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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Chapel.
Straw berries are in market.
A. Turner is planting quite a field of beans.
Mr Halpin has his mother visiting him. He is purchasing 20 acres of land of C. Inman, just across the road.
Mrs Maud Smith went to the city, Saturday. Also Mrs Hannah Collar, A. Depew and sister went Saturday.
East Lowell.
Strawberries are very plentiful.
Isaac Filkins has returned home.
Mrs Back, who has been ill, is around again.
Allen Godfrey Sundayed with friends in Alton.
Mrs Bonnar visited friends in Lowell last week.
F. Godfrey and sons, John and Ora went to Grand Rapids, last Monday.
J. N. Hubbel killed woodchuck, last week, which weighed twenty pounds.
Misses Alice and Edith Colvin were the guests of Mrs Mary A. Rolf, Sunday.
Potato bugs were never known to have such an appetite as they have this season.
From now to the Fourth of July is a very short time—just long enough to go to Coons' and select one of his complete outfits.
East Ada.
Chas. Frazier spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs Buttrick.
Mrs S. Wunsch visited her daughter, Mrs Wisner, of South Lowell, the first of the week.
Mrs John Headley, of Grand Rapids, visited her mother, Mrs Buttrick, Tuesday of last week.
Mr and Mrs Engles and son, Eugene, Mrs Robinson and Miss Mae Elmon left Sunday afternoon at A. Rolf's.
Miss Jessie Epley returned from Stanton, Friday of last week, where she had been visiting relatives and friends.
Last Saturday as Mrs Thos. Pant and daughter were returning home, their horse started and ran and just missed the wheels of Mr Rolf's buggy. We all thought they would be dashed to pieces, and think she had better drive Robin next time.
DICK.
The JOURNAL editor wants cash. If you owe him now is a good time to pay.
For Sale, house and five lots on Main St., cheap. Enquire of
MAINS & MAINS.
Ada.
Mr Olmstead has been quite ill for the last week.
L. McNaughton has been quite sick for the last week.
Dr. VanAmberg made a business trip to Ann Arbor last Thursday.
James Bristol and wife made a business trip to Grand Rapids last Friday.
It is reported that Joe Parker and John Smith are proprietors of the grist mills.
Mrs L. Burns started for Chicago last Thursday, where she will visit the World's Fair.
Rev. Osborne, of G'd Rapids, preached at the Baptist church last Sunday morning and evening.
Dr. Brooks, of Lowell, was called here last week to see Rev. Vivyan, who has been dangerously ill.
A set of silver spoons given with each dozen photographs at Wilson's.
W. J. Ecker & Son, make and have a full stock of wooden sawtroughs.

Logan.
Jas. Pardee is the proud possessor of a pair of twin calves.
Mr and Mrs Herschberger, of Paris, visited relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday.
Ben Keller, wife and little son Sundayed with the former's brother, Christian, of Campbell.
Jno. Karcher, who had his foot angulated recently, is said to be improving rapidly, which will undoubtedly be pleasant information to his many friends.
BRIDGET.
Buttermilk for Hog feed 25c a barrel at Lowell Creamery.
South Lowell.
Geo. Bartlett has purchased a fence machine.
Miss Lizzie Kilgus spent last Sunday at home.
Sweets school closes, Friday, with appropriate exercises.
David Kerneem spent Sunday with his parents in Caledonia.
Mrs Mary Loveland is entertaining relatives from New York.
Miss Minnie Kinzie, of Caledonia, visited her cousin, Dan'l Erb, last Friday.
W. H. Eddy and daughter, of Lowell, made C. O. Hill a short call last Sunday.
Jno. Studt, of West Campbell, purchased a horse of Ralph Loveland, last week.
Will Richardson has returned from the north, where he has been improving his farm.
Miss Jessie Heirleigle, of Freeport, is staying, for a few weeks, with her uncle, Frank Schwader.
Mrs Corkie and Mrs Jas. Welch, of Grand Rapids, drove over to Geo. Bartlett's one day last week, returning next day.
Chas. Easterday, formerly of this place, now of LaFox, Ills, shook hands with a number of friends here last Sunday.
Last Sunday was the hottest day of the season, but nevertheless the church was filled to its utmost and a good many were unable to get in. The collection netted \$4 63. The exercises passed off nicely.
Guaranteed strictly pure Paris Green at Look's Drug store.
Vergennes Visitor.
Mr and Mrs Frank McGlocklin have a little daughter.
Mrs L. Bostoff, of Lowell, is visiting at Mrs Oren Evans.
Dan Townsend a hilt wrestling recently dislocated his wrist.
Mr and Mrs Dan Dixon are the happy parents of a baby boy.
Harry Hettle took home a new mowing machine, yesterday, Monday.
Mr and Mrs Gott, of Lowell, Sundayed with their son, Frank and family.
Mrs Elma Vanwormer, of Lowell, visited her son, Seth and family last week.
