

THE LOWELL LEDGER.

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WHOLE NO. 380.

Bank for Workingmen

THIS institution was intended to meet the wants of people who work, who make little, and who save but a little at a time. Every help is extended to make the way easy to accumulate a Bank Account. Small sums from One Dollar up are received, and the absence of formalities, and the very small sums needed to maintain the account explain the popularity of the Savings department of

The City Bank... Orton Hill, President.
W. H. Watts, Cashier.
3 PER CENT INTEREST PAID ON SAVING DEPOSITS.

FRUIT NOTICE! GROWERS

We have the California and Hachmuth side hill STEP-LADDERS and Evaporator supplies. Prices are right. Yours,

R. B. BOYLAN.

THE WATCH'S ALMA MATER

We never lose interest in the watch that goes out of this store. Its daily department is of as much concern to us after the sale as it is before. We have stood sponsor for it and our sponsorship doesn't end when it passes into your pocket. You buy a guarantee along with the watch—and Oliver's guarantee is good.

THE WHITE FRONT.
THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

A. D. OLIVER, Prop.

SPECIAL SALE

In Fall and Winter
Dress Goods
Oct. 19 to Oct. 29

Having purchased at a very low figure a larger line of Ladies' Dress Goods, than I wish to carry in general stock, during the next ten days, I will offer a limited number of yards of the same at REDUCED PRICES. Remember these are New and Up-to-date Fall and Winter Goods—many pieces not yet having been opened. Come and see these goods and if we have anything you want the price will be sure to please you.

J. B. NICHOLSON.

East Side, Lowell.

CHAPIN ON NEGROES

J. O. CHAPIN CHANGED HIS MIND.

Expresses Himself Very Vigorously.

Several weeks ago THE LEDGER was asked about the new election law in North Carolina and replied according to its information. About that time we had a letter from our former respected townsman, J. O. Chapin, and it occurred to us that a few lines from him on the subject would be of interest to our readers. In reply to our request the following has been received: Chadbourne, N. C., Oct. 15.

Mr. Johnson,
Dear Sir:—Agreeable to your request regarding the disfranchising of Negroes of North Carolina, they are all disfranchised, or I might say none but the illiterate, and that takes them all in as far as my experience goes.

I was once a great sympathiser for the colored man of the South but after having about six months experience, I have changed my mind and more especially on the voting question.

The Negroes are a poor, ignorant, lazy, shiftless, indifferent set, no more capable of self-government than a drove of sheep. The worst of it is, it seems impossible to teach them anything, at least that has been my experience. As for their holding office over the white people, I say "No! Never!"

If some of those old hard-shell northern Negro sympathisers will just come down to North Carolina and go to raising strawberries, cotton and tobacco and employ from forty to fifty Negroes just as they come along and oversee them for one short season. I think instead of sympathising with them, they will feel more like taking a club to them.

Of course there is quite a difference in them in regard to intelligence—there is also a difference in horses.

Mr. Editor, if you could just see their primitive method of living, with, I might say, nothing to eat but corn meal and swill-water for a hoe cake with an occasional bite of salt pork, you would doubt (the same as I do) whether they are as well off—take them as a whole—as they were in slavery times.

This leaves us all well as usual and enjoying most delightful weather. No signs of any frost yet and do not expect any to speak of until about the last of November, some seasons not till after Christmas.

Two of our greatest necessities down here is more Northern energetic people and competition in railroads.

Trusting that I have not hurt any one's feelings in granting your request, I remain yours truly,
J. O. Chapin.

Employ Home Talent.

Lowell Ledger:
Will you please allow me to say a few words through your valuable paper to the council and tax payers of the village of Lowell, about the foot bridge over Flat River. There is no doubt but there should be one built as soon as it can be done without extra expense. I notice in the council proceedings of the 1st inst. that they say it will be necessary to employ an expert engineer or mechanic to estimate the cost of construction and to furnish plans and etc. for said foot bridge. I wish to say that it is not necessary to employ an expert engineer at a high price to make plans and etc. that there are those living here and paying taxes that are competent to make plans and build a foot bridge over Flat river, and for less expense than to employ an expert from some other place. Try home talent.
S. B. Knapp.

The Lecture Course.

Miss Jennie D. Shoemaker entertainer and Delsartean will open the Epworth League lecture course in Lowell on Nov. 13. She has been in Lowell before and is pleasantly remembered by the large audience who heard her at that time. Secure your tickets now. Only \$1.00 for course of seven numbers. The League is confident that this course will excel all previous ones.

Millinery.

Mrs. M. Hiler desires to announce to the ladies of Lowell and vicinity that Miss Effie Stillwell of Detroit, has charge of her trimming department, as she has had considerable experience she is sure to please you. Call and examine her work.

MRS. JAS. CHAMBERS DEAD.

A Christian Wife and Mother Gone.

Mrs. James Chambers died at her home in this village, Wednesday, Oct. 10, at the age of 53 years. Funeral services were held Friday at 2 p. m., at the Congregational church, conducted by Rev. Marshall, assisted by Rev. Morris.

Louise Kellogg was born at Macon, Lenawee county, Mich., Feb. 25, 1847. She married James Chambers at Saline, Dec. 25, 1865. They lived at Macon most of their married life, being residents of Allegan, Tuscola and Muskegon counties for brief periods. They came to Lowell in 1892 and this has since been their home.

Four children have blessed this union, two of whom, Misses Rose and Addie, survive to comfort their sorrowing father.

Mrs. Chambers united with the Presbyterian church at Macon about 26 years ago, and afterwards by letter with the Congregational churches at Fruitport and Lowell.

Her health has been poor for the past four years, and she was not able to be in as regular attendance as she would have liked but she remained strong in the faith and died in the hope of immortality.

Electric Railroad Helped Williamston, N. Y.

