

RIVERS RUN HIGH.

Spring Freshets Causing Much Destruction in New England.

They Wash Away Buildings and Bridges and Interfere with Railway Traffic—Many Families Homeless—Mills Shut Down.

BOSTON, April 16.—Northern New England is inundated and the rivers and streams are maddened torrents. Great damage has resulted to the lumber interests, farmers and manufacturers, but up to midnight no loss of life has been reported.

The Merrimac and Nashua rivers and Salmon brook are rushing torrents, necessitating the shutting down of all mills at Nashua. The big Jackson mills basement and weaving room are flooded, and 800 looms had to be removed.

At Lawrence there is a mad flood and over 1,000 operatives were thrown out of employment by stoppage of mills because of back water.

At Windsor, Vt., the river has risen 28 feet and many country bridges have been swept away.

GIVEN ANOTHER CHANCE.

A Man Sentenced to Death Four Times Gets a New Trial.

COLUMBUS, O., April 16.—Edward H. Jones, a Clermont county murderer, who killed his son in October, 1891, was granted a fifth trial Monday by the circuit court.

Was a Clerical Error.

HAZLETON, Pa., April 16.—Joseph P. Salmon, ex-city comptroller, who went to Buffalo several days ago and in whose accounts an alleged shortage of \$20,000 was found by his successor, arrived home Monday.

Famous Hotel Burned.

PARADISE, Cal., April 15.—The Hotel Raymond in this city, one of the most famous health and pleasure resorts in the United States, was burned yesterday.

For a Currency Convention.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 13.—Invitations have been sent out to more than 500 business organizations in the states south of the Ohio river to attend the southern states currency and banking convention, to be held here May 23 next.

Cannot Make Returns.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Siegel, Cooper & Co. have been restrained by the United States circuit court from making any return on the income tax law.

Left Four Widows.

VERMILION, Ky., April 13.—Frederick Welmer, a well-to-do farmer, aged 45, blew his brains out near here. He left four widows, and fear of prosecution for bigamy caused the deed.

Oil Still Going Up.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 16.—Petroleum had another big advance Monday and certificate oil on the exchange closed at \$2.35 bid, an advance of 36 cents per barrel since Saturday.

Oldest West Virginian Dead.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 15.—Thomas McKane, 105 years old, and the oldest inhabitant of West Virginia, died here yesterday. He entered the war of 1812 at the age of 25.

Young Woman Breaks Her Neck.

SPRINGFIELD, O., April 13.—Mrs. Guy Geer, aged 20, a bride of eight months, fell from her buggy near Somersford, east of here, and was instantly killed, her neck being broken.

Found the North Pole.

LONDON, April 16.—It is rumored that Dr. Nansen, the arctic explorer, has found the north pole, and that it is situated on a chain of mountains.

SUDDENLY CALLED.

Death of James W. Scott, Proprietor of the Chicago Times-Herald.

NEW YORK, April 16.—James W. Scott, proprietor and editor of the Chicago Times-Herald, died suddenly of apoplexy in his room in the Holland house, Thirtieth street and Fifth avenue, at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

CHICAGO, April 15.—The announcement of the sudden death in New York of Mr. James W. Scott was received with expressions of profound sorrow and regret at the down town hotels and clubs.

James Wilcox Scott was born in Walworth county, Wis., in June, 1848. He was the son of D. Wilcox Scott, a life-long printer and journalist, who removed to Galena, Ill., shortly after the birth of the subject of this sketch.

He then went to New York and was engaged for a time in floriculture, but dropped that business to take a position in the government printing office at Washington, D. C.

It was in April of 1880 that Mr. Scott, in conjunction with Mr. Walsh, founded the Evening Post. At the time Mr. Scott bought the interest of Mr. Walsh in the Herald he also took his stock in the Evening Post.

END OF THE WAR.

The Japanese and Chinese Envoys Agree on Terms of Peace.

LONDON, April 16.—The Times correspondent in Shanghai says: Li Hung Chang's son-in-law telegraphed that the treaty of peace was signed in Shimonsai Monday, April 16, and that the terms are:

1. Independence of Korea. 2. Japan's retention of the conquered places. 3. Japan's retention of territory east of the Liao river. 4. Permanent cessation of hostilities. 5. An offensive and defensive alliance between China and Japan.

Exports and Imports. WASHINGTON, April 16.—During the nine months of the present fiscal year the amount of merchandise exported was \$52,760,675 and the amount imported \$33,225,930.

Funeral of W. Jennings Demorest. NEW YORK, April 13.—Funeral services over the remains of the late W. Jennings Demorest, the well-known magazine publisher and advocate of the principles of the prohibition party, were held Friday morning at the Reformed church.

Snow Damages Vegetables and Fruit. WINCHESTER, O., April 15.—An unusually heavy snow preceded by rain and heavy hail passed over this section Sunday morning and is reported to have done a great amount of damage to young vegetables and fruit buds.

Shortage at the Carson Mint. WASHINGTON, April 16.—Director Preston has received a report from Andrew Mason, inspector of United States mints, stating that the actual gold shortage at the Carson (Nev.) mint is \$75,499.73.

