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One Dollar a Year.



## THANKSGIVING AT KINGSLEY HALL.

Miss Victoria Kingsley, of Kingsley hall, could afford to be a little eccentric, people said. Not only was she rich and beautiful and highly accomplished, but she had reached the mature age of six-and-twenty and was mistress of her own fortune. Prior to the death of her parents, both of whom had succeeded in the same month to a prevailing fever, the family had resided in the city, spending a portion of each summer only at their handsome country seat. But soon after her bereavement the young lady had gone into seclusion at Kingsley hall, which was a part of her heritage, and had since lived in the strictest retirement there, receiving no visitors except when her younger brother, Robert, brought a party of his boon companions up from town for a few days' recreation during the shooting season.

It was now three years since Miss Kingsley had been left an orphan. At her age this was a long time to renounce society, and it was not strange that the world pronounced her eccentric. But that portion of the world residing in the wealthy and eminently respectable village of Pennstock began to have hopes for her when she suddenly emerged from her seclusion so far as to become the hostess of a Thanksgiving dinner party. The truth was that Miss Kingsley had been doing some serious thinking. It had occurred to her, upon reflection, that people had a right to conclude that she was supremely selfish and proud, and she decided to set aside this verdict, if possible, by giving a series of entertainments at her house. Thanksgiving day was at hand, and she began to put her plan into execution by inviting a number of her church acquaintances in the village to dine at Kingsley hall on that day.

Of course the invitations were all promptly accepted, and the event was looked forward to as something out of



The ordinary in Pennstock. As for Miss Kingsley, she was surprised to find that she took a lively interest in the preparations for the dinner, and when Thanksgiving day dawned, with a frosty and nipping air, she was inclined to be proud of the success of her undertaking in one respect. It had proved to her that there was a pleasanter way of passing her time than in brooding over her sorrow. All day she was strangely buoyant and cheerful, as if possessed by a presentiment that something very pleasant was about to happen.

And that afternoon something did happen—something that was not down on Miss Kingsley's programme. The busy young woman had entered the kitchen to give some final directions to the cook, when she observed that a strange man was sitting quietly in a chair on the opposite side of the room.

She paused abruptly and stared at him, with a flash of startled recognition in her eyes.

"A poor tramp, mum, what asked for a bite to eat," explained the cook, apologetically.

But Miss Kingsley did not hear. The color was coming and going in her cheeks, and she grasped the back of a chair as if to steady herself.

"Maurice Granby!" she said, in a low but distinct voice. "Can it be possible?"

The recognition was evidently mutual. The stranger rose to his feet, a picture of astonishment and confusion. He was a strikingly handsome man, tall and straight as an arrow, with a drooping brown mustache. He certainly had not the appearance of a tramp, except that his clothing was threadbare, and even ragged in places, and he wore no overcoat.

"I beg pardon!" he stammered. "I did not know—"

But Miss Kingsley seemed to suddenly recover her self-possession. Turning to the cook she said:

"Never mind, Hannah; I will see this gentleman myself. He is an old friend of the family." Then, addressing the man: "Will you please come with me, Mr. Granby?"

He looked as if he would have preferred to sink through the floor, but she had turned and was leaving the kitchen before he could reply. He followed her hesitatingly, mechanically, like one in a dream. She led the way to a small room adjoining the library. There she turned and faced him.

"Mr. Granby, will you kindly tell me what this means?"

He stood before her, fumbling his hat in his hands. Her question seemed to increase his confusion, and he had to clear his throat several times before he could find his voice.

"It is all an unfortunate blunder," he exclaimed at last. "I did not know that this was your home. I chanced to be passing, and I thought—well, I was hungry, and I—no, I will not sit down," as she waved her hand toward a chair. "If you will be good enough to let me go now I will be careful not to intrude upon you again."

"You mistake my meaning," said Miss Kingsley, with a look of distress. "I am not asking why you are here. God knows I am glad to see you. What I want to know is what has brought you to this—this—condition? I cannot believe that you have voluntarily adopted the life of a—"

"Of a tramp?" he said, finishing her sentence with a bitter smile.

"Pardon me," she added, hastily; "I have no right to question you. Pray, don't misjudge my motive. I know that you are not to blame for the change in your fortunes; I know that you are incapable of a wrong act."

He gave her a sharp look, as if he would read her thoughts.

"That is a remarkable statement," he said, slowly. "Can it be that you have forgotten why I ran away from home five years ago?"

"I have not forgotten the miserable story that was told at that time," she replied, firmly; "but I have heard a different story since. Mr. Granby, my unhappy brother has told me everything."

The man started.

"He has told me," continued the woman, her face white with suppressed excitement, "that it was he and not you who forged the check for \$15,000!"

"He told you that? Good heavens! does your father know?"

