

A HERO'S BIRTHDAY.

Tributes to the Memory of Grant in Galena and Chicago.

Historical Painting by Thomas Nast Presented to the Former City—Oration to Mrs. Grant at the Auditorium in Chicago—Eulogies.

GALENA, Ill., April 29.—The people of this city, which was the home of Gen. Grant, celebrated Saturday the 75th anniversary of the illustrious commander's birth. The feature of the festivities was the presentation to the city by Judge C. C. Kohlsaat, of Chicago, on behalf of his brother, H. H. Kohlsaat, of a magnificent painting entitled "Peace in Union," by Thomas Nast. The painting, which is 9x12 feet, illustrating the scene of Lee's surrender and contains the portraits of many famous war generals of both armies. Mayor Birmingham accepted the gift on behalf of the citizens. The painting will hang in Grant memorial hall in the public library building. A brilliant oration was delivered on the subject of the "Silent General" by Hon. H. D. Estabrook, of Omaha. A military and civic parade preceded



GEN. GRANT.

the presentation of the painting, and the exercises closed in the evening with a public reception. The city was decked in bright, patriotic colors, and many visitors from Chicago and other places were present.

Cheered His Widow.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Mrs. Ullyses S. Grant, the widow of the warrior, statesman, diplomat and citizen, came into a draped box at the Auditorium Saturday night. The vast audience, which had come to do honor to the dead hero, arose and, with one accord, filled the air with waving handkerchiefs and applause which refused to be silent. Mrs. Grant bowed, wiped her eyes and, from the enthusiasm of the reception, the thousands sank into silence and a thoughtful worship at the shrine which the day had erected. Mrs. Grant had Mrs. Sartoris at her right and her grandchildren at her left.

This observance of the hero's birthday anniversary was under the auspices of the Press club and the sentiment behind it brought out enough



MRS. U. S. GRANT.

thousands to fill the house. Hon. Luther Laffin Mills delivered an eulogy of Grant. He said in part: Mr. MILLS' Tribute.

"This day the country bows before the name and deeds of Grant—rendering the homage of the greatest of all nations of time to one who in his supreme peril did more than any other man to prevent the tragedy of its destruction, by the triumphant conduct of a just war, who, rising from the ordinary life of the American citizen—an unexpected surprise—became the incarnation of the nation's desperate defense, and for four long years swung his sword from the Mississippi to the sea, from Belmont to Appomattox, and sheathed it not until at last came the country's triumph and salvation of the republic."

"Ullyses S. Grant was one of the people; in blood and ancestry a simple American. His was a life of simplicity of work, of the absence of luxuries, of few books well learned, of the influence of religion. He was no soldier of a parade; war was to him no play. He was a commander who believed that war was war; he fought for results and won them. He gave up victories. But Grant was more than a soldier. The qualities of good judgment and common sense, the instinct of justice, his high appreciation of the motive and spirit of our institutions, made him in time of peace a statesman. In the logic of events he became president, and despite contemporary criticisms, engendered by political controversies, his administration of the duties of his great office from 1869 to 1877 is a shining page in the American annals. Let us take into our lives and strive to make abiding there the lessons of the justice, the humanity, the patriotism, the nobility of Grant."

Gen. Howard Spinks.

Mr. Mills was followed by Gen. O. O. Howard, who spoke of Gen. Grant's military career as viewed by him personally. He called on the friends of Grant to come forth each year with information regarding the life of that hero until a death blow has been dealt to all the gross slander which has been uttered against him.

Gen. James Longstreet and Gen. Fitzhugh Lee wired regrets. The latter complimented Grant, both upon his bravery and the treatment given the soldiers of the south as prisoners.

On Sunday the pastors of a number of churches devoted their morning sermons to the bestowal of praise on Gen. Grant.

DURRANT TALKS AT LAST.

Asserts His Innocence of the 'risco Church Murders.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 30.—For the first time since the charge of murdering Miss Marian Williams in the Emanuel Baptist church, of this city, was formally made against W. H. T. Durrant, the prisoner has consented to talk. He spoke first of the Lamont case, saying:

"Poor Bianchi! I am accused of strangling her and then remaining unmoved at the details of the most horrible crime in history. No one will ever know the sorrow I feel and no one could begin to comprehend my thoughts, even if I were to tell all the anguish her terrible fate has caused me. I could not have murdered that girl. I liked her too well. Not better than anyone else in the world, but I respected and admired her and we were good friends."

"Judging by newspaper communications, I am looked upon as a cold-blooded, diabolical monster. I am painted as a devil in human shape, and very little is said in favor of the possibility of any other person having killed those two girls, but when my trial is over the world will know that I am innocent. My composure and self-control since my arrest are held against me, but no person will ever know the terrible ordeal I am undergoing. It is stated that I use opiates to induce sleep. That is a lie. I am able to sleep well because my conscience is clear of all crime. I am not of a nervous temperament."

A CLEVER TRICK.

Corinto's Occupation by the British Forces Proves a Futile Measure.

COLON, Colombia, April 28.—The Nicaraguan government, in view of the occupation of Corinto by the British forces under Rear Admiral Stephenson, for the purpose of collecting the customs revenues at that port to satisfy the demands of Great Britain for an indemnity for the expulsion of Consul Agent Hatch and other British subjects from Bluefields, has decreed the closing of the port.

PASO DE CABALLOZ, Nicaragua, April 29.—The plan of Nicaragua to isolate the British at Corinto is being carefully carried out. Orders for goods to be sent to Corinto have been countermanded until the blockade is raised. The threat now is the British will occupy more territory. It is not believed the United States will allow that.

LONDON, April 30.—A Managua dispatch says that Great Britain would withdraw her ships from Corinto and give Nicaragua fifteen days in which to pay the \$75,000 smart money if such a proposition would be accepted by Nicaragua.

