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MERCHANTS' INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF HARTFORD.

Application to transact the business of Insurance, under the act of February 15th, 1859.

To the Honorable, the Secretary of the State of Michigan:

THE APPLICATION of Merchants' Insurance Company, of Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, respectfully shows that they are an Insurance Company, incorporated by and under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and that they are now actually engaged in the business of Insurance. And they hereby apply for a certificate authorising them to transact the business of Insurance in the State of Michigan, as provided for and authorized in the act entitled "an act to regulate Fire, Marine, Life and Health Insurance Companies, and their agents, associations, partnerships and individuals doing Fire, Marine, Life and Health Insurance business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan," approved February 15th, 1859. They further aver and show as follows, viz:

1st—That the name of said company is Merchants' Insurance Company, of Hartford, and that their place o business is in Hartford, in said State of Connecticut, where they keep and maintain their principal office.

2d—That the amount of their capital stock is the sum of two hundred thousand dollars.

3d—That of said capital stock, the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand and ninety dollars has actually been paid up by the stockholders of said company.

4th—That the assets of said company consist—

1. Of cash on hand at their said place of business, the sum of three hundred nineteen and seventy-four one hundredths dollars. Cash in the hands of the agents of said company, the sum of three thousand four hundred fifty seven and fifty one one hundredths dollars; cash in hands of persons other than the agents of said company, but including banks and bankers, the sum of twenty four thousand eight hundred thirty nine and ninety one hundredths dollars.

2d—Of real estate, which is unincumbered, none.

3d—Of bonds now owned by said company, amounting in actual value to the sum of at least fifty seven thousand seven hundred and ten dollars, the rate of interest upon which bonds is six per cent. Bonds now owned by the company, viz:

	Par val.	Market val.
Missouri State 6 per ct bonds,	$10,000	$8,400
Michigan " " "	15,000	15,300
Ohio " " "	8,000	8,160
Kentucky " " "	5,000	5,200
Hartford City, " (R. R.)	15,000	15,450
Hartford City, " (Park)	5,000	5,200
Total bonds,............	$58,000	$57,710 $57,710 00

4th—Of debts legally due to the said company, and secured by mortgage, other than those embraced in the foregoing enumeration, the sum of at least thirteen thousand dollars.

5th—Of debts legally due to said company, secured otherwise than by mortgage, but not due for premiums, the sum of at least sixteen thousand seven hundred seven and eighty two one hundredths dollars. Debts otherwise secured, loans on stocks, viz.:

	Par val.	Mar. val.	Am't loaned thereon.
105 shs Bank of Hartford County, Hartford,...	$5,250	$5,250	$4,300 00
7 shs Mercantile B'k, Har.	700	700	500 00
30 shs Merch. & Manufacturers' B'k, Hartford,	3,000	3,150	1,705 14
122 shs Rockville B'k, Rock.	12,200	12,200	8,325 00
15 " Irving Bank, N. Y.,	750	750	500 00
10 " Ætna Bank, Hart.,	1,000	1,080	450 00
5 " Farmers' & Mechanics' Bank, Hartford,...	500	570	450 00
6 shs Phoenix Bank, Hart.,	600	606	477 06
	$24,000	$24,306	

Total amount loaned on the above stock,......$16,707 20

6th—Of debts legally due to said company for premiums, the sum of at least seven hundred ninety eight and forty eight one hundredths dollars.

7th—Of all other securities and moneys, the sum of at least one hundred twenty six thousand one hundred seventy seven and thirty one hundredths dollars. All other securities are:

1st. Bank stocks owned by the company, viz:

	Par val.	Mar. val.
50 Shares Am. Exchange Bank, N. Y.	$5,000 00	$5,200 00
50 " Metropolitan Bank, N. Y.	5,000 00	5,700 00
50 " Charter Oak Bank, Hartford,	5,000 00	5,800 00
50 " Exchange Bank, Hartford,	2,500 00	2,550 00
100 " Ætna Bank, Hartford,	10,000 00	10,800 00
50 " Far. & Mech. Bank, Hart.,	5,000 00	5,700 00
60 " Phoenix Bank, Hartford,	6,000 00	6,060 00
50 " Mer. & Man. Bank, "	5,000 00	5,250 00
50 " City Bank, Hartford,	5,000 00	5,000 00
90 " Hide & Leather B'k, Boston,	9,000 00	9,540 00
50 " National Bank, Boston,	5,000 00	5,100 00
50 " Safety Fund Bank, Boston,	5,000 00	5,100 00
	$67,500 00	$71,950 00