Immigration Falling Off. WASHINGTON, April 16.—The total number of immigrants who arrived in this country during the last nine months was 153,177, against 218,724 during the same period in 1894.

Down on Tobacco. INDEPENDENCE, Mo., April 15.—Latter Day Saints closed their convention here after declaring that no person could hold any position in the church who used tobacco in any form.

Four Drowned. HALIFAX, N. S., April 13.—A small boat containing five men was capsized in a squall off Catalana, N. F. Four of the occupants were drowned.

DISLIKES SILVER.

The President Urges Agitation of the Money Question.

In a Letter to a Chicago Committee He Firmly Opposes the White Metal—Urges the Need of a Thorough Knowledge of Finance.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—President Cleveland has declined the invitation of Chicago business men to visit that city and to speak in the interests of sound money.

"I hope the event will mark the beginning of an earnest and aggressive effort to disseminate among the people safe and prudent financial ideas. Nothing more important can engage the attention of patriotic citizens, because nothing is so vital to the welfare of our fellow-countrymen and to the strength, prosperity and honor of our nation.

"The situation we are confronting demands that those who appreciate the importance of this subject and those who ought to be first to see impending danger should no longer remain indifferent or overconfident.

"If the sound money sentiment abroad in the land is to save us from mischief and disaster it must be crystallized and combined and made immediately active. It is dangerous to overlook the fact that a vast number of our people, with scant opportunity thus far to examine the sound currency by its merits, have nevertheless been ingeniously misled by specious suggestions which in this time of misfortune and depression and willing listeners, prepared to give credence to any scheme which is plausibly presented as a remedy for their unfortunate condition.

"That is now needed more than anything else is a plain and simple presentation of the argument in favor of sound money. In other words it is time for the American people to reason together as members of a great nation which can promise them a continuance of protection and safety only so long as their currency is unimpaired, its honor unshaken and the soundness of its money unquestioned.

"If our people were isolated from all others and if the question of our currency could be treated without regard to our relations to other countries its character would be a matter of comparatively little importance. But American civilization were satisfied with this it would abjectly fall in its high and noble mission.

"Cheap Money Cuts Both Ways. In these restless days the farmer is tempted by the assurance that, though our currency may be debased, redundant and uncertain, such a situation will improve the price of his products.

"Not a Matter of Class Interests. An insidious attempt is made to create a prejudice against the advocates of a safe and sound currency by the insinuation, more or less directly made, that they belong to financial and business classes, and are therefore not only out of sympathy with the common people of the land, but for selfish and wicked purposes are willing to sacrifice the interests of our country to their private gain.

"All Are Business Men. In our relation to this question we are all in business. For we all buy and sell, so we all have to do with financial operations, for we all earn money and spend it. We cannot escape our interdependence. Merchants and dealers are in every neighborhood, and each has his shops and manufactories. Wherever the wants of man exist business and finance to some degree are found, related in one direction to those who want things to supply and in another to the money, extending business and finance to which they are tributary.

"Reckless Discontent and Wild Experiment should sweep our currency from its safe support the most defenseless of all who suffer in that time of distress and national discredit will be the poor as they reckon the loss in their scanty support, and the laborer and workman as he sees the money he has received for his toil shrink and shrivel in his hand when he tenders it for the necessities to supply his humble home. Disguise it as we may, the line of battle is drawn between the forces of safe currency and those of silver monometallism. I will not believe that if our people are afforded an intelligent opportunity for sober second thought they will sanction schemes that, however cloaked, mean disaster and confusion, nor that they will consent by undermining the foundation of a safe currency, to endanger the beneficent character and purposes of their government. Yours very truly, GROVER CLEVELAND.

Thanks Railways Except. CLEVELAND, O., April 13.—Judge Stevenson Burke, of this city, who ranks among the foremost of American railroad lawyers, said that it was his opinion that the government cannot compel the railways of the country to pay the income tax.

Murder and Suicide. CLEVELAND, April 15.—John Sejar, a Bohemian laborer in this city, shot and killed Carl Richter, a brother, and two hours later killed himself in a police station.

HE TAKES ISSUE.

A Leading Bimetallist Makes Answer to the President.

CHICAGO, April 16.—W. H. Harvey, chairman of the bimetallic executive committee, has made a reply to President Cleveland's letter declining the invitation to visit this city and speak in the interest of sound money.

"We respectfully submit that your letter does not present the true merits of this controversy. You call the attention of farmers and wage earners to the fact that rising prices, while enabling them to sell their products and labor at a higher price, will also cause them to pay equally more for what they may purchase, but you neglect to say that your statement is not applicable to debts. With prices coming down regularly and steadily since the demonetization of silver, our merchants, manufacturers and people generally have been doing business on a falling market, so that the time intervening between the purchase of their merchandise and raw material and placing it months afterward on the market, has removed the margin they would have otherwise made.

"Money and these debts payable in money have been steadily increasing in exchangeable value with the prosperity of the people. A debt for \$1,000 that 1,000 bushels of wheat would buy ten years ago now requires the farmer to give up 2,000 bushels of wheat in exchange for these dollars with which to pay the same debt. The owners of products must now give up twice as much property to pay their taxes as in 1874.

