission to the Concert, and any Prize that may be awarded to them.

The party entitled to the Farm will have a Warranty Deed free, and clear from all encumbrances.

The Ticket Holders present shall appoint a Committee to see that the Drawing is conducted fairly and properly.

This Concert is to be one of the

Grandest Musical Concerts of the Season.

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To whom liberal commissions will be paid on Tickets sold.

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TICKETS FOR SALE AT

RICHARDSON & DUNCOMBE, PAW PAW.

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 thirteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four: Present, Geo. W. Lawton, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Smith Banks, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Nathaniel B. Banks, setting forth that he is a brother of said deceased and praying for reasons therein set forth that this court determine and ascertain who are the heirs of said deceased pursuant to chapter 156 of the Compiled Laws for 1871, of Michigan. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the eleventh day of May, 1874, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that all 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 this order to be published in the True Northerner, a newspaper, printed and circulating in said County of Van Buren, for three successive weeks, at least previous to said day of hearing.

GEO. W. LAWTON, Judge of Probate.
(A true copy.) GEO. W. LAWTON,
99x13. Judge of Probate.

Chancery Sale.—State of Michigan, the Circuit Court for Van Buren County. In Chancery. Latham Hall, Complainant, vs. Henry Lemon, Mary E. Lemon and Horace S. Lemon, Defendants. In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of said Court in the above cause bearing date March 31, A. D., 1874, I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in Paw Paw, in said Van Buren County, on the 30th day of May, A. D., 1874, at 12 o'clock, noon of said day, the following described real estate situated in the County of Van Buren, and State of Michigan, viz: The north half (½) of section number thirty-four (34) in township two (2) south, of range fourteen (14) west, containing three hundred and twenty (320) acres of land, more or less. Also the south half (½) of lot number nineteen (19) in block fifty-two (52) in the village of Paw Paw, according to the recorded plat thereof all in Van Buren County, Michigan.

Dated April 16th, 1874.
JOHN J. SHERMAN,
Circuit Court Commissioner.
HAWES, EDSON & ANSABLE,
994t7. Solicitors for Complainant.

Guardian Sale.—Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the Probate Court for the County of Van Buren, dated March 23d, 1874, I shall sell at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, in Paw Paw, in said County, at one o'clock P. M., on the sixteenth day of May, 1874, all the right, title and interest of Arvilla Tyler, Eliza Southworth, Hattie Southworth, minors, of in and to the following described real estate situate in the County of Van Buren, and State of Michigan, known and described as the undivided three-fourths of the south-east quarter of the south-west quarter of section sixteen in township three south, of range fourteen west, containing forty acres more or less.

Dated Paw Paw, March 31st, 1874.
JOHN LYLE,
992t7 Guardian for said Minors.

Ladies Take Notice.

By sending eighty cents to C. B. Smolk, Paw Paw, Mich., he will send you by return mail four different width Hemmers and Binder complete. The Binder will bind Scollops and Bias binding better than any other. They are so arranged that they fit any Sewing Machine. Send for one and if they don't suit, I will cheerfully refund your money. 992t3

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Chills and Fever, Dumb Ague, Bilious Fever, Jaundice, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Indigestion, Constipation, Loss of Appetite, Depression of Spirits, Pain in the Back, Neuralgia, Nervousness, Diarrhœa, Dizziness, Pain in the Limbs, Billious Colic. Cleanses the Stomach and Purifies the Blood.

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NOTICE.

U. S. Internal Revenue

SPECIAL TAXES.

May 1, 1874, to April 30, 1875.

The LAW of December 24, 1873, requires every person engaged in any business, occupation, or employment which renders him liable to a SPECIAL TAX, to Procure and Place Conspicuously in his Establishment or Place of Business a STAMP denoting the payment of said SPECIAL TAX for the Special Tax year beginning May 1, 1874, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1874.

The Taxes Embraced Within the Provisions of the Law Above Quoted are the Following, viz:

Rectifiers	$200.00
Dealers, retail liquor	25.00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100.00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50.00
Dealers in malt liquors, retail	20.00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25.00
Retail dealers in leaf tobacco	500.00
And on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1000.	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5.00
Manufacturer of stills	50.00
And for each still manufactured	20.00
And for each worm manufactured	20.00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10.00
Manufacturers of cigars	10.00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class (more than two horses)	50.00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two horses)	25.00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class (one horse)	15.00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyance)	10.00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50.00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100.00

Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to

LEVI T. BULL, Collector of Internal Revenue at Constantine, Mich., or to
WILLIAM W. PECK, Deputy Collector Kalamazoo, Mich.,

and pay for and procure the Special Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1874, and Without Further Notice. 993t3

J. W. DOUGLASS Comm'r of Int. Rev.

OFFICE OF INTERNAL REVENUE.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10, 1874.

