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FIVE CENTS.

LIFTERS NOT LEANERS

ARE wanted in this great work-a-day world, and so, very early in life, you should learn to become a "lifter." One of the most effective ways of lifting is to acquire leverage through the habit of saving; and this habit of saving comes to those who deposit their spare money with this bank.

3 per cent interest paid.

City Bank, Hill, Watts & Co.

The Kind That Gives Satisfaction

NO SOOT SMOKE DIRT
OR
ASHES.

**Quick Meal
GASOLINE
STOVES**

QUICK CLEAN SAFE
AND SIMPLE.

R. B. BOYLAN.



WATCH CASE

which is but another way of saying "I WANT THE BEST AND SO DO YOU—furthermore like the youngster above YOU ARE ENTITLED TO THE BEST."

We always have Ross Watch Cases in stock and will not try to induce you to buy some cheap imitation.

Favor us with a visit of inspection.

A. D. Oliver,

The White Front
The People's Store.

Kodaks

The kind that go in the pocket, the kind that load and unload in open daylight, safest from breakage and most convenient to use.

We also have several other kinds if you prefer them and Eastman's and Seed's Dry Plates, Printing papers and Toning solutions, Developers of various kinds, Tripods, Picture Mounts and general kodak and camera sundries. We solicit a visit of inspection from you.



OUR VEAL

It is the most
For it is always sweet,
The best you ever eat—
Well, you just come and see!

**Our Sausages, Bologna
Cooked and Pressed
Meats**

are the best the town affords. None better anywhere. Everything you'd expect to find in a first-class market, you'll find at

Weyrick's.

Look Pleasant, Please.

Photographer C. C. Harlan, of Eaton, O., can do so now, though for years he couldn't for he suffered untold agony from the worst form of indigestion. All physicians and medicines failed to help him till he tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for him that he declares they are a godsend to sufferers from dyspepsia and stomach troubles. Unrivalled from disease of the stomach, build up and

give new life to the whole system.

Try them. Only 50c. Guaranteed by D. G. Look, druggist.

Work shirts at 25c, 29c, 35c, and 43c at Coon's clearing sale.

S. S. Courtright and wife have returned to Battle Creek.

Base ball here tomorrow, Lowell vs Alto. This is the team that played the 0 to 3 game with the Flag Furniture City team last Saturday. Warm game in prospect.

CASE IS DROPPED.

Architect Rush Acquitted of Wife Abandonment.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—The wife abandonment case against Architect Rush of Grand Rapids was dismissed in the Chicago Avenue Police court today.

Rush was in court, but the woman, who until now has asserted that she has been his wife for seven years, did not appear.

Rush says that he was never married to the woman and that his arrest was part of a blackmailing scheme she had concocted. The police justice said he believed Rush and the case was dropped.

ADA PIONEER PICNIC.

It will be held in Schenck's Grove, August 14.

The annual picnic of the pioneers of Ada and surrounding townships will be held in Schenck's grove, Ada, August 14. There will be addresses by Congressman William Alden Smith, Hon. Sybrant Westellus, William F. McKnight, L. E. Carroll, Myron H. Walker and other good speakers, and there will be a game of base ball.

Ada township was named for Mrs. James Miller, whose maiden name was Ada Smith, and who was the daughter of Sidney Smith, one of the very earliest pioneers of the township. On account of advancing age, for the first time since the organization of the Pioneer association, Mrs. Miller will be unable to attend this year. "Chancellor" White was the historian of the association, and he will also be missed. John Headley is president and William Farr secretary.

Becker-Lewis Wedding.

Miss Jennie Gertrude, daughter of Mrs. M. Lewis of Lowell, was married in Detroit, Monday evening, July 28, at St. Peter and Paul church, to Philip J., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Becker, of 166 Elizabeth street.

The happy couple will be at home at Dallas, Texas, after October 1.

Democratic County Ticket.

The Democratic convention last Saturday nominated the following ticket:

Sheriff—Rial V. McArthur
Clerk—Lewis T. Herman
Treasurer—George H. Davidson
Register of Deeds—Aaron B. Norton
Prosecuting Attorney—Emanuel J. Doyle

Circuit Court Commissioners—Simon LaGrou, Gelmer Kuipers.
Coroners—Dr. Casper M. Droste, Dr. Charles H. Bull
County Surveyor—Ed. H. Christ

A Challenge.

Lowell, Mich., August 5, 1902. To Eddy Tent No. 398, Knights of the Maecobees:

You are hereby challenged by Berry Camp No. 1154, Modern Woodmen of America to a game of base ball for the fraternal championship of Lowell.

Address all communications to Venerable Consul.

B. E. McLain, Captain.

Same Accepted.

We understand the Woodmen of Berry Camp have challenged Eddy Tent; and we are ready to accept same and arrange date satisfactory to both side.

E. M. Bailey, Com.

Aug. 6, 1902.

HOME NEWS.

Straw hats at your own price at Coon's clearing sale.

Fred Charles is driving the bus team, in place of Geo. Speaker, resigned.

Regular meeting Lowell Lodge No. 90, F. & A. M., Tuesday evening, Aug. 19.

Mrs. Virtue Neal, of Grand Rapids, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Ricketta.

Tin cans to the number of 50,000 have been received at the Lowell Canning factory.

Mrs. A. J. Jaynes, of Grand Rapids, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Weldon Smith.

Mrs. A. Yatch, of Columbus, O., is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Althen.

