

# THE LOWELL LEDGER.

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FIVE CENTS.

## THE CITY BANK

LOWELL, MICHIGAN.

Holders of our Savings Pass Books are saved both time and trouble. They need not watch their deposits for fear the interest may stop; nor are they obliged to come to the bank to keep their interest alive. We never wait for customers to bring in their pass books, but regularly in December and June we credit on our books all interest then due so that it shall be ready for depositors whenever they call for it. When interest is not called for we add same to principal and together both bear interest at the customary rate of three per cent.

## LIVED 90 YEARS.

### SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. KATHERINE GATES

At that Advanced Age. Had Lived in Lowell 10 Years.

Mrs. Catherine Gates died Monday morning at the residence of her grand-son, Eugene Carr. Services were held Tuesday at the house, conducted by Rev. S. T. Morris, and she was taken for burial to Theresa, N. Y.

Mrs. Gates' maiden name was Smith. She was born Aug. 19, 1812, at Theresa, N. Y., and married Napoleon B. Gates March 5, 1835. Three children were born to them, Mrs. Washington Carr, who died in Lowell, 1898, and two who have been deceased several years. She lived Iowa a few years and came to Lowell in 1892, living at the home of her daughter since. She has been in failing health for a long time but her death was very sudden.

### Mrs. Edmund Green.

Sarah A., whose maiden name was Sarah A. Wiles, was born near Bedford, England, February 14, 1828. She was married to Edward Green May 25, 1850 and came to America in 1852, settling at Lockport, Ill. In the fall of 1855 they removed to Hamilton, Ont., then Canada West; they remained in the Dominion till 1861, then returned to Illinois. In 1867 they came to Michigan and in 1873 settled in the West Lowell district, where the family has since resided.

To this union nine children were born, of whom four, one daughter and three sons are now living. Mrs. Green was a Christian woman, a faithful wife and loving mother, and will be greatly missed by a large circle of relatives and friends. She passed to her reward on the evening of November 1, after a brief illness of three days, aged 74 years, 8 months and 17 days. Funeral services were held at the Snow M. E. church, conducted by Rev. F. J. Priest, assisted by Revs. D. B. Travis and H. Coles. The burial was at the Snow cemetery.—(Com.)

### Card of Thanks.

To the friends and neighbors who assisted and offered their assistance during the illness, death and burial of our beloved wife and mother and also to those who furnished the beautiful music, we give our heartfelt thanks. May God bless you for the kind, loving sympathy so freely given.

Edward Green  
Charles H. Green  
James E. Green  
Ellen Goodell  
Arthur Green.

Mrs. Arthur Husted entertained twelve lady friends at her home, Monday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Marks Ruben's birthday anniversary. Mesdames John Ackerson of Middleville and Seeley of Grand Rapids were present. The guests were entertained with Pedro, Mrs. Seeley winning the prize. Light refreshments were served and the ladies presented Mrs. Ruben with a pretty salad dish.

While playing foot ball on the school ground yesterday, Jamie Johnson had his collar bone broken. All the teachers and school board have to do is to continue to encourage this brutal sport, and they will have some boy's death to answer for. Why not try bull fighting for a change? It is time for parents to assert their rights in this matter. If they fail to do so, on their own heads be the consequences. etc.

Corydon Barber has retired from Ovid, where he was called by the accident of his son, George Dun's and Bradstreet's ports the latter "it to an exact science!" and an ass.

### All Is Vanity.

Mrs. Dorcas—Why is Mrs. Gadsby so glad she hasn't any children?  
Dorcas—It gives her time to attend those mothers' meetings.—Judge.

## E. L. LECTURE COURSE

### OPENS NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING

With the Hawthorne Musical Club of Boston.

Now is the time to purchase your tickets for the Course of Entertainments and Lectures to be given this year under the auspices of the Epworth League. You will miss it if you do not buy a course ticket for there is not a cheap number in the course.

The Hawthorne Musical Club of Boston will appear first, Nov. 19, 1902, next week on Wednesday evening. They play a large number of musical instruments. This is what is said of them, "An entertainment of excellent character. Every member of the company is an artist." "The selections were brim full of wit and humor and the reward was constant and hearty applause." "From start to finish the audience was entertained in a most delightful manner." Until the end the audience sat delighted and entranced.

