

WALLACE'S PATENT

SHERRIFF AND TROOPS ATTEMPT TO SEIZE WALLACE'S PATENT. They Wreath the Track for Half a Mile...

HORRIBLY PUNISHED.

White Cape Indict a Most Dastardly Outrage on an Indiana Woman. Mrs. Harmon, Ind., was one of the most successful White Cape outrages...

LEAD MINE AT CHANDLER.

One of the Settlers shot by the Military-Teammate's Boom "Busted." GUTHRIE, O. T., Sept. 26.—A courier from Chandler tonight says...

THE CABLE'S GOSPEL.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Mr. Kennedy, British minister to Chili, has been censured for sending a cable to the Chilean government...

NEGRO MURDERERS LYNCHED.

GEORGIA, Ala., Sept. 26.—Two negroes were captured near this place yesterday for the murder of Conrad Knight near Farm, Ala. When arrested the two men had on them \$400 and a pistol which they admitted were the property of the murdered man.

LOWERED THE FIVE MILE RECORD.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—C. W. Donahoe of Chicago, who recently broke the five mile bicycle record, today rode twenty miles, again distinguished himself today in the five mile invitation handicap race at the Parkside tournament.

TRIBUTE TO PATROLMAN O'NEIL.

Action Taken by the Police Relief and Benevolent Association. The Grand Rapids Police Relief and Benevolent association held a meeting last evening at the police court rooms to honor the late Patrolman O'Neil.

Resolved, That by his death this noble and gallant soldier of the law has left behind him a name which will live forever in the hearts of his fellow citizens.

ILLEGAL COMMITMENTS.

A Decision that May Conserve Several Inmates of the Jail. Judge Durbin yesterday in the case of the people against Joseph B. Cooper for breaking jail directed the jury to return a verdict of not guilty, and the defendant was discharged.

COTTON PICKERS HIOT.

Sanguinary Battle With Guns and Knives on an Arkansas Plantation. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 26.—Late reports received from Arkansas today show that trouble between the cotton pickers on Major Brandon's plantation culminated in a riot this afternoon.

KILLED ON A CROSSING.

Joseph Black, His Wife and Two Daughters Struck by the Limited Mail. Chicago, Sept. 26.—Joseph Black and wife accompanied by their two daughters while driving over a railway crossing west of this city at noon today were struck by the limited mail which was running at the speed of thirty miles an hour.

DISASTROUS PRAIRIE FIRE.

Three Men and Whole Herds of Cattle Burned in Dakota. ERENDAKE, Dak., Sept. 26.—Word comes from Emmons county that the whole east end of the county has been swept by a prairie fire, in which three men lost their lives and many families were driven from their homes.

THE XMAS-ALERTON RACE.

Another dispatch was received from Dr. J. Leathers yesterday in which he says there will probably be no race meeting here in December county say that the great Nelson-Alerton race, which will take place a week from next Thursday. The great race is attracting a crowd, such as is seldom witnessed on a race course, will be in attendance.

AN ARKANSAS MURDER.

LOUISVILLE, Ark., Sept. 26.—Dr. Frank Chisholm was shot and instantly killed here today by John Stewart. The murder was the result of an old feud. The murderer is in jail.

M. M. WOODWORTH, SECRETARY.

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TWO SIDES TO THE TALE.

Another Version of Little Mabel Robertson's Punishment and Cruel Treatment From Her Father and Stepmother. Like all cases, the one brought in the probate court yesterday by W. G. Robertson, a brother of James Robertson, as an unfit person to have the custody of his daughter Mabel has been the subject of it from one old story to another.

It was attempted to be shown that there was an old feud in the family. In this part of the proceedings it came out that the child had lived with its grand parents in Owosso; that the county agent had partially investigated the case and reported that the child was in the custody of her father and stepmother.

A stock company comprising H. D. Pesse of Quincy, and C. B. Baw, J. C. Caldwell, have secured control of the Waterloo Sun Publishing company for \$8,000.

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CURRENT STATE NEWS.

Lake Michigan is said to have fallen 18 inches since June 1. Port Huron business men contemplate building a \$100,000 hotel in that city in the near future.

Rev. J. J. Walker, pastor of the Congregational church of Wayland, has resigned his pastorate. He is now in charge of a fortune Paw Paw man, has fallen heir to \$60,000 by the death of a relative in Texas.