Aggregate value of the above stock,.....71,950 00
2d. Stock notes on interest, for balance due on stock,..................49,910 00
3d. Interest accrued but not due,............4,317 31
$126,177.31

8th—The amount of liabilities of said company, now due by said company to banks, or to other creditors of said company, none.
The amount of liabilities hereafter to become due by said company, to banks or other creditors, none

6th—The amount of losses by said company now adjusted and now due, none.

7th—The amount of losses adjusted but not yet due, none.

8th—The amount of losses of said company, unadjusted at the present time, does not exceed the sum of twelve hundred dollars.

9th—The amount of losses in suspense, waiting for proof, none.

10th—The amount of all other claims against said company do not amount to more than five hundred dollars.

11th—An authenticated copy of the Charter, or Act of Incorporation of said company or association, is hereto annexed, marked Schedule A., and also a true copy of their By-Laws, marked Schedule B.

(MEMO:—If the company be a partnership or joint stock company, strike out the last clause and say:)

11th—A true copy of the Articles of Association, or Partnership Agreement of said company is hereto annexed, marked Schedule A.

Verification of the above Statement, as required by Section 1.

State of Connecticut, } ss.
Hartford County, }

E. Thos. Lobdell, being duly sworn, on his oath deposes and says that he has read the foregoing statement, and knows the contents thereof, that this deponent is the Secretary of the Company or Association therein mentioned, and is well acquainted with their affairs, and that he has good reason to believe, and does verily believe, said statement to be true. E. THOS. LOBDELL.

Sworn and subscribed before me, at Hartford, in said State and county, this nineteenth day of May, A. D. 1859.

And I do further certify, that I have this day made a personal examination of the assets in the hands and possession of the said Merchants' Insurance Company, and I am fully satisfied, from such personal examination, that said Company are the bona fide holders and owners of the several stocks, bonds, mortgages, and other property of which said Company is represented to be the owners in the foregoing statement and exhibits; and also, that the several loans held by said Company, and the securities therefor, are as above stated; which said securities are full and ample for the respective loans made thereon.

Witness my hand and seal of office,
[L. S.] HENRY K. W. WELCH,
Commissioner of the State of Michigan, in and for the State of Connecticut.

Sworn and subscribed before me, at Hartford, in said county and State, this twenty fourth day of May, A. D. 1859. GEORGE S. GILMAN, Notary Public.

CERTIFICATE OR LICENSE,
Under the Insurance Act of February 15th, 1859.
Office of the Secretary of State, }
Lansing, Mich., May 25th, 1859. }

To all to whom these Presents shall come:

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the State of Michigan, entitled "An Act to regulate Fire, Marine, Life and Health Insurance Companies, and their Agents, Associations, Partnerships and Individuals doing Fire, Marine, Life and Health Insurance business, not incorporated by the State of Michigan," approved February 15, 1859, there was on the twenty fifth day of May, A. D. 1859, furnished to the Secretary of the State of Michigan, and filed in his Office at Lansing, a statement of the Insurance Company known as the Merchants' Insurance Company of Hartford, which Company is an incorporated Company under the laws of the State of Connecticut, accompanying which statement, and constituting a part thereof, was evidence satisfactory to said Secretary of State, of the investment required by said Act, together with a resolution under the seal of said Company, signed according to said Act, and bearing date the nineteenth day of May, A. D. 1859, authorizing MAHLON S. FROST, as Agent of said Company, to acknowledge service of process and of declarations in behalf of said Company, as provided by said Act.

Now know ye, That the said Insurance Company, acting by and through MAHLON S. FROST, its Agent above named, according to the provisions of said Act, and the said Agent, while acting as such for said Company, is hereby authorized and empowered to transact Insurance business in the State of Michigan, as provided by said Act, subject to all the provisions, reservations and limitations in said Act contained.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, the day and year first above written.
[SEAL.] N. G. ISBELL,
Secretary of State.
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JAS. TURNER, Agent for Ingham County.