C. N. Smith of Williamston, N. Y., was a caller at THE LEDGER office Monday. He says that his town has 800 inhabitants and is situated 25 miles east of the large city of Rochester; and that an electric railroad was completed recently, running through Williamston to Rochester. The people and business men of the small town were opposed to the building of the road, fearing its effect upon local trade, but their fears have not been realized and now those who opposed the building of the road would not have taken away if they could.

Every house in town is full and one business man remarked to Mr. Smith recently that if he had a dozen houses he could rent them all by Saturday night. The road has brought more buyers to town than it has taken out. Freight is delivered from Rochester to Williamston for 6c per 100 as against 25c charged by steam road over same distance.

Congregational Church Notes.

The memorial services in honor of the late Francis King were well attended by many old citizens and friends of the deceased.

A largely attended business meeting of the church and society was held in the church Monday evening. A full report of the repairs was made by Mr. Flanagan, who had charge of the matter, and subscription presented showing that all the expense had been provided for and a balance of over \$100 on hand to place to the credit of the seating fund. A committee was appointed consisting of Messrs. Flanagan, Griswold and the pastor, to contract for the new pews. These will be ordered at once and within sixty days we may hope to have this much-needed improvement. A very hopeful spirit prevailed throughout the meeting.

A class for Bible study has been organized, and the second meeting will be held with Mrs. Dr. Greene next Friday evening. The class are requested to read the first eleven chapters of Genesis, and especially to note the four great themes discussed there. The attention of the class is also asked to 2 Pet. 1:21. Topic to be discussed: How far is national life to-day a means whereby God reveals Himself; or: What is the true relation of religion and politics? Request: For an open mind in the study of the Scriptures—Luke 24: 44, 45. The meeting will commence promptly at 7.30. Members are requested to bring to their Bibles.

Home for Sale.

House and four acres 1/2 miles from Lowell. Inquire of S. P. Hicks. 2 w.

Sweater and underwear sale at Godfrey's.

Buy your guns and ammunition of R. D. Stocking.

During the next 10 days, J. B. Nicholson offers 125 yds. of all-wool greys and oxfords at 49c yd.

See that fine new style cabinet sewing machine at R. D. Stocking's. It would make your wife a beautiful present and only \$25.00.

Mrs. Althouse, who lived about 3 miles west of Lowell on the Ada road, died yesterday, aged about 54 years. The funeral will be held at the German church in this village tomorrow.

UNITED STATES COMMISSION TO THE PARIS EXPOSITION OF 1900

PARIS OFFICES, Aug. 31st, 1900

A. C. BARBER MFG. CO.,
04 Lake St.,
Chicago, Ill.

GENTLEMEN:—

I have the honor to advise you, that you were awarded a medal in recognition of the merits of your heating stoves. This is the highest award given to an Oil Heating Stove.

Very truly yours

WILTSON F. WOLFE,
Expert Dept. of Heating and Ventilation.

For Sale by Spraker & Cambell.

BLAIN

Sells the famous

**Black
Cat
Stockings**



BLACK CAT BRAND
Chicago-Rochester
Hosiery Co.
KENOSHA, WIS.

The best on earth. Try a pair for the boy that is hard on his Stockings and they will please you.

The Packard Shoe



Knowing as we do that there is a great need in this community for a Good Shoe and Dressy Shoe at a medium price, we have secured the agency for the Packard Shoe. This make of Shoe is as well known as any shoe in the United States—Known to be as good a wearer and as fine looking as shoes that cost you five and six dollars—made up in all leathers from the fine Patent Leather down to the heavy Enamels and Box Calf goods. To those who want a good shoe at a medium price we invite you to look at the Packard Shoe.

The Old Reliable Shoe House

A. J. Hawk & Son.

Special Sale of Trimmings Hats

Now On.

See Our Window

CARR & PRICE.

Discount Sale of Wall Paper

AT HUNT'S...

Quality High. Prices Low.
Don't forget to look at our stock before you buy.

Call Phone 89. HUNT'S DRUG STORE. Open Sundays

Don't forget our clearance sale of Good second hand wheel worth wall paper at greatly reduced prices \$12.00 for \$6.50 at R. D. Stocking's. New ones at about half price.

IMPERIAL TROOPS

Meet the Rebels in Several Engagements and Defeat Them.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS FOUND

Proving That Chinese Authorities Aided the Boxers—Germany's Chinese Policy Growing Unpopular With Manufacturers of That Country.

London, Oct. 15.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Morning Post, writing Saturday describes four distinct situations—in Kwang Si, Sze Chuan and the Yang Tze region—all of which are anti-dynastic rather than anti-foreign.

The Standard publishes mail advices from Tien Tsin giving a list of 54 documents that were seized in the Yamen of the Chinese government.

Imperial Troops Defeated. Shanghai, Oct. 14.—From Canton it is reported that the Kwang Si Rebels have defeated the imperial troops on the borders of Kwang Tung and the Gulf of Tonkin.

Berlin, Oct. 15.—Germany's China policy is growing unpopular among the great manufacturers of the West.

For Foreign Money Orders. New York, Oct. 15.—Richard J. Carroll, who for a number of years has been the chief money order clerk in branch E of the postoffice in this city, was arrested yesterday for forging and raising money orders.

Boers Still Lively. Cape Town, Oct. 15.—The Boers are very active in the Kroonstad district.

British Mounted Infantry, scouting from Lindley, had Captain Whitehill killed through mistaking a party of forty Boers in khaki for friends.

Washington, Oct. 10.—The launching of the monitor Arkansas has been set for Nov. 10 at Newport News yards.

Whitesboro, Pa., Oct. 13.—The people of the Whitesboro valley are watching with interest the proposed terms of the Scranton convention.