Mortgage Sale.—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, executed by Henry Hooker, of Kalamazoo County, in the State of Michigan, to Gilbert Mitchell, of said County and State, bearing date, the eighteenth day of September, A. D., eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Van Buren, in said State of Michigan, on the fifth day of February, A. D., eighteen hundred and seventy-two, in Liber one of mortgages, on page 562, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of One Hundred and Sixty-two dollars and twenty-five cents, ($162.25) being the first instalment of principal and all interest and no suit or proceedings at law, having been instituted to recover any part thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given, that on Thursday the eleventh day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, (sale to take place at the front door of the Van Buren County Circuit 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 due on such mortgage, with ten per cent interest, and legal costs, together with an Attorney fee of fifty dollars, covenanted for therein,) that is to say, the following piece or parcel of land, situated in Van Buren County, in the State of Michigan, viz: The south-west quarter of the north-west quarter of section twenty-two (22) in township one (1) south of range sixteen (16) west, containing forty acres more or less. 989t13

Dated, Kalamazoo, March 12th, A. D. 1874.
GILBERT MITCHELL, Mortgagee.
E. & J. D. Burns, Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, whereby the power therein contained has become operative, executed by Thomas Robbins and Grace Robbins, his wife, of Van Buren county, Michigan, to A. R. Wildy, and bearing date the fifteenth day of December, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Van Buren county, Michigan, on the seventeenth day of May, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, at one o'clock in the afternoon, in Liber N of Mortgages, on page two hundred and fifteen, (215) upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of One Hundred and Twenty Dollars and Thirty-three cents, and no suit at law or proceedings in equity having been had for the recovery of the same or any part thereof.

Notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale, contained in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, I shall sell at public sale or vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Van Buren county Court House, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within and for said county) on Saturday, the second day of May, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, at the hour of ten o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with the interest and legal costs, together with an attorney fee of ten dollars, stipulated for in said mortgage—that is to say, the following described piece of land situated in the township of Arlington, of Van Buren county, and State of Michigan, to-wit: The west half, (w½) of the south half, (s½) of the south-west quarter, (sw¼) of section number three, (3) in township number two (2) south, of range number fifteen (15) west. 989t13

Dated Paw Paw, Feb. 2, 1874.
A. R. WILDY, Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage (whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative) executed by Stephen W. Hale and Caroline L. Hale, his wife, of Van Buren county, in the State of Michigan, to Fanny E. Waterman, of Detroit, in said State, bearing date the third day of May, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the county of Van Buren, in said State of Michigan, on the seventh day of May, A. D. eighteen hundred and seventy, in Liber two of mortgages, on page seventy-four, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of fifty-four hundred and one dollars ($5401.00) and no suit or proceedings at law, having been instituted to recover any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given, that on Tuesday, the seventh day of July next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, (sale to take place at the front door of the Van Buren County Circuit 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 due on such mortgage, with ten per cent interest, and legal costs, together with an attorney fee of fifty dollars, covenanted for therein, that is to say, the following piece or parcel of land, situated in Van Buren county, in the State of Michigan, viz: The north-west quarter of section three (3), and the east fractional half of the north-east quarter of section four (4), in township two (2), south of range thirteen (13) west, containing in all two hundred and twelve acres, more or less. 992t13

Dated Detroit, April 1, A. D. 1874.
FANNY E. WATERMAN, Mortgagee.
J. W. WATERMAN, Atty for Mortgagee.

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 thirteth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four: Present—Geo. W. Lawton, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of George Wickens, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John Lyle, administrator of the estate of said deceased, praying for reasons therein set forth for license to sell the real estate of which said deceased died possessed and of said petition described—Thereupon it is Ordered, that Monday, the fourth day of May, 1874 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that all 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 this Order to be published in the True Northerner, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Van Buren, for four successive weeks, at least previous to said day of hearing. 992t3

GEO. W. LAWTON, Judge of Probate.
A true copy. G. W. Lawton, Judge of Probate.

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 thirteth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four: Present—George W. Lawton, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of William Young, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Jonathan Young, praying that an instrument herein filed and purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to Probate and that letters testamentary thereof may be granted to himself, executor in said instrument named. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the twenty-seventh day of April, 1874, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that all 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 this Order to be published in the True Northerner, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Van Buren, for three successive weeks, at least, previous to said day of hearing. 992t3

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One Fine-toned Rosewood Pianos, $550!
Ten Family Sewing Machines, worth $100 each!
Five Gold Watches & Chains, worth $300 each!
Five Good American Hunting Watches, worth $125 each!
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800 Gold and Silver Lever Hunting Watches in all, worth from $20 to $300 each!
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Number of Gifts $5,001. Tickets limited to 60,000!