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Lansing, Aug. 23, 1859. 226

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1852.	Total deaths in Philadelphia,........		10,551
	Died of Consumption,...............	1,912	
	" all other diseases (239 in number.)........	9,349	
			10,261
1853.	Total deaths,..............		9,749
	Died of Consumption............	1,995	
	" all other diseases...........	7,754	
			9,749
1854.	Total deaths,............		11,814
	Died of Consumption,............	2,179	
	" all other diseases............	9,635	
			11,814

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I. GILLETT, Jr.
Lansing, May 1st, 1858. 158

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Sheriff Sale.

BY virtue of one execution issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court for the county of Ingham, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of Truman Bacon, in and to the following described lands and tenements to wit: the south sixty acres of the north one hundred and twenty acres of the north west quarter of section two in town four north of range two west, also, thirty-five and a half acres off the north west quarter of section two, in town four north of range two west, also, the south east quarter of the south west quarter of section thirty, in town four north of range one west, in the county of Ingham and State of Michigan, which I shall expose for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the court house, in the village of Mason, on the 15th day of October, A. D., 1859, at one o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated, Lansing, Sept. 5th, 1859. EDY BAKER, Sheriff.
228w6 By H. H. Dunks, Dep'y.

Sheriff Sale.

BY virtue of one execution issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Jackson, to me directed and delivered, I have levied upon all the right, title, and interest of William Justus, in and to the following described lands and tenements to wit: commencing on the bank of the Grand River at the east end of the river bridge, on the south line of section seventeen town one north of range two west, in the county of Ingham and State of Michigan, running thence east two chains seventy-five links, thence north twenty-three degrees, east, seven chains, thence north fourteen degrees, east five chains, thence west four chains to the river above named, thence upon the bank of said river to the place of beginning, containing five acres of land, more or less. Also the following described lands on the west side of Grand River, on the same section, to wit: on the south east quarter of seventeen, aforesaid, commencing at the centre of water street, twenty-five feet south of the south west corner of the grist-mill situated on said quarter section, thence easterly paralel to the west side of said grist-mill, eighty-eight feet, thence northerly paralel to said street, ninety feet, thence westerly paralel to the line first described to the center of water street, eighty-eight feet, thence along the center of said street to the place of beginning; also, commencing in the centre of said water street directly opposite to the center of said water street directly opposite to the center of said mill, thence north along the center of said water street two chains and eight links, thence westerly at right angles with said street three chains, thence southerly four chains sixteen links, thence easterly three chains to the center of water street, thence along the center of said street two chains and eight links to the place of beginning, containing one acre of land, be the same more or less, all of which I shall expose for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder at the court house in the village of Mason, on the thirtieth day of November, A. D., 1859, at one o'clock P. M.—Dated, Mason, Sept. 8th, 1859. EDY BAKER, Sheriff.
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CHANCERY SALE.—By virtue of a decretal order of the Circuit Court for the county of Ingham, in Chancery, in a cause wherein Uriah Coulson is complainant, and Abner E. Richardson and Elijah Richardson are defendants, and made on the 23d day of April, A. D. 1859, by virtue of which said decretal order, I, the subscriber, the Circuit Court Commissioner of the said county of Ingham, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Court House, in the village of Mason, in said county of Ingham, on the (8) eighth day of November, A. D. 1859, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the lands and premises described in said order of sale, as follows, to wit: Fifty (50) acres off the north-east corner of section eighteen (18), in town number four (4) north of range one (1) west, in the town of Meridian and county of Ingham, and State of Michigan, it being a portion of the same land that was purchased of Boyd by Elijah Richardson and Abner E. Richardson, deed from Boyd to said Richardsons is recorded on the records in the said county of Ingham and State of Michigan. GRIFFIN PADDOCK,
PHILLIP McKERNAN, Circuit Court Com'r.
Solicitor for complainant.
Dated September 19, 1859. 7w231

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Ingham, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Ingham, holden at the Probate Office in the village of Mason, on Saturday, the 24th day of Sept., in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine. Present, Wm. H. Pinckney, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Wm. Phipps, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Daniel P. Reiff, Att'y of Peter Phipps, administrator of said deceased, praying amongst other things, for a license to sell the real estate of said deceased.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 7th day of November next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Mason, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: *And it is further ordered,* that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Lansing *Republican,* a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Ingham, 6 successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. [A true copy.]
WM. H. PINCKNEY,
231w6 Judge of Probate.

