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### Business Notices.

**Dr. G. W. Hilton,**  
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw, Mich.  
Office on Main street, over Covert & Bartram's  
Drug Store. Office hours from 2 to 4 and  
from 7 to 9 p. m. 1539\*

**To Exchange.**  
A pair of four year old mares for a 1200  
horse coming five. Enquire of  
121f DANSEY.

Legal documents copied with neatness and  
despatch by Miss MAMIE L. ROWLAND,  
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**\$20,000 to Loan.**  
On improved real estate. Enquire of Geo.  
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Will teach single pupils, or small  
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House, Sign and Carriage Painter, Paper  
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Gremps St., Paw Paw. 65f

**Omnibus Orders.**  
All orders left at the post office for Burdick's  
bus to all trains and private houses  
will meet with prompt attention. 121f

**Notice.**  
Sealed proposals will be received by the  
village board for junior and lamp lighter  
the coming year to commence May 1st 1885.  
663668 K. M. BUCK, Recorder.

**Notice.**  
All persons indebted to Sherman & Avery  
are requested to pay all accounts due them to  
R. O. Beebe at Paw Paw, Mich. at once and  
save costs. Sept. 9th, 1884. 381f  
SHERMAN & AVERY.

**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, Paw Paw, Mich. 13381f

**Drive Wells.**  
Scott & Husted desire to inform the people  
of Van Buren county that they are in  
the business of repairing pumps and driving  
wells. Have had ten years experience. Leave  
orders at Free & Martin's, Paw Paw. 191f

**Hatmaking.**  
I have a full and complete assortment of all  
the latest Fall and Winter styles of Hats,  
Bonnets, Feathers, and Trimmings. I have  
an experienced trimmer. Satisfaction guaranteed.  
187f MRS. H. R. ODELL.

**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.  
Paw Paw, Mich. WILBER BABCOCK. 1476f

**Money to Loan.**  
Parties desiring of obtaining Loans on  
Good Security, will find it to their advantage  
to call on me. Real estate for sale. Insurance,  
Collections, and Conveyancing Solicited  
1805-f HARRY S. RICHARDS,  
Over C. R. Avery's store.

**Crockery and Groceries.**  
I have just purchased a new stock of  
crockery, and have my store packed full of  
goods. I sell crockery cheaper than the  
cheapest. Call and be convinced that this  
is no humbug. LUKE GILBERT,  
67f Paw Paw, Mich.

**Dr. Chas. B. Graham,**  
The old and reliable Surgeon Dentist has  
located in Paw Paw for the practice of Dentistry  
in all of his various branches. Teeth  
on Rubber Plate \$10.00 each, gold filling a  
specialty, at from \$1.00 up, owing to cavity,  
amalgam or silver, 25c to 50 cts, extracting  
25 cts. First class work Guaranteed. Rooms  
at Union House. 571f

**Bucklin's Arnica Salve.**  
The best salve in the world for cuts,  
bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores,  
letter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns,  
and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles,  
or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give  
perfect satisfaction, or money refunded.  
Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. W.  
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**Pure Buckwheat Flour.**  
Pure Buckwheat Flour, entirely free from  
hulls and specks, made by use of the Silver  
Creek Buckwheat Shucker, and the new process  
for bolting, is now being manufactured  
by the undersigned at the celebrated Central  
Mills in Paw Paw. The highest market  
price paid for buckwheat. WISS & SMITH,  
43125668 Paw Paw Central Mills.

**Young Wilkes.**  
One of the best stallions in Michigan, record  
2:28 1/4, trial 19 1/4, will make the season of  
1885, commencing March 15th, and ending  
November 15th 1885, at the subscriber's stables  
in Paw Paw, on the following terms:  
Owing to hard times I have been induced to  
put Young Wilkes service fee at thirty-five  
dollars, to be paid in cash or an approved  
note at time of service or before mare  
or mares are removed from my premises.  
Young Wilkes stands among the great  
sires of America, having sired colts with records  
from 18 1/4 down to three minutes, and  
some of his colts have shown trials of 2:13 1/4.  
Geo. Wilkes, the sire of Young Wilkes, was  
the greatest sire that ever lived. Young  
Wilkes is a trotter himself and a sire of trotters,  
and he springs from the greatest family of  
trotters known in the world. His colts are  
large rangy fellows. Young Wilkes will be  
limited to eighty mares, is a sure foal getter.  
For further particulars and full pedigree  
send to his owner at Paw Paw, Mich. Pasture  
at \$1.00 per week, or \$50 per year.  
Mares will be carefully cared for, but all accidents  
and escapes at owners risk. THOMAS WELCH,  
64116079

**Wanted.**  
Situation as housekeeper. For information  
enquire at the NORTHERNER Office. 631f

**Auction! Auction!**  
To all parties wishing the services of an  
auctioneer. I am prepared to make Farm  
Sales at reasonable rates. 13381f  
H. W. McCABE, Paw Paw, Mich.

