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Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Millinery, Etc.—Sellick.

W. J. & R. SELLICK,

OFFER THIS WEEK THE FOLLOWING AT VERY LOW PRICES:

LONSDALE Bleached Cotton per yard, - - - 10c
BLACKSTONE, A A Cotton, per yd. - - - 9c
LAKE GEORGE, A Brown Cotton - - - - 6c
LAWRENCE, L L Brown Cotton, - - - 6 1-2c
FINER GOODS, EQUALLY LOW.

Handsome Prints 4 1-2 cents up.

AMERICAN A BAGS, - - - - - - 20c
STARK A BAGS, - - - - - - - 24c
CARPET WARP, BEST, - - - - - - 22c

AN ELEGANT LINE OF
NEW DRESS GOODS
JUST OPENED, AT BOTTOM PRICES.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE
FAMOUS BREWSTER BOOT

LOOK AT OUR 1 DOLLAR SHAWLS.

BURT'S, GRAY BROS'. & ATWILL'S FINE SHOES, ALL AT POPULAR PRICES.

CLOTHING, CLOTHING, AWAY DOWN:

LADIES' LINEN ULSTERS at - $1.00 and $1.25,
WORTH, - - - - - $1.25 and $1.75.
LADIES' SLIPPERS, and all SUMMER GOODS, at COST.

Mammoth & Medium CLOVER & TIMOTHY SEED
LOWER THAN THE LOWEST.

COME AND SEE US. Resp. Yours,
W. J. & R. SELLICK.

Sherman & Avery—Clothing.

A LARGE LINE OF SUMMER SILKS
JUST RECEIVED AT
SHERMAN & AVERY'S.
ALL THE LATEST STYLES!
PRICE ONLY FIFTY CENTS PER YARD.
Sherman & Avery.

R. W. BROUGHTON'S.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We have made the surrounding country black with Shoe Signs.

We have advertised our Shoe Department so extensively, that many have been led to believe that we deal exclusively in Boots and Shoes. This is not quite so, our Hat Department is complete.

We have in our Furnishing Department, latest novelties in Neck-Wear, Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Gents' Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, etc., and we are now engaged in receiving and opening our Fall and Winter Stock of

DRY GOODS,

Ladies' and Misses' Hosiery, Underwear, etc.

We are prepared to give our patrons the very lowest prices, and expect to have a lively time this Fall if

Small Profits and a Large Stock

will make it.

☞ When you come to Paw Paw, drop in and see that we do sell something besides foot-wear.

☞ Read all quotations, then save money by buying at

Broughton's Wide-awake Store

LANDRETHS' PEDIGREE SEEDS
ESTABLISHED NINETY-EIGHT YEARS

SEEDS For the MERCHANT on our New Plan SEEDS
SEEDS For the MARKET GARDENER SEEDS
For the PRIVATE FAMILY
Grown by ourselves on our own Farms

☞ Handsome Illustrated Catalogue and Rural Register FREE TO ALL.
MERCHANTS, SEND US YOUR BUSINESS CARDS FOR TRADE LIST.

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Local and Business Notices.

Mrs. R. Town, Fashionable Dress-Maker. Cutting done in a superior manner by the Tailor System. Does all kinds of Dress-Making. All work done satisfactorily. Farm produce taken in exchange for work. Rooms, Geo. Ocobock residence. 1397

HORSE TRAINING.

Having had several years experience in handling colts, I am prepared to train colts to be driven either single or double. Ugly and vicious horses made kind.
WILBER BABCOCK.
Paw Paw, Mich. 1424tf

FARM FOR SALE.

100 acres, 80 acres improved, 2½ miles north-west of Decatur, known as the T. B. Irwin place. Will sell very cheap. Apply to John Ward, Cassopolis, or Wm. Lee, Decatur. o-1434*
JOHN WARD.

STEAM ENGINE FOR SALE.

I have a good ten-horse-power portable steam engine, and a 24 flue boiler for sale. All in good order. I will sell cheap for cash. Enquire of H. E. ROWLAND,
Lawrence, Mich.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.

M. F. Miner & Son, having added a new Bolting Cloth and Purifier to the Almena Mills, most respectfully solicit your patronage, as they are now prepared to do your work as well and as promptly as any mill in the county. Satisfaction guaranteed.
1370tf] M. F. MINER & SON.

