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## Do You Drink TEA?

Call and get a sample  
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Finest May Pickings.

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We have now on hand at  
**Owosso Lumber Yard,**  
Fine, clear,  
**WHITE WOOD COLUMNS,**  
bored their entire length, for  
Porch Columns; will not split  
as they are well seasoned. Can  
furnish them in  
**ANY DESIGN OF TURNING**  
Also plenty of  
**Dovetailed Sheeting - Lath.**  
Dimension Shingles, all styles  
for fancy sides and gables.  
I have plenty of Dry Lum-  
ber, all kinds—Pine and Nor-  
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**First-Class Meats!**  
FRESH, SALT OR SMOKED.  
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Castoria cures Colic, Constipation,  
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Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes di-  
gestion.  
Without injurious medication.

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Your special attention is called to the following goods, which we will sell you  
cheaper than any firm in Michigan:

## OLIVER STEEL CHILLED PLOWS

Gibbs or Princess Chilled Plows, Burch Chilled Plows,  
Albion Spring Tooth Cultivators, Wilder's Acme Spring Tooth Cultivators, Kalamazoo  
Steel and Wood Frame Spring Tooth Harrows,

## BUCKEYE SHOVEL CULTIVATORS, Milford Steel and Wood Frame CULTIVATORS,

## Steel Disk Riding or Walking Harrows,

## SUPERIOR GRAIN DRILL, Farmers' Favorite GRAIN DRILL, BUCKEYE GRAIN DRILL, BROADCAST SEEDERS,

60 tooth Smoothing and Oscillating Harrows, Carriages, Surreys, Buggies, Road Wagons,  
Carts, Light and Heavy Harness, Jackson and Flint Wagons, of which we  
have just received two car loads.

For 30 Days Only we will sell a Full Rigged Plow Complete for \$12.00.

Prices and quality of goods win. Call and examine our goods and you will buy  
no others, as we carry the largest, bristest and cleanest line of  
goods in Central Michigan.

## HARTSHORN, SON & CROWE,

NEW DOUBLE STORE, OWOSSO.

## NEW TEA

## 1890 NEW CROP!

## TEAS!

I have just received a new stock of Choice

These Teas were selected with great care, and I place them  
on the market feeling confident that they cannot fail to give  
satisfaction. I therefore guarantee every pound and will re-  
fund the money for any that should prove unsatisfactory.  
Among them are the following kinds and prices:

A Choice Japan Tea Dust, 15c per lb. or 2 lbs. for 25c.  
An Extra " " at 25c per lb.  
Dromio-Imperial Japan (Special Bargain) 25c " "  
An Extra Nibs or Stubs (Coarse Tea) 25c " "  
Ye Kaki; New Crop, Japan 35c per lb. or 3 lbs. for \$1.00  
Extra Choice Japan (Leader) Garden Leaf 40c per lb.  
Very Choice Japan Tea, Spring Leaf (5 pound lots) 50c " "  
Basket Fired or Uncolored Japan 50c " "

I also have in stock (NEW) a Choice

**BLACK TEA AT 50, 75 & \$1.00 PER LB.**

**English Breakfast Tea,**

**Formoso Oolong Tea,**

**Young Hyson and Gunpowder Tea.**

Give them a Trial. They Will Please You.

## F. H. Banister,

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WESENER BLOCK, OWOSSO, MICH.

## Special Premium Announcement.

Are you planning to attend the Shiawassee  
County Fair at Owosso, Sept. 16, 17, 18, 19,  
1890?  
You are; that's right! We want you with  
us.  
Gov. Luce, Pres. Partridge and Col. De-  
land will talk to us.  
The Balloon is to go up and the man come  
down (live or dead).  
We will have races and sports and are  
promised the biggest show by far we have  
ever had.  
All we want to make it a complete suc-  
cess is your presence. "Come brothers will  
you join us."  
Admission 25 cents.  
Family tickets admitting five persons at  
one time, once, 75 cents.  
All entries free.

