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CROCKERY, Glassware, Lamps and Clocks. Best and cheapest line of

GROCERIES in the county. Granulated sugar 6 1/2c per lb.

WALL PAPER, Ceiling Paper, Curtains, Curtain Fixtures, Baskets, Woodenware, Mirrors, Oil Paintings.

MR. DAVID HYDE will be pleased to see all his old friends at my place of business.

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When in want of anything in the above line give us a call and we will save you money. Yours respectfully, F. BLAKESLEE & CO.

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HOME NOTES.

PERPETUAL NOTICE. Base ball to-morrow (Friday) between the married and single of this village.

"Perfectly safe!" A dining room girl is wanted at the National Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. William Goodman are home once more.

For sale cheap. An Expert Columbia bicycle. Clear up at this office. Charlie Flier is shipping immense quantities of blackberries to this place.

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The big 4 health starting from the 30 streets in the city on Saturday. In the fat women's race one of the contestants, weighing close to 300 pounds, suddenly reversed her position.

THE VILLAGE COUNCIL.

COUNCIL ROOMS, NATIONAL HOTEL, 150 N. 10TH ST. (OFFICIAL). GEORGE H. MITCHELL, Mayor.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved. On motion of Councilman Hagerman, the time for the committee to report on the objections on Harmon street be extended until next meeting.

On motion of Hagerman seconded by Randall, the clerk was directed to order the village treasurer in favor of Mrs. H. A. Randall for twenty-five dollars to be used for the benefit of the cemetery by the cemetery association.

On motion of Hagerman seconded by Randall, the following accounts were allowed and the clerk instructed to draw orders for the same. Voted by roll as follows: Year—Councilmen Thayer, Hagerman, Taber, Randall, NAY—None.

Regular annual school meeting at 10 o'clock. I. fractional will be held at the school building Monday, September 6, 1886, at which time one trustee will be elected for the coming year.

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AN INTERESTING LETTER.

ENTONS ELECTRICITY.—Having spent six weeks during June and July last in Michigan's third city I thought that I might tell "something" to those of your numerous readers who have not had the opportunity of visiting this wonderful valley of the Saginaw river.

Five years ago it was considered as a wild marsh, uninhabitable except by musquitos and Indians, while now it teems with civilization. The soil and lumber manufacturing interests has called together large numbers of laboring men with their families, a large portion of whom I should judge were Poles, Canadians, Germans and Irish, who it seems should be prosperous and happy with the certainty of their pay on the stipulated pay day.

With grateful hearts we thank all our friends for their kindly expressions of sympathy and friendship in our sad bereavement and great loss of "Our Love." MR. AND MRS. D. A. HAGERMAN. TAKE NOTICE.

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