To Contractors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the letting of the Contracts for clearing, grubbing, causewaying and constructing of Bridges on a part of the EAST SAGINAW & SAUBLE STATE ROAD—as hereafter described—by virtue of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the drainage and reclamation of Swamp Lands by means of State Roads and ditches," approved February 12, 1859, will be at the public house of J. S. BARCLAY, in Bay City, on the 15th day of October next, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

LOCATION:

Beginning at the point, where the east and west quarter section line through section 20, in township 14 north of range 5 east intersects the west bank of Saginaw River, thence to a point terminating on the bank of Sauble River at meander corner in line between sections 3 and 10 on west bank of said River in township number 23 north of range number 9 east. Distance 77 7-8 miles on the line surveyed by the Commissioners. Said Road to be cleared of all standing Timber, brush and fallen Timber, four rods in width and ten feet each side of the center of said road, to be well grubbed, the excavations made by grubbing to be filled even with the surface so as to form a level road bed. All swampy and wet ground to be causewayed with sound timber cut not less than 16 feet long well spotted down and laid on substantial stringers, where the character of the ground makes it necessary, with ditch or ditches sufficient to drain the road bed. Calverts will be required of a substantial nature not less than 16 feet in length where the same are necessary. All streams to be bridged with substantial Timber Bridges not less than 20 feet in width. Further information obtained of the undersigned.
MORGAN L. GAGE,
ADDISON P. BREWER,
Commissioners.
East Saginaw, Sept. 10th, 1859. 4w230

New Firm

THE subscribers having recently associated themselves together under the name of the Lansing Planing Mill Company, for the purpose of manufacturing Sash, Blinds and Doors—also, Plaining and Matching all kinds of lumber, and filling all bills of work for the entire finishing of houses, would respectfully invite the attention of all having business in our line, to give us a call, as we are now prepared to receive all orders, and do the work in the best possible manner. Shop opposite the Presbyterian church, on the river, Middle Town.
C. C. DODGE,
JAMES JOHNS,
R. A. BAILEY.
Lansing, June 4, '57. 162

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CONDUCted by John Thomas & Co., will hereafter be carried on by the subscribers, at the old stand, under the name of Peck & Merrifield.
GEO. W. PECK,
E. R. MERRIFIELD.
Dated Lansing, August 17, 1859. 226m3

Great Chance for Bargains
IN
BOOTS AND SHOES.

THE ENTIRE STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES
Of the Late E. P. Boswell,
WILL BE SOLD FOR
CASH!,
At Bargains that will suit EVERY person who will give the Store a Call.

The Stock has to be Closed Out!

And all wanting Goods in this line of trade, can save a large per centage by purchasing from this Stock, which is new, and just opened this Spring.

CUSTOM WORK
Done, as heretofore, by experienced Workmen.
Lansing, June 13th, 1859. 216

INGERSOLL BROKE LOOSE,
AND
BILLINGS
AFTER HIM!

The balance of that large Stock of Gooods received in May, is now offered to the public at
Greatly Reduced Prices.
Some at Cost, and Many of them less than Cost!

Billings proposes to make prices that will sell the Goods, without reference to cost, as his object is, for the next forty-five days, to convert all the Goods possible into the Root of———, as he is willing to run the awful risk of getting too large a stock of the *Evil Root,* having experienced much evil for the want thereof.

SO COME AND HELP YOURSELVES,
Old and young, rich and poor, now is the time to enrich yourselves
ON A SMALL CAPITAL!

As Billings will fit you out with a bigger bundle of Rags and Royal Plunder for a dollar, than our young city ever yet witnessed!