TOWNS WIPED OUT.

A Dyke in France Bursts and Causes Death and Destruction.

EPINAL, France, April 29.—The great dike at Bonzey, in the Epinal district in the department of the Vosges, burst at 3 o'clock Saturday morning. The cubic volume of the dike is 8,000,000 meters (8,745,000 yards). The great rush of waters completely obliterated several hamlets and caused a frightful loss of life. It is at present impossible to get anything like an approximation of the number of lives lost, but it is thought it will reach over 200. The village of Bonzey, with its extensive pisciculture establishment, has disappeared. Other villages wiped out or devastated by the flood are Bomsent, Uxegney, Nomexy, Budegnay, Demevres, Darnieulles and Aux Iorgues.

Will Remember the Sabbath Day.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 29.—Mayor Neal issued instructions to the chief of police that after May 1 all business houses must be closed on Sunday, including barber shops, bath houses, restaurants, meat and confectionery shops and such like, and all labor shall be prohibited, including the sale or delivery of newspapers, ice, or milk. Drug stores can only fill prescriptions.

Lynched.

GREENVILLE, Ala., April 30.—The sixth negro was lynched in Butler county Sunday for the murder of young Watts Murphy. Sheriff Bargainer found his body hanging to a tree in the neighborhood where the other five were lynched a week ago. He appeared to have been dead for at least a day.

Montreal Fire Horror.

MONTREAL, Can., April 27.—Alphonse Thibeau died at the general hospital from injuries received by the burning of W. C. McDonald's tobacco factory Thursday night. A number of the injured cannot recover. Twenty-two persons were injured. The total loss is estimated at \$500,000.

Blew to German Papers.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 30.—The attorney general has rendered an opinion that city councils cannot legally appropriate city funds to publish ordinances in the German language, as such publications would be illegal. All official publications must be in the English language.

Fire in East St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, April 30.—Fire at 7 o'clock Monday morning partially destroyed the plant of the Kehlor, Milling company in East St. Louis, causing an estimated damage to machinery and building of about \$100,000.

Broke the Record.

NEW YORK, April 29.—On a wager that he could kill 90 out of 100 picked pigeons at 30 yards rise, 50 yards boundary, Capt. Brewer killed 100 birds straight at Dexter park, Long Island, breaking all records.

Fires in a Week.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Fire losses throughout the country for the week ended on Saturday amounted to \$2,125,495, against \$5,115,050 for the week previous.

Three Persons Drowned.

MARQUETTE, Mich., April 29.—Mrs. Mary Post, her daughter, Mrs. Pat Finley, and little Ethel Finley were drowned in the AuTrain river.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

Industries Gaining Steadily Without Sign of Hesitation.

Revival of Activity in All Directions Strengthens Confidence in the Future Prospects of Trade—Views of Commercial Agencies.

New York, April 27.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

"Neither the rising in speculative markets nor the steady gain in industries has ceased, and it is wholesome that there are fewer signs of hesitation in the productive industries than in speculative prices. Wages strikes grow more numerous and cause some trouble, and retail demand lags behind wholesale sales and jobbing purchases behind production in some branches, but through many conflicting reports the fact shines out that the industries are gaining, not with a rush and a whirl, but more safely. It is less clear that railroads are increasing their earnings, or that over production of cotton will be cured by the advance of 1/4 cents in price, or that cornering short sellers of wheat will help to market the large surplus. But revival of activity in all these directions, if possible, excessive in some, helps confidence to take the throne so long held by distrust. Recovery is not often mathematically equitable. When the load of depression is lifted, and men find that better things have come to stay, there must be many compensatory changes. Quite a number of works have advanced wages during the week, but strikes to compel an advance, possible for some but not for others, have grown much more numerous. Some shops are closing for want of orders, but a larger number are resuming work. Prices of shoes and cotton goods are rising; wool and woollens are lower. It would be a distinctly unnatural movement, inviting only distrust, if it were sympathetic and with equal step in all branches.

The Iron Industry.
"Iron production stimulated because ore, coke and oil were so dear, is retarded by shrinking demand for products, for on the whole new business is said to be smaller than in February or March. The structural demand for buildings throughout the country was never better."

Wool Prices Away Down.
"Wool has sold at the lowest prices on record this week, 16 cents for Ohio XX and 9 cents for year's Texas, and offers to clear off stock before new supplies come forward tempt manufacturers to purchase beyond present needs."

Wheat Exports Checked.
"Higher prices for wheat, nearly 3 cents above last week's, tend to check Atlantic exports, which, flour included, were only 1,805,873 bushels for the week, against 2,820,448 last year, though for the previous two weeks about equal to last year's."

The Money Market.
"Bank exchanges in April, thus far, average daily 11 1/8 per cent. more than last year, but 1/3 per cent. less than in 1893. Money is coming hither from the interior and a larger demand for commercial loans appears, especially from manufacturing towns in New England and from importers."

The Failure Record.
"Failures for sixteen days in April showed liabilities of \$5,075,862, of which \$2,582,770 were of manufacturing, and \$2,493,092 of trading concerns. The failures for the week have been 29 in the United States, against 19 last year, and 27 in Canada against 25 last year."

Bradstreet's View.
"The feature of the week is the continued strength of prices of staples after the striking advances of preceding weeks. Perhaps the most interesting advance has been in the price of iron, with steel billets are practically unchanged in price, with demand on the whole rather less, but prices are firm. Steady quotations are reported also for cotton, coffee, sugar and pork, while wheat, Indian corn, oats and lard are all higher."

AN OIL LAMP.