**Painting, Paper Hanging, Etc.**  
We are prepared to execute contracts and  
well all orders for House Painting, Paper  
Hanging and Alabastering. Charges reasonable.  
Residence and shop on Elm St., Paw  
Paw. 15654f. R. ROOZE & SON.

**Jewelry.**  
I have removed my shop to Geo. W. Longwell's  
store, where I am prepared to clean and  
repair watches and jewelry of all kinds. I  
shall also keep in stock a good assortment of  
jewelry. 15654f  
PETER MACMILLAN.

**For sale.**  
The eighty acres of land situated one mile  
south-west of town, and known as the old  
Longwell place, will be sold at a very low  
price, on long time at low interest. For  
particulars address J. M. CLAPP,  
129 Pearl St., Boston, Mass. 621f

**Notice.**  
Wanted, immediately, one hundred and  
fifty sheep for one year or more, for which  
I will give for use of same, one and one-half  
pounds of wool per annum, per head.  
15664f JOHN ARAMES,  
Box 63, Paw Paw, Mich.

**Prater's Photographs, Pictures, Etc.**  
Prater's is the place to get Photographs  
done up in the latest style of the art, elegant  
scenery and accessories. Also a very fine  
assortment of Picture Frames, Cabinet  
Frames, Easels, etc. All as low as the lowest.  
A fine display of Christmas Cards at all prices.  
511f

**Photographs.**  
I take pleasure in announcing to the public  
that I have re-opened my Picture Gallery,  
at my old stand, on Main St., in Paw Paw.  
My apparatus is entirely new, and of the  
most approved pattern, and I am prepared  
to take pictures of all kinds in the highest  
style of art. Give me a call and I am sure I  
can please you. 511f  
JOHN HOLMES.

**Farm For Sale.**  
For the purpose of settling the estate of  
the late Eliza Durkee, the farm of 140  
acres, belonging to said estate, situated one  
mile north of Lawton, in this county, will be  
sold on reasonable terms. 165 acres im-  
proved, 55 acres of good timber, good build-  
ings in excellent condition, 25 acres well  
seeded, finely located for fruit culture. For  
terms enquire at this office or on the premises.  
1559f

**A. W. Hendrick, M. D.,**  
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw, Mich.  
Office over G. W. Longwell's. Special  
attention given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver,  
and Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and Pe-  
riosteal Complaints—to all Chronic Diseases.  
Dr. Hendrick's long experience, extensive  
practice and incomparable success is a guar-  
anty to his patrons that the best possible  
result may be expected in each and every  
case. 201f

### Local Department.

The concert at the opera house last Thurs-  
day, was a very pleasant affair.

Mrs. H. D. Forsyth of Hartford, is visiting  
with Mrs. E. G. Butler of this village.

Will Manning of Three Rivers, is visiting  
his many acquaintances in this village.

Miss Hattie Butler has a friend, Miss  
Meta Rice of Grand Rapids, visiting her.

The open winter prophets were right.  
The winter froze up early and burst open.  
It looks as though Ed. Annable's patent  
tire fence would prove a bonanza for its in-  
ventor.

Mrs. Jennie Norton of Chicago, was the  
guest of Misses Lettie and Jennie Darling  
last week.

Hartford is talking of having a chess pa-  
rty. Why wouldn't such an institution pay  
in Paw Paw?

Hon. Austin Blair has accepted a nomination  
for the office of prosecuting attorney of  
Jackson county.

How many consecutive thins can any of  
our young grammarians use in one correctly  
constructed sentence.

Mr. Chas. Dean of Bloomingdale, had the  
misfortune to lose his dwelling by fire, on  
Wednesday morning of last week.

Winter has not "reclined in the lap of  
spring" as yet. The old greybeard has just  
stood erect on his own sturdy legs.

