

PASSPORTS ON GRAND RAPIDS

NOMINATED FOR GOVERNOR OF NEW YORK ON THE FIRST BALLOT.

Cheers for Blaine and Harrison and Hisses for Cleveland and Bryan.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 9.—The Republican State convention was called to order at 12:30 today.

Rev. Dr. Stebbins offered prayer and the quietest "America," the audience joining in the chorus. The audience joining in the chorus. The audience joining in the chorus.

The platform adopted contained twenty-two planks endorsing President McKinley, William McKinley, and the National Bank.

Senator O'Steen, Woodford Fassett's name, and the name of William McKinley. The name of William McKinley.

King's county gave Woodford thirty-one votes and New York gave 133 votes. At 6:45 Fassett had a clear majority.

CAMPAIGN SCANDAL

OHIO'S SECRETARY STATE Accused of Jobbery.

COLUMBUS, Sept. 9.—The Cincinnati Enquirer this morning published a sensational article on the jobbery of the Ohio Secretary of State.

JUDGE COOLEY—WILL REST.

HE HAS RESIGNED FROM THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

ANN ARBOR, Sept. 9.—Judge Thomas Cooley, chairman of the interstate commerce commission, has handed in his resignation at Washington.

Denmark Wants Park.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—A cable received from Copenhagen today from the American minister to Denmark confirms the statement sent out from Copenhagen that an official order has been issued removing all restrictions to the importation of American goods.

SHOTS ON FINANCE.

[BY FARMER BRYNOLDS.]

Suppose Col. Bishop owed Judge Burlingame \$1000, the Judge having the check in his pocket for a year at eight per cent. But Burlingame happens to want \$900 for immediate use; and he goes to Bishop, (who happens to be flush) and says: "Colonel, I have your note for a \$1000 drawing 8 per cent, and want to borrow \$900 on it at 1 per cent interest, leaving your note as collateral security, to remain in your safe and draw the 8 per cent specified till final settlement. Will you accommodate me?"

Here you have the government for the Rocky Mountain idea, the National bank system of this country. The government takes its bonds from its bankers on safe deposit, and issues to the banks \$900 for every \$1000 of face value of bonds.

That the government has not ample funds at Washington, and out in its sub-treasuries in the various national bank vaults (drawing not a cent of interest), is all folklore. The secretary of the treasury will judge his bookkeeping as he will, but the record shows that there are fully \$100,000,000 in the national bank vaults, and locked up on circulation.

Cleveland's administration began the robbery and farce of having the government buy its own paper at a premium—\$100 in premiums above—blood money, and grossly inflated bonds.

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MENTALLY UNBALANCED.

A Deranged Lady Found Wandering on a Country Road.

Some farmers coming in from Alpine yesterday noticed a woman at the roadside and as they passed her she acted strangely. Mistaking that something was wrong they waited for her to come from a distance sufficient to avoid attracting her attention.

JOHNSON AS A FARMER.

He Thinks He Has Found the Man Who Clipped the Tail of James Dody's Cattle.

Detective Jake Johnson arrived in the city last evening much tanned and looking much like a farmer. He had been out on a long and arduous appearance he replied that he had just come from the country where he had been working on James Dody's farm in Ada.

Johnson more closely he stated that he had been a deputy sheriff working for Ada, placed the matter in the hands of the sheriff, and he had been working on James Dody's farm in Ada.

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The following officers were elected: Secretary, Rev. Wilbur E. Cogshall; assistant secretaries, E. B. Patterson and A. E. Craig; statisticians, H. J. Wheeler and R. K. Kimball.

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CURRENT STATE NEWS.

Jackson county is threatened with a potato famine. The potato crop is very small.

Red Jacket is considering a proposition for a street railway. The proposition is to build a street railway from the depot to the city.

Herbert G. Koppel of Zeeland, has accepted the appointment of instructor in the Michigan Normal School at Zeeland, Mich. He will leave for Zeeland on Monday.

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BUILT UPON THE SAND.

"PRINCE" RUSSELL'S PAPER CITY ON THE GULF COAST.

He is President of a Company That Bought in the Speculators at Aransas Pass. The Franchise Forfeited—Speculators Indignant.