George Shroyer, a 67-year-old St. Clair boy, employed in a cooper shop, was caught in a belt, thrown to the floor and instantly killed.

The name of a fall even unto beasts. A dog owned by a namesake of Jefferson Davis bit Mrs. J. Wilson at Big Rapids and was promptly shot.

The exact location of Cashier Kirby of the defunct Marshall bank was ascertained by the Michigan State Bank. Kirby was a resident of Grand Rapids and quite a bundle of money, and it is not believed that it was all squandered.

Henry Kery of Kalamazoo was arrested for burglary and escaped from the jail at Kalamazoo. He was arrested and convicted on trial and sentenced to three years in Jackson prison by Judge Barry.

About 150 men are now employed in the quarries at Grandstone City, the largest of the quarries in Michigan. The quarries are valued at \$100,000 annually. Considerable building work is also being done.

Benton Harbor Methodists will organize a new society for the sake of keeping their church open. The society is being organized by the church members.

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HIGH PRICED PATENTS.

Suit for Fifty Thousand Dollars Against W. S. Gunn for Expressing His Opinion of an Invention. Long list of Petty Offenders Who Settled With Judge Westfall Yesterday.

Mr. B. L. T. Bush and Albert L. T. Bush, by Mahor & Salisbury, yesterday commenced suit in the Superior court against W. S. Gunn, making him defendant in a plea of trespass on the case. The declaration first discloses the identity of letters patent on a certain improvement in bases for furniture, which letters are dated Aug. 19, 1890; that on July 30 of the same year plaintiff, Martin T. Bush, sold an interest in the letters patent to Albert L. T. Bush; that the invention and letters patent were of great value, to-wit the sum of \$50,000; that the plaintiffs were without means to manufacture the invention and being desirous of selling the said letters patent and the right to manufacture they entered into an agreement with Charles E. Whitcomb and others for the purpose of selling the same.

On Wednesday evening next the comic opera "Pearl of Pekin" will be produced at the Grand Rapids opera house. The production is a new one and is being imported from China and includes a number of handsome and shapely young ladies. The company is the best ever seen in the city.

An entire new company will appear at Smith's opera house this week. It embraces some of the best specialty companies in the city.

The Wonderful attractions for the week are immense. The managers are sparing no expense to give as good a show as any of the high class museums in the city. The program is largely duplicated in any city of this size in America.

Geo. Keenan, the famous Siberian comedian, will open on Hartman's lecture course at the big hall a week from next Thursday evening. Sale of seats for adults at 9 o'clock on Thursday morning.

"Ziz" was the attraction at Redmond's last evening and will be given again tonight. The play is presented by a company, is moral in tone and teaches humanity's greatest lesson—charity for all.

The "Two Orphans," with Kate Claxton and Chas. Stevenson in the cast, will be given at the Grand Rapids opera house on Thursday night.

Dr. Jackson returns. In the Fountain Street Baptist church a course of lectures to workmen on "Social Problems." The following is the program for the week: Monday, Sept. 27, we are all Socialists.

Oct. 4, Communism in the New Testament. Oct. 11, Looking Backward. Oct. 18, Friends and Enemies of Labor. Oct. 25, A Model Social System.

The Misses Gage and Benedict. The Misses Gage and Benedict will hold a social at the Grand Rapids opera house at Army hall, Iowa street. The children's school will be open Saturday afternoon Oct. 3, at 3 o'clock. The school for adults will be open on Tuesday night, October 6, and after the regular class a hop will be held from 9:30 to 12 o'clock on Wednesday night.

No notice sold in the state can compare with O'Hara's \$3.00 shoes.

POLICE COURT MATTERS.

Long list of Petty Offenders Who Settled With Judge Westfall Yesterday. Four plain drunks stood before Judge Westfall yesterday and pleaded guilty. The present term Frank McManis, the woman who had their drunk carted to the jail in the ambulance, paid \$30 and \$4 costs. Annie Kuc cancelled her debt by paying the costs and A. D. Kowalski, charged with drunk escape on suspended sentence, William Collins, for fast driving, was committed for 30 days in default of \$15.35.

