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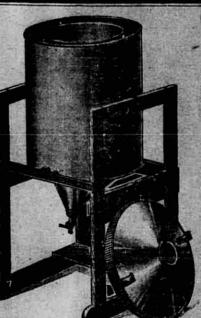
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June Bride



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Pieces make suitable and elegant wedding gifts. It would be hard to find a larger or handsomer stock than ours to

SILVERWARE is always appropriate, but make sure you are getting good ware. Poor plated stuff that wears out before thehoneymoon is fairly over, is not creditable to the giver. Every article sold at this store is warranted as represented or money cheerfully refunded,

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Your Sunday Dinner?

Don't let that question bother you. Call at our market where you are sure to find all kinds of Fresh and Cured Meats and Fish in their season, as well as other delacacies. Just received a fine line of Strawberries, Radishes, Green we Onions, Green Peas, Southern Tomatoes, Watermelons and shy Pineapples.

Miss Mamie Mix vi A. L. Weyrick.

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and brothers, who
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BRILLIANT SUCCESS.

BANQUET.

Portraits of Officers, Menu, Program, Members Present and Absent, Said and Done.

The second annual banquet of the Lowell High School Alumni association, at Train's opera house, last Thursday evening, was a complete success. The 168 guests present were welcomed by the reception committee in the office rooms on the second fioor, and, when all assembled, marched into the banquet hall to the strains of a grand march, played by R. D. Stocking and Charles Barnes on the piano amd mandolin. on the piano amd mandolin.



RETIRING PRESIDENT, D. G. LOOK.

The decorations were left as for Commencement, with lace curtains and flowers on the stage and bunting draped over the pillars and under the ceiling. The tables were arranged in the form of a hollow square and adorned with beautiful bouquets of red poppies and favors of carnations.

Rev. J. H. Wesbrook invoked the Divine blessing; and a fine banquet was served under the direction of Weldon Smith, with the following

MENU: Pickles

Salted Nuts Tongue Hot Rolls Cheese Wafers Chicken Salad Strawberries Ice Cream Coffee.



TOASTMASTER J. R. NICHOLSON. After all had been served, President Look called the meeting to order,

and the following officers were elec

President, F. T. King; vice president, Kate S. Perry; secretary, Mary Ecker; corresponding secretary, Ethel Wesbrook; treasurer, Clarence

The management of the program was then placed in the hands of was then placed in the hands of Toastmaster J. B. Nicholsen, who thereafter worthily filled his position. He made a few introductory remarks and then called for the next number, a pleasing plano duet, by Mrs. Robt. Stone and Miss Clara

Mrs. Robt. Stone and Miss Clara Hodges.

Miss Myra Lillie gave an address of welcome to the older members, the new members and the outside guests. The assembly then listened to a response to the welcome by L. H. Cheeseman of Detroit. He told something of his experiences as a Lowell school boy many years ago.



FATAL ACCIDENT.

SUCH WAS THE ALUMNI JAMES COLVIN DIED OF HIS

Received in Fall From His wagon Buried Saturday.

James Colvin, whose injury by falling from his wagon was narrated in our last issue, survived the accident only 12 hours.

The following was read at his funcas!

funeral:
He was born near Paris, Cauada,
March 25, 1833. Died June 18, 1903 at
his home in Fallasburg, Mich,, aged

seventy years.

He came from Clanda in 1854 at the age of 21. Was married to Miss Ellen Beckwith of Vergennes in 1864 and has since made his home in Falasburg, being the oldest resident of

lasburg, being the oldest resident of the place.

To this union were given nine child-ren, five boys and four girls. Eight of these, Charlie of Grand Rapids, Fred and Ross of Idaho, Carl of Mellen, Wis., Mrs. W. Joseph of Coop-ersville, Mrs. R. Farr of Cedar Springs and Misses Carrie and Edith of Beld-ing, are left with the aged mother to mourn the loss of a kind father and husband.

mourn the loss of a kind father and husband.

Bert Colvin, a son, the first to be taken from the family circle, died from sickness while on his way home from the late Phillippine war.

Mr. Colvin was held in high esteem by his neighbors and all who knew him. His congenial and pleasant ways winning for him many friends and will be sadly missed in this vicinity.

Ity.
Funeral services were held at the home Saturday, Rev. Chas. Nease officiating, assisted by Rev. Jas. H. Wesbrook.

MISS MURPHY WINS.

Dictionary Contest Winds up with a Rush.

As usual, the bulk of the work done in the dictionary contest was crowded into the last few days. Miss Austin's votes came from widely scattered sources, many being received by mafl and she was clearly a favorite: Miss Murphy's friends did the most work however and she won out, as shown by the following record, from which the names of these who made no gains since our these who made no gains since our last report have been dropped:

Miss Bertha Autin Miss Minnie Blakeslee..... Prof. Thomas Miss Myrtie Griffith.....

The votes were counted by Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. J. S. Adams and the box locked. Any one wishing to review the ballot may do so at this office.

Miss Murphy recived her prize last evening and Miss Austin will receive a suitable souvenir by calling at this

suitable souvenir by calling at this The thanks of THE LEDGER are due

to all who have contributed to the success of this contest.

Death of W. B. Craue.

Walter B. Crane, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brower, died June 19 at and Mrs. S. Brower, died June 19 at the home of his sister near Cascade Springs, where he went for treatment five weeks ago. Funeral services were conducted at the house Monday by Rev. Ranney of Grand Rapids Congregational church. Many rela-tives and friends from Grand Rapids and the only brother from Springfield, Mass., were in attendance. Beauti-ful floral offerings were given by lov-ing friends. ing friends.

The Backelor Maids and Pickle

Mrs. J. B. Nicholson entertained the Bachelor Maids Tuesday evening at an indoor picnic.

Branches of trees were arranged to form a miniature grove, in which were a small river, hammocks and

The guests came in costume and carried out the "farmer's picnic" plan, eating over a red table cloth under the trees.

In the art gallery contest, prizes won were: Head—Mrs. Lotta Mc-Mahon; consolation, Mrs. Frances

Doyle.

In the initial contest—head, Mrs.
Ray Murphy; consolation, Mrs.
Myrtle Springett.

Across the road, Attorney R. E.
Springett entertained the Pickle
Bachelor club with a fine banquet.
They spent the evening as best suited them.

Good pasturage. Wm. Cheetham.

GLORIOUS FOURTH

BASKET PICNIC, DANCING,

GAMES, CELEBRATION At Wookes' Grove, Marray Lake.

Basket picnic at Weekes' grove, Murry Lake, July 4. Come to the lake and enjoy a day in the grove. Afternoon program: All kinds of games and sports, foot race, sack race, blind folded wheel-barrow race, Mrs. Evelyn Look read interesting letters of regret from the following absent members:

Mary Childs, Mackinaw City; Mrs. Kittle Labardle Ackerson, Middle-kittle Labardle Ackerson, Middle Labardle Ackerson, Middle Labardle Ackerson,

lowa Dairy Separator

Careful dairy men do not need to be filled full of a page of wind to decide what separator they want. It is hard, clear facts they are after.