Will you please step in at No. 11 Kalamazoo St. and examine my Library Lamps of all the different patterns. Ebony and Gold, all Gold with Autumn Leaves' Shades and Plain. E. G. BUTLER.

Try Dr. Faust's German Cough Syrup.

HOUSE PAINTING.

I am prepared to do all kinds of House Painting, GRAINING, Paper-Hanging and SIGN PAINTING, etc. Residence, the house formerly occupied by Peter Gremps, on west side of the river. 1410tf
RAY WHEELER.

W. R. HAWKINS & SON.
BROKERS, NOTARIES PUBLIC, AND CONVEYANCERS.

Money to loan and collections made in all parts of Van Buren County. Remittances promptly made. Office opposite Dyckman House. 1338ly

A GOOD FARM AT A BARGAIN.

I have for sale a good 80 acre farm, 4 miles from Paw Paw, good orchard, buildings and fences, and in good condition. 1430tf
R. O. BEEBE, Paw Paw.

If you are debilitated, feeble or suffering from mental or physical overwork, use Dr. Faust's German Aromatic Wine.
For sale by Duncombe, Stearns & Co.

CRANE & BRECK,
Attorneys at Law. Office over Avery's store, Paw Paw, Michigan. [1411

FOR SALE CHEAP.

One Osborne mower, one Osborne reaper, both as good as new, and one South Bend plow. Enquire of R. O. BEEBE,
18tf Paw Paw, Mich.

J. A. LEECH,
House, Sign and Carriage Painting, Paper-Hanging and Kalsomining done to order. Shop on Gremps St., Paw Paw. 1314

Dr. Faust's German Cure for Neuralgia and Headache.

Call at No. 11 Kalamazoo St. and see as fine a lot of Bird Cages as your eyes ever beheld. E. G. BUTLER.

PICTURES.

Prater is working the new process by which he can take pictures in all kinds of weather. Babies pictures taken almost instantly. First door north of Northerner office. 1399

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A farm of 80 acres with good buildings within 1½ miles of Paw Paw. 26 acres with buildings will be sold separately if desired. o-1445*
For particulars call on
R. O. BEEBE, Paw Paw, Mich.

Call at No. 11, Kalamazoo St. and look at my Luster Band Ware just received.
E. G BUTLER.

LADIES' HAIR-DRESSING ROOMS!

Mrs. F. A. Roberts is now prepared to Shampoo or Dress Ladies' Hair in latest styles. She also manufactures Saratoga Waves and Switches. Hair combings rooted and made into Waves and Switches in finest style. All work warranted. Genuine Hair Nets for sale.

Rooms over L. R. Roberts' barber shop, in the Granger block, Paw Paw. 1372tf

FOR SALE

At a bargain and on easy terms the J. M. Crane place next to G. W. Longwell's. Will be sold at less than two-thirds its value. Enquire of L. Crane or M. DeGraff. 26tf

GO WEST! GO WEST!

For sale at a bargain, in cash or in exchange for good real estate in Van Buren county, 160 acres of choice prairie land, one mile from the village of Malcolm, a railroad station on the B. & M. R. R., and only ten miles from Lincoln, the Capital of Neb., a rapidly growing city of 20,000 inhabitants. At Lincoln is located, in addition to the State Capitol, the State University, Agricultural College, State Prison and Insane Asylum. Enquire of A. H. HERRON,
1418tf At Probate Office in Paw Paw.

AUCTION! AUCTION!

To all parties wishing the services of an Auctioneer. I am prepared to make Farm Sales at reasonable rates 1338tf
H. W. McCABE, Paw Paw, Mich.

THE PAST HAS PROVEN THEM, the present sustains them, and the future can but confirm them as the best—Rinehart's Worm Lozenges

STILL THEY COME!—Customers daily increasing for Rinehart's Liver Pills. Sales enormous. Try them. Only one for a dose. Sample dose free.
For sale by Duncombe, Stearns & Co.

THE FAMOUS LUCAS CHAIR,

So well known throughout this county, and which has stood the test for the past quarter of a century, is manufactured and sold *only by me*, bogus advertisements to the contrary, notwithstanding. My *old* stock was sold to Osborne. GEO. LUCAS.