Michael P. Willis, being disorderly, paid \$5.35. Mike Piro, Willis Bromeyer and Leo Lobbakoski, the boys who stole lead from Mrs. Meyersbach, escaped on payment of costs with sentence deferred until Sept. 28. The case against William Tillman and Harmon Olson, for receiving money stolen from Zinsner's meat market, was continued for another day.

L. Grabowsky, charged with soliciting street trades for a second-hand store, was committed for 30 days until Oct. 2. Joseph Cummings, charged with larceny from the person, was held for trial at the present term. The case against C. S. Burrows, charged with larceny from the person, was continued for another day. The case against Leonard De Bruin, charged with being a nuisance, had his case adjourned until the next term. The case against Jacob Roast was nolle prosequi. The grand jury case against Joseph Roast, charged with stealing a span of horses, went over to October 14.

Patrick Scully's saloon case was continued to October 14. The Anderson case against the Andersons was continued for another day. The case against Clarence Scott and Gus Brown, for receiving stolen goods, was continued for another day. The case against Jacob Roast was nolle prosequi.

Church Service Announcements. Fountain Street Baptist—Rev. Jno. L. Jackson, D. D., pastor. Usual services morning and evening. In the morning at 10 o'clock, in the evening at 7 o'clock. Graves for many years pastor of this church. In the evening Dr. Jackson will commence a course of lectures on "Social Problems." Subject, "We Are All Socialists."

The New Church—Rev. George Henry Dole, pastor. Services at the usual hour, morning and evening. Evening subject, "Death and Resurrection." What is the meaning of the resurrection? Adult class at the close of the morning service. Lecture Wednesday evening.

Second Street M. E.—Rev. W. Henry Thompson, pastor. No service in the morning. In the evening at 7 o'clock. Preaching in the evening by Rev. A. Smith of the Ames church. Subject, "The Christian's Mission." 7 p. m.; Epworth service at 6:30 p. m. Young Men's hall at 9:30 a. m.

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THE VAN VOORHIS CASE.

TESTIMONY FAVORABLE TO THE DEFENDANT. AN TAKEN YESTERDAY. Ruford and His Father Both Testify in Favor of Mrs. Van Voorhis—The Plaintiff Attempts to Buy Evidence at Carson City.

The taking of testimony in the Van Voorhis divorce case was resumed yesterday afternoon before Judge Groves. John Watson of Carson City, was the first witness called. He swore that a year ago, when working with Martin Shuman and a man named Long, Van Voorhis came in, and speaking to Sherman said if Sherman would appear as a witness in the divorce case then pending he would pay well for the service. Van Voorhis further observed that he would pay the woman if it cost him all the money he had.

The witness was closely cross-examined but made no change in his testimony as taken on direct examination. W. P. Wilson, father of Frank Purford, with whom it was charged that Van Voorhis was criminally intimate, was placed on the stand and swore that he knew Mrs. Van Voorhis when she lived in Carson City. She was a music teacher and played the organ at the Methodist church. "I boarded with her mother over a year. My son also boarded in the family as did also three or four clerks. It was a very quiet place and all the neighbors were good people like members of a family than boarders. Remember the marriage. My son was treated the same as the rest and was never given any advantages over the other boys. My son was a very good boy. Mrs. Van Voorhis' mother. After the divorce she also went there. I do not recall that she ever came there any other times; he also came to this story related to the testimony by Mrs. Van Voorhis. My son was here he was taken sick. Mrs. Van Voorhis and my son went out together and they were together for a week or two, and I believe he carried the umbrella one Sunday night for Mrs. Van Voorhis. I never knew my son was in trouble in Carson City with Mr. Richardson's daughter. He did not run away from the house. He was in my way to my knowledge. He went to Canada once or twice to see his brothers. He never knew my son was here he ran away from home to escape trouble."

J. Froe, from whom Frank Purford rented his rooms, was sworn, but as he had no recollection of the case, his part of the time he could not give any information, only as to the location of the rooms. He was then sworn by Frank Purford the man charged with adultery with Mrs. Van Voorhis was a very good man. He never knew my son was in trouble in Carson City with Mr. Richardson's daughter. He did not run away from the house. He was in my way to my knowledge. He went to Canada once or twice to see his brothers. He never knew my son was here he ran away from home to escape trouble."