"My father and mother have both gone to another world, Mr. Granby. Robert and I have been orphans for three years. It was not until after their death that he made his confession to me. He told me of his youthful infatuation for gambling and horse races; how he became so deeply involved that in a moment of desperation, to avert the disgrace he saw staring him in the face, he forged the signature of a depositor in father's bank, hoping thus to retrieve his losses and replace the money before its withdrawal was discovered. You, as teller of the bank, cashed the check without suspicion. Afterward, when the money was squandered, and Robert realized that he could not hope to conceal his crime, he confided in you and begged you to help him out of his trouble. He said that his exposure would kill his mother, bring disgrace upon his family, and cause his father

to forever disown him. Then it was that you sacrificed yourself to save him and his family. You told him you would divert suspicion from him if he would keep his own counsel and promise on his oath to never gamble again. You kept your word by suddenly disappearing, thus bringing suspicion upon yourself, so that when the forgery was discovered nobody could doubt that you were the criminal, and that you had fled to escape the consequences of your crime. Oh, it was a noble thing to do! Not one man in a million could have made such a sacrifice!" Miss Kingsley's voice betrayed her agitation now, and there were tears in her eyes. "But you do not know what a shock it was to—father and the rest of us to be forced to believe you guilty. We had such faith in you. Thank heaven, the story never got into the papers. Robert and I have tried hard for two years to find some trace of you, that we might make such reparation as lay in our power. And Robert says that in some mysterious way the bank has recovered the amount that was lost on the forged check, including the interest."

Maurice Granby, by this time, was smiling with the air of a man who has had a great burden lifted from his mind. "I am glad you know the truth," he said, with an expression of profound relief. "When I left New York I went west and enlisted in the regular army under an assumed name. I served five years. But I was in communication with an intimate friend—a young lawyer—and when my aunt in Vermont died last spring, making me her sole heir, I had my friend convert the property into cash and turn it over to the bank. There was just enough, with what I had been able to save from my pay as a soldier, to replace the \$15,000 with the accrued interest. I had assumed the debt, you know, and thought I ought to pay it. On leaving the army I started back to New York, where I still have a few friends. I had not money enough to take me clear through, so I concluded that a tramp of a hundred miles or so would do me no harm. I am accustomed to marching."

"You have outdone Don Quixote himself!" exclaimed Miss Kingsley. "Of course, every dollar of that money will be returned to you, and my fortune and Robert's are at your disposal."

"But, after all," said Granby, seriously, "you must not give me too much credit for what I have done. Perhaps I should have hesitated if your answer to that audacious note of mine had not made me wretched. Do you remember it? I felt that I had nothing to live for after that. Of course, I don't blame you; it was the worst kind of presumption on my part, a poor man, to offer myself—"

"Don't say that!" she interrupted, with a note of entreaty in her voice. "I could go down upon my knees to you now, in your rags, and beg your forgiveness for wounding you. I was young then, and scarcely knew my own mind, but I—I found out—afterward—"

"Victoria!"

"But we are wasting precious time," she said, hastily, glancing at her watch. "Do you know this is Thanksgiving day? I am to have some guests for dinner. You are to stay and dine with us."

"I? In these clothes?"

"My brother has a room and a wardrobe here, and I am sure his clothes will just fit you. You will find everything you need. No; I will hear no excuses. I will call a servant to show



you upstairs, and will send up a luncheon at once. To-night you will stop at the village hotel, and to-morrow you will come and see me before resuming your journey to New York."

And so it came about that Maurice Granby, transformed from a tramp into a conventional gentleman in evening dress, sat at the right hand of the hostess at the grand turkey dinner that evening, having been introduced to the other guests as an old friend of the family. At least two persons at that table were in harmony with the spirit of the occasion, for their hearts thrummed with gratitude and joy during the whole of that Thanksgiving feast.

It was only two months later that Kingsley hall was the scene of a brilliant wedding reception, and Maurice Granby had come there to stay.

**A MEMORABLE DINNER.**

It was Thanksgiving, and the first time that joyous occasion had fallen since young Mrs. Lambkin had acquired her matronly title. All the relatives on both sides of the house had been invited to dine with the young pair, and all had accepted. Consequently, it was unfortunate that the cook had, that morning, decided that she "couldn't abide no such doings" and taken a triumphant leave.

Mrs. Lambkin sat weeping among the unwashed breakfast dishes when her husband appeared, staggering under a market basket laden with holiday fare.

"Oh, Alpheus, my heart is broken!" she wailed. "What will your mother say?"

"But, you know, you have been so proud of your cookery; doubtless you can prepare dinner yourself."

"But I only told Laura how to do it," sobbed his wife. "Why was I ever born?"

"I can help," suggested Mr. Lambkin. "I was famous for making biscuit in camp, and I once made coffee which another man drank. He was

The most conclusive test that we know the significance of a word is our ability to use it in its proper connection. "Tommy," said the teacher, "do you know what the word 'foresight' means?"

"Yes'm."

"Can you give me an illustration?"

"Yes'm."

"You may do so."

"Last night my mamma told the doctor he might as well call round and see me Thanksgiving night."—Washington Star.