> AN EASY RUNNING MACHINE. YET STRONG AND WELL BUILT. SOMETHING THAT WILL WEAR.

And not be bothering with a lot of repairs and plenty of them, but a durable, practical, every day machine that

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And wear a lifetime. Repairs? Bah, hardly know what they are. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Why not call and see us, always glad to show you all about it.

SCOTT & WINEGAR

Watches Solid Gold from \$18 to \$40 20 and 25 yrs. Boss and other reliable filled cases with gold movements from \$8.00 to \$25.00. Little ones for chatalaines from \$6.50 up. Special Sale of Gradua-Chains Good Filled Chains \$2 to \$8
1 Solid Gold Ladies' Chain, regular
value \$35.00 for this sale \$18.00

Rings Finest Assortment in town Including some extra good values in Diamond Rings and extra heavy Plain Gold wedding rings. Settings replaced free of charge in set rings bought of me.

Secret Lockets and Chains Good Assortment. Quality A 1.

Brooches and Pins Gold filled and solid gold Broaches and Chatalain Pins. Price. cut very low for this sale.

Silverware and Novelties

Sterling Silver and the old reliable genu-ine 1847 Rogers Bros. Plated ware. Prices cut very low for this sale.

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Our Women's Shoe Department one of the features of our store—a

Stylish Shoes Serviceable Shoes Perfect Fitting Shoes Shoes for any and every Satisfaction guaranteed.

We have the exclusive agency for the "John Kelly" Shoe, the best shoe that a woman can buy. Call and see the new styles.



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It is No Fad, But a Fact

learth Bread is without any exception the best bread ery made. We are selling more of it than ever. Have you ad it? Suppose you get a loaf next time.

Weldon Smi DERSON.

Grand Rapids. We make our Ice Cream,

Our Country Cousins

Worthy Willard spent Sunday at H. Booth's and returned with his wife to Lowei. Monday. They will move into the upper rooms lately remodeled in J. D. Harvey's house in Lowell

Frank Maynard and wife visited with her parents, J. D. Harvey and wife of Lowell Sunday.

M. McAndrews and wife visited at J. Tobin's Sunday.

Miss Mayme Doyle is visiting her Miss Pearl Dannals of Flushiag is Mike Doyle spent Sunday at spending a week with the Misses Ottawa Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Whedon of Lowell ast and by the looks I guess it will spent Sunday with their nephew, Frank Sherrard, and wife in Keene. stay for a while. Mrs. Sipe and two daughters of Newaygo are guests of her sister. Mrs. Jas. Stanton.

Berthina Byrne attended the teacher's examination at Grand Rapids Thursday and Friday.

Arthur Sayles, wife and son and B. Sage of Keene visited Sunday at Max

Aldrich at the plant Sunday. A. G. Steketee, of Grand Rapids, returned to his home Tuesday after a few days pleasantly spent with relatives and old friends here. His at Grand Rapids.

wife will remain for a time.

Frank Cave and wife of Berlin have last week, breaking the buggy. John moved into J. Tower's house in escaped with few slight bruises.

C. M. Smith and wife and Mr. and given by the Parochial school, at Parnell Thursday evening, Julie 24. Everybody invited.

Will Laux, wife and baby and Evie Pottruff visited his parents, John Laux and wife in Keene Sunday. Will Laux, wife and baby and Evie Pottruff visited his parents, John Laux and wife in Keene Sunday.

Lon Powell and family spent Sunday with her parents, C. M. Smith and wife in Balding.

Are you thin? Would you like to get fat and plump? Tried laughing, twouldn't work—now take Rocky Mountain Tea—'twill do the buisness. 35 cents.

D. G. Look.

Chester Gardner and wife and Miss
Etta Chapman of Smyrna were guests
of their parents, Frank Chapman and
wife, last week before leaving for

guaranteed by D. G. Look, druggist

GRATTAN-VERGENNES.

Frederick Byrne and Kathryn Clark of Grattan were married Tuesday

morning at St. Patrick's durch. We wish them much joy.

Fr. Byrne is very sick with rheuma

Mrs. Nellie Doren of Grand Rapids spent Friday her rosents, P.

ed at his home Saturday at 2 conducted by Revs. Nease and rook of Lowell. He was follow ohis last resting place in Fallasing cemetery by a large gathering relatives, old neighbors and friends. Saturday.

ne sad accident which occured last eek Wednesday was felt throughout te neighborhood and the entire community extend their sympathy to the bereaved family.

Elder Merrill and family were guests at Stephen Rennells' Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Colvin of Grand
Rapids, Mrs. Joseph of Coopersville,
Mrs. Farr and son of Cedar Springs,
and Miss Carrie Colvin of Belding attended the funeral of their father.

Miss Wilcox is working for Mrs.
Frank Keech,

Jas. Colvin and remained over Sun-day with their mother and sister. Wm. Garfield and wife visited his brother David here Saturday and Sunday.

Can anything be worse than to feel chicken pox.

that every minute will be your last?
Such was the experience of Mrs. S.
H. Newson, Decatur, Ala., "For three years," she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach Mrs. Clare Ford is very ill. Ella Hewitt is on the sick list. Belle Beck with of Fallassburg visit ed Mrs. J. Frost Sunday. evitable when doctors and all mrs. Mary Thompson of Shelby medies falled. At length I was inced to try Electric Bitters and the

result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For liver, kidney, stomach and bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. Its is the only medicine. Only 50c. Its

Eva McGinnis working in Grand

Notice to Creditors. Wedding bells will soon ring for call at the old stand and settle with Cannon.

McMahon grocery are requested to call at the old stand and settle with Will Flynn, manager Lowell Grocery

Warning Against Trespass. Notice is hereby given that no

BICYCLE in good repair to troor a good boat. LEDGER office.

Now They're Off!

"They're off at the post." We've quit posting prices that are made for a good profit. They're off again—prices—galloping along for a strong finish. Our dandy suits, "K. N. & F. made" are the horses. The race is the human race, especially the men and boys. Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winning Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winning Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winning Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winning Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winning Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winning Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winning Not a horse in the stable (Ruben's big store) that we're afraid to run against outsiders. We're giving odds, too. We've been winners for a store of the human race, especially the men and boys. Not a for years, seen all prove a store of the human race, especially the men and boys. We're giving odds, too. We've been winners for a store of the human race, especially the men and boys.

They're a cinch for the men. They're high steppers, too, sway back or biter among them. No repeaters or ringers, all yearlings, as sound as clothing can be made. They're high steppers, too, sway back or biter among them. No repeaters or ringers, all yearlings, as sound as clothing can be made. They're high steppers, too, sway back or biter among them. No repeaters or ringers, all yearlings, as sound as clothing can be made. They're high steppers, too, sway back or biter

These Are The Odds

MEN'S BUITS

Four button military out sack suit of green cassimers with small stripe, good lining, padded shoulders, Heavenrich Bros. make. Former price \$12.50

of blue cassiniere with small stripe, good serge lining, padded shoulders, hair cloth fronts, K. N. & F. make. Former price \$18.50

Four button military out suit of dark worsted with fancy stripe, good serge lining, padded shoulders, hair cloth fronts, Heavenrich Bros. make Former price \$15.50

Four button military out sack suit of fancy gray stripe cassimere, good lining, padded shoulders, shape retaining fronts, K.I.N.; & F. make. Former price 16.50

Three button military cut sack suit of gray worsted with invisible plaid, good serge lining, padded shoulders. K.