A. H. Lightcap and daughter, Lillian, were called to Jackson two weeks ago on account of the illness of Mr. Lightcap's daughter, Mrs. E. J. Belcher. They returned Sunday night. Mrs. Lightcap will remain in Jackson for some time.

CHURCHES & SOCIETIES.

Congregational.

The Christian Endeavor society will meet next Sunday evening at 6 o'clock in the Boy's Union rooms. Everyone welcomed.

Methodist.

The themes for the Sunday sermons will be as follows: Morning, "The Fathers Eating Sour Grapes and the Children's Teeth on Edge." Evening "The Honey of God's Word."

The Juniors will have for their topic "How to Help Boys and Girls Who do not Have a Good Time."

The theme for the Epworth League meeting is "A Suggestion in Addition." A good leader. All come and enjoy the meeting.

Several of the Sunday school classes had a very pleasant time at their social at the church on Tuesday evening. The Sunday school is flourishing. If you are not attending some where else come and enjoy it with us.

Baptist.

The Spartan society of the Baptist church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. A. Bancroft Wednesday, Aug. 13. Every member urged to be present. Tea served from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Societies.

Phila Clark W. C. T. U. will meet in Boy's Union rooms Tuesday Aug. 12th. Subject Evangelistic. Leader, Mrs. H. A. Barrett.

Mrs. M. J. Painter entertained the W. R. C., yesterday afternoon.

Death of S. W. Cooper.

Salman W. Cooper, aged sixty-six years, died at his home in Lowell Friday night after a short illness.

Funeral services were held at the home Monday conducted by Rev. Charles Nease, and the remains were taken to Smyrna for burial.

Deceased was born in Canada but spent nearly all his life in Michigan. He leaves his wife, two daughters, Mrs. McCabe of Detroit, and Miss Jennie Cooper, who lived with her parents, and two sisters, Mesdames Albert Greene and Alexander Spague of Saranac.

HOME NEWS.

Try an orange roll.

Smith, the baker.

Girl wanted. Inquire of Mrs. J. D. Kelley.

Men's \$1.75 shoes \$1.17 at Butts' big shoe sale.

Cost cuts no figure at Coon's clearing up sale.

Mrs. Hiler is recovering from an attack of malarial fever.

Mrs. Ed Taylor of Grand Rapids visited her mother here last week. \$6 75 for men's blue serge suits worth \$10 00 at Coon's clearing sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Loveland have returned from their western trip.

Mrs. H. M. Elliott and daughter of Shelby visited her aunt, Mrs. G. Avery, last week.

S. Compton of Shelby has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Avery, a few days this week.

Mrs. Margaret Robens, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Weldon Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Severy of Detroit have been spending a week with Lowell friends and relatives.

Dr. Towles's barn looks vastly improved with a coat of paint. New cement walk is next on docket.

Boys' black and white striped shirts, age 5 to 10 years old. Come and get them of W. S. Godfrey for 15c each.

Myrtle, 22-months-old daughter of William and Edith Morse, has been dangerously ill with cholera infantum.

Messrs. and Mesdames John Headworth and T. A. Murphy returned last week from a ten-days outing at Crystal lake.

Mrs. John Randall and son Frank and Mrs. Christ Gebrer and daughter Sophia went to Detroit Sunday to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young and little son Lester and Miss Ida Cogswell of Grand Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. Cogswell.

What will Godfrey do next? Come and get our bargains and keep close watch of Lowell's leading clothing and you will be pleased.

The school library will be closed for a short recess from Aug. 15 to Aug. 23, inclusive. All books now out must be returned before Saturday, Aug. 16.

We have

Something Special

to offer in



Lawn Hose
Lawn Mowers
Lawn Rakes
Ice Cream Freezers
Screen Doors
Screen Windows

In fact a full line of seasonable goods at right prices...

Scott & Cambell.

SACRIFICE SALE

OF Sewing Machines.

I have secured a large stock of elegant and durable drop top sewing machines under circumstances that enable me to sell them at prices which will make you think I stole the machines. I came by them honestly, however, though the story is too long to tell here. Seeing is believing. See the machines and you'll not be happy until you have one.



R. D. Stocking,

MUSIC AND SPORTING GOODS.

You may see...

Better Days

But not

Better Bargains

Than are to be found, at our store. Thin dress goods almost given away to close. Shirt Waists at your own price. We have a full line of Brainard & Armstrong's guaranteed Silks—splendid for waists and skirts.

Fall shipment just in.

J. B. NICHOLSON.

Lowell, Mich., July 24, 1902.

Orange roll—something new. Smith's bakery.

A genuine clearance sale at Godfrey's. Now is the time for bargains that are the greatest bargains ever offered in Lowell. What will Godfrey do next?

What is the date on the pink label on your LEDGER? If it is not at least as late as the date of this paper, you should renew your subscription. Some are lagging two or three years behind, while we have to hustle like "all get out" to pay our bills.

Every road in this vicinity could be largely improved by removing the loose stones. The only trouble about it is that it is cheap. A man and a boy and a team in one day can save a great deal of profanity and lots of wear and tear on horses and vehicles. Let it be done at once in every district.

It is the steady advertiser that gets the business. Constant pecking wears away the stone. A man can no more advertise enough in one month—no matter how extensively—to hold his trade and keep his business moving and stock fresh for a year, than he can eat enough in the same time to last a year. There is no theory about it, but just plain fact. Time has been when when a man could sit around on a box and grumble at his neighbors and wait for trade to come; but the man does it now is chasing rainbows and while he chases, the spiders are spinning webs over the good that don't move. Remember this: "A drop of printer's ink makes many thousand think."