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 9.—Two years ago the Aransas Harbor City and Improvement company acquired a good deal of sandy beach on the Gulf coast of Texas and received permission from congress to construct a deep water harbor at Aransas Pass and began advertising extensively in southern papers. A town was laid out and \$270,000 worth of lots sold at public outcry.

THE POPULAR MILL.

Grinds Out a Mixed Grain Yesterday—Mrs. Uford, Harry Dillabough and Ed. Warner, for plain drafts of the "equilibrium" fine, and in default of a fine for the same.

The morning session of Police court yesterday was a busy one. Will Uford, Harry Dillabough and Ed. Warner, for plain drafts of the "equilibrium" fine, and in default of a fine for the same.

A woman clad in white is terrorizing the streets of Grand Rapids. She is thought to be a woman who has been abandoned by her husband.

White John Keough was driving logs into the river at Thomasonville. He was seen to be driving logs into the river at Thomasonville.

CHILDREN ANNIVERSARY.

Children's Day will be celebrated on Monday, Sept. 16. The children of the city will be invited to participate in the celebration.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT FAIR.

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THE SCHOOL ELECTION.

The Board of Education will hold a meeting last night and canvassed the returns from the election of last Monday. Nothing was found to change the result as before announced.

THE MORNING PRESS

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CIRCULATION YESTERDAY: 9,250

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1901.

SUNDAY OPENING

We would not favor any act that would tend to break down a proper observance of the Sabbath.

This may be rest and recreation to a stunted, but when the soul is well disposed against such an observance of the day.

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OUTSIDE OF THE WORLD.

MAINE COAST DWELLERS WHO ARE BEHIND THE TIMES.

The Fishers' Mail of Backet Island and the Discouraged Citizen of Isle au Haut.

The residents of South Thomaston are, in common with those of other Maine coast towns, rather behind in the march of progress.

The innocence of the "we" people will not seem so very strange when it is recalled that the only other steamer that passes the island by night.

It is not very long since a few acres of rocky soil in outer Casco Bay, known as Backet Island, was deserted by the only people who ever had the courage to live there.

The man fished, while his wife and daughter carried on the farming operation which had been established in the island.

Just what she said will never be known, but she took a silk sponge and "put" him on all over your face and neck.

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SWALLOWED FIFTY KNIVES.

There are several well authenticated accounts of knife swallowing, as distinguished from the absurd swallowing of pieces of innocent jugglers.

Charles Cummings, who swallowed at different periods within the space of two years about fifty sharp knives.

This feat he afterward performed several times, and in Boston, in 1860, he swallowed in one evening a number of knives.

Happy Little Girl.

An interesting pair of cash girls got up six extra every evening from one of the big retail stores.

The taller girl invariably carries a novel in her hand, from which she reads aloud to her companion.

They go about in a swinging gait, keeping pace with the great hurrying, d'oclock throng.

They seem to be a pair of angels, and catch every syllable above the roar of the street.

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SALE OF FALL HATS.

WE Are always the First to Display New Goods and offer exceptional values from the start of the season.

Men's Wool Crushes, Black and Blue. Only 48c

Men's Fine Fur CRUSHES, Silk Lining, all colors and styles, only 98c

Knox and Dunlap, Fall Styles. Hatters' Price \$2.25; Our Price \$1.48

Superfine Derbys, with black silk lining and patent leather sweats. Regular \$3.50 Hat, only \$2.48

The Latest Broadway Silk Hat. Regular Hatters' Price \$5.00; Only \$2.98

Recognized Bargain Sellers Of This City.

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THE WESTERN MICHIGAN

Agricultural and Industrial Society

Announce that the Twelfth and Greatest of their Successful Fair Exhibitions will be held on their New and Inviting Grounds North of the City, on September 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18

Everything New, Convenient and Attractive. Largest and Handsomest Buildings for Fair Purposes in Any State.

All Easy of Access! All Rear Each Other!

Our main Exhibition Building, containing over 50,000 feet of floor space, covering all exhibits but stock, is an attraction in itself, being so well lighted every visitor may see all that daylight can reveal.

Our Stock Buildings are the most perfect for their purposes, all supplied with purest spring water. Every Building has a good floor. Our Grand Stand, 300 feet in length, seated with chairs will satisfy its patrons.