B. S. PALMER, DENTIST.

Successor to C. W. Ward. Office, corner of Main and Kalamazoo streets, Paw Paw, Mich. Dental work at reasonable rates. All operations warranted. 1432tf

NEW BARBER SHOP.

I desire to inform the citizens of Paw Paw and vicinity, that I have opened a new Barber Shop under the Dyckman House, where I shall be pleased to see my old friends and customers, or any others who desire work in my line. 1432tf
H. EWERS.

C. A. HARRISON,
Attorney at Law. Office in the Court House Paw Paw, Mich. 1413

Lost or stolen from the possession of the undersigned, on or about the 23d of May, a promissory note given by Z. B. Langley to Arter Hanold for $300, of date February 3d, 1882, and due 5 years from date, with annual interest. All persons are warned not to purchase said note. CAROLINE E. HANOLD,
Executrix Est. of Arter Hanold, deceased.

NOTICE.

112 acres of land for sale. Enquire of Mrs. C. L. Ashley, on the farm one mile north of Paw Paw Fair Grounds. 1434tf

O. P. Morton, Superintendent of Stalls and Forage, would like to receive sealed proposals to Sept. 20th, for three tons of good timothy hay, three tons of good clover hay, and straw by the load for use during the Fair. Proposals to be left with E. L. Warner, Paw Paw.

PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS

Of teachers for Van Buren Co. will be held the ensuing year, as follows: Lawrence, Sept. 1st, Hartford, Sept. 30th, Paw Paw, Oct. 27th, Decatur, Nov. 25th, 1882, South Haven, March 26th, Paw Paw, Friday, March 29th, Keeler, May 26th, Lawrence, June 15th, 1882. 1432tf
HENRY UPTON,
Sec'y Co. Board of School Examiners.

FOR SALE,

By H. A. Rogers, Real Estate and Stock Auctioneer, 2 new milch cows, 5 and 6 years old; 2 yearlings; 1 new lumber wagon.

SHROPSHIRE BUCKS FOR SALE.

I have for sale some very fine Bucks, at my place. [o-36] J. E. ABRAMS, Prospect Lake.

Mrs. Dr. McKinney, of Lawton, offers her plants and racks for sale cheap.

Local Department.

Mr. Jos. Gilman and wife have gone to St. Paul, Minn.

Wm. Welch, son of E. B. Welch, has gone to the Agricultural college.

The colored people of Paw Paw and vicinity, will hold a picnic at Pugsley's Lake, on Thursday, Sept. 21st.

C. A. Harrison will be absent during the greater part of next week, attending to his duties at the State Fair.

John S. Tuckey has removed his family to Charleston, Illinois. We regret to have them go, but wish them success.

Some very fine specimens of penmanship are displayed in the post-office. They were executed by Charles H. Sage.

Dr. Ward has returned from his trip to Colorado. He enjoyed the luxury of snow balling on the 30th day of August.

On the 12th inst., the well known sheep breeder, E. B. Welch, shipped two registered rams to W. B. Woodman, Hillsdale, Mich.

How did that young lady and gent, who were riding in the cemetery grounds last Sunday evening, so late that they were locked in, succeed in getting out?

Myron H. Smith, of Lawton, says that since he advertised his fanning mills in the NORTHERNER, orders come in faster than he can fill them. He has either got to get more help or stop advertising.

J. T. Clapp, Esq., has expended a large amount of money in beautifying his new residence in town, building a new barn, etc. He has one of the finest, most convenient and tasty places in town. He will occupy it in a few days.

On Saturday last, in company with our better-half and another lady, we made a raid on Colum. Engle's peach orchard. Colum. wasn't there, but his peaches were. They were not quite as plenty, however, when we left, as when we first got there.

Judge Lawton reports picking from one of his Early Crawford trees, a peach twelve inches in circumference, weighing 13½ ounces. The peach was perfectly solid, not a split stone. It was delivered to Hon. Henry Ford, for him to sample. This product of the Lawton Fruit Hills, is entitled as far as heard from to be called the "boss peach."

C. C. Searles, and family, have returned from their eastern visit.

Miss Estella Hall died at Mr. Buskirk's on Wednesday last, of scarlet fever, and was buried Thursday.

A. H. Herron speaks on temperance at the Almena church, on Sunday next, (Sept. 17th) at 2:30 in the afternoon.

F. W. Sellick and family have returned home. Mr. S. says he got out of Alexandria, Egypt, just in time to escape the bombardment.