Now's the time for bargains at Coon's clearing up sale.

The painting of the main building of the King Milling company has been completed, and the company is now figuring on an appropriate job of sign painting.

J. C. Train's horse, "J. C. T.," is entered for races at Grand Rapids, Iowa, Galesburg, Ill., Grand Rapids, Mich., and Baltimore, Md. At the Grand Rapids meeting in September a big delegation from Lowell will be in attendance.

The Lowell Specialty company has moved into its own building again, and is feeling very well, thank you. The new two-story building is 32x100 and well suited to the business. A carload of handles for a window and ceiling cleaner device was received this week.

LOWELL REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

Property of all kinds sold or exchanged on commission. No sale or exchange, no charge for services or advertising.

Prompt attention given to placing and collection of rents.

For price, location and conditions, as to following property, inquire of the undersigned.

Farm, 90 acres, new house, good barn, plenty of first class timber, 12 acres of peach and other fruit trees, all bearing. Fine, never failing spring.

Good house, A No. 1 barn, 3 acres of land in Lowell, sell or exchange.

J. S. HOOKER & CO.,
111 River St., West Side Lowell.

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Page and half page ads, \$3.00 and \$4.00 Business notices among local items 50 per line per issue. Those taking run of paper outside of local matter 3 cents per line.

Card in directory column \$1.00 per year. One inch \$3.00 per year. Cards of thanks 50c.

For Senator, Seventeenth District, AUGUST 7, WEEKEND of Lowell.

POOR OLD DAD.

You kin 'saw pick up a paper
An' 'is 'spoo' corner' 'sweat,
Ope, you'll see or critter soon
'Bout the mother, ain't she sweet,
But yet 'll have a time a-sourin'
—'Eyes will be cryin' later—
Ere ye'll overtake an' over-
Write about the pore ole dad!

No, it isn't 'wif'ill in 'em—
These what write mother dear—
That ther's never notice taken
Of her ole man sittin' near,
No, 'is never meant to slight him,
But his looks a little sad—
All the bouquets made for mother,
No, 'is bloom for pore ole dad!

Tris our mother watched above us
Till her dear ole eyes wid acha,
But ole dad, he bumped to feel us,
Till his back went nearly level,
Mother crossed above the cradle,
Gave devotion all his had;
Still, ther wasn't a cry from,
All this time for pore ole dad!

Do not take one line from mother
If it's a word for pore ole dad,
Now and then, it won't be wrong,
Four or five, 't will be all right,
An' I know ther's not a girl
If, while you are praisin' mother,
Somes'ed to say for pore old dad,
—Chicago Commercial Tribune

BILLY McKnight for attorney general is all right. If elected, he will honor the office and be a credit to Kent county and Michigan.

STATE and national action must be taken before the good roads problem is solved. Fortunately, evidences multiply that such events are not far distant.

MADISON'S rule for use of stone in roads is, use none that weigh more than six ounces, none that will not pass through a two-inch ring. Another is: don't put onto a road a stone you cannot put into your pocket. Those who use stone crushers will do well to bear this in mind.

It is now required to build cemeteries five feet wide, our people are subjected to a needless expense. Greenville's residence street walks are but four feet wide; and they are wide enough. Room enough for two to walk abreast is all that is required.

The people of Michigan have now an opportunity to rebuke bores, levies, lossiness and ignorance in public office. If they do not improve it, they will not deserve an end. The Democratic State convention did its work well, nominating a clean and able ticket from top to bottom. Judge Durand of Flint, nominated for governor in pursuance of his most earnest protest, as school teacher, lawyer, alderman, mayor, congressman, Supreme court judge and special attorney in the West for the United States government, is a man above reproach.

William F. McKnight of our own county for attorney general, needs no introduction to our readers; and hardly does Prof. Ferris of Big Lake.

DO YOU WANT HELP?
If so, try a "Want" Ad in **The Detroit Evening News** and **Morning Tribune**.

It is a word
Dash with Order!
Try it, you will become a regular user of it. "Want" ads whenever a word remains un-remembered will be found in the Detroit Evening News and Morning Tribune. They are in every town and village in Michigan.

THE EVENING NEWS ASSN.
Detroit, Mich.
Do You Get the News-Tribune?
Michigan's greatest Sunday news paper. It is a weekly journal of national circulation with the latest news and the latest news. It is a weekly journal of national circulation with the latest news and the latest news.

for unloading to the Cutter and Milling companies. After all, it is the people's property and they have a right to decide as to its disposal. Under the opinion of Attorney General, we believe President Van-Dyke acts within his rights in refusing to convey the property without vote of the people.

"Don't finish a stone or gravel road with clay, unless you want to spoil it."—Road expert at Greenville.

THROUGH the lack of respect from the Baptist and Congregational churches an undue amount of outside work has fallen upon Rev. Chas. Nease of the Methodist church. Six funerals in nine days up to Monday, besides his regular work, has long been our wish. Thus, we will spoil the monopoly of the favored contractor, improve the condition of our laboring men and their families, and at the same time, utilize our state's prisoners in advancing a greatly needed work, for the benefit of the whole people. Senator Earle is in favor of this reform; and if THE LEDGER "whoops it up" for Senator Weekes, we are going to expect him to favor it, too.