Our Race Track, like our Grounds and Buildings, calls forth universal commendation from every visitor.

Great Races on Tuesday. On Wednesday "NELSON" the fastest stallion in the world, will trot on our superb track to lower his record of 2:10 3/4. On Thursday, Horse and great 3 and 5 mile Bicycle race for valuable Gold Badges.

Other Grand Races and Attractions on Friday.

Come to Our Fair, Rain or Shine.

Our Grand Exhibition Building is only 420 feet from railroad station. Our well-roofed and floored buildings will protect Twenty Thousand People from Storm. Plank Walk between buildings.

HALF RATES ON ALL RAILROADS. The G. R. & L., the C. & W. M., and the Grand Rapids and Saginaw Railroads have a station opposite our entrance gate, where, during week of the Fair, all Passenger Trains will stop. Cheap, Frequent and Rapid Transit by three different lines of railroad between these Fair Grounds and the City. If you have anything to exhibit apply to Under Fourth National Bank, Grand Rapids, Mich.

We Will Sell

5 Cord of First-1/2 Inch French and Maple Wood at \$1.00 per Cord. We also have a large stock of Lumber, Cement, etc., which we wholesale and Retail at Lowest Possible Prices.

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DEATH NOTICES.

MARSHALL—The bereaved friends of the late Leonard S. Marshall, 66 West Bridge street, Tuesday, Sept. 2, 1903. Burial from the residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock.
HOLLAND—Of diphtheria, Wednesday, Sept. 3, 1903. The bereaved friends of the late William Holland, 362 W. 4th street. Burial from the residence, 25 Fourth street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.
Wind and Weather.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—For Lower Michigan: Generally fair, warmer; southerly winds.

CITY AND SUBURBS.

C. A. Gardner, the sweet-scented drummer (performer), is at the Morton.
To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams of 29 McClelland street—an elegant pound girl.
W. D. Phelps of the Soldiers' Home was brought to the city yesterday for being drunk and disorderly.
Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willson of Chippewa Lake, are visiting Mrs. Willson's cousin, Mrs. Maude Barhart, of 125 Clinton street.
If you expect to travel today it may be well to consult the time table on the card which appears in another column this morning.

A Small Cyclone at the Falls.
The cyclone which the Clinton Home on Sunday was the perpetrator of an atmospheric commotion at the falls the like of which has not been known since the memory of the oldest inhabitant. Between 6 and 7 o'clock heavy black clouds appeared as the herald of what proved to be a cyclone of small proportions, though fortunately it did not paralyze the little destruction of property on the plaza of the City. Observers soon saw that the first force of the wind was being felt at the bottom of the ravine where the canal crosses the river.

It lifted up the immense bank of gray that drenches the passenger of the Maid of the Mist when they approach town, and carried it up above the falls in a huge swirl that resembled the boiling smoke from some lofty chimney. For a few moments the canal was covered over, then up the banks—Buffalo Commercial.

Three Irings on the Stage.
It has been known for some time past that Mr. Irving's elder son, Harry, is about to go upon the stage. A similar resolution has now been taken by his second son, Lawrence, who is now in honor of Mr. Irving's old friend, John Law. This young man, Lawrence Irving was destined for the diplomatic service, as his father's brother was in that line; but that view was sent to St. Petersburg some time ago to learn languages.

Salmon in the Merrimack.
Fish Commissioner E. B. Dodge of Plymouth, says there are now more salmon in the Merrimack river than at any time since the Lawrence dam was built, forty years ago, and he thinks can carry back to the sea more than he caught twenty-two fine ones at Plymouth. They are, however, being furnished to the city for the dining room at Garvin's Falls, at the expense of the city.

They are Long since Dead.
Harrison G. Miller, while crossing the premises of George B. Haskell in Rochester four days ago, found a hand trued marked as follows: "J. E. Oct. 21, 1818; S. C. 1818; W. S. 1837; W. C. E. 1831; 1859; without a name. The trued was, without a doubt, a man grown when first marked, and at this day is probably more than 100 years old, as he seems to be now carried off when liberated, it is good for another century. The initials "S. C." and "W. S." were undoubtedly inscribed by Sam. H. Chapman, the New England Statesman who were young men and residents in the vicinity at the dates of 1818 and 1827—New Bedford Standard.