Miss Etta Hopping, who has been spending a short vacation at home, left on Wednesday for Schoolcraft, where she again joins the Leslie Concert Company for another season.

In the store of Duncombe, Stearns & Co. there hangs a gripsack bearing this inscription, "The person who owns this grip is out west *busted*, and can't get back until this is sold for $1.50." Frank is in Aberdeen.

Jay Cumings and R. W. Broughton, both have something interesting to say to their patrons this week. Notice their new double column advertisements. All live business men advertise. They know the value of printers' ink.

Chas. E. Galligan has two of the prettiest four months old Poland China pigs that we ever saw. Charley has trained them to follow him, to lie down or get up, at the word of command, and to execute a variety of evolutions. He will exhibit them at the fair.

One Michigan editor has gone to carpentering and another to peddling soap on street corners.—*Eve. News.* And another is running for the legislature.—*Paw Paw Courier.* Yes, and we expect he will make a better run than a former editor of the same paper did, when running for the same office.

A meeting of the school board of this district was held shortly after the school meeting, and the board was organized by the election of Mr. Richards as director, Mr. Rowland as moderator, and Mr. Longwell as assessor. The board voted to amend the High School course by inserting arithmetic as one of the studies for the first year.

There was a pleasant family gathering at the residence of H. B. Wilson of this village, on Monday last, there being present Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Teed, parents of Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Fisk, her sister, and Mr. Jesse Wilson, father of H. B., with his wife and daughter. The occasion was the —th birthday of Mrs. H. B. Wilson. We know how old she is, but we never tell.

Prof. A. J. Marks will exhibit his mammoth painting of the Holy Land, at the M. E. Church, on Tuesday evening next. His painting covers two hundred square feet. In connection he will deliver a most interesting lecture on this topic. Proceeds for the benefit of the Sabbath School. Children can obtain a handsome picture by selling five full tickets. Admission 20 cts., children 10 cts.

The *Post and Tribune* is one of the very best newspapers in the entire country, and is the foremost paper in this State. Desiring to place a good Republican paper in the hands of as many of the voters of the State as possible, during the campaign, the publishers of that sheet will send their weekly edition to any address, three months for 25 cents. Subscriptions received at Matthews' News Room.

We have received from the publishers a copy of a new musical work, The Peerless, by W. O. Perkins, the well known musical writer. His name is a guaranty that the work is an excellent one. It contains a superior elementary department, and a splendid collection of glees, anthems, etc. For convention and choir it is unexcelled. The book is published by O. Ditson & Co., N. Y., and Lyon & Healy, Chicago, from whom it can be obtained.

The finest peach we ever saw, without exception, was one left on our table last Monday by Mr. Columbus Engle. It was of a new variety, originated by himself, which he has named "President Lyon." This specimen measured 9¾ inches, by 10½ inches in circumference and weighed 8½ ounces. It was very highly colored, very smooth and perfect in form, and best of all, its flavor was equal to its appearance. Mr. Engle is budding largely from this variety.

At a regular meeting of the Paw Paw Fire Department, on Thursday evening, Sept. 7th, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year, viz:

Chief Engineer.....	A. W. Showerman.
1st Asst. Chief.....	A. F. Hayes.
2nd " "	E. A. Blackman.
Secretary,.....	Wm. Snow.
Treasurer,.....	Ed. Phillips.
Foreman Engine Co...	Henry Hopping.
1st Asst. F. E. Co....	O. W. Rowland.
2d " " " "	A. F. McNeil.
Foreman Hose Co.....	Walter Durkee.
1st Asst. F. H. Co.....	Chas. Pike.
2d " " " "	Will Mosier.
Foreman H. & L. Co..	E. H. Lindsley.
1st Asst. " " " ..	A. J. Sabin.
2d " " " " ..	A. H. Miller.

Our city attorney took three more head of his cows out of the pound the other morning. Charges, $1.00 a head, as usual, which was promptly paid without a kick.

The *Messenger*, in commenting on the number of divorce cases on the calendar of the circuit court, suggests that Judge Mills "put his foot down" on that business. Judge Mills is very particular in those cases, much more so than any of his immediate predecessors, but when a case is brought squarely within the statute, he has no discretion. It is the duty of the Judge to administer the law as he finds it, and not as he might wish to have it. If the divorce laws are too loose let the legislature amend them.