Miss Ella Babcock, of Lowell, is visiting her sister, Mrs Frank Fox and family.
James and Frank Hodges, of G'd Rapids, visited their brother, Fred last Friday.
Mr and Mrs Fred Hodges and children visited friends in Grand Rapids, last week.
Mrs Elam Vandeuison and Mrs Robertson, of Lowell, visited at Oren Evans last Saturday.
Welcome, Dick of East Ada, we recognize an old friend and hope you will keep right on coming.

Mrs Ed Dixon entertained her friend, Mrs Ella Vandeuison and daughter, Miss Ida, of Lowell, last week.
Mr and Mrs John Murphy, of Grand Rapids, and Mr and Mrs Clyde Collar, of Lowell, Sundayed with Mr and Mrs Fred Hodges.
Died, Thursday, June 15, at the home of his daughter, Mrs Ora Vandeuison, Richard Ableson. The funeral services were held Saturday.
Harold Weekes, of Lowell, came upon his bicycle Saturday, to visit his uncle, Late Bailey and family. Quite a ride for a little fellow, six miles.
G. W. Crosby bought a new mowing machine, a sulky hay rake and a wheel cultivator recently. It is evident he intends to ride, while doing his work.
Jay Merriman returned to Chicago last week Monday. Jay said, "He came over to see a green tree." He is motor man on the street car and is doing well.
From the North Pole to Coons seems a long distance, but it is a case of zero prices on tropical values.
Call and examine the New Waverly bicycle at R. D. Stocking's. Best on the market.
Alto.
McKee sells binder twine.
If you want a binder or twine call on McKee.
Mrs Ann Stover, of G'd Rapids, is visiting at Alto this week.
Mrs Earl Curtis has returned from her visit to the World's Fair.
McKee is in line with binder twine.
Next Sunday evening the Y. P. S. C. E. will give a service of song.
Ernie Andrews had a bad attack of heart failure the first of the week.
Messames Welch and Corkey, of G'd Rapids, visited at Mrs C. S. Blakeslee's last week.
Get your twine of McKee.
There is to be strawberry and ice cream social at A. R. Denise's Friday evening, for the benefit of the Baptist church.
Sam Harris, wife and daughter, of Muskegon, and Will Murray and wife, of Ada, visited at Geo. McKee's last Sunday.
Mrs J. Draper has a fine new sewing machine.
At the Baptist church last Sunday Rev. Renshaw preached a memorial sermon to Odd Fellows and Daughters of Rebecca. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity.
Remember that twine at McKee's.
You, who have used last year's reapers will appreciate the advantages of the jointed table in the '93 Deering. No trouble to move from field to field, no fences to tear down, no cumbersome trucks, you don't have to unhitch your team, even, appreciated on sight. Brown & Seher handle them.
Alton.
Lena Berry is home from Grattan. Last week was working the roads.
Born to Thomas Reed and wife, June 14th, a girl.
S. D. Godfrey was in Stanton two days last week.
Mr Erwin visited his sister, Mrs Huckleberry, Sunday.
Mrs Geo. Ring visited her father a couple of days last week.
Will Rennells, of East Lowell, Sundayed at Mattie Condon's.
Mrs Geo. White visited with Otis White and wife last week.
Mrs Alice Brown went to Grand Rapids last Saturday on business.
Austin Slayton and wife with others, are taking in the World's Fair.
David Condon's grey horse was badly cut on a barb wire fence recently.
Mrs Westbrook is visiting her daughter, Mrs David Condon, this week.
Dr. A. Ford, of Bowne Centre, was in Alton Saturday and attended grange.
Mrs Eliza Covert has gone to visit her sister, Mrs Jerome Pentler, at Stanton.
The Swiss will hold Childrens Day exercises at the church next Sunday p. m.
Miss Cora Burroughs, of Bowne, is spending the week visiting friends here.

Mrs Phebe Tunks is at Fred Richmond's, while they are at the World's Fair.
Elmer and Miss Elsie Richmond and Geo. Ring and wife were in Belding Saturday.
Fred Woodruff, of Boston, Mass., visited his aunt, Mrs Simmons, a few days last week.
A. M. Andrews and wife, of So. Boston, visited with Oscar Scofield and family Sunday.
Dorus Church and wife Sundayed with her parents, Mr and Mrs Herrington, of Cannonsburg.
Mrs Wm. Delaney killed a spotted snake 3 ft. long, which she found in her cellar, last Wednesday.
G. Berry is home from the Flint asylum for a three months visit, very much improved in the deaf and dumb language.
Mrs Geo. Converse went to Ann Arbor Monday.
A hen belonging to A. Riggs has a chicken with three perfect legs.
Joseph Jones, Aunt Anna Ford and Miss Alice Jones, of Lowell, Mr and Mrs Holmes, of Grattan, attended the funeral here, Monday.
