## the lowell ledger.

A WONDERFUL GROWTH

QUick meal steel range exilit Will take place at R.B. Boylan's store during the
Weék Commencing, Monday, Dec. 15, ${ }^{\text {, }} 02$


Please be sure to come.

> Yours respectfully,
R. B. BOYLAN.

## All Aboard for Oliver's


lowell, michigan, thursday december 4, 1902

| SHOOTING ACCIDEN <br> LEON HOWK TERRIBI <br> Lungs Exposed, But Has Chance <br> Leon Honk, of Freeport aged 18, ancidentally shot anit terribly wounded a gun held in his own hand, at Pratt <br> He with some other companions, camping at that place and had gone to on some other campers. Leaning on <br> some mauner and the shot in its upwa passage tore open his left breast, exposi his lungs. <br> wod te the scene. At first, his recovery ent deemed nu tmpossiblity, but our latest formation ts that the young man is do well anit has a chauce for recovery. <br> MRS. WILLAM CHILDS |
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A. $D_{q}$, Oliver

1828

## THE HOT BLAST <br> AIR TIGHT FLORENCE





Scott \& Cambell's

## CLOCKS.

Fine new stock of the best makes. Good 8 day, half-hour strike, with alarm, from $\$ 3.00$ up. Fancy Clocks for oue-
half the price asked by agents selling on installment plan. half the price asked by agents seling on wistailment plan.
I will give you easy terms of payments also. The very
best Nickle Alarm Clocks ever sold for $\$ 1.00$ each. Also $\begin{array}{ll}\text { best Nickle Alarm Clocks ever sold for } \$ 1.00 \text { each. } & \text { Also } \\ \text { fine assort:aent of gold plated and poreelain clocks. } & \text { Get }\end{array}$ fine assort:nent of gold plated and
my prices before buying elsewhere.

## WATOHES.

Stock includes all standard makes in both solid gold and GOLD RINGS.

Finest assortment of set and plain gold rings ever shown
in Lowell. Diamond rings sold at very close prices. Sce in Lowell. Diamond rings sold at very close prices, see
those extra heavy wedding rings for ladies-newest thing
R. D. STOCKING,

BALL BAND RUBBERS Are for sale right here in your town. We have sold RU
BERS ever since the first RUBBEES were sold, and can tru fully say that the BALL BAND RUBBERS are the BE
RUBBERS we ver sold. Only six pairs went wrong last y
and the six people who bought then know what we did about This act is for people who who never tried BALL BAN
Those who ohve worn BALL BAND RUBBERS won thave a other whind Try BALL BAND FELTS
BER this year, and you will never regret it.
A. J. HOWK \& SON





## Big Sales Means Big Values

Just as long as we offer, week after week, better goods for the same money or the same goods for less money than other stores, just so long will ours remain the busiest store in
Lowell. If our prices for Dry Goods were not lower than elsewhere our sales would not be so large. If you think this over you will see the force of it and will feel inclined to come Lowell. If our prices for Dry Goods were not lower than elsewhere our sales would not be so large. II you think this over you will see the force of it and will feel inclined to come
here to buy whether you have purchased of us before or not. "Once a customer always a customer;" for it is values such as we offer that hold our friends and constantly increase here to buy w
their ranks.

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A. W. WEEKES.


## HOME NEWS

 Town talk matches, a big bor forcents at McMahon's. S. O. Littlefield spent Friday in
Grand Rapids. Women's warm lived shoes from
75 c to $3 . \mathrm{c}^{2} \mathrm{c}$. $\quad$ D. F. Batte. D. to 3.co. Batts
Homer Lee, of Bowne, is attend Get your Fliveh cands. Mies Effie Potter, of Greenville, Mise Effie Potter, of Make your wife a Christmas pres.
ent of one of those fine washing machines sold by Brown, Sehler
Earl Thomas of lonia spent Wed uesday and Thursday with Harry
Fuller. Mre. K. H. Pursel of Caledonia
visited Miss Florence Behl over
Suoday Suoday.