On stepping into Bassett's jewelry store one day this week, we saw one of the finest lines of gold and silver watches, jewelry, etc., that our eyes ever beheld. The goods were sent on selection from the firm of B. F. Norris & Co., the largest wholesale establishment in Chicago, and from the size of the pile of watches, rings, fob and vest chains, ladies sets, etc., that Mr. Bassett laid out and now has in his store, we judge he is doing a business of which no man ought to be ashamed.

T. D. Ward, Esq., of Lawton, one of the noted and successful apiarists of this county, made us a pleasant call on Saturday last. He left on our table several of his fancy pound sections of honey which he presented to the NORTHERNER with his compliments. Finer, nicer honey we never saw, and his manner of having it made in separate boxes of one pound each, just right for table use, is very convenient indeed. Mr. Ward has seventy-eight swarms of bees, some of which he would dispose of at a reasonable rate, should opportunity offer.

On Thursday evening of last week, one of the colored preachers engaged in conducting the recent camp-meeting at Lake Park, was accidentally drowned. He was out on the lake and either fell overboard or the boat capsized. He was but a short distance from the shore, the water being only nine feet deep, but either he could not swim, or was too much frightened to succeed in reaching the shore. His body was not recovered until the next morning. A coroner's inquest was held, conducted by Esq. Galligan, and a verdict rendered of accidental drowning. He was a young man, 26 years old, and had no family. His associates speak of him in high terms. His unfortunate death put a damper upon the meeting, from which it did not recover.

An Aged Group.

Seated around the dinner table to-day, Sept. 5th, 1882, at Mr. Chas. Labadie's, of Decatur, were five aged persons, in comparative health, brothers and sisters of Mrs. Lucy Beals, late widow of Eli Beals, deceased, also mother of Mrs. J. W. Ball of Paw Paw, whose respective ages are as follows: Mrs. Betsy Walworth of South Bend, Ind., 90 years; Mrs. Lucy Beals of Decatur, Mich., 85 years; Mr. James Gager of Chardon, Ohio, 82 years; Mrs. Mariva Ferguson of Decatur, 75 years; Mr. Orin Gager of Paw Paw, 72 years, aggregating 404 years, the remaining members of a family of twelve, whose parents were among the early pioneers of Western Reserve, Ohio. They have enjoyed a happy reunion of a few weeks, but the trembling nerve and tottering step tell us plainly that each of them is far down the hillside of life. May peace and happiness crown their closing years.
A. F. B.

The 32nd Annual Fair of the Van Buren County Agricultural Society, will be held at Paw Paw, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 26, 27, 28 and 29, 1882, at which time there will be offered by the society in addition to the regular premiums $800 in premiums for speed, in five different purses, from $75 to $100 a purse. The society will also add a novel and interesting attraction to its exhibition by offering $250 in 1st, 2d and 3d premiums, to the several Posts of the Grand Army of the Republic, in Van Buren county, for proficiency in military appearance, bearing and drill; premiums to be $125, $75, and $50. The judges on the parade and drill of the G. A. R. will, if practicable, be secured from outside the county. For privileges on the ground, address C. W. Young or A. Van Auken. For entries by mail or other information, address the Sec'y. The following is a programme of the Fair:

FIRST DAY—TUESDAY, SEPT. 26.

Entries and placing stock and articles.

SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 27.

Entries close at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Class 3—Draught horses,.....	1:00 p. m.
Class 5—Breeders' special premium,.....	2:00 p. m.
Class 3—Speed.....	3:00 p. m.

THIRD DAY—THURSDAY, SEPT. 28.

Class 1—Horses for all work,.....	9:30 a. m.
Class 4—Gents' driving horses,.....	10:00 a. m.
Military contest, parade & drill, G. A. R.	1:00 p. m.
Class 1—Speed—Stallion race,.....	4:00 p. m.

FOURTH DAY—FRIDAY, SEPT. 29.

Class 2—Roadsters and breeding stock..	10:00 a. m.
Class 6—Lady driving,.....	11:00 a. m.
Class 2—Speed,.....	1:00 p. m.
Class 4—Two thirty-five class,.....	2:30 p. m.
Class 5—Free-for-all race,.....	3:30 p. m.