IN OUR PENINSULA.

Greenback conference at Allegan next Tuesday.

Battle Creek is organizing a military company.

John Shaw, of Big Rapids, has received $2,100 back pension.

A good photographer will find a fair opening at Negaunee.

The Jonesville carriage factory is to be removed to Kansas.

The Litchfield Light Guards will soon have new uniforms.

Nancy Robbins, one of the oldest residents of Niles is dead, aged 93.

The soldiers' and sailors' reunion this year will take place at Kalamazoo.

Only one Alpena saw mill is in operation, the others are waiting for logs.

The South Haven brick and tile company will begin work next Monday.

Muskegon will shortly get what she has long needed—a first class restaurant.

A company with a capital of $120,000 are about to bore for natural gas at Detroit.

Ann Arbor will not have a street railway and the shoemakers are again happy.

Mrs. Oliver Barney, of Battle Creek, fell off a chair Thursday and broke three ribs.

The Emmet rifles have received their new white helmets for the state encampment.

A farm house owned by Daniel Evans, a mile from Lapeer, burned Thursday loss, $2,000.

A fish oil factory has been established at South Frankfort, and is doing a good business.

The receipts for three nights of "The Chimes of Normandy" at Jackson will be about $600.

A mineral spring has been discovered at Burr Oak, near Kalamazoo, that gives great promise.

O. C. Brooks and Mrs. Helen B. Hicks, of St. Louis, have been sent to the northern insane asylum.

The Presbyterian church at Ionia is to receive $1,500 worth of improvements and thirty new pews.

Navigation to all Lake Superior ports is now open. The Winslow was the first boat into Marquette.

W. Hagar, proprietor of the Otsego grist mill, was drowned in the mill race Thursday. He leaves a wife.

Rumored that Hannah, Lay & Co. will sell all their pine, mills and dock at Traverse City to Muskegon parties.

The Cass county Pioneer society will picnic and get lonesome on lemonade and raised pie at Cassopolis, June 16.

The Coopersville cheese factory will be put in full commission Monday, soft cheese alone being made this season.

Garden, Delta county, has been incorporated, and has a population of about 1,000. The first election will be held May 10.

A Saginaw girl fell into a cistern and was rescued by a clerk in a bank. The young man now casts sheepish eyes at every passer-by he meets.

John B. Moloney, Internal Revenue Collector at Detroit, announces his intention of starting a cattle ranch out west when his term expires.

At the Lansing baby show 131 babies were exhibited. Floy Mott, aged two and one-half years, took the first prize as the handsomest female baby.

The safe in Gast n's saloon, at Brockway, was burglarized Thursday but the cracksmen had their all night's work for nothing—the safe was empty.

The Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad is building a hotel on West lake, near Kalamazoo, and has put on a small steamer to run in connection with trains.

The Jewel House hotel property at Vassar has been sold by the owner to Messrs Strickland & Wittenbrook, of Caro, who pay $10,000 for it and take possession next week.

Annie B. Russell, one of the most beautiful girls of Kalamazoo, aged 16, has fallen a victim to the wiles of a Chicago drummer named Donahue and has fled to lead a life of shame.

The men employed by the Lake Superior Iron Company, loading ore, struck at Ishpeming Thursday for a raise. They were getting $2.25 on an average. The strikers were promptly bounced.

The Lowell *Journal* will come out next week in an entire new dress of type and printed on a new fast press. Jimcrax Hine may have red hair, but you bet your life he will get there. P. S.—This is poetry.

"Jim" Kelly, the famous circus agent, has petitioned Detroit to be allowed a peanut stand in the city hall tower. With a beer hall on the lower floor and a peanut stand in the tower the rural citizens of Detroit ought to be satisfied.

An effort is being made at Vassar to have the Western Union Telegraph company establish an office in the village on Main st., there being no telegraphic facilities at present, except at the Michigan Central depot, half a mile away from the business section.