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NOTES FROM THE FIELD. A despotic government has its advantages, and among them is the easy collection of a debt, provided the ruler is friendly to the creditor. Ahmed Vefdy, a Turkish statesman, was once governor of Broussa, and this story is told of his paternal rule.

Some weeks since the state Alliance of Wisconsin, which was a part of the national or open Alliance, held its annual meeting, at which time the matter of joining the Grand Alliance was referred to the local organization. A majority of them have voted in favor of the coalition, and State Secretary Moody has made application for a state charter.

A huge effort is being made by the old party organs to make the public believe that the Missouri Alliance repudiated the Missouri plan, and while they are trying to make this impression they are also trying to find some good reason for cheering for joy. They have made more fuss over this one state than did any other.

There were far more than enough delegates in the Alliance convention who favored the plan to give it an endorsement by a large majority. Senator Ferris put it right when he said that had this been a Democratic or Republican convention there would have been a kind of majority rule law and decision without reference to the wishes of the minority. But inasmuch as it was an Alliance meeting Alliance principles were observed, and each individual member can now have an opportunity to express his opinion in a free and untrammelled manner.

State Secretary J. W. Dallison, of the Arkansas Alliance, writes the Reform Press Bureau as follows: "I have just returned from a grand success. The utmost harmony prevailed. Applications for charters are coming in now at the rate of about three per day. We are now in the order this fall and winter. We endorsed the Omaha demands on a roll call of counties—49 for and 1 against to present the principle of county autonomy that has been our ideal. We elected three delegates to the Washington conference, Feb. 22, 1902."

The national executive committee of the N. E. A. and U. I. in connection with the local committee at Indianapolis, are arranging an interesting and comprehensive programme for the supreme council, which meets in this city next November. The session will be of a week's duration, perhaps longer—and it is contemplated to have speakers present representing industrial organizations. There will be sermons by Rev. Dr. Talmege and Rev. Thomas Dixon, of New York; and it is proposed to have an able lecturer to present the principle of the Rochdale co-operative system of England.

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A huge effort is being made by the old party organs to make the public believe that the Missouri Alliance repudiated the Missouri plan, and while they are trying to make this impression they are also trying to find some good reason for cheering for joy. They have made more fuss over this one state than did any other.

There were far more than enough delegates in the Alliance convention who favored the plan to give it an endorsement by a large majority. Senator Ferris put it right when he said that had this been a Democratic or Republican convention there would have been a kind of majority rule law and decision without reference to the wishes of the minority.

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Our GREAT ANNIVERSARY SALE continues but 3 days longer. Avail yourself of the opportunity of securing the choice of all Suits and Overcoats left from last year, valued at \$14, \$16 and \$18, for only \$10.

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BUY A Harness, Saddle, Whip, Robe, BLANKET, TRUNK, TRAVELING BAG, OR anything in our line at a Big Reduction and give the rest of your money to charity. PAUL EIFERT, 41 South Division Street.



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Wind and Weather.
Washington, Sept. 7.—For Lower Michigan: Fair weather; cooler in evening; warmer in northwest portion; winds shifting to westerly.

CITY AND SUBURBS.

An apple tree in full bloom is to be seen on Morris avenue.
To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Semey, of 485 Ottawa street, an eight pound boy.

Benjamin the constable, Germania hall tonight, by Wurtzberg & Bronson's band.
Hennings W. Burroughs was clothed with the power of a deputy sheriff yesterday.

John Grayson was arrested yesterday in Sharpley's saloon on suspicion of larceny.
Mrs. Charles Hayden of Leadville, Col., is the guest of Mrs. H. D. Brown of 95 Fountain street.

Mrs. E. R. Jackson of Warsaw, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Keith, of 215 North College avenue.
Nelson House of Rockford, is a lodger at the county jail for contempt of court. The time of service is five days.

Mrs. C. M. Payson, of 103 Monroe street, has returned from New York with the latest fall styles in dressmaking.
The Oratorio society will not meet as usual tomorrow night owing to the absence of Professor Morehead in Columbus, O.

The return of Justice DeWitt in the examination of Red Hickey for perjury and larceny was filed yesterday with the county clerk.
Rev. Dr. Graves, formerly pastor of Fountain Street Baptist church, will address the congregation of that church this morning.