We are sure that the George H. Iott Company will be pronounced well worth the price of the Course ticket to each one who hears them. Each of the four persons could furnish an evening's entertainment that would delight any lover of music or art. Mr. Iott with his solos, Miss Agnes Pringle with her violin, Miss Charlotte Seleck Tarrant with her harp, or Mr. J. Franklin Caveny with his chalk talk, could delight an audience for an hour, but when all join to make up an evening's entertainment it becomes the most "popular high class musical organization ever presented to the Lyceums."

The Wesleyan Male Quartette, "In all respects the best male quartette obtainable," will also be worth both time and money to hear. A few of the warm words of praise which these young men have are,—"The four young men all have melodious voices, and they blend together marvelously." "They caught the audience at the first and held it to the last." "The Wesleyan Quartette were so far beyond what we expected and anything we ever had before, that the people say the other numbers cannot possibly be as good." Everyone is enthusiastic in praise of the entertainment.

The Lectures promise to be as good in their line as the musicals.

Leonard Garver, of whom one says, "I am sure that no thoughtful young man can listen to these lectures without receiving a new impulse to live the best that is in him," will be one of the lecturers. Another says of him, "He spoke with rare eloquence, rising at times to flights that were sublime, and with the ease and grace of a true orator."

Congressman, Charles B. Landis, whom many of our people have heard and are eager to hear again, is dated for January 7, 1903. His reputation is so great that it is not necessary to say more.

Col. H. W. J. Ham, the Southern Orator of whom it is said that, "No possible description can do justice to the man or his lecture. For nearly two hours the audience was in an uproar of wild delight. His lofty sentiment was like the calm of the deep blue sea. From start to finish he was every moment irresistible," will be the last in the course, but we expect all to be pleased with him.

If you have not yet secured a course ticket do so and you will not regret it.

### Marriage Licenses.

William Troy, 28, Cascade; Eliza Eardley, 25, Caledonia.

Irving Schooley, 29, Caledonia; Jennie Martin, 23, Caledonia.

Edgar P. Pender, 41, Baird, Texas; Lillian Leitch, 26, Lowell.

Ray C. O. K. 21, Cascade; Alice M. Armstrong, 20, Walker township.

### For Sale or Exchange.

A \$15 Round Oak heating stove, not injured in the lease, for sale at \$5, a \$15 rotary motion cutting box at \$5, also a road cart. Will exchange for hay, straw or wood.  
S. O. LITTLEFIELD.

## THE HOT BLAST

### AIR TIGHT FLORENCE

The Zenith of Stove Perfection.

The only jointless leg bottom and base with full radiation and large ash pan, that has ever been made in the history of the stove industry. The jointless leg bottom and base makes the stove air-tight below the grate, which is the only true fire-keeping principle.

The Hot Blast Air-tight Florence will heat twice the space that is heated by any other stove on earth, at one half the cost.

The only perfect floor heater that has ever been made. All features are patented, and remember no stove manufacturer can copy same for eighteen years from date of patent.



The Hot Blast Air-tight Florence burns soft coal or slack and all the smoke and gases. No filling up of the stove pipe or flue with soot. No dirt inside outside the house. It will burn hard coal and all the gases which escape from the hard coal base burner. It will burn coke just the same as hard or soft coal. It will burn wood or saw dust wet or dry. It will produce less than half the ashes than any other stove on earth, with any kind of fuel.

Scott & Cambell's

## Watches.

I want your Watch trade and have an elegant stock of Solid and Gold Filled Cases of James Boss and other standard makes, with nearly all the best grades of movements to select from. Prices the very lowest possible and every watch guaranteed.

R. D. Stocking.

## DO YOU KNOW?

That BALL BAND RUBBERS are the best wearing rubbers in the world to day? Of course all SHOE men won't tell you so, because only one firm in each town is allowed to sell them. We have hundreds of satisfied customers who think as we do about them. If you are dissatisfied with the wear of any of the other brands, try BALL BAND this year. We also have BOSTONS and LAMBERTVILLE if you want them.

BALL BAND RUBBERS are the only RUBBERS made with seamless backs. No breaking or cracking behind? Every BALL BAND RUBBER is made up in such a manner that it is impossible for snow to enter.