Miss Ida Stearns of Kalamazoo, was in  
town a few days the latter part of last week,  
the guest of Miss Bertha Whitman.

Mr. E. M. Brown, the newly elected presi-  
dent of the village of Bloomingdale, says he  
will sign no liquor bonds while he holds his  
office.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs.  
Seth Allen, invited themselves to attend a  
surprise party at their residence, on Friday  
evening last.

Last Friday morning mercury marked  
minus 12°. How is that for March weather?  
Most people would be glad to see it  
march out.

County treasurer McLean has settled with  
the auditor general for the year, by sending  
him \$5,241.33; the balance of state tax due.  
He had previously sent \$10,000.

John J. Paige was out, on Saturday last,  
for the first time in several days, having been  
confined to the house from the effects of an  
injury to one of his legs, received while in  
the army.

At an early hour, on Wednesday morning  
of last week, while going from his barn to  
his house, Dr. E. B. Dunning slipped and  
fell, breaking one of his legs just above the  
ankle. Dr. Hilton reduced the fracture.

Prof. Harvey, the magician, at the opera  
house to-night.

Let no republican vote be lost on account  
of not being registered.

Jimmy Dunning of Bay City, is visiting  
his parents and other friends in town.

Judge Hilton is having his office in the  
court house, repainted, papered and oiled.

Joe, the butcher, is preparing to start a  
new meat market under the Dyckman House.

The town was filled with teams last Satur-  
day afternoon, and our merchants appeared  
to be doing a thriving business.

Sellick, the great dry goods man, is open-  
ing a large stock, and a great variety of new  
goods, this week. Observe what he has to  
say to you.

Mr. Riley Wood of Wetmore, Kansas, a  
nephew of our townsman, O. S. Wood, is in  
town. He will probably remain here during  
the summer.

The Free Baptist society will hold a musical  
and literary social at the residence of  
Messrs. Brewer and Snodgrass, on Tuesday  
evening of next week.

Bobby, the illiputian tyro of the *North-  
ener*, went to Cassopolis last Saturday  
evening and gave an exhibition of fancy skating  
at the Cassopolis rink.

Owing to the pressure on our columns, we  
have omitted our railroad times table this  
week, an omission for which we will try and  
make future reparation.

Bowen, of the "Deep Cut," will put in a  
large and elegant stock of hats, caps, and  
gents' furnishing goods. He is now in Chi-  
cago making his purchases. See his new  
"ad."

Judge Mills will hold an adjourned ses-  
sion of our circuit court on Saturday, the 28th  
inst., for the transaction of any business  
that may come before him.

Mr. Jas. M. Crane was in town one day  
last week, on his way home from Evansville,  
Ind., where he had been for some time past,  
on life insurance business.

The next Odd Fellows' social will be held  
at the residence of Bro. Wm. H. Mason, on  
Monday evening next. Supper at six o'clock.  
All members and their friends are cordially  
invited.

Paw Paw Lodge No. 18, I. O. O. F., has  
provided itself with a new \$60 set of official  
regalia, purchased of Frank Henderson of  
Kalamazoo. \$40 of the price was paid by  
the Daughters of Rebekah, out of their  
"social fund."

The last dance of the season, under the  
auspices of the Paw Paw dancing club, was  
held at the opera house, last Thursday  
evening. Music, Buck & Geer's orchestra.  
The party was a success, numerically, so-  
cially and financially.

Visitors to Chicago should not fail to see  
the wonderful panorama "The Siege of Paris"  
now exhibited in the immense pavilion on  
Wabash Avenue, corner of Hubbard Court.  
It is one of the features of Chicago that will  
be remembered by all who attend.—*Lafayette,  
etc., (Ind.) Sunday Times.*

Ex-Sheriff Showerman—now "mine host"  
of the Clifton House—is a fine specimen of  
the traditional landlord, fat, good-natured  
and jolly. We warrant that guests who patronize  
his house, will be so well treated that  
they will not hesitate to call on him a second  
time, should opportunity offer.

If you did not see the eclipse on Monday,  
you have lost the last opportunity.—*Messenger.*  
Is it indeed true that the sun will never  
be eclipsed again? We had supposed that  
there were to be from two to five eclipses of the  
sun in each and every year. What is the  
matter? Has the order of the universe been  
changed, or is the final consummation at hand?