Billings is getting up Steam!!!

T. D. BILLINGS.
Lansing, July 26, 1859.

DR. J. W. KERMOTT,
Eclectic Physician and Surgeon,
Would most respectfully announce that he will visit Lansing on the fourteenth day of every month, for the purpose of meeting patients afflicted with Chronic or Lingering Diseases.

Rooms at the Lansing House.

Dr. Kermott has in his possession certificates from, and is permitted to refer to hundreds of gentlemen of high standing and respectability, in Detroit, London, Toronto, and other cities and towns, who, having been reduced to the border of the grave from Liver Complaints, Dyspepsia, and other diseases, and having tried in vain their physician's prescriptions, and most of the quack nostrums for the cure of those diseases, are now, from the use of his Vegetable Medicines, in the enjoyment of perfect health.

Dr. Kermott has, in the cities of London and Detroit, during the last seven years, administered the different remedial agents of the Vegetable Kingdom to thousands of patients, in almost every variety of disease, with unparalleled success. His medicines are exclusively vegetable, and such as are safe and efficacious in the cure of disease, without entailing on the patient any of those miseries experienced from mineral poisons.

Chronic or Lingering Diseases of the Lungs, Liver, Kidneys, and Scrofula Cancers, all impurities of the blood, and all diseases of Women and Children, treated successfully.

Dr. Kermott has had great experience in diseases of the Chest and Nervous System, curing hundreds of cases pronounced incurable by other physicians.

NO CHARGE FOR CONSULTATION

☞ Dr. Kermott's residence, Detroit. Entrance to Dispensary, No. 14 Congress street; entrance to office, Griswold street, first door from Congress.

Dr. Kermott will also visit Onondaga the 11th, Eaton Rapids the 12th, and Mason the 13th of every month. 129

IRON FOUNDRY.
THE undersigned are prepared to furnish at short notice,
Stationary Engines,
Mill Gearing, Ware House Hoisting Apparatus,
And all varieties of Iron Work. Repair-Work on Propellers, Steamers and Saw Mills executed promptly and thoroughly.

BRASS FOUNDRY.
WE are prepared to execute orders of any size for Brass and Composition Castings, promptly.
Oil Globes, Oil Cups, Valves, Journal Boxes, Gauge Cocks, Cylinder Cocks, Steam Whistles for Steamboats, Locomotives & Mills; Bells for Factories, Steamers, and Locomotives.

Iron Railing & Verandahs.
WE are prepared to execute all orders for IRON RAILINGS, for private buildings, Churches, Public Squares, and Cemetery Lots.

☞ Corner of Fifth and Woodbridge streets, opposite Machine shop of Michigan Central Rail road, Detroit, Michigan.
71y1 JACKSON & WILEY.

NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the subscribers, under the name of John Thomas & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The unsettled accounts of the late firm will be adjusted by A. F. Weller, with whom the books of account, notes and claims of the same, have been left, for settlement and collection, and to whom all debts due them must be paid.—Dated Lansing, August 17, 1859.
JOHN THOMAS,
A. F. WELLER,
226m3 E. R. MERRIFIELD.

BY STATE AUTHORITY.
INCREASE OF CASH CAPITAL!

PHŒNIX INSURANCE COMPANY HARTFORD CONN.

—DEVOTED TO—
Fire Insurance Exclusively.
[Charter Perpetual.]
CASH CAPITAL - $400,000.
S. L. LOOMIS, President
H. KELLOGG, Secretary.
Branch Office, 31 & 33 W. 3d St., Cincinnati
M. MAGILL, General Agent

Agents in the principal Cities and Towns in the Union.
LOSSES PROMPTLY PAID.
Applications received, and Policies issued and renewed by GEO. A. ARMSTRONG, Agent, at Lansing. 1y212

1859.
NEW & FAVORITE ROUTE
BETWEEN THE
East and North West.
Detroit and Milwaukee Railway,
(Open to Lake Michigan.)
AND
Swift Low-Pressure First-Class Steamers,
"City of Cleveland," and "Cleveland,"
(Thoroughly refitted for this route.)