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ALL KNIT is the only KNIT BOOT that is ALL KNIT. All others are either FELT inside or in the middle, and the only KNIT BOOT that is absolutely snow proof.

You will find that there are still GOOD RUBBERS made, if you

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with its smoke and soot consuming device makes it as far superior to all other so-called smoke consumers as the original Round Oak wood stove was superior to all other round oak wood stoves. By having a heavy inside cast pot inside of the outer pot will last four times as long and the outside pot will not turn red but will retain its original black finish and beauty. See the name on the leg to be sure you get the genuine one that will burn hard coal, soft coal and wood.

Sold only by

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.

Watchcases have Boss 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.

## Baltimore Oysters

in bulk, the finest corned

Beef and Pork also Veal Mutton Fish Poultry...

is in... shell... care... pound... when... pound... equivalent... A bushel... fixed... New York... some localities 60 pounds.

& Co's.

R. J. Green's Black-Draught is the best medicine on earth. It is good for any and everything. I have a family of twelve children, and for four years I have kept them on foot and healthy with no doctor but Black-Draught. A. J. GREEN, Illinois, La.

Values than ever in NICHOLSON'S Apples that it says buy Dry Goods of us. We are ready to buy Apples for evaporating and to make KIDNEY PILLS. KELLOGG'S EVAPORATED MILK and qualities. Porter's Cough Syrup Cures all CHRONIC COUGHS.







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The Epworth League lecture course is worthy of your support. Such a course of entertainments and lectures has an uplifting influence upon the community.

LECTURE COURSE OPENING

SOME OBSERVATIONS. Now that the lecture course season is upon us, we venture some observations that have been evolved out of much suffering, long and patiently borne, and hitherto in silence.

The committee having the course in charge should see that the opera house and hall-way are in proper condition. Unfortunately, the stairway is a favorite lounging place for loafers; and the dirt and tobacco juice left by them is not a good trimming for dress skirts.

Have hour appointed for beginning, and raise the curtain on the minute. It is not right to keep several hundred people waiting for a few laggards. In case of lectures, chairs near the door should be reserved for late comers.

Lowell mothers have long ceased to take crying babies to places of public entertainment; and if these few suggestions are acted upon, the lecture course of 1920-3 should be pleasing and profitable to all concerned.

THE LEDGER has no good reason why a good, labor-employing industry should not be located in the wooden mill building. Use it or sell it.

Thanksgiving Turkey!

Let me roast your turkey. If prepared for the oven I will roast one turkey for 15 cents, or I will stuff and roast one for 35 cents.

WELDON SMITH, The Baker

CHURCHES & SOCIETIES.

Rev. S. T. MORRIS, in a recent sermon deprecated the wrong done by women in encouraging the tremendous destruction of birds by wearing the plumage and stuffed feathers on their hats.

Asleep Amid Flames. Breaking into a blazing home some women lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fanned curiosity, and death near. It's that way when you neglect coughs and colds.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell held in the Council room on Monday evening, Nov. 8, 1920. Meeting called to order by President Van Dyke.

GENERAL FUND. Hydrant Rentals \$150.00 Lowell Ledger 3.75 D. G. Look 2.00

SEWER FUND. Simon Sullivan \$50.00 STREET FUND. A. Blakelock \$15.00 E. Light 112.50

A Startling Surprise. Very few could believe in looking at A. T. Hoadley, a healthy, robust, blacksmith of Tilden, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from rheumatism as few could endure and live.

EXCURSIONS. PERE MARQUETTE. THANKSGIVING, NOV. 27. For above occasion Pere Marquette ticket agents will sell excursion tickets, good going Nov. 26 and 27, and limited for return to Nov. 28 at a rate of one and one-third fare for round trip.

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DR. HESS'S The Scientific for Animals A Guaranteed Flesh and Milk Producer

Not only a food but a perfect tonic—one that puts the vital organs in condition to resist disease and perform their natural functions so there may be quick formation of solid flesh and fat.

D. G. LOOK, Lowell's Leading Drug Store.

MONDAY NIGHT, NOV. 17, Train's Opera House, "Was She to Blame," One night only, the beautiful pastoral comedy drama.

MORRISON'S The Morrison Coats. Are made for wear as well as for looks. The last week has brought many new things in Velours and Cloths.