This town has learned what a pint of  
whiskey can do when properly applied. A  
short time ago Jake Phillips got outside of  
a pint and sustained injuries which cost \$110  
in doctor bill and nursing, and not being  
able financially to pay the bill, it will be a  
town charge, one for the tax payers to pay.  
This explains who pays the whiskey bill.  
—*Day Spring.*

One of the most pleasant social events of  
the season took place at the residence of Mr.  
and Mrs. C. H. Mosier, on Friday evening last.  
It was a surprise party planned and success-  
fully carried out by a large number of their  
friends, in honor of the fact that their host  
had just reached the age of forty-six. Those  
who know Mr. Mosier and his family, will  
readily believe that a "high old time" was  
had.

The total amount of delinquent taxes for  
1884, returned by the various townships of  
the county, and by the county treasurer re-  
turned to the auditor general, is \$304,225.  
On this amount the county gets a credit for  
the state tax, \$281,200. Taxes on part-paid,  
swamp lands, to the amount \$23,777, were re-  
turned to the commissioner of the state land  
office. \$396,700 unpaid ditch taxes  
were returned to the county treasurer.

Not long since, Mr. Ed. Anderson, who is  
running Anderson's mill, at Hartford, found,  
in a grist of wheat, a queer looking package  
which he was about to throw into the fire,  
but on second thought he showed it to Mr.  
Eber Rowland, who was also working in the  
mill, and who recognized it as a dynamite  
cartridge. It went into the river instead of  
the fire. Mr. Whitcomb, the man in whose  
grist it was found, had had dynamite around  
for blasting purposes, and a cartridge had been  
carelessly thrown into his grain. Anderson  
told him if that was the kind of grain he  
brought to mill, he needn't bother to bring  
any more, as he didn't care for that kind of  
custom.

We had the pleasure, on Thursday  
evening last, of being present at a joint dis-  
cussion between the Lawrence and Barnes  
district lyceums, held at the high school  
room in Lawrence. The discussion was  
preceded by entertaining musical and  
literary exercises, not the least interesting  
feature of which was the minutes of the  
previous meeting of the Lawrence lyceum,  
written as a chronicle, and read by the  
secretary. The question discussed was "Re-  
solved that the statesman has done more for  
this Nation than the warrior." The Law-  
rence debaters—all young men—led by Prof.  
Jennings, assumed the affirmative of the issue,  
and the Barnes district orators—mostly men  
of middle age—led by Eugene Drake, took  
the negative. The discussion was able and  
interesting. We thought the boys just a  
little ahead, but the judges, by a vote of two  
against one, decided in favor of those who  
wield the sword.

Notice the caucus notices in another col-  
umn.

Joe Carroll has purchased a pair of high  
steppers.

Great slashing of dress goods this week, at  
Cummings'.

One of Mrs. Charles Wernicke's babes,  
twins, died on Tuesday last.

Mr. Bert Hilton of Kansas City, is visiting  
his brothers, Judge and Dr. Hilton.

Mrs. Clara Boque of Detroit, is making  
her father's heart glad by a three week's visit.

All republicans should attend the primaries  
of their party, and assist in the nomination  
of strong local tickets.

Election tickets and slips will be printed at  
this office correctly and promptly, and for a  
reasonable compensation.

Chas. Richmond sold a heifer to Jerome  
Warner the other day, less than two years  
old, that weighed 1150 pounds alive and  
dressed 690.

The oldest inhabitant cannot remember  
such March weather as we have had this  
spring. For six successive nights the mercury  
marked zero or below.

Our winter term of school closes to-day—  
Thursday. The pupils will have one week's  
vacation, the next term commencing on  
Monday, the 6th of April.

The town board will meet on Monday  
next, for the purpose of settling with the  
township treasurer, and for the transaction of  
such other business as may come before it.

Wilber F. Hoyt, formerly a resident of  
Paw Paw, a nephew of Mrs. P. L. Palmer,  
won, on the 4th inst., the first scholarship  
prize, in the graduating class of Stirling  
Medical college, at Columbus, Ohio, where  
he has been a student since Sept., 1883.

The regular examination of teachers will  
be held at the high school room, in this vil-  
lage on Friday and Saturday next, beginning  
at eight o'clock a. m., on Friday. Teachers  
will be examined for any grade of certificate  
desired. Applicants must be present on Fri-  
day. No examinations will be commenced  
on Saturday.