Died at her home in Lowell, Saturday, June 17th, Mrs Mse Donovan, wife of Thomas Donovan, and daughter of Geo. F. and Addie White. The funeral was held at the Alton church on Monday afternoon. She was buried in the Alton cemetery in sight of her childhood home, and where she resided until to womanhood grown. A large concourse of relatives and friends followed her remains to their last resting place. Rev. Jas. Provan, of Lowell, officiated.
Get a set of silver spoons free with a dozen photo's, old or new negatives at Wilson's.
Genuine Singer Sewing Machines \$50, the White and Empress at correspondingly low prices at R. D. Stocking's.
Bowne.
Dr. Ford spent Saturday with friends in Alton.
The sound of the mowing machines can be heard at this place.
Fermor Coppens is home from Alabama on a few week's visit.
Fanny Weaver spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Logan.
John and Joseph Porritt went to G'd Rapids, Friday, with a load of pork.
Mrs Riley King, of Elmdale, is visiting her parents, Wm. Lee and wife.
Mrs Nellie Todd is visiting at Samuel Morgan's, and other friends, at Lowell.
Wm. Stauffer and wife attended the funeral of Mr Stauffer's brother, of Caledonia.
Good many from this place attended the children's exercises at Buck church, Sunday eve.
Thomas Gougherty gave a dance in his new barn, last Friday eve. A good time reported.
Claude Coppens, who has been attending the World's Fair for the past four weeks, returned home Friday eve.
There will be a lady preacher at this place, next Sunday morning at half past ten o'clock. Let every one turn out and hear her.
Died, in West Bowne, Tuesday, June 18th, of cancer of the stomach, Oscar Smith. His remains were interred in the Caledonia cemetery. He leaves a wife, three sons and one daughter to mourn his loss.
This hot weather rustles the weeds and requires the use of a first class cultivator to keep them down. Brown & Seher have the best.
Cascade.
James Harris and family spent Sunday at Alto.
A large hall is being erected at Cascade Springs.
Mrs E. H. Cook has gone to Newaygo to visit friends.
Mrs Fred Quiggle, of Hastings, is visiting relatives here.
The Ladies' Aid Society meets Wednesday of this week with Mrs Stow.
Archie Barber, of Kalamazoo, visited his mother, Mrs Dr. Danforth, recently.

Horace Johnson is having a wall laid preparatory to building addition to his house.
Glenn Thompson, of Grand Rapids, visited his sister, Mrs Addie Brown, last week.
Mrs Stauffer received a telegram a few days ago, summoning her to the bedside of her daughter, at Wayland, who is very sick.
Mrs Bareils, a respected old lady of this place, was thrown from a buggy by the back seat falling out. She received injuries which will confine her to her room for some time.
A. H. French and son, of Cascade Springs, left Thursday for the World's Fair. Mrs French remained behind to attend and assist at the convention. She started Monday to join them there.
The many friends of Rev. E. Sias were pleased to see him, but sorry to see him so much enfeebled from a paralytic stroke, which he suffered recently. He has been obliged to retire from active ministerial duties. He was our pastor here nearly six years.
The convention of the Disciple churches held in this village was a great success, much good being received therefrom. Part of the time the church was filled beyond its seating capacity. Ministers from abroad were Rev'd Scott, of Ionia, State Evangelists Spayde and wife and Russell, of Grand Rapids, and Sias, of Wayland, besides many elders and guests from abroad, who took an useful and active part in the exercises. The Y. P. S. C. E. of Cascade were highly complimented for their earnest activity, singing, etc.
There is one thing the modern reaper will not do and that is separate the wheat from the rye, but the new Deering will do more and better work than any other machine on the market. Brown & Seher are the agents.
Grattan gatherings.
Spring crops are growing right along since the last hot weather.
L. E. McArthur was in Grand Rapids June 16 and 17, on business.
What has headed out nicely and wears a more encouraging look.
George Burnett, recently removed here from Belding, is in very poor health.
A number of our citizens, whose names we could not all learn, started Wednesday for the World's Fair, among them being Dr G. M. Spencer and wife, and Geo. Smith and wife.
Paint heart never won a fair lady! Don't be afraid of calling on her after you have one of Coons' fashionable suits.
Town Line Tidings.
Miss Cora Burras Sundayed with friends in Alton.
Miss Rhoda Westbrook Sundayed with her mother, Mrs H. Westbrook.
Wm. T. Carl, of Ada, called on old friends in this vicinity, last week.
Miss Nancy Tibboe was united in marriage to Thomas Leace, a few days ago.
Miss Edith Aldrich, of Vergennes, Sundayed with friends in West Lowell.
Wm. Stapleton visited his daughter, Jennie Andrews, of Cannonsburg, Friday.
A large gathering of people at the River school house, Sunday evening, Children's Day. The exercises were fine and the welcome address by Mrs. Betha and Alice Westbrook was very well spoken.
CLAY.
Laut. Peary failed to discover Santa Claus at the North Pole. The fact is the jolly old fellow was on his way to Coons' store.
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