Our stone crusher is all right. We made our mistake in trying to use it without a screen, which with bins would have cost us but \$350 additional. Then, we would have graded our crushed stone, using the coarse stuff at the bottom and finishing with stuff as fine as marble or china's chippings. As it was, we used stones many times too large and dumped coarse and fine in one heap. The fine stuff went to the bottom, and we have a "rocky road to Jericho." But, because through mistaken economy we have made a mistake in using stone that weighs more than six ounces, we will use graded crushed stone, using the coarse stuff at the bottom and finishing with stuff as fine as marble or china's chippings. As it was, we used stones many times too large and dumped coarse and fine in one heap. The fine stuff went to the bottom, and we have a "rocky road to Jericho." But, because through mistaken economy we have made a mistake in using stone that weighs more than six ounces, we will use graded crushed stone, using the coarse stuff at the bottom and finishing with stuff as fine as marble or china's chippings.

McCords.
Louise Hinings, who has been stopping at Lowell for a few weeks, is now visiting her parents.
Winifred Fern of South Lowell called on Mrs. John Ellis Sunday.
Sylvester Graves of Preepost is visiting friends here.
Henry Patton visited his sister, Mrs. J. T. Epley of Grand Rapids, Sunday.
Mrs. F. A. Wood visited Mrs. Will Lawrence of Grand Rapids a few days last week.

One of the most pleasing events of the week occurred Friday evening, when relatives of Wm. Patton assembled at his home to celebrate his fifty-third birthday. The party was very enjoyable and was well attended. Mr. Patton rendered some fine piano selections. Among the many presents that were bestowed upon them were two beautiful head rests presented by Mr. Patton's mother, Mrs. C. G. Patton. The clearing of the group taken by Jay Ellis. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Patton of East Port, Mich., Mrs. Will Kennedy and daughters Ida and Margarette Mrs. Wm. Early and daughter Mary of Cassida, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Walter Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baldwin of Greenville.

His Sight Threatened.
"While plucking last month my 11-year old boy was poisoned by some weed taken from his dog's den. He was taken to City, Ia. He rubbed the poison off his hands into his eyes and for a while we were told he would lose his sight. Finally a neighbor recommended DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The first application helped him and in a few days his eyes were all over." For skin diseases, cuts, burns, scalds, wounds, insect bites DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is sure cure. Beware of counterfeit.
L. H. Taft & Co.

Swymers.
The remains of Solomon Cooper, were brought here Monday from Lowell for interment.
Mrs. Will Booth and three children of Grand Rapids were the guests of her uncle, John Purdy and family a part of last week.
Miss Jennie Andrews of East Port visited her cousin, Miss Winnie Purdy, a few days this week.

It is wasn't popular, it isn't won't loved by the people why do dealers say? "We have something just good as the Madison Cream Co's Rocky Mountain Tea? Think it over. 35 cents. D. G. Look.

Gratin-Vergennes.
The ball game at Alton Sunday between Grand Rapids and Gratin resulted in a score of 3 to 0 in favor of Gratin.
The dance at Mason's Aug. 1 was largely attended, 145 numbers being held.
Miss Alice King of Chicago is visiting relatives in Gratin.
Mrs. Mae Bricker of Gratin entertained company from Moley Sunday evening.
Kittie Byrne went to Belling last week Tuesday.
Grove hallings spent a couple of days last week with her friend, Mrs. Howler.
Guy Purdy is home from Remus for a visit.
Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Francisco of Lowell spent Friday night with her daughter, Mrs. Ella Jakeway.
Ross Kropf of Lowell spent Sunday at Alton.
Dick Quillin and wife visited friends at Belling last week.

Makes the fire of life burn with a steady glow. Renewes the golden, happy days of youth. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. D. G. Look.

Koeco.
Mrs. William Campbell entertains a party of young ladies Friday afternoon in honor of her niece, Miss Margarette Smyer, of Loula.
Mrs. and Mrs. G. Frost of Lowell visited at Orion Week's end.

Miss Rhoda Dickson spent a few days at Alton.
Mrs. B. F. Wilkinson has gone back to M. Chalmers.
Lida Dickson's party is spending a few days with the Howlers, Rocky Dickses.

LOSING FLESH

In summer can be prevented from becoming fat and getting into winter. If you are weak or run down, it will build you up.

Scott's Emulsion is the most successful in restoring the body to its normal condition. It is made of pure cod liver oil, which is the best food for the body.

Rapids, as nominee for superintendent of public instruction. National issues have no bearing on this State campaign. Here is an opportunity that has long been coming. It is up to the people.

All Were Saved.

"For years I suffered untold misery from bronchitis" writes J. H. Johnson, of Broughton, Ga., "that often was unable to work. Then when everything else failed, I was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. My wife suffered intensely from Asthma, till it cured her, and all our expenses go to show it is the best Great Western medicine in the world." A trial will convince you it's unrivaled for Croup and Lung disease. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free. D. G. Look's.

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Straw Hats at Your Own Price

It's a clearing and closing out of a season's stock to make room for goods for the coming season. Now is the time for Bargains.

A. L. COONS.

None but the BEST and PUREST materials used.
None but the BEST GOODS made.
None but the BEST BOLD. Your money back if you want it.

Smith's Bakery
AND LUNCH ROOM.

Send One of the Children
You needn't be afraid that you will impose upon a youngster. We want your confidence in our grocery line, and, anyway, the man who will cheat a child is meaner than a pickpocket.

