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The Lowell State Bank.

Heard About Town

Dr. Hodges, dentist. Register Saturday April 2. High school contest tonight. Fancy fruits at Bangs & Jessup's. Headquarters for tea and coffee. Bangs & Jessup. Elsie and Riverside cheese at Bangs & Jessup's. Chicago Glee Club next Monday evening. Miss Nora Olds visited at St. Johns Sunday. Spring goods arriving daily at Godfrey's. Chattel mortgage blanks at THE LEDGER office. A new line of Sears package goods at Bangs & Jessup's. Little Marjorie Thomas is improving after a short illness. Republican caucus Friday. Democrat caucus Saturday. Miss Libbie Lawrence is recovering from an illness of two weeks. Chicago Glee Club at Train's opera house Monday evening March 28. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown of Grand Rapids spent Thursday in town. Unclaimed letters at Lowell post-office for R. A. McConnell and N. S. White. Reserve your seats for the Chicago Glee Club at the Post office, now on sale. The Mountmellick Club met with Miss Della Winegar Monday afternoon. Misses Donna and Nina Wisner were in Grand Rapids last Wednesday and Thursday. Try a package of Zest, the new breakfast food. A cup and saucer in each package at Bangs & Jessup's. Miss Scott will give an Easter hop in Train's opera house Tuesday April 5. Good music with prompter. Mrs. Paul St. Clair and little son George, from Jersey City, N. J., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Theodore Mueller. THE LEDGER goes into new homes every week. Our advertisers thus reach new customers with every talk. Better plant your Spring ad. now and this is the place to plant it. Reconstruct your whole body, makes rich red, blood. Drives out impurities, that have collected during the winter. Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea is a family tonic. 35c. Tea or tablets. D. G. LOOK.

High school contest tonight. New Maple sugar at Vandye's. Get that job of printing done now. Ten pages of THE LEDGER this week. Seed corn for sale. Wm. Cheatham. Don't forget that the Easter party comes April 5th. Special sale of chamberettes at Collar's bazaar. Clover and timothy seeds for sale by John Giles & Co. No better soap made than Look's Hand Lotion soap, 10c a cake. Miss Lotta Ruben is home from from Grand Rapids for her vacation. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ford of Otego visited Mrs. W. Pardee last week. Miss Cora Parrott is learning "the art preservative" at THE LEDGER office. Miss Lorena Pennington has returned from Traverse for the millinery season. Lay your fur coats away and buy a Spring overcoat at Godfrey's. Price \$5, \$6, \$8. Mrs. Myrtle Moyer has moved to Belding where she will establish a millinery business. Found, pair of spectacles. Owner call at LEDGER office, prove property and pay for this notice. Misses Emma Westbrook and Lenora Yetter are home from Albion for their vacation. These March winds won't produce chaps if you use Look's Hand Lotion and Hand Lotion soap. Mr. and Mrs. Orton Hill returned Friday from a few day's visit with their son Roy in Toledo. There's a man in this town who will get some well earned publicity if he doesn't quit his meanness. Mrs. Orton Hill entertained the Shriners and their wives Monday evening as a surprise on Mr. Hill. Lost—red silk embroidery bag, out fit including silver thimble, Friday night. Finder please leave at Dr. Towsey's office. Best 12 quart sap buckets made, for 12c each. Syrup saps, sap spiles and sap pans at the right prices at R. B. Boylan's. Price of single copies of THE LEDGER is only two cents now but no free ones to any one. If you want one to send to a friend in stead of a letter, on account of some special features only two cents; but remember the two cents.