**Asking Too Much.**

Mr. Yalerman (tragically)—My darling, won't you name the day for our marriage? I shall be utterly wretched until I can call you my own.

She—Very well. Say Thanksgiving day.

Mr. Yalerman—Great Scott, girl! are you crazy? That's football day!—Judge.

**A Joyful Surprise.**

Mr. Border (after the boarding-house repast)—Your Thanksgiving dinner put me right in the spirit of the day, Mrs. Mulettem.

Mrs. Mulettem (his landlady)—I'm glad to hear you say that.

Mr. Border—Well, it's true. It made me feel so thankful that the dinner wasn't as bad as it might have been.

**It Depends on the Turkey.**

"How are you going to spend Thanksgiving, Uncle Jack?"

"Well, sah, hit's des 'cordin' ter de turkey. Ef he's quiet, en doan roos' too high, I'll spen' de day at home; but ef he's noisy, en I mek' any mistakes, dey's no tellin' whar I'll fotch up!"—Detroit Free Press.

**No Doubt He Will.**

"What a flighty, fat young thing that saucy little girl!" said Mrs. Gobbler to her husband.

"True," replied Mr. Gobbler as he thought of the passing days before Thanksgiving. "I'm looking every day for him to lose his head entirely."—Judge.



going to see my sister at the time. They'll overlook things, anyhow."

"Alpheus, is your mother the woman to overlook her daughter-in-law's mistakes?" And Alpheus was silent.

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However, by five o'clock—dinner was at six—matters had progressed fairly well. The turkey, somewhat flecked with feathers, was in the oven; the potatoes were on and a quantity of cranberry jelly had arrived from Mrs. Lambkin's mother, who was ill and unable to come herself.

"No other vegetables are necessary," remarked Mrs. Lambkin. "I—once read that cold slaw and canned tomatoe were unwholesome anyhow."

"Nobody wants more than turkey, with jelly and potatoes," remarked her husband, sagely.

"Then there's wedding cake and fruit; we shall do finely."

"We shall. I will entertain our guests while you finish."

"And put on the best china with the prettiest linen. I only wish Laura could see the dinner."

At a quarter past seven, Mr. Lambkin cautiously opened the kitchen door, finding his wife kneeling by the stove.

"Isn't the turkey done yet?" he hazarded, "they are all a little impatient. Mother says, though, she never knew anyone before who could cook a big dinner with no odor in the house."

"Alpheus, that turkey will never be done!"

"The man said it was tender."

"I know, but—but I forgot to light any fire in the stove."

That Thanksgiving day was memorable in the annals of the Lambkin family as the one on which they dined upon cheese, crackers and cranberry jelly. From that day also dated his mother's habit of referring to her son as "poor Alpheus."

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LEAVE KHARPUT. Missionaries start from seats of Mesasera for Constantinople. Constantinople, Nov. 26.—The United States minister, Alexander W. Terrell, has received a dispatch from Anatolia...

UNFAVORABLE TO CANAL COMPANY. The general report of the entire report is certainly very unfavorable to the canal company. The commission refrains from direct criticism of the company's prospectus...

HE MUST DECLINE. Kentucky's Governor-elect out of the race for the Vice Presidency. Lexington, Ky., Nov. 26.—Kentucky republicans will be greatly disappointed when they learn...

FATHER'S AWFUL CRIME. Aphyllates His Two Children and Then Blows His Brains. Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 26.—After killing his two children by locking them in a large box and suffocating them with gas...

TO CONSOLIDATE. Big Mines in Michigan to Be Worked Jointly. Iron Mountain, Mich., Nov. 26.—The dispatches announcing the purchase of the Hamilton and Ludlow iron mines by the Chaun were very interesting...

THREE VIOLENT DEATHS. Milwaukee, Nov. 26.—Three people met violent deaths Monday night. John Seehauer, 69 years of age, hanged himself. He was dependent. James O'Connell, 16 years of age, was run down by Chicago's Northwestern train and instantly killed...

Novel Insanity Plea. Sioux City, Ia., Nov. 26.—William F. Brown, when arraigned Monday for the murder of Constant Roush, alias Nellie Patton, formerly of Van Meter, Ia., whom he shot Sunday, entered a plea of insanity due to the cigarette habit.

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HEROES BURIED. Impressive Services Over Remains of Chicago's Dead Firemen. Chicago, Nov. 26.—The funeral services were held Monday over the remains of Patrick J. O'Donnell, John Downs, Martin Sherreck and Thomas J. Prudogard, the firemen who died from smoke inhalation at the Woolen Exchange building fire...

Walking Match Begins. Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 26.—At midnight Sunday a score of pedestrians were engaged in a walking match for six days go-as-you-please match for prizes aggregating thousands of dollars and a grand prize of \$500 if the world's record is broken.

Work for Many Late Men. Racine, Wis., Nov. 26.—The J. I. Case threshing machine works, which have been idle for two months, will start up again next Monday and will be operated by a number of men. The plant means employment for at least 700 or 800 people.