FRESH GROCERIES! WE KEEP A COMPLETE STOCK AT LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. Highest Market Price for Butter and Eggs.

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Store News for the Week. Contains a lot of new things for every purchaser. New line of MONTE CARLOS just received, the newest things in the market and the lowest prices.

Dress Goods! Such low prices were never before coupled with such excellent qualities. We sell the best Prints at 40 and 42¢ per yd., best Outings at 55¢, best Table Cloths at 12¢, best Mercerized Skirt shown at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Always Something New. E. R. COLLAR.

THE-ALTO NEWS. Rev. Kilgore will preach his farewell sermon Sunday at 10:30 a. m. The family expect to make their home in Grand Rapids.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Starting, But True. "If everyone knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes D. H. Turner, Dempsaytown, Pa.

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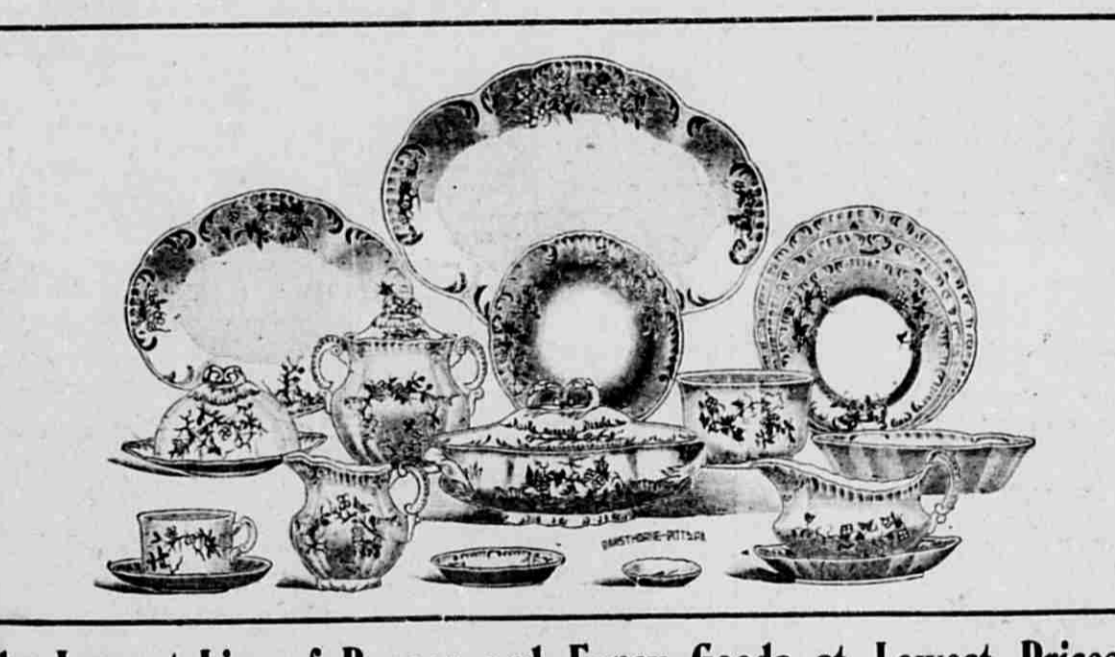
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SPECIAL PRICES ON DINNER SETS AND CHAMBER SETS, LAWRENCE'S BAZAAR.



The Largest Line of Bazaar and Fancy Goods at Lowest Prices. The best wash boards 1.43 The best wash boards 1.43 Our store is filled with the best stock of bazaar goods ever shown in Lowell.

Lawrence's Bazaar, Lowell, Mich.

Canonburg. Benben Davis, a pioneer of Canon, died at his home Nov. 1, 1920, aged 70 years. Funeral services were held in the Congregational church at Boston Lake, Nov. 6.

Of Public Interest. Farmers, remember our 15c lunch. All you can eat. Smith's Bakery. CHURCH SUPPERS AND SOCIETY DINNERS. IMPORTED JAPANESE NAPKINS WITH PURCHASES OF CHASE & SANBORN'S HIGH GRADE COFFEE.

Caracorets. The best and largest assortment of baked goods at Smith's. Town talk match—a big box for 5 cents at McManis.

Big Clothing and Shoe Sale at Godfrey's. JOHN GILES & CO. FOR SALE BY.