## SPECIAL PREMIUMS.

Look this list over; it will interest you.  
To the couple being married on the fair  
grounds Friday the 19th, we offer:  
Chamber set, presented by Wood-  
ward & North, value \$20 00  
Cooking stove and furniture, C. J.  
Stuart, Geo. E. Thompson & Co., L. G.  
Curry and Wheeler Bros. 35 00  
Fancy couch, Knapp & Sullivan 15 00  
20 yards carpet, Osburn & Sons 15 00  
Pail, tub, broom, mop, washboard,  
etc., H. W. Parker 3 00  
Fine cloth Newmarket, J. J. Davis 3 00  
1 doz. best cabinet photographs of  
bride and groom, Beebe & Horsman 5 00  
Fan and lace handkerchief, Mrs.  
Harrington 4 00  
Chamber set, D. Waters 3 00  
Linen table set and napkins, D. M.  
Christian 5 00  
Elegant pyramid bride's cake, Paris-  
ein style, E. M. Johnson 10 00  
One pair shoes, for bride, E. L.  
Brewer 5 00  
One pair shoes, for groom, John  
Salsbury 5 00  
One year subscription to THE TIMES,  
Times Co. 1 00  
One year subscription to Owosso  
Press, J. H. Champion & Co. 1 00  
4 lb can Chase & Sandborn's seal  
brand coffee, 2 lb box finest raisins  
produced, one intelligent oil can, 2 lb  
Chase & Sandborn's Orloff tea, C. C.  
Duff 3 50  
Toilet case, Parkhill & Son 10 00

To the person bringing the largest number  
of adult persons, over 16 years of age, in  
one four-horse load, from a distance of  
8 miles or over, on Wednesday the 17th,  
we offer:  
One single harness, presented by  
Hartshorn, Son & Crowe 15 00  
One whip, H. W. Martin 2 00  
One pair horse blankets, E. Carr 5 00  
Horse shoeing for team, D. Dwight 5 00  
One carriage cushion, Geo. Car-  
penter 2 00  
Overcoat, Murray & Terbush 15 00  
One case 24 lb smoking tobacco, D.  
Burhans 10 00  
5 lb best tea, F. H. Banister 2 50  
Album, Johnson & Henderson 5 00  
Table, L. E. Woodard 15 00

To any person bringing the greatest number  
of adult persons over 16 years of age, in  
one four-horse load, from a distance of  
not less than four nor more than ten miles  
on Wednesday the 17th we offer:  
One pair shoes, L. Struber 5 00  
One hat, Dibble & Parsons 3 00  
4 lb "Get there Eli" tea, W. S. Hunt 2 00  
4 lb can Chase & Sanborn seal brand  
coffee, 2 lb finest raisins produced, one  
intelligent oil can, C. C. Duff 5 00  
One whip, M. Keylin 2 00  
One box cigars, Davies & Son 2 75  
One lamp, The Famous 2 00  
One set double whiffetres, with even-  
er, Frank Nelson 4 50  
5 lb best tea, Lawrence & Son 2 50

To the largest attendance on Wednesday  
the 17th, from any district school in the  
county, attending in a body, we offer:  
1st prize, One Webster's Unabridged  
Dictionary, leather bound, G. W. Lor-  
ing & Son 8 00  
One dictionary holder, H. W. Martin 5 00  
Box writing paper to each pupil.  
TIMES Co. 10 00  
2d prize, wall paper to paper school  
room, Murphy & Connor 10 00  
An elegant 10 foot extension table will be  
given to the farmer making the largest  
number of entries, provided that not more  
than one-eighth of the entries shall be in  
any one class.  
Warren Woodward 10 00

A pair of elegant chenille curtains will be  
given to the lady that guesses nearest to  
the number of kernels of corn in a jar  
exhibited in Floral Hall during the fair.  
G. B. Black & Son 10 50  
To the largest family present at the speak-  
er's stand Thursday at 1 o'clock p. m.,  
1st prize, one ton hard coal, A. Todd 6 00  
2d prize, 1 bbl. best crackers, A. T.  
Thomas 5 00  
To the person catching and holding the  
greased pig on the track in front of the  
grand stand Thursday at 4 p. m., we offer  
1st prize, the pig, donated by Sheriff  
George Morrice 6 00  
2d prize, to the person who catches the  
pig the greatest number of times  
but does not succeed in holding it, one  
box, 90 bars, Kirk Starlight Soap, C.  
C. Duff 5 40  
To the person winning the fat man's race  
Thursday at 3:30 p. m.  
One pair pants, made to measure, P.  
M. Roth 5 00  
All applicants must weigh over 200 lbs.  
To the handsomest baby not over two years  
old, attending the fair Thursday p. m.,  
we offer:  
One half life size India Ink portrait,  
presented and made by Moore Bros. 8 00  
All contestants to be present on the speak-  
ers stand at 2 p. m.