St. Petersburg, October 9.—Five thousand pilgrims assembled at the St. Vladimir cathedral in the Parkhof district for a religious festival.

STATE SPECIALS

Rev. Hamilton Fraser, of Saginaw, has been nominated for congress by the prohibitionists of the eighth district.

BOOBS RECOVERED

Two Students of the Normal School Drowned.

YOUNG MAN COULD NOT SWIM. Unknown Fireman Jumps Overboard—Hands Shattered by a Shotgun—Bay City Mother Poisons Her Child and Appellants, Mich.

Ypsilanti, Mich., Oct. 15.—The bodies of Ward Wood and Miss Abbie Cronin, the normal students who were drowned in the Huron river Saturday, were recovered yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 15.—An unknown fireman on the steamer Huron City committed suicide by jumping overboard Saturday morning.

Hands Shattered. Royal Oak, Mich., Oct. 15.—Art Kendall studied law at night.

Poisoned Her Child. Bay City, Mich., Oct. 15.—Mrs. Louis Mills of Essexville administered laudanum to her four year old daughter yesterday morning and took a dose herself.

New Michigan Corporation. Lansing, Mich., Oct. 15.—The following corporations filed articles of association with the secretary of state during the past week.

Instantly Killed. Jonesville, Mich., Oct. 12.—The rig of George W. Proctor, of the Lake Shore, was blown away by a gale.

Michigan Pensioners. Washington, Oct. 12.—Michigan pensioners were granted Thursday as follows.

Fund Apportioned. Washington, Oct. 12.—The board of directors of the National Theatre has held its annual meeting.

Notary Appointed. Washington, Oct. 12.—The notary public for the District of Columbia has been appointed.

NOT SATISFACTORY

Operators Opposed to Granting any More Concessions.

MINERS TERMS UNACCEPTABLE

Miners Declare They are Again Waiting for the Operators and Will Stay Away From the Mines—An Impression That the Strike is Nearly Over.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 15.—A canvass of the operators of the Wyoming valley shows that there is considerable opposition to granting the miners any more concessions than those outlined in the original offer.

Not much dependence can be placed on the men when it comes to striking against the operators.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 15.—The terms of the Scranton convention are not acceptable to operators and representatives of coal carrying companies.

Reported Captured. New York, Oct. 15.—An appeal to the grand jury of the Southern District of New York was filed today.

Charged With Murder. Cleveland, Oct. 13.—Capt. Chas. Holmes, who was in charge of the yacht Idler, which foundered off the coast of Long Island.

General Markets. Wheat—No. 1 white, 75c; No. 2 red, 70c; No. 3 red, 65c; No. 4 red, 60c.

Chicago—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$10.00; fair to good, \$9.00; poor, \$8.00.

Live Stock. Chicago—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$10.00; fair to good, \$9.00; poor, \$8.00.

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WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

The Coal Strike Continues the Restraining Factor in Business.

PERE MARQUETTE

Trains Leave Lowell as follows: For Detroit and East, 7:15 am, 11:00 am, 4:15 pm.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. WASHINGTON FROM LOWELL. No. 19 Morning Express to Grand Haven, 12:15 pm.

Also a 5 drawer, high arm machine guaranteed for 10 years, only \$16.

BUY YOUR BREAD, BUNS, COOKIES, PIECES, CAKES, ETC. OF THE OLD RELIABLE BAKER, F. A. BEHL.

GROCERIES. Produce, Cured Meats, Teas, Coffees, Spices, Sugar, Syrups, Canned Goods.

Prices Right. Prompt Delivery. We Want your Trade. McCarty & Co.

Dr. Curtis T. Wolford, Specialist of GRAND RAPIDS OF CHRONIC DISEASES.

Waverly Hotel, Wed. Oct. 17. who are in need of his services.

Before storing my stock of bicycles away for winter I will offer some extra money saving bargains to cash buyers.

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MONGREALS.

Some Reasons Why They are Hated by the Whites.

HOME CURES.

If poisoned, take mustard, or salt, to the chest.

For boils, wet slippery-elm flour with cold water and put in a thin muslin bag.

An effective remedy for a bone tumor is: One ounce of asafoetida steeped in a pint of vinegar.

To relieve severe prostrations of coughing, take a teaspoonful of pure glycerine, mixed with rich cream.

For catarrh, cut up the seeds of Indian turnip, put in a quart bottle and cover with whiskey.

For a lady visiting in the South was told a story of an old colored man, who had a watch in his pocket.

At a recent church dedication the preacher, who was a stranger, followed up his sermon by a collection.

The collectors were round, and the preacher was a stranger.

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Planing Mill.

MILLS.

Shah, Doors, Blinds, Frames for Doors, Windows and Screens.

FRANK R. ECKER, PROP.

Matchless Hammerless Shot Guns worth \$50.00.

AMMUNITION. All Kinds, loaded and unloaded.

R. D. STOCKING. Fine line of goods to select from.

Fall and Winter Samples now in.

B. C. SMITH, Merchant Tailor, Lowell.

IF YOU WANT A Robe or Blanket GO TO H. NASH.

SHORT PARAGRAPHS. Within the last ninety-five years the population of Belgium has doubled.

MADE BY THE NEW SCOTTEN TOBACCO CO. Ask for it.

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WEEN you vote, remember Will M. Chapman.

The prohibitionist candidates are about to invade Kentucky. This is certainly carrying the war into Africa, or invading the money's country, or something of that kind.

THE ADVENT OF SPRING.

The Most Glorious Season of the Whole Year. No season of the year is more exhilarating than spring. All nature is awake and taking a new phase of life after her long sleep during the cold months.

The M. E. Sunday school will send Miss Myrtle English and Elizabeth Hughes as delegates to the convention at Ionia.

Mrs. C. Story is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Delos VanDusen, of Grand Rapids. The Epworth League has prepared a literary program for the first Sunday evening in November. All come.