Fatal Fall. Grand Haven, Mich., Nov. 26.—William Kelly, a marine engineer on the steamer City of Milwaukee, fell from the mainmast deck to the mainmast room, when the boat was just outside Monday morning. His skull was fractured and he died a few hours later.

Omaha Savings Bank Liquidated. Omaha, Neb., Nov. 26.—The Nebraska Savings and Exchange bank of this city has gone into voluntary liquidation. Deposits amounting to about \$150,000 are reported secure, and stockholders will get something.

MUNYON'S Makes Permanent Cures Where Physicians Fail. Mr. O'Neil Was Said to Be Incured. Mr. Thomas O'Neil, Bremen at Salina, Kan., writes: "I was afflicted with a severe case of rheumatism in my right arm and hand. I was treated by four doctors with every remedy known to medicine, but without success. I finally gave up, saying my leg would always be paralyzed. At this time I was advised to try Munyon's Rheumatism Cure. Its effect was wonderful. I found entire relief from pain after a few doses and the swelling of the joints was completely cured." A Specific for Each Disease. Professor Munyon puts up a separate remedy for each disease. His Rheumatism Cure never fails to relieve rheumatism in from one to three hours and cures in a few days.

Farmers! We have put a new department in the JOURNAL wholly in the interest of the farmer. It is headed "Farmers Wants" and 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 the convenience of this column as a means of exchange, will be appreciated.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES. C. W. Taylor and family, of Bowne, visited at J. Lusk's Sunday. Author and Chris Smith, of McBride, are visiting their many friends of this place. J. Lusk and wife visited friends in Freepert, Monday.

A good silver filling will be a tooth for many years. Dr. J. H. WICKERT. Absolutely pure olive vinegar, sour, at C. O. Bagley's. Jay Pinkney grinds feed and has a cob crusher, opposite McQueen's barn, Pratt Lake Publics. School has commenced in Dist. No. 1, with George Gould as instructor.

Frank Thomas is again confined, to his bed and feels much discouraged. Frank is a noble boy and his many young friends and companions are trying to cheer him by their visits and the sending of bouquets of flowers. Mrs. Tabo has the sympathy of her many friends, in the death of her recently deceased husband.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others. Mrs. Davis and wife Sunday evening at the home of Geo. Bertlett. Every one invited. Bill 90.

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Mrs. J. J. Weisbrock and Miss Hannah Lowe went to Detroit last week as delegates of the Sunday School convention. The corn social at George Salisbury's, Friday eve, was very well attended, the proceeds amounting to over \$400. Miss H. Salisbury, of Grand Rapids, visited over Sunday with her parents of this place.

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South Lowell and South Boston M. E. Church.

South Lowell M. E. church—Preaching at 8:30 p. m. Sunday school at 1:00 p. m. Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. South Boston M. E. church—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Epworth League at 7:30 p. m. Everybody invited to these meetings. REV. E. W. DAVIS, Pastor.

Thanksgiving at the Home-Head. ROSE has crisscrossed all the leaves. But the barn is rich with sheaves. Bicks of clover seem in air. Fruits await the housewife's care. Haves are black above the rills. Kiss are sleek upon the hills. And along the ocean wall. Press the youth, his hand call. Fast beside the glowing grate (locks as white as ocean foam) Now the simple work. For "the children's" coming home—Children who from far and near At Thanksgiving gather here: Children bowed with toil and care, Girls with silver in their hair, Boys with beads like harvest grain, All "the children's" come again. Mingling golden locks with gray On this peaceful, fruitful day. Here the golden table waits. Set with two long rows of plates That no Courtship may point. Here the grown folks crowd in. Even roving, wayward Tim Finds a place at the table. And ere grandpa's prayer is done Resolves a better course to run. Bannished every doubt and fear From this hopeful, fruitful day.

Blas the visions that arise! Grandpa looks in grandma's eyes. Girls that furrowed cheek and brow, Tears and sighs—forgetion now. Only simple foods the way. Looking backward from to-day. "You who rulest everywhere, Who our children still Thy care. On the sea or on the land. Keep them ever in Thy hand, Guiding still in rain or sun. May Thy love still make us one. And its sweetness ne'er depart From the homestead of the heart." This is father's earnest prayer. And "the children" gathered there. Feel renewed the hopes of youth. Flame again with love of truth. And new-armed for the fray Bless again Thanksgiving day.

Four Birds! The turkey is not a brilliant bird. When all is done and said. For an all great occasion. He's sure to lose his head. CHAS. E. HAYES, Editor. Mr. D'Board—I am thankful that most people are better off than I am to-day. Mr. Rushington—Well, I am thankful that I am not living without hope. Miss Gresh—And I, that I usually eat my Thanksgiving dinner at the De-Styles. Mr. Greethead—And I am thankful that this Thanksgiving birds are in the best breeding-house in this country. Landlady—Pass your plate, Mr. Greethead, and allow me to help you to another piece of turkey.—Puck.