It Causes a Fire in Which Three Persons Are Burned to Death.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 30.—A frame dwelling, owned by Henry Snyder and occupied by Samuel Weaver and his family, burned Sunday night. Weaver was very ill with typhoid fever, and was known to have perished, but Monday morning his body and that of Frederick Snyder, son of the owner of the building, were recovered from the building. A male nurse who was attending Mr. Weaver was also burned to death, while Mrs. Weaver is in a critical condition from burns and fright. The upsetting of an oil lamp caused the fire.

A Veteran's Fate.

WAUPACA, Wis., April 30.—Three boys who were fishing in the pond in this city Sunday discovered a man's body in the water. It was found to be Jeremiah Shay, an old soldier and inmate of the veterans' home. He served four years in the war as a private in Company A, Twenty-sixth Illinois.

Tragedy on an Illinois Farm.

WOODSTOCK, Ill., April 30.—As a result of a trivial quarrel, W. W. Ellsworth, the noted breeder of Poland-China swine, Monday afternoon killed his hired man, George Fillwebber, and then blew his own head off with a shotgun. Fillwebber was 26 years of age and Ellsworth 65.

Voorhees for Free Silver.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 30.—Senator Voorhees submitted to a long interview, in which he flatly pronounced for free silver at the 16 to 1 ratio. He said the question had been agitated for years, and it was time the question was settled.

Widespread Euts.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 27.—Many bucket shops throughout the United States and Canada were heavy sufferers by the failure of John C. Allen, who ran the Standard grain and stock exchange in this city. Liabilities were \$250,000.

Was Charged with Many Crimes.

CLEVELAND, O., April 30.—The body of Joseph Denman, 45 years old, was found in the river. He had committed suicide because he had been charged with forty-five crimes of which he declared he was innocent.

Lived to a Ripely Old Age.

LEWISTON, Ill., April 28.—Mrs. Christina Bodner, a native of Pennsylvania, died here Thursday morning, aged 105 1/2 years.

IMPORTANT DECISION.

It Concerns Travelers Who Hold Accident Insurance Policies.

CINCINNATI, April 25.—A most important matter to every traveler holding policies against accident companies was the charge of Judge Buch-walter to his jury Friday in the case of the estate of John W. Wilshire, of Covington, against the Travelers' Insurance company. The deceased was plainly violating his contract and the laws of the state of Illinois by walking on the roadbed of the Illinois Central railroad when he was struck by a train. The location was a place of stir and bustle in Chicago. Evidence showed that Wilshire stepped on the track after the whistle sounded. The estate contended that Wilshire was bewildered and frightened by the noise. The court said if in the jury's mind such was a fact, the plaintiff was entitled to recover. The verdict was \$3,400 against the company.

UNDER THE BAN.

Publishers' Collection Agency Must Be Delivered.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Fraud letters were issued to the postmasters of St. Paul, Pittsburgh and Chicago forbidding the delivery of any mail matter to the Publishers' Collection Agency, which has offices all over the country, and has persisted in attempting to enforce the so-called "newspaper laws" in spite of the warnings of the post office department. One of the chief clauses of these "laws" is that if a person takes a paper from the post office he is liable for the subscription price of it, whether his time is out or not, or whether he subscribes for it originally or not.

BASEBALL.

Standing of the National League Clubs for the Week Ended April 27.

The following table shows the number of games lost and won and the percentage of each club of the National Baseball league.

| CLUBS | Won | Lost | Per cent. |
|-------------------|-----|------|-----------|
| Pittsburgh..... | 4 | 2 | 66.7 |
| Baltimore..... | 4 | 2 | 66.7 |
| Chicago..... | 4 | 2 | 66.7 |
| Boston..... | 3 | 3 | 50.0 |
| Brooklyn..... | 3 | 3 | 50.0 |
| Washington..... | 3 | 3 | 50.0 |
| New York..... | 3 | 3 | 50.0 |
| Cincinnati..... | 3 | 3 | 50.0 |
| Cleveland..... | 4 | 4 | 50.0 |
| Louisville..... | 3 | 6 | 33.3 |
| Philadelphia..... | 2 | 6 | 25.0 |
| St. Louis..... | 2 | 6 | 25.0 |

PERILS OF FOOTBALL.

Twenty Persons Killed in England and Many Others Hurt.

LONDON, April 29.—The English football season is closed and the Westminster Gazette publishes its annual football "butcher's bill." The "bill" shows that during the season there were twenty deaths from injuries received on the football field and that over 150 legs, arms and collar bones were broken, besides many cases of concussion of the brain or spine, paralysis, knee caps split, peritonitis and hundreds of minor casualties.

NEW YORK'S POPULATION.

According to the Recent Census It Numbers 1,948,868.

NEW YORK, April 30.—Mayor Strong late Monday evening made public the census returns gathered by the police department. The official figures show the number of males in New York city to be 925,310 and the number of females, 924,558, a grand total of 1,849,868. The increased population of this city from October, 1890 (police census), to April, 1895 (police census), is 139,151, making the annual increase 30,906.

Furniture Factory Burned.

ROCKFORD, Ill., April 30.—The main factory building of the Forest City Furniture company was destroyed by fire Monday afternoon, and a large amount of furniture in process of manufacture being consumed. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, fully covered by insurance. The fire caught in the engine room at about 6:30 o'clock.

World's Fair Diplomats.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The world's fair diplomats awarded to exhibitors whose exhibits were favorably mentioned by the judges are being prepared at the bureau of engraving and printing and will be sent out in about sixty days.

Ohio Republicans to Meet May 28.

COLUMBUS, O., April 29.—The republican state central committee Saturday fixed the date of the state convention at Zanesville May 28 and 29.