Trusses To Ladies

Thum's Drug Store carries a complete line. We guarantee a fit or money refunded. Our Stock is the Largest in Western Michigan. We have all kinds of bandages, supporters, also Trusses and Shoulder Braces.

Shoulder Braces

When a man can buy a good pair of Shoulder Braces as cheap as Thum's, he would be foolish to allow himself to become round shouldered.

Fountain Syringes and Hot Water Bags

In purchasing Rubber Goods be sure and get Fresh Stock. Our output is large that no stock is allowed to accumulate. 600 bags an elegant 2 qt. Fountain Syringe.

Some Day

And unexpectedly you may want a Crutch, Bed Pan, Urinal or Douche Pan, remember money saving prices at THUM'S DRUG STORE, when you trade at

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Medicine Recipies, Household Remedies at money saving prices when you trade at

Joseph E. Kennedy

DEMOCRAT CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF Ran 2800 Ahead of His Ticket in 1899. Joseph E. Kennedy, the democratic nominee for sheriff, was born in Milford County, Pa., April 11, 1864.

LOWELL'S CANDIDATE.

HERE AND THERE. Slag left after the making of steel by the Bessemer process is now being converted into phosphorus. Plans are being made for the construction of a tunnel under the Hoop-Hop river at Calcutta.

Run Around to Ruben's This Week or Next week. There is some selling in Clothing, Furnishings and Hats going on in his big, bright and light store, as lively as a sudden shower, as brilliant as a rainbow, as grand as a sunset!

A MISTAKE CORRECTED.

The figures given in our last week's LEDGER relative to the cost of barbed wire were wrong. Here are the true figures: In February, 1890, barbed wire was wholesaled at \$1.30 per hundred pounds.

CONOR SMITH, who got the nomination for county clerk away from Will M. Chapman, spells Newyago, "Nuago."

His books are said to be full of just such intelligence; if you want a clean, intelligent and competent man in that office, vote for John Hulst.

Those of the Sixteenth Senatorial district who wish a reform legislature...

...should vote for John Hulst. The reformers have an excellent opportunity of farthing that out by voting for Hon. A. S. White.

South Lowell.

South Lowell will entertain the Sunday School convention next Sunday. Every come.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Remedy.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default has been made in the conditions of payment of a certain mortgage dated May 11th 1898 and executed by Benjamin C. Smith and Olive L. Smith his wife.

JOSEPH E. KENNEDY.

In 1886 he entered the general hardware business in Grand Rapids but within the year moved to Caledonia, where he has since conducted the business.

Death of Thomas Barr at that Goodly Age.

Thomas B. Barr died at his home 3 miles west of this village, Friday, Oct. 12, at the age of 87 years.

Republican Opening Rally.

Owing to sickness, Congressman Curtis failed to appear at the Friday evening meeting last Friday.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The High School attendance is still 112. Red and white have been chosen as the High School colors.

Just a few Leaves from our Forest of Values

Men's Suits Regular 35c Underhirts and Drawers, natural grey, heavy weight. You can buy them of Marks for 21c.

Furnishing Goods Regular 35c Underhirts and Drawers, natural grey, heavy weight. You can buy them of Marks for 21c.

THE laws of many states disfranchise men who bet on the election...

...but they seem to have fallen into innocuous desuetude. At all events, the ice trust didn't throw that chunk at Hanna.

THE ALTO NEWS.

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WANTED-ADVICE MAN OF GOOD CHARACTER...

...to act as a traveling salesman for our goods. \$500 a year, sure pay. Honestly more than experience required.

Probate Order.

State of Michigan, County of Kent, at a session of the Probate Court for said County of Kent held at the Probate Office...

Rockers

In all the latest styles and designs. I can give you more for the money than you can get elsewhere.

McConnell

Furniture and Undertaking. In all the latest styles and designs. I can give you more for the money than you can get elsewhere.

Blankets

in Fly Time. You really do not need Blankets and robe this sort of weather but you never can tell when you will want the warm things.

Something to Eat...

Anything you want—cooked meats, chops, oysters, eggs, etc. Fresh Cakes 10 to 50c per dozen.

SMITH'S BAKERY

A purely vegetable cathartic which purifies the blood and stimulates the liver and soothes the nerves.

Kandy Kaskara

A purely vegetable cathartic which purifies the blood and stimulates the liver and soothes the nerves.

Patents

ADVICE AS TO PATENTABILITY. TRADE MARKS REGISTERED. PATENTS OBTAINED FREE.

WARGENSEN Station-Aiton

Myrtle London of South Lowell is visiting relatives here. Wm. Renzell's daughter of Smyrna is visiting at the home of Eugene Renzell.

Wanted

J. Cary and family of Lowell spent Sunday with their parents, H. Cary and wife.

Wanted

H. Richardson, wife and son of Chaska, and W. Bostance and wife of South Boston, are in the city.

Wanted

T. Leece's children have the whooping cough. C. McIntyre and wife visited at N. Bhai's Sunday.

Wanted

Sherman's prices on gold watches are below competition. You can buy vinegar and pickle barrels cheap of McMahon Bros.

Wanted

We have received word of a most remarkable offer which is to be made to women by The Delineator, of New York.

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Admission to the school. The school is now open and the admission is free.

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EXPANSION

Met a feller 'olter mornin'— Most amazin' set o' mast. Had a cert'ly style abt him— Cert'ly couldn't well be wuss. I says, "Where you haul 'em, partner?" An' he smiled in a knowin' way. An' he replied in furrin lingo, "Porto Rico, U. S. A."

Seen a feller down on Broadway. With a shockin' head of hair. An' a lot o' tropic garments. An' a most outlandish air. "What's he from?" a feller shouted. An' before we'd time to say, "This here heathen turned an' anst'ed: "Honeyluller, U. S. A."