Dr. Price's Cane Baking Powder. Special Low Rates to Atlanta Exposition. Rates from Lowell are as follows: \$30.50, good 10 days, sold only on Nov. 5, 15, 25, Dec. 5 and 15. \$25.70, good 30 days. \$35, good until Jan. 7. On sale every day until further notice. Ask agents about it. GEO. DEHAVEN, G.P.A.

Even in the most severe cases of sprain or bruise, cut or burn, Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family liniment.

LOWELL JOURNAL, LOWELL, MICH.

Wednesday, Nov. 27, 1895.

A THANKSGIVING HYMN.

Sacred love of love's libation To the Father ever more, Gratitude and consecration From our hearts we'll daily pour.

For the friends that enquire us, For affection's sacred flame, For Thy law which doth convert us, We would magnify Thy name.

Thanks we give for home and nation, For the blood that made us free, Seeking still the consummation Of our perfect liberty.

For the altar fires glowing With religion's holy light; For the spirit breezes blowing; For the faith transcending sight; For the storm, the sun, the rainbow, Verdant pastures, pleasant ways— For Thy mercies constant inflow Hear our prayers of praise.

Rev. Samuel J. Barrows, in Christian Register.

HERE AND THERE

Good churching for Thanksgiving. C. J. Church, of Greenville, is in town. Lard is pure and white at New Coons' Mrs. L. J. Barber is improving slowly Dr. Geeler, of Saranac, was in town Friday.

Harold Force is home from the Agricultural college.

Winter trade has opened up early and brisk this year.

School closes tonight for Thanksgiving. Will re-open Monday.

Go to Barber & Crow's for your Thanksgiving Groceries.

Rev. A. P. Moore went to Greenville Monday, returning today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller visited a few days with friends in Berlin.

Ed Dunham is visiting friends in the southern part of the State.

Be sure to get your mince meat at New Coons'.

Mrs. W. F. Doyle, at Parnell.

The White Ribbon Ladies will meet with Mrs. John Hooker, Dec. 6th.

Miss Aggie Wiley is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Pullen.

Harvey J. Coons is confined to the house by a severe attack of quinsy.

Miss Bertha Hornung is visiting with relatives and friends in Lake Odessa.

Mrs. J. E. Robinson and children are spending a few days in Grand Rapids.

S. S. Lee is home from Ann Arbor to spend Thanksgiving with his parents.

The 95-96 club gave a very pleasant party at Music Hall, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. O. A. Robinson is spending the week with her daughters, at Muskegon.

Miss Bessie Hunt returned Saturday from a two week's visit in Grand Rapids. Wood and kindlings delivered.

W. J. ECKER & SON.

Mrs. C. M. Merriman and little daughter, of Boaling, were in town last week.

Mr. Ruben & Co. will close their store on Thursday and Friday, to mark down all their goods for their Closing Out Sale, which opens next Saturday.

The regular W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Mary Adams Thursday, Dec. 5th.

The union revival meetings closed last Sunday evening with forty-seven converts.

Order one of those nice turkeys at New Coons'.

Wm. Eddy will spend Thanksgiving with his son, F. D. Eddy, at Grand Rapids.

Miss Bessie Chapman, of Saranac, is visiting Miss Frances Lee and Bessie McCord.

Scars' Lunch, Saline Waters, New York Butter and Seymour Butter Crackers at Barber & Crow's.

Mrs. G. A. Brown, of Marquette, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McDannell.

Miss Lottie Avery is visiting with friends and relatives, in Jackson and Baultle Creek.

Blanche and Stella Rauch have been called home by the serious illness of their sister, Bessie.

Bergin pays the top of the market for produce and that's why his produce is first quality.

Ladies wear shoes at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 a pair at Anderson & Findlay's.

Mrs. Jno. Ackerson, of Middleville, visited her sister, Mrs. M. Ruben, the first of the week.

Mrs. S. A. Bush and son, U. B. Williams, will spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Ionia.

The best 50c Jersey over shirt in the market is one of the bargains offered by A. L. Coons.

Miss Peglar, of Grand Rapids, is visiting her cousin, Miss Frances Lee and other friends here.

A number of Lowellites went to Gd. Rapids, Saturday, to see Joe Jefferson, in "Eip Van Winkle."

The boys want a good stylish derby as well as the men. A. L. Coons has them.

A Hamilton Smith, County Commissioner of Seneca, was in town Friday, visiting the schools.

Mrs. L. M. Carl and daughter, Evah, of Grantau, visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bancroft.

Amos Andrews went home to Clarksville to spend Sunday and is suffering from a severe attack of typhoid.

If you want large oysters call at New Coons'.

Charley Marsh had a three days lay off last week and spent it at home. Charley is firing on the D. L. & N.

Mrs. Clarence Monkton, nee Suzette Church, visited over Sunday with her brother, Chas. A. Church and family.