Our Grocery Business
is an experiment and every article or line of goods in the store has some manufacturer's reputation behind it. If the groceries you want this is the store you are looking for.

McCarty & Co.
Not to be taken for granted. Things keep moving right along at our laundry. Dis-grow every week and we are hustling to give it proper attention.
Are you on our list?
If not, why not?

Coming Our Way..

GEN LAUNDRY

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Absolute Clearing Up Sale!

Everything goes. General clearing out of Summer Clothing, Straw Hats, Caps, Shirts, Plain and Fancy Hose, Underwear, Jackets, Sweaters, Men's Pants and Boys' Clothing of all kinds. Twice a year we hold a Clearing Sale, presenting remarkable offerings in Men's and Boys' wearables. This time we shall surprise even those men who know us best with values never matched before in exactly the goods needed now.

One lot Men's Suits all wool in brown and light mixtures. Regular price 10.00 all the season. Clearing up price **6.25**

Men's Blue Serge Suits all wool fast color. Former's satin linings. Good value at 10.00. Clearing up price **6.75**

Men's Black Worsteds and Fancy Cassimere Suits worth 12.00 and 13.50. Elegant patterns. Clearing up price **8.75**

Men's hot weather suits, coat and pants of light weight flannel 6.00 and 7.50 values. Clearing up prices **4.75-5.75**

Men's 2.00 Trousers at 1.60
Men's Suits (lung pants) ages 15 to 19. All wool goods in light and medium shades. Reg. prices 5.00 to 6.00 and 10.00. Clearing price **3.50**

Men's Knee Pant Suits at 1.50
Don't miss one of these. They're great values for 1.50. Clearing up prices **1.00**

Men's 4.00 Knee Pant Suits 3.75
Men's Trousers, all wool flannels Good values, will wear and retain their shape well. Regular **2.10** Clearing up price **1.40**

1/2 off on all Boys' Suits.
Boys' 3.00 all wool Serge Suits, Pants one half lined, fast colors. Clearing up price **2.10**

Men's Neglige Shirts two collar and two cuffs, regular 50c. Clearing up price **43c**

Boys' fancy worsted Sweaters at 40c and 75c.
Check Jackets 25c, 35c, 45c and 43c.
Wool Shirts 25c, 29c, 35c and 43c.
Wool Waist Suits 35c.

Re Ready
It's letting disease fasten itself that kills.

Every home ought to contain a line of every-day emergency remedies such as Paregoric, Camphor, Essence Jamaica Ginger, Peppermint, Ammonia, Arnica, etc. They may be needed any hour of the day or night and when needed will be badly needed. An outfit of these remedies will cost but little if you buy them here. Having them on hand is pretty sure to save suffering and may save life.

Summer is the season for sudden ills. Prepare for them.

LOOK'S
Drug and Book Store.

Notice to Tax payers.
Village taxes are now due and payable at my store.
Clyde Collar, Village Treasurer.

Shatters All Records.
Twice in hospital, F. A. Gullledge, Verbera, Ala., paid a vast sum to doctors to cure a severe case of piles, causing 24 tumors. When all failed, Buckner's Arnica Salve soon cured him. Subsequent inflammation, causing 12,000 liper varix. Cheap for sale or will exchange for farm property. Inquire at this office.

Pine Residence for Sale.
Beautiful location three blocks of Central school. 8 rooms, cellar, electric, city water, lawn, etc. in good repair. 2 lots nicely graded. 12,000 liper varix. Cheap for sale or will exchange for farm property. Inquire at this office.

Don't neglect a cold. It is worse than unpleasant. It is dangerous. By using One Minute Cough Cure you can cure it in five minutes. Always inflammation, clear the head, soothe and strengthen the mucous membranes. Cough, croup, croup, throat and lung troubles. Sold everywhere. Ask for it.

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CLEARING THEM OUT!

Our stock of Wash Goods, Dimities, Lawns, etc. Just when the hot weather makes them indispensable, we slash off the price and put the finest at your service at the usual cost of common kinds.

We want to clear out these Summer Goods. It will pay you to take them away.

South Lowell.
Charles O'Harrow and wife are the proud parents of a baby girl born July 28.

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To The Public.
Having purchased the Grocery business of PRICE & M'KEE, the undersigned desires to thank the public for the very liberal patronage given the old firm and to solicit a continuance of the same at the new management. We shall keep, at all times, a strictly

Up-to-Date Stock of Groceries, and shall endeavor to merit the approval of the grocery consuming public. Yours truly, **G. W. M'KEE.**

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Smith's Bakery
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Send One of the Children
You needn't be afraid that you will impose upon a youngster. We want your confidence in our grocery line, and, anyway, the man who will cheat a child is meaner than a pickpocket.

Our Grocery Business
is an experiment and every article or line of goods in the store has some manufacturer's reputation behind it. If the groceries you want this is the store you are looking for.

McCarty & Co.
Not to be taken for granted. Things keep moving right along at our laundry. Dis-grow every week and we are hustling to give it proper attention.
Are you on our list?
If not, why not?

Coming Our Way..

Totley in the reconstruction of Hamlet's father's ghost. He will not down. The friends of the Egyptian spirit will be much mortified to learn that he is deceiving. Many people would settle the New Jersey mosquito problem by moving out of the state.

The national amateur golf champion is only twenty years of age, but he hopes to outgrow it.

A stogie trap has been formed at Pittsburgh. Some people will regard this as a burning shame.