Four button military cut sack suit of green cassimere with small fancy stripe, good serge lining, padded shoulders hair cloth fronts, H. S. & M. make. Former price \$20.00

sack suit of green worsted with fancy stripe, good serge lining, padded shoulders, K. N. & F. make. Former price \$z1.00.

sack suit of dark gray mix worsted, with good lining, padded shoulders, H. S. & M. make. Former price \$23. sack suit of fine black worsted, good serge lining, padded shoulders, H. S. & M. make.

Former price \$24.00.

Three button military cut

YOUTH'S SUITS

Four button cutsway sack suit of dark gray cassimere with faucy stripe, good lining, fancy sleeve lining. Former price \$8.50

suit of brown check cassimere good lining, good sleeve lining and well made. Former price

Four button cutaway sack suit of dark gray cassimer with fancy small green stripe, well made, with good lining. Former price \$12.50.

Four button cutaway sack suit of dark worsted with fine stripe, well made, good lining. Former price 14.50.

BOY'S SUITS

brown cassimere knee pant suits Former price \$5 50.



HARVARD SACK K.N.EF. SUIT

MARKS RUBEN

LOWELL, MICH.

T'S GOT TO BE GOOD.

TAX OFFICIALS ACCUSED.

Valuable Amdavit.

Blair has called the attention of Gov. assistant cashier in 1900. It is alleged Bliss to what he considers a serious the defalcation was not discovered uninfraction of official duty on the part of State Tax Commissioners A. F. Freeman and Ira T. Sayre. The railroads of the state have begun suit in for their loss. the federal court at Grand Rapids to prevent the state from collecting taxes under the new law, by which they were increased \$2,000,000. The

MACCABEES WIN.

Jackson, June 22.—While he was defending his wife and child from threats of murder at Munith, a smell hotels and restaurants. Their is threats of murder at Munith, a smell hotels and restaurants.

ank. The court held that Charles D.

Thompson, former finance keeper of the order, who has admitted em-

bezzling \$50,000 of Maccabee money, used the Maccabee funds to pay his shortage at the bank, where he was

tax commissioners taxed the roads by a method which held down these taxes by about \$500,000 and the state superme court overruled them. The two commissioners in question then furnished the railroads with affidavits to the effect that the general properties of the state are not assessed at cash value, which will prove valuable evidence for the railroads in their suit. The attorney general may ask Gov. Bliss to remove the offending commissioners.

MACCABERS WIN.

threats of murder at Munith, a small place near here, Sunday, August keeper, August keeper, an the lead with an iron bar, from the effects of which the latter died in a few minutes. It is said McCrow had been drinking and was seeking revenge for dismissal some time ago. No action has been taken by the sheriff, although Braun says he is willing to give himself up at once.

MACCABERS WIN.

threats of murder at Munith, a small place near here, Sunday, August profit ever all expenses is two cents profit ever all expenses is two cents profit ever all expenses is two cents per pound. The game warden returned their nets—35 in all—to them.

Pata in Fuil.

Muskegon, June 22.—Eield Scomining engineer, has begun suit in the circuit court against the Hecla Porticult Court against the Land Circult Court against the Hecla Porticult Court against the Hecla Porticult Court against the Hecla Porticult Court against the Land Circult Court against the Land Circult Court ag

Muir, June 22.—Justice Smith discharged Charles Hazel and Ernest Wood, of Hastings, arrested by the deputy game warden for alleged illegal use of nets on Maple river. They proved that their nets were made for catching turtles and they shipped catching turtles and they shipped containing turtles and turtles and turtles are shipped containing turtles and turtles are shipped containing turt

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this city, as president

Mrs. J. Brighton entertained thadies with a quilting Thursday. The

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Then why not spend that time in comfort and buy

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Our Country Cousins

Miss Nettle Simonds of Belding is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Bookey.
Children's day will be observed in the Congregational church July 5.
Jas. Nesbitt and wife of Grand Rapids are spending a few days here among friends.

J. L. Thomas and wife have returned from Grand Rapids where they

A very unfortunate accident occured to Wm. Balley June 21. While
dressing a veal calf the knife in some
unaccountable way glanced, striking
him in theeye. Dr. Wilson was called
to dress the wound and made him as
cemfortable as possible.

P. C. Freeman's family are enter
taining their daughter, Mae, and
family, of Leland, Mich.

Pratt Lake is affording fine sport
for fishermen. We understand a fine
lot of pickerel are being taken out.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Fletcher visited
a few days with their daughter, and

Visitors at A. P. Burr's are L. E. E. Eash and brot.

Pratt and family of Ashley and Mrs.

Artie Burr and son of Big Rapids.

day at Lake Odessa. Glen Stannard of Colorado is visit-ing relatives for the past few weeks.

A large number from Freeport at ficult to exaggerate the subtle and per-nicious influence of this drug. The June Burr returned Tuesday from ig Rapids where she has been visit-ig relatives the past few weeks. Thad Mercer and family of Clarks-ille visited at C. H. Farnham's Sun-

Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantities constantly coming in declaring D. King's New Discovery for consumption coughs and colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland Bentorville, Va. serves as example. He writes: "had bronchitis for three years are doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, consumption, pneumonia and grip, Guaranted by D. G. Look, iruggist. Trial bottles free, regular price 50c and \$1.00.

and Mrs. Morton are en friends from Chicago,

Miss Anna Rollins of Byron Cen laiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Tucker. I others in this locality. Edna Holcomb of Belmo ber of T., H. Parson's fat

Mr. Herrington, of Lake Odessa, and brother-in-law, of Eaton county, spent Thursday with E. Lacy and

ort at or laws regulating the sale. It is dif-

While in New York last week, our Mr. May closed out at VERY LOW FIGURES a large variety of men's fancy cheviot

We have placed them on our tables at prices about one-third less than their real values.

There are sizes to fit extra stout men, extra tall and very short men, too; besides the regular sizes. Better have a look at them.

Just in, a new supply of Panama hats in fine qualities; \$5, \$6, \$7.50 and \$10.

THE GIANT Grand Rapids' Busiest Clothier's

Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear wheathe kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has been so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the

EXCURSION FARES TO ST. PAUL AND

TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM.

Mrs. M. A. Pardee and daughter Ella returned to their home in Grand Rapids, after a weeks visit here. Ella Ford of Lowell is spending

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blough of Lake Odessa spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. H. Seese and daughter Thurzie
of Dutton spent Saturday and Sun-

Read This Please.

