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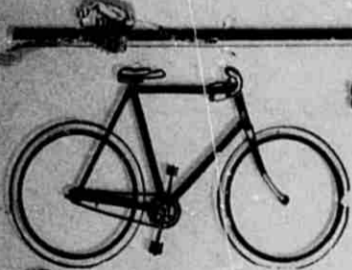
LOWELL, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1901

WHOLE NO. 417.

The Sturdy Oak

Has its beginning with the implanted acorn. Likewise, the Tree of Fortune takes root with the opening of a savings account with us. **One Dollar** is sufficient to start an account—smaller or larger sums may follow.

THE CITY BANK,
HILL, WATTS & CO.



Closing

We have a few bicycles left which we will close out for less than cost

Ladies' Crescent Bicycle \$27.00
" Hudson " 19.00
Men's Wheels from \$15 up to \$30

Yours truly,

R. B. BOYLAN.

KEEP YOUR



On our Kodak Department and if it gets tired come in and get a pair of glasses and rest it—a perfect fit guaranteed.

General Kodak Supplies—
Plates, Films, Papers, de-
velopers, Toning Solution,
etc.



The People's Store.
The White Front.

A. D. Oliver

Only One Week

More

We Offer to the Ladies

Pingree & Smith Shoes in Welts, Turns and McKays \$2.50
Regular \$3.00, 3.50 and 4.00, choice

Marvin Shoe Co.'s, make of Shoes in Patent Leather. Regular \$3.50 at \$2.50

In French Kid Button Hand Turned Regular \$3.50 at \$2.50

In Black Kid Regular \$3.00 at \$2.50

We have a Ladies plump Dongola, guaranteed all solid at \$1.50

E. V. ABELL CO...

LOWELL OIL FIELDS THE CLASS OF 1901

LETTER FROM PROSPECTOR BULASK REGARDING THEM

With Drill Test Well if Desired Territory is Guaranteed.

Toledo, O, June 18, 1901.

Mr. Johnson,

Dear Sir:—
The undersigned would be obliged to you if you will make notice in this weeks issue of your paper if possible that the parties who secured oil leases on surrounding territory would be in Lowell the coming week accompanied by the Hon. John J. Geghan, president of the Geyser Oil Co of Tennessee, a well known Ohio Promoter and very largely interested in Oil enterprises throughout Ohio and other states.

It is understood that if F. J. Bulask's and Mr. Chas. H. Purdy's predictions are upheld by the local indication Mr. Geghan and his company will proceed to put down a test well as soon as the people of Lowell will give them the necessary acreage to warrant the expenditure of the cost of a trial well.

Whatever addition or subtraction of this you will find necessary will be satisfactory to Yours truly.

Thanking you for the courtesy before hand I beg to remain

Respectfully Yours,
Francis J. Bulask.

ALUMNI BANQUET

AT HOTEL WAVERLY TUESDAY EVENING.

The Excellent Programme of Exercises

Sixty-eight alumni and juniors and seniors gathered in the parlors of the Waverly Tuesday evening for the annual banquet of the Junior to the Senior class of the High school.

After a time spent in renewing old ties, a bountiful banquet was discussed in the dining room and a program was given. All agreed that a most enjoyable evening had been passed.

The program follows:

Welcome Mr. Otis Post
"Welcome ever smiles"
And farewell goes out sighing."
—Shakespeare

The Seniors Miss Bessie Kinyon
"What a heart's delight they feel at last,
To view the part desired."
—Southey

Vocal Solo Miss Letha Burr
Recitation Miss Florence King
The Juniors Miss Lulu Sayles

"Ye little Stars! Hide your diminished heads."
—Milton.

Recitation Esther Rubens
The High-School Mr. Arthur White
"The whining school-boy with his satchel and shining morning face, creeping like a snail, unwillingly to school."
—Shakespeare

Recitation Miss Vernie Brown
The Procession Mr. S. P. Hicks
"Following the endless stream into futurity."
—Southey

Vocal Solo Melvin Lake
Lowell Miss Helen Hamilton
"Loveliest village of the plain."
—Goldsmith.