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, June 6th, 1859, Passenger Trains will run as follows:

Going West:

	Mail	Mixed	Night Express.
Susp. Bridge, depart,........	P. M. 9 20	A. M. 4 20	A. M. 10 20
*Detroit, depart,..............	A. M. 7 00	P. M. 1 30	P. M. 8 00
*Owosso, arrive,...........	10 50	7 40	11 30
St. Johns, arrive,..........	P. M. 12 10	9 35	A. M. 12 30
Grand Rapids, arrive,.........	3 10	A. M. 2 00	3 05
*Grand Haven, "	5 00	4 20	4 30
Milwaukee, arrive,.........	A. M. 2 51	Noon 12 00	Noon. 12 00

Going East:

	Mail Expr's	Mixed.	Night Express
Milwaukee, depart,.........	P. M. 3 00	......	Noon. 12 00
*Grand Haven, depart,........	A. M. 3 00	A. M. dep't	P. M. 8 30
Grand Rapids, arrive,.........	4 20	5 30	10 20
St. Johns, arrive,...........	6 40	9 55	A. M. 1 15
*Owosso, "	7 55	11 20	2 20
Detroit, "	11 00	6 30	6 20
Sus. Bridge, arrive,........	P. M. 9 55	A. M. 4 00	P. M. 4 50

*Refreshment—Hotel in Depot at Grand Haven.

Boat will leave Milwaukee on SATURDAY'S at 8 P. M. —for Saturday Night's Express passengers west, but 3 A. M. train will NOT LEAVE ON SUNDAYS.

Trains leave Detroit daily, Sundays excepted.

THE TELEGRAPH LINE is now open for Public Business.

CONNECTIONS.

AT DETROIT—Great Western Railway for all points East—Michigan Central and Michigan Southern Railroads and Cleveland Line of Steamers.

AT GRAND HAVEN—With "Huron" Steamer for Chicago, &c. &c.

AT MILWAUKEE—With the Mississippi, Lacrosse, Chicago, Watertown, and Horicon Railroads, for all important points West and Northwest, and on the Mississippi River, and with Steamers for Ports on Lake Michigan.

Passengers for Great Western Railway go on the Railway Ferry Steamer, at D. & M. R. Dock, leaving Dock at 8 00 A. M., 12 00 Noon, and 7 30 P. M.

NIGHT TRAINS HAVE SLEEPING CARS ATTACHED.

The Company's Time Tables can be had at any of the Stations.
W. K. MUIR, Gen'l Sup't.
D. & M. R. Offices, June, 1859.

THE CELEBRATED COPPER TOE.
Mitchell's Patent Metallic Tip,
DESIGNED ESPECIALLY FOR
Boys', Youths' and Childrens'
BOOTS AND SHOES.

AN IMPROVEMENT has been applied to Boots and Shoes, by which a saving of expense to the consumer, of two-thirds, is realized, by actual experiment.

THE TIP

consists of a piece of copper or other indestructible material, neatly fastened to the toe of the boot or shoe, forming a complete protection. This invention is now presented to the public, with the fullest knowledge of its practical utility, having been tested over two years, and is destined entirely to supersede the old style, for CHILDREN'S, BOYS' & YOUTHS' BOOTS & SHOES.

The importance of this invention will be readily appreciated, as it is well known that children invariably wear out their boots and shoes

FIRST AT THE TOE,

and, with this protection, they will upon an average wear at least two to three times as long as the old style, while the expense is

BUT A TRIFLE MORE.

This invention is also especially applicable to Miners' Boots, and all occupations subjecting the toe of the boot or shoe to be cut or worn.

Merchants, and the public generally, will see the importance of obtaining these goods immediately, as they are destined, for general use, to supersede all other kinds.

The goods may be obtained of nearly all the wholesale dealers in the principal cities, or of the subscribers.
CHASE, McKINNEY & CO.,
BOSTON
(Owners of the Patent.) 6m224

NORTH ATLANTIC
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

REGULAR THROUGH LINE TO SAN FRANCISCO, via Panama Railroad, and connecting only with steamers Golden Gate, Golden Age, John L. Stephens and Sonora, of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at Panama, direct to Aspinwall. The splendid steamships
BALTIC, ADRIATIC AND ATLANTIC,
having been entirely refitted and adapted to the California trade, will hereafter run as above, leaving this port on the 5th and 20th of each month, from the foot of Canal Street, North River.