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GIRLS MURDERED.

Their Mutilated Bodies Found in a Church in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—The Emanuel Baptist church at Bartlett street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third, in this city, has been the scene of two of the most atrocious murders ever committed in the state. Saturday the mutilated body of Minnie Williams was found in the library of the building. Sunday the nude body of Blanche Lamont was found in the tower of the same church. The same hand, the authorities believe, slew both girls, and W. H. T. Durant, the young man suspected of both crimes, is now in custody.

Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams were members of the Emanuel church and members of the Sunday school class. They were both 21 years old, brunettes and pretty and modest girls. Both had been the recipients of attentions from a young medical student named W. H. T. Durant, who is also the librarian of the church and the secretary of the young people's society of the church.

Another Counterfeit. WASHINGTON, April 15.—A photographic counterfeit of the five-dollar issue of the American exchange national bank of New York city, series of 1882, check letter F, charter No. 1,394, bank No. 101,798, treasury number letter V, 1,230,081, portrait of Gardfield, has made its appearance.

Brewers Assign. KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 13.—J. D. Aller's Rochester brewery has made an assignment. The assets are given as \$300,000, with liabilities of \$167,000.

THE MARKETS. NEW YORK, April 16. LIVE STOCK—Cattle..... \$4 10 @ 6 00 Sheep..... 4 15 @ 6 00 Hogs..... 5 40 @ 6 75

WHEAT—No. 1 Hard..... 80 1/2 @ 81 1/2 No. 2 Hard..... 78 1/2 @ 79 1/2 No. 3 Hard..... 76 1/2 @ 77 1/2 No. 1 Soft..... 74 1/2 @ 75 1/2 No. 2 Soft..... 72 1/2 @ 73 1/2 No. 3 Soft..... 70 1/2 @ 71 1/2

CATTLE—Shipping Steers..... \$4 10 @ 6 25 Stockers and Feeders..... 2 70 @ 4 75 Butcher Steers..... 4 00 @ 4 50 Cows..... 1 75 @ 3 80 Texas Steers..... 2 25 @ 5 75 HOGS—Light and Mixed..... 4 00 @ 6 15 Heavy..... 3 50 @ 6 00 SHEEP—Wool..... 10 @ 20 Dairy..... 7 @ 18 Packing Stock..... 11 @ 11 1/4 EGGS—Fresh..... 60 @ 100 00 BROOD CORN (per ton)..... 12 50 @ 12 75 POTATOES (per bu)..... 7 00 @ 7 75 LARD—Steam..... 8 00 @ 8 50 FLOUR—Spring Patents..... 3 80 @ 3 80 Spring Straights..... 2 10 @ 2 75 Winter Patents..... 2 50 @ 3 00 Winter Straights..... 2 20 @ 2 80 GRAIN—Wheat No. 3..... 55 1/2 @ 57 Corn, No. 2..... 54 1/2 @ 55 Oats, No. 2..... 36 @ 36 1/2 Rye..... 36 @ 36 1/2 Barley..... 32 @ 33 1/2

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Farmers!

We have put a new department in the JOURNAL wholly in the interest of the farmer. It is headed "Farmers Wants" and as it is intended solely for farmers, to let their brother farmers know what they have for sale, want to buy, or have to exchange for something else, we have made a special rate for these ads. Consult it this week for bargains and for terms of advertisements and if you have anything to sell, or exchange, or want to buy anything from pickets, cornstalks or straw, to a farm, try this column. We think that being classified and set apart so will be easily found and the convenience of this column as a means of exchange, will be appreciated.

HERE AND THERE.

Try the Journal for advertising. Miss Ethel Moore is visiting in Grand Rapids.

Ed Paine, of Saranac, spent Sunday in Lowell.

A few of the Saranac boys were in town Sunday.

Mrs. Orton Hill is the guest of Grand Rapids friends.

Dry bread and maple \$1.50 a cart at E. R. Quirk & Co.

E. D. Spooking will repair your bicycles free reasonably.

Stores taken down, set up and stored by Reuben Quick & Son.

Remember the music and elocution at Music Hall, April 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Coons visited over Sunday at Middleville.

Beech and maple oak sals and pine wood at E. R. Quirk & Co's.

Mrs. George Edison, of Grand Rapids, visited Lowell friends, last week.

Wood and kindlings delivered.

W. J. ECKER & SON.

Mrs. H. H. Dyer has returned from a two weeks visit with relatives at Stanton.

Mrs. E. P. Waters spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Edgar Morse, at Gd. Rapids.

Mrs. J. S. Hooker is visiting relatives in Cleveland, Medina and other places in Ohio.

Myrtle June, of Grand Rapids, visited her parents, Mr and Mrs. D. Newcomb, last Friday.

There will be a musical and elocution at Music Hall, Wednesday evening, April 24th.

Bicycles are a necessity, now and stocking is furnishing necessities at bottom prices.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Morse and son, Allen, spent Sunday at Grand Rapids with friends and relatives.