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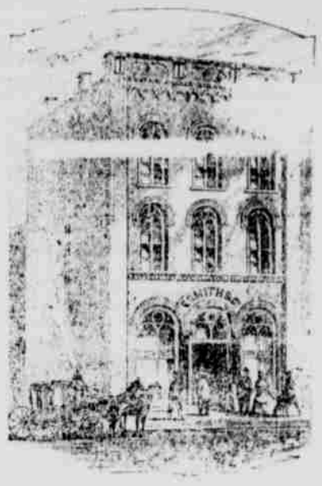

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I've gone about the work with a determination of disposing of a larger amount of

DRY GOODS,

Ready-Made Clothing

BOOTS & SHOES,

Than was ever retailed by any one concern in the same length of time in the city of Paw Paw.

LOW PRICES

is to be the weapon used. And through the instrumentality of this and the enterprise of the never-tiring hand of its principal, the work has been commenced and shall be carried on upon a magnificent scale, beyond peradventure to mistake. Having the requisite facilities at hand which are particularly desirable at the present day, to compete with an establishment like this, and so much needed by the man of BUSINESS, with every possible advantage at my command, not even a people to obstruct or to mar my course, I once more

Set The Ball In Motion,

and relying upon my past experience and present knowledge in the business and the good sense of a discerning public for my future weal or woe. It will be my purpose this Fall to exhibit a large attractive and commanding stock of Goods, such as will suit the special wants of the trade, and to dispose of them in every instance in such a manner as will reflect credit upon myself

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As will attract attention, excite admiration and draw the public from every quarter to this noted establishment, the

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"Well, Mr. Jones!" said neighbor Brown,
I'll start this very day for town,
And get a pair of Boots for me,
And also shoe my family.

So Bill you go and harness Doll,
And straight to town will go, by gol,
And stop in front of SMITH'S Store
Where the Boots hang o'er the door.

Bill always does what father tells,
He harnessed Doll and put on Bells,
And in they piled young ones and all,
Crack went the whip and off went Doll.

Doll had been living on high feed,
And started at her fastest speed,
And took Brown and his family straight,
To Paw Paw at two-forty gait,

Whoa, Whoa, old Doll, Bill cried out when
They got to Main Street, Number Ten,
And out they jumped in front the door,
of Poet Smith's Mammoth Store.

In they went with an awful swell,
"Good morning, hope to find you well,
Said Brown as he and his young drove
Advanced to warm them at the stove.

My neighbor Jones brought me the news
How cheap you sold your Boots and Shoes,
So I resolved to come and buy
Of you my winter's full supply.

To shoe the tribe, Smith began,
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And then the young Brown's little feet,
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The news soon spread the county round,
That just the place at length was found
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—Remember where you can buy Coats' Thread for 5 cts. a spool.

Respectfully, Yours,
SMITH & CO

Mortgage Sale.—Default having been made in the payment of a certain sum of money secured to be paid by indenture of mortgage, bearing date the 22d day of March, A. D., 1866, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative: which said mortgage was executed by Andrew J. Nowlin and Phebe Nowlin, his wife, of Van Buren County, Michigan, to Thomas G. Pray, of Albion, in the State of Michigan, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Van Buren aforesaid, on the 28th day of March, A. D., 1866, in Liber P, of mortgages, on page 424, and on which said mortgage and note accompanying the same there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of seven hundred eighty-seven dollars and thirty-six cents ($787.36) and also an attorney's fee of fifty dollars, provided for in said mortgage, in case any proceedings were had to foreclose the same; and whereas no proceedings at law having been instituted for the recovery of the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, Notice, therefore, is hereby given, that by virtue of a power of sale in said mortgage contained, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the premises therein described, to-wit: The north-west quarter (¼) of the south-west quarter (¼) of section No. ten (10) town one (1) south of range fourteen (14) west, in the State of Michigan, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Paw Paw, in the County of Van Buren aforesaid, on the 15th day of July, A. D., 1874, at one o'clock, P. M., of said day. 995t13

Dated April 15th, 1874.
THOMAS G. PRAY, Mortgagee.
THOMAS BURKE, Attorney.

Sale. This Sale.—By virtue of a writ of execution issued out of and under the Seals of the Circuit Court for the County of Van Buren, and State of Michigan, and to me directed and delivered, against the goods and chattles, lands and tenements of Henry Hinkley the defendant therein named, and in favor of Sophia S. Moulton, plaintiff, and bearing date the twenty-fourth day of January, A. D. 1874, I did on the thirtieth day of January A. D. 1874, seize and leavy upon all the right title and interest of said Henry Hinkley, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit. The north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section twenty, in town four south of range fourteen west, and containing forty acres of land, more or less, according to the United States survey thereof, which I shall expose to public sale at auction or vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Van Buren County Court House, in the Village of Paw Paw, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of Saturday the second day of May, A. D. 1874, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution, together with the interest and legal costs allowed by law.