THE MARKETS.

| | New York, April 30. |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| LIVE STOCK—Cattle..... | \$4 00 @ 5 25 |
| Sheep..... | 3 00 @ 3 25 |
| Hogs..... | 5 00 @ 5 25 |
| FLOUR—Minnesota Bakers'..... | 3 30 @ 3 45 |
| City Mill Patents..... | 4 00 @ 4 25 |
| WHEAT—No. 2 Red..... | 87 @ 87 1/2 |
| Do. No. 1 Hard..... | 87 1/2 @ 88 |
| CORN—No. 2..... | 32 1/2 @ 33 |
| OATS—No. 2..... | 23 1/2 @ 24 |
| Track White Western..... | 27 @ 28 |
| RYE..... | 50 @ 50 1/2 |
| PORK—Mess, New..... | 15 50 @ 14 50 |
| LARD—Western..... | 7 00 @ 7 10 |
| BUTTER—West's Creamery..... | 12 @ 13 |
| Western Dairy..... | 8 @ 12 |
| CHICAGO. | |
| CATTLE—Shipping Steers..... | \$4 10 @ 5 30 |
| Butchers' Steers..... | 3 50 @ 4 50 |
| Cows..... | 1 75 @ 2 50 |
| Texas Steers..... | 2 00 @ 4 00 |
| HOGS..... | 4 45 @ 5 00 |
| SHEEP..... | 1 50 @ 4 70 |
| BUTTER—Creamery..... | 10 @ 12 |
| Dairy..... | 7 @ 17 |
| Packing Stock..... | 6 @ 7 |
| EGGS—Fresh..... | 12 @ 12 1/2 |
| RROOM CORN (per ton)..... | 60 00 @ 20 00 |
| POPCATOES (per bu)..... | 12 00 @ 12 50 |
| PORK—Mess, New..... | 15 50 @ 14 50 |
| LARD—Steam..... | 6 75 @ 6 80 |
| FLOUR—Spring Patents..... | 3 40 @ 3 90 |
| Spring Straights..... | 2 75 @ 3 15 |
| Winter Patents..... | 2 50 @ 3 20 |
| Winter Straights..... | 2 75 @ 3 00 |
| GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2..... | 87 1/2 @ 88 |
| Do. No. 1..... | 87 1/2 @ 88 |
| Corn, No. 2..... | 32 1/2 @ 33 |
| Oats, No. 2..... | 23 1/2 @ 24 |
| Rye..... | 50 @ 50 1/2 |
| Barley..... | 31 1/2 @ 32 1/2 |
| MILWAUKEE. | |
| GRAIN—Wheat, No. 2 Springs..... | 87 1/2 @ 88 |
| Do. No. 1..... | 87 1/2 @ 88 |
| Oats, No. 2..... | 23 1/2 @ 24 |
| Rye, No. 1..... | 50 @ 50 1/2 |
| Barley, No. 2..... | 31 1/2 @ 32 1/2 |

Aged Heroine Burned.

CROOKSTON, Minn., April 30.—The residence of George Denniston on Maple Lake was burned Monday morning and his aged parents lost their lives. They were sleeping upstairs, and Mrs. Denniston, Sr., came down and woke the family, who escaped. She then went back to assist her husband, who was blind. The roof fell in, burying both in the ruins.

Pioneer Physician Dead.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 30.—Dr. Frederic Andros, who was the first practicing physician to locate west of the Mississippi river, died in this city Sunday at the age of 92 years.

Cuts His Throat.

EASTON, Pa., April 30.—Samuel C. Carpenter, of this city, accused of the murder of Mrs. Ray Blackwell, of Phillipsburg, N. J., cut his throat in his cell.

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STATE NEWS.

Interesting occurrences in Various Michigan Locations.

An English inheritance of \$18,000 awards Edward Evans a compositing residence in Hastings.

The Vicksburg Driving Park association will hold its annual spring meeting June 5 and 6.

The annual meeting of the Eighth District Sunday School association, composed of Ingham, Livingston and Shiawassee counties, will be held at Oroonoo on May 24.

The Plainwell Church Furniture company of Plainwell has made a new cabinet of their own to Henry Richard. Their liabilities are \$15,000.

The right arm of Hart Hoodley, an employee of the Waterwheel paper mill, was drawn between the cylinder drive shafts of the mill.

The ninth annual convention of the Michigan Music Teachers' association is to be held in Ypsilanti June 25-28.

Potatoes and hay are becoming very scarce in Ionia county. Most farmers are entirely out, and the few who have any are getting high prices.

Farmers' mutual insurance companies are being organized in the upper peninsula.

A little adopted daughter of Albert Eppink, of East Saugatuck, was burned to death while playing near a trash pile.

The body of C. Campbell, of Lawson, disappeared from his home April 23, has been found in a river near Anson.

Reverend C. H. Hackley has qualified and will assume the duties of his office on January 1, 1896. Mr. Hackley's term is for six years.

Voters of Seelye have decided by ballot to invest \$10,000 in an electric lighting plant.

The memorial day address at Northville will be delivered by Judge Robert E. Franke of Detroit.

The dates of the thirty-ninth annual fair of the Ionia District Fair association are September 17, 18, 19 and 20.

B. D. Thorpe's printing establishment at Lansing was injured \$15,000 worth Wednesday.

Since the opening of navigation, little more than two weeks ago, over 11,000,000 feet of lumber have been shipped from Manistee.

Michigan Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias will begin its annual session at Kalamazoo May 14. There are four candidates for the office of grand master of records and seal.

TO BUILD A BIG DAM.

Work to begin in May by a Corporation with \$1,000,000 capital.

BENTON HARBOR, April 20.—Work will commence in May on one of the largest enterprises undertaken in this part of the state in fifteen years. The plan is to build a dam one mile north of here which will give a fall of 20 feet over the 200 feet of main dam, and being 1,200 feet of dam approaches. This structure of steel, timber and earth will back water in the river, overflowing 1,200 or more acres of lowlands which have been left at a cost of \$50,000. The river, now navigable by rowboats and skiffs only, will then become navigable by large steamers. The primary reason for erecting the dam is the valuable power to be attained, which will be used for electric light, heat, and power purposes, also for finishing power to the mills. The dam will be located near the dam. The company will capitalize in a few days under the state laws at \$1,000,000, with \$200,000 paid-up stock. Peter English is the active solicitor and overseer of work as it progresses.