Sewing machines of all kinds and description at R. D. Stocking's at prices never before heard of.

Frank McMahon attended the McMahon-Dwyer wrestling match at Gd. Rapids, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. DeLoe VanDusen, of Grand Rapids, has returned home after a visit with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Johnson, who have been spending the past two weeks here, returned Tuesday to Jackson.

Mrs. Phyllis W. Clark and son, Will, have returned to Lowell to reside, which place pleases their many friends.

Mrs. Wellington Hibbard, of Milwaukee, visited Mrs. E. B. Craw and Mrs. Chas. Quick the first of the week.

If you wish to see a splendid collection of nursery stock, call at N. P. Husted & Co's, at D. G. H. & M. depot.

Bethel McLain has gone to Gd. Rapids, where he has secured a position as brakeman in the D. G. H. & M. yards.

There will be Sunday school at the McBride's school house next Sunday, at 2:30 p. m. Every body invited to attend.

Mrs. Mueller and Emma attended the funeral of Mrs. Mueller's grandmother, Mrs. Katrina Webber, at Gd. Rapids, last week.

The Foresters will give a shadow social at Macomber Hall, Tuesday evening, April 20th. A fine program is being arranged.

Mrs. A. H. Rayn will speak on the subject of Temperance, at the Bailey church next Sunday morning. All are cordially invited.

The musical at Music Hall, next Wednesday eve., April 24th, given under the auspices of the social committee of the Baptist church.

The person holding policy No. 2,603, 138, London and Lancashire Fire Ins. Co., will confer a favor by notifying Mr. & Perry, Agts.

Frank Taylor went to Charlotte, the first of the week, to identify some fellows who had sold poultry to McCarty, that had been stolen there.

Chas. Severy wants all to remember that he is running the Banner Laundry and turning out first class work. Patronize him and leave your money at home.

Mrs. E. R. Collar returned from Battle Creek, where she has been receiving medical treatment, last Friday, for a short visit. Her many friends here are glad to see her so much better.

Robt Taylor, of Saranac, was in town, Sunday.

Frank McMahon was in Saranac last Sunday.

Prompt delivery of Wood & Coal from J. J. Quirk's.

John Beach, of Lake View, was in town, last week.

McPherson is as snug as a bug in a rug in his new quarters.

Mrs. John Kopf has returned from a visit at Kalamazoo.

Mr. C. G. H. & M. depot.

Mr. Otto Blume spent last week in Ionia, visiting friends.

Cedar Fence posts, peeled, from 7c. up at W. J. Ecker & Son's.

Mrs. Geo. Bousie visited in Grand Rapids, a few days last week.

Rickert has put in a fountain and is drawing Ice Cream Soda.

Mr. Cutler, of Saranac, visited his sister, Mrs. Will Ennis, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Morse, of Grand Rapids, were in town, Monday.

Mrs. A. S. Ford and son, Garfield, visited friends in Belding, Sunday.

Frank Tidd, Harry Kingsley and Ed Flynn were in Saranac, Sunday.

Mrs. John Ackerson, of Middleville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Marks Ruben.

Mrs. M. E. Dwight, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. P. Hicks.

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Mrs. Lottie Avery and Mrs. Fred Hodgson visited, Thursday, at Grand Rapids.

Rob Childs, of Muir, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs W. R. Childs.

Chas. Moore and Chas. Condon, of Snyrna, spent Sunday with friends in Lowell.

Ed Crashter and Mabel Cain, of Saranac, visited her mother, Mrs. Herman, Monday.

Clyde Barnes, who has been attending school at Ionia, is spending his vacation at home.

Mrs. M. M. Perry was called to Jonesville, Tuesday by the serious illness of her mother.

J. M. Zimmerman has at his shop the celebrated Belknap wagon. See them before buying.

Mrs. J. E. Lee's band gave a picnic supper at the residence of Mrs. R. B. Boylan, Tuesday.

Don't forget the date of the Reform school boys concert at Train's Opera House, April 26th.

Otto and Will Blume went to Belding to-day to take part in an amateur entertainment to-night.

Mrs. Hollis Brooks, of Grand Rapids, visited friends and relatives here, the latter part of last week.

A triple choir delivered the Easter music at the Baptist church and the anthem was especially fine.

The many lovers of that delicious beverage, Ice Cream Soda, can find the finest at W. B. Rickert's.

A school boy at a recent examination defined parallel lines "as lines that meet at the far end of infinity."

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carlsson, of near Grand Rapids, visited at H. S. Schriener's the first of the week.

The L. A. S. will meet with Mrs. Helen Avery, Tuesday afternoon, April 23rd. All are urged to be present.

Married, April 11th, by Rev. A. P. Moore, Willis Burch, of Lowell, and Myrtle Marley, of Grand Rapids.

Misses Mattie Packard and Jessie Tilden are home from Ypsilanti, spending their vacation with their parents.

Ten cents each will be paid for two copies each of the JOURNAL of Nov. 21st 1894 and Dec. 6th, 1894, at this office.