There will be no more agitation of the Sunday observance question in this city as presented by the American Sabbath Union; so says Rev. Mr. Burgess.
Geo. E. Perry will leave Wednesday next for Washington to take up his residence in that state if it suits him. He will return here again in November.

Daniel M. Adams has commenced suit in the Circuit court against Prince E. Brown and John Schler to recover certain goods taken by them on an execution.
Edward Teller commenced suit yesterday in the Circuit court against the Ohio Farmers' Insurance company to recover on an insurance policy in the sum of \$500.

The dancing classes conducted by Misses Gage and Benedict will open the season next Saturday afternoon as announced in a card which appears in another column.
Sneak thieves Friday night tapped the money drawer at Iris C. Hatch's grocery store securing \$17. How the entrance was effected is a mystery, but the police are investigating.

The South End Dramatic club will give their drama, "Reclaimed" next Wednesday evening, at Greenwood hall, 6 Canal street, for the benefit of the Champlin Relief Corps.
Laura Thayer of Ada, by her father as next friend, filed a bill in equity in the Circuit court yesterday making Willard Thayer, defendant, in a suit for divorce on the grounds of non-support.

The Jewish Benevolent society of this city has placed the family of Russian refugees, who arrived here Thursday, in a house on the West Side and supplied them with food and medical attendance.
Rev. W. J. Russell will address the good will conference meeting at the Mullen block this afternoon at 3:30. C. M. Alden will sing a solo and Miss Clara Wheeler will give one of her beautiful recitations.

Jacob Ledewick swore out a warrant for the arrest of William Carrman, charging him with adultery. Mrs. Margaret Ledewick, wife of complainant, is the secondary consideration in the warrant.
The patrol wagon was called to the Fremont street last evening to take other of those pleads (7) entertained more so frequently given by the incorrigible "dold."

Prof. Morehead reached Columbus, O., Friday evening and yesterday telegraphed his friends to announce the death of Gen. O. H. Wilcox, the father of Mrs. Morehead and one of the most distinguished military officers in Ohio.
Judge Grove yesterday entered an order in the chancery case brought by Mrs. Nelson against the estate of her late husband, al. dismissing the bill from court without costs as per the agreement between the solicitors for both parties to the suit.

President Thayer is authority for the statement that he has not received one of the gate receipts on the day he lowered his record here. He denies that there is any discrepancy, and says one or any trouble with the horse association.
The special committee on the condemnation of toll roads, within the city limits, listened to propositions from the different companies to be sold, but reached no decision. The propositions will be referred to the council at its meeting tomorrow morning.

Fire yesterday morning damaged the double building at 677 North Front street owned by L. J. Jensen of Grandville, and occupied by Joseph Hinman and Bin Gans and their family about \$50 worth of goods, and is claimed as the origin of the fire.
The funeral of Mrs. Della Pomeroy, who died at her home in Kansas City Thursday was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of her mother in this city. The services were conducted under the auspices of a fraternal chapter Order of the Eastern Star.

Democratic ward caucuses will be held Wednesday to select delegates to the city Democratic county convention, which is to elect delegates to the congressional convention. The county convention will be held next Friday afternoon in the Circuit court room.
John N. Deville, Jr., commenced chancery proceedings in the Circuit court yesterday against Under Sheriff Walsh to restrain him from enforcing a lien recently issued out of the Circuit court directing the sheriff to foreclose on two lots in Fisher's addition to the city.

The Chicago newspaper war has ended and the papers in that city have resumed the management of their own circulation from the Western News company and in the future will deal direct with the news. It is expected prices will advance after Oct. 1.
The subject of Rev. Miss Tupper's talk this evening will be "Felix Holt, the Radical" of the novel by George Eliot, that deals with the problem of the laboring people of the early part of this century, and is of interest to all those pressing subject at the present time.

Mrs. M. G. Bromley of Grand Rapids Hive of Lady Knights of Macabees, has been appointed deputy lady great commander of the Michigan division and Lyman Trumbull of Illinois, Yameo R. Deolittle of Wisconsin, David Davis

of this is the highest honor that can be conferred on a lady member of the order and Mrs. Bromley's many friends will be pleased to learn of her appointment.