HON. P. C. COLGROVE, ORATOR

Band Music, Balloons, Base Ball, Sports, Fireworks, Etc.

The committees having the Fourth of July celebration in charge have secured Hon. Philip Colgrove of Hastings for orator and the Lowell band to furnish music. There will be two balloon ascensions and a fine display of fireworks. The sports will include a base ball game between the Y. M. C. A. team of Grand Rapids and probably the Lowell team. Complete program in this paper next week.

Affidavit of Circulation.

Frank M. Johnson, publisher of the Lowell Ledger, deposes and says that the total number of papers printed for issue of June 13 was 1133, all of which have been circulated except 10. All but 87 of these circulate within the state and all but 139 circulate in territory tributary to Lowell trade.

FRANK M. JOHNSON
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June A. D. 1901.

Milton M. Perry,
Notary Public.

Congratulatory.

The Lord's supper will be administered next Sunday evening and all members are earnestly urged to be present and participate.

The Boys of the Union will leave for camp on the regular train at 11.05 Tuesday, July 2. More than 30 have already planned to go and we expect about 35.

SEVEN MEMBERS, GRADUATED LAST EVENING.

Fine Program Successfully Carried Out.

Train's Opera house was comfortably filled last evening, with an interested audience to witness the commencement exercises of Lowell high school. The weather was perfect and unlike such occasions generally, there were no crying babies to disturb the exercises.

The stage was appropriately decorated with the class colors, crimson and gold, and the date, "1901" and motto, "Gradatim," were conspicuous in white on a crimson background. Bright potted plants and beautiful bouquets in profusion were also seen. At one side sat the members of the class, seven in number, as follows: Misses Lenna Yeiter, Nina Beckey, Grace Gardner, Olive Nash, Bessie Kinyon, Messrs. Chas. McMahon and Arthur White. Beyond them were the high school teachers, members of the board and the two clergymen.

The program was very creditably carried out in every particular but time and space forbid our mentioning each number in detail.

Piano Duet—"Charge of the Uhlans" Bohm
Misses Mina Eggleston and Pearl Keene
Invocation Rev. D. B. Davidson
Salutatory Miss Lenna Yeiter
Class History Mr. Chas. McMahon
Vocal Solo—"The Old and the Young Marie"
—Cowan

Miss Anna Maynard
Miss Nina Beckey
Prophecy Miss Grace Gardner
Vocal solo Selected Mrs. Frank Davey
Valedictory Miss Olive Nash
Address Rev. S. T. Morris
Vocal Solo Selected Mrs. E. A. Anderson
Presentation of Diplomas Mr. S. P. Hicks
Benediction Rev. D. B. Davidson

Champion Ball Players

WILL BATTLE FOR BENEFIT OF BOY'S UNION.

Game Next Thursday Afternoon Turn Out.

We the undersigned have organized an aggregation known as the West Side Business Men's Base Ball Club.

W. A. Watts Captain, A. W. Weekes, Clyde Collar, L. P. Thomas, R. B. Loveland, R. W. Swayze, R. VauDyke, D. G. Look, C. G. Perry.

And be it known that we do hereby challenge the following well known ball cranks from the East side:

M. C. Griswold Captain, J. B. Yeiter, Chas. McCarty, J. B. Nicholson, R. B. Boylan, A. E. Cambell, Art McMahon, Marks Ruben, M. C. Greene to a game of base ball to be played on Train's field on Thursday afternoon, June 27. Said game to be umpired by any good competent man. Rules of the umpire to govern. Also an admission fee of 10c shall be charged to all who are admitted to the field of battle, players included. The proceeds of said game to be given to the Boy's Union.

Come in and see our new...

Imported White Ware

just received, made in Germany... We still have a few

Blue Flame Oil Stoves

left, also some good Steel Ranges.