The Winter Apple Crop is Short.
A large shortage in winter apples is predicted by the New England Statesman, on the basis of 1,000 specific reports from the commercial orchard regions of the United States and Canada. A heavy crop of fall apples is admitted, Maine has an even poorer crop than last year, and while the production in the other New England States is good, New York is considerably above the unprecedented shortage of 1890, the average of 1891 to 1899 is but fifty-two percent compared with thirty-eight last year, 100 representing a full crop.

The Glass Trochus Case.
A novelty for traveling in this season has been the glass trochus case. The description of this is remarkably good. The trouble was a problem to the family packer, unless every member chances to possess their own set of receptacles for the trochus. The long toothbrush glass, with nickel stopper, now well supplements the rubber sponge back and the metal soap box, all of which articles are now sold individually and inexpensively.—New York Times.

Unappreciated Curiosity.
Can any one tell why a lady that died the week at the old residence of the estate of only her four danghts that had been handled by thousands of people in all parts of the country and all conditions of life, still carry like a child from her purse, hold it in her teeth till she closes her pores, and then hand it over to the street car conductor? Can any one offer any excuse for such a filthy habit?—Cuba Observer.

Portrait of a Granddaughter of Phyllis.
The little girl, who is about four years of age, is remarkably good. She is dressed in a white muslin frock, holding a few flowers in her hand. She is a sister of the little girl, who is the daughter of Sir John's eldest daughter, who married Captain James—London Standard.

They are No. 100 Wood Lane.
George G. H. Wood, who is near Edgemont, attended a reunion at Newburyport, Mass. A few years ago Horton had some log born off a tree, a massive log. He undertook to walk from Newburyport to Edgemont, and becoming tired, he had to be carried to a hospital for medical use. San Francisco Chronicle.

Change of Time O. R. & L. E. R. R.
The following schedule will take effect Thursday, September 10, 1893:
GOING NORTH.
Leave for Traverses.
City. 7:05 a.m. 11:30 a.m.
Leave for Petoskey.
City. 7:05 a.m. 11:30 a.m.
Leave for Cadillac.
City. 7:05 a.m. 11:30 a.m.
Leave for Saginaw.
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The well-known Spanish Medium has arrived and can be interviewed daily by the ladies and gentlemen of Grand Rapids as a business and moral adviser, also spiritual healer. She is highly educated and is thoroughly competent to advise on all life's joys and sorrows, and the causes given to ladies and their weakness. Valuable secrets known only to the Spanish nobility, satisfied for the most reasonable. No. 18 Ramson street, corner from Fulton. No sign. —Central Rapids.

For a boiler of clothes use two-thirds of a can of soap and four-tablespoons of kerosene. Measure the quantity both of soap and kerosene for a hot wash. Put cold rain water—kerosene in the boiler, to the depth of three or four inches above the soap. Measure the quantity to add both to the water while it is cold. Roll together thoroughly, watching that it does not run over on the stove. Then add soap and water to both the clothes and in put them in—the best white ones while the water is cold. Bring to a boil, and wash for ten minutes.

MARKETS BY WIRE.
NEW YORK, FINANCIAL.
NEW YORK, Sept. 9—Money, steady at 3 3/8 per cent.
STOCKS—Strong and steady.
GOVERNMENT BONDS—Fours 119 1/8; steel, 110; wheat, 90.
NEW YORK GRAINS AND PRODUCE.
Sept. 9—Wheat—Receipts and shipments: September, 10,000; October, 15,000; November, 12,000; December, 8,000; January, 6,000; February, 4,000; March, 3,000; April, 2,000; May, 1,000; June, 500.

LEONARD'S GREAT BALLOON ASCENSIONS.
Have you been to Leonard's GREAT BALLOON ASCENSIONS?
Dinner Set Sale?
AND
PARACHUTE JUMPS, ON Wednesday, Thursday and Friday FOR \$4.98!

LOCAL MARKETS.
FINANCIAL.
The bank clearings for the past week are as follows: Monday, \$22,514,000; Tuesday, \$25,858,000; Wednesday, \$25,882,000; Thursday, \$25,063,000; Friday, \$22,118,730; Saturday, \$4,858,000. Total, \$180,663,000.

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