Mrs. Chas. Haier and little daughter, of Pontiac, are visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Joe Jeppson, and other friends.

The choicest trees, vines, shrubs, etc. can be furnished by N. P. Husted & Co. Packing grounds near D. G. H. & M. depot.

J. C. Moore was in Lowell over Sunday. Jack is looking quite well, for him, and apparently Ionia air agrees with him.

Mrs. Benstead and daughter, Vera, return to their home in Owosso, to-day, after a few weeks visit with friends and relatives here.

Lester and Warren McDermid are home from Ypsilanti, spending their vacation with their parents, Mr and Mrs A. McDermid.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chestman, of Lake Odessa, visited, over Sunday, at M. J. Painter's. Mrs. Chestman and little son will visit here.

W. H. Clark left Saturday for Colorado Springs, Col., to bring Mrs. Clark home, who has been suffering. It was completely discouraged when I happened to notice a cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla of a boy suffering from a complaint similar to that of my child. I bought one bottle and after giving it to him for a few days I noticed satisfactory improvement. Before the bottle was entirely used he had greatly changed and after a few weeks the disease had disappeared. The child had never been so well and became well, and is strong and healthy, without any ailment. I am very thankful to Hood's Sarsaparilla." CHARLES BROWN, 105 Antismit Street, Detroit, Mich.

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Attraction City Fashions!!!!

The residents of Lowell are justly proud of their city. They are energetic and push and energy and ambition, they will not willingly take a lower step. They have a just pride in every improvement and advantage that comes their way. What with their thriving business houses, the vast amount of trade that comes to their markets, their magnificent system of water-works, their well-equipped electric light plant and power station, improvements in the way of sewers, their first class school system, second to none in the state compared with cities of like size, and the beautiful island park, there has just reason to be proud, indeed. But there is one thing that would be a great advantage to our little city. And we are confident that our Fathers will consider the matter carefully. Will you hear my dream, it will explain itself. I am now sitting in my office one day, and business was very promising, and being very drowsy, I fell asleep, and sleeping I dreamed. I heard the most beautiful strains of soft swellings music. I listened and then followed in the direction of the sound. I came presently to a wooden bridge crossing Flat river, and looking in the direction of the Island, I saw on a gorgeous float John P. Sousa with his army of trained musicians. I was amazed, but riveted to the spot. The musicians under the magic spell of the great Sousa's baton, fairly revealed before the footlights in Grand's Opera House, to an appreciative audience as ever assembled. The music was simply excellent, especially in "Wash-Ling" in which in clearly and perfectly impersonates an Chinese Laundryman. His parody on the "Swing Song" was original and smart. He is a show within himself. The flute playing of Dewey Heywood was marvelous and showed him to be an artist.—Daily Citizen, Albion, N. Y.

This great favorite will be at Music Hall, Saturday night, April 30.

Baptist Notes.

Next Sunday is "Founder's Day" for the International Baptist People's Union. The day will be appropriately observed in the church here.

At the morning service Pastor Shanks will preach on "Aims and Methods of The International Union."

At the evening meeting the subject will be Young People as an Evangelizing Force. A collection will be taken for the International Work.

Subject for Young People's Praise service at 8:30, "Flowers of Mea."

Congregational Church.

REV. JAS. PROYAN, PASTOR.

Divine Worship at 10:30 a. m. Sabbath School at noon.

Christian Endeavor Society, Sabbath, 6:45, p. m.

Vesper Service, Sabbath, 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

Teacher's Meeting, Thursday, 8:30 p. m.

All are cordially invited to attend the services.

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Have Arrived and are Ready for Inspection

IF YOU SEE THEM YOU WILL BUY

We Have Just Opened Up An Elegant Line of Umbrellas and Parasols.

NEW DRESS GOOD, A FINE ASSORTMENT

DON'T FAIL TO CALL AND SEE THEM

HOSIERY

See our New Designs in Styles and Shades.

We say nothing about prices, for "We Make the Price, Others Attempt to Follow, But Do Not Get There!"

A. W. WEEKES.

UNDERWEAR

Examine our light weights FOR SUMMER WEAR

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

TO JOURNAL CORRESPONDENT.

All of our correspondents are requested to mail or send their items so they will reach us not later than Tuesday noon. This is a matter of importance to us, so please be prompt.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Elmdale.

The meetings at Elmdale have been indefinitely postponed, on account of the hall not being in readiness.

Rev. E. W. Davis visited at Mulliken, Wednesday.

R. J. Davies gave entertaining talks on Temperance, three nights at the M. E. church and now is at Freepport.

South Boston.

There was a good attendance at the Temperance lecture Sunday evening.

Will Bernard, of Gd. Rapids, is in So. Boston.

Some relatives from Canada, of Mr and Mrs Theodore Woodbridge are visiting them, on their wedding trip.

Geo. Snooks and family are moving on the Murray Pike farm near Ionia.

Ada.

James Burns, of Chicago, and Mr and Mrs McKnight, of Gd. Rapids, were the guests at Mr Burns' last Saturday and Sunday.

Marvin Raymond, of Keene, was here on business, last week.