To the person winning the free for all bi-  
cycle race on Thursday p. m., we offer:  
1st prize, one first-class, full ball-bearing  
Safety bicycle 100 00  
The following persons have contributed  
towards the fund: J. C. Shattuck, M. L.  
Stewart & Co., 2d National Bank, Dewey &  
Stewart, Chas. H. Cossett, W. Kilpatrick,  
S. F. Smith, Hume & Perkins, Watson &  
Chapman, W. K. Brewster, O. Sharpstein,  
Otto Hein, Chas. Gabriel, A. E. Willover.

2d prize, watch, T. O. Christian 10 00  
Chain and charm, Chas. Coles 5 00  
To the fastest rider on Gormully & Jeffrey's  
American cycle, race Thursday p. m.  
1st premium, bicycle lamp 6 00  
2d premium, continuous alarm 2 00  
All by the Mich. S. M. & O. Co.  
Best work done on White sewing machine.  
One White button-hole attachment,  
Mich. S. M. & O. Co. 7 00  
Best player on Storey & Clark or Estey  
organ:  
One guitar, Mich. S. M. & O. Co. 8 00  
To the farmer winning the farmer's double  
team wagon race, we offer  
One Carter gang plow, C. S. Wil-  
liams 25 00  
Above race to take place Thursday at  
4:30 p. m. Single heat, three-quarter of a  
mile, to walk the first quarter, trot the sec-  
ond quarter and "go as you please" the  
third quarter. Open to farm teams before  
wagons, only.

**North Venice.**  
The Ladies' Aid society held their  
monthly meeting on Thursday, the 28th, at  
the residence of Mr. G. Priest Sr.  
Mrs. Calvin Craig returned home from a  
visit in the north on Wednesday last.  
Miss Lina Pearsall is on the sick list.  
School closed on Friday last.  
George and Ed Chavey returned on Tues-  
day from the north where they have been  
looking land.  
School meeting on the evening of Mon-  
day next.

**Boston.**  
Mr. Puffer has secured two lots of Mrs.  
M. F. Taylor and is preparing to put up a  
blacksmith and wagon shop, and is also  
making arrangements to build a dwelling  
house on the same in the spring.  
A new lady clerk has arrived at A. O.  
Sutton's, weighing 84 pounds.  
Mrs. Hattie Haughton, of Cornum, spent  
most of last week at C. Haughton's.  
Miss Mattie Haughton is still quite sick.  
Miss Maud Fox expects to return to Ohio  
next Saturday.  
Mrs. Lora intends going to Grand Rapids  
the first of September for treatment of her  
eyes.

**Morrice.**  
Ned Fairchild, of Oberlin college, Sun-  
dayed with his uncle, H. P. Halsted.  
A number of our young people were at  
Pine lake Sunday and report an excellent  
week.  
C. S. Bugbee was at Vernon one day last  
week.  
Beckie Greenwalt has commenced teach-  
ing in the Gale district.  
John C. Frain, of Bay City, was in town  
last week.  
The new school bell at Morrice will soon  
be heard.  
Susie Tyler will teach in Woodhull this  
fall and winter, commencing next Monday.  
The Sunday schools of Morrice and Perry  
will unite in a picnic at Pine lake Wednes-  
day.

Jas. N. McBride was in town Tuesday.  
Lida Austin Sundayed at Fowlerville.  
L. C.  
**Durand.**  
Mr. Kilne, Col. Norton, L. P. Smedley,  
Mrs. Skinner and Mrs. Bennett attended the  
National Convention of U. V. U. at Lake  
side, Ohio, last week, and report a large at-  
tendance and a pleasant time.  
Mrs. Marcellus Smith, living two miles  
south of Durand, died Wednesday morning  
after a brief illness. The funeral was held  
at the house on Thursday at 2 p. m., Rev.  
J. F. Emerick officiating.  
Carpenters are at work on the new M. E.  
church and will make things hustle for the  
next few weeks.  
The school house is nearly completed and  
school will commence Monday Sept. 8, 1890.  
Mrs. Pond is digging a cellar and will at  
once erect a two story brick building.  
H. Hutchinson, hardware dealer, is about  
to buy or erect a building for hardware  
purposes.  
Mr. Nevison has rented the barber shop  
building for a harness shop.  
Chas. C. DeCamp has been attending the  
State Convention at Detroit as a delegate.