The board of registration will be in session  
at the office of the township clerk, at Covert  
& Bartram's store, on Saturday, the 28th  
inst., for the purpose of receiving and regis-  
tering names of voters. If you are not sure  
that you are already registered, call on the  
board and find out. You cannot vote if you  
are not registered.

Prof. Harvey, the magician, gave two en-  
tertainments here this week. There was not  
a remarkably large house on either evening,  
although there was nearly double the num-  
ber present on the second evening that there  
was on the first. All who attended were  
loud in praise of his skill, and he is certainly  
a master of his art. We are glad to com-  
mend him as one who does all he advertises  
to do and does it well.—*Bangor Reflector.*

Our polo club, or rather some boys scraped  
up on the street at a moment's notice, went to  
Hartford last Saturday, to play a match  
game. The boys being young and inexperi-  
enced, and not accustomed to the smell of  
intoxicants, while surveying the ruins of the  
burnt district at Lawrence, became some-  
what delirious, and, on their arrival at Hart-  
ford, it was with great difficulty that they  
found the rink. The result was an ignomi-  
nious defeat for Paw Paw, a clean "skunk."

A meeting was held at the court house  
last Monday evening to consider the advan-  
tability of organizing a "Law and Order  
League." Addresses were delivered by Rev.  
Boyd and Mr. Fitch of Kalamazoo, the  
latter being secretary of the Kalamazoo  
League. A committee, of which Mr. T. R.  
Harrison is chairman, was appointed to  
draft a constitution and by-laws. The meet-  
ing adjourned until next Monday evening,  
at which time the committee will make its  
report.

The following new suits have been com-  
menced in our circuit court, viz: Elvira G.  
Hendrick vs. Jacob Hungeford; assumption;  
Crane & Brock, Att'ys for plaintiff. Thomas  
Thredgold vs. Sylvester Varney and Milo  
McDowell; cause certified from justice court  
on plea of title; B. F. Heckert, Att'y for  
plaintiff; Crane & Brock Att'ys for defendants.  
Chas. D. Lawton, vs. Geo. D. Boyce; assump-  
sit; G. W. Lawton, Att'y for plaintiff. Mary  
A. Galligan vs. Chas. E. Galligan jr.; Divorce;  
Crane & Brock Sol's for complainant.

**Contributions to School Museum.**  
Thanks are hereby tendered to Alvin E.  
Aston of the High School, for a collection of  
stone axes of the mound builders, and Indian  
tomahawks, all unearthed within a few miles  
of this town; also to F. S. Warren of the  
Dyckman House, for specimens of Colorado  
minerals and fragments of Aztec pottery.

Articles of interest donated to the museum  
for the use of the school, will be properly  
labeled with name of specimen and that of  
donor. We invite all to assist in forming  
here a museum of relics and of minerals  
which shall give a new interest to the study  
of the branches which they illustrate.  
R. M. ROSS.

**List of Jurors.**  
The following is a list of jurors drawn  
to serve at the April term of the cir-  
cuit court, to be in attendance at the court  
house, on the 20th day of April 1885, at 10  
o'clock in the forenoon:

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|--------------------|--------------|
| John McAlpine      | Keeler       |
| Freeman Stowe      | Hartford     |
| Wm. S. Charles     | Bangor       |
| Robt. W. Simpson   | Geneva       |
| Milford T. French  | South Haven  |
| A. H. Long         | Pine Grove   |
| Wm. Clark          | Almena       |
| E. Beam            | Antwerp      |
| Wesley P. Barker   | Porter       |
| Joseph H. Haynes   | Deceatur     |
| C. P. Rawson       | Paw Paw      |
| Oron Y. Culver     | Waverly      |
| Joseph Mann        | Bloomingdale |
| Ed. Flinders       | Columbia     |
| Ed. J. Lane        | Arlington    |
| Atwell Cooper      | Lawrence     |
| Arthur W. Hayden   | Hamilton     |
| Charles Yerrington | Keeler       |
| David Conklin      | Hartford     |
| Stephen McMillan   | Bangor       |
| Wm. T. Piper       | Porter       |
| D. C. Hodge        | South Haven  |
| Clark Adams        | Pine Grove   |
| Silas A. Breed     | Almena       |
| John Hunt jr.      | Antwerp      |
| Thomas Hooper      | Porter       |
| Thomas W. Roberts  | Deceatur     |
| Jason Woodman      | Paw Paw      |
| Archibald Lyle     | Bloomingdale |
| Joseph Shannon     | Columbia     |