The regular meeting of the Teachers' Reading Circle will be held at the Central school building Saturday, Dec. 7th.

Do not have that root, extracted, Dr. Rickett will make it useful by placing thereon a gold or porcelain crown. You may avoid wearing a plate.

Miss Katie McMahon closed her full term of school in the Mapes district last Friday, after a very successful years work.

Married, Nov. 21st, 1895 by the Rev. L. B. Jones, Loyd Jones to Miss Josephine White, both of Lowell, Mich. Congratulations.

GREENVILLE, MICH., Nov. 26. To Chandler Johnson, Lowell: "Farmer Hopkins" proved exactly as advertised—elegant every way.

H. D. EDSALL, Manager Academy.

Miss Louisa Barber is confined to the house with a very sore throat. There will be no school in the south ward until Miss Barber recovers.

Mrs. F. E. Sayles (Biancha Shaffer) will be pleased to meet all her old friends at M. Ruben & Co's where she is engaged for their Closing Out Sale.

Prices low and goods fresh, at Barber & Crow's.

Geo. Wilson has bought the Lowell Art Gallery.

Plush goods are very cheap at internet office at A. L. Coons will continue you.

Miss Meda Hess, who was at one time Preceptress of this school, is one of the missionaries at Marsh, Central Turkey, where the Turkish government is gathering its forces.

For sale at auction, Saturday, Nov. 30th, at 3 o'clock, on Main St. east, of Lowell State Bank, a pair of light driving horses with light double harness.

DANIEL LACZAK, Auctioneer.

M. Ruben & Co. are going out of business and their store will be closed Thursday and Friday, preparatory to their Great Closing Out Sale.

The S. O. V. are hurrying their arrangements for their Christmas Party. They have engaged our popular home orchestra and arranged to give first class accommodations to all who come.

The ladies of Band No. 3, will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Tate, Thursday, Dec. 5th. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. J. E. LEE.

See M. Ruben & Co's advertisement on 8th page. They are going out of business and are closing out their entire stock at prices that laugh at competition.

Candies, Nuts and everything that is good will be found at Barber & Crow's.

The S. O. V. will give a grand masked ball on Christmas night, Dec. 25th. This is the eleventh annual party given by this order, and their parties are always the most enjoyable.

The gentlemen members of Mrs. Moore's Ten will give a Bachelor's banquet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hale, Wednesday evening, Dec. 4th. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Get your photos at the P. O. gallery. First class work got out promptly.

G. L. WILSON.

A very large assortment of gloves and mittens is one of the features of A. L. Coons large stock of men's apparel.

Teeth extracted and plates made in an artistic manner—plates that will fit.

DR. J. H. RICKETT.

Mrs. Gramer and family desire to express their gratitude to their many friends and neighbors for their attention and kindness during the long sickness of their son and brother George, and for their sympathy at the funeral services.

Choice mutton at New Coons'.

Mr. C. E. Bohall, W. Union, Minn.

By try or live oak, caused inflammation, eruptions and intense itching and burning on my

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures. Hood's Sarsaparilla and do not have any poison symptoms. I have tried it and it has cured me. Hood's Pills cure all liver ailments.



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STILL AT IT

We are still selling those Suits, worth from \$6.50 to \$9.00, FOR \$3.00.

People who have seen them pronounce them the Greatest Bargain ever offered. We have shown them to hundreds and everybody says: 'How can you sell them so cheap.' Everybody admits we are selling

Clothing, Underwear, Overshirts, Fine Pants, Heavy Kersey Pants, Overalls and Jackets, Mackintoshes, Duck Coats and Wool and Cotton Socks,

Cheaper than they Were Ever Sold before.

Special Overcoat Sale, Commencing Nov. 20th, and Lasting 10 Days!

We will cut the price still deeper on strictly first class overcoats.

A first class Ulster in Frieze, Shettlands, Cheviots, etc., for \$7.50. Cheap at \$10.00. A splendid Chinchilla Ulster for only \$5.00. Cheap at \$7.00. A good Chinchilla Overcoat for only \$3.75. Cheap at \$5.00. A good fine Overcoat for only \$7.00. Cheap at \$10.00. A good Brown or Black Beaver Overcoat for \$7.00. Cheap at \$10.00. A good Black Kersey Overcoat, all wool, satin sleeve lining, for \$12.50. Cheap at \$16.50. This is the very finest coat we handle and is strictly first class and warranted. A Boys Grey Ulster, sizes 14 to 20, storm collar cut, very long. Special price \$4.75. Sold for \$6.00. A Boys Cape Overcoat, sizes 10 to 14, reduced to \$2.50. Sold for \$3.50. Special in Children's Knee Pant Suits, sizes 5 to 14 years, \$1.88. Regular price \$2.50.

This is a snap for purchasers and right now when people are pinched for money. You cannot fail to appreciate this great opportunity, for "A DOLLAR SAVED IS EQUAL TO TWO DOLLARS EARNED."