Misses Daisy, Ethel and Vern Bristol were quite sick, last week.

Grant Johnson and wife are moving to Grand Rapids.

Mrs Nauracon and daughter, Nettie, are visiting friends at Hastings and Carlton Center.

A. Covert and family, of Lowell, were at Mr Clark's, Sunday.

Abraham Wade, who has been going to school here since last fall, returned to his home at Durand last Thursday.

Mrs Olmstead's sister, of Rockford, visited her, last week.

Farnell Points.

James Nugent, of Detroit, and Miss Sarah Doyle, of Gd. Rapids, were visitors at Garet Doyle's.

John L. Sullivan, of Campbell, is working for his brother James, this summer.

The academy was closed last week for vacation. The Sisters spent the time at Big Rapids.

Gustus Doyle, of O'Neill, Neb., our former townsman, has been appointed postmaster at that place, at a salary of \$2,000.

John Buckley, of Cannon, has commenced teaching the church school Monday.

Miss Katie Hurley was expected from the Valley City, this week.

Miss Minnie Malone is attending school at Lowell.

Some farmers have started the plow and others are drawing off potatoes.

Down the River.

School commenced in Dist. No. 2 this Monday morning, Mrs Minnie Martin, teacher.

Mrs P. J. Devine, of Stanton, is the guest of her parents, Henry Epley and wife.

Geo. Rork and family have moved from J. C. Train's farm to the Falls place, near Fallsburg.

Sam'l Alexander doesn't say any more that his friends cannot surprise him, for they did last Saturday evening. The time was pleasantly spent playing pedro and excellent refreshments were served.

Mrs Frank Ernst staid a few days of

the past week with her friend, Mrs Batey, in Cascade.

Ed. Story and wife entertained their friends, Mr and Mrs Chas. Holmes, Sunday.

Roy Dollaway returned today (Monday) from a weeks visit with relatives in Gd. Rapids.

Recent visitors at Joseph Denny's were, Mrs John Mathews, of Lowell, and Mr and Mrs Geo. Kingdom, of Vergennes.

Peter Coonrod, who has spent the winter with relatives at Campbelltown, is with his son "Dell" and family.

West Lowell Links.

Ed Green raised his barn Friday.

Henry Jay raised a barn for Mrs Tatt one day last week. Mr Easterbrook was quite badly hurt from a falling timber.

Charles Easterday and wife are visiting Mr and Mrs J. B. Easterday.

Elder Finley, of Cascade, lectured on "The Tabernacle" at the River school house last Friday night. His lecture was well delivered and instructive.

The merry wedding bells have rung again. This time for Willie Burch, of Lowell, and Myrtle Marton, of Grand Rapids. We extend our congratulations to them.

Seneca and Henry J. y have gone north to finish moving Seneca's goods here.

Mrs Rolf, Mrs Peters, Mrs Jay, and Mrs Stowe called on Mrs McIntyre Monday.

There has been another Sunday school started here, with Mrs Gristwood as Superintendent; Mrs Peters asst. supt.; Chas McIntyre, secy.; Herman Peters, treas.

Rev. Finley, of Cascade, will baptize at the Gristwood pond, Sunday. Meeting at 2:00 p. m. and baptism immediately after.

Mrs Bell Sterling attended the Ladies' Aid held at Mrs Merriman's last Thursday.

Keene News.

The farmers have commenced spraying their peach orchards, in this end of the world.

Dan Anderson has moved on Will Lucas' farm and will work for him this summer.

Rev. and Mrs Ravn took tea with Mr and Mrs Tredebeck, Friday.

George Raymond and wife were out for Easter dinner Sunday.

Mr and Mrs James Tredebeck took their Easter dinner with Mr and Mrs Henry Tredebeck, at Lowell.

Mrs Converse has sold her farm of 180 acres to Mrs Geo. Converse and she has taken possession and Mrs C. has rented and moved on her son, Frank's, farm west of her old home.

Morgan Titus thinks he will be ready to move in his new home about the 1st of May.

Mrs E. Condon and Mrs S. Condon, of Otisco, called on Mrs Tredebeck last Wednesday.

Mrs Dell and Bert Bowen have gone to South Lyons to visit their parents, Mr and Mrs Goodell.

James Tredebeck spent a couple of days last week in Gd. Rapids visiting his nephew, Harry, who was with the troop to which he belongs. He is a comedian.

E. Condon and wife, of Otisco, and Oren Sayles and wife, of Vergennes, ate Easter dinner with their parents, Mr and Mrs C. Sayles.

W. H. Moon has been tussling with the grip but is better.

Manly Aldrich is working for W. B. Moon.

Mrs J. Tredebeck received a very beautiful parlor lamp, china cup and

sauceur and a bantam hen and chicks from Harry Tredebeck as an Easter token.

Mr Hoag closed the Fallsburg school last Friday.

Mrs Chas. Sayles is suffering with the grip.

PANSIE.

Fallsburg Facts.

Mrs Weesbrook, of West Campbell, is visiting her daughter, Mrs Wm. Rexford.

Jim Sage has returned from Lake View, where he has been visiting for the past week.