Judge Adist yesterday in the assumption case brought by William B. Charles and Charles Taylor, against the Manufacturers Mutual Fire Insurance company ordered a judgement for the surviving plaintiffs, William B. and Charles F. Taylor in the sum of \$1,805 and costs.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Eggo of 650 Cult avenue, gave them a pleasant surprise last evening, the occasion being the celebration of their wedding anniversary. An enjoyable time was had by all and many valuable presents were left in remembrance of days gone by.

Mrs. J. H. Horton, assisted by Mrs. W. H. Meach and Richard Grayson, has been in charge of the grand attractive concert of Tuesday evening in St. Marks North Grand street Mission hall, No. 18 Plainfield avenue. At the conclusion of the vocal and instrumental programme, choice refreshments will be served without extra charge.

They Come and Go.
Harry L. Creswell, for the past year or more telegraph editor on the Democrat, has resigned and will leave next Thursday for Philadelphia, where he will engage in historical work for a few months. His family will remain here for the present.

Elton D. Fuller, who has been working hotels and interviews for the Democrat, the following reduced class rates, west bound, will be put in effect to Grand Rapids: From New York and Boston, 72, 62, 48, 34, 29, and 24 cents; from Philadelphia, 66, 56, 42, 27, and 23 cents. Other west-bound rates from various eastern points will be reduced in same proportion.

Lower Freight Rates.
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The Washington Irving's Works.
The Irving was one of the kindest of men and one of the most modest and least self asserting of authors. He is best known to the public, however, that Irving was (and apparently according to his own "Letters," by the counsel of overzealous friends) to place his name on a certain book, of no commercial value of some of the earlier of his writings and that Murray, having overpersuaded himself to accept the author's estimate, became the owner of the publication of some of Irving's most famous books. Irving's later arrangements with his American publisher, the late G. P. Putnam, under which the publisher, in place of speculation in the volume by paying it gross-worth advance prices for the copyright, paid a royalty on the copies actually sold, proved much more satisfactory for both author and publisher and produced for the author and his heirs a substantial income extending over thirty years.—George E. Putnam in Forum.

She Hadn't Made Up Her Mind.
Rev. Dr. Fay was summoned to the door on night by a woman, who announced that she had come to marry. She was invited into the parlor and two men entered with her, one seated himself on a stool and the other the minister approached to perform the marriage service he inquired, "Which is the groom?"

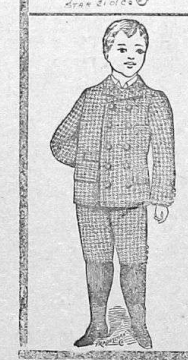
"I replied the bride, 'I haven't decided yet. I thought I wouldn't till they both stood up.'
The minister and astonished clergyman refused to proceed with the service, and his callers went elsewhere.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Good Man Goes Wrong.
"Is Nelson again to be a good novelist before his baby was to be?"
"Who did that affect his work?"
"His style was ruined by the books he had read on ethics and religion. When he began 'What is this?' This story he began 'Is a blond? Yes, he is a blond, and his name is William Wilcox. I do not think William Wilcox is a pretty name, do you? You do? Well, so did I did M. D. Brompton. See the house with the green shutters. That is where M. D. Brompton lives with her aunt. Have you an aunt?"

"What a shame!"—Harp's.
A Live Business Man.
"Who do you find trade?" asked a reporter of this paper of Harry Newman, manager of the City Clothing store, 102 Canal street. "Well, considering the warm weather it is first rate. You see we are doing a good deal for the class of union labor in this city, while all the clothing stores in the part of the town are wide open until 9 and 10 o'clock. We close every evening at 6 o'clock except Wednesday and Saturday. This, of course, is appreciated by the working classes. Every day we are better prepared this fall than ever before to meet the wants of the laboring man in both work made and wide tail clothing, and especially in overcoats we have a handy line from a \$2.50 overcoat to the finest Kersey Melton, Cheviot or Chinchilla and those men's \$1.25 working pants we are advertising so much is the best that is made. Every man's good work and well made. No working man in the west of a pair of pants should be without a pair of them. Don't fail to see Harry for a bargain."

Marriage Licenses.
Number.
642—Mrs. Halliday, city, Ida Knappman, Age 64—Spring Lake, Mich.
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What Causes the Rush?
FINE WORKMANSHIP.
CAUSES THE RUSH AT.
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W. P. SHEPHERD, PROPRIETOR.