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John Tibbo

An old and esteemed resident of this township died at his home last Saturday morning, aged 78 years. The funeral was from the Morse Lake church Tuesday, Nov. 26th, Rev. James Westbrook officiating, and the interment was in the Merriman cemetery.

Congregational Church.

Rev. Jas. Provan, Pastor.

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

Christian Endeavor Society, Sabbath, 8:45 p. m.

Veper 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.

S. O. V. Election.

The annual election of officers of the Charles E. Perry Camp, S. O. V. will be held at the G. A. R. Hall on Monday evening, Dec. 24. All members are urged to be present.

JOHN T. CRAWFORD, Captain. J. T. MUELLER, Acting Sergt.

D. G. H. & M. City Office.

For the convenience of those who wish to purchase their bus and railroad tickets together I have placed on sale at the above office a full stock of tickets to all local and through points so that passengers are ready to get on the train when they reach the depot.

A. O. HEYDLAUF, Agent.

Reduced Rates to Detroit, Account of the Great Masonic Fair.

The D. L. & N. will sell from Lowell excursion tickets to Detroit on Nov. 27 (to return 28th) and Dec. 3rd (to return 4th) at one fare plus \$1.00 said tickets valid for the round trip and also admission to all exhibits and entertainments at the fair.

Notice to Taxpayers.

I will be in my office at the Bank of Chas. J. Church & Son, on Friday, Dec. 6th, 1895, for the purpose of receiving taxes and cash day thereafter to and including Jan. 9th, after which the full fee of per cent will be charged.

J. W. BERRY, Township Treas.

List of Enclosed Letters Remaining in the Post Office at Lowell, Mich., Nov. 23, 1895.

LADIES.

Mrs. Geo. W. Ayers, Emma Doron, Miss Bertha Easton, Miss Ann May, Miss Schorron, Mrs. Annie Stewart, Miss Carrie Wilson.

GENTLEMEN.

Mr. Michael Alexander, Mr. Charles S. Emerson, Mr. Irving McArthur, Aaron Russell, Mr. Henry Stevens.

Persons claiming the above will please say "Advertised" and give date of this list.

MARTIN N. HINE, P. M.

Low Rates to Atlanta Exposition.

On account of the Cotton States and International Exposition, the D. L. & N. R. is selling tickets at low rates for the round trip. Rates from Lowell are as follows: For tickets good twenty days \$35.70 and good until Jan'y 7th \$35.00. Ask agents for full information.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

VanBennett and Hucks, Prohibition Orator and Singer, are coming to Grand Rapids, Tuesday, December 3rd, and will hold a general rally at the Young Mens Christian Association Hall at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

These gentlemen have spoken and sung in many of the states of the Union and are noted temperance workers. Everybody is welcome.

M. H. WALKER.

We are in receipt of a communication accompanied by a note as follows: "Please publish the within article. Yours truly, your subscriber." As there are over thirteen hundred of "him" we will list just clearly distinguish this one.

The article will be saved one week, and if the author is desirous of being published we will be glad to make him known in our office he will do so, if not it will be consigned to the bottomless depth of the waste basket.

Subsequent events prove it to have been a very clever advertising transaction, for although they gave away nothing they first made a great deal of money. Subsequent events prove it to have been a very clever advertising transaction, for although they gave away nothing they first made a great deal of money.

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A nice children can be found at New Coons'.

Our West Indies Letter.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, W. I., Nov. 6, 1895.

Dear Journal and Readers—

You will be looking for my promised 'anon,' so will begin where I left off in my previous. We boarded the steamer 'America' at or near noon of Wednesday, Oct. 27th. The unloading and reloading, took a few hours more than was anticipated. At 4 p. m. anchor was weighed and our ship headed for the Chesapeake Bay outlet. At daybreak of Thursday morning we found ourselves being lifted up and let down in a way not to the liking of the ones most concerned in the matter. The result was quiet stomachs, was not at all satisfactory. You might object, your objections, would not be heeded. Submission and compliance was inevitable. Thursday, was to our party of five adults, and two children, a day of special fasting. No one wanted to disturb or be disturbed. This lasted till Sunday when all had so far recovered their equilibrium, as to be able to eat with a fair relish. Early afternoon of Monday, we sighted the north of special interest, Cuba. This we passed on the east end of the island. The appearance of the island is grand; almost amounting to the sublime. No one wanted to visit the house at the N. E. end of the island. On the morning of Tuesday we sighted the Blue mountains of the ever summer land, of Jamaica.

We entered Port Antonio about 8 a. m. This was as far as our transport company had bargained to take us. Here we were met by Mr. H. E. Hayman, awaiting our arrival, who had come 30 miles north across the island to meet us.