☞ Passengers and mails will be forwarded by Panama Railroad, and connect at Panama with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's magnificent steamship, which will be in readiness, and leave immediately for San Francisco. They will be embarked free of expense from Railroad, by the Company's steamboat TABOGA.

An experienced Surgeon is attached to each ship. Steerage Passengers found in cooked provisions, bedding, and attendance. It is believed that the accommodations afforded by the above ships are unsurpassed by any in the world. The public are informed that the P. M. S. S. Co., always have ONE OR MORE EXTRA STEAMERS, lying at Panama, ready for sea, to avoid any possible detention of Passengers or Mails, and embark their passengers by steamboat.

For passage apply at the only office of the Company, on the wharf foot of Canal street, North River, to
5m230 WILLIAM H. WICKHAM

FOREST NURSERY
THIS beautiful Nursery is situated in the city of LANSING,
Just South of the Cedar River,
And is UNEQUALLED by any stock of trees East or West. It has been raised here, with especial reference to the wants of the fruit-growers and farmers of Michigan, and consists of hardy varieties, adapted to this climate, grafted from bearing trees, and is now in thrifty and fine condition for transplanting.

All those desirous of planting orchards, will find it to their advantage to purchase trees at this Nursery, instead of from Eastern speculators with whom they are unacquainted, as the proprietors
WILL WARRANT THEIR TREES
To be the varieties named by them, will sell low, and take all kinds of farm produce at cash prices in exchange for trees, and give a liberal credit to responsible purchasers, if desired.

The following is a brief list of prices:

Apple trees, 10 to 20 cents each.
Cherry " 25 to 35 "
Plum " 30 to 40 "
Pear " 50 cents each.
Strawberries, $1 per 100.
Currants, $1 50 per doz.
Scions, $1 25 per 1000.

We have also a quantity of evergreens and shrubs.
HARRIS & PARSONS,
Proprietors.
Lansing, August 23, 1859. 226w8

I. L. ST. JOHN'S COUGH AND CONSUMPTION SYRUP.

Thousands who have made use of this great remedy believe it is far superior to any preparation now known for the cure of Consumption, Coughs and Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Spitting of Blood, Pain and Soreness of the Breast, Hoarseness, Hooping Cough, Croup, Phthisic, etc. Some of the cures effected by this medicine are of a most surprising and wonderful character; cases that have been given up by eminent physicians as incurable for many years. One case is that of a respectable physician, who was pronounced incurable by seven physicians. Two cases are of twenty years' standing. None, therefore, however long they have been afflicted, should despair until they have given this great remedy a trial. We believe, in common coughs and colds, it is almost, if not quite, infallible; and in nine tenth cases out of twenty selected promiscuously from among those who are considered dangerous and incurable, it will effect a cure. It may be taken with perfect safety by persons of the most delicate constitution. It is purely vegetable, and is a pleasant, healthy, and invigorating tonic.

From a Merchant at Gallion, O., Oct. 22, 1855.

DEAR SIR: My wife had been afflicted five years with a cough, and last fall she lay in bed, not expected to live. She had used Jayne's Expectorant, Liverwort, and Tar, and Cod Liver Oil. Her physician could do nothing more for her. She then commenced taking your Cough and Consumption Syrup, and after using five bottles was able to do her work again. [illegible] R. M. BARTOW

Life of a Member of the Indiana Legislature Saved.—Messrs. A. Fisher & Co., of Ligonier, Ind., say: [illegible]

Remarkable Case of Hereditary Consumption. [illegible]

Cough and Pain in the Side of Five Years' Standing Cured. [illegible] JOHN M. KIRCHER, Tiffin, O.

Infant Cured. [illegible]

Sold by [illegible]

DR. A. TRASK'S
MAGNETIC
OINTMENT.