Met a feller here on Olive. With a somber-o'ron. Had a lot o' shaggy whiskers. Nearly all his clothes was gone. Stopped an' set me for a quarter. Says "My home is far away." "What, you from?" the varmint anst'ered. "Santiago, U. S. A."

Seen a feller at the Southern. With a heavy iron box. Overcoat was lined with bearskin. Wore a dozen pair of socks. Showed him up to the quarter. "Judge" by his awkward way. Seen him write in big characters: "Circle City, U. S. A."

Seen a saddle-colored heathen. Wearing ear-rings in his nose. Laid out his heathen gear in a row. Most indecent lack o' clothes. "Where'd this heathen gear have spring from?" "From Manila, U. S. A."

"Hully gee," says I, "I never heard o' these cannibals before. Air these heathens here?" "Will we eat a feller more?" "Nes' you ask an' he'll say. Will he lordly kind o' flourish. "All Creation, U. S. A."

Consul-General James T. De Bois, St. Gall, in Nashville American.

HOW HE TAMED HER.

"I haven't the least fear," said Major Delaford.

"Then you're a man of unbounded courage," retorted his friend, Mr. Flashington.

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FACTS AND FIGURES.

Lille has 71 factories employing over 500 persons each, while Paris has only 52 of that size.

It is estimated that there are in Great Britain about 3,000 theatres in music halls, giving employment to 85,000 persons.

Mock fights are common in England service, where troops are taught how to march, charge, retreat, form in line of battle and do all things which are likely to be acquired in actual warfare.

The government of New Zealand now sends communications by carrier pigeons between Auckland and Great Britain, a distance across the ocean of 12,000 miles.

When Richard Lewy, the Austrian boy-player, was executing a solo at a concert one time, a well-known comedian annoyed him with incessant laughter and talking.

A Paris paper is authority for the statement that a new word has been introduced into the French language.

The cost of operating the great steamship Oceanic is between \$10,000 and \$15,000 a month.

"What for?" cried Justina. "Please, ma'am," said the little maid, who had brought up her meals three times a day.

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WHY REPUBLICANS SHOULD SUPPORT THE DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET

Men for Local Administrative Offices Should be Selected on Precisely the Same Grounds as Officials of Private Corporations are Chosen for Honesty, Integrity and Ability.

Editor of the Democrat—Come, let us reason together, and let us be real in our discussion.

Now, we will admit at the present condition of the affairs in Kent county, people of this county are in the fact that we have had, and have, two great parties whose policies differ in regard to the administration of the nation.

But why the question of politics should enter into the election of purely administrative offices, where the officials simply carry out the duties that have been laid down by law, is a matter that is unphilosophical as it is unnecessary.

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Our municipalities and counties are chartered by state legislation and given certain corporate powers. Once every two years the stockholders of these corporations—in this instance the voters—meet and as in the case of private corporations, decide by ballot who shall fill the various positions.

Now, a private corporation in selecting its general manager, its clerk, its treasurer or its auditor would never for one moment dream of selecting, to fill any of these positions, a man who is not a member of the party which is in power.

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BRIEF DISPATCHES.

A Cape Town dispatch says Sir Alfred Milner, British Commissioner, has gone to Bloemfontein.

It is asserted in Rome that Arch-bishop Martini will be elected to the cardinalate at the next conclave.

Typus fever is raging in the 68th German Infantry at Colobis and also in the 10th and 11th Bavarian and Sauerbrunn.

Lieut. Commander Wm. H. Becher, who attaches the United States embassy at Berlin, is suffering severely from pneumonia.

Another discovery was made Friday at the Elizabethport bank, which increases the stealings of defaulter Schreiber to \$197,710.

A dispatch from King Williamtown, South Africa, says the Boers have torn up the railway between Durbanville and captured a British outpost.

Estel Rogers, of Adria township, while operating a steam corn husker, received a badly lacerated hand in some way was caught in the cylinder.

The retirement from active service of Lieut. Col. Henry R. Brinkerhoff, of the 6th U. S. Infantry, has been announced by the adjutant-general's office.

The residents of Cuba will have an exhibit of the Pan American Exposition at Buffalo, the matter having been taken up by the mercantile guild of Havana.

Albert R. Green, of the general land office, has been selected as chief of the bureau of land surveys of the interior department, authorized by the last congress.

General Smith left Washington Wednesday for Lincoln, Neb., where he will speak on the 12th, 13th and 14th inst.

The archbishops of the Roman Catholic church held their annual meeting at the Catholic University in Washington Thursday.

Gen. Edwin S. Brazz, a life-long Democrat, in a largely attended meeting at Milwaukee, Thursday night, urged the Democratic party to elect McKinley and Roosevelt.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Longview Electric Light and Power Co. was held in Salt Lake Wednesday.

Rear Admiral Silas Casey, at present commanding the Longview Electric Light and Power Co. was held in Salt Lake Wednesday.

The report of the Bank of Spain for the week ended Saturday shows the following: Gold in hand, no change; silver in hand, decrease \$58,000 pesos; notes in circulation increase \$47,000 pesos.

Coal and gas in paying quantities were found at the site of St. Joseph, Mo., yesterday, at a depth of a little more than 1,000 feet.

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 CAPITAL - \$25,000.00.
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 FRANCIS KING, President.
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A General Banking Business Transacted.

HOME NEWS.