We have some good bargains in Screen Doors and Window Screens.

Spraker & Cambell.

Closing Out Sale OF BICYCLES

Beginning Sat. June 15th

I will offer my entire line of High Grade Wheels at greatly reduced prices. Remember, that no more will be offered at these prices after those in stock are sold. Tires and sundries also going cheap. Remember the place and date.

R. D. STOCKING.

P. S.—Inquire what I am going to do with those fine Rambler Chainless Wheels.

Our Boys All Wool Cheviot and Cassimere Suits at \$3.75

Sizes 12 to 19 years—Coat, Vest and Pants—is the best value of all values—Suits that we have been selling at \$5.00, 6.00 and 7.00. They must all go. Nothing must be left to tell the tale.

If you find prices below us you'll find quality below also.

W. W. Pullen.

The Clothier.

MEN'S AND YOUTHS'

SUITS

CHEAP AT COONS'

Broken lines of Spring and Summer Suits to be closed out at greatly reduced prices—Some at Just One-Half of what they formerly sold for. Get one of these bargains while you have the assortment to pick from. Cut prices hold good until the suits are gone.

We think a pleased customer is the best kind of an "ad."

SPECIAL BARGAIN In Misses and Children's Tan Slippers... 50 Cents a pair. A. J. HOWK & SON.

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The Children's day exercises at the South Boston M. E. church June 16 were largely attended and received the approval of all.

A Terrible Explosion. "Of a gasoline stove burned a lady here frightfully," writes N. E. Palmer...

Vergennes Station-Atton. Willis DeCraw and daughter of H. Bolster spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. Mosher.

Willie Dickens of Smyrna visited his grandmother, Mrs. Mosher, Saturday. Helena Helmer of Grand Rapids was in town Monday.

Those who mourn look up from the narrow grave where rests the clay to the bright shade of the bliss when they sleep.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. Regular Special meeting of the Lowell Village Council held in the Council Rooms on Monday evening June 17, 1901.

On motion by Trustee Waitt the matter was referred to a special committee consisting of Trustees White, Nicholson and Look.

THE HOME GOLD CURE. An ingenious treatment by which Drunkards are being cured daily to the surprise of themselves.

China War News. The generals of the powers held a conference at Peking on the 29th, to consider the withdrawal of troops.

What Do the Children Drink? Do you give them tea or coffee? Have you tried the new food drink called GRANO-O?

Do Your Feet Ache or Burn? Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures...

EX-UNITED STATES MARSHAL MATTHEWS, OF MISSISSIPPI. Hon. S. S. Matthews, ex-United States Marshal of Mississippi, in a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Company...

Wagon Indian Cure. The earliest specimen of Indian corn grew in Peru, where this plant has been found growing in a condition...

ADD UP THIS TIME. Portland, Me., Dr. E. A. Ross, practicing physician, formerly of Bates Center, Kansas, was on what...

His aunt had been summoned to his dying bedside. After the doctors had given her nephew up, she insisted that...

When a man gets angry his reason takes a short vacation. Good Health comes to those who take the great herb blood purifier, Garret's Tea; it cleanses the system...

A UNITED STATES MARSHAL Thanks Peruna For His Rapid Recovery From Catarrh. I have been a sufferer from catarrh six or seven years...

Seven Years in Bed. "Will wonders ever cease?" inquire the friends of Mr. L. H. Hunt...

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W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 & \$3.50 SHOES UNION MADE. FROM ALL POINTS OF VIEW. THE BYRNE SHOULD LOOK UP...

1,000 NEWSPAPERS AN INDEPENDENCE ASSURED. INTERNATIONAL TYPE-HIGH PLATES. LABOR-SAVING LENGTHS.

Sozodont for the Teeth and Mouth 25¢. Liver Don't Act? You know very well how you feel when your liver don't act.

DR. FENNER'S Blood & Liver Purifier. NERVE TONIC. DR. FENNER'S \$50 REWARD FOR A CURE OF KID-NE-OIDS.