Cora Goodsell, of Lowell, visited in the Burgh a couple of days last week.

Ira Pottruff has been sick for the past two weeks.

Mrs Booth has been staying in Lowell for the past month, caring for her mother, who has been quite sick.

Vera Sayles is staying with her sister in Lowell and attending school.

James McGee and wife have returned from Ada, where they have been for the past six weeks, taking care of her mother in her last sickness.

Fred Pottruff visited his brother, Ira, Monday. This is the first time he has been away from home in over eight months.

The friends of Christian Reusser sympathize with his parents in their great bereavement. He was loved by all that knew him and will be sadly missed.

George Chadderden and wife visited friends here Monday.

Visitors at Wm. Rexford's Sunday were Ed. Condon, wife and children, Chas. Weesbrook, of Otisco, Mrs Day Condon, of Alton, and Mrs Weesbrook, of Campbell.

Grant Adams has been visiting his best girl, out in Barry county.

Go see McPherson in his new quarters. Everthing cozy.

East Lowell.

Rufus Aldrich and wife were the guests of their aunt, Mrs Mary Ware, last week.

Miss Annie Locher and Walters, of Berlin, made Mrs John Cary a very pleasant visit one day last week.

Mr Nelson has his house up and enclosed.

Miss Pink Coles entertained her cousin, Miss Lulu Paine, of Saranac, recently.

Oril Hendersbott was in Grand Rapids and Coopersville last week.

Mrs Bonner, of Lowell, spent a part of last week, visiting at H. L. Godfrey's.

Mrs Wisner entertained her mother, Mrs Wunsch, of Down the River, last week.

Mrs Pearl Nelson, who has been quite sick, is better.

C. L. Crossman and W. J. Filkins, of Cannon, made J. N. Hubbell a short call last Friday.

Mrs C. Hendershott entertained Mrs Morgan, of Lowell, recently.

Mr and Mrs Everhardt were in Grand Rapids last week.

Mrs Allen Godfrey visited her parents in Alton, last week.

Bessie Story, Jessie Ware, Agnes Hughton, little granddaughters of Mrs Mary Ware, with their dolls, made her a very pleasant visit one day last week. Grandma Ware knows just how to entertain the little ones.

Miss Edith Weeks, of Alton, is visiting her sister, Mrs Allen Godfrey, at present writing.

M. T. Story was in Kent City one day last week.

S. Story is no better.

Mr and Mrs T. Woodbridge are entertaining friends from Canada.

Frank Fenning, who has been quite poorly all winter, is able to be out on the farm again.

Our school begins one week from next Monday, April 29th, with Ellis Faulkner as teacher.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Morse Lake Ripples.

Miss Nellie Winks is teaching the spring term of the Snow school, Misses Emma and Mary Winks have been spending a weeks vacation at home but have returned to Clarksville academy.

Alex. Blakeslee and wife visited their son, Walter, at Clarksville last Tuesday.

The Easter exercises at Morse Lake, Sunday school, last Sunday were very interesting and the house was crowded. Some of the "Little Workers" show remarkable talent in song and recitation.

There will be a union church social, (comprising the Ladies Aid Societies of West Lowell, West Bowne and Bowne Center M. E. churches) at Morgan Boyce's the last Wednesday in April at ten o'clock a. m.

The next meeting of Lowell District Council will be held at South Lowell Grange Hall on Friday, May 8d 1895.

Morse Lake Ladies Aid Society will meet at Mrs Thomas' next Wednesday.

Fred Yeiter has been very sick with the mumps but is recovering.

The spring term of Merriman school, commenced Monday, April 15, with Miss May Oberly for teacher.

T. S. Stewart is the proud possessor of a very fine litter of Belted Thirind pigs. They are beauties and no mistake. This breed of hogs is not common in this section of country.

Leon Blakeslee had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly a short time since.

Miss Mary Yeiter has just returned from a visit at Chatfield, Ohio.

The following extract from "The Chronicles of Egypt" was recently discovered hanging on the Christmas tree in Johnson's huckleberry swamp. It is thought it will prove of interest to those who are fond of Archaeological research. "There's a story afloat, that in times not remote on the Earnest Curries road, near that gentlemen's abode, Archie met Ed, for the things he had said, they both were full of sand and Archie, rosed Ed's hand so very, very hard that its usefulness was marr-ed, in fact the knuckles white were knocked clear out of sight, Doc Hunter fixed it up all right and soon there was another fight, this time th' doughty Zach made the furious attack. On the spot where this occurred foul talk and oath were heard, but Zack was badly beat, and made a quick retreat. Then Jim came down to have some fun, before this scrapping all were done, but although Ed was full of "sass" he staid inside and said "I'll pass." The signature to this remarkable document was almost illegible but was thought to read Bee, Phare-Ba-Bee and it is inferred from the orthography that the chronologist, must have been a near relative of Phar-a-oh the Great."

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Alton.

Mrs Orrin Trumbull has had a severe attack of rheumatism, but is better at present.

Maurice Trumbull has a lamb in his flock which has fine wool to his shoulders, from there the wool is coarse and 1 1/2 in. long. It looks very odd.