Costly blaze at Melbourne.

BAY CITY, April 23.—Fire destroyed H. A. Babcock and Son's saw mill, the mill block and 2,500,000 feet of lumber at Melbourne Saturday. The fire departments of Bay City, Saginaw and Carrollton sent help, and four fire engines were there helping to save a large quantity of lumber and a number of tenement houses occupied by mill employes. The loss on the mill and mill block was \$85,000, insured for \$25,000. The lumber belonged to Whitney & Babcock, was worth \$35,000, and insured for about \$25,000.

Increase in Tax Levy.

LANSING, April 23.—Auditor General Tarran is recovering the estimates that go to make up the tax levy for the years 1915 and 1916. The total levy will approximate \$1,000,000. This exceeds the levy for the last year, the period by \$87,000, while the last year exceeded that of the years 1891 and 1892 by \$707,000. The increase is due to the large appreciation necessary for the home for the feeble minded and the upper peninsula hospital for the insane.

Death of 83-Judge Levi B. Tarran.

REAR, April 23.—Judge Levi B. Tarran, a 83-year-old respected citizen and leading member of the Oakland county bar, died Monday evening. He was nearly 74 years of age.

MICHIGAN LEGISLATURE.

LANSING, Mich., April 23.—The senate today in committee on the education committee passed the bill which passed the house two weeks ago. The bill is to be reported to the senate on Monday.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

The picket mill on A. Turner's place took fire on the night of the 23rd and burned. No one knew anything of it until morning although there were people watching with Grandpa McMillan. He seems to be about the same.

Mr. McCarthy's house burned last Sunday while the family were at church. They are boarding at Mr. Halpin's at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Canfield have a new boarder, a baby boy.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Maude Crowe, also of Dr. Daufour, of Cascade.

LOWELL JOURNAL, LOWELL, MICH.

Wednesday, May 1, 1895.

FIT FOR A QUEEN!
Are the many new and stylish Patterns in our Spring Stock of Ladies' Handsome Shoes
Our Misses' and Children's Fine Shoes
Are Beauties.
SEE US BEFORE BUYING.
GEO. WINEGAR,
North Side Main Street.

Copper Sulphate

Is great for spraying fruit trees. Do you want it? We have it.

WE HAVE THE FINEST LOT OF Wall Paper

in town. Call and examine it. We like to show goods when we have such fine goods to show.

L. H. Hunt & Co.
LOWELL

Stop that cough with any one of our 101 sure remedies. Have you got that tired feeling? Try our invigorators.

NEW MARKET

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| Beef | Roast |
| Steak | Juicy |
| Sweet | Stews |
| Pork | Chop |
| Lean | Fat |
| Veal | Cutlets |
| Lamb | Stew |
| Liver | Tongue |
| Bacon | Sausage |
| Ham | |

J. J. McNAUGHTON & Co.

Gardiner & Baxter's Steam Laundry
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.
FIRST CLASS WORK
Satisfaction Guaranteed
New neck band to replace those worn out. Free of charge. Work called for and delivered. Office at Chas. Allen's Clothing Store, where out of town customers can leave their laundry.

GEO. M. TATE, Agent.

FORGE'S REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.
Loans, Collections and Insurance, Farm and Village Property Bought, Sold and Exchanged.
OFFICE IN State Bank Block,
LOWELL, MICHIGAN

Frank Wunsch was at Mrs. L. Austin's Sunday. **Miss Stella Ranney** spent Sunday at Saranac. Prompt delivery of Wood & Coal from Joe Quick's.

Frank D. Eddy, county clerk, is in town to-day.

Five fishermen got six little trout this morning.

Horace Barber, of Jackson, is visiting Lowell friends.

Go to McPherson in his new quarters. Everything cozy.

O. O. Adams has an announcement on 3d page. See it.

Have you seen those elegant cheval dressers at Yeller's?

Miss Kate Edmonds has purchased a new Duche bicycle.

Mrs. B. W. Nicklin, of Acon, Ont., is visiting relatives here.

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

Beech and maple, oak slabs and pine wood at **E. R. Quick & Co's.**

Miss Bertha Robinson spent Sunday with her sisters, at Muskegon.

Claude Giles has returned from a three weeks outing at Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Donkner visited over Sunday with Ionia friends.

Sunday school at **McBride's school**, house near Sabbath at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Avery visited over Sunday with relatives in Belding.

Wilbur Pardo, of Freeport, was in town Tuesday, enroute to Chicago.

How about the bridge to Island Park? Isn't it about time they were put up?

Miss Lenna Rouse, of Grand Rapids, was in town a couple of days last week.

Lew Morse, of Grand Rapids, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Morse. Money to loan on Real Estate. Low rates, no Bonus. **LOWELL STATE BANK.**

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Painter visited friends in Orleans the first of last week.

F. B. Cotton, of Grand Rapids, was the guest of Roy Hooker, last of last week.

Lost: watch chain. Finder please return to Devello Waters and receive reward.

For Rent: Ten room house, barn and two lots, pleasant location. Enquire of R. G. Graham.

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

Miss Mamie O'Brien, of Grand Rapids, was in town Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Doyle.

R. D. Stocking has the finest lot of Bicycles in town and will quote the lowest possible prices.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Mohr, of Gd. Rapids, were the guests of Pastor and Mrs. Shank's last week.

McLain, of Gd. Rapids, was in town over Sunday. He will move his family there this week.

Misses Zelma White and **Lena Monks**, of Saranac, were in town Saturday and Sunday, visiting relatives.