A Pittsburg man killed himself Tuesday when he got back to China. The amount she took with her is not stated.

Mr. Wu is to have honors bestowed on him when he gets back to China. Every-body hopes they will not hurt.

Few people are dying from appendicitis this season. Some people praise for establishing a fine precedent.

May Yoho hereafter will hardly trust the key to her safety-deposit box to young men who swear under affection.

Count Matsubata, a Japanese ambassador, predicts a panic in the United States. Has the count been dabbling in oil stocks?

We do not know exactly what a Swiss "seche" is, but it is evidently a proper thing for all well regulated summer resorts.

Spain will station a diplomatic representative at Havana, but it will be done before he will become the dean of the corps.

San Francisco has one saloon for every twenty-two adult male inhabitants. In some respects, however, it isn't such a bad town.

The Rev. John N. Mills classifies many of our modern sermons as low fever. This is unjust, for the fever is not always fatal.

A machine that will lay bricks as fast as six or seven men has been invented, but we shall still continue to get our eggs in the same old holey way.

Great Britain did the best she could in arranging a coronation display, but America quite took the shine out of it with a Vanderbilt wedding.

Perry would be cheered up if he could be reached by telegraph. The Windward has started for the North Pole and the relief ship bears a pine upon outfit.

New Jersey boy who was re-quituated after being under the water half an hour will be a good man to experiment with our submarine boats when he grows up.

A Rhode Island man claims to have been cured of rheumatism by a stroke of lightning. An analysis of the case probably will show that the rheumatism was scared out of him.

According to a pathetic article on the requirements of school teachers which was recently printed in an educational journal, they have to know pretty near as much as a country idiot.

Minister Wu Ting Fang is going to write a book on the United States, but it is difficult to see where he is going to find any new material since he has already practically exhausted the subject.

It may serve a good purpose to remind the public that deaths resulting from the use of the harmless fire-cracker on our last national anniversary are still being reported to the coroner.

When the Duke of Marlborough goes to assume his duties of vicar a large percentage of the people of Ireland will see their first opportunity to see a chaffing dish and a spider platoon.

Dr. Lyons has been barred out of South Africa. In view of the fact that he has money enough to live like a prince in Europe some people probably will refuse to regard his banishment as a hardship.

The saying is that "every man has his fool hour at some time in his career." It would seem as if a good many spend it at Newport. Strange things occur down in that metropolis of fashion and folly.

A Chicago man who was worth \$200,000 a year ago has assured the tax reviewers that he hasn't a cent. This shows that when a man is lucky enough to get hold of \$200,000 he should take it away somewhere and bury it.

The manager of a New York aquarium has discovered that fishes really think. If he could interview some that come within range of the summer resort another group of fishes on the foot with the fancy red and red would be worth chronicling.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

Democrat of Flint, for Governor on ticket of John F. Durand, elected by the Democratic state convention late Thursday afternoon, after one of its most interesting contests that has been seen in a Democratic gathering in this state for a number of years.

A great deal of bitterness was developed in the speeches of the morning session, the Durand men hissing intimations against Durand's Democracy, but after the fourth ballot had been cast and the light was over the scrap seemed to be forgotten. The complete ticket named is as follows:

For Governor—George H. Durand, of Flint.

For Lieutenant-Governor—John F. Biber, of Ionia.

For Secretary of State—John Donovan, of Bay City.

For State Treasurer—W. F. Davidson, of Port Huron.

For Auditor-General—David A. Hammond, of An Arbor.

For Land Commissioner—Arthur F. Watson, of Cheboygan.

For Attorney-General—W. F. McKnight, of Grand Rapids.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction—W. N. Ferris, of Big Rapids.

For Member of Board of Education—Charles F. Field, of Hastings.

For Justice of Supreme Court—Benjamin J. Brown, of Macomb.

Following is the platform adopted: We, the representatives of the Democratic Party of Michigan, believe that the people of this state are entitled to the best government that can be had, and we pledge the Democratic party to the people.

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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Thomson Jackson & Co., of Salsbury, who manufacture doors for the export trade, ship most of their output to England.

The remains of the Eleventh Michigan on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 28 and 29.

Police and a score of more of the remaining miners were shot in a riot which broke out at Sheehan's, Pa. Wednesday night when a deputy attempted to escort two non-union miners through the strikers' line of pickets.

James Russell, editor of the Mining Journal, is said to be slated to succeed George Freeman as warden of Marquette prison.

An extremely valuable quarry of limestone, owned by Bedford Building, has been discovered on land owned by ex-Lieutenant-Governor Buttner, near Charlevoix.

As a result of a series of rioting in the town of Sheehan, Pa., which was caused by the rioting in the town of Sheehan, Pa., which was caused by the rioting in the town of Sheehan, Pa.

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A large posse of Iron Mountain men is hunting through the woods for the tramp murderers of Conductor Young and his crew.

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BEGINNING THIS WEEK Great Reduction on Wash Goods A. W. WEEKES.

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LOWELL, MICH.

Organized under the general Banking Law of this state.
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E. L. Bennett F. J. Loyer

HOME NEWS.

Big shoe sale now on. D. F. Butts.

FOR SALE—Furniture at H. W. Hakes'.

Miss Irene Stone visited in Detroit Sunday.

Sherman Avery spent part of last week at Manistee.

S. O. Littlefield and wife visited at Saranac Sunday.

Ladies' \$3.00 shoes \$2.48 at Butts big shoe sale.