Prof. F. C. Smith will not teach the pre-  
sent year and will engage in the real estate  
business at Gladwin.  
A. S. Thomas is re-roofing the hotel build-  
ing.  
**Byron.**  
E. Fisher is reaping a rich harvest from  
his peach orchard this season.  
Estella Knapp has gone to Detroit for a  
few weeks.  
Rev. C. Gibbs and wife, of Leslie, are  
visiting their many friends here.  
Mrs. M. C. Brown is visiting her son at  
Vernon.  
Frank Dean and wife, of Durand, were  
guests at E. P. Lord's over Sunday.  
Miss Josie Miner has been engaged as  
teacher in our school.  
Wilber Gibbs is visiting friends at Swartz  
Creek.  
Rev. C. Barnum and family attended a  
picnic at Long Lake last Thursday.  
Dell Hitchcock and wife, formerly Miss  
Linda Mulkins of this place, are visiting  
their many friends here.  
Mrs. J. Sleeth is home after a long visit  
with her daughter at Howell.  
The picnic on Tuesday of our Sabbath  
Schools was held in the Baptist church on  
account of the rain. A very pleasant time,  
and all seemed as happy as if the sun was  
shining.  
Miss Georgie Cowles is in town for a short  
stay.  
G. R. Brant and Miss Carrie Fisher are  
the teachers in the Bancroft schools for the  
coming year. What is Byron's loss is Ban-  
croft's gain in this case.

## The Election Law.

The new election law enacted by the Leg-  
islature of 1889, Act No. 263, will be in  
force at the coming election, and as it pro-  
vides for quite important changes a brief  
synopsis of its most important provisions, as  
compiled by the Michigan Republican, is  
here given, especially those making the most  
marked changes:

