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## Spring Brook Ice...

I hare ouggesed in the ice basinees in Lowell and have put up Spring Brook
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## to Overflowiug The twenty-fifth annuai re-unio

 of the twenty-firth annual re-unionRiver Valley at Hotel Whe Grand
Waverly last Friday evening, was one of th most largely attended of any in the
history of the association. It was
a very good natured crowd, too; and a very good natared crowa, too; an
Auld Lang Syne was sung with
vin vim as an opening number of the
program. program.
Rev. Ch
appropriate and feeling prayer an appropriate and feeling prayer and
the venerable president of the as-
sociation, John M sociation, John M. Mathewson,
delivered an addres of welcome delivered an addross of welcome,
in which he said that this might be
the last time he could meet with his the last time he could meet with his
old friends. IIl health caused him
to retire early, leaving the meeting to retire early, leaving the meeting
in the hands of S. P. Hieks. The
latte latter expressed the regret of all
present that Mr. Mathewson should
 be in failing health and indulged
the hope that his last days should be the hope that his last days full of peace and comfort.
Secretary H. Nash was
and nuable to be present
Miss Sadie Kinsey rendered vocal solo in a pleasing renaneered and followed with the principal addres
of the evening. Mr. Blanchar said there were two things tha
never changed "One never changed, "One was a mule
and the other a fule," and he had ohanged his mind in regard to some
thingg. He came to the Grand River Valley in the Spring of 1837 When he was 14 years old, and had
seen the country developed from
a face of the earth." country on the Mesdames Peckhain and Hunt
Hored us with a duet sung in their most charming manner; and Mre. most carming ananivid aseription,
M. A Carr gave a vivid den Kitohen;"
of "An Old-fashioned M. A. Carr gave a vivid descriphion
of "An Oldafashioned Kitohen;",
followed by Mrs. J. S. Hooker with a story
Bee
After a harmonious Negro lullaby sung by Mrs. J. E. Strong, and
Misses Sadie Kinsey, Emma Misses Sadie Kinsey, Emma Wes-
brook and Jessie Nease, Rev. Chas.
Neas Nease pronounoed the benediction.
Some returned at once to their homes, some repaired to the dining

hall where a banquet was waiting | hall where a baiquet was waing, |
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| and still others went to Train's opera | house to trip the light fantastio to

in their old-time jolly manner Wanted 5 cole Ledegr. Will pay soeach at this
office. The Republicans of Lowell township will hold their caucus, for the er building, March 27, at 2 p. . . When in need of job printing
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## J. B. NICHOLSON

## Village. Calking

 Ypsilanti, Minch., Oot. 12, 1821 out for himself, going to the Grand River Valley, passing through Lowell before there was a building on the present village site and assisting to raise the first frame building in
Grand Rapids. He was one of th rew of the first boat on Grand rive anning from Grand Rapids to Ionia ar motive power being the strong
arms of the orew using poles to


CALKINS BARNEY to push it along. Not finding thin satisfactory he took the contract of
carrying the mail from Grand Rap. ids to Grand Haven, in summe wing to the depthe and in winter, wing to the depth of snow and absence of road, making the trip on
snow shoes, meeting a few Iudians by day and howling wolves by night. to Marie Seeley at Otisco marrie upoin a piece of land tin the settling


## Poicemenen Praise Pe-IIU-na.

 Vicissitudes of Their Occupation.

IItosn E. Ptaceis, Assistant Superintendent of Police of Chicaeno, mil.
writs:
II uscd Peruna for a very severe case of nasal catarrh, and am slad to inform you that it has accomplished a complete cure 1 have no hesitancy in recommending it to others."
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The president tlas seat. the following
nominations to the senate Navy- Capt.
Arent Selhuyler Crowninslield, to be
 Robert M, G, G. Brawn, retired.
romamander on the retired list.






## Spring Dry Goods

The great success of this store isn't an accident, it is premeditated and has been worked for. Because we sell so many grods isn't luck but means hard work and a persisten effort to suit the folks. We do not want to talk too much about our store and goods but when we know we are showing so many more goods in all lines for you to select from and the prices are lower than anywhere else. We think it is a duty that we owe to our customers as well as ourselves to say so. You ought to yee our shirt waists, of course you will
find a few boxes in every store; but we buy them by the gross and get them correspondingly cheap. We have lots of 50 c ones and the better g tades too. We have a full line of Albatross and silk waists, in all the new styles and colors. We have sold already more summer wash goods than some stores sell during the whole season, we expect it is because the stuff and the prices are right. The best table oil cloths 121 c .
A. W. WEEKES.