Miss Florence Behl visited in Grand Rapids this week.

Mrs. Alida Peck of Newago is visiting Mrs. B. J. Peck.

It will pay you to see H. W. Hakes before buying furniture.

Butts' big shoe sale lasts all this month. Call and get his prices.

Miss Ella Ford is spending a week with her parents at Logan.

Miss Zella Wood, of Grand Rapids, visited over Sunday at Eugene Lee's.

See those tan shoes Butts is selling, \$3.00 and \$3.50 values now \$1.48.

Will Morse has left the Journal office and is working at the Cutter factory.

Will Price has secured a position as clerk in a dry goods store at Ithaca.

Mrs. C. Klump and Mrs. Eugene Lee were in the Valley City one day last week.

Mrs. Hattie Tredonick and son Frank returned home this week from Chicago.

J. C. Wardwell, of Lake View, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Eugene Lee.

J. E. Culver, of Grand Rapids, visited his brother, A. E. Culver, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Wadsworth are spending a week with friends in Akron, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Robare (nee Ina Wingle) have returned to their home at Oklahoma City.

H. W. Hakes was one of the 92 members in the U. S. Embalming school, at Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Barret and children, Ruth and James of Knoxville, Ill., are visiting Lowell relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Althen left last Thursday for a ten days trip to Niagara, Buffalo and Rochester.

Born, near Modesto, Cal., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Remington. This makes a great, great grandmother of Mrs. B. J. Peck, who will leave soon to see the little one and have a picture taken of the five generations.

Come to Godfrey's big department store for bargains in men and boy's clothing, furnishings and shoes. He has an object in view. Bring along a little cash and see what you can buy at Godfrey's. No goods changed during this sale.

Buy shoes of Butts and save money.

Gore front Oxfords \$1.17. D. F. Butts.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hubbel, July 29, a son.

Kitchen cabinets from \$5.00 to \$11.00 at H. W. Hakes'.

Born, to Chas. O'Harrow and wife, July 29, a daughter.

A light pocketbook will do heavy work at Butts' big shoe sale.

Mrs. G. G. Towsley spent part of this week at Macatawa park.

Godfrey leads in new goods at lowest prices. No old stuff here.

Miss Lizzie Rowland visited in Grand Rapids the first of the week.

\$5.00 for boy's suits worth \$9.00 and \$10.00 at Coon's clearing sale.

The largest line and newest styles of picture mouldings at H. W. Hakes'.

Merritt L. Wright left for South Dakota Sunday, with a view of locating.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lee visited in Belding last Friday with their son, Glenn.

Godfrey's goods are new ones and with the low prices makes them the greatest bargains ever offered in Lowell.

Robt. S. Newton, a Mechanical student of Lansing Agricultural college, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. M. M. Perry.

Mrs. Peter Morse of Grand Rapids and Frank Streeter of M-Cords spent Saturday with Mrs. Mrs. Benj. Morse.

C. S. Davis, an old Lowell boy—son of "Vet"—spent Sunday with the family of Charles McCarty. He is on the staff of the Detroit To-Day.

The Grand Trunk railway will run excursions to Grand Rapids next Sunday. Fare for the round trip 50c. For full particulars see agents. aug7oct1

Mrs. W. A. Brethour and little son, Lewis, of Brantford, Ontario, are visiting her brother, C. O. Lawrence, and sisters, Mrs. Julia Stone and Miss Libbie Lawrence.

I have an object in view and to attain that object I will sell clothing so cheap that it will make you smile. Come and get it of the wide awake clothier, Godfrey.

The following took advantage of the excursion to Grand Ledge last Thursday, H. J. and Miss C. R. Bosworth, Mesdames Matthew and Willard Hunter and Mrs. Orton Hill.

What will Godfrey do next? This is no josh. If you are prepared with cash to buy bargains in clothing, furnishings and shoes don't delay but come to W. S. Godfrey's, the clothier who never disappoints.

Paul, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hutchinson, died Thursday of spinal meningitis. Funeral services were held at the house Saturday morning conducted by Rev. Charles Nease. Remains were taken to Clarksville for burial.

Ellis Faulkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Faulkner of Lowell, who has been in the employ of a Hastings drug firm for several years, has purchased a drug business at Delton, taking possession July 1. Ellis is a graduate of the Lowell High school, and took his first lessons in pharmacy of W. S. Winger. He merits his success.

We are buying live poultry and pay the following prices delivered at our store on Wednesdays only: No. 1 hens, 7c per lb., spring chickens weighing 1 1/2 lb or over 10c per lb., old roosters 2 1/2c per lb., ducks and geese 6c per lb., old tom turkeys 6 1/2c per lb., old hen turkeys 8c per lb. John Giles & Co.

The IAS. BOSS 31122 Gold Watch Case

meets the desires of those who yearn for a Gold Case for its beauty, but are deterred by its price. The BOSS Case is guaranteed to retain its all-gold appearance for 25 years, is stronger than an all-gold case, and costs much less. We can show you all sizes, in all styles. Elgin, Waltham or Ham ton movement



Williams THE JEWELER.

\$6.25 for mens suits worth \$10.00 at Coon's clearing sale.

Butts' big shoe sale can save you dollars on footwear.

The best bread you ever tasted—Franklin bread. Smith's bakery.

Miss Bessie Ball of Mason is visiting her grandfather, H. W. Avery.