Sweater and underwear sale at Godfrey's.
 If you want a stylish hat go to Mrs. Hiler's.
 Mr. Dewey of Grand Rapids was in Lowell, Friday.
 A large stock of wall paper at low prices at Hunt's Drug store.
 Brother Potts of the Saranac Local was in town Monday.
 Mrs. Dennis Bangs of Mattheurton is visiting friends in Lowell.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gahn Bangs Oct. 7, an eight pound girl.
 Good paper 3c. per single roll at Look's annual wall paper sale.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pant have moved to the Frank Braisted place.
 Mrs. M. J. Kopf visited at Mrs. Mary Kilgus' in Bowne, Monday.
 The Lowell orchestra played for a dance at Saranac last Friday night.
 H. D. Sterling left Monday for his home at Coconut Grove, Florida.
 Wall paper still selling at one half price or less at Look's Drug & Book store.
 The marriage of Col. R. Dunlap and Georgia Chatterton is announced.
 Bert Fletcher and John Lynchis-come of South Boston spent Sunday in Lowell.
 Miss Mina Eggleston entertained Miss Fern Spencer from Saranac over Sunday.
 If you can use any wall paper at a very low price call at Look's Drug and Book store.
 J. D. Crawford is representing Lowell lodge, I. O. O. F. at Grand lodge in Bay City.
 The Fanny Crosby song service at the Baptist church was largely attended Sunday evening.
 A full 60 yd. piece of all-wool grey homespun, 58 inches wide, on sale at Nicholson's at 99c yd.
 Miss Maud Fuller has been visiting Miss Frances Steekles of South Division street, Grand Rapids.
 Papers good enough for any room 3-4 and 5 c. per single roll at Look's annual wall paper sale.
 Mrs. A. C. Sherman is spending a few weeks with friends in Grand Rapids and other neighboring places.
 Mrs. G. V. McConnell went to Bay City Monday to represent the local lodge of Rebekahs at Grand lodge.
 At special sale, J. B. Nicholson will offer 150 yds. all-wool dress goods, 4 different patterns, at 42c. per yd.
 R. D. Stocking is selling some very fine new hammerless guns and at prices that defy outside competition.
 The meetings of the Baptist Young People's society at 6:30 Sunday evening are growing in interest and number.
 McCarty & Co. have ten people employed in their bean "pickery." There was room for one more at last accounts.
 James Gibson has caught since Aug. 1, 47 grass pike ranging in weight from 3 to 12 lbs. all with a spoon hook.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Combs have returned to their home in Middleville after a few days visit with Lowell friends.
 Mrs. C. M. Brown of Grand Rapids and Mr. Chas. Brown of Colorado visited at Mrs. R. H. Brown's Tuesday.
 C. N. Smith, of Williamstown, Wayne Co. N. Y. has been spending the past two weeks with his brother-in-law Wm. Fries.
 We do not dabble in soups and silks, pianos and pills, nor horse blankets either. But in men's, boy's and children's clothing, we lead.
 The Godfrey Clothiers.
 Dr. Eaton is very busy these days with his private affairs. It's a boy, arrived on the anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus. By all means, call him "Christopher."

Sweater and underwear sale at Godfrey's.
 If you want cheap hats, Mrs. Hiler's is the place to get them.
 Congressman Wm. Alden Smith is billed to speak in Lowell Nov. 1.
 A Bryan, Stevenson & McKnight banner now hangs over Main street.
 We are wide awake to business. We hardly ever sleep.
 The Godfrey Clothiers.
 Geo. Rouse's buildings look much improved with their metallic roofs.
 Meeting of the Lowell W. C. T. U. at their rooms Friday of this week.
 You will save money if you buy your wall paper at Hunt's Drug store.
 Hunting coat and sportsmans supplies of all kinds at R. D. Stockings.
 Mr. Eugene Burgess of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with Wm. G. Sayles and family.
 A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Fred T. Jury and Ida M. Babcock, both of Lowell.
 A. McIlhinney, the piano tuner will be here next week. Leave orders at Stocking's music store.
 Three hundred yds. of new dress goods in plain colors and fancy mixtures, 25c during sale, at Nicholson's.
 New stock of mandolins, banjos, accordions, harmonophones, and general musical merchandise just received at R. D. Stockings.
 Band No. 3, of the Congregational church will entertain bands No. 1 and 2 at the church next Tuesday afternoon.
 Mrs. Sheldon Parker is thought to be at the point of death. Mr. Parker has the sympathy of the entire community in his great affliction.
 Fred Yeiter informs us that when his sons came home from the State fair, they took a straw vote in one car resulting in a vote of 68 for Bryan to 31 for McKinley.
 An account of the 30th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson is unavoidably crowded out of this issue and laid over till the next.
 The "make up" man got two stories mixed in our last issue, but will endeavor to disentangle them in this. Insinuations that he was drunk "don't go" for Jack never indulges.
 Among the jurors drawn for the November term of the Ionia Circuit court are: Boston, Burton Barber, Campbell, John Barker; Keene, Frank Daniels; Otisco, Henry Krupp.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Hine returned Tuesday from a weeks visit with friends in Grand Rapids. They anticipate spending the winter in the South.
 THE LOWELL LEDGER went to its readers an "all home print" newspaper October 4. If we may judge from appearances, Brother Johnson seems to be enjoying prosperity "withall."—[Middleville Sun].
 Mrs. Nettie Rickert and daughter Viva arrived Monday night from the Northwest Territory where they have been for seven months. Mrs. Rickert reports 31 ft. of snow on the level in that country on Oct. 2.
 Next Sunday evening the theme to be considered by Rev. D. B. Davidson at the Baptist church at 7:30 will be: "A short bed and a narrow blanket." Come and find out whether your bed is long enough and whether the covering is sufficient.
 Rev. D. B. Davidson, pastor of the Baptist church and chairman of the Ministry Aid society for this state, is at Flint this week attending the sessions of the Baptist State convention.
 Lowell Lodge, F. & A. M., has been invited to attend a school of instruction, given by Grand Lecturer A. M. Clark at Grand Rapids, Oct. 17, and to exemplify the work of the second degree. The Lowell team is justly celebrated for its good work.
 Mrs. Geo. Giles, Lowell's rising soprano soloist, who has been singing at the Congregational church for a long time, has accepted an engagement with the Baptist church in the same capacity. We congratulate our Baptist friends upon their acquisition.
South Boston—Eimdale.
 Mr. Sparks will move onto his farm soon and R. Young will occupy the house vacated by him.
 Hugh Young will move back onto his farm soon.
 Mrs. Smith is visiting her cousin, Mrs. G. Standard.
 Alma Burr is visiting friends in Owosso.
 Sweater and underwear sale at Godfrey's.
 When you have no appetite, do not rely your food and feel dull after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at D. G. Look's drug store.