R. Quick returned from Chicago last Friday bringing with him his niece, **Miss Florence Belden**, of Watkon, Ia.

Miss Anna Allen will wed **Will F. Murphy** at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Allen, this evening.

The Base Ball boys are getting out pretty regular for practice and the fans are very much pleased at the showing they make.

The **Home Missionary Society** will send as its delegate, **Mrs. Heman Dawson**, to the convention being held at Belding this week.

Mrs. N. L. McCarty returned, last Saturday, from spending the winter in Arizona and southern California. The climate has apparently agreed with her as she is looking extremely robust.

The **ladies of the W. R. C.** are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, May 8th, for the purpose of making arrangements for Memorial Day.

Miss P. A. Newtous, Pres.

H. G. Gilmore, R. McCoy, W. H. Spicer, N. A. Cooper and James Robinson, of Grand Rapids, are a few of the many who are shipping the trout streams in search of the wily trout.

There will be an ecclesiastical and musical entertainment at the River school house, Wednesday eve, May 8th, given by **Miss Edith McConnell** assisted by **Miss Pearl Bayles** and **Mr. M. Scofield**.

The **'Water and Light'** company have put a new ventilating roof on the reservoir. The old flat cover has been taken away and a brick wall, about four feet high built up and surmounted by a neat roof which makes the reservoir show up well from the center of the village.

Miss Daisy Odell received a telegram yesterday, telling of the death of her father, **S. J. Odell**, of Lincoln, Neb. Dr. Malcolm, his brother-in-law, expects they will bring the body here for interment. **Miss Daisy** has been here for the past two years attending school and her many friends sympathize with her.

I. A. Anderson, of the L. & H., is going to lay cement sidewalks and has just secured a contract with R. J. Flanagan for his walks. Mr. Anderson has hired the best man Grand Rapids affords and from past experience with I. A. we predict first class work for Lowell citizens, and success to the venture.

McPHERSON'S

NEW LOCATION,

In the Avery Building, Is All Right.

ANYTHING IN

Bazaar Goods

FANCY ARTICLES

Can be bought here at less than half the usual prices charged elsewhere. We have a full and

ELEGANT LINE OF DISHES AND CROCKERY,

Hand and Hanging Lamps, Confectionery, Soap, Yarns and Zephyrs, Stove Blacking, Tinware, Brick a Brae, Children's Wagons, Glassware, Garden Rakes and Hoers.

All Your Wants Supplied,

JAS. McPHERSON,
AVERY BUILDING,
BAZAAR. East Side, Lowell, Mich.

To Our Friends and Patrons.

We have sold our Hardware Stock and Goodwill to Reuben Quick & Son, whom we sincerely recommend to you for a continuance of your patronage.

It is with sincerest regrets and pleasantest feelings that we retire from business and trust that we have a warm place in your regard.

W. R. BLAISDELL & CO.

WE WISH TO ANNOUNCE

That we have purchased the above business and speak for a continuance of the patronage of all old customers and invite all who desire anything in our line to call.

Mr. Amos Smith, who has been with the firm so long will be retained and on hand at all times to attend your wants.

We intend to carry a full line of Hardware and will guarantee quality, prices and courteous treatment. Give us a call when in need of anything in our line.

REUBEN QUICK & SON.

Save Money

That's the Idea!
and you can do it on our

New Spring Goods.

We have the finest stock and at prices lower than ever. Come and look them over. Our

Elegant Line of Embroideries,

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Hosiery and Summer Underwear

this year cannot be excelled and as for prices they will astonish you. You must see our

Curtains at 2-3 Former Prices.

We have a fine line of them. To see is to appreciate; to appreciate is to buy. We carry the

Largest Stock of Carpets,

Mattings, Linoleums and Oil Cloths in Lowell and can save you money on them. We also have samples of

Axsters, Moquettes, Velvets, and Brussels Carpets.

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Lowell, Mich.

When the cow jumped over the moon her feet were higher than ever known. Her eyes were not so bright as in her first days. It isn't quite out of sight yet. We have a full supply of all kinds of meats. Call and see us.

J. J. McNAUGHTON & Co.

Have you seen the famous Cutaway Harrow at Brown & Sehl's. This Harrow has an extension by which it can be spread so as to thoroughly pulverize the earth under and near the trees within the orchard and the trees within the orchard will find it filled a needed want. See them at Brown & Sehl's.

Myron Kisor has got a hen that has a realizing sense of her responsibility. She is turning out eggs that are eggs. Mr. Kisor brought to our office 18 samples of her efforts the latest specimen being a 61 egg weighing 4 1/2 oz. The other 17 eggs weigh 1 1/2 oz or nearly 1 lb each.

There will be a grand quarterly meeting of the Christian Crusaders, at Clarksville, May 8th and 10th. Three meetings a day, at 10 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. A grand jubilee meeting on the evening of the 10th, Mayor C. W. Campbell, Staff Capt., D. A. Reed and four bands will be present. Everyone is cordially invited.

"Billy" Barber and "Billy" Blume, our battery, went over to Hastings last Friday with the Freeport team. The Hastings pitcher was Miller, who was so successful with the Woodlands last year. The game was a water war for Freeport to the tune of 30 to 8. Later our own boys will give the Hastings team some pointers on ball playing.

The Foresters held a very pleasant shadow social at Music Hall, last evening. The following program was presented:

Music, Banjo and Piano—Otto and W. M. Blume.
Address of Welcome—S. P. Hicks.
Recitation—Clara Lawrence.
Piano Solo—Bertha Lee.
Recitation—Maude Coppens.
Duet, Instrumental—Misses Wimer and Weeks.
Recitation—Lala Hafer.
Music, Violin and Piano—Lloyd Coppens and Gladys Chapman.
Recitation—Grace Bakelaar.
Recitation—Verle Coppens.
Music, Mandolin and Piano—Otto and W. M. Blume.