All diseases start in the bowels. Keep them open or you will be sick. Cascarets act like nature. Keep liver and bowels active without a sickening griping feeling. Six million people take and recommend Cascarets. Try a 10c box. All druggists

Cassonsburg.

Mrs. E. Tuxberry and daughter Myrtle, of Coopersville, were guests of Charles Tuxberry and wife last week.

Mrs. Reims and two daughters of Pontiac made her brother, Charley Roberts, a visit.

Mr. Mericle of Owosso was here on business last week.

Erna Road took a trip to Big Rapids and made his brother a visit.

Wm. Mill and daughter Ruth were in Grand Rapids last Saturday.

James Booky attended the Democratic convention at Grand Rapids Saturday. Mrs. Booky accompanied him and with friends spent the afternoon at John Ball park.

Cascade.

Callers and visitors at the home of your scribe the past few days were: Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ford of Alton, Mrs. Bernard Hesch and daughter, Mrs. Emerson Clark, of West Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Elmer of Ann Arbor, Miss Bessie Gregory and Mrs. Clinton Snow of East Cascade, Miss Bush of Steel's corner and Mrs. C. Denison of Ada.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Harris visited their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Lillaway (nee Nellie Lockwood) and husband at Ovid.

Miss Mary Thompson has returned to Laport after a vacation with her mother, Mrs. F. M. Thompson.

Clare, son of H. H. Cogger, is in poor health.

Mable Bush of Steel's corner enjoyed a week's visit with her friend, Bessie Gregory of East Cascade. Accompanied by the latter's friend, Mr. Whelan of Lowell, they attended evening church service here.

O. H. Lane has sold his farm to A. A. Lane, consideration \$325. Mr. and Mrs. Lane and daughters have gone to Bath, New York, where they will make their future home.

The many friends of Mrs. S. P. Quiggle are sorry to hear that she is in poor health.

Every article of footwear at greatly reduced prices during our sale. D. F. Butts.

Cassonsburg.

(Last week's letter.)

Miss Thompson, an educationist of Albion college, gave an entertainment at the M. E. church Wednesday evening to a very appreciative audience.

Mr. Waterman and wife of Cascade were guests of Jesse E. Armstrong and wife Sunday.

James Thomas and family made his mother, Mrs. J. L. Thomas a visit Saturday night, returning home Sunday.

Simon Herrington will visit in Alton for a few days.

Walter and Fred Murray now ride in a fine new carriage, which they purchased this week.

THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT

Thursday, (to-day) Aug 7 1902.

GRAIN.

Wheat new—78c per bushel.
Wheat old—80c per bushel.
Oats—45c per bushel. Oats new 30c-32c
Corn—65c per bushel.
Rye—45c per bushel.

MEATS.

Corn and Oats—\$300.00 per ton.
Brum—\$300.00 per ton.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS.

Potatoes—35c-40c per bushel.

PRODUCE.

Butter—14c per pound.
Eggs—14c per dozen.
Lard—14c per pound.

Clover seed—\$4.00 @ \$5.00 per bushel.
Beans—\$1.20 and \$1.35 per bushel.
Corn meal—\$28.00 per ton.
Midlings—\$24.00 per ton.

SEEDS.

Beef, live weight—\$3.50 @ \$3.60 per cwt.
Beef, dressed—\$6.00 @ \$7.50 per cwt.
Veal dressed—\$6.50 @ 7.00 per cwt.
Sheep, live weight—\$2.50 @ 3.00 per cwt.
Lambie live weight—\$3.50 @ 3.75 per cwt.
Pork alive—\$5.50 @ 6.00 per cwt.
Pork dressed—\$7.00 @ \$8.50 per cwt.

Medallions

We have a choice lot of Medallions bought out of season to sell at **Out of Season Prices**. They are worth as much again as we ask for them and every one is bargain. We have them

2x2 inches for 98c

and smaller ones on down to 19 cents. Think of it. It's the chance of a lifetime. Don't miss it.

See our No and 25c Counter.

We have bargains on this counter that you never before heard of. Come and see it and you'll buy.

Collar's Bazaar.

FOR RENT—The Spraker house. Enquire of Mrs J. D. Kelley.

POST!

I will deliver the live school edition of the Evening Post any part of the town, at Six Cents per Week or twenty-five cents per month. Call Phone 471. Willie L. Davidson. Citizen Phone 68

Apples Wanted.

We are ready to buy Apples for evaporating and to make cider. Bring on your fruit. KELLOGG'S EVAPORATOR. West Side, Lowell.

Big Clothing Furnishing and Shoe Sale!

Commencing Aug. 9 and will Continue to Sept. 9

To make room for Fall and Winter Goods. Come and buy light weight goods cheaper than you ever thought of. We have a big store but not big enough to carry goods over from one season to the next. They must go at some price.



Men's 15.00 Suits for 9.50
Men's 12.00 Suits for 7.50
Men's 10.00 Suits for 6.00
Men's 8.50 Suits for 5.50
Men's 7.50 Suits for 4.75
Men's 6.00 Suits for 4.25

Boys' 10.00 Suits for 6.00
Boys' 7.50 Suits for 5.00
Boys' 5.00 Suits for 3.50

10 DOZ. STRAW HATS AT YOUR OWN PRICE.

Come and get them.



Come to the Big Department Store for Bargains in Men's and Boys' Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes.

The largest assortment of **UMBRELLAS** in Lowell. See what we offer for 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50 and 2.00

Trunks, Telescopes and Suit Cases


Best assortment. Lowest prices.



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