Wanted: A Ragged and dirty dollar Bill!

for which I will give you in exchange one of my brand new "NEVER BREAK" MAINSPRINGS, to replace the one that broke in your watch yesterday, and I will fit it into your watch, set it going again and guarantee the mainspring to last a year, all without extra charge.



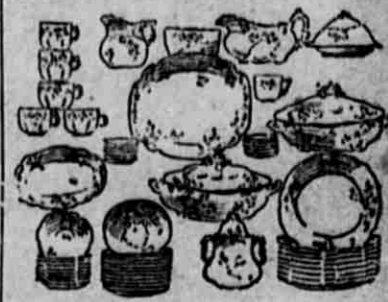
COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Regular meeting of the Lowell Village Council held in Council Rooms on Monday evening, Oct. 15, 1900.
 Meeting called to order by President Weekes, present Trustees Look and Van Dyke. No quorum.
 On motion council adjourned to meet Tuesday evening Oct. 16, at 7:00 P. M.
 Adjourned meeting of the Lowell Village Council held in the Council Rooms on Tuesday evening Oct. 16.
 Meeting called to order by President Weekes, present Trustees Flanagan, Lee, Look, VanDyke the President, absent Bergin and Watts.
 The Sewer committee to whom was referred the petition for a sewer in Washington avenue reported the petition back without recommendation. On motion the report of the committee was adopted and petition laid on the table.
 The Fire committee to whom was referred the matter of removing the rubbish on West Water street reported that the rubbish had been removed.
 The clerk reported the cost of securing an estimate of cost and plans and specifications for foot bridge to be \$4.00.
 A petition was received signed by Geo. W. Rouse, Chas. Althen, Clyde Collar and Henrietta Weekes asking that a sewer be constructed in Washington avenue from Chatham street. Referred to Sewer committee.
 A petition was received signed by Mrs. M. E. Giles, Mrs. E. Hendricks and Louisa Lyon asking that a sewer be constructed in Broadway street 120 feet north from the north line of Main street and easterly through the alley connecting Broadway and West Water street as far as may be necessary. Referred to Sewer committee.
 A petition was received signed by J. H. Delk and others asking that an electric arc lamp be placed at the intersection of East Water and Fremont streets. Referred to L & P. committee.
 On motion the following bills were allowed: yeas—Flanagan, Lee, Look, VanDyke; absent, Watts and Bergin.
GENERAL FUND.
 Lowell Ledger \$ 1 32
 Ollie Taft 3 00
 Fire department 20 00
 Millard Scott 5 00
 \$29 32
SEWER FUND.
 Porter Carr \$ 6 75
STREET FUND.
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 G A Barrows 2 22
 D C Carveth 2 00
 R J Perkins 39 60
 J C Train 19 77
 \$65 37
 The matter of securing a rebate on taxes paid on lighting plant referred to Finance committee with power to act.
 The matter of the suit of the Lowell Water & Light Co. against the Village was referred to the Village attorney and a special committee consisting of Trustees Lee, Watts, Flanagan.
 On motion council adjourned.
Thos. MURPHY, Clerk.
vorgennes.
 Mrs. L. Caukin and two sons of Grand Rapids visited her aunt, Mrs. Crosby, last week.
 John Crates is visiting friends in Jackson.
 John Gott and Charlie Collar attended the social at J. Wright's and report a good time.
 Mrs. Adelbert O'Dell is on the sick list.

Edith Crates of Grand Rapids spent a few days last week with her parents, John Crates and wife.
 Jack Epley and wife of Lowell called on Phil Dickson and wife Sunday.
 Harold Gott of Saranac spent Saturday and Sunday with Bert Bailey.
 The Ladies Aid society meet Oct. 25 with Mrs. D. Collar.
 Mrs. Hudson is having a serious time with quinzey.
 Grace Blanding is visiting in Coral.
 Another old pioneer has passed away, Phillip Fox was born March 11, 1812 in Herkimer county, N. Y. and came to Michigan 1838. He was married to Basburg Krum Feb. 4, 1840 and he then lived at Fox's Corners. Six children were born to them, a daughter and five sons of whom the five sons are living. He was a resident of Vergennes for 60 years and in his old age he went to live with his son, Jake, at Six Lakes, where his wife passed away. He died at the age of 79 years. His remains were buried by the side of his wife in the Fox cemetery.
Cassonsburg.
 Rev. Howard Moore preaches his farewell sermon Sunday.
 Mrs. Bookey is visiting her sister, Mrs. Broman, of Mayland.
 A traveling medicine show came to town last week, and in the way of advertising gave away some very nice looking presents and Essie Joyce was the happy possessor of a diamond ring, given to the most popular young lady in town.
 Eithel Judson, a niece of Miss Bookey, visited her at Alton last week.
 Messrs. Joyce and Whitmore were in Grand Rapids last week.
 Mrs. Frank White of Alton visited friends here Sunday.
 Again the shadow of sadness is cast over our community by the death of Cora A. Armstrong, wife of G. W. Armstrong. The funeral services were held, Thursday, Oct. 11 at the Congregational church in which she was organist for some time. Rev. Moore officiated. She died at the age of 32 years 1 month 21 days. The ceremony at the grave was taken charge of by O. E. S. of which she was a member. The members contributed a beautiful floral star. The singing was led by Mrs. L. Smith of Grattan. She leaves a mother, brother, two sisters, husband and daughter also a host of friends to mourn her loss.
Grattan-Vergennes.
 Mrs. Anna Johnson and children of Lake View visited relatives in this place last week.
 Mrs. P. W. Byrne returned home Saturday after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. E. Bert of Belding.
 Frank Ecker of Lowell called on Chas. Jakeway Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor of Lowell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Laughlin.
 Willie Weeks is the proud owner of a new carriage.
 The Macabees meeting at Alton Saturday night was well attended and an enjoyable time was had by all present.
 Leave your laundry work at P. Presnahan's for Lowell Laundry. Work returned each Saturday morning.
 No other pills can equal DeWitt's Little Early Risers for promptness, certainly and efficiently.
 Taft & Co.