ALLERTON VERSUS NELSON.
We Are No Judges of Horses, Betting is Out of Our Line,
But we will wager anything less than \$100,000 that when this trotting match takes place Thursday, October 8, between Allerton and Nelson, that Grand Rapids will be the best advertised city in the United States.
\$2.75
\$3.50
\$5.00
\$7.50 to 10.00.
STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

GENERAL INFORMATION.
Notices inserted in this column under classified heads for one cent per word for one day and one half cent per word for each subsequent insertion—payable in advance; no advertisements for less than ten insertions.
WANTED—A good washer and ironer, 177 Lawrence street.
WANTED—An active young man at once; good pay for right party. Room 19 Webster building.
WANTED—30 laborers at the Grand Rapids Vapor works.
WANTED—Two dining room girls and a foot waiter. A. E. Livingston, 91 and 93 Lyon street.
FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Two new houses on Sherman street, near Henry, for \$1,000 each on easy terms. Inquire at 71 Sherman street, or 25 Madison street.
FOR SALE—One heavy work team, weight 2,000 lbs., four and five years old. Inquire of Wren & Fisher, Central school building, 25 Madison street.
FOR SALE—A large billiard and pool room, 20 South Division street, containing 100 seats, with a billiard table and pool table for city property. Inquire 184 East Putnam street, Room 12.
FOR SALE—\$1,000. If sold this week, an eight telephone box on the corner of Fremont and Second streets, Fremont & Taylor, Telephone 123.
FOR SALE—A land contract on two lots which were assigned to a client of mine as security for a loan. Has been forfeited and is for his interest for sale for \$700 cash. There is \$200 more on the contract. Closing on February 1st, and the lots are worth \$600. They will be sold for less than one third of the original cost. J. S. Sours, 14 Wondrously building, Room 209.

Fall Specialties.
In Dress Goods on Monday, Tuesday AND Wednesday SEPTEMBER 28, 29 AND 30, 1891.
AT HOFFMASTER'S, 78 AND 80 WEST BRIDGE STREET.
One Case of 36-inch Plaids and Striped Dress Goods, worth 12 1/2, at... 65c
36-inch Diagonal Corinthian Cloth, regular 15c goods, at... 10c
27-inch Wool Cashmeres, a bargain at 30c, special price at... 12 1/2c
One Case of Double Twisted Albert Cloth, worth 25c, at... 15c
One Case of 36-inch Vernon Wool Suitings, worth 25c, at... 16c
54-inch All Wool Dress Flannels, regular 50c goods, at... 35c
54-inch All Wool Borettes, regular \$1.25 goods, at... 80c
26-inch Wool Burrettes, regular 30c goods, at... 19c
36-inch All Wool Striped Henriettes, regular 30c goods, at... 37 1/2c
We will also sell 10 piece Decorated Chamber Sets, worth \$2.76, at the unheard price of... \$1.49
One Case of Men's Sample Shoes, ranging in price from \$2.60 to \$4.00, size 6 and 7 1-2, will be sold at the uniform price of... \$1.69
THESE BARGAINS ARE FOR Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday Only!

LEONARD'S
Our horse furnishing department will make a run on "FRYING PANS"
For Wednesday Only, sale commencing at 9 o'clock a. m.
5 CENTS
Buys a good durable frying pan. Set them in the window. Be on hand at 9 o'clock.
A large assortment of Putnam Rice Cookers just received.
Swiss Carvings—A whole department devoted to these wonderful carvings.
Fruit Presses—All sizes in stock.
Pillow Sham Holders—A new kind; call and see them.
Lap Boards—Don't get along without a lap board.
Toilet Paper, 7 cents.
Decorated China Tea Pot Stands, 10 cents.
House Plant Sprinklers, 10 cents.
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39 and 31 Monroe Street.
Four Floors.

H. HOFFMASTER, 78 AND 80 WEST BRIDGE STREET.
SPECIAL SALE OF Chemise Draperies THIS WEEK AT John Ten Hope's, 134 MONROE STREET.
COAL.
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and buy your COAL at once of A. B. KNOWLSON, Office 25 Pearl Street.
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Call on Dr. S. Clay Todd for the particulars.
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