Dated March 18th, 1874. 990t7.
JOHN E. SHOWERMAN, Sheriff.

Mortgage Sale.—Notice is hereby given that the sum of four hundred fifty-four dollars and sixty-six cents (454.66) is the amount claimed to be due at the date of this notice on certain mortgage bearing date the eighteenth day of November, A. D. 1870, made and executed by Eugene D. Conger, and Francis G. Conger, mortgagors, to Priscilla C. Napier, mortgagee; that said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Van Buren County, State of Michigan, on the thirteenth day of December, A. D., 1870, in Liber 5, of mortgages on page 290; and that said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Priscilla C. Napier, to Nelson W. Napier, on the eighteenth day of May, A. D., 1871, and that said assignment was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for said County of Van Buren, on the twenty eighth day of November, A. D. 1871, in Liber No. 2, of mortgages on page 408, and that no proceedings have been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. In pursuance and by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and of the statute in such case made and provided, the premises described in said mortgage, and situated in the County of Van Buren, in the State of Michigan, to-wit: Lots numbers twelve (12) thirteen (13) fourteen (14) and fifteen (15) of Block number one (1) of Dyckman and Woodman's addition to the village of South Haven, according to the recorded plat of said addition, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the hour of one o'clock, on Wednesday, the seventeenth day of June, A. D., 1874, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Paw Paw, in said County of Van Buren, by the sheriff of said County, to satisfy the amount that will then be due on said mortgage, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, and the attorney fee mentioned in said mortgage.

Dated March 18, 1874.
NELSON W. NAPIER, Assignee.
Wm. R. Lyon, Att'y for Assignee.
990t13 St. Joseph, Mich.

Mortgage Sale.—Default having been made in the payment of a certain indenture of mortgage, bearing date the thirtieth day of October, A. D., 1871, executed by Malery H. Myers and his wife, Lucinda M. Myers, of the township of Waverly, Van Buren county, State of Michigan, to Wm. R. Hawkins, of Paw Paw, Michigan, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Van Buren county, State of Michigan, in Liber No. 5, on page 547, on the thirty-first day of October, A. D., 1871, and the amount claimed to be due thereon, at the date of this notice, being five hundred and twenty-eight dollars and forty-four cents, including an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars, provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the amount now due and unpaid, and secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof: now, therefore, notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage, there will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Saturday, the (9th) Ninth day of May, A. D., 1874, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Paw Paw, in said County of Van Buren, State of Michigan, at twelve o'clock noon of said day, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due upon and secured to be paid by said mortgage, with interest and cost, said premises being described as follows, to-wit: the south-east quarter of the south-east quarter of section twenty-eight, in township one south of range No. fourteen west.

Dated February, 19th, 1874. 985t13
WM. R. HAWKINS, Mortgagee.

Mortgage Sale.—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, executed by Leander Devall, and Sarah Devall, his wife, of Van Buren County, in the State of Michigan, to Charles Davenport, of the State of New York, bearing date, the twenty-fourth day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Van Buren, in said State of Michigan, on the twenty-eighth day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, in Liber X of mortgages, on page 411, upon which mortgage there is claimed be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of Two Hundred and Seventy-nine dollars ($279.00) and no suit or proceedings at law, having been instituted to recover any part thereof Notice is therefore hereby given, that on Thursday the eleventh day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, (sale to take place at the front door of the Van Buren County Circuit 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 due on such mortgage, with ten per cent interest, and legal costs, together with an Attorney fee of fifty dollars, covenanted for therein,) that is to say, the following piece or parcel of land, situated in Van Buren County, in the State of Michigan, viz: The south-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section twenty (20) in Town-ship one (1) south of range fifteen (15) west, containing forty acres more or less. 980t13

Dated, Kalamazoo, March 12th, A. D. 1874.
CHARLES DAVENPORT, Mortgagee.
E. & J. D. BURNS, Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Farm for Sale.

A Farm of eighty acres, with sixty acres under cultivation, situated five miles from Decatur and one and one-half miles east of Nesbitt's mills in the township of Hamilton. The land is timbered, opening and good wheat land.—There are comfortable buildings, a small orchard, and good well of water on the premises.

This Farm will be sold for thirty five dollars per acre. For further particulars enquire on the premises of

992 ELI G. HINCHER.