## Cowell State Bank



## Mre. A, L. Peok is quite sick. Charlie Fisher's boat for sale. Jardiniers for 146 . Peerless plow, bett on earth. Brow, Sehle $\&$ Mo Kay. Mr. Long was in Freeport last nuesday. Miss Sadie Kinese Grand Rapids. Come and see the Ease Mrs. Stones' plant sale. W. Strtp - 0 renta quire of R. B. Boylan. Don't forgee the High school Athletio entertaiment. Spring millinery opening, March 21 and 22. Egleston Lawrence. Erwin Ballard of Grand Rapids visited Lowell friends this week. New dinner sets, all prices for Collar's Bazaar. Full anuounoement next week of the the Higl ment. <br> Eggleston \& Lawrence will hav their millinery apening $\stackrel{\text { and 22. }}{\substack{\text { Miss } \\ \text { Florence Behl is visiting }}}$ relatives in Grand Rapids and Cale. donia. <br> Miss Lena Yeiter spent Sunday home near Clarkserille. <br> Mise Bertha Robisonon of Grand Lowell friends <br> Mrs. J. M. Potter and baby of Detroit are visiting her parents, L H. Hunt and wife. <br> Herbert Courtier, of Saranac, at ended the Old Residents last Friday evening. <br> Mr. and Mrr. David B. Walk of Grand Rapides visited M.t. <br> Mrr. Pbila Clark has been grant- ed a pension of $\$ 12$ a month and back pay to the amount of $\$ 185$. Lansford Barney returned to to his home in Byron Tuesday, after attending the funeral of his father A written guarantee goes with every Peerreses plow sold by Easter opening at Carr \& Price’  novelties. <br> Miss Iris Monks has returned to Grand Rapids after a four week' visit with her krand parents and friends. <br> For Saik-Farm of 50 acres, 4 | miles south-east of Lowell in South |
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| Bostoon. Terms easy; part | Boston. Terms easy; part down, balanee to suit purchaser. Inquire of John Taylor, at Ecker's planing The logic of the Journal's state. ment regarding the recent "sbort age" in tho Oddfellowe' treasury is age" it tho Odafellows creasury, is than it is to tell the truth., There has been no "exhonoration," "complete" or otherwises and the Jour-

| Horse for sale. $\quad$ Isaac Jones. |
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| Jardiniers for $\begin{array}{l}\text { 19c. } \\ \text { Collar's Bazaar. }\end{array}$ | S. P. Hick

in business. Mrs. O'Heron is
her serious illness. Mrs. A. L. Brown visited in
Belding Tuesday. R. D. Bancroft at Wallowa, Oregon. Don't forget the High suhool
Athletic entertainment. Mrs. K. S. Graham is very ill with flammatory rheumatism. F. Snethen of Grand Rap
visiting his uncle, E. Moffit. Nice salt white fish, traut, salmon Nice salt white fish, traut, salmon,
and mackerel, in paile and in bulk.
J, Giles $\&$ Co. Millinery opening Friday and aturday, March 21 and 22 . EIgleston \& Lawrence. James Needham and wife enter-
tained Mrs. Hynes of the Valley ity last we
nent at Train's opera House Friday March 28, at 8 p . m.
Mrs. A. C. Stone will conduct a ginning Maroh
Misses Nina Hiler and Laur Nieklin spent Sunday with Miss Maud Bennedict near Clarksville Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Adams wen oo Hastings Tuesday to attend th
funeral of his uncle, C.
S. Whit funeral
comb.
Mr.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller and attended the Old Settlers' Reunio Friday.
A. A. Husted returned yesterday rom Marshall, where he went two
veeks ago to attend the funeral In uncle. Ihe case of E. O. Mains, $\mathbf{v}$ by a jury before Justice Hicks y a jury before Justice Hicks was
No caute for action."
'Straight is the way
'Straight is the way and wide i
he furrow' of the farmer who buy Peerless plows.
tf Brown, Sehler \& McKay.
Mrs. O. A. Robinson of Grand
Rapids attended the Old Settlers' Reunion Friday evening and remain ed until Monday with old Lowel John S. Walton of Freeport wa oaller at this office Friday, to on is 85 years old and is quite well be termed an old resident having come to Michigan about 71
years ago. High school Athletic entertain ment at Train's opera honse Friday,

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Easter
Sunday
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A pood Dinner Sel, white, for $\$ 6.48$ Decorated one for 86.50
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up to
up to $\$ 16.00$.
Also just arrived a new line of
Chatitiber Sots -5 pieee set $\$ 1.75$,
Collar's
Bazaar.