Fallsburg.
 There will be a township Sunday school convention at the school house Oct. 23. All cordially invited.
 H. Fallas and wife of Grand Rapids were at their home here Saturday.
 Minnie Steketes visited Mrs. W. Moon of Keene Wednesday.
 Mrs. Alrich and Ada Booth were in Ionia Sunday and Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Booth visited her sister, Mrs. Carver, of Freeport a few days last week.
 Mrs. Rexford visited at E. Condon's of Smyrna Sunday.
 Mrs. Denny visited Mrs. Frank Sherrard of Keene Friday.
 L. Mooly of Hastings visited at M. G. Denny's Monday and is now visiting Frank Sherrard.
 A. W. Bennett and wife of Olivet and C. Booth and wife visited at Henry Booth's last week.
 Mrs. Johnson of Lowell is visiting at J. D. Harvey's and Frank Mavnard's.
 The best method of cleansing the live is the use of the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Easy to take. Never gripe.
 Taft & Co.
Cascade-East Paris
 We are sorry to learn that R. Slater's youngest child is sick with scarlet fever in the malignant form. Their home has been quarantined for five weeks. Mr. Slater's relatives are doing his out-door work. Later—the child is improving.
 Gustus last week at Wm. Teeple's were Bert Washburn and wife of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Ploughs late of Grand Rapids are gladly welcomed in our vicinity. They bring first-class recommendations from their last residence.
 Geo. Washburn and wife of Ada were guests of Mrs. Fanny Vrooman, Sunday.
 The party given by the Kelley Bros. in honor of their sister, Rose, was a success. Grand Rapids, Ada, Grattan, Caledonia and East Paris were well represented. The evening was passed in music and dancing until a late hour. We met a number of our old pupils there, among whom was John Powers of Grand Rapids and I think the pleasure was mutual in reminiscences of school life twenty-four years ago; also met Miss Jennie Mack of Grand Rapids who demonstrated the new whole wheat flour at the State fair.
 Henry Fralick who was taken suddenly ill with scarlet fever while visiting his grandparents, F. M. Davis and wife, has been removed to his home in Grand Rapids.
 Now just one to our Dear Aunt. We were at the fair three days, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The fair was thinly attended Wednesday and there was a fair attendance of adults Friday and myriads of children—it is called children's day in the city, admission only 10c. Now, my dear Aunt, you may be correct about the 8th of November and if you read your Bible you will find about certain oppressed people who were obliged to make the same number of bricks without straw, which had formerly been furnished them; and history repeats itself. We read also about certain a man who sold his birthright for a mess of pottage. If your prediction is correct, the result will show a number of Esaus. But one little incident which came under my observation—my daughter wished to take something to her little niece and went to buy a parcel with the President candidates of both parties with the national colors. The man selling them begged us to buy a McKinley parcel as he had sold five of Bryan's to one McKinley. No one can say he was a "lying Democrat" as there lay his pile of McKinley's and the pile of Bryan's were very small. I think there were five Bryan parcels left but there were so many of McKinley that I did not take the time to count them. We came away leaving the parcel vendor bewailing the lack of Republicans in that crowd. Now I hope straw show the way the wind blows.
Keene.
 The Ladies aid will serve lunches for dinner and supper election day, Nov. 6, at the Ghosts hall.
 O. Ghosts and wife entertained Messrs. Kimble, Saitie and Ray and their families of Orleans Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Lee celebrate their golden wedding Oct. 15.
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haskin and Nettie Wood of Grand Rapids were guests of D. A. Wood and family the last of the week.
 F. Clark and wife are entertaining the latter's brother, John Vandenberg and Miss Mayne Laidley of Grand Rapids.
 J. T. Epley and wife of Lowell visited at Wm. Patterson's Thursday evening.
 W. H. Patterson and son spent Sunday with his parents in East Paris.
 Mrs. Julius Fischer is entertaining her grandfather, Mr. Pfeffer.
 John Frayermuth and wife who have been visiting relatives in Charlotte returned home Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Sam Skelding entertained a number of their friends Thursday evening, Oct. 11, the occasion being the 14th anniversary of their marriage. The evening was pleasantly spent in social chat. A bountiful supper was served after which all departed to their homes. They left them a glass water set and a beautiful lamp in remembrance of the occasion.
 Married, Tuesday evening, Oct. 11, at the M. E. parsonage in Bowne, Frank Houghton of Lowell and Bessie Lewis of Cascade. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Houghton went to their own home which they found in readiness to receive them at Morse Lake. The best wishes and congratulations of all attend them in the future.
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Wheat	63	73
New Potatoes	25	25
Beans	1 00	1 30
Pork	6 00@	6 25
Corn	2	2
Oats	2	2
Rye	47	47
Butter	14	18
Eggs	7	14
Apples per bbl	75	1 00
Peaches per bu	50	75

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