The White River Log and Boom Company commenced storing logs April 14. It is estimated that the first drive will scale 50,000,000 feet, and will reach Whitehall in forty or fifty days. The second drive is estimated at 15,000,000 or 20,000,000, and will come in the fall.

Michigan Patents.

For the week ending Tuesday April 27, 1886, compiled from the official records of the United States patent office:

W. J. Ackerman, Grand Rapids, bed slat fastener; N. Barnelle, Two Rivers, convertible chair; L. J. Bates, Detroit, elevator hatchway; C. S. Cannon, Galesburg, tether; D. W. Davis and W. G. Dettmer, Detroit, cash receiver; F. K. Hamlin and G. W. Smith, Albion, fire escape; J. W. Hewitt, Jackson, shifting rail for vehicles; A. J. Holt, Grand Rapids, multiple series system of electrical distribution; D. R. Jackson, Grand Rapids, adjustable shelving; W. S. Mommeney, Ellis, creamer; H. W. Roberts, Cheboygan, log road making machine; H. W. Simons, Bay City, curve; A. Simpson, South Creek, hay press; W. St. Mielowski, Grand Rapids, feed regulator for roller mills; E. E. Whipple, Eaton Rapids, running gear for wagons; W. J. Willits and E. W. Linsley, Three Rivers, car wheel; John Young, Litchfield, stock rack.

THE MARKETS

Office of F. V. Taylor, 37 Ottawa st., Grand Rapids, April 30.—Coffee. Wheat firm. Corn steady.

Chicago packers' receipts for twenty-four hours, 18,000 head; left over, 7,000. Live prices range $3.75@4.25 per cwt for pig weights.

Silver opened at above yesterday's closing prices, weakened under apprehensions of large deliveries tomorrow, but later improved on disappointing offering for shorts and closed quiet at quoted below.

Gold is very bothersome to the bankers and we never heard one pun.

Gambrill and Wood.

Purchasing quiet and a shade better than yesterday, latest prices not without any material change.

Today's range of prices:

	Opened.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closed.
Wheat—May	80½	80½	79½	79½
June	80¾	80¾	79¾	79¾
July	81½	81½	80	80½
Corn—May	27½	27½	27½	27½
June	27½	27½	27½	27
Oats—May	26	26	26	25½
Pork—May	8 10	8 10	8 07½	8 07½
Lard—May	5 40	5 40	5 37½	5 37½

Closed less Friday—Saturday.

Outside—No 1 white wheat closed April 79@80; May 80@80½; No 2 red wheat closed April 79@80; May 80@81.

New York Money Market.

New York, April 30.—Money closed at 2½ per cent. Exchange closed firm; posted rates, $484@485; actual rates, $483@485. Le ss days and $485@486 for demand.

Government bonds closed firm. Currency 6's 127 bid; 4's, coupon 125½ bid; 4½'s, 114½ bid.

State bonds closed quiet. Tennessee 6's 35 bid; 5's, 101 bid; Virginia 6's, 50 bid.

Chicago Railroad bonds closed: Lake Shore 107 bid; Michigan Central 90 bid; Illinois Central 110 bid; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul 70½ bid.

All kinds of whips and fly nets, etc., kept by T. Kinnament, 11 Crescent avenue.

PINE AND SILVER.

Maj. A. B. Watson Talks About Mississippi Pine and Arizona Mines—He is Favorably Impressed with Both.

The unmistakable figure of Major A. B. Watson, who has been roughing it west and south for the past two months and a half, is again seen on the streets of Grand Rapids. A reporter for the TELEGRAM-HERALD chanced to meet the genial gentleman at the Morton last evening and enjoyed a brief chat with him.