## If you want good pare spices t. the Bell Spices at McMahon's.

 Mrs. Minoie Bursley, of Shelby,is speading a few days with her is spending a few days
viece, Mrs. Chas. Howe. Try Boston Brown Flakes at
McMabou Bros. Miss Letba McLain was presented
by her father with a lovely Chicago by her father with a lov
Grapd piano, Monday.
Buy the Lambervile $\mathbf{E}$. Stoute
patent, the ouly genuine snag-proof patent, the oniy genuine snag-pro
rabber made. Batts eells them. Mrs. J. G. Mange returned Tues.
day eveniog from a nine weeks' vis. dit in St. Louis, Mo. Mre. Major, MeDowell entertained
her mother, Mre. Rice, of Ovid, her moiber, Mrs. Ri
Tharsday and Friday.
Try our teas and coffees for good
resulte.
MeMahon Broes. Dr. O. C. McDannell returned
Wedneeday night from Chicago and is receiving nalls as unoal.
Mrs. W. Cogswell and son Evart,
of Remos, bave been visiting her of Remus, bave been. visiting her
mother, Mrs. S. M. Carr. Corn shellere snd feed cutter,
best machines, low prices. Brown,
Sehler \& McKay. Mr. aed Mrs. Ed Trall of Belding and Ed Carieton of Holland spent
Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs.
H. S. Schreiner.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Merriman and
infant daugater of Chicago are visit ing his mother, Mrs, L. W. Merri-
Mrs. A. E. Culver was called to
Grand Kapids last week on sccount Grand Rapids last week on account
of the serious illness of her kister of the serious ilnes
Mre. J. E. Culver.
a nise thing for sebhool wear.

For high grade
try McMabon Bros.
try McMabon Bros.
J. D. Kelley and family left for
Makkegon Wedneeday to epend a
week.
Mesdames M. A. Cair and W. N. Mesdames M. A. Carr and W. N.
Price leave Sunday for New York
City. City. Miss Martha Barclay of Gravd Miss Marthas Barclay of Grand
Rapids spent Sunday with Miss
Nina Hiler. Rapios rpeer
Nina Hiler.
Dr. E. E. Sayles of Bald win spent
Thursday with his wife at the bome
Thursday with his wife at the bome
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F.
of her pare
Denny.
Men's Felt shoes, high top with
felt sole and rubber heels $\$ 2.00$. relt sole and rabber heels $\$ 2.00$.
D. F. Butts. L. J. Post is attending the State
Farmers' Institutes this week in Farmers' Institutes this week it
Benzie and Usceola counties
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Felt boots and rabbers } 1.50,2.00 \\ & 2.50 .3 .00\end{aligned} \quad$ D. F. Butts.
The vext number of the lecture
course is that course is that of Leoonard Garver,
dramatic lecturer, Dec. 17. Women's far trimed julietts 1.00
$\begin{array}{ll}1.25 \text { and } 1.50 & \text { D. F. Buts. }\end{array}$ Rev. S. T. Morris, wife and son
Stanley spent Thanksgiving with tanley spent Thanksgiving wit
the former's brother, Dr. Morris,
Belding. Mesdames F. Hinchey, Wm
Burnett and Eggleaton. Minss Mina Burneet aillis spent Thankegiving
and
Saranac.
Frank A Graham from An Frank A. Graham from An
Arbor and friend, EAwin Suaw, Maskegon, spent Thanksgiving with
Mre. R. Wraham. Try some of our new breakfast
foods.
Mc. and Mrs. Hugh McKenzene, Mr. and Mrs. Hagh McKenzie,
of Manistee, and Miss Ida Cogswell of Grand Kapids spent Thankegiv
igg with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Coge
well.
John
part of
John Lasby of Muskegon spent
part of last week with bis family Mr. and Mrs. Cogswell entertaive a few friends in his hozor, Satur
pyy erening.
Call and see that shepetin Call and see that sheepskin bool
Mrs. Dasiel Ranney went to Colo rado yesterday, in eompsay of he
danghter, Mre. Theo. Lake, danghter, Mre. Theo. Lake, of
Central City, Col., who has, been
spendiog several months with the spending
former.
The uu
The uuion Thankegiaing service afternaoon, was very slimily attended The sermon by Rev. Geo. Sprague and the music by the choir, noder
direction of S. P. Hicks, wer drection of $\mathbf{S}$. P.
a full house.
See Buts show window for Lam-
bertville rabbers. Beat ou earth. The Fravcisco. Winegar hunting party, numbering five, came home
last wesk, brivging ten deer. They report a fine time and no mishaps in
their vicinity. THE Lengeg got the iece of reaison it had been "buat Married, Thankegiving night, at
the home of the bride's parents, the home of the bride's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, of Bowne Center, Abbie Alexander to Rufu see, by Rev. Mr. Freeman, in the
presence of about 90 gaesta. The anesence of about 90 gaesta. The
couple left for their bome at Pentecost, Lenawee county.
The Vergennes Dapciog clab will give a party at Train's opera house,
Friday evening, Dec.12. Mosic riday evening, Dec.12. Music by
Robinson \& Hartwell's new orches ira. Floor masagers: Geo. Monta ance 50 c , including horse care. Mrs. Mary McKee, of Constantine Nied at the home of her daughter,
Mrs. Rice Record of Caledonia, Suday night at the age of 70 years. The remains were taken to Constan.
tive for interment. Deceased was
the mot bis place. Mr. and Mra. MeKe sent to Constantine Tuesday to at tead the funeral.
Bye, Bar, Nose and Threat sPECLALTY,
G. G. TOWSLEX, M. D.