High school contest tonight. Lettuce, celery and radishes at Vandye's. Don't forget the Maccabee pedro party Friday evening. The Cutter company has begun work on its extension. See the Hayseed Quartet in Ten Nights in a Bar Room Friday night. Voting contest closes April 6—only two weeks more. Work lively now. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Flanagan of Grand Rapids were in town this week. The finest line of dink olives pickles and bottled goods we ever had at Vandye's. Chicago Glee club next number of the Epworth Popular Course March 25th. There will be an Easter party at I. O. O. F. hall Monday evening April 4, 1904. Everyone invited. Mrs. Andrew Wood and Mrs. Western of Grand Rapids visited Mrs. J. D. Harvey Tuesday. Will Morse has been helping out on an extra amount of job printing at THE LEDGER office the last two weeks. An Easter party will be given at Moseley, Thursday evening, April 7, under the auspices of Moseley Arbor No. 409. The drama, "Under Southern Skies," will be presented by local talent under direction of Raymond Greene, for the benefit of Lowell Maccabees, March 30 and 31, April 1, at Train's opera house. Mrs. Marks Ruben entertained about fifty ladies Tuesday afternoon in honor of her sisters, Mesdames J. E. Ackerson of Middleville and L. Seeley of Grand Rapids. I have arranged to supply all who wish the famous Lincoln seed oats at a very low price. Call and see samples. Good idea to change your seed.—[Mar 31] H. Nash. At his trial before Justice Perry last week, Earl Johnson was fined \$25 and costs for disorderly conduct on the streets of Lowell last September, and has appealed the case. C. W. Parks has bought the tools and machinery of S. H. McEld and will employ a number of men in the manufacture of hand trucks and bag holders. Miss Erma Flanagan of Grand Rapids was given a pleasant surprise by nine little girl friends Monday evening at the home of Miss Freda Ecker, with whom she is spending her vacation. Gather the roses of health for your cheeks. While the parks are shining with dew. Get out in the morning early and bright. By taking Rocky Mountain tea at night. D. G. LOOK. Saranac, Mich., March 15—While Arthur Eddy was doing chores, his horse kicked a lantern over, setting fire to the barn. The loss on building and contents is \$1,500, with small insurance. The barn was new. Eddy was severely burned. Mrs. R. D. Stocking has been in a critical condition for several days; and Tuesday night it was thought she was dying. Yesterday morning she rallied a little, and this morning, seems still to be slightly better. Her mother, Mrs. O'Heron still hovers between life and death. Mr. Stocking has the sympathy and hopes of many friends in his trouble. Referring to the challenging of his vote by the Village election board, D. B. Davidson says in his paper that he gave his name to be registered when he located in Lowell several years ago; and that two years ago, when informed that his name was not on the register, he went in person to the board and gave his name. He characterizes the challenge as "boys' play."

Miss Ada Smith spent Monday in Ionia. New shoes at Godfrey's. Prices the lowest. Only two weeks more of the voting contest. Hustle. New line of trunks, suit cases and telescopes at Godfrey's. Special review Eddy Tent, K. O. T. M. M., to-night (March 24th.) Mrs. Frank McMahon entertained the Sunshine Club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. M. A. Carr has returned to Lowell after visiting with Grand Rapids friends. THE LOWELL LEDGER and New York Tribune Farmer, both weeklies, one year for \$1.25. Attorney R. C. Springett has purchased the Nicklen house on Monroe street. Consideration \$825. He will occupy the new home as soon as Rev. G. L. Sprague can find new quarters. Ogden's Ten Nights in a Bar Room Co., who travel in their own palace cars and carry their own band and orchestra, will be at Train's opera house Friday evening. Free street parade at noon. Parents, have your children see this great temperance play. CONGREGATIONAL. Christian Endeavor meeting at 10:45, a. m. Topic: "Jesus' work for His Own Country, What Can I do for Mine?" Leader, Martha Perry. Sunday school at 12. Everybody invited. BAPTIST. Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon, "The Banner of Truth." Evening worship at 7:00. Sermon, "The Religion of Optimism." All invited to these services. B. Y. P. U. at 6. Conquest meeting. Topic "Fields and Forces of our Foreign Mission Organizations." All members of the Union are requested to be present. The members of the B. C. B. C. were entertained at the parsonage Monday evening. COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. Regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Lowell held in the Council rooms on Thursday evening, March 17. Regular Charter meeting to declare the result of the annual Village Election. Meeting called to order by President Hakes. Present Trustees Collar, Look, Nicholson, and Smith absent Lee and Winegar. The Board of Election Inspectors submitted the following report: The annual village election of the Village of Lowell was held in the Hiler building within said village on Monday, March 14, 1904. President Hakes, Trustees Collar and Nicholson present as Inspectors of Election. Trustee Smith and Clerk Murphy present as Clerks of Election. Trustee Look present as Chairman for a portion of the time to take the place of President Hakes, who was called away on private business. S. B. Knapp and Chas. D. Blakelee were appointed Gate-keepers. Inspectors, Clerks and Gate-keepers sworn. Polls opened at 7:45 a. m. At 4:00 4:30 and 4:42 o'clock p. m. Proclamation was made of the closing of the polls in one hour, thirty minutes and fifteen minutes respectively. Polls closed at 5:00 p. m. Ballot box opened and ballots counted and proper proclamation made of the result. Ballot box closed and sealed, seal delivered to Trustee Nicholson and key to President Hakes. On motion by Trustee Look the report was accepted and adopted and in accordance with the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 3 of the Public Acts of 1895 the following officers were declared elected: President, Horace W. Hakes; Clerk, Thomas A. Murphy; Treasurer, Frank J. McMahon; Trustee, two years, Sylvester F. Hicks; Trustee, two years, Willard S. Winegar; Trustee two years, Clyde Collar; Assessor, Joseph B. Yeiter. Carried, Yeas, Collar, Look, Nicholson and Smith, absent Lee and Winegar. On motion by Trustee Nicholson Council adjourned. T. A. MURPHY, clerk.

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