## Brooches  <br> We booght a traveling anter <br> man's sample line of broooh <br> no cheap that we oan sell yo <br> one for less ${ }^{11}$ <br> These brooches are beet gold <br> filled and are suape at the <br> prices offered. <br> See our west mindow. <br> Williarng

ANNUAL PRESS MEETING Wow Detrolt Entertained the Mich Igan Pencil Pushers.
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Johnson ttended the two-days meetivg
f the Miohigan Press associant Three sestion week
Three sessions were held, at
which matters of intereat to the hich matters of interest to the
rinting and pubbishing fraternity were discussed.
Two banquets were tendered the
association, one by the Evening News association at the palatial one by the genial proprietors of the Griswold House. Each of these was followed by ' 'a
and flow of sout."
$\qquad$ hrew open their doors to the visit ors; and each of the ladies reeeived souvenir bon bon box filled with the confectioner.
lub opened its convenient quarters or the Press meeting to one o'clook,
Friday morning, when Publisher riday morning, when Publisher paying our street car fares, the
"Country Cousins" were made to eel that they were among friend her people the best of their kind in he wide world.

Not Dead But Sleeplag The Portland Review has th following letter from the people
who were granted a franchise for an electric road through Lowell: Detroit, Mich., March 15, 1902
Del Dear Sir:In reply to your favor of the 11t
inst., we beg to say that there ha isst., we beg to say that there
been so much time lost in the effort hat Spillable franchise in Ionia, that Spring is upon us, and we must
now put in our time on actual contruction of the line from Jackson to Lansing. After this is weil unde
way we can then take up the lonia matter again and see which route most desirable
Grand Rapids.

Yours very truly,
HAWKs \& Angus.
HOMICIDAL MANIA MAY PROMPT WHOLESALE MURDER.
Dr. Bessey Thituks Another :Jact the Ripper" May Bo Seudiug Deadly Headiche Powdors. Dr. William E. Bessey has a new of poisoning resulting from taking sample medicines thrown at the
doors of houses and sent through the mails. "Might not it be," said the doc. homicidal some fiend afflicted with headacha powders to people with no other motive than to deatroy life? Another "Jack the Ripper" I would larrible and you knoty that the horrible orimee which he committed in the Whiteohapel district of
London were wholly
motive than the destruction of life affleted with suicidal mania and mary others, and there oertainly is
such a thing as homicidal mania. such a thing as homicidal mania.
From Chicago, Lansing, Lowell and rrom Chicago, Lassing, Lowell and
other places, we hear of people tak.
ing sample headache remedies with ing samples headache remedies with
inther fatal results or death being either fatal results or death being
prevented by the promptest action
by physicians, and it seems to hy physicians, and it seems to mie
that such cases are reeently of tho frequent ocourence to be accidental or the result of any ordinary motive
which which would prompt a man to com-
mit murder." $-[G r a n d ~ R a p i d s ~ H e r-~$ mit murder."
ald, March 17.
The entertsinment to be given by The entertsinment to be given by
the Slayton Grand Concert Com. pany under the auspices of the
Epworth League has been postponed from the 24 th to the 27 th. Mr. and Mrs. C. Krum and
W. Morgau, who are now W. Morgat, who are now living in
Grand Rapids, attended the Old
Residents' annual re-union here Friday evening.

## On Tuesday evening, March 25 , Rev. D. R. Lee and Rev. A. H Rev. D. R. Lee and Rev. A. H H Sturgis will be in Lowell and

 meeting will be held at the churchin the interest of world-wide in the interest of world, wide evan
gelism. A short address by gelism. A short address by each
of the young men will form a par of the evening's program. No ad.
mission fee, and no begging. All mission fee, and no begging. All
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