After complying with the custom duties, we re-hiped and came to Annotto Bay, where a team was in waiting to take us across to Kingston. As we near the island of Jamaica, the sights are so inspiring. The Blue mountains appearing nearly 8000 feet above the ocean level, present a beautiful sight. We entered Port Antonio at 8 a. m. A. m. We entered the port and neared the landing. The scene cannot be described. The tropical plants and trees, with their never ceasing verdure of green, was so interesting to one unaccustomed to the like. The mountain sides and tops covered, not with evergreen, pine, fir and cedar, but with trees evergreen, and of eternal summer climate. On mountain tops as well as in valley.

The Coconut Palm, with its Fern-like leaves, from six to twelve feet in length; with the coconuts, nestled in its top, and from fifteen to twenty in number, and from fifteen to seventy-five feet high in all states of growth from beginning to maturity, also the bread fruit tree and the world renowned banana, with their fan-like leaves and many other trees of tropical climate, which we will not mention now, gave an air of grandeur to the scene only to be understood by being seen.

Our voyage could not be called a smooth one, neither could it be called a rough one. Our course was nearly due south. An east wind perhaps, one day of our voyage, with a south wind, the rest of the way. But this was said to be in our favor, as a north wind would have caused the ship to have pitched much worse. We were not uncomfortable with best any of the way.

We made but little change till nearly here. This morning the sixth, is our first cloudy day we have seen. We will write of the climate when we have been here longer. But one thing is sure, it is continuous summer, with none of the wild temperature changes of Lowell's experience.

E. VANDEUSEN.

Try our 'Farmer's Wan' columns, if you have anything for sale, or exchange or want to buy anything.

THE sick man knocked his head against the wall, and his health gets in if he knocks the right thing out of his system. If he does not get it out, it will get in. There is only one way to get it out, and that is by using Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is the only thing that can bring perfect health. A large part of all the diseases that afflict man, are traceable directly to impurities in the blood, and can be cured by eliminating these impurities. That most dreadful of all diseases, consumption, is a disease of the blood. The disease shows in the lungs because of some inherited or acquired weakness there. If the blood were always pure and without germs, the disease would never develop and the weak man would never be overcome. Germs and impurities in the blood float along through the body until they find a weak spot for lodgment. They stick there and develop and people call the disease by the name of consumption. As a matter of fact, the disease is always a disease of the blood, and if the blood is purified, the disease will be cured. The perfect natural, rational conclusion, endorsed both by common sense and the highest medical authority, is in accordance with these facts that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure the disease. The first thing it does is to put the whole digestive system into perfect order. It stimulates the appetite, excites the action of the digestive fluids and promotes the elimination of the poisons. It kills wherever they may be, kills them and frees them out of the system. The 'Golden Medical Discovery' has been



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Yard Wide Bleached Cotton.....	4 1/2	Good Denims.....	7 1/2	Our noted 8c Batts going at.....	6 1/2
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Blackstone Bleached Cotton.....	6 3/4	Everett Denims, Blue and Brown.....	12	Our Superb 12 1/2c Batts going at.....	10
Lonsdale Bleached Cotton.....	7 1/2	Common Check Shirting.....	3 1/2	36 inch All Wool Dress Flannel.....	25
Fruit of the Loom Bleached Cotton.....	7 3/4	Extra Heavy Shirting.....	8	46 inch All Wool Dress Flannel.....	39
4-4 Cambric.....	8 1/2	Heaviest Fleece Shirting.....	10	54 inch All Wool Dress Goods.....	49
Lonsdale Cambric [Best Quality].....	9 3/4	Cotton Crash.....	3 1/2	34 inch Cashmere.....	14
Good Apron Check Gingham.....	4	All Linen Crash.....	4	36 inch Cashmere.....	19
Best Apron Check Gingham.....	5	Good Linen Crash.....	6 1/2	52 inch All Wool Serge.....	54
Good Dress Gingham.....	6	Extra Heavy Linen Crash.....	7 1/2	All other Dress Goods in proportion.....	
Best Dress Gingham.....	8	Very Best Linen Crash.....	8 1/2	Coats Cotton Thread.....	3
Light Print.....	3 1/2	Fancy Toweling.....	9 1/2	Richardson 50 yd. Silk Thread.....	3
Dark Apron Prints.....	4	Checked Toweling.....	10	Richardson 100 yd. Silk Thread.....	6
Best Dress Prints.....	5	Outing Flannel.....	5	Velveteen Dress Binding, 4 yd.....	9
Indigo Prints.....	5	Good Quality Outing Flannel.....	6	Dress Stays per set.....	8
Best Dress Cambrics.....	4 1/2	Heavy Outing Flannel.....	7	Table Oil Cloth, per yard.....	16
Good Silesias.....	10	Extra Heavy Outing Flannel.....	8	Ladies' Wool Hose.....	13
Fancy Silesias.....	12	Fancy Outing Flannel.....	9 1/2	Ladies' All Wool Hose.....	21
Good Canvas.....	9	Good Cotton Bed Blankets 10-4, per pair.....	42	Ladies' Extra Heavy All Wool Hose.....	31
Best Linen Canvas.....	12	Examine our 48c Bed Blanket.....		Men's Cashmere Hose per pair.....	13
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