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See What One Dollar Will Buy This Week.

Bargain No. 1.		Bargain No. 2.	
25 lbs Pure Gold of Alton Flour	50	1 Bu. Nice White potatoes	35
1 Bar Calumet Family Soap	01	2 lbs Best Fine Granulated Sugar	06
1 Pkg Yeast Cream or Foam	02	4lbs Rolled Oats, Oats Best	10
1 lb Sear's Best Crackers	05	1 Pkg Any Kind of Washing Powder	04
1 Pkg Sun Gloss or Corn Starch	07	1lb Fancy Ondura Rasins	10
1/2 lb Number 1 Japan Tea	25	1/2 lb Japan or Oolong Tea	25
1/4 Pound Simon Pure Pepper	10	1/4 lb Ginger	10
\$1.00		\$1.00	

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This Offer Good Until October 27th for Cash Only.

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With 1lb of White Cross Baking Powder we will give you **FREE**, a Nickel Plated Tea or Coffee P. o.

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THE FRUIT RAISERS.

South Boston Meeting of The Lowell Horticulturalists.

The meeting at South Boston Grange hall, October 16th was well attended.

The morning exercises opened by singing "America" with Miss Harker at the organ.

Secretary's report read and approved.

A song Loui English. Recitation by Maude O'Harrow. Singing by the assembly. Dinner.

Music by Harker's orchestra.

E. H. Hunt read a paper on canning and preserving fruit, and Mrs. Lia English on general preserving.

Song by "the boys," Hunt and Friend, which was encored.

In discussing Mrs. English's paper, Mrs. L. J. Post advised against the use of intoxicating liquors in preserving fruit. Mrs. E. Peck: "Cut a piece of paper and cover the jelly to prevent mould."

W. S. Stearns: the white of an egg is just as good."

Mrs. W. H. Moon: "Cover with greased paper and be sure and have the tumblers full."

W. S. Stearns, "When you empty a can just fill it up with apples and you always have canned fruit."

Mrs. Morton: "To can berries, fill the can with fresh fruit, fill again with hot syrup. Set in some vessel and let stand in hot water until cold."

W. S. Stearns thought there was no danger of over production of peaches. "There are thousands of trees that will never have a peach."

L. J. Post: "Will it be profitable to invest in a canning factory for fruit alone?"

W. S. Stearns. "I think not."

Song by A. P. Burr and instrumental music by the orchestra.

Byron McKelvey sang a song and was accorded an encore.

Recitation by Lucinda Tucker: "The Freckled Faced Girl," very good.

Another song by A. P. Burr. Recitation by Hattie Fletcher. Questions.

Is it best to cultivate a young plum and pear orchard? Cultivate the plums, but with the pears, not as much.

What is the best set of tools for working an orchard through the season? Clark's cut-away harrow or gang plow.

What should be done with black knot on plum trees? Cut it out.

Has this society done anything to prevent the disease? Not in that kind of business.

Mr. Dickson showed several plates of very fine apples; baldwins, kings, russet spy, Grimes' golden. F. W. Morton had a plate of duchess pears. James Morton two plates of Worden grapes. President Church exhibited a plate of apples which were a year old. Mrs. Milliman had some chrysanthemums.

A Serious Assault.

Today at about noon, Monroe Beadle, presumably while under the influence of liquor, struck Jasper Bush on the head with a club inflicting a ghastly scalp wound nearly six inches long. He also struck the old lady Bush, knocking her down and injuring her to some extent. Beadle is under arrest and Drs. Johnson and Braley are caring for Bush's injuries. The fracas grew out of a long series of circumstances which are favorable to no one and is a common sequel to such circumstances. Beadle is charged with assault with intent to kill and his bail has been fixed at \$1,500.—[Sarasac Local, Oct. 21.]

Arvine P. Hunter, whose health has been gradually failing for many months, was taken much worse last Monday and is in a critical condition at this writing. His son, Harry, came home from Fenton to be at his bedside.

Giles-Odell.

Married, at Omaha, Nebraska, Oct. 25th, Geo. R. Giles, of this village, to Miss Daisy Odell, of Nebraska. The bride is a niece of Mrs. Dr. Malcom, and is well known here, where she attended school last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles are expected to arrive here the latter part of this week to receive congratulations of many friends.

A Serious Runaway.

A very serious accident befel Mesdames Terry Corrigan, of Campbell, Patrick Corrigan of Grattan and Peter Corrigan of Vergennes Monday evening. The three ladies had been visiting Mrs. James Griffin of Campbell and were just starting for home when the horse started on a run across the road and upset the buggy throwing the ladies out. Mrs. T. Corrigan was seriously injured internally and is in a critical condition.

Mrs. Patrick Corrigan has a very severe scalp wound and a slight concussion of the brain. It required seventeen stitches to close up the wound which was made above the left eye. Mrs. Peter Corrigan suffered the dislocation of her elbow and other bruises. Drs. J. E. Hunter and H. F. Peckham were summoned and dressed the wounds and made the sufferers as comfortable as possible, and although all are seriously injured, the doctors expect they will all recover. The horse is an ugly one and has run away several times with Mr. Corrigan.—[Freeport Herald Oct. 21.]

Death of H. J. White.

H. J. White died at the residence of his niece, Mrs. Peter White, in this village at 2 o'clock, Tuesday morning at the age of 78 years.

Mr. White had only lived in this community a short time. His home was in Buffalo, N. Y. Being poor in health, he came to Lowell, in July, hoping that the change and a visit with relatives might be of benefit to him. But he gradually grew worse instead of better, until relieved at last by the messenger of Death.

The remains will be taken to Buffalo for burial, near his old home.

Law Enforcement.

Mr. Editor: We are glad to endorse all that you have said in regard to the enforcement of the laws enacted to prevent the spread of noxious weeds. We just saw a patch of Canada thistles on a farm in this town that had ripened their seeds at their own free will ready for the autumn breezes to waft them to the four corners of the earth. To say we raised the pitch of our voice while addressing the proprietor on those sharp points, is not stretching the truth in the least.

And now we are equally shocked to know it to be a fact that the commissioners appointed by the Horticultural society for the township of Boston have neglected to inspect a fruit orchard this season. To us their frivolous plea of excuse that the town had not provided funds, is not worthy of consideration. We are almost constantly petitioning our legislature to do this or that and have not backbone or manhood to enforce them, after granting all we ask. What the world needs most of all now, is men of action.

J. C. ENGLISH.

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Men's Oil Grain Tap Sole, former price 4.00, now	3 00
Men's Genuine Veal Kip, former price 3.75	3 00
Men's Heavy Kip 3 Sole, former price 3.00, now	2 50
Rubber Boots, former price 3.00, now	2 50
Rubber Boots, Snag Proof, former price 3.75, now	3 00
Boy's Rubber Boots, former price 2.50, now	2 00
All Rubbers 5c to 50c per pair less than last year.	

Women's genuine Congress or Bal. at \$1.00.

Child's 8 to 12 Button or Lace, usual price 1.25, our price 1.00.

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