1. The boxes, the election seal and the  
manner of sealing are about the same as  
heretofore.
2. No tickets can be used or circulated  
unless furnished by the Secretary of State,  
and it is his duty to furnish them on ap-  
plication and payment therefor by party com-  
mittees; (whether this applies to the County  
or State tickets, we don't undertake to say.)
3. All ballots are to be of the same width  
and length, with no impression, device, color  
or thing on the outside designed or liable to  
distinguish one from another.
4. The State Central, County or other  
managing committee of any political party  
is to prepare and adopt a heading for the  
party ticket, to be printed at the top of the  
ticket, inside, and to show the party name,  
and in what congressional, senatorial and  
representative and senatorial districts, and  
county it may be used. A copy of each  
party ticket, with this heading is to be filed in  
a sealed envelope, with the County Clerk at  
least ten days before the election. There is a  
heavy penalty for counterfeiting such bal-  
lot.
5. Penalty for printing, circulating, dis-  
tributing or causing to be distributed, ballot  
or ballots having the heading vignette, or  
any imitation of it, with name of any candi-  
date changed, may reach \$1,000 fine and a  
year in State prison. But any voter may,  
for himself, erase or insert any name in  
writing or with printed slips.
6. The ballot must be folded by the voter  
before handing to the inspector of election,  
so that the names will not show. The chair-  
man of the inspectors will put a rubber  
band around it and put it in the box (sub-  
ject to the usual challenging, oath etc.)
7. Each party may have a challenger,  
who is to have a place inside the polling en-  
closure, and he may stay until the ballots  
are counted and the returns signed.
8. The usual proceedings in case of chal-  
lenges are provided for, there being five  
forms of oath for the various cases. False  
swearing lays one liable to the penalties of  
perjury. Inspectors are required to chal-  
lenge those they believe or suspect to be  
qualified voters.
9. In all cities and villages, and to town-  
ship having 100 or more voters, a railing or  
fence four feet high shall (and in towns with  
less than 100 may) be placed through and  
across the center of the room where the  
election is held, with a gate therein, the  
gate to be in charge of a gate keeper, no per-  
son to go inside the railing except the voter.  
Having voted the elector shall at once go  
out. No more are to be allowed within at  
one time than there are booths, one booth  
being required at each polling place, and no  
less than one for every hundred voters, and  
one additional if there be twenty-five voters  
more than the exact hundreds. The booth  
or temporary room to be not less than six  
feet high, and to be where the voter will  
pass through it and be concealed from view.  
Within this booth before polls open the in-  
spectors shall cause to be placed tickets of  
all political parties and slips of the several  
candidates if desired and furnished by them,  
and shall keep a supply of tickets therein.  
In towns where there are no booths, a table  
or desk is to be provided for the tickets, the  
railing and booths being optional with the  
township board in towns having less than  
100 voters.
10. At close of polls the number having  
voted is to be set down on poll list and sig-  
ned by inspectors. The ballot box must be  
well shaken, then opened, ballots taken out  
by one of the inspectors, one by one, opened,  
office and name read distinctly, the voter  
tallying accordingly, one for each candidate  
voted for. The inspector hands the ballots,  
to another inspector, who examines them,  
numbers them consecutively and strings  
them on a strong thread. When the num-  
ber of ballots taken out and read equals the  
number who voted, if there are any more  
ballots in the box, they are to be immedi-  
ately destroyed. If two or more ballots are  
found folded together they are to be im-  
mediately destroyed. If any ballot contains  
more names for an office than are required  
for that office, it is fraudulent so far as that  
office is concerned. As soon as the count is  
completed, the result, with number of votes  
for each candidate is to be immediately and  
publicly declared.
11. The gate keepers are peace officers  
at the elections with power equal to constables.  
A candidate for office cannot be a  
gate keeper. But one voter is allowed with-  
in the railing at a time, and must go out as  
soon as he has voted. The board may fix  
the time the voter may remain in the booth.  
It can't be less than one minute or more  
than five. There is a heavy penalty for in-  
terfering with the gate keeper in discharge  
of his duty.
12. No election can be held in any saloon  
or bar room, nor in any room or place con-  
tiguous thereto, and any person introducing  
any intoxicating liquor to the room where  
the election is held, and any inspector or  
clerk of election drinking any such liquor or  
being intoxicated in the election room, is sub-  
ject to a penalty not to exceed \$100 or 60  
days or both.
13. Any person furnishing an elector  
who cannot read a ticket and informing him  
falsely concerning any name or names there-  
on with intent to induce him to vote contrary  
to his inclination, or who shall deceitfully  
change a ballot of any voter, to prevent him  
from voting as he intended, is subject to  
fine of not over \$100, or imprisonment in  
jail not more than 90 days, or both.

## Corona.

Rev. E. J. Peacock delivered an eloquent  
sermon at the M. E. church last Sabbath  
evening.

Editor Gorsuch and Dept. Treas. George  
Mason, are taking in the Exposition at De-  
troit.

The following are the pensions granted  
the past week: Original, E. J. Cole, An-  
trim; S. D. Wilson, Hazelton; Mrs. Charlotte  
Wiltse, Burns. Increase, Robert F. Brad-  
ley, Owosso.

We are pained to announce that A. R.  
McBride had a severe hemorrhage last Sun-  
day evening, but we are pleased to say it has  
been checked and at the present writing he  
is much improved.

A reunion of the Mills family was held at  
the residence of John Mills, in Hazelton,  
Tuesday. There were present E. L. Mills,  
Henry Mills and wife of this city, S. S. Bush  
and wife of Hazelton, and Chas. Mills and  
wife, of Wisconsin.

On Monday, A. L. Chandler, Esq., went  
to Flint, and tried a case in the Genesee  
Circuit, involving the question of whether  
the Statutory action of forcible entry and  
detainer, was such a criminal action, that  
the arrest of a female, would be allowed  
under it. Judge Newton held the case to be  
a civil one, and discharged the defend-  
ant. The woman now threatens to sue all  
those who caused her arrest for false im-  
prisonment.

Nice new stock of Estey and Story &  
Clark organs just received by Mich. S. M.  
& Organ Co.