If you have kidney and bladder trouble the toxic germs are doing their deadly work. You will find the Hazzard Kidney Cure, the great germ destroyer, destroyes these germs in the system and kidneys and removes the cause of the most distressing cases of kidney and bladder diseases. For Rheumatism it has no equal, as it goes direct to the seet of of the disease—the liver and kidneys and tie blood is cleansed through their organs. If the child urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it. the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate offect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fiftycent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet tellmore of Bwamp Root in gall about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamtor, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.

PERE MARQUETTE

DULUTH VIA GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. Special low fare tickets on sale daily until Sept. 30th, 1903, valid re-turning Oct. 31st, 1903. For further information call on local agent or write to Geo. W. Vaux, A. G. P. & T. A., Adv. Depart-July 5.

Train will leave Lowell at 8:05 ment, Chicago, In.
m. Rate \$1.75. Seeposters or ask
EXCURSION TO DETROIT VIA CRAND

Round trip tickets, good going July 3 and 4, and good returning up to and including July 6, will be on sale at all ticket offices of this company at a rate of one fare for the round trip. Points in Indiana and Ohio within 200 miles of selling station, included in this rate, Ask

way Sunday June 14, 21 and 28, To Grand Rapids \$.50. To Grand Haven \$1.00 for round trip. Train leaves Lowell 8:33 a. m. Returning arrive at Lowell 7:43 p. m.

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THE COCAINE HABIT.

Great Growth Marked in the Addiction, and Many Evils Attributed to It.

Even the most casual of newspaper readers must have noticed how many have been the cases of cocaine poison.

cognized among physicians of re-

pute, but it forms a too frequent con-

absence of those unpleasant after effects which attend indulgence in mor

phia or chloral, the sense of physical

well being and mental exhilaration

consequent, makes the drug more fascinating to the jaded worker, who is firmly possessed of the belief that he can discontinue its use when he pleases.

Cocainism," remarks Dr. T. D.

Crothers (in his new book on "Mo

phinism and Narcomanias from Other

Drugs") "is a new disease of civiliza-tion. Its prevalence is certainly

heavily upon the extremes of society — the rich and the impoverished

classes. Like other social sores, it

eal cure cannot be effected perme

nently by any legislative act, for the drug habit is merely another aspect of that big social problem which long ago fretted the soul of Ruskin and still confronts social reformers of

every kind, but much may and should

dulgence in this drug. The neurotic we have always with us; he is one of the inventions of the pineteenth cen-

tury; but if we are powerless for the

ime being to change the atmosphere i

round with better safeguards."-Lon-

A snake with a bright yellow spot
Once tied himself up in a knot,
When asked: "Why is this?"
He replied, with a hiss:
"That errand must not be forgot."
—Columbus Dispatch.

One Inference.

ew doctor."

"I haven't much confidence in that

"No. I don't believe he's very suc-

"Oh, he's in such a hurry for his noney."—Brooklyn Eagle.

be done in rendering more difficult in

Mrs. J. F. Joyce was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Weeks of Grattan, June 18.

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if you are enjoyed a day's fishing.

Floyd Balley, son of Harmon Balley. anaesthetic and its immediate tonic effect upon the nervous system are so marked that the patient grows more and more to depend on it for relief; the cocaine habit is induced, and the victim soon becomes a physical and mental wreck. The dangers attaching to the indiscriminate was of this all. to the indiscriminate use of this al kaloid of the cocoa plant, its fascina tion for neurotic subjects, are now well

stituent in many popular medicines, for it is a cheap drug, and, unhappily, there are (at least, so far as America is concerned) no restrictions

Do Your CHILDREN QUESTIONS?

Of course they do. It is their way of learning and it is your duty to answer. You may need a dictionary to aid you. It won't answer every question, but there are thousands to which it will give you trop clear and definite answers. true, clear and definite answers, not about words only, but about things, the sun, machinery, men, places, stories and the like. Then, too, the children can find their own answers. Some of our own answers. Some of our greatest men have ascribed their power to study of the dictionary.

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From Our Point of View

A Court Responsible for a Lynching.

The charge made in this department of our last issue, that the dilatory practices of some courts have contributed to the prevalence of lynch law in this country, has since been horribly confirmed by the burning of a Delaware Negro Monday night. A preacher's daughter had been outraged and murdered; and the criminal was in jail. A demand made for a special session of court to try him was refused; and a trial could not be held until September. A fellow preacher in a sermon Sunday evening warned the authorities that such delay would not be tolerated; and said. The charge made in this department of our last issue, that ated; and said:

"Oh! Honorable judges, call the court and establish a precedent, and the girls of this state, the wives of the homes and the mothers of our fire-sides and our beloved sisters will not be sorry, and neither will you. If you do not hear and heed these appeals and that prisoner should be lynched, then let me say to you, with a full realization of the responsibility of my words, even as Nathan said to King David of old after his soldiers had killed Uriah, 'thou art the man,' so I would say to you. The responsibility would be yours for delaying the execution of the law. Should the murderer of Miss Bishop be lynched? Yes, but only under one condition, and that is this—if his trial shall be delayed until September and then, though he be proven guilty, through some technicality of the law or any undue influence oneither judges or jury he be not given capital punishment, then the citizens of the state should arise in might and execute the criminal and thus uphold the majesty of the law."

The next night the Negro was taken from jail by a mob of 5,000 men and boys and burned at the stake. Courts and criminal lawyers from Maine to Texas will have to learn that there is a limit to human endurance; and that their petty, 6 x 9 quib-bles will not stand for a day when that limit is passed.

IN APPOINTING Judge Smith to the supreme court of New Mexico, President Roosevelt has made an excellent choice. If all our public officials were of the same sort, there would be fewer scandals in the service.

OF ALL the mean persons, the truly ungrateful are chief. They serve a useful purpose however. As handsome women are said to choose homely companions so that their beauty may shine by comparison, eyen so, all sorts of decent people appear in rainbow tiuts when compared to a miserable ingrate.

THE Alumni association, as an institution for bringing wanderers "back to the old home," and as an incentive to the completion of school work, deserves encouragement. These features in addition to the educational and social benefits of the annual meetings, make the perpetuation of the association doubly desirable.

THE LEDGER is fairly well settled in its new home; and can now justly claim to have one of the best equipped and most convenient country printing offices in Western Michigan. We are beginning volume XI under favorable circumstances; and shall be glad to welcome all our friends and patrons at the new sanctum. We have a pleasant reading room, and shall keep an exchange table for the accommodation of our friends.

Drop in and look over the country and city papers.

THE new Normal school for Western Michigan should be located at Grand Rapids, as that city has many advantages over any of the other towns which are candidates for the institution. Chief of these, perhaps, is the fact that Grand Rapids is the geographical and railroad center of the district the school is designed to serve. Other thighs being equal, this consideration should locate the new Normal in or near the Valley City.

Our Country Cousins

A goodly number from here attended Children's day exercises at South Lowell Sunday evening.

SEELEY CORNERS.