The highest price paid for a shadow was \$2. The proceeds were about \$7. O. O. Adams has been employed by R. J. Flanagan to take charge of the grading, trimming and finishing of the lawn surrounding his new residence. Omar is going to make a specialty of landscape gardening and thinks there will be enough work in that line to keep him busy. He has also associated with him a man from Grand Rapids who has had five years experience in making and laying Granite Stone walks and proposed to make a specialty of walks at the lowest possible rate, with a guarantee for five years against any defects. All grants that will last five years will last a hundred years. He will also put in Turf and Gravel walks if wanted. In landscape gardening will be included sodding and seeding lawns, sewing commercial fertilizers, setting hitching posts, taking up, moving and replanting trees, building grape arbors, artistic flower beds, etc. In fact, any work where expert or artistic judgment is required. The line of work Mr. Adams proposes to do is a long list and he will undoubtedly be kept busy.

The Township S. Convention.
The Lowell Township Sunday School Association held its annual convention at the Congregational church in this village last Thursday afternoon and evening. There was a good attendance. The village, Congregational, Baptist, Methodist Episcopal, West Lowell M. E., Alto Baptist, West Lowell U. B., West Boardman Baptist Church, E. S. 89 were represented by delegates.

The afternoon session opened with devotional exercises led by Rev. Jas. Provan, who read the 117th Psalm.
Rev. E. H. Shank's delivered an address of welcome.

Rev. J. M. Turner, of Alto, presented the topic, "The Importance of Bible Study" and a quite general discussion followed.

"Some conditions and methods of Bible study" was presented by County Sec., E. K. Mohr, of Grand Rapids.

The afternoon meeting closed with a children's meeting conducted by Mrs. P. Merriman which was made interesting by the attendance and participation of a large number of children who had come directly from day school, just closed.

The evening session was opened with "Some Service," led by C. S. English, which was followed by scriptural reading by the president, Rev. E. H. Shank, and prayer by Rev. Turner, of Alto.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—C. S. English.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. M. H. Perry.
Sec. and Treas.—Jas. A. Scott.
The Superintendents of the various township S. S. together with the above officers constitute the executive committee for the ensuing year.

W. J. Hull, Sup't. of the Cong. S. S., took up the topic, "What can our young people do for the Sunday school."
"Our duty to those not in the Sunday school" was presented by F. N. Wilton, Sup't. of the Baptist Sunday school.

E. K. Mohr, County Sec., made the

principal talk of the evening on "How to house visitation," and contributed largely to the success of the convention. Carl S. English was elected chairman of the S. S. registration to be taken in May.

York's Vote "Dry."
The last law enacted by the Michigan Legislature, providing for a high license, also puts a business in a very good shape for total abolition of the liquor business as a thing in our villages. Heretofore the common council could not refuse a license if the necessary cash and required bondsmen accompanied the application. Under the present enactment the council is at perfect liberty to refuse to grant any license, whatever.

None but a temperance friend here is your chance. We believe that our common council, if it knew such was the wish of the people, would not grant a single license to sell the wicked stuff that makes men sick as it were, and unfit to perform the proper functions of society.

Suppose some of our W. C. T. U. and other representative temperance advocates get out and canvass the entire village with petitions praying our council, at its meeting to be held next month to grant no license, as it were, to one single salaried salaried man to deal out our precious stuff. Suppose that we all vote dry for one year, would it not afford us a chance to test the matter? You may depend on York for one to try with all his might to keep out of the business, if the council says they will grant no license to sell the liquor in York. York is not a salaried man, nor yet drink one dram, and may depend they will sign the petition to the Council. More over, again, the money that he has hitherto given to the liquor business he will give to the improvement of the island and building of the dam.

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"There, now! Didn't I tell you..."
"Don't trouble yourself about it, Mr. Sherlock..."
"My dear Watson, I think that I can engage to clear you of the charge..."
"I don't promise too much, Mr. Sherlock..."
"I think you are right, Watson..."
"I have a very simple reason..."
"Oh, come, now, come! Never be so sure of yourself..."
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International Lesson for May 6, 1895. The Agony in Gethsemane. Mark 14:26-42.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Town Line Tidings.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Leece are the proud possessors of a boy.
Mrs James Green and daughter, Sadie, are nursing the mumps.
Wm. F. Rector has moved to Rockford.
Mr Batey, of Down the River, has bought the farm formerly owned by Wm. F. Rector and has moved there.
The Ladies Aid met with Mrs James Lewis last week Wednesday.
Mr Marr has moved to Whitneyville.
Clinton Snow has moved back on his farm.
Mr and Mrs Charlie Thibos, of Grand Rapids, visited his father, last week.
Mr and Mrs J. Collier, of Lowell, Sundayed with Mrs Thibos.
Several from Town Line attended the funeral of Dr. Danforth, Sunday.
J. Thibos has been confined to his bed

for over five weeks and now lies in a critical condition.
Ed Stinton is building an addition to his house.
P. Weebrook, of West Campbell, visited Mrs H. Weebrook, Monday.
Mrs U. Snow is suffering with the rheumatism.
Mrs H. Weebrook attended quarterly meeting at Oak Grove, Sunday.

CLAY.

Brown & Sehler have a 'ull line of D. M. Ferry & Co's guaranteed Flower, Field and Garden seed.

Keene News.

Mrs E. Condon, of Smyrna, called on her many friends here last Wednesday.
Mr and Mrs M. Wright, of Lowell, called on Mr and Mrs Jas. Trednick, Sunday.
James Trednick was in Belding last Monday getting peach trees. He expects to set out 400.

W. H. Moon is setting out a young orchard of 1000 peach, pear and plum trees.
Grandpa Sayles has been visiting his son, John, at Belding and on his way home made his granddaughter, Mrs E. Condon, a day's visit.
The Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs Emma Reynolds, the second Wednesday in May, instead of Mrs E. Raymond.