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Tomaship t.
 Mrs. S. A. Williams and son U B., spent Thasksgiving with M
and Mrs. Cogswell at Lake Odessa.

 Mrs. M. S. Cogswell entertaine
few friends Tuesday evening, few friends Tuesday evening,
honor of her husband's birthday
anivereary. Mr. and M Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richmond an
Mrs. L. C. Bitten of Brighton spen
年 the past week with the
Mrs. R. B. Boylan.


Misses Bervice and Freds Ecker Rapids Szturday to weet their pa ante, returning from a visitat Luth
Hal. S. Merriman is in Louisisun in the interests of the Perkins $\mathrm{Ma}_{2}$
chine Co of Grand Rapids. ${ }^{\mathrm{H}} \mathrm{H}$ went south
R. E. Springett, attorney at law
of Rochester, Mich., was in Lowel of Rochester, Mich, was in Lowel
last week with a vew to locating hest week wim a view to locating
He announced his intention of mov ing here at once.
For good hatse at 98c, see Eggleuton
D. G. Look's store has been treas
d to new steel ceiling, paioted to harmonize with the elegunt new p per on the side malls. Mr. Look ie
live business man, a consistent live business mav, a consisten
divertiser, and runs a model atore. 11 brave the erorms of Chilksot Pases,
TII crow the plains of frozea gites,
 Sanday, Tom Whitehouse an Sanily left for Hollt, where the fo er has sccured employment on the
Herald. Tom has been working on the Lowell Journal for the pasi
three years. He is a good printer ad fine
The Huut Stook Co., which beld
The haut the opera h house all last
week, is composed of reliable reoweek, is composed of reliable reo
ile. The give good dramatic and nusical eatertaipmente, do ae they vercise and pay their bills. The
played to big bouses, and will welcomed ong a retarn visit.
Ralph McDiarmid and $M$. aie Purter were married, Nov. 26
at the home of the bride's parent Rapids, Rev. Freeman officiating waukee, Mr. and Mre Meks in Mi will reside in Bowne.
was the largest month's business we ever did-all on account of our good
values and being ready and willing to show everybody our goods. Our
storz can be truly called an uncommon store, a place where the "hardstore can be truly called an uncommon store, a place where the "hard-
to-please" find

## Choice, Rare Patterns and Quality

found nowhere else, and well worth going miles to see. A store where
so many BROTHERS do the work, so many BROTHERS do the work, all looking out for each others wel
and the interests of their customers.
We shall endeavor to make this month of December the greatest success to ourselves and our customers of any month we ever exper-
ienced, by giving

## BETTER VALUES

as we are in better position to do so. We have a big trade that comes
from the north, east, south and west, and we figure that it is our VALUE GIVING that has earned it for us. We can earn our expenses by making one small profit off from each customer easier than our competitors can with their small trade and high prices.

## LOOK AT THESE:

We sell boys' good weight, fleece-lined undershirts and drawers for 15 c per garment. Heavy weight, fleece-lined undershirts and drawers 25 c per garment. Come and get them.
Men's good weight fleece--lined undershirts and drawers, 25 c per garment. Heavier ones at $38 \mathrm{c}, 45 \mathrm{c}, 50 \mathrm{c}, 65 \mathrm{c}$ and 75 c per garment.