TRY this remarkable and most interesting remedy. It is composed of the concentrated Juices of the most powerful and the most soothing Plants and Roots in nature, chemically combined and insulated in well sealed glass bottles, and charged by a powerful battery. Thus possessing in addition to its superior medical virtues, strong Magnetic and Electric properties, profoundly penetrating and eminently quieting and soothing. It relieves pain and inflammation at once, (when freely applied,) relaxing the strained muscles and nerves, giving new life and vitality by its life giving qualities, to paralized parts and chronic or long standing complaints, and weaknesses, allaying nervous pain, (Neuralgia,) irritation, and removing obstructions like a charm. Indeed, all who have used it, speak of it as truly a wonderful medicine, and esteem it by far superior to any and all other external remedies in use. If applied in season, it is an unfailing remedy for the Croup, Sore Throat, Inflammation of the Lungs, Bowels, Liver, Kidneys, and other organs, Rheumatism, Spinal Irritation, Ague in the Breast, and at all times cures nervous Headache, Neuralgia, sore eyes, ear ache, tooth ache, ague in the Face, Pimples and Eruptions of all kinds, *Piles,* Bruised and Sprained Limbs, Burns, Frozen parts, Chilblains, indolent and long standing Sores, Wounds, &c., &c. It will also restore the Hair to the Bald Head, and prevent the Hair from falling. The Magnetic Ointment has been extensively used upon Canal and Draught Horses for Galls, Wounds, Sprains and Lameness, and is a sure cure, when applied hot, for the Scratches on horses, and Foot Ail in sheep. All the proprietors ask for the Magnetic Ointment is a fair trial, confident that all they claim for it, will be found true to the letter. In the neighborhood where it is manufactured, many people buy it by the quantity, and it is kept and used by almost every inhabitant as a Panacea for the numerous pains and aches every family is more or less afflicted with. We say again

Try Dr. Trask's Magnetic Ointment!

None genuine unless signed "S. Bush," with Pen. See Pamphlets containing full directions around each Bottle, and circulars left with agents. Price 2 shillings for small and 3 shillings for large Bottles.

For sale by Newbro & Brother, and Thayer & Co., Lansing, and all other Druggists in the country.

☞ All orders should be addressed to WM. MUDGE & CO., Earlville, Madison Co., N. Y. 219

To Contractors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Newaygo & Northport State Road will be upon the ground on Tuesday, the 18th daw of October next, to receive bids for building that portion of the road south of Newaygo, commencing at, or near the corner of Kent County, thence along the line heretofore surveyed by said Commissioners to the Muskegan River. Distance, about ten miles.

Said road, to be cut out six rods wide upon all unimproved lands, and where the same is settled and improved, four rods wide. The entire length of said road, to be cleared of all fallen, or standing timber &c., four rods wide, and two of the same, to be well grubbed of all stumps and roots, and turnpiked, with good and sufficient ditches to carry off all surface water. Center of road to be raised not less than two feet above the surface of said ditches, where the nature of the ground is such as to require it. Where Sluices may be necessary, to be built in a good and substantial manner, of sound hewn timber.

Upon Swampy, Marshy, or wet ground, said road must be constructed with timber, not less than Eighteen feet wide. Said timber to be hewn, or flattened on one side to form the surface of the road, and the sides sufficiently straightened to form close and compact work; the whole, to be spotted down upon good and substantial Stringers, so as to form a smooth, and level surface.

The above work will be let in sections of one mile or more, to suit bidders. No bids will be considered, for less than one mile.

Payment for the above work will be made in money or Swamp Lands, at the option of Contractors, subject to all the provisions, and conditions of an Act, entitled an act of the Legislature of the State of Michigan for the drainage and reclamation of the State Swamp Lands by a system of State Roads, approved Febuary 12, 1859.
S. O. KINGSBURY,
HENRY PALMER,
A. B. WATSON,
5w230 *Commissioners.*

BUILDING
AND LUMBER DEALER.
I AM PREPARED to furnish materials, and build Houses, or anything pertaining to the Building business on short notice, and on the most favorable terms,
MASON WORK & PAINTING INCLUDED.
Lumber, rough or dressed, and doors, Pine or Whitewood, for sale low. C. C. DODGE.
Lansing, September 20, 1859. 196

FANS, Fans, at the
CITY BOOK STORE