Mr and Mrs W. H. Moon visited his sister, near Grattan, first of the week.
The little children of Morgan Titus are improving.
E. E. Cooley, of Lake Odessa, made Mr and Mrs James Trednick a flying visit, Monday.

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East Ada.

Putman Stinton, died at his home in this place, Sunday, April 28th, of pneumonia.
Mr Simpson's son visited him Sunday.
Mrs Oliver Simpson's father and brother Sundayed with her.
Mr Elmondorph is seriously sick. Three of his daughters are with him.
A. Rolf rode out Sunday for the first time in eight weeks.
Mr Vanderlip is very sick.
George Warwick has so far recovered as to be able to go visiting.

Cascade.

Mrs Delis Hale, of Hudsonville, visited her father, Mr Sergeant, of Whitneyville, recently.
E. R. Bebee gave a social at the residence of Walter Quiggle Wednesday evening, April 24th. A pleasant time. Music and warm sugar was enjoyed by a goodly number both young and old.

Mr and Mrs James Harris spent Sunday in Caledonia.
Jessie Stapleton has been at Ashley Thomas' for some time past.
Chas. Buttrick made a business trip to Big Rapids last week.

J. H. Palmer has purchased 40 acres of land of Orin Keys and is preparing to build a house in the near future.

Born, to Mr and Mrs Frank Smith, nee Anna Waterson, April 28th, twins, a son and daughter.
Francisco Danforth, who has been in Cascade for the past five months caring faithfully and tenderly for his brother, Dr. Danforth, is spending a few days with the family and his sister, Mrs Seward Richardson, of Paris, before returning to his home in Ohio.

The L. A. S. meets to-day with Mrs Alfred Town.

John Roberts, died at his home in E. Cascade, Friday night. The funeral was in Grand Rapids, Tuesday, April 30th. He leaves a devoted wife, step-daughter and an adopted daughter to mourn his loss.

Miss Clara Goodfruit was called to Vergennes Sunday, where her brother, who was working for Mr Bailey, was accidentally drowned while fishing, on Sunday morning. The sister has the sympathy of the community in her sudden sorrow.
We are pained to know Miss Bessie Holt is not improving as fast as her friends would wish. We miss you, Bessie.
Mr Lemon is in very poor health.

Will Wood raised the frame for his barn last week. Mr Wood had the misfortune to cut his hand while working at the timbers. He is getting along nicely.
Just what you want, the improved hand potato planter, at Brown & Sehler.

West Lowell Links.

West Lowell was well represented at Oak Grove, Sunday.
Mr and Mr Priest are making their friends here a short visit.
Elder Jones preached Saturday and Sunday and Saturday evening Elder Priest preached.

The Union Sunday school held their first Sabbath school, Sunday.

Down the River.

Mr Jos. Deeny has returned to her home after spending the winter with relatives in Gd. Rapids.
Mr and Mrs Geo. Broadbent and little son, Ralph, spent Sunday with his relatives, near McCords.

Miss Ella Pant went last week to work for Mrs David Layer, in So. Lowell.

Will Hendricks and his friend, Mr Corwin, wheeled up from Gd. Rapids, Sunday and called on friends in this vicinity.

Orrin Evans met with quite a loss to day (Monday) by fire, getting into his fence and wood. About 30 rods, of new fence and a few cords of stove-wood were burned.
Arthur Hendrick is with his parents in Battle Creek, and is reported in very poor health.

All the best approved hardy varieties of fruit trees, ornamental shrubs, currants, gooseberries etc, can be had of N. P. Husted & Co. Call and see us at the D. G. H. & M. depot.

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Men's Heavy Working Shirts, worth 50c, now 35c.
Men's Black and White stripe Shirts, worth 50c, now 35c.
Men's Heavy Amoskeag Shirts, worth 75c, now 50c.
Boys' Outing Flannel Shirts @ 15c.
Unlaundried Shirts @ 39c.
Laundried Shirts @ 49c.
Fine Neglige Shirts, worth \$1.00, @ 75c.
Fine Black Sateen Shirts, worth \$1.00, at 75c.
Fine Black Sateen Shirts, worth 75c, @ 55c.
Fine Percale Shirts, worth 90c, @ 62c.
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Men's Brown Sweaters, worth 50c, @ 36c.

Men's White Sweaters, worth 50c, @ 36c.
Boys' Sweaters, worth 25c, @ 19c.
Men's Balbriggan Underwear, worth 50c, @ 35c.
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20 Dozen Men's Shirts and Drawers, worth 25c, @ 15c.
50 Dozen Overalls at 25c per pair.
30 Dozen Overalls, worth 50c, @ 39c per pair.
10 Dozen Checkered Jackets, worth 50c, @ 39c each.
25 Dozen Pants, worth 75c @ 58c per pair.
15 Dozen Pants, worth 90c, @ 68c per pair.
10 Dozen Lined Pants, worth 90c, 68c per pair.
10 Dozen Boys' Knee Pants, worth 25c, @ 19c per pair.

25 Dozen Neckties, worth 25c, @ 19c each.
25 Dozen 4-Ply Linen Collars, @ 10c each.
10 Dozen 4-Ply Linen Cuffs, @ 19c per pair.
15 Dozen Celluloid Collars, @ 13c each.
8 Dozen Celluloid Cuffs, @ 25c per pair.
25 Dozen Men's Suspenders, worth 18c, @ 11c per pair.
25 Dozen Men's Suspenders, worth 25c, @ 19c per pair.
15 Dozen Men's Heavy Suspenders, worth 35c, @ 20c per pair.
15 Dozen Boys' Suspenders, worth 15c, @ 9c per pair.
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10 Dozen Men's Working Gloves at 25c per pair.
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