Good winter caps for men and boys, only 25 c each.
Woolen socks for men, $10 \mathrm{c}, 20 \mathrm{c}, 25 \mathrm{c}, 45 \mathrm{c}$ and 50 c per pair. Come get them. They will keep your feet warm
Heavy weight all wool Kersey pants for men, sizes from 32 to 48
aist, prices $\$ 1.50, \$ 1.85$ and $\$ 2.00$ per pair.
Boys' all wool Kersey pants, heavy wei
Boys all wool Kersey pants, heavy weight, sizes from 27 to 31
aist, prices $\$ 1.25, \$ 1.50$ and $\$ 1.75$. Boys' corduroy knee pants, age 4 to 16 years, price 45 c to $\$ 1,00$ per Boys' and men's sweaters, all sizes, prices from 25 c to $\$ 5.00$ each. We are having a great run of Mackinaw jackets and duck coats.
Mackinaws from $\$ 1.50$ to $\$ 3.75$ each; duck coats from 85 c to $\$ 2.50$ each.

Men's, women's and children's Boots, Shoes and Rubbers at the

## SUITS ${ }^{A_{N_{0}}}$ OVERCOATS

for men and boys, away down cheap to make room for our shoe depart
ment which is growing every day Come and see thing every day.
oys, it will pay these bargains in ready-to-wear clothing for men and want to close them out Boys 2 piece suits for $\$ 2.00$, worth $\$ 3.00$; we worth $\$ 6.50$. Men's suits for $\$ 7.50$, worth. $\$ 10.00$. Men's suits for 30 suits in each lot to select from. I want to sell them. values; about Come bur
Come and buy our fur overcoats, the best in town for the money We defy competition.
ition will we budge from our position apposition, and under no connishers and shoers of Lowell.
Yours truly,
GOOFREY clothing and shoe hous: LOWELL, MICH.


## Supplement Lowell L er

## CHURCHES \& SUCIETIES.

## Methodist.

The topic for the Epworth League meeting on next Sunday evening is "A Cure for the World's Woe," and Bert Quick will be the leader. We are anticipating a splendid meeting.

A union Thanksgiving prayer meeting at the Baptist church on Thursday evening. Let all the people who can hear the Rev. George Sprague in the morning at the II. E. church, and then in the evening, let all the people come to the Baplist church, where a short sermon will be preached by Rev. Charles Nease.

The themes for the sermons on next Sunday will be, in the morning. "The Benefits of Bearing the Yoke in Youth" and in the evening, "Be of Good Cheer."

## Socleties.

Lowell Lodge F. \& A. M., entertained the Grattan, Middleville, and Ionia lodges yesterday. Begining at high 12, Grattan worked the first degree, Middleville handled the second in the afternoon; and in the evening Ionia administered the third. Supper was served by the Eastern Star ladies and a banquet was spread at the conclusion of the evening work. It was a royal occasion.

Prof. and Mrs. J. F. Thomas united with Cyclamen chapter O. E. S., last Friday evening. The initiatory work was illustrated with some fine stereoptican viewe, recentIy purchased by the chapter.
A crayon portrait of the late Matthew Hunter has been added to collection in the parlor of Lowell Lodge, F. \& A. M.

Dee. 4th the Thursday olub will meet at the home of Mrs. H. A. Peokham.
The Spartan society of the Baptist church will meet in the basement Dec. 3, at 3 o'clock. Pienic supper will be served. Each member to invite one.
The Central W. C. T. U., will meet with Mrs. G. W. Rouse on Tuesday, Dec. 2, Subject "Scientifie Temperance and Anti-Narcotio" Leader, Mrs, Mary Adams.

Auction bills printed at THE Ledgrr office on short notice. Free notice in this paper with every auction bill job.

## Smyrua.

Mrr. Chas. Northway and Mrs. H. Olds attended the wedding of Mise Elizabeth Daniels and Mr. Henry Grosvenor, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Daniels, of Sand Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. Ohad Lee of Keene were guests of Mr, and Mrr. A. Hall Sunday.
Frank Davis and wife of Bartoaville spent Sunday at C. W. Jos lin's.
Miss Rhoda Dickens was in Lowell Monday.
Mre. Helen Pardy has been quite sick the pas week bat is now improving.
Homer Cock and wife visited her sister, Mra. Geo. Northwy, and family of Otisco.
The Ideal Eatertainers were here Tuesday.
Mrs. Elgin Condon was in Lowell MonMrs
day.

## Pratt Lake.

Several from this vicinity attended the Hawthorne Musical club concert at Lowell Wednesday evening.
The stnging olass will meet at the home home of Miss Della Godfrey Friday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Fiank Crrwin and little daughter of Detroit are visiting at P. C.
Freeman's.
Mr. Bush of Ionia is visiting a few wells with his aunt, Mrs. E. B. Cilley.
The young peopleare going to have a surprise party for Mae Chase Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Phila Cilley apent Wednesday at Ionia.
Mrs. Dr. Merriman and boys visited at U. Milliman's Sunday.

Mr. Merriman's people are going to move to Gladmin.

## THE LOWELL MARKET REPORT

Thursday,(to-day) Nov. 27, 1902.
Flour- 1220 per owl.
GRans.

Wheat-74o per bushel.
Oate-320 per bushel.
Curn-56c per bushel.
Rye-45e per bushel.
feathea dressed poultity.
Turkeys-12c per pound
Docks-11e per pound
Chickens-9c per pound.
Fowl-8o per pound
produc.
Battor-20 to 22 per pound.
ERgs - 22cper dozen
Lard-18 to 14 c per pound
Alsike Clover seed - 86.23 to $\$ 700$ Clover seed- 8500 e 8553 per bushel.
Besus- $\$ 175$ and $\$ 200$ per bushel.
Corn meal- $\$ 2800$ per ton.
Middlings- $\$ 2000$ per ton.
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Beef, live weight -5250 © $\$ 360$ per owt Beef, dresed- $\$ 500$ © $\$ 500$ per cwt. Veal dressed- 850 e 700 per owt. Sheep, live weight- $\$ 250$ © 300 per cwt Lambs live weight- $\$ 300375$ per cmt Pork alive- 8550 @ 600 per cwt. Pork dressed- $8650 \mathrm{O} \$ 00$ per $\mathbf{c o t h}$,

## CLUBBING LIST.

We furnish Tae Lowell Ledgee in combination with the following prices, figures given being for The Ledger and the paper named.

Pilgrim Magazine (monthly) 81.10 Grand Rapids Herald (semi-weekly) 1.60 Detroit Free Press (twice-a-week) 1.70 New York World (tri-weekly) 1.65 Bryan's Commoner (weekly) 1.60 | M1cnigan Farmer (weekly) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1.40 | Youth's Companion (weekly) ${ }_{20}^{25}$ Thicago Inter Ocean (weekly) 1.40

In addition to above, we can furnish at reduced prices to our patrons almost any paper or magazine published. We are money out of pocket on each and every proposition; we accept subscriptions for these outside papers, do the work for nothing, simply to accommoditte our subscribers.

## Enterprising

Getthair-Hello, old man, what makes you so gay this morning?
Shyleigh-You know that I have been engaged for the last three months?
Getthair-Sure. Girl gone back on you?
Shyleigh-Of course not. But-but I found out last evening that sheshe likes to be kissed.-Town Topics.

So Cane for Complaint.
"I really shall have to leave this hotel," said the weary man to the proprietor. "There is a baby in the next room to mine, and he cries ail night."
"I don't see why you should complain," said the proprietor. "His father and mother have him in the same room with them, and they haven't said a word."-Tit-Bits.

## Cold Comfort.

Unsuccessful Suitor-Am I so very obnoxious to you?

Miss Freezem-N-o; I can imagine circumstances under which I might clasp my arms about your neck very gladly.
"Thank Heaven! Under what circumstances?"
"If I were drowning, and you were near."-N. Y. Weekly.

## He Was Warm

The young man who was trying to breal the will grew very angry as the lawyer plied him with questions.

At length he permitted his wrath to find vent in words. He was interrupted by the stern old judge, who admuninted bim:
"Here, young man! We don't want any hot heir about this argument."Baitimore American.