Mrs Chas Weesbrook started for California last Tuesday to visit relatives.

Mrs Warren Ford is on the sick list.

Mrs Pat Murphy is very sick.

Geo. White, of Lowell, was in Alton last week getting maple trees to set out.

The spring term of the Barto school commenced Monday with Lee Jakeway as teacher.

John Bergin, of Lowell, was in Alton on business Wednesday.

Riley Jones and wife, of Grattan, visited with Perry Purdy's family, Saturday.

Visitors at Nelson Holmes' last week were Mrs Dageer, of Belling, Angus tus Weekes, of Vergennes, with Mrs M. A. Lessiter, of Grattan.

Charlie Becker, a general farmer of Courtland, has ninety pairs of twin lambs and is successful in raising all of them. We think this record beats the state. He attributes his success to way he takes care of his ewes and the way he feeds them.

Died, of pneumonia on Thursday,

April 11, Christian Reusser, aged 28 yrs. Funeral was held at the Alton church, on Sunday p. m., Rev. Metzger officiating. His text was taken from John, 11 chap., 25-26. The deceased leaves besides his parents, Mr and Mrs Samuel Reusser, several brothers and sisters, and other relatives to mourn his loss. His friends presented him with a wheel chair several years ago and he anticipated so much pleasure in enjoying the coming summer.

Rev L. Allinger, of Detroit, presiding elder of the Mich. Dept. assisted Rev. Metzger with the Good Friday services held at the church Friday.

The Swiss will hold Easter exercises Sunday, April 21st, at 2 p. m. Rev. Metzger will preside.

Mr Cambell has bought a place one mile east of Lowell, 25 acres at \$1,000. He is moving his goods.

Perry Cambell went to Lake Odessa Saturday, to visit his brother, Bert.

Mr and Mrs Smith have moved in the Geo. Converse house and will work for M. Vandebroek.

Mrs David Condon and daughter, Jessie, visited her sister Mrs Wm. Rexford, of Fallsburg Sunday.

Miss Rosa Krupp visited her sister, Lena, at Rev Provan's, in Lowell.

The Swiss band received their big drum Thursday night and we will have the pleasure of hearing a full band soon.

Ed Godfrey was in Grand Rapids last week.

E. Condon and wife visited Wm. Rexford, at Fallsburg, Sunday.

The meeting of the stock holders of the First Christian church will be held at the church Monday, April 29th, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing trustees and to transact other business.

Mrs Bert Norton is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs Geo. Elsby and children, of Oakfield, returned home Sunday, after a week's visit with her mother and brother, Maurice Trumbull.

Fred Wingeler, recently from Ohio, is moving on the Ira Gardner farm, which he bought last winter.

Mr Campbell's horse backed into the mill pond opposite the wood house, Saturday, with a light wagon and load of goods, in the water 3 or 4 feet deep. It caused some excitement on the street. (The horse did not balk but gave the grand bailing sign of a balky horse.)

One of the South Grattan families cooked eggs for breakfast Sunday, and the boy said that he could eat eighteen and his father bet he could not do it. He did and two more besides, with two cups of coffee and potatoes to match.

Chapel.

People are busy plowing and some have sowed oats.

Grandpa McMillan is steadily failing.

Communion was held at the Cong. church Sunday. Mr and Mrs A. Depew united with the church.

E. Hutton has sold out and moved away. A Rev. Rexford takes his place, he is liked very much.

School began yesterday, with Mrs D. J. McNaughton teacher.

The fifth wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs E. A. Smith was celebrated by the neighbors April 5th.

Born, to Mr and Mrs Theodore McPherson, a son.

Uncle James Grant made his first visit of the season in this neighborhood last week.

McPherson's new location is just right. Drop in and see.

OPENS THE SEASON.

First Excursion May 5th.

The C. & W. M. and D. L. & N. Ry will run the first Sunday Excursion of the year to Grand Rapids on May 5th. Special train will leave Elmdale at 10 a. m., arriving at Grand Rapids at 10:45 a. m. Returning, leave at 7 p. m. Round trip rate 45 cents.

Take advantage of the low rates and visit the beautiful "Valley City." Special attraction at Reeds Lake have been provided for this date. Ask agents.

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Buy home grown raspberry and strawberry plants of Clinton Snow, Lowell.

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Cedar Fence posts, peeled, from 7c. up at W. J. Ecker & Son's.

Money to Loan—From \$100.00 to \$1000.00 in a place on Good Real Estate security or Good notes. Lowest rate. C. G. WILSON.

For Sale—Forty acre farm in Keene, five miles from Lowell. Cheap. O. B. HARRIS, Lowell, Mich.

Money to Loan on Real Estate. Low rates, no bonus. LOWELL STATE BANK.

Seed Potatoes—I have some choice Early Seed Potatoes. First come first served. JOHN C. WILSON, Pratts Lake.

Buy a Farm and raise peaches and fruit. I have a choice farm, of 40 acres, good house, barn, apple orchard, splendid location for peaches and well watered. Will sell cheap; a bargain for some one. Call at this office.

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