"Well," the Major said, "I've been roughing it for two months and a half down in Mississippi and Louisiana, in Texas and out in Arizona. I've been in the pine woods the cattle ranches and the mining camps Michigan men are investing quite extensively in Mississippi pine. Let me see. I think I can count a million and a half acres owned down there by men of our state. Yes, in some respects the southern pine is better than the Michigan article for it is free from knots. Take it up to where the branches grow and clear timber can be cut clean to the heart of the tree. It makes a better material for joist, beams and flooring. The color is red, but varies in dark and light shades thus forming an excellent material for oil finish. The United States hospital for infirm soldiers and sailors located at Hot Springs, Ark., has been in some of its apartments finished off in a wainscoting of this Southern pine, alternating dark with lighter colored stripes. It makes an excellent finish and looks like two varieties of wood. Mississippi is destined to become the successor to Michigan as the lumber state. The pine here will not be extensively cut a dozen years hence or even for fewer years than that."

"How are the mining interests out in Arizona?"

"They are quiescent now. You see the facilities for transportation are not good and the mine owners are waiting for railways to be constructed near their property before operations are pushed. While I was out there a gentleman was looking over a route for a road between Tucson and Florence. People don't buy prospects out there. A mine has to be opened first and then it sells for what it's worth. Excuse me a moment, please," and the major was engaged in conversation by another gentleman.

Yesterday's Court Record.

CHANCERY—Garrett Doyle vs. Catherine Doyle. Chancery. Order over ruling plea on usual terms and defendent given leave to answer upon payment of costs and stipulating that cause may stand for hearing at next term.——In the matter of the assignment of Frank Chickering, James D. Robinson, assignee, etc., vs. Edwin J. Phelps, et al. Order to show cause why injunction should not issue disallowed with costs.——Matilda Ellison vs. Thomas Almy and Joseph A. Manly. Assumpsit. Proceedings stayed ten days to enable plaintiff to propose amendments to findings.

SPECIAL—Martin L. Sweet vs. William Haldane. Assumpsit. On trial. Court adjourned until Monday.

PROBATE—Estate of William Carlton, deceased. Order admitting will to probate.——Estate of Henry Benken, deceased. Order admitting will to probate.——Estate of John P. Coade et al., minors. Guardian's third account filed.——Estate of Thomas Moshane et al., minors. Guardian's first account filed. In re Antonia F. Lansing, an indigent insane person. Order of admission to Michigan asylum for insane.——In re Edith Ware, adopted child. Order of adoption and change of name to Lillie May Bell.

PLEAS.—Caroline Bokien. Removing leased property. Adjourned to May 1.——May Noel. Disorderly. Acquitted.

COMMERCIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

SUNDAY AT REED'S LAKE.

Grand Balloon Ascension.

The coming of warm weather always creates the desire to get out of the city, at least for a few hours, for the fresh spring air of the fields and groves. Sundays being the only times which so many of our families can together enjoy such recreation, the street railway will start the "dummy line" for the season to the lake on Sunday next, and in connection with it will run its new open horse cars, the most expensive and elegant yet put on, affording the opportunity for a slight pastime at small expense.

Prof. Hogan has all arrangements completed for the balloon ascension at 5:30 p. m. Sunday.

Bargains for This Day Only.

One 5-stop Organ in first-class order, $40.
One 2-stop Organ in first-class order, $30.
One 11-stop Estey in first-class order, $65.
Three 9-stop Smith American in first class order, $40, $50, $60.
One 8-stop Chime of Bells, $85.
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Notice of Commissioners on Claims.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss
COUNTY OF KENT.

Probate Court for said county.

Estate of Alexander Whaldon, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Hon. Judge of Probate of said county, Commissioners on claims in the matter of said estate, and six months from the second day of March, A. D. 1886, having been allowed for said Judge of Probate, to all persons having claims against said estate, in which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment.

Notice is hereby given, that we will meet on Tuesday, the 27th day of April, A. D., 1886, and on Thursday, the 2d day of September, A. D., 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day, at the office of John Patton, Jr., second floor, Powers' block in the city of Grand Rapids, in said county, to receive and examine such claims.

Dated March 27, A. D., 1886.

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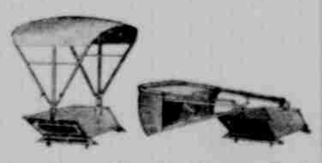

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