Merton Reynolds, who has been at-tending a teacher's training school at Valpariso the past three months, has returned home. E. L. Curtiss spent a part of last week at Benton Harbor and Chicago.

J. N. Hubbel was in Pewamo Sun-day conducting religious services at the Baptist church.

Mrs. L. Buff of Grand Rapids who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dan Lewis, and family freturned; to her home Tuesday. Miss Bessie Story was quite il last

-Mrs. and daughter, Edith, and Mrs. Fenning of Lowell, were guests of Mrs. H. Vanderwall Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Godfrey and daughter & East Side. Wedding invitations, atthis offer

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sweet of South lowell visited at Don Collar's Satur-lay and Sunday.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends and neighbors for their kindness to us in the death of our beloved husband and father. Also the pastor and to those who furnished the music and flowers.

to Seginaw and Bay City \$1.75.
For the round trip. Train leaves
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Cure.

Miss Pauline McGee weut to Grand
Rapids to attend the examination, but was taken sick and had to return.

Misses Freda Balley and Hazel Fairchilds visited Mrs. Grace Kellogg in Grattan Friday.

Mrs. Mary Crum visited in Grand Rapids last week.

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Now we come to the real Summer season some of you will want cool, neat looking, wash dresses, to make work lighter. Most of you will want some dainty Dimities, Lawns or similar fabrics for cool evening dresses, Percales or Madras for shirt waists. This is your opportunity. Not only in piece goods but in shirt waists and skirts already made up, pretty ribbons. neckwear, hosiery, lisle gloves, handkerchiefs and a hundred little things that Summer calls for. Let us show you some of these. We have got the largest stock in Lowell.

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ALLIE GOVERT, MANAGER.

Lowell, Mich.

Heard About Town

F. T. King has been spending several days at St. Louis.

eral days at St. Louis.

R. VanDyke has been in Chicago several days this week.

THE LEDGER is now at home on entire second floor of Koff block one door east of McCarty's store. Citizens telephone No. 200. Watch our windows. Always something new. Williams.

Misses Ione and Helen Price of Vassar are visiting Lowell friends.

Mrs. J. C. Moore is visiting relatives and friends in Detroit a few weeks.

Mrs. R. W. Graham has gone to her Summer home at Harbor Springs.

Dr. Towsley has had a stone curbing built in front of his new residence lot and will have a green sward between that and the new walk, a rice improvement. Born—In Elmdale, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur King, a daughter, Saturday of Mrs. Arthur King, a daughter, Mrs. Arthur King, Mrs. Arthur King

Miss Barbara Haberstumpt of Ionia visited Miss Lila Lawrence last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dennis and children, of Blanchard, returned home Monday after a visit with the family of J. B. Hawk.

of a country newspaper, moving be-tween two issues without interfering with the regularity of either.

It has developed that the governor will have to reappoint Sylvester P. Hicks of Lowell in order to make him a legal member of the Kent county-board of auditors. The act creating the board provides that no township officer shall be a member and Mr. Hicks was a justice of peace at the time of his appointment, but he has resigned that office and will ask the governor to reappoint him as a member of the board of auditors. This the governor will undoubtedly do, as the original appointment was met with entire satisfaction by the residents of the county.—Grand Rapids Herald.

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

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CONGREGATIONAL.

The Epworth League meeting will be at 6;30 P. M. on Sunday, enjoy it with us. "Jesus Our Savior" is the topic for that meeting will be at 6;30 P. M. on Sunday, enjoy it with us. "Jesus Our Savior" is the topic for the Junior lesson on Sunday after noon.

Albums."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Topic "The Passing of Opportunity." Leader, Miss Mary Scott. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend the services on the Lord's day.

The Sunday school meets at 12 o'clock after the morning worship. Interest in the Sunday school work is increasing.

Regular meeting of the Central Union will be held at the home of Mrs. Clyde Collar, Tuesday, June 30. Exercises in charge of Mrs. Collar. Topic "Independence." Members are requested to respond at rollcall with the name of one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. Quarterly tea will be served.

of Attorney Springett to read law Meeting ed and will re-enter the High school dent Hakes.

cultivator.

A party was given in Train's hall
Monday evening for a few invited
young people, Miss Clara Hodges
playing for the dancers.

Classmate, Miss Mary Ecker, of the class of '76.

The Caledonia News has a characteristic letter from Peanuckle Andrews, known in Lowell as Amos or "Peanuts." He writes from Peanuts or "Peanuts." He writes from Peanuts or "Peanuts." or "Peanuts." He writes from

Moseley Order of Gleaners advertises a harvest dance for August 14 at Moseley hall, with music by the Lowell orchestra.

Among the victims of Heppner, Oregon, cloud burst, were Mr. and Mrs. Gunn, who were drowned. Their four children being away from home were spared. Mrs. Gunn, formerly Miss Elizabeth Ellis, of Detroit, will be remembered by many Loved.

Preaching services at the Congregational church next Sunday evening.
Christian Endeavor. Prayer meeting 6:45, Sunday even.ng at the Congregational church. Topic "City Missions." Leader, Miss Anna Raymond Exercise work Saturday evening June 27. Guests from Hastings are expected.

is increasing.

The annual Utilidren's day exercises held last, Sunday evening was well attended and the program presented was very interesting. All who took part acquitted themselves creditably. Many of the little ones displayed considerable elocutionary ability. Two features were especially interesting and beautiful. One was a flower drill by ten girls, each carrying a basket of roses and the closing number was an emblematic piece, "The Crown-Beyond the Cross," presented by eight young ladies, two represented by eight young ladies, two represents and three lectures will be sold at the usual price of \$1.00.

The Ohio rilding cultivator is forging to the front in public favor.

Brown, Sehler & McKay.

Something new in waist plus at Williams'.

Defend to Settlement. Los Angeles, Cal., June 17.—One milion acres of government land was thrown open to settlement Tuesday. The land is along the line of the Santa Fe railroad from Nogales to Majave and is all desert.

KHIEd in Porte Rice.

San Juan, June 18.—Miss Jean Ankrom, formerly of Waynesboro, Pa., the only woman school supervisor in alone will be sold at the usual price of \$1.00.

Port Office afe best lated of the people of Lowell.

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A warrant has been sworn out before Justice Watt of Grand Rapids, for the arrest of Nicholas Meyers, charged by H. W. Smith with peddling in Bowne township without a license.

Fred Brijma, charged with the same offense by W. Proctor, pleaded not guilty Monday. The trial was set if of July 22.

IUST APPOINT HIM AGAIN.

Comsty Auditor Hicks was Ineignible When First Named.

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Seven experienced and regular sal-aried teachers, who are in constant attendance, congrise the faculty and all seem busy cateling to the needs of the many students at work. An air of business pervades the whole at the order of surface and the whole school from the whole and the surface of the many students at work. An air of business pervades the whole at the order of surface and the whole and congrise to experienced and regular sal-aried teachers, who are in constant attendance, congrise the faculty and all seem busy catelings and the whole and congrise to a pervade and the surface of surface and the whole and the program and the whole and congrise to a seried teachers, who are in constant attendance, congrise the faculty and all seem busy catelings and the whole at the order of

We wish this school the continued success it so richly deserves and we commend all young men and women who are desirous of securing the best Michigan has to offer in the line of a Commercial or Shorthand education to investig te the merits of this popular school before deciding to go elsewhere. Their catalogues are free for the asking."

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ourt on motion of Prof. Brewster.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 18 .- An

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onal Association of Manufacturer

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8.50 Frits at 6.75 11.00 ** ** 8.25 13.00 4 4 11.00

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Adjourned regular special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell held in the Council Rooms

Miss Minnie Carr of South Boston has been spending a few days with Mrs. Will Denick.

Prof. Virgil Phelps of Muskegon visited his aunt, Mrs. C.O. Lawrence, the first of this week.

Rev. Charles Nease and D. G. Mange went to Cedar Springs Tuesday to consult with representatives from other towns regarding the Epworth League lecture course for the season of 1903-4.

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Mrs. Charles Hadden (nee Eva Lamb) of Grand Rapids, attended the Alumni banquet and spent several days of this week with her former class mate, Miss Mary Ecker, of the class of '76.

A party was given in Train's hall the first of this week with the star roll for the year 1903 showing prop-.14 to 16c perpour :10 to 12c " " .15 to 18c " "

> Look the roll was referred to the Finance committee for inspection and to fix a rate for taxation.
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> On motion by Trustee Nicholson Council adjourned.
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> T, A, MURPHY, CLERK.
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> Calves live......\$4 00 to 5 00 "
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> Pork alive......\$5 00 to 6 00 " Finance committee for inspection and to fix a rate for taxation. Council adjourned. T. A. MURPHY, CLERK.

at Moseley hall, with music by the Lowell orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Murphy announce the engagement of their daughter, Edith Mary, to Thomas A. McCarthy of Milwaukee, wedding to take place June 30, 1903.

The moving of The Ledgers machinery was successfully accomplished under the management of R. P. Morse last Friday. If this number of the paper reaches its readers on schedule time it may be regarded as a creditable job for the office force of a country newspaper, moving be-Clean House Right Cover the walls with clean, fres aper. Use correct designs, cheerful ploring, skillful hanging. That's the larvey trinity, those three things. Harvey & Co, sell wall papers the lowest possible prices—better an some jobber's prices.

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a fine shoe this summer in any particular, up-to-date, snap-py style, come here, we have them in all styles and in all leathers, high and low cuts, at a price that you will not

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These paints will wear longer than any other paint on the market and cost you less money than the ready mixed paints. If you are going to paint your house, call and see us, we can save you money.

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> The people surely know a good thing when they see it.

C. O. LAWRENCE

is closing out his stock of Bazaar goods so fast at bargains

and the people know it.

O. J. Howard's youngest

Joe Heffron and wife of Bowne spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Bill Laughlin, who is quite sick. his an Hosford closed a successful spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Bill Laughlin, who is quite sick.

Bill Laughlin, who is quite sick.

Dr. McAvoy of Grand Rapids was here Sanday to see Fr. Byrne, who is suffering from inflamatory rheumatism.

Dick Bergin returned home Tuesday after spending a week in Howell.

You feel mean, cross, ugly down in the mouth, nothing goes right. Bad liver. Better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Drives away the blues. 35 cents. D. G. Look. EAST LOWELL.

F. M. Godfrey and wife entertained their daughter-in-laws Thursday.

F. M. Godfrey and wife are visiting their son, Harvey, and family in Portland.

Clarksville ball team came over to Aito last Thursday with victory planted upon their faces but when Murphy landed the ball over the fence, it was plain to see they were beaten. The score stood 6 to 3 in favor of Alto.

I guess we will have to thank our Editor for putting an adv. in The Ledger very time we need rain. For instant sure as he does we get it.

We have 10 pieces of linen carpets that formerly sold at 350 which we will offer at this sale for 22C.
They are wearers 22C and there is no waste in Everything

in Dry Goods, Carpets, Notions, etc. If you haven't paid us a visit lately, Madam, it will surely pay you to do so. There is never a day in all the year that you cannot find the choice t qualities, the lowest prices, careful

weight, 25c to 50c per garment.

Stock and poultry have few troubles which are not bowel and liver irregularities. Black-braught Stock and Poultry Medi-cine is a bowel and liver remedy

it was taking her unconscionably "Give it up," long to make the trip there and back, he'd teli us." All at once Miss Densmore turned good a thing." her drawn face, into which the blood

lic replied, "and was sitting in a little glade a short distance down the logarithm to you make the logarithm to you." she logarithm to you." she logarithm to you. "she logarithm to you." she logarithm to you. "she logarithm to you." she logarithm to you. "she logarithm to you." she logarithm to you. "Som the following afternoon Rossific reas when the chanced to Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills." rupted Miss Merton, and Rossiter Becraft, near whom he chanced to be standing, with a little grin, "but Saved Him.

and he succeeded, for my foot slipped as I was leaping the outlet to the spring, and he would have seized me had I not fied down the logging-

She paused, and Rossiter caught at the opportunity to end all talk on so distressing a theme.

"I chanced to be in the logging-road, as you have heard me say," he put in quickly, addressing Miss Merton: "there was some scuffling between myself and Miss Densmore's pursuer, who finally stumbled and struck his head against a tree, where we left him unconscious."

They had reached the orchard by this time, and paused a brief space to let Miss Densmore rest. A few hop-pickers were lounging beneath the trees, munching the mellow know what to do or say. Would she bear up? he wondered. It was sheer grit that was keeping her from giving way, that was evident. Why

ing way, that was evident. Why didn't her cousin appear? Where was she all this time? If she had returned to the house for any reason, it was taking her unconscious her. "Cive it un" seld souther "Then we shall feel very much slighted if you not do not dance now, and if you neglect us," she added. "Won't we, Sylvia?" he worked it?"
"Give it up," said another. "I wish "I am sure Mr. Rossiter is not ac-

"He won't, never you fear. It's too Miss Densmore.
"But I haven't danced in a number customed to slight his friends," said | "Suppose you ask him how it's of years, and—" began Rossiter.

WICKED BY NATURE.

unt owned by Miss Jessie Van est, in Tiffin, O., has at last manisted itself. Strangers are no longthe family is near by, and, much decided to dispose of it. Many peo-ple in different cities will remember this estamount as one of the main atctions at the cat shows, where its quent growl made its attendants these animals is tamed, even when taken as young as was Cherry. When



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in many ways, and is not believed to "You must let the there you," she said. "And to think that you tried to make out that you were 'rusty'! Why, one would imagine you did nothing but 'trip the light fantas-

Properties of the part of the giving every demonstration of affec-tion, after the manaer of a young dog. is simply a stack of old boards which till of good painters will convert a thing of beauty and a joy forever."

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FESTIVAL OF SONG.

Liberal Arts Building at St. Louis Througed with People at Sacugerlest Concert.

St. Louis, June 18 .- One of the greatest festivals of music in the history of the country was inaugurated Wednesday night in the Liberal Arts building at the world's fair grounds, when 15,000 spectators listened to the opening concept of the country was inaugurated Heppner, Ore., June 20.—The number of dead recovered from the flood ruins now totals 153 bodies. Fifteen bodies were found Thursday. opening concert of the Thirty-first National Saengerfest, given under the auspices of the North American Saengerbund. The opening night programme included famous vocal soloists, a mixed chorus of 6,000 voices, and one of the largest orchestras ever assembled in America.

President Roosevelt praised Virgin- down in the flood. The number of dead day at the seventy-ninth comme ment of the university of Virginia, founded by Thomas Jefferson. He also advised the college men that they must work to make a place and name for themselves if they would be true to their alms mater. The president and Mrs. Roosevelt re-ceived an enthusiastic southern wel-

Eau Claire, Wis., June 17 .- The approach to the Madison street bridge went down under the weight of a big-crowd gathered to witness the street carnival. Nearly 200 people were on the approach at the time it fell to the beach below, a distance of 25 fcet. Six are badly hurt and two will die. Twenty-five others received serious in-Joliet, Ill., June 18 .- James W. Wil-

son, a forger, who disappeared a week go at the penitentiary and was supposed by the officers to be hidden about the prison, was found Wednesday conwater from a reservoir in the yard at Columbus, O., June 18,-M. J. McMas-

ters, proprietor of a restaurant at Plain Cify, a village in Madison coun-ty, lost his life Wednesday morning in an attempt to rescue his 11-year-old rescued his wife and went back after his son, when he was suffocated.

Welding Stationery

of the Post Office Department

eassenger and Freight Trains Meet Head of the Money Order Division | The Final Adjournment of the State on Same Track, and Ten Persons Are Killed.

of Fifty Miles an Hour-Misunderstanding of Orders the Cause.

a dwelling house and killing at least four people, and injuring eight others.

MORE BODIES FOUND.

from the Flood Ruins at bearing further fruit. Charges of irregularities, arrests and indictments have been based hitherto apon the results of investigations in Washington, New York and Brooklyn. The scope has now extended to the post offices in Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati Karana baggage has been found. The number of missing remains in the neighbor Charlottesville, Va., June 17. — that from 15 to 20 transients went trunks prepared establishes the fact

and missing will probably reach 225. GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

A Temple at Ping Tu, China, Bur

and One Hundred and Fifty Persons Perish. Victoria, B. C., June 22.-Advice Victoria, B. C., June 22.—Advices guilty of manslaughter and acquitting moment against the bill permitting from Shanghai tell of the burning of Edmund Monk. The men on trial are surety companies to execute liquor a temple at Ping Tu involving the loss of 150 lives. A large throng Year's eve got into a fight with James

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London, June 19.—The British consular reports on the recent earthquakes in the vilayet of Van confirm previous advices that 23 villages were affected and some were completely destroyed. Seven hundred and eighty-five lives Each youthful parader carried a small are known to have been lost, and it is a consular to the city hall, where a mass meeting was held. The feature of the upper peninsula agricultural experiment station; extending the work of the board of geological survey; prohibiting hunting on Sundays in Clinton and Oakland counties. This veto is doubted to the city hall, where a mass meeting was held. The feature of the upper peninsula agricultural experiment station; extending the work of the board of geological survey; prohibiting hunting on Sundays in Clinton and Oakland counties. This veto is doubted. London, June 19 .- The British confeared that all the killed in the outlying districts have not yet been enu-

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Signature.

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better construction and care of high-

sink into uselessness by Gov. Bliss. Two bills in the interests of liquor

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Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Kaneas lower peninsula.

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Inquiry Extended.

Washington, June 19.—President
Roosevelt's blanket order that the in-

Peoria, Ill., June 19.—After being action shows where he stands on the

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were killed and 13 injured by an explosion in the lyddite factory at the Woolwich arsenal. Several of the victory at the Fair commissioners as follows: Fred-

and two unknown men supposed to be tramps.

BURNED AT THE STAKE.

A Negro Who Mardered a White Girl in Delaware Meets Terrible

Pale at Mob's Bands.

Willington, Del., June 23.—George White, the negro who last week Monday as an author of the Prezel, all of Laramie, and Shopo, of Price's Corner, was burned at the stake shortly after midnight this morning by a mob of 4,000 men. His body was afterwards riddled with bullets, He confessed his guilt as he was tied to the stake.

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Rawings of Jones and Jones an favor of Henry L. Lorenz, of Toledo, year which they can serve and ceive compensation. Other important today. • Wayland Incubator Co., Wayland, N. Y. O. It is claimed that the money was to have been sent to Mr. Lorenz in care of Mr. Machen. The check was cashed in this city, being indorsed by Frank with fought in the massage of the K. Raymend, who says he had the check cashed from Mr. Machen. Mr. Lorenz has declared that the signatures both on the check and voucher accompanying it are forced. The counting of state in the massacre of the River Raisin; for the appointment of state trespass agents; authorizing the auditor general to regulate the accounting of state in the counting of state in the co

O.C McDANNELL,M.D CROPS RETARDED.

Lansing, June 22.—The weekly crop

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M. C. GREENE, M. D. Physician and Surgeon

has greatly retarded growth and germination. Corn is slow and back-Office over Boylan's store, Bridge St., Lowel ward, and in the more northerly counties looks pale and sickly; in the E A. HODGES, D. D. S southern counties its color is better.

cessor to Rickert. S. P. HICKS.

LOANS light yields. New clover is more prom-ising, but indicates a yield below Collections, Real Estate, Insurance, Lowel



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We took advantage of the failure of the largest Wrapper Manufacturer in Detroit by securing quite a large quantity of the very best wrappers made, at a forced sale. We bought them way below the regular price and very much under their value and are going to give our customers the benefit of the low prices we bought them for. We got only 448 of them—just enough to last a few days so it will not be safe to wait very long if you want a wrapper.

A. W. WEEKES.

sponse. She said that when the bell rings next fall, the graduates will feel like hurrying to get one of those nice back seats. As one of the Juniors, Miss Letha McLain told the merits of their "remarkable class."

TREASURER CLARENCE COLLAR.

Superintendent, J. F. Thomas delivered an instructive address on "The Age of Research," showing the great advancement in knowledge since the days of the old philosophers. Rev. G. L. Sprague told a number of humorous stories in response to call. Charles Barnes played a sprightly mandolin solo, accompanied by R. D. Stocking; and they were encored twice. Herbert Graham, of Chicago, was called upon and gave a talk descriptive of Mexico City. Mr. Nicholson, hearing the name "Hicks" hovering around, asked that gentleman to talk to them. Mr. Hicks made a few remarks, speak-of the value of the Aiumni Association as an incentive to younger pupils. In closing the gathering sang "God Be With You" and a short time was spent in hand-shaking among old friends and school-mates and renewing old acquaintances.

Among those present at the banquet from outside were: Mr. aud Mrs. A. W. Hine, F. W. and Nellie Hine, Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Wood, Mesdames Statira Hunt, Wm. Coleman, Eva Lamb Hadden, Helen Dean Brown, Lottie Pean Oliver,

man, Eva Lamb Hadden, Helen Dean Brown, Lottie Dean Oliver, Misses Mary McVean and Ella Kopf and Otis Post, all of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Frankie Lull Wallace and Laura

Mrs. Frankie Lull Wallace and Laura Nicklin, Sparta; Hugh Young, South Boston; Mrs. Ada Fuller Luick, Bel-ding, Mrs. Nellie Brown, Otisco; Jes-sie Wood, Hastings; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Cheeseman, Detroit; Herbert Graham, Chicago and Mrs. Ruby Hine Booth, Spearfish, N. Da's.

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Boys wash suits at Godfrey's. 60c and 75c.

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Grass Lake Tuesday. Call and see Godfrey's \$3 patent leather shoes. Yours for \$2.50.

A. W. Knee and family, of Saranac, are taking in the races here to-day.

Lewis Weeks pharmacist from Owosso, is clerking for D. G. Look in place of Mr. Washburn, resigned.

Fifty pairs of men's \$2 shoes to close out at \$1.50 per pair,
D. F. Butts.

Thirty-six Lowell people took in the excursion to Grand Rapids on the Pere Marquette railway yesterday. The picnic of the Clover Leaf Literary club has been postponed and will be held on Miss Kitty Mason's lawn.

Married-Wednesday at the office fficks, Justice o Willard Rowley and Bertha McCord, both of Easton.

The first meeting of the commis-sioners on claims in the Norman A. Beach estate of Ada was held at M. M. Perry's office yesterday.

The commissioners on claims in the estate of Jno. Mathewson, deceased, will meet for the last time at the office of M. M. Perry Monday, July 13.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Ecker, Freda and Latelle are spending a week at Luther where he is buying lumber

and fence posts.

Bert Kinyon and family have re-turned from Chicago. He and his brother Willis Kinyon have purchas-ed a greenhouse at Whitehall, Mich., and will locate there.

The best bargains ever offered are those patent leather shoes at Godfrey's. 60 pairs to be sold at \$2.50 per per pair. Come and get them. We are after your shoe trade.

Judge Clement Smith, of Hastings, has been appointed Justice of the supreme court of New Mexico, in place of Judge McMellan removed. Judge Smith lectured on "Christian Citizenship," at the Methodist church in Lowell and has many friends who will approve of his promotion.

Miss Iva B. Masten, grade teacher at the Central, left at the close of school with very dubious prospects for her vacation, as one sister was sick with scarlet fever and another had been exposed. She did not expect to be admitted to her home at Grand Rapids for at least all weeks.

The 32d annual reunion of the Old Third Michigan Infantry was held at Grand Rapids June 17. Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Morse of Lowell were in attendance and were elected pres-ident and chairman of reception committee respectively.

The Lowell Granite and Marble Works recently erected a beautiful Baire granite monument on the family lot of Geo. W. Crosby in Krum cemetery, also one in Whitneyville cemetery for D. E. Blood and one in the Gaines cemetery for the late Win. Frost. All of these monuments were made of the best dark Barre granite from the quaries in Vermont and made from the very latest designs.

All the teachers in the Lowell schools have been offered their same positions for next year, and all have accepted but Mrs. Loa Lampman, Misses Minnie Blakesiee and Emma Wesbrook. Mrs. Lampman will teach in the grades of the Ionia school. Miss Wesbrook will attend Aiblon College.

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The Village Council has fixed the rate of taxation for the coming year at eighty-five one hundredths of one per cent for the general fund and and for the street fund forty one-hundredths of one per cent.

Wm. R. Leece died at his home in Wm. R. Leece died at his home in Grand Rapids Sunday, June 21, of pneumonia. He was borne in Bowne Sept. 23, 1869, and was a resident of Lowell several years ago. He was a nephew of Jas. Gibson of this place. A wile, four children, a father, brother, sister and numerous other relatives survive him. Funeral services were held at the home of his father, Fardy Leece, in Bowne Center, Tuesday conducted by Rev. Freeman.

See the new style collars at God-

Puritan hose for boys, only 10c per pair at Godfrey's.

Thirty-six pairs of ladies \$2.56 oxfords \$1.69. Butts. Thirty-six pairs of ladies \$2.50 oxfords \$1.69. Butts.

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Wallowa, Ore.; Allen K. Lamb, Newark; N. J.; Mrs. Laura Kinyon Hughson, Clarksville; Mrs. Belle Malcolm Weatherwax, Monthesano, Wash.; Ray G. McDonald and Ernest R. Graham, Chleago; J. A. May, Lansing; Mrs. Jessie Hunter Tucker, Philadelphia: Mrs. Kate Edmonds Snyder, New Orleans; Mrs. Carrie McKay Flanagan, Staples, Minn.; Herbert Taft. Brockton, Mass.; Mrs. Alice Oliver Gaul, Oneida, N. Y.; Mrs. Addle Young Nagler, Howard City, Mrs. M. C. Barber, Houston, Tex.; J. C. and Cora Maynard, Bella Vista, Cal.; W. A. Ludwig, Union City; Perry Sayles, Kalamazoo; and the following, all of Grand Rapids: Mesdames Thena Wilhelm Flanagan, Flora Sprague Norcott, Sadie Benja, min Stander, Ella Trask Huntley-Jeanie Foreman Trindle, Ruby Babcock Fox and Misses Orinda Barclay and Margaret Scott. and Margaret Scott.



The toastmaster then called upon F. W. Hine of Grand Rapids, of whom it had been said that he was always willing to sing a favorite song, "Ben Bolt." Mr. Hine declined to sing, but told several anecdotes of the old-school days.



CORRESPONDING SECRETARY ETHEL

A fullaby song was sweetly rendered by Mrs. H. A. Peckham; following which came an interesting paper, "The Era of Universities," by Miss Alice F. Morris, preceptress. Joseph E. Kelly was next called upon as a representative of the newly registered class of 1903; and he replied acity. Miss Ethel Wesbrook, being called as a member of the class of 1902, made a brief but pleasing re-

These are a Few Prices

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These Latter Days of June

1 lot 10c, 121c and 15c Wash Goods

1 lot 8c, 10c and 124c Torchon Lace Friday and Saturday 5C

63 yds. Black Taffeta 1,25 value 1.00 yd.

1 lot ladies' white Muslin underskirts, heavily trimmed with lace and deep flounce. 1.75 and 2.00 values. Friday and Saturday 1.29

400 yards of wash Taffe-ta all silk Neck Ribbons in black, white and colors. 20c and 25c values. 10c Friday and Sat'day 10c

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1 lot Light Prints, 3c

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Lot 1. Ladies' Wrappers out full proportions with deep flounce 75c value 58c

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Lot 3. 1.35 1.00 quality percales

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