

On Monday afternoon fire broke out in the cold storage warehouse, at the World's Fair Chicago, and nearly 40 firemen lost their lives in an attempt to subdue the flames. Fully 20,000 people witnessed the disaster. The loss is about \$500,000.

It is a sad commentary upon the g. o. p. that President Cleveland, within four months after the Republicans relinquish control, has been obliged to call an extraordinary session of Congress to repeal laws enacted by the Republicans and thereby avert a financial disaster—the outcome of Republican legislation.—Ex.

The people have tried the schemes of the capitalists for the past twenty-five years, and each time the people have been worse off and the capitalists have gotten richer and richer. The people have just about gotten to the point where they are willing to try some legislation that does not meet with the approval of the capitalists.—Ex.

Iowa has again been visited by a destructive cyclone, and many lives have been lost, to say nothing of the property destroyed. Detroit, too, has been visited by a terrible gale, and the loss of property is said to be very great. Other sections of the country have also come in for like disasters, while Alpena has moved along in the even tenor of her way, and seems to be a favored spot on this great world.

New York's New Road Law.

A recent enactment of the New York Legislature provides that to every person using a two-horse or larger wagon with wheels, the tire of which is not less than three inches in width, on the public highways, a rebate of half his highway taxes shall be granted. This law was made in the interest of good roads. Dealers in wagons who have been interviewed in Albany, say that since the law went into effect on June 1st, last, the demand for wagons with wide tires has shown a marked increase.—Ex.

The essential first step toward relief is the repeal of the Sherman act. This would open the way to relief and would restore confidence by giving a substantial pledge that we were returning to a sound currency system. There is no hope from legislation of any sort so long as the Sherman act is left in operation. Its immediate repeal will be the first duty of congress at its next session. It will be time enough to consider what should take its place—if any thing—after the disastrous measure has been wiped from the statute books.—Saginaw News.

Grover Cleveland, Citizen.

Making allowance for this peculiarity in cheering, no royal personage could have been more rapturously received than was the plain citizen, Grover Cleveland. In the simple morning dress of the ordinary civilian, without ribbon, or medal, or other decoration on his breast, with nothing in his garb to distinguish him from other men, this ruler of more than three score million men stood out in instructive contrast to the brilliantly uniformed representatives of European royalty behind him. It was an object lesson which could hardly be lost on the hundreds present from monarchical states.—From "An Englishman's Impressions at the Fair," July Review of Reviews.

The Holly Advertiser reads its Republican brethren of this state a lesson they would do well to learn and follow. Of that remarkable collection of blunders and numskulls, presided over, directed and controlled by Lieu-Gov. Giddings and Speaker Tatum, the Advertiser says: "How any Republican paper can say one kind word in favor of these misrepresentatives is a mystery to us. They are not entitled to the first word of praise. The publisher of this paper is a Republican, one who believes in Republican principles, but we can only hang our heads in shame when any reference is made to those lazy good-for-nothing fellows. They agreed to pass a law refusing free passes, and they lied. They killed the bill. Little work that is a credit to them has been done."

The Only Task for Congress.

Congress when it meets on August 7 should organize as quickly as possible, repeal the silver-purchase provision of the law of 1890, and adjourn. No other legislation is needed at this time. The silver question if what has made the extra session necessary, and after that has been dealt with the session ought to end. All the oth-

er questions can wait till the regular session without any damage to any interest and without the violation of any party pledges. Congressmen say that it is a hardship to them to leave their homes and their private business at this time of the year and endure the hot and unwholesome climate of Washington. The injury and inconvenience on this score may be reduced to a minimum if Congress confines its attention to the silver issue strictly, carries out its work industriously and intelligently, and then goes home.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Stocking up on Block Tin.

The effort to get as much block tin into the country as possible before the duty of four cents a pound takes effect under the McKinley bill, has already increased the value of importations for eleven months of the fiscal year by 40 per cent. The imports for May last were 9,922,298 pounds, valued at \$2,033,463, against imports for May, 1892, of 5,106,307 pounds, valued at \$1,023,889. The figures for the eleven months ending May 31, were 51,755,670 pounds, valued at \$10,499,177, for 1893, against 38,089,085 pounds, valued at \$7,403,802 for 1892. The imports for June have not yet been compiled, but will carry the total importation for the year to over 60,000,000 pounds and nearly \$13,000,000. The imports for the fiscal year 1892 were 43,905,653 pounds valued at \$8,967,870. The imports of tin plate in the meantime show few of the effects of increased American production and diminished demand for the foreign product. The imports for eleven months ending May 31, 1893, were 568,204,946 pounds, valued at \$15,903,914, against imports for eleven months ending May 31, 1892, of 363,007,331 pounds valued at \$10,871,690. The changes in the law have made the figures vary greatly during the past four years, but the present imports are below those of the normal year 1890.

More School Room.

At the meeting of the Board of Education last Wednesday evening, the board decided to supply more school room for the accommodations of an increasing school population, by erecting an addition of two rooms to the Lockwood school, on Fourth street, thus making six good school rooms on the premises, and giving room for nearly one hundred additional pupils.

In our opinion this is a wise conclusion arrived at by the board, and will doubtless meet the approval of the most of the tax payers of the city. There was a proposition on foot to remove the present Lockwood building, and erect a new edifice in place thereof, but the board could not see that they would be justified in the needless expenditure of money for that purpose at the present time, as taxes are sufficiently high now, for those who have them to pay.

We do not want to be considered as being opposed to all the school room necessary to accommodate the pupils of the city, but we are most decidedly opposed to building new school houses when the actual necessity does not warrant the outlay of money in that direction.

And now, we hope the board will do another sensible thing in the way of heating and ventilation by declining to have anything to do with the Smead system. The contract for erecting the new addition of two rooms has been let to Gebhardt, Morrow & Co., at \$1,433, and we anticipate the people who pay the taxes will relish that sum much better than seven or eight thousand.

The Preservation of American Forests.

This bare recapitulation of the areas already designated and reserved under the act of 1891 is sufficient to make plain the extreme importance of the results already secured. What course may be contemplated by the present administration in the further demarkation and establishment of national forest areas cannot yet be known. It is certainly to be hoped that an undertaking so splendidly begun may be carried still further. The prosperity not only of farmers, but also of towns and cities throughout the Western States and Territories is related so vitally to the maintenance of a perennial and sufficient flow of water from the mountain streams that it may be asserted almost as a mathematical axiom that larger the upland stretches of forest that are preserved from destruction at the hands of the timber cutter, or by forest fires, the greater will be the wealth and prosperity in generations to come of our States of magnificent promise. It should have been explained that within these large reserves there exist here and there pieces of land which have already been granted to private owners and the title to which the government has not extinguished. It is, of course, desirable that public reservations should contain as few as possible of these privately-owned farms and claims and mines. Hence the importance of establishing as rapidly as possi-

ble such forest reservations as climatic and topographical conditions would show to be advantageous for the future welfare of the surrounding regions.—From "Our Fifteen New Forest Reservations," July Review of Reviews.

Tax Sales and Politics.

The fact that the publication of the lists of lands for delinquent taxes in this State, are under the control of the political machine at Lansing, is the cause of no little scrambling among the newspaper publishers on the "faithful" side of the political fence. A fair illustration of the "flip-flop" grab propensities of some publishers is fully illustrated in the way of trying to secure or hold the tax list in Presque Isle county. Something over two years ago, in order to secure the tax sales, the Presque Isle County Advance, owned by Larke, was "sold" to Democratic parties, and about the same time one Phelps managed to get a Democratic paper printed in Detroit and labeled "Rogrs City." Both these sheets made a bid for the tax sales, and the Larke paper was awarded the prize. At the last election the State was again returned to Republican control, and the legislature passed a law returning the patronage of the tax sale printing to the control of the Auditor General. This opened a chance for schemers, and the Presque Isle sheet was returned to its former owner, F. D. Larke, and converted to its first love in the Republican fold, expecting, of course, to secure the prize from the Auditor General. But other competition arrived on the field to take a hand in the race for the spoils. A. J. West moved his Lewiston Courier over to a four corners in Presque Isle county, and put in a claim for the patronage, while H. C. Hamill, of the Pioneer of this city, printed a Republican paper at his office and sent it to Rogers City for distribution, with an expectation of being rewarded with the "plum," but West took the lead in the race from the start, and came under the wire in good shape, ahead of all competition. Such is life, grab seems to be the game of many, and they care little, if any, how unscrupulous their methods, so long as they gain their point.

County Road Law.

The new county road system is one we can heartily commend, and at the election to be held in the wards and townships of this county on the 17th day of July, we hope it will be adopted by a large majority. Every person in the city and townships in favor of good roads, should vote in favor of the new law in Alpena county.

The law provides for a county system of making and keeping in repair certain roads to be known as county roads, but does not interfere with the power of the city or township officials in making all the roads and bridges they desire. The county road system requires, before it can become a law, that the Board of supervisors shall submit the question to the people of the county, and then the people shall decide whether to adopt or reject it.

The law provides for a board of county road commissioners, not to exceed five in number, but may be less, who are to be elected by the people at the April election. The first board can be elected at a special election if the people desire. After the first election one commissioner is elected annually and his term is three, four or five years, according as to whether the board consists of three, four or five members.

The county board will have the same power to lay out county roads as is given to city and township officials. Any road or street in a city or township can be made a county road, if the county board so determine. To pay the expense of building and maintaining county roads, the board has authority to cause to be levied by law, a sum not to exceed one dollar on each \$1,000 of the assessed valuation, and by authority of the Board of Supervisors the amount can be raised to two dollars on each \$1,000 of the assessed valuation. The law is a good one, and it should be adopted by the people of Alpena county. Good roads are necessary to the welfare and prosperity of every county and community.

Stockbridge on the Situation.

The Kalamazoo Telegraph interviewed Senator Stockbridge the other day on the question of the extra session of congress and the prospects for the repeal of the Sherman law, and among other things the Michigan senator said: "I think it (the Sherman law) ought to be repealed at once. Whether it will be I don't know. We couldn't do so before we adjourned. I hope the Democrats will have regained their senses so we can repeal it. I think we can or the president wouldn't have called the extra session. I believe he had assurances that it could be done." This is really funny. The idea that "we" couldn't repeal the silver law when "we" were in the Republican majority is easily explained. The fact is "we" could have repealed the law if "we" had

been willing to unite with the Democrats who favored the repeal. It should be remembered that President Cleveland had not yet been inaugurated, and both houses of congress were Republican when an attempt was made to repeal the disastrous measure. The extreme western men and some of the southern men of both parties opposed the repeal, and there were enough Democrats and Republicans combined who favored the repeal to have accomplished it, had not a few dangerous and professional patriots such as Senator Stockbridge's fellow townsmen, Julius Caesar Burrows, become impressed with the idea that it would be a great political stroke to embarrass the incoming Democratic administration by "putting it in a hole," to use the classic language of the able Kalamazoo calliope. In order to do this they voted deliberately against their own judgement as to what would be best for their country's interests, and thereby proved themselves actual traitors to the nation's welfare. It is these same men who prate perennially about patriotism, a commodity that they only deal in for their personal advantage, and the true principles of which they utterly ignore.

Clearance—1893.

The following vessels cleared from this port during the past week, with cargoes of lumber and other forest products: Schooner Rice, 1,500 posts and 600 post not stakes, Lorain. Proprietor Scott, 250,000 lumber, Cleveland. Proprietor Schemm, 8,000 posts and 12,000 railway ties, Chicago. Schooner Onward, 16,000 posts, Detroit. Barge Sam Flint, 70,000 lumber, Toledo. Barge Sunny Side, 2,000 posts, Detroit. Barge Light Guard, 500,000 lumber, Sandusky. Barge Spaulding, 100,000 lumber, Mt. Clemens. Proprietor Fletcher, 15,000 railway ties, Tonawanda. Barge India, 60,000 lumber, Cleveland. Proprietor Frantz, 210,000 lumber, Toledo. Barge Magnet, 200,000 lumber, Toledo. Proprietor Garden City, 60,000 lumber, 200,000 lath, and 80,000 shingles, Cleveland. Barge Breeze, 200,000 lumber, Cleveland. Schooner Montpelier, 15,000 railway ties, Chicago. Schooner Yankee, 350,000 lumber, Cleveland. Proprietor Jenks, 150,000 lumber, Fremont.

The total amount of lumber and other products shipped from the port of Alpena since the opening of navigation in April, 1893, by vessels that reported at the custom house, is as follows: Lumber, 47,871,000; Shingles, 4,700,000; Posts, 1,200,000; Railway ties, 250,000; Staves, 600,000; Lath, 1,000,000; Grapes, 5,000; Fish traps, 2,000; Post not stakes, 1,253,000.

Postoffice Business.

The number of postage stamps, etc., sold at the Alpena postoffice, during the month of June, is as follows: One cent 1,937, two cent 21,718, three cent 106, four cent 70, five cent 290, six cent 89, ten cent 252, special delivery 20, newspaper publishers and dealers 100, postage due 149. Total 24,898. The one cent postal cards sold numbered 2,790 and two cent postals three were sold. The value of the above is \$557.34.

There were also sold 6,121 stamped envelopes, four letter sheets and 350 stamped wrappers, the value of which was \$132.83.

Board of Education.

The Board of Education met at the Secretary's office last Wednesday evening, there being present the President, Secretary and members Trask, Pamerleau, Steward, Jermin and Zadow.

The salary of Miss Jennie Dixon was fixed at \$550, and the salaries of the following teachers were fixed at the amounts recommended by the Committee on Examination, May 10th: Emily Deadman, Gertie Healy, Lizzie McKinnon, Augusta Schoepflin, Rose Myers, Anna Monaghan, Lillie Oliver, Zoe Collins, Nora McArthur, Ida Smith and Maggie McTavish.

Applications for positions as teachers in the schools were received from the following: Helen S. Bachman, Belle Simmons, Mary B. Van Auker, Rose Avis, Alta Heburn, Ada C. Wingrove, Rutta Hilliard, Elizabeth S. James, Lillian B. Heald, Augusta Larsaw, Ada Robbins and C. W. Drake.

Mrs. McArthur was reappointed janitor of the Jefferson school, Miss Nellie Hayes janitor of the Baldwin school and Robert Keyes janitor of the Central school.

Isaac Reeder was given the contract of cleaning the vaults of the Baldwin, Cass, Garfield and Obed Smith schools for \$35.

Bills to the amount of \$406.68 were allowed.

Plans and specifications for the addition to the Lockwood school were accepted at a cost of \$50, including the superintending.

Real Estate Sales.

The following is a list of real estate sales recorded during the past week, furnished at the abstract office of O'Brien & Searor.

- Perovial Atkinson to Florence M. M. Hardson, \$425, s. e. 1/4 lot 13, block 49, City, Chisholm street. Estate of Francis Palms to Sam'l Simmons, \$215, s. e. 1/4 of a w. of 19, 32, 5, Alpena. Geo. L. Maltz to Walter Auning, \$750, 4 by 8 rods in block 3, Tuttle's addition, Washington ave. O. L. Partridge to Chas. McLean, \$275, lots 4 and 5, block 56, Hitchcock's addition, First street. Fred. Below to Joseph Dannish, \$900, lot 2, block 5, Beebe street. Julia F. Farwell to McKim, Barclay & Co., \$300, lot 6, block 11, Hitchcock's addition, Campbell street. Julian Skowronek to Wojciech Yakowiak, \$915, e. 1/2 lot 2, block 73, Hitchcock's addition, Ninth street. Joseph Myake to Andrew Shefferman, \$375, lot 6, block 23, Hitchcock's addition, corner Third and Lincoln streets. Martin Crawford to Frank Kotnick, \$200, lot 6, block 73, Hitchcock's addition, Tawas street. Geo. A. Hutterfeld to D. D. Hanover, \$100, e. 1/2 of s. of 32, 30, 5, Green.

Selden W. Flanders to Nancy J. Richardson, \$900, a w. of s. and n. w. of s. of 30, 31, 6, Green.

Ethel S. Warren to Eveline E. Warren, \$1, part lot 10, block 9, Hitchcock's addition, White street. County Treasurer to Wm. Simmons, \$4.88, taxes of 1892, a w. of n. w. of 3, 31, Alpena. County Treasurer to Beaton & Byron, \$1.98, taxes of 1888, a w. of n. w. of 28, 30, 5, Green. \$1.98, taxes of 1888, s. e. of n. w. of 28, 30, 5, Green. County Treasurer to Abram McFarlain, \$2.82, taxes of 1889, n. e. of n. w. of 25, 30, 7, Wilson.

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The reports that the Californian illustrated Magazine has been affected by the financial panic that has swept over the country, are without foundation. The July and August issues speak for themselves, and the publishers propose to increase the attractiveness of the magazine with every issue. The August issue will be especially rich in fiction. A Japanese story is illustrated by a Japanese artist. The cavities of Uto, by Craig of Denver, and an interesting story by Howard Prescott Spofford in fiction. Among the descriptive illustrated papers are: The Land of the White Elephant; A Modern Hesperides (the Orange); Spirit Photographs; The Making of a Navajo Blanket; Climbing Shafts; by Mark Sibley Severance; Trout Fishing; Among the Wild Grasses; Delightful Summer Articles; Artemus Ward, etc. A feature of this issue will be a discussion between Hon. Morris M. Estee, of San Francisco, and Hon. Abbot Kinney, of Los Angeles, on the question of State Division.

The Review of Review for July very fully calls attention to our new age—the age of electricity—in its three absorbing articles on the newest marvels and the even more incredible things to be expected. The great electrical exhibit at the World's Fair is described by Mr. J. R. Cravath. This paper is followed by two more under the title "Two Giants of the Future." The first is by C. D. Linder, of the personality and sketches the picturesque career of Thomas A. Edison. The interview with Mr. Edison presents fully the great inventor's views of the further triumphs in electrical science that are about to come to us. A striking and picturesque contrast to the Edison article is Mr. J. Munro's character sketch on Sir William Thomson, Lord Kelvin. Mr. Munro tells how Lord Kelvin made the Atlantic cable possible and how he invented the best mariner's compass and the personality of the great Scotch professor is a theme of no less absorbing interest than his wonderful achievements in science. All these articles are profusely illustrated with portraits and pictures.

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To the Electors of the County of Alpena. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said county, held on the 12th day of June, 1893, the following resolution was adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members thereof: "That the County Seal System be adopted by a two-thirds vote of all the members thereof on the day hereinafter specified for the purpose of taking such vote. Notice is further given that said question will be stated on the ballot to be used at said election, as follows: 'Shall the County Seal System be adopted by the County of Alpena?' Dated Alpena, June 22d, A. D. 1893. A. J. SIMMONS